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One of the most uncontroversial figures in politically turbulent Austin at any given time would be white-haired Robert Calvert, the state comptroller. Yet his name was bannered across nearly every daily front page in the state late last week as having fostered a minor shakedown racket on the employees under his control.

Calvert is possibly the last man in Austin who would have been expected to dip his hand into the sack of dishonesty. As the man who controls the state's purse strings, Calvert has apparently been scrupulously honest in that respect. But he has admitted receiving \$15,000 from his employees since 1949 and a senate investigating committee places the figure at \$28,000.

Calvert talks like he hasn't done and others before him have certain anything wrong. Apparently he expects the state to believe that he sets of rules which apply only to themselves.

Even if we consider only the \$15,000 he admits taking, that's still \$15,000 a year from employees. We don't care who he is, \$15,000 a year is a considerable addition to anybody's income. Any politician who, directly or indirectly, receives money or any other material gain other than his salary as a result of being an office holder, is guilty of corruption.

We bring up the subject of Calvert here because Castro County voted for him and thousands of our tax dollars have been controlled by this man. Perhaps his action is another indication of the creeping paralysis caused by corruption in office that is spreading in Austin. Land Commissioner Bascom Giles, Representative Cox, the insurance commission, and dozens of other lesser examples have occurred where unwholesome, unethical, and unlawful personal money-making schemes arose from political advantage.

Texas has been the scene of much political chicanery. There have been many nests feathered by office holders, even before Governor Jim Ferguson who was probably the most blatant of them all.

But maybe someday, after enough editorials like this one, after enough senate investigating committees, after enough tougher laws and after enough irate citizens have been aroused there will begin to sink into the thick skulls that run this state an inkling that while honesty may not be always the best policy, it's dawgone sure the safest. A twenty year prison term instead of two years might help some people keep their hands off their own pockets for a change.

This is the week end of the junior fat stock and project show at the Fair Grounds. Anybody who has never been to a fat stock show (and there are quite a few in this category) should put on their coat and go down Saturday morning.

We watched the one last year and the judge was county Agent Ollie Limer of Plainview. We were observing the proceedings with a certain amount of boredom, having picked what we knew would be the grand and reserve champions of the beef calf division. Anybody could plainly see which was the biggest and most well rounded. But when Limer began poking around on the poor brutes with his x-ray fingers he told the crowd things about those calves even the owners didn't know.

The calf we had picked as No. 1 didn't even rate and our reserve champion choice was fourth or fifth or something.

It was quite an education to see Limer poking around on those different animals and telling why this sheep or that hog or that calf wasn't any good. We'd suggest that anyone who hasn't seen these going-on drop by for a real treat Saturday morning.

After watching Limer poke around on those poor calves finding so many things wrong with the way they were constructed, we decided we'd never let him poke around on this writer!

Dimmitt Produce Co. To Meet Wednesday

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of Dimmitt Produce Company, Inc., will be held at the Community Room of the First State Bank on Wednesday, January 21 at 3 p.m.

Main business before the group will be the election of three directors to serve on the nine-man board for the coming three years. There will also be reports and general policy setting sessions.

Dimmitt Produce Company, Inc. was formed to encourage the establishment of a vegetable industry in Castro County. The company owns the local processing building and equipment which is under lease to Pacific Fruit and Produce Company.

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ACCEPT TROPHY—Hal Ratcliff and Tooter Smithson accept first place trophy in the Dimmitt High School Invitational Basketball Tournament Saturday night from Paul Hilburn, high school principal. —Ayers Photo

Bobcats Win Own Tourney; Bobbies Take Second Place

The Dimmitt Bobcats ground out enough victories in the Dimmitt High School Invitational Basketball Tournament last week end to emerge the champion.

Likewise for the Abernathy girls in the girls division. Mostly it was a rugged tournament from a standpoint of close playing. Abernathy, paced by tall Margie Guinn, pounded out a tall but close 69-65 victory over the Dimmitt Bobbies in the finals after shooting Slaton out of the saddle by a lopsided 71-49 score in the semifinals.

Elvis Burch Named A Top Conservatist

Elvis Burch of Dimmitt has been named a winner of the Eighth Annual Soil Conservation District Supervisors' Awards Program sponsored by the Texas Bank and Trust Company of Dallas.

To signify the award, Burch was presented a silver serving tray. He was one of five area winners in the state competition. First place of \$500 to observe and study various methods of soil conservation farming and ranching in some part of the United States, went to John Royal of Menard and it was presented at the Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors' Convention in Abilene, January 9th.

The importance of Burch's winning of an area title becomes more apparent when it is noted there are only five areas in the conservation-minded state of Texas. Hundreds of farmers who have been outstanding in the field of conservation were considered. In each of the five conservation district areas in Texas are one vice president and four directors of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation Supervisors, all of whom are farmers or ranchers. These areas are subdivided into 172 Soil Conservation Districts. A Bankers Awards Committee within each district submits its choice for outstanding supervisor of the year to an area committee which, in turn, screens the various entries and selects the outstanding supervisor from its area, submitting his name to the state committee for final selection.

Burch is presently a member

AMERICAN LEGION MEETING
There will be an American and Auxiliary meeting of Zone II at the American Legion Building in Tulla, Monday evening at 7:30. Supper will be served.

All local Legion and Auxiliary members are invited and urged to attend.

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Jones and Annen County Water Board Members

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District held its annual election of District Directors and County Committeemen Tuesday.

Voters in the thirteen southern High Plains counties that comprise the High Plains Water District elected two County Committeemen in each county to serve three-year terms of office. Three Directors were also elected to serve two-year terms on the District Board.

County Committeemen elected were Ernest Jones of Precinct 3 and Fred Annen, Precinct 4. Elmer Blankenship of Wilson, Director representing District Precinct No. 1, Lubbock and Lynn Counties, ran unopposed and was re-elected.

John Gammon of Lazbuddie will replace A. H. Daricek of Maple on the Board of Directors as the representative for District Precinct No. 3, Bailey, Castro and Parmer Counties.

T. L. Sparkman, Jr., of Hereford was elected to represent District Precinct No. 4, Armstrong, Deaf Smith, Potter and Randall Counties, on the Board of Directors and will replace Virgil E. Dodson, also of Hereford.

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Farm Bureau will be in the amount of \$5 for first place, \$3.50 for second; \$2.50 for third and \$1.50 for fourth. In addition to these prizes a showmanship award from the Castro County Chamber of Commerce will amount to \$5 for 1st; \$3 for second; and \$2 for third.

Cash prizes, also from the Castro County Farm Bureau, will be awarded in the animal divisions. Grand champion swines and lambs will receive \$10 each and the reserve champion in these two divisions will win \$5 each. Grand champion calf will win \$12.50 and reserve champion calf will receive \$7.50.

Ollie Limer, Hale County agent, will do the judging this year. He was also the judge last year.

Castro County Agent Charles Hottel stressed this week that entries should be at the fair grounds by 5 p.m. Friday when sifting and weighing is set to begin. The sifting judge will be Joe Jones of Farwell.

Many Dimmitt merchants are prepared for the sale which will follow the show. These men annually pay premium prices for the animals shown. A floor price is set by a packer representative on the animals, which means that is what the processor will pay. This is the starting price and the merchants bid up the animals until sold. The buyer can either keep the animal or sell it to the packer at a loss of the amount between the floor price and his bid. This sale educates the youngsters to general sales ring principles and at the same time gives him a good price for his animal and the work he has done.

Entering sheep are Lynn Campbell, Jim Aldridge, Charles Gibson, Ben Holcomb, Mac Strother, Glenn Hobratchek, Larry Burks, Jackie Powers, Marlos Wilke, Darless Goolsby, Jimmy Campbell, Jimmy Adams, Jerry Blackwell, Kent Hance, Gerald Summers, Richard Berryman, Dean Lilley, Dwight Cathey, Stanley Nelson, Norman Nelson, Travis Stafford, Ronnie McAfee, Charles Page and David Seale.

Entering animals in the swine division are Tony Gabel, Carlos Barnes, Danny Schilling, Kent Gabel, Aaron Hutto, Bobby McLain, Kennedy Bailey, Jimmy Di-

Return to California
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hembree have returned home in northern California after a few weeks visit with his father, Mr. Bill Hembree and family.

New Baptist Church to Organize With Services Here Sunday at 2:30

The second Baptist Church to be organized within a matter of months will be the Northside Baptist Church located three blocks west of Castro County Hospital.

Ceremonies including the new church in the Southern Baptist Convention will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, January 18th, according to an announcement this week by the church pastor, Rev. John B. Atkins.

"Our attendance is gaining every Sunday," Rev. Atkins said. "After starting from scratch some two months ago, we now have a membership of about 40 and we're growing right along."

Rev. Atkins came to Dimmitt from Des Moines, New Mexico where he had completed preliminary work on a new church building.

Upon entering the Southern Baptist Convention, this church will make the third for Dimmitt to enter and be sanctioned by the organization. After the ceremony Sunday a revival will be held during the coming week.

Rev. Atkins said he hopes a new church auditorium can be constructed within the next two years.

The new church is located in the old Calvary Baptist Church Building in Northwest Dimmitt.

Nazareth Legion To Stage Auction

The Nazareth American Legion has set its community sale date at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, February 3. This sale is for anyone with anything to sell. Items listings left at Klemm service Station or at K & W Fertilizer Company will be auctioned off by the Legion on a commission basis and representatives of the organization say any item will be taken.

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J. W. Hastings Funeral Service Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Josef Wallace Hastings, 62, who died Monday following a heart attack were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the First Methodist Church.

The Rev. Darris Egger, pastor officiated, assisted by Rev. Raymond Van Zandt, Petersburg and Rev. U. S. Sherrill, Spade.

Burial was in Castro Memorial Gardens under direction of Dennis Funeral Home of Dimmitt.

Mr. Hastings spent almost his entire life in Dimmitt and was well-known over the county. During his lifetime he had served County and District Clerk of Castro County and Democratic party chairman of precinct No. 4, retired farmer, he succumbed a heart attack at his son's farm near Dimmitt. A resident of Dimmitt for 51 years, Hastings was born March 3, 1896 at Springtown, Texas.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Gani Pickens, S. C. and Mrs. Ben Boothe, Dimmitt; two sons, O. Hastings, Dimmitt, and John Hastings, Corpus Christi; two sisters, Mrs. Tennie Harman, Lubbock; Mrs. Jack Wright, Hereford; and Mrs. P. C. Daniels at Mrs. Ulys Davis, both of Dimmitt; two brothers John J. Hastings, Lubbock, and Charley Hastings, Dumas, and seven grandchildren.

Results of the livestock and project show will be carried in next week's issue of the Castro County News.

Kirkpatrick New C of C President

New president of the Castro County Chamber of Commerce is W. E. Kirkpatrick, owner of Kirkpatrick Sales and Service, a local Phillips 66 agency.

Mr. Kirkpatrick, a long-time resident of Dimmitt, was elected when the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors met at the Steak House Cafe Friday morning to select new officers for the coming year.

Also named to offices in the organization was Steve Taylor, vice-president. Retained in office were B. M. Nelson, manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Mrs. Elvis Burch, secretary.

New directors are Taylor, J. R. Brown, Charles Vaughan and M. E. Cleavinger. Old directors still on the board are Noel Womble, Leon Blundell, Kirkpatrick, Dexter McLaughan, Elton Singer, Glenn Youts, A. V. Barnes and Bill Harman.

Chamber of Commerce directors are selling tickets this week and next for the annual banquet to be held Friday night, January 23 at the Grade School Cafeteria. The tickets are \$2.50 per plate.

Frank Easter, J Dies In Waco Hospital Sunday

John Franklin Easter Jr., 37, 2608 Maple Avenue, Waco, died at 12:30 a.m. Monday, January 11th. He was taken to a Waco hospital Sunday night when he came ill. An autopsy revealed death was due to a brain tumor.

Funeral services were held 10 a.m. Wednesday at Waco. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mr. Easter was born and raised in Dimmitt, having graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1939. He had lived in Waco the past 16 years, having gone to work as an electrician for a local tire and rubber company after his discharge from the service following World War II. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, former Miss Catherine Bauer (Waco); his mother, Mrs. J. F. Easter of Dimmitt; a daughter, Mary Lynn Easter; a son, Edward Easter; and a sister, O. T. Vardell of Dimmitt.

Frazier Buys M & K Cleaners

Alvin Frazier has purchased M&K Cleaners from George Cameron as of January 1.

Although Mrs. Frazier operates the Charm Beauty Shop, this is Frazier's first business operation in Dimmitt. A resident of Dimmitt since he moved here with his parents in 1930, he has been engaged in farming until this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, former operators of the establishment, will devote full time to their rug cleaning business, which was a development from their dry cleaning operations.

4-H Awards Program Set For Tuesday Night at Banquet

The 4-H Cotton award program will be held Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. in the community room of the First State Bank of Dimmitt. At this time winners will be announced and awards made.

16 club members will receive prize money. They are Mack Thompson, Jack Sharp, Don Curtis, Aaron Hutto, Johnny Hodges, Jim Aldridge, Mary Taack, Donald

Smithson, Mary Maples, Lester Schulte, Glenn Ann Maples, Cliff Veretto, Leon Collins, Jack Thompson, Johnny Collins and Burris McRee.

Mr. John Davis, agronomist for the High Plains research foundation will make a short talk to the club members and their parents about cotton production.

The cotton program is sponsored by the following firm in the county, by awarding the money and trophies to the men and girls. They are the Panh Compress and Warehouse Company; Castro County Co-Op Farm; Producers Co-Op Company; Dimmitt Gin Company; the North Gin; Tam-Anne Hart Gin Company; A. A. L. J. Gin; Easter Gin Company; Flagg Gin company.

Southwestern Public Service To Expand In '59

The Southwestern Public Service Company will spend more than \$14,000,000 in 1959 for new equipment and extensions and additions to their electric system. A. R. "Jon" Watson, executive vice-

president of the company, announced this week. Watson also revealed that because of the continued growth in the company's 45,000 square mile service area, a long range construction program has been proposed which would see a total of approximately \$80,000,000 invested in the territory in the next five years.

"The public utility business is different than any other. In that we have no direct control over our own growth. We grow as the territory we are able to serve grows. Every economic consideration indicates that this country is going to continue its progress, and we are planning now, as we must to keep up with this growth, the expansion that we will undertake in the next five years," Watson said.

Earlier this year, Southwestern Public Service Company announced it was building a 12th electric generating station to be located southwest of Amarillo. Continued work on this project in 1959, is a major item in the building budget for the next five years.

Still another project in the company's 1959 construction program which indicates increased demand is the transmission line program. Two years ago, Southwestern Public Service Company began a program which is designed to double the carrying capacity of the company's 115,000 volt "backbone" transmission line which runs from Elmer to Roswell, New Mexico. The first step in this project was a new line from Herford to Plant X, near Earth, which was designed for 230,000 volts in 1959, another segment of this line from Herford to Amarillo will be underway.

In 1959, Southwestern Public Service Company's investment in equipment to serve its customers have grown from \$81,000,000 to \$227,000,000. During this same period, in the face of rising costs on all hands, the cost of electric service to residential customers has gone down some 20 percent in the average cost of a residential kilowatt-hour. The company's average residential customer pays 23 cents a day for electric service.

In summarizing the growth of our local electric company, Watson revealed some statistics on the nation-wide growth of business-managed electric companies reporting that in the last 8 years these companies have invested \$22-billion dollars in equipment to serve their customers at the same time that they had paid more than 11 billion dollars in taxes.

"We in the electric light and power industry, labor and management alike, are many times commended for our industry, in the face of continuing efforts to serve our customers efficiently and economically, with a record that shows a lower unit cost to the customer for our services, should be the target of so many critics who are able to serve growth."

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We realize that the fortunes of our agricultural industry of tomorrow depend on the youth of today. We heartily congratulate the youth of the county, and their leaders as they hold their annual project show Friday and Saturday.

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Recruiting Sergeant In Dimmitt Soon

Sergeant Tadale, a Marine Corps recruiting sergeant will be in Dimmitt on Thursday, January 22 to interview applicants for an enlistment in the U.S. Marine Corps. While in Dimmitt, Sergeant Tadale will be located at the Post Office between the hours of 12:00 noon and 2:00 p.m.

Sergeant Tadale also stated that the Marine Corps is currently offering an enlistment for only one year. When a young man is qualified and enlists for this program he is assured of spending his entire enlistment in Marine aviation. Upon completion of his "Recruit Training" he is sent to Jacksonville, Florida to the Basic Airman school. Upon completing Basic Airman school he will then receive schooling in either aviation electronics or mechanics school.

Sergeant Tadale also stated that the Marine Corps has a 120 day delayed enlistment program that is quite popular. Under this program a young man may enlist in the Marine Corps Reserve with the agreement to go on active duty within 120 days. During this 120 days the young man has no drills or meetings to attend and this time counts toward his longevity pay.

Diseases Takes Big Toll on Cotton

Diseases took a \$156 million bite out of the 1958 Texas cotton crop, report 15 cotton specialists located throughout the state.

"Cotton diseases kept at least 500,000 bales of cotton from being marketed," said Harlan Smith, extension plant pathologist, who compiled the information for the Cotton Disease Council.

Besides the \$156 million cash loss to producers, there were losses of business to farm labor, railroads, trucking companies, suppliers, compress companies, storage facilities and other phases of the industry. Diseases also were a major factor in grade reduction

Tests Show Larger Ewes Produce Larger Lambs

The size of a yearling ewe before first breeding is a good indication of how large her lambs will be, both at birth and weaning time.

Tests at the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Southwestern Range and Sheep Breeding Laboratory at Fort Wingate, New Mexico, showed that heavier ewes—regardless of breed—produced heavier, fast-growing lambs than lightweight ewes.

In the 4-year USDA tests, ewes were grouped by weight. The lightest group averaged 63.4 pounds as yearlings and the heaviest, 92.7 pounds. The heaviest group with an average weight advantage of 28.3 pounds, produced lambs averaging 1.29 pounds more at birth and 10.5 pounds more at weaning.

USDA scientists say quicker profits from breeding flocks should be possible as a result of this finding because culling can be done before breeding rather than after each ewe has produced a lamb. In addition, the bigger ewes have more skin area for growing wool.

Home from holiday visit
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter returned home Friday from a holiday visit at Fort Worth and New Orleans.

Sheffy is Member Of WTSC Fraternity

Don Sheffy, Dimmitt sophomore, recently took part in activities which glorify nationalistic sentiment at the West Texas State College.

On hand for the ceremonies conducted at the First Methodist Church in Canyon were George W. Spaayk, Secretary of Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity from Indianapolis, Indiana and a State College in Denton.

Following the ceremonies, an installation banquet was held at the Dowell's Restaurant in Amarillo.

Lambda Pi Delta was founded in April, 1958 and was the fourth fraternity at West Texas State. The movement nationalize fraternities and societies was encouraged by President James P. Cornette and other donors.

Patricia Wilson Honored at Tea Shower Saturday

Patricia Wilson, bride-elect of Robert Brock, was honored with a shower in the home of Mrs. J. C. Gilbreath Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Gilbreath presided and guests to Patricia and she in turn presented them to Mrs. Raymond Wilson, her mother, and Mrs. Earl Brock, mother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. W. W. Gilbreath and Mrs. Clarence Bearden presided at the shower. In charge were Mrs. J. G. Davis, Jr., and Mrs. O. B. Trimble served angel roll cake and coffee from a table laid with a hand made lace cloth over white satin. An arrangement of all white mums, stock and candy in a silver bowl on a crystal pedestal circled with snowball candles formed the centerpiece and created a feeling of "winter wonderland." This white theme was carried out throughout all of the receiving rooms.

The many gifts were shown by the hostesses who were Mesdames J. C. Gilbreath, P. L. Cunningham, T. E. Harrison, J. R. Rothwell, Jack Cooper, Dewey Wright, Pearl Sheffy, Allen Webb, Raymond Chalm, Ray Roberts, Ben Smithson, Homer Newton, James Burnam, Roy Riley, Joe Benson, Clarence Bearden, Lon Beath, Howard Hershey, J. G. Davis, Jr., George Bagwell, Jack Tucker, O. B. Trimble, M. E. Cleavinger, W. W. Gilbreath, D. Neumann, Frank Meers, Jr., Floyd Copeland, J. M. Birdwell, R. D. Rogers, Cecil Curry, George Webb, Artie Cone, Miss Wilda Smithson and Miss Dorothy Wright.

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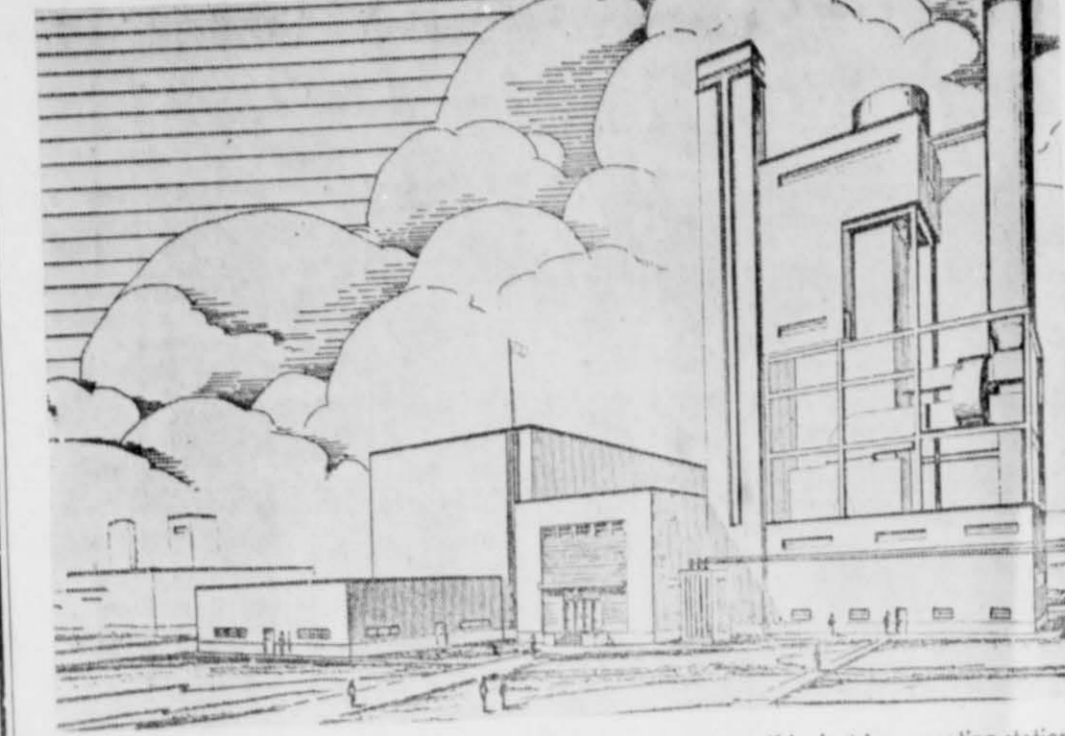
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Rameys Enjoy Birthday Party

Mr. Edwin Ramey, and Mr. Edgar Ramey of Dimmitt and Mr. O. J. Boone of Friona celebrated their annual birthday party again Tuesday evening, January 13 in the Boone home. According to Mr. Ramey, the three "crossed the loop" again by enjoying baked ham with all the trimmings topped with candied that delighted the grandsons. Enjoying the occasion also were the Moseleys, Lambs and Massey brother of Friona; Dr. William Boone, Paducah; the H. C. Balda of Hereford; Robert Rameys of Amarillo; and



This is an artist's sketch of Southwestern Public Service Company's twelfth electric generating station, now under construction north of Amarillo. With a generating capability of 150,000 horsepower, the new station is part of the company's five year construction program which will see an investment of approximately \$90,000,000 in new equipment and facilities.

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CALLING ON THE NAME OF THE LORD

The Bible teaches that whosoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved. What does it mean to call on the name of the Lord? It means more than just pronouncing His name. Some would make it mean this, which would prove wicked men are saved in their sins and violates every principle in the New Testament of this subject.

Notice: Whosoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved, but Jesus said men must be born again, Jno. 3:3,5,7. Therefore, calling includes being born again.

Again, Whosoever calls on His name shall be saved, but Jesus said men must be converted, so calling includes conversion, Matt. 18:3.

Still further, Whosoever calls on His name will be saved, but Jesus said only those who do his will shall be saved, Matt. 7:21, therefore, calling includes doing the will of God.

Those on Pentecost were told that whosoever called on His name would be saved, Act. 2:21; told how in v. 28. Call on His name in His way and be saved.

D. C. Lawrence, Minister
Church of Christ
Dimmitt, Texas

WALTER ROGERS' WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

The taxpayers are getting skinned in the process. The President stated that the armed forces, the Atomic Energy Commission, and military assistance would require \$17 billion in 1960. This would mean that all of the other government activities would have to be cut. When you subtract from this \$30 billion the interest that must be paid on the public debt in the amount of \$2 billion, it leaves the sum of \$28 billion for all activities of the federal government of the United States of America outside the military and defense expenditures. That is, all government activities and programs require an expenditure of \$28 billion out of the \$58 billion available for the military and associated fields. This is one of the main reasons that many Members of Congress are looking to the expenditures in the military programs in an effort to cut out waste and provide possible reductions.

The President proceeded to outline his desire for the setting up of goals to be achieved in the future to meet the growing needs and demands of this nation. He proposed for this work "a group of selfless and devoted individuals." This is certainly an ideal which everyone would agree, but the great difficulty throughout history has been to find that group of selfless and devoted individuals. If this could be achieved it would go a long way toward the abolition of greed, one of the greatest curses of mankind. Let us all hope that he is eminently successful in his search for this "selfless and devoted" group. However, I do think that before a great deal of the taxpayers' money is spent on another bureau, committee, or whatever you want to call it, the people should have definite proof that these "selfless and devoted individuals" are really "selfless and devoted individuals."

We presently have entirely too many federal boards, bureaus, and agencies of all kinds that aren't entirely controlled by "selfless and devoted individuals."

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Killingsworth Construction We Salute Our Town!

Walter Killingsworth Construction Co. has completed the construction of the new building for the Dimmitt Public Library. The building is a fine example of modern architecture and will serve the community well for many years to come.

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Corner on Cotton
BY BOB COLLINS

Slow in coming and even now barely scratching the surface, research is paying off for cotton in finding new uses and improving cotton's qualities in present markets. . . by the time you read this a new cotton fiber will be on the market. . . a special chemical treatment changes the molecular structure of the fiber and the change is permanent. . . causes the treated fibers to "iron themselves" . . . we've seen the fabric and compared it to the resin treated drip dry cloth . . . to us it looked like a 100% improvement. . . the new fabric may give washed and dried in any manner and still looks as if it has been ironed. . . scheduled to go on the market this month, it will first be offered in the form of sheets, dresses, diapers, etc. . . a new type cotton suit for men is also slated for spring sales. . . suit is made from fabric treated with resin. . . it's not wash and wear but designed to compete with mid-priced wool suits. . . we've also seen this suit and if we're any judge, it's going to take a sizeable bite out of a traditionally wool market. . . has all the advantages of cotton and the resin treatment gives it a wrinkle resistance that cotton hasn't had before. . . maybe cotton isn't dead after all!

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Bobcat Tales

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Bobcats Win Dimmitt Tournament Trophy

Ratcliff, Smithson, Coffey and Pelley Receive Team Honors

The DHS Bobcats defeated Abilene 59 to 46 last Saturday night to take their own tournament. The Bobcats were edged out 69 to 65 by Abilene in the finals.

In first-round play coach Ehrig's champions dropped Olin and the B Team won over Nazareth. The Bobcats defeated Olin. Other boys winners were Slaton over Sudan and Abernathy over Sudan. In the consolation finals the Sudan girls won over Canyon and the Sudan boys over Bala.

Chosen on the all tournament teams from Dimmitt Teams were Mickey Pelley, Clint Smithson, Hal Ratcliff and Junior Coffey.

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PAT'S PATER
Congratulations to the Bobbies and Bobcats for the outstanding games they played throughout the Dimmitt Tournament. Special congratulations go to Mickey Pelley, Hal Ratcliff, Junior Coffey and Mickey Pelley for making the All-Tournament Teams.

The Bobcats won first place with the Bobbies leading close behind with second place.

Honesty and sportsmanship were truly shown Thursday night during the Dimmitt Tournament. An Abernathy man found two purses containing money and papers outside the gym. He turned them in and minutes later they were in the hands of their owners. This good deed shows the truthfulness in this old saying, "Honesty is the best policy."

The Annual Staff reports that the second shipment of the annual was mailed Wednesday morning.

MALES BEWARE! It's Best Beau Banquet time and the FFA girls are looking for Beaus. So be on your toes, boys, with a ready "Yes" answer which entertains you to an evening of fun and entertainment!

Serious faces were seen throughout Dimmitt High School during the past week. The first part of the week was spent in preparation for Thursday afternoon and Friday's mid-term examinations. Back to school Monday will be the beginning of a new semester and the hustle and bustle of class changes, election of new officers of organizations, and new courses.

Senior Boy Of The Week
The city of Dimmitt was the scene of great excitement on May 8, 1941. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hershey, parents already of three daughters, were visited once more by Mr. Stork. They became the proud parents of a bouncing, bubbling baby boy whom they named Elmer.

They moved to Dimmitt, February 2, 1942. Elmer has attended Dimmitt schools all twelve years of his education. Elmer likes to travel and he attended the National Scout Jamboree at Valley Forge in 1957. His favorite color is blue. Fried chicken is the food which Elmer likes best. Favorite car is Plymouth, and his hobby is fishing.

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CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends and school mates for all the assistance and many kind deeds shown me during my recent illness. I am especially grateful for the attentive care of Dr. Bischoff. May God richly bless each of you. Jamie Smith, 12-21p

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LEGAL NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS To: W. J. BEALE, and if he be deceased, the heirs, unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said W. J. Beale; defendants.

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the first forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 23rd day of February, 1959, at or before ten o'clock a.m. before the Honorable District Court of Castro County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Dimmitt, Texas.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: L. A. Purcell, W. B. Bryan and Randolph Carter and W. J. Beale, and if he be deceased, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said W. J. Beale.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: The Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit is as follows: In this case, numbered 2331 on the docket of said court and styled, L. A. Purcell, et al. Plaintiffs, vs. Randolph Carter, et al. Defendants.

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Amarillo TV to Start College Course Services

Amarillo College and television station KPDA-TV will begin a college course in Business English to begin this week. The Golden spread area, beginning February 2. The telecast is scheduled for 2:30 to 7:00 a.m. Monday through Friday.

Business English is a practical course designed for secretarial courses and Business Administration students. It will include training in business and professional terminology as applied to effective business communications.

Miss Beth Messie, a member of the business administration faculty at Amarillo College for more than ten years, will teach the course in the campus television studio. The program will be transmitted by microwave to KPDA-TV, which will relay the telecast to home viewers.

Teaching by television is nothing new either to the medium or to Amarillo College. After several years of operation, most educators are convinced that education by TV works well. At AC, Miss Messie has been teaching a course in office practice over the campus closed-circuit TV system for several months.

Janice colleges of the Chicago area have more students registered for television courses than they have in their classrooms. More than 300 colleges and universities are offering credit for a course in physics taught over a nationwide network by the University of California.

As Dr. Franklin Dunham, chief of the educational section of the U.S. Office of Education put it recently, "Educational TV is no longer an experiment. Its value has been proved, and it will henceforth play an increasingly important role in education at all levels."

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Nazareth News

The Happy Cowboys were opponents for the Nazareth Swiftees and Swifits on January 8th. The Swiftees were defeated by the Cowboys 54 to 30. The high scorer for the Swiftees was Fred Acker with 13 scores. The Swiftees were defeated by the Cowgirls 38 to 29 and the high scorer was Beatrice Schmucker with 16 points.

We have four new members to our community they are Royce Daniel Huseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Huseman, who was born on December 28 in Tulla, Royce was baptized January 24 and his sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Huseman of Tulla.

Jennifer Lynn Huseman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Huseman was born on December 27 in Dimmitt. She was baptized on January 4, her sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Huseman, and Timothy Edward Wilhelm, who was born January 4 in Dimmitt. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilhelm. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brockman were his sponsors in baptism.

Elaine Ann Acker was born on January 6 to Mr. and Mrs. David Acker in Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuper of Summerfield were Elaine's sponsors in baptism. Mrs. Martha Euzman and Mrs. Lyndall Warren and boys of Hart were visiting in the Raymond Aumen home on Monday.

Midland Visitors Mrs. Dudley Holland and girls from Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts through out New Year's holiday.

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- EASTER -

The Easter Club met Thursday afternoon with six members present. The program was on "Installation of Officers." Those present were: Mrs. C. L. Hall, hostess, Mrs. W. A. Epperson, William Moss, Fred Walton, Leo Hall, J. H. Burgett and family in Hereford. Mrs. and Mrs. Leo Hall, Reba and Ronnie were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Jim Brooks home. Jo Ann Cole of Dimmitt spent Friday night with Ramona Hall.

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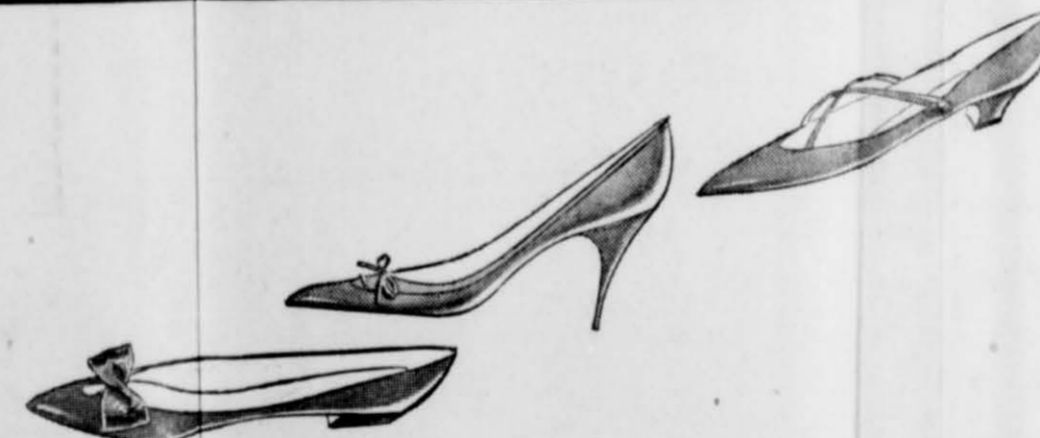
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NEWS FROM FRIO

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A throat infection. Visiting the Gambins, Sunday were Mrs. Gambin's parents, the V. E. Beardens, from Hart.

Last Rites for Mrs. Lankford Held January 8

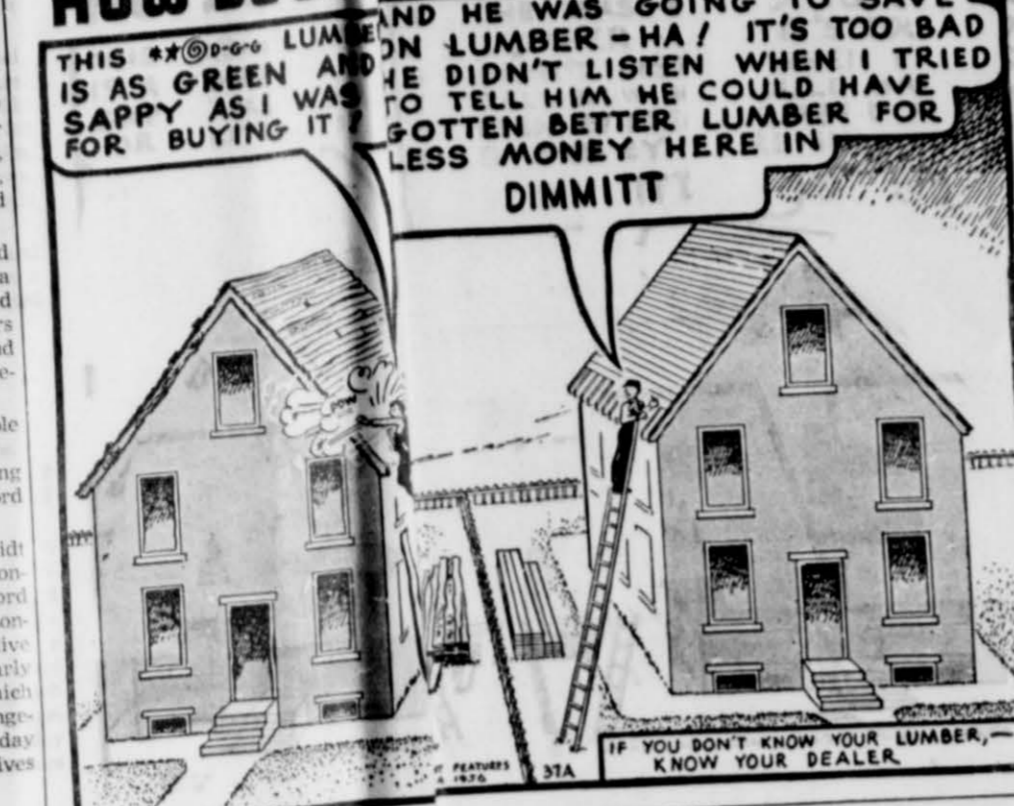
Funeral services for Mrs. Pauline Lankford of Clarita, Oklahoma were held January 8 in the Ocoee Church, Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor continued the trip to Throckmorton and Mrs. Mobley returned home on Wednesday.

HART N

By Mrs. Granville Martin and Mrs. W. H. Feller, Jr. of Sunray, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Feller, Sr. of Hereford, Texas on business Saturday on business.

HOW BOUT IT By RALPH TEE



THIS LUMBER IS AS GREEN AS THE GRASS AND HE WAS GOING TO SAVE ON LUMBER - HA! IT'S TOO BAD HE DIDN'T LISTEN WHEN I TRIED TO TELL HIM HE COULD HAVE SAPPY AS I WAS FOR BUYING IT. HE GOTTEN BETTER LUMBER FOR LESS MONEY HERE IN DIMMITT

ARNEY NEWS

By Mrs. Bonnie Barrett Sunday club met at the community building last Wednesday for their first meeting of the new year with Mrs. B. D. Fortner and Mrs. A. L. Schoenberger as hostesses.

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LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

It will require three days of trading to complete the clearance of the estimated 7,000 cattle and calves at the Amarillo Livestock Auction this week.

STOCKER & FEEDER CATTLE

Table with columns for Stocker Cattle and Feeder Cattle, listing various grades and prices.

Sheriff's Posses Elects Officers

The Castro County Sheriff's Posse met January 6 to elect new officers for the new year. The officers were A. A. Goolsby, president; Raymond Crum, vice-president; Ideola Crum, secretary; and Lloyd Warren, treasurer.

Returned Home

Mrs. Roy Hickman has returned to her home in Morton after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. B. A. Fuller. Mr. Hickman came on a one-month business trip.

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NEWS FROM SUNNYSIDE

By Wanda Rogers
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curtis and family returned from Brownsville, Texas last Sunday after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bridges and boys from Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock and Jeff from Springlake were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges last Sunday night.

Mrs. Johnnie Armstrong from Hart spent the day Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Lilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Davis and family of Hereford were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb and Butch Monday.

Mr. J. C. Holbrooks underwent minor surgery in the Plainview

Hospital Monday to have a growth removed from his throat. He came home Tuesday.

Mr. Earl Loudder from Lubbock visited with Mrs. L. B. Bowden Monday afternoon.

The Parsonage sold to Robert Hawkins of Hart with the opening of sealed bids Monday night.

A Training Union Study Course was conducted Monday night through Friday night. Mrs. Roy Phelan taught the adults, Mrs. J. T. Holcomb, Young People and Intermediates, Mrs. Kobert Paschal, the Juniors, and Mrs. Alton Loudder, Primaries. Average total attendance was 41.

Mrs. Houston Carson and Reesa visited with Mrs. A. L. Aven of Hart Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers Ogletree from Coleman spent Monday night Tuesday and Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ogletree and Jane and with her parents in the Big Square Community.

Mrs. Lula Phelan, Lester, Clarence and A. J. Phelan from Weatherford visited Monday night through Tuesday night with Mr.

and Mrs. Roy Phelan and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan and family. Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Widner from Melrose arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with Dale Widner and family, and friends in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson from Canyon were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb and Butch Tuesday.

Several families attended regular community meeting Tuesday night. Plans were made to serve food at the Tidwell-Powell farm sale next Tuesday. Certificates and membership cards were given to those enrolled in the Ground Observer Corps. Coffee and cookies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb and Butch visited in Amarillo Wednesday evening with friends.

Mr. Bill McWilliams from Plainview visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Loudder Wednesday afternoon and spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Power.

Mrs. Howard Bridges and Mrs. S. M. Taylor attended a Stanley Party in the home of Mrs. Bill Matlock Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Raymond Haydon visited in Weatherford with relatives Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sparkman of Plainview were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and family last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arledge were home from Rockport, Tuesday and Wednesday to take care of some business.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie King and family from Dumas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Irving King and Mrs. F. M. Sweeney and Bill Thursday and Friday.

Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs.

Cleo Widner from Melrose; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bradley from Tucumcari, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hastings and family from Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hestand from Olton.

Mrs. Dale Widner and baby daughter, Lana Jaton, came home from the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler visited with Mr. and Mrs. Coy Rainey at Berino, New Mexico Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Raymond Haydon baby-sat with her granddaughter, Kelly Haydon, in Springlake Thursday night. She visited with Mrs. Eddie Haydon and Kelly again Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Sadler and Denise from Lubbock visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sadler and Myles.

Mrs. E. R. Sadler helped serve at the concession stand at the ball game in Dimmitt Friday night. Several from the community attended.

Charles Sweatt from West Texas State College in Canyon visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. H. McRee and Mike over the week end.

Omata Bradley was home from Business College in Plainview over the week end.

Mrs. Roy Phelan received word Saturday morning that her brother, Hayward Moore of Weatherford passed away Friday night. They left immediately to go to Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Phelan and children also left Saturday afternoon to go to Weatherford for Mr. Moore's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Tex Conard left Saturday morning to go to Dallas for the Evangelistic Conference. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard from Hart are staying with Sharon and Juanelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haydon and Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Haydon visited Saturday and Sunday in Post, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ottmers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart were guests Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lilley visited in Big Spring with relatives over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Murle Rogers left Saturday afternoon to attend the Evangelistic Conference in Dallas. Butch will stay with his grandparents in Electra.

Mrs. S. M. Taylor visited in Dimmitt Friday with Mrs. Tom Taylor and son.

Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Lee and family from Hereford spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Spencer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cody Marlar of Lorenzo Saturday night.

Mrs. Neal Young and children from Hereford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson and family Sunday to help Gene celebrate his birthday.

The Adult III Sunday School class enjoyed a class dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bradley Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cummings and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Waggoner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Sadler and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrooks and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bowden. Jack Bradley from Dimmitt was also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bridges visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wade Dent in Plainview Sunday.

91 attended Sunday School with 56 in Training Union Sunday. Rev. Wayne Lee from Hereford filled the pulpit in the pastor's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Bills and Larry visited the zoo in Clovis Sunday and also watched the Jets take off at the Clovis Air Base.

State Highways In County Due For Improving

The State Highway Commission recently announced a program to rehabilitate 2,385 miles of the State Highway System.

Marshall Formby, Chairman of the State Highway Commission, stated that the \$20-million program is for the principal purpose of protecting the investment that has been made by the taxpayers of Texas in the State Highway System.

The Commission chairman stated that the work under the program would be in road widening, shoulder work, and surfacing of the highway.

Castro County projects are: State Highway 86 from 4.0 miles east of Dimmitt east to Swisher County Line, 14.0 miles of seal coat at an estimated cost of \$17,300.

State Highway 51 from Deaf Smith County Line, South, 8.0 miles of seal coat at an estimated cost of \$8,800.

"We will be working on 360 projects under this program, and the work will be done during 1959. We must always have programs of this type in order to keep our present highways in the best possible state of repair until they can be rebuilt completely. The volume of traffic generated by Texas' 4.3 million vehicles is tremendous and a road-rehabilitation program helps to increase the carrying capacity of the road. A very important aspect of the program is that the work done on these highways will make them safer, too—a goal we are constantly striving for," Formby said.

Wooddell Coffee
Mrs. Bruce Wooddell was hostess last Wednesday with a morning coffee for a few friends from Hereford. Mrs. John Kelly of Hereford was the birthday honoree.

The guests were Mesdames Louis Woodford, W. J. Reeves, Dale Temin, Ross Latham, Marcus Latham, Hereford, S. T. Thornton and Mrs. Movelda Fortenberry of Friona.

To Visit in Phoenix, Arizona
Mr. and Mrs. Carlile left this week for Phoenix, Arizona where they plan to stay for a month. They will see Mrs. Kathlene Hill and her mother and Mrs. Margaret Axtell who are there also.

Attend funeral in Waco
J. R. Brown, Ted Sheffy, Jim Schwaller, Cecil Crum attended the funeral of Frank Easter in Waco Wednesday. Frank was the son of Mrs. Frank Easter, our librarian. His sister is Mrs. Slim Vardell.

Business trip to Friona
Mrs. Juanita Morgan Hodge made a business trip to Friona Friday.

Visit in Lamesa
Mr. and Mrs. F. J. visited in Lamesa over the week end with relatives.

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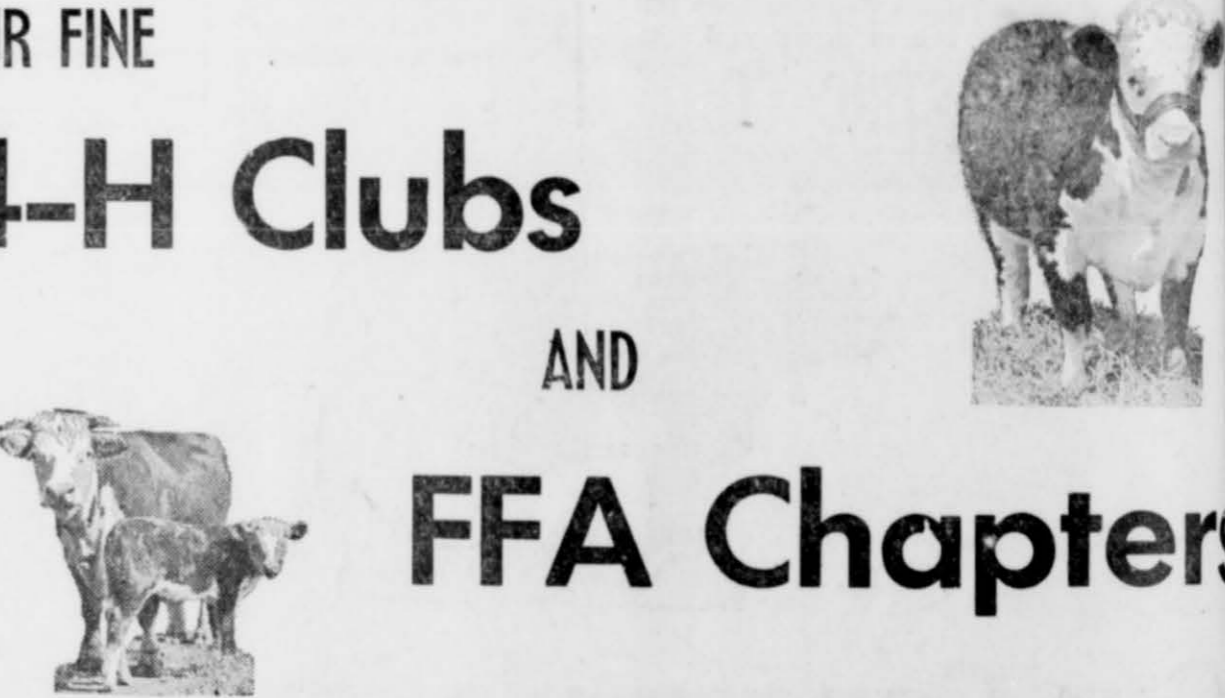
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ANTON ARMSTRONG, Manager