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THE UNITED STATES AND WORLD TRADE: The problems incident to world trade are fast reaching an acute stage. These are not problems that affect only a few countries. They affect all of the countries of the world and especially the United States of America, the basic reason being that the United States has long led the world in its production capacity. This, coupled with the vast natural resources with which God blessed us and the tremendous production of agricultural crops, points up the need for world markets. There is also the fact that under our present situation from a defense standpoint, as well as an economic standpoint, we are not self-sufficient insofar as raw materials are concerned. To give you a brief picture of our position in this regard I have gathered together some facts and figures that I thought would be of interest to you concerning the imports and exports of our country:

Tin	100	100
Bauxite	6,512	65
Copper	1,418	42

Multiply those and similar figures by the thousands of tanks, planes, ships, guns and other items our defense program needs and one can see how our economy relies on imports. Many of our peace-time needs, too, are dependent on imports. One needs only to cite such foodstuffs as coffee, tea, cocoa and bananas to realize the extent of our dependence upon other countries.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company reports that 48 imports from 18 countries go into each telephone. Of the 184 materials necessary to produce an automobile, 38 are largely imported. The same might be cited for many articles in every-day use: pots and pans, paints, ingredients for medicines, cosmetics, and many other items.

Over one-half of today's imports are minerals and other materials for use by American industry—things like copper, lead, tin, zinc, natural rubber, fuel oils, fibres for strings and ropes, in-

On an average day about 418,000 tons of imports worth \$42,000,000 are unloaded in our ports. The 418,000 tons may be of raw materials, foodstuffs, semi-manufacturers or manufactured goods. Consider certain strategic minerals, for example. The United States imports all her natural rubber, tin, chromite, industrial diamonds, graphite and sisal, 99 percent of her nickel, 93 percent of her manganese and cobalt, 92 percent of her mercury, 55 percent of her lead, 42 percent of her copper and 40 percent of her zinc. Of the sixteen basic materials vital to American heavy industry, the United States is relatively self-sufficient in only six. Take a medium-size tank. One such tank requires:

Materials	Lbs.	percent of imports
Chromium	1,915	100
Manganese	950	93
Nickel	520	99

dustrial diamonds, etc. For some essential materials substitutes could probably be found within our borders, but substitutes are usually more expensive and are less satisfactory.

United States imports by major commodity groups indicate why this country would find great difficulty in isolating itself from the world. The imports for 1952 show that the United States relied upon foreign sources for products valued at \$10,714,000,000. More than 50 percent of this total was crude materials and foodstuffs. The following tabulations (based upon the first 11 months of the year) shows imports for consumption in 1952:

Crude Materials	\$2,933,000,000
Rubber, crude	\$633,000,000
Wool	387,000,000
Petroleum, crude	418,000,000

Foodstuffs	\$3,097,000,000
Coffee	1,337,000,000
Cane Sugar	433,000,000
Cocoa or Cacao Beans	168,000,000
Meat Products	157,000,000

Semi-Manufactures	\$2,498,000,000
Wood Pulp	266,000,000
Copper	321,000,000
Gas, fuel oil	221,000,000
Tin	232,000,000

Finished Manufactures	\$2,075,000,000
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We must also keep in mind, in considering the above facts and figures, that we now have on hand surplus agricultural commodities in excess of three billion dollars.

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News of Our Neighbors

MEMPHIS—(taken from the Memphis Democrat) A contract for construction of a modern, one-story building in the 600 block of Main Street in Memphis was let Tuesday by J. E. King to Sam West. Estimated cost of the new structure is between \$50,000 and \$60,000. The 100 by 140 foot building will be constructed on a part of the site of a disastrous fire, which occurred June 13. The new building will be occupied by Lemmons Furniture Company, one of the firms burned out in the June fire.

OLTON—(from the Olton Enterprise) The new Olton school building as planned by the school board consists of nine classrooms, an agriculture shop, band hall, auditorium, offices and a study hall-library combination. The building is planned to be the senior high school and the present high school building will become the junior high school. This arrangement is planned to relieve the crowded conditions that exist in the grade school as well as in the high school.

LOCKNEY—(from the Lockney Beacon) Construction will begin immediately on a new 150,000 bushel grain elevator for Patterson Grain Elevator. The concrete elevator will be built just east of the present elevator of the company in South Lockney. Chalmers and Barton of Hutchinson, Kansas, are contractors on the construction job. Cost will run well over \$100,000.

Postal inspectors here were recently checking out H. B. Machen as local postmaster and Mrs. Joe Holt as acting postmistress. Machen submitted his resignation several weeks ago to become effective Aug. 25. He will own and operate a dairy farm in Arkansas.

WELLINGTON—(from the Wel-

lington Leader) Boyd Russell, age 47, former Wellington teacher and coach, died Saturday night, Aug. 23, in Baldwin Park, Calif. Services were held Tuesday at the funeral home there. In 1946 he was principal of Wellington High School. In 1943 and 1944 Russell was head basketball coach at Childress High School. He was also principal at Robert E. Lee School in Childress for about six years.

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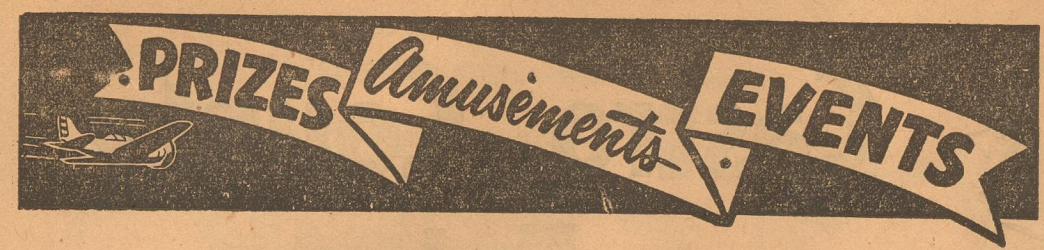
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News Want Ads Get Immediate Results

Eisenhower Urges Improvement of Land and Water Resources

(Editors Note: W. L. Broadhurst, chief hydrologist of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District, points up the following article written by President Eisenhower, by commenting, "Every person in the High Plains of Texas and especially within the bounds of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 should not only read the following statements but should study them thoroughly and then go to work with his mind, his voice, and other available tools.")

"In my state of the Union message, I called attention to the vast importance to this Nation now and in the future of our soil and water, our forests and minerals, and our wildlife resources. I indicated the need for a strong Federal program in the field of resource development. At the same time I pointed to the necessity for a cooperative partnership of the States and local communities, private citizens, and the Federal Government in carrying out a sound natural resource program.

"In addition to the immediate danger of waste resulting from inadequate conservation measures, we must bear in mind the needs of a growing population and an expanding economy. At present we are faced with excess resources of some agricultural commodities and the need for producer adjustments to gear our agricultural economy to current demands. But in the long run, we shall need to give increased attention to the improvement and reclamation of land in its broadest aspects, including soil productivity, irrigation, drainage, and the replenishing of ground-water reserves, if we are adequately to feed and clothe our people, to provide gainful employment, and to continue to improve our standard of living.

"Our basic problem is to carry

forward the tradition of conservation, improvement, and wise use and development of our land and water resources. To do this within the framework of a sound fiscal policy and in the light of defense needs will require maximum cooperation among the States and local communities, farmers, businessmen, and other private citizens and the Federal Government.

"It is fortunate that today there is a growing recognition on the part of land users and the public generally of the need to strengthen conservation in our upstream watershed and to minimize flood damage. Inadequate conservation measures and unsound land use patterns vastly increase the danger of loss of valuable topsoil from wind erosion in time of subnormal rainfall and from water erosion in time of floods.

"It is important, too, for groups of farmers banded together in local organization, such as soil conservation districts and watershed associations, to take the initiative, with the technical advice and guidance of the appropriate Federal and State agencies in developing adequate plans for proper land use and resource improvement in watersheds throughout the Nation. As these plans are prepared and local agreement and cooperation are assured, I believe that we should move ahead in the construction of works of improvement and the installation of land treatment measures as rapidly as possible consistent with a sound overall fiscal program.

"While, as I have indicated, our major problem is to carry forward a tradition of improvement and conservation of our natural resources, the best means of achieving this objective depends on keeping up with changing conditions. For example, the problems of water resource development in the West are under-

going considerable change. The pattern of western growth has broadened substantially in recent years. Industrial expansion has been extensive and varied. Increased activities in mineral and fuel processing have occurred. Urban expansion has been well above the national average in many communities. These developments have brought about strong competition for existing water supplies and have stimulated the need for a broader approach in planning new water resource developments. As a consequence, the Federal role in the cooperation development of these resources should now be re-examined in the interest of achieving a better balanced program for western growth.

"Conserving and improving our land and water resources is high priority business for all of us. It is the purpose of this administration to present to the next session of the Congress suitable recommendations for achieving the objective set forth in this message. I am confident that the

studies of governmental organization and functions authorized by this Congress can also make an important contribution to the solution of these problems. As the Congress moves ahead on a constructive legislative program in the resource field, it will have my full support and cooperation. We must build a balanced program for the use and development of all our natural resources. Such a program is indispensable to maintaining and improving our standard of living as we make the future secure for a growing America."

Dwight D. Eisenhower
The White House
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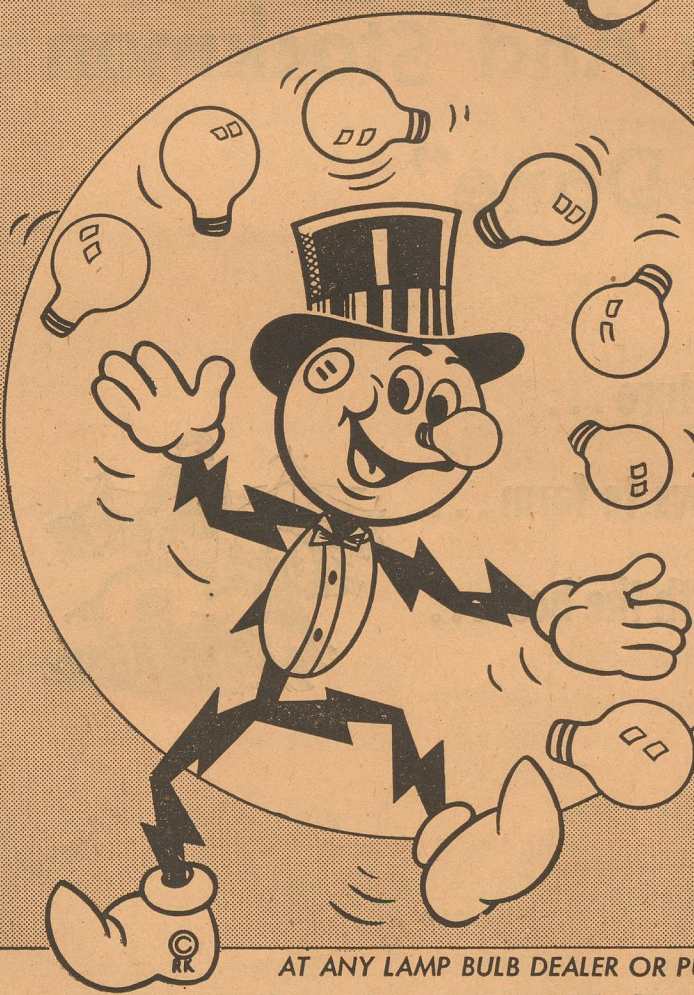
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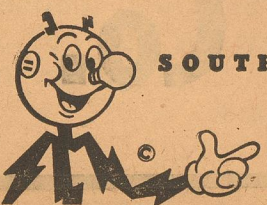
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Legumes are Important in Coordinated Soil and Water Conservation Program

Legumes play an important part in a coordinated soil and water conservation program, as well as fitting into the economy of a well rounded farming enterprise.

The picture above was taken on Roy Adair's farm three miles south of Sunnyside. He is cooperating with the Lamb County Soil Conservation District. Last year the farm produced a cotton crop. The farmer seeded vetch in the growing of cotton. The reasons he seeded vetch are (1) to increase production, (2) to add organic matter and nitrogen to the soil, (3) to increase water intake and waterholding capacity of the

soil, (4) to prevent wind erosion, and (5) to improve soil condition—less crusting, better sand, melow, lighter plowing. This land is also in cotton again this year.

In the Running Water Soil Conservation District approximately 100,000 acres of cotton are now growing. This acreage should be treated for the reasons listed above. The Running Water Soil Conservation District has row legume seeders that can be used to carry out this practice. John Alldredge is the custodian of this equipment and can be contacted two miles west of Dimmitt. Since looking after this equipment is a part time job, Alldredge states

that he will be available to check out equipment each morning until 9:30 a.m. Equipment can be checked out at other times by appointment.

New Arrival in the Air Force

Gary Keith Warren arrived Friday morning at St. Mary's Hospital in Roswell, N. M. to make his home with A/3c and Mrs. Bobby Joe Warren. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Leona Rothwell.

Brooks Visit Relatives Downstate

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock and Bobby visited relatives in Junction, San Angelo, Lamesa, Tahoka and Lubbock over the weekend. They returned to Dimmitt late Sunday.

Postmaster Job Open at Hart

The first examination for Postmaster at Hart, \$3781 a year, under new, more exacting eligibility requirements recently agreed upon by the U. S. Civil Service Commission and the Post Office Department will be open for receipt of applications until Sep. 22, 1953, the Commission announced today.

All previously existing postmaster examinations for first, second, and third class post offices and lists of eligibles were cancelled recently. Higher standards of eligibility were prescribed for the filling of more than 1,700 vacant positions throughout the country.

Competitors for the postmaster vacancy in Hart must show that they can deal with the public agreeably and effectively and that they are reliable citizens who would command the respect and confidence of patrons of the post office. They must also show that their background will enable them to maintain simple records of accounts or that it has given them a knowledge of postal procedures.

Applicants must take a written test. Those who pass will be assigned final ratings on the basis of this test and on their experience, ability, and character. There is a one-year residence requirement and applicants must be at least 21 years of age and must not have passed their sixty-third birthday.

Complete information about the requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office for which this examination is being announced. Application forms must be received in the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., not later than the closing date.

Book Club Begins New Year

The Dimmitt Book Club will meet for the first review of the 1953-54 years Wednesday, Sept. 9 in the District Courtroom. A business meeting for members will begin at 3:30 p.m., with the review beginning at 4 p.m. Guests are always welcome to hear the reviews, the fee of 25 cents per guest being contributed to the support of the local library.

Mrs. James Bradford will review "Miracle in the Hills," an autobiography by Mary Martin Sloop. An amusing and heartwarming account of a one-woman revolution, Dr. Sloop recalls the adventures and accomplishments of herself and her doctor husband in the mountains of North Carolina.



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CLEO NEWS

Charles Houtchins of the U. S. Navy is back at Norfolk, Va., after seven months at sea. He called home as soon as he landed. He is fine but would like to see all his folks and home.

Mrs. G. B. Duncan has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Bailey, in Hobbs, N. M. the past week.

Mr. W. S. Hembree is spending a vacation in California, visit-

ing his son, Earl, and family.

Mrs. W. S. Hembree's cousin, Mrs. Garrett of Bowie, Texas, visited her on Thursday.

Harley and Eloise Dodd and their children, Darrell and Lynda of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dodd and other relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Lavonia Carrouth and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Waggoner were shopping in Lubbock Tuesday. While there, they visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fowlkes. Mrs. Fowlkes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Waggoner.

Melvin and Juanita Summers and family were shopping in Littlefield on Thursday and were having Gerald's eyes checked again before school starts.

Mr. and Mrs. Pepper of Shamrock visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Summers and Mr. and Mrs. Lamb this week.

Patsy Lou Merritt and Louise Boyd, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Houtchins, were visiting them this week.

BETHEL NEWS

This item failed to get into last week's news: Bethel W.S.C.S. met with Mrs. John Coke Monday afternoon, Aug. 24. We had a very interesting World Outlook program. Delicious refreshments were served to Mmes. Wes Anthony, Roy Haberer, Earl Lust, J. C. Williams, Kay Roberts, Vern Lust, Harry Rothwell, and the hostess. We were happy to have Mrs. Van Zandt meet with us. We will meet Monday afternoon, Sept. 14, in the home of Mrs. Roy Haberer.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell was a Tuesday afternoon caller in the home of Mrs. Leland Smith.

The annual chicken fry was thoroughly enjoyed Thursday night at Bethel. We had several from Dimmitt whom we were happy to have and our faraway home folks were Mrs. Jim Bagwell and Latrelle of Amistad, N. Mex. and Mrs. Dudley Holland and daughter from Midland (Mrs. Holland is the former Grace Marie Bagwell).

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fate Shannon were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cox and girls of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cryer and daughter, Sharley Jan, were Friday morning visitors in the home of his sister, Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Harry.

Mrs. Dudley Holland and daughter of Midland spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell, Sr. They also visited other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell spent Friday night and Saturday in Roswell, N. M. visiting A/3c and Mrs. Bobby Warren and their new grandson, Gary Keith.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell was a Wednesday afternoon caller of Mrs. Leland Smith.

Mrs. Kay Roberts was on the sick list with a touch of the flu late this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren and Belva were in Muleshoe Friday on business.

Odell Warren spent the week in Levelland with his brother, Loyce and family and sister, Mrs. Leldon Rawls and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford and boys were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lust.

Mrs. Carl Boyd and son of San-

ta Fe, N. M., spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown.

Mr. J. A. Caughen of Lubbock spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. Doyle Underwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith visited their daughter, Zella Vee, in Plainview Clinic Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ivor Bagwell was hostess to the ladies of the Birthday Club Monday for lunch, the day being Mrs. Cecil Curry's birthday.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell and Latrelle of Amistad, N. M. spent the week with relatives and put in a busy week of canning vegetables.

Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn Teague and daughter of Snyder were week-end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. J. G. Davis, Sr., in Dimmitt.

Mrs. Vern Lust and Mrs. Loy Stone took Glenn Lust to Lubbock Friday where he went with a group of Texas Tech young people to a Methodist training school at Hawkins, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell, Milton and Nelda attended a school reunion of Mrs. Bagwell's high school friends at Hereford Friday night.

Nancy and Shirley Teague of Snyder and Latrelle Bagwell of

Amistad, N. M. were Sunday night guests of Nelda Bagwell.

Milton Bagwell was among the Saturday evening supper guests in the Morgan Dennis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell, Nelda and Shirley Teague visited

Zella Vee Smith in the Plainview Clinic Saturday afternoon. They report that Zella is able to move her limbs more each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams and girls were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Weldor Waldron of

Westway. They also called on Glenn Williams' home in Hereford Sunday afternoon.

We are so happy to report that Mrs. G. E. Underwood is able to be in a wheel chair.



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Price you pay	219.50
Two-piece Canfield Lime, freinge, boucle trim	289.95
less old suite	50.00
Price you pay	239.95
Two-piece Period style (Colonial Maple) Scenery tapestry	249.50
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Price you pay	189.95
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Price you pay	139.95
Two-piece green wool Freize (one only)	229.95
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Price you pay	119.95
Double-dresser, bookcase, bed, night stand, Brown Walnut	279.95
less old suite	50.00
Price you pay	229.95
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Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cox, Former Hart Couple, Observe Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cox of Santa Rosa, N. M., celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday in the home of their son, T. B. Cox of Hart.

The couple are former residents of Hart, having moved to New Mexico some fifteen years ago, where they are now actively engaged in the ranching business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox have eight children, seven of whom were present for the occasion. These were Miles and T. B. Cox of Hart, Marlin and Arno Cox of Hobbs, N. M., Edwin Cox of Manteca, Calif., Mrs. Demmie McLain of Manteca, Calif., and Mrs. Bertha Dougherty of Seattle, Wash.

In the receiving line were Mr.

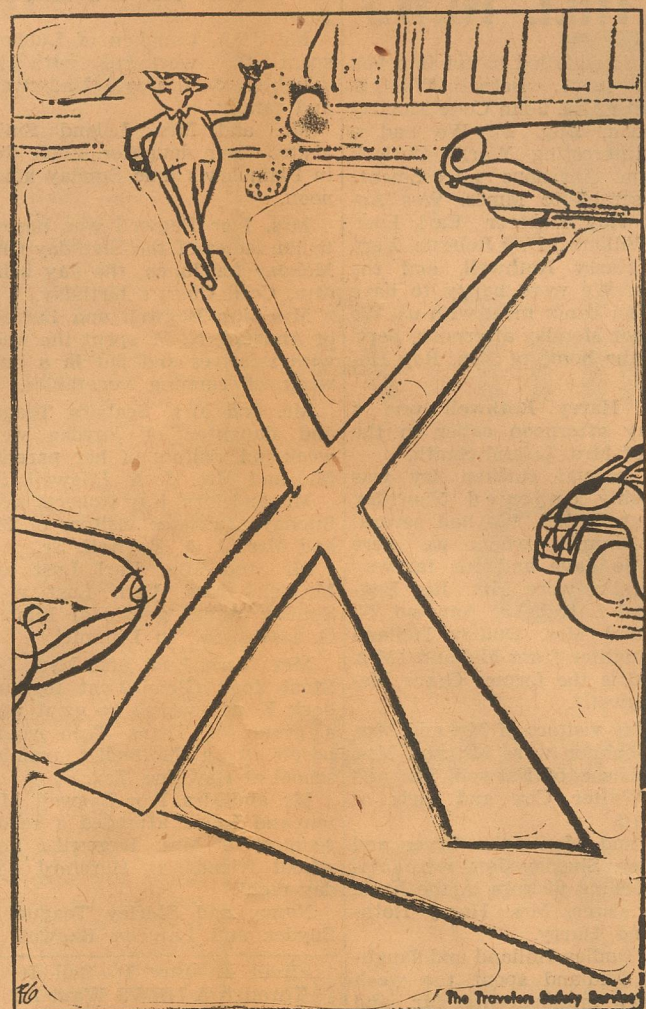
and Mrs. Cox's sons. Their granddaughter, Betty Merle Cox, presided at the guest book.

The dining table was laid with a lace cloth over gold. The center piece was of yellow mums and daisies arranged in a gold container. Topping the arrangement in gold lettering was "50th Anniversary," and in gold streamers, "Wade and Ellon, 1903-1953."

The wedding cake was in three tiers iced in white and decorated in pink. The cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Grandchildren present were

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Among the immediate family who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutcherson of Plainview; Mrs. Ruby Lemons and Sonney of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradshaw; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bradshaw of Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nichols, Miss Lovella Cox, and Mr. and Mrs. Johns Cox of Lockney; Miss Opal Blount of Floydada; and Mr. and Mrs. Pepper Martin of Hart.

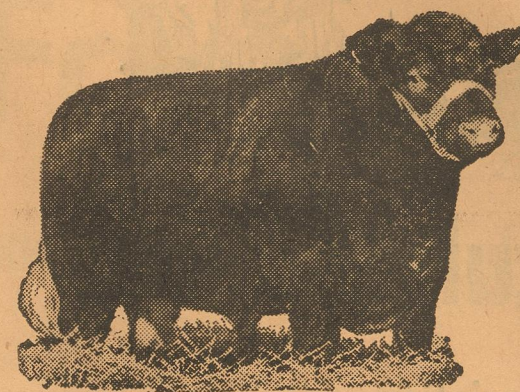
One hundred and twenty-five guests were registered during the afternoon, and gifts were received from 85 who could not be present.

Mrs. M. L. Howard, Mrs. A. S. Howard, and Mrs. Sallie Howard of Olney, Tex., spent Thursday shopping in Amarillo and visiting Mrs. A. S. Howard's daughter, Mrs. J. D. Chambers.

Gerald E. Koester of Hancock, Iowa, is spending the week with Dalvia and Kenneth Howard. Kenneth and Gerald are both on leave after spending seven months overseas aboard the USS Phillipine Sea.

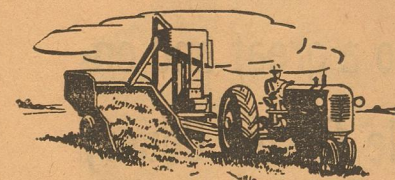
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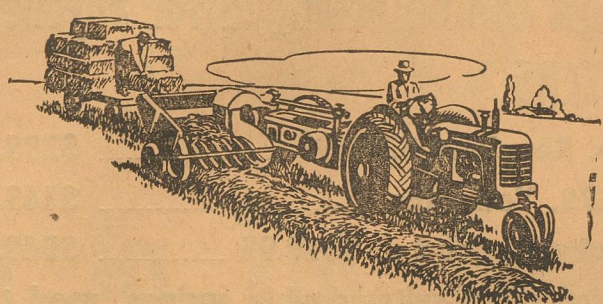
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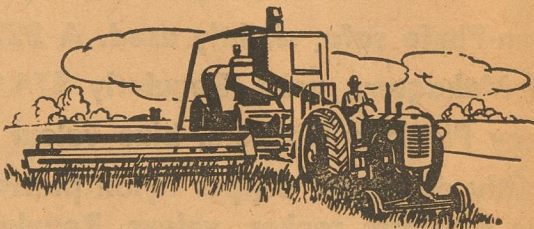
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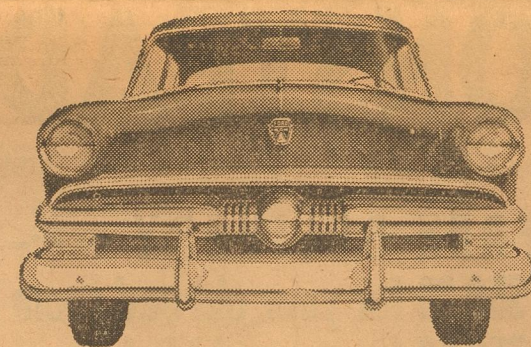


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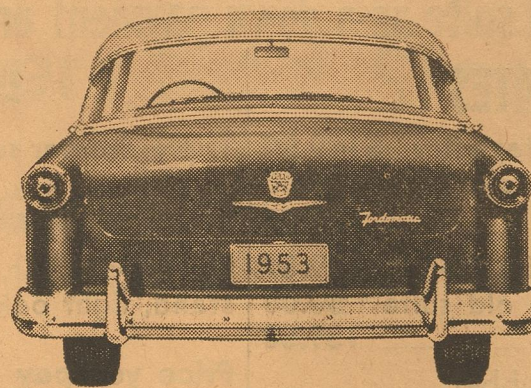
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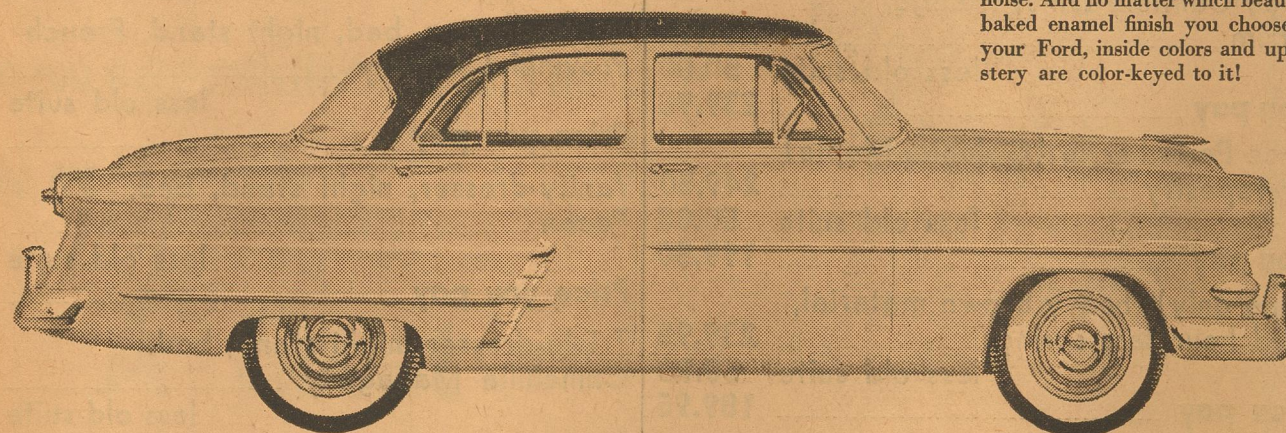
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WITH THE 45th INFANTRY DIV. IN KOREA—Frances A. Gerber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Toney Gerber, Nazareth, recently was promoted to sergeant while serving with the 45th Infantry Division in Korea.

The 45th Division has been in Korea since December 1951. An Oklahoma National Guard unit called to active duty in 1950, it was the first national guard division to enter combat after World War II.

Gerber, a member of the 158th Field Artillery Battalion's Headquarters Battery, entered the Army in January 1952 and arrived in Korea in July 1952.

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Radiology Couples X-ray and Therapy To Fight Disease

Radiology, a medical specialty, is a pretty wide field. It is the branch of medical science that deals with the use of radiant energy (such as from x-rays and radium) in the diagnosis and treatment of disease. Roentgenology, a sub-specialty of radiology, is limited to the diagnostic and therapeutic uses of x-rays, being named for Wilhelm Konrad Roentgen, the "discoverer of x-rays."

With Roentgen's contribution, made in 1895, and the discovery of radium by the Curies, Marie and Pierre, three years later, medical diagnosis and treatment were given a decided boost. Doctors, working with physicists and other scientists, developed x-ray machinery and radium applicators that were effective, yet safe. With modern x-ray equipment, highly specialized tests for diagnosis and powerful treatment for disease lying deep within the body are possible. Not only radium but other radioactive substances have been harnessed to provide an even larger number of tools for radiation therapy. In the last ten years or so a new field of radiology, the use of elements made radioactive by artificial means (the radioisotopes) has opened up great potentialities for both diagnosis and treatment.

The clear viewing of internal organs such as the heart, stomach, gallbladder, and kidneys has been made possible not only by better x-ray equipment but also by the development of what is called "contrast media." A contrast medium is a substance which casts a solid shadow on x-ray films and which is taken into the body by mouth, rectum, or vein or artery.

Perhaps one of the most interesting uses of a contrast medium is for the study of the female reproductive organs. A substance injected into the genital tract on x-ray films shows the womb (the uterus) and the tubes that lead from the ovaries to the womb (the fallopian tubes). Such a study is known as "hystero-salpingography" and is used mainly to help determine why a woman cannot become pregnant.

X-ray studies also may be made when pregnancy exists. Sometimes the earliest sign of twins may be the seeing of two skeletons on a film made about three and a half months after conception; with this knowledge the physician can plan well in advance for their safe delivery. Also, it is important to know the size of the baby's

head as compared to that of the mother's pelvis, the bony cage surrounding the mouth of the womb, through which it must pass during a normal delivery. One way of securing this information accurately is through x-ray examination using special equipment and exacting technique. If the head is too large or the pelvic bones have been misshapen by disease or accident, the doctor might avoid possible trouble by planning to remove the baby

through the mother's abdomen, an operation referred to as "cesarean section."

Aside from the usefulness of x-rays in diagnosis, they are a part of the radiologist's stock in trade for treatment. The effects of x-ray and radium in treatment are practically the same, although one may tend itself to the particular problem at hand better than the other. Sometimes they are combined with each other or with surgery for best

results.

Radium comes in several forms, including cylinders and needles that can be inserted into a cavity such as the mouth or nose. The gas that escapes from radium, called "radon," has been collected and used to great advantage in some conditions.

To cite only one example of the widespread usefulness of radiotherapy, x-ray and radium are employed in the treatment of

more than eighty skin diseases. Radiotherapy is especially valuable in severe cases of acne, boils and carbuncles, certain birthmarks, keloids (excessive scar growth), skin cancer, warts, and fungus infections of the skin. Its specific effects are (1) to fight infection or inflammation, (2) to destroy tissue, or (3) to relieve pain.

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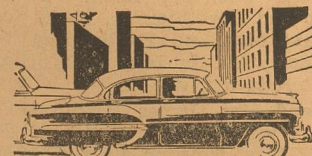
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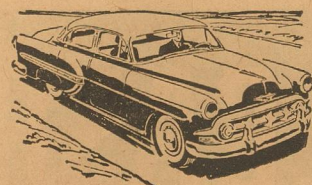


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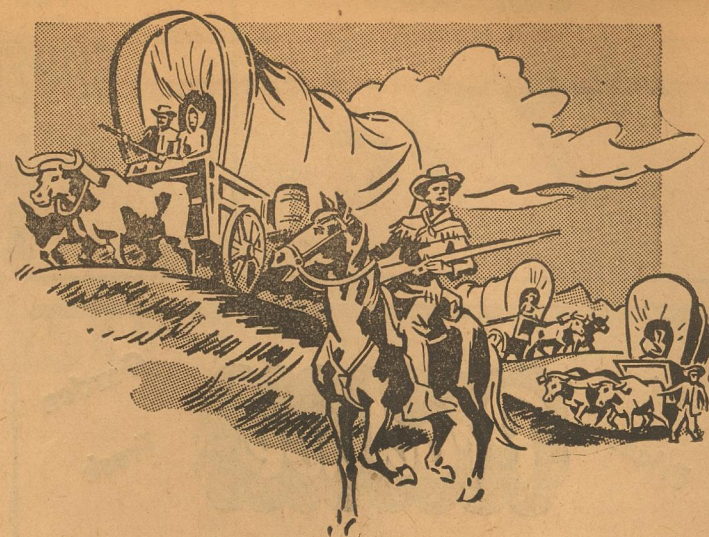
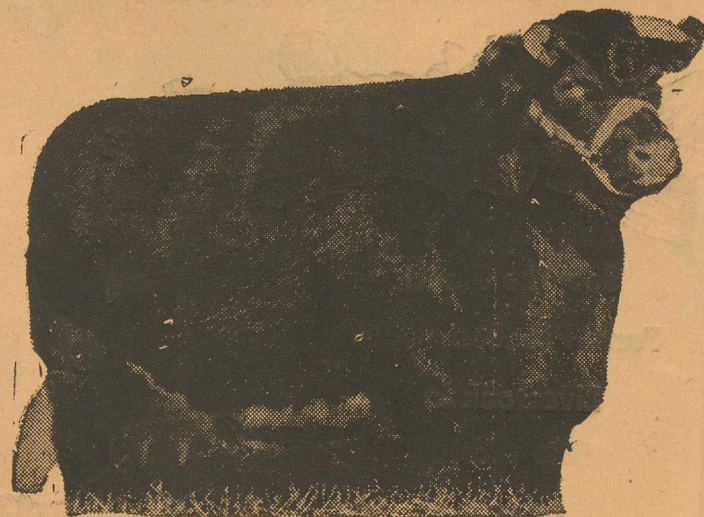
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FLAGG NEWS

The Flagg H. D. Club met Thursday with Mrs. Bill Booher in Dimmitt. There were eight members and one visitor, Mrs. Thomas, present. Each member answered roll call with a suggestion for next year's work and plans were completed for our fair booth. The next meeting will be Sept. 9, Wednesday, in the home of Mrs. Bob Cook.

Madelaine Myers of Amarillo is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Smith this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Damron spent the week-end fishing at Ruidoso and Fort Sumner, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis English and boys vacationed in New Mexico and Colorado last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford and boys were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lust and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilder of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. John Coke and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Birchfield were fishing at Conchas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Birchfield of El Paso and Mrs. Clara Morris, Mark and Jeri Sue of Dalhart visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Birchfield Thursday night and Friday.

Frances Boswell of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bradford last week. Mrs. G. W. Bradford and Mrs. James Bradford and boys took her home Saturday.

Cotton Stalks Should Be Destroyed Immediately After Harvesting of Crop

COLLEGE STATION—Cotton stalks should be destroyed immediately after the cotton harvesting job is completed. In fact, says Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist, the harvesting job should not be considered complete until the cotton stalks have been cut or shredded and plowed under.

Elliott says there are two big reasons for destroying the stalks early. First, it is one of the best known and cheapest practices that can be used for controlling cotton insects, especially boll weevils and pink bollworms. Secondly, it is a good cultural practice. The crop residue when plowed under, explains the specialist, adds organic matter to the soil which helps to condition it and increases its water holding capacity. Then, too, this early land preparation gets the soil ready for the planting of winter legumes.

It is a matter of record, says Elliott, that when an early cotton stalk destruction program is carried out on a county or area basis, the cotton insect troubles for the next season are materially reduced. The boll weevils and pink bollworms are deprived of their food supply by such a program and are forced into hibernation in a weakened condition. Thus, the number which emerge the next spring is cut.

Elliott likes the shredder type

stalk cutter but says the heavy roller cutters which cut the stalks into small pieces also do a good job. The important thing is to get the stalks cut into small pieces so all residue can be completely covered by plowing. Soil moisture conditions are improving in most sections of the state and Elliott believes the plowing job can be done without difficulty. He points out that there is plenty of time left for planting winter legumes and recommends that they be planted on all cotton land.

2nd 30-day Emergency Feed Sign-up Starts

The second 30-day sign-up for emergency drouth feeds started Tuesday, according to Horace Blagg, PMA office secretary.

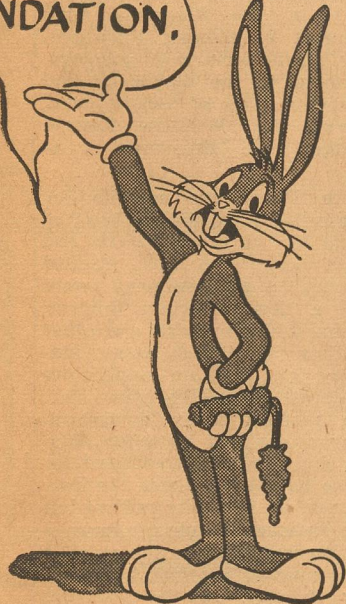
Some 270 applications were received during the first 30 days of the emergency drouth relief program. None of these were turned down. Blagg said 240 of these orders had already been filled or partially filled.

Two car loads of oats and cake and a car load of corn arrived in Dimmitt last week. More emergency feeds are scheduled to come in this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Singer and little son will be here temporarily; they will return to Dalhart about Oct. 1 where he will have employment as mortician with a funeral home. While here Jimmy will be employed at the Wilson Super Market.

Child Labor Laws in Agriculture Outlined by U. S. Labor Official

With the beginning of school there will again be asked many questions concerning the employment of child labor in agriculture.

The following are some questions and answers concerning the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act which may be of interest and value to many employees:

1. What do these provisions do? They make it illegal to employ children under the age of 16 years of age in agriculture during school hours. This applies to migratory children as well as local resident children but not to the farmer's own children working on their own parent's farm or farms.
2. What is meant by "school hour"? "School hours" means the hours when the school for the district where the child under 16 is currently living, is in session.
3. Who is responsible to see that these provisions are observed? Each individual farmer is responsible for those working on his farm or farms.
4. How may a farmer be sure that those he hires during school hours are past their 16th birthday? The farmer is responsible for finding out the correct age of each. He can protect himself by obtaining a legitimate birth certificate which shows the person to be 16 years of age or older.
5. Is a farmer in violation of the Federal Law if under age children are working on his farm? A farmer is responsible in every case where under age children are working on his farm.
6. Are there any exceptions that would allow under age children to work during school hours such as extreme hardships? There are no exceptions.
7. How about colored children where no colored school is taught within the district but transportation is provided for colored scholastics to a colored school in a neighboring district? Hours of colored school in the neighboring district apply.
8. How about colored children where no colored school is taught and no transportation is provided to neighboring districts? White school in that district is the governing school.
9. How about district that has temporarily turned out school? Underage children may work while governing school is not in session.
10. Do the provisions of this Act require that all children 15 years of age and younger must attend school? No. The provisions of this Act only prevent them from working during school hours. (There is, however, in Texas a State Law requiring children from 7 to 16 inclusive to attend school.

This Texas Law on compulsory attendance excepts extreme hardship cases and medical cases proven by a competent medical authority. There are no exceptions however to the Federal Law.)

11. What are the penalties for violation of the Child Labor provisions of the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act?

The Act provides a fine of up to \$10,000.00 for a first offense. For a second offense committed after convictions for a similar offense, a fine of not more than \$10,000.00 or imprisonment of not more than six months, or both, may be imposed.

Further information may be received by writing William J. Rogers, U. S. Dept. of Labor, 1114 Commerce St., Dallas 2, Texas; phone Riverside 6951.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ayers, Jr., went to San Angelo last week-end to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Boggs. They were accompanied home by Tom and Sharron who had been visiting their grandparents for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Charlie Whitaker and son, Bobby, of Perrin, and granddaughter, Jackie Repper, of Wichita Falls, were here last week-end for a visit in the home of Mrs. Whitaker's sister, Mrs. H. C. (Att) Webb.

Mrs. Tom Davis returned home Sunday from Lubbock where she had been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bob Swair, and family. The Swairs are the parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born recently.

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Legion Auxiliary Signs Members

The membership drive of the local American Legion Auxiliary of Greer Estes Post No. 445 moved into high gear this week with the report that a number of new members have been signed up. Membership fees may be paid to Mrs. Mary Flynt, secretary-treasurer of the organization. Annual dues are \$2.50. Mrs. Flynt's

address is Route 2, Hereford. Membership is limited to the mothers, wives daughters and sisters of members of the American Legion, and to mothers, wives, daughters and sisters of all men and women who were in the Armed Forces during any of the following periods: April 6, 1917 to Nov. 11, 1918; Dec. 7, 1941 to Sept. 2, 1945; June 25, 1950 to the date of cessation of hostilities as determined by the United States Government, all dates inclusive; or who, being citizens of the U. S. at the time

of their entry therein, served on active duty in the Armed Forces of any of the governments associated with the United States during either of said World Wars or hostilities, and died in the line of duty or after honorable discharge; and to those women who of their own right are eligible to membership in the American Legion. France was the first foreign nation to recognize the United States as an independent republic. That was in 1778.

Large Crowd Seen For Square Dancing

Climaxing this year's County Fair will be a square dance contest, slated to get underway Saturday at 9:30 p.m. Don Gladman, who is heading a committee on arrangements for the event, said the contest would be held at the fairgrounds on an outside, elevated platform, especially prepared for the colorful attraction.

Each square entering the contest will be expected to furnish their own caller. The Fair Association will furnish an excellent string band for the occasion, which will also play for a square dance afterwards. No admission will be charged.

A \$20 first prize and a \$10 second prize will be given to the two top performers. Judges will be county residents familiar with square dancing.

For entering or further particulars and details on the contest the prospective entrant should contact Don Gladman or Goldmar Dyer. A good number of contestants and large audience are expected to be on hand.

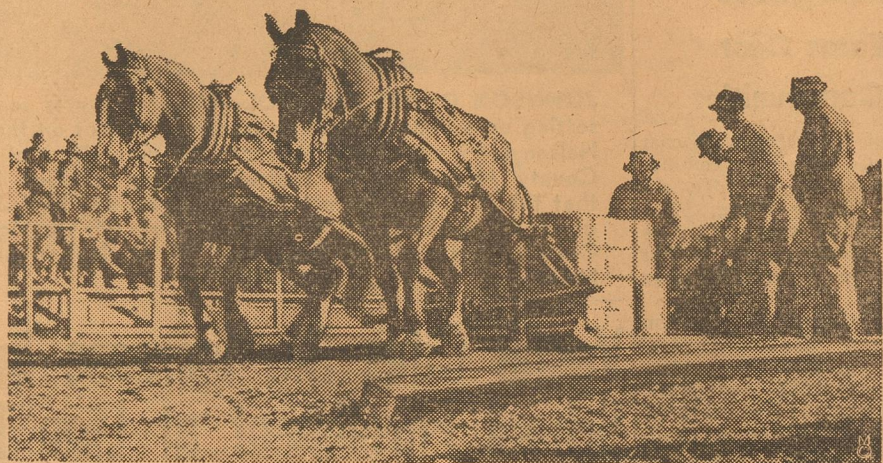
Crippled Children Campaign Begins

Ross Boothe, president of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation for Crippled Children, revealed this week that the dates of the state-wide, annual fund raising activities of this organization have been set for Sept. 14 through the 30th.

Due to the high incidence of poliomyelitis in Texas these past few years, the Foundation is noted primarily for its achievements in the treatment of post-acute polio victims. However, any neuromuscular condition resulting from injury or disease may be treated at this specialty hospital of physical medicine and rehabilitation.

A non-profit, non-sectarian, charitable institution, the Foundation avails its facilities to any physically handicapped Texan who might benefit from the treatment program, regardless of race, creed or financial condition.

Organizational work of the field staff of the Foundation has resulted in the development of a corps of volunteer workers in virtually all sections of Texas, whose primary responsibility is the unsuccessful culmination of this drive.



Our sincere thanks
to our farmers
and the Fair Association
for making possible
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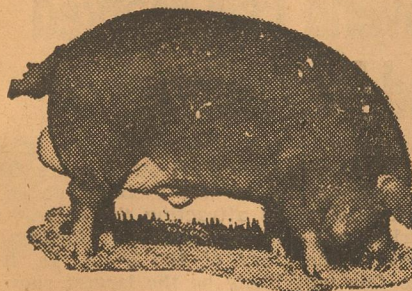
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Gene's Service Station



WELCOME to a Great Fair in a Great County

You'll be proud of our county
when you see the fine stock,
produce, and foods at the Fair.
And we hope you'll have the satisfaction
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Celebrate

Join in the festivities
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**We've Plenty to
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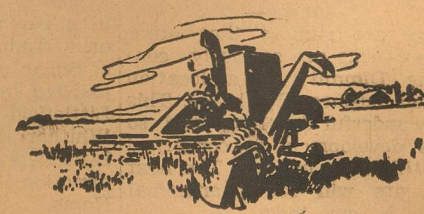
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A Hearty WELCOME

To the men who made our county great

-To the farmers

You who have moved ahead in the face of drought
and depression, constantly seeking new and better
ways to work the land.



-To The Stockmen

You who were satisfied only
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CASTRO COUNTY FAIR SEPT. 10, 11, & 12

Dimmitt Wheat Growers, Inc.

Bobcats Prepare For First Game

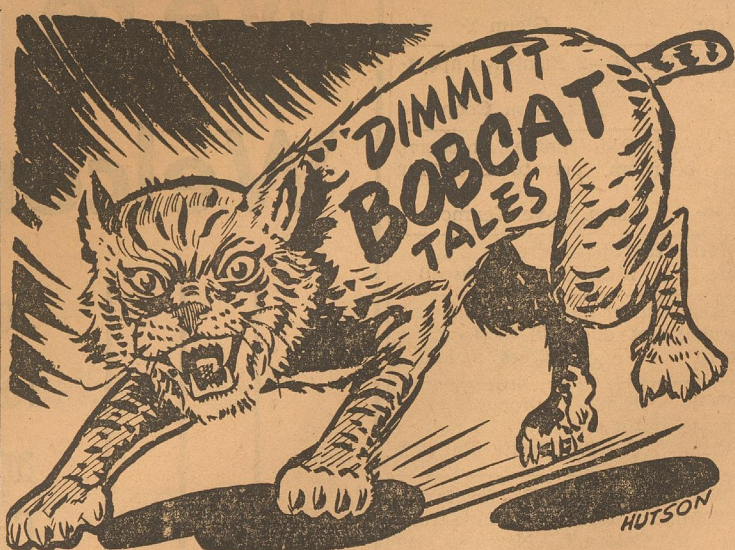
Will Host Amarillo 'B' Team Sept. 11

Excitement is running high in anticipation of the Bobcats' first football game of the season, against the Amarillo 'B' squad Sept. 11 on the home grid.

The Bobcats donned uniforms Tuesday to begin the official workouts scheduled twice daily. The newly elected captains are Maxie Warren and Clark Dobbs. Warren is slated to be the Bobcats' field general again this year. He proved himself excellent material last season. Dobbs will be playing a new position this fall, having made the switch from tackle to end.

The Bobcats also have a new manager, Bob Anthony. This is Bob's first year as manager, but already he has shown he has excellent qualifications for the post.

The team travels to Hereford Saturday night for a practice scrimmage against the Hereford Whitefaces. The scrimmage is scheduled to start at 8 p.m.



Staff for This Issue

Stories in this week's issue of the BOBCAT TALES were submitted by members of the Journalism class who volunteered to write the articles and type the copy.

Members of the class are Gerald Aldredge, Peggy Alley, Bob

Anthony, Dewayne Brown, Jack Dye, Pat DeLozier, Laoma Hershey, Oran Howell, Don Hardy, Dalvia Howard, Dortha Messenger, Lorira McAfee, Mary Nelson, Nay Dell Stine, and Lawrence White.

Yearbook Addition Received Tuesday

We received an addition to the annual Tuesday. It contains many interesting things that happened at the end of the 1953 term. It has cap and gown pictures of the 1953 Seniors and pictures of their trip. It also has scenes from the Senior play "Hangman's Noose". It contains pictures of the Junior Senior Banquet, the Spring Fashion Review, and Who's Who In D. H. S. On the cover of our supplement is a picture of Mr. Loyd, in memory of him. On the first page is a strip of masking tape. To put the supplement in your annual take the top strip off and you can place it in your annual.

This is the first time we have had a supplement and the students showed an interest in it in the halls yesterday.

Mr. J. W. Sollis Is New Principal

Dimmitt High School boasts only one new faculty member this year, the principal. He is J. W. Sollis, a veteran of World War II, having served two years with the Navy in the Pacific. Mr. Sollis, in addition to his duties as principal, is teaching two classes of Chemistry and one class of General Science. He graduated from West Texas State College in 1949 with a bachelor of science degree, and is working on his master's degree at Midwestern University.

Before coming to Dimmitt, Mr. Sollis taught three years at Crowell and one year at Roaring Springs. He is married and has two boys, John William, Jr., age three, and Alfred Wendell, 19 months.

Mr. Sollis, 27, is 5 feet 8 inches tall and weighs 155 pounds. When asked, "What do you think about Dimmitt?" he replied enthusiastically, "I like it."

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Blanton have been Mrs. L. E. Langford of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Savage, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kimbell of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Savage of Plainview; and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kimbell of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blanton attended the funeral Monday of Mrs. Georgia Bills of Amarillo. She was a resident of Dimmitt in the late twenties.

Ventriloquist Will Perform Thursday

Roger Ritenbaugh, juggler and ventriloquist, will present a novelty program Thursday, September 10, the first of a series of Southern School Assemblies.

Mr. Ritenbaugh has studied on Broadway and appeared on the stage of numerous theatres. He has entertained at clubs, schools, and universities throughout the East. His program consists of

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ventriloquism, juggling, voice impressions of screen and radio stars, phono-mimicry, and balancing stunts on the bicycle.

Each year the High School actual cost of programs. This plan assures the students whole-some programs by professional entertainers.

WELCOME Fair Visitors



THIS IS YOUR FAIR. YOUR PRESENCE WILL MAKE IT A SUCCESS



Joe Benson

TEXACO CONSIGNEE

Please! Give the School Kids a Brake

We all want to be more careful about our driving now that school has started again. There are hundreds of small children walking to and from school, starting about eight o'clock in the morning, and some walk in the streets in the evening after school is turned out in the afternoon. Let us be careful of the children getting on and off the busses out of town.

Homemaking Girls Begin Year With Two New Ranges

The Homemaking Department acquired two new Frigidaire Electric ranges this summer. One range has two separate ovens. The other range has a wonder oven, which makes it possible to be cooking at two different temperatures in one oven at the same time. It also has a warmer oven, which is used to keep food warm until the meal is ready to serve.

Both ranges have an easy to clean one piece flowing top, a striking slanted front, and handsome new easy to grasp handles on the ovens and drawer. Each

Want a Valet? Shine, Anyone?

The freshman boys like to shine shoes for the upperclass boys. If you don't believe it, just ask them. The girls can be seen carrying books to various class rooms.

If you see any strange sights in DHS this week, just take it for granted that it is a freshman. The freshman boys seem to have misplaced all of their hair, but many believe they look rather cute in their bald heads, with little strips here and there to add demureness.

The freshman girls look striking in their new styles and make-up. They seem to love to lie on the ground or floor unexpectedly at times. If you see any chalk on the downtown sidewalks, you will know that the freshmen have been there. Everyone seems to be enjoying freshman initiation, however—even the freshmen. For they know it is all in fun.

has two speed time signal. They have Cook Master Automatic oven control that cooks while you are away, and the attractive knobs that light up to show which unit is on.

The Home Ec. Department is very proud of these two new ranges, and we know we will enjoy cooking on them.

DHS Enrollment Reaches New High

Dimmitt High School enrollment has reached a new high this year with an estimated 208 students enrolled. The unofficial count taken by the journalism class shows the senior enrollment to be 46 with 30 boys and 16 girls; 40 juniors with 19 girls and 21 boys; 57 sophomores with 36 girls and 21 boys; and 65 freshmen with 32 girls and 33 boys.

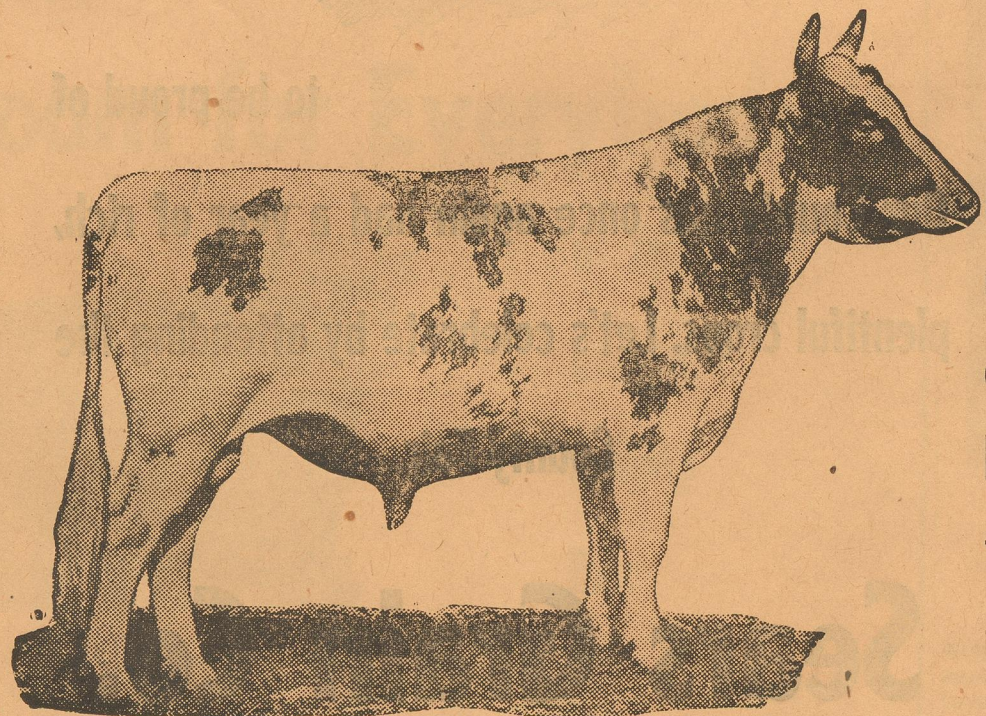
Information of last year's enrollment was not available but there has been a slight increase.

Assembly Precedes Enrollment Rush

On Monday, August 31, the enrolling high school students met in the auditorium for the first assembly of the '53-54 school year. Mr. Vestal welcomed the students back to school. He introduced some of the new students, and then he introduced Mr. Sollis, the new high school principal. After Mr. Sollis talked to the student body a few minutes, schedule sheets were passed out, and the confusion of enrollment began.

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MANNINGS

Department Store

Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Amati Violin, 100 years old, good condition. New case and violin tuner, good bow. Can be seen at Frazier Jewelry & Gift Shop 44-tfc

FREE use of movie camera with purchase of one roll of film. 18-tfc Ayers Studio

FOR SALE—Residential lots, priced reasonable with terms. Claude Forson 43-10tc at Joe Cowen Agency

FOR SALE—Tomato, peper and flowering plants, hot caps and cut flowers. Mrs. J. F. Ward 26-tfc North Main, Hereford, Texas

FOR SALE—1 midget washing machine; one 7½ horse Champion boat motor; one 7½ horse Scott Atwater with shift; two 8 in. Craftsman saws with motors. See Pat Patterson or call 299 27-tfc

FOR SALE—Bedding plants, vegetable plants, cut flowers, etc. Hereford Floral Shop 209 Higgins Hereford, Texas 20-tfc

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FOR SALE—Iron barrels, heavy guage, like new. \$4.00 each. See R. S. Vestal 31-tfc Dimmitt High School

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Redwood round overhead tank, 6x6 ft. steel top. 43-2tp Jack Cartwright

FOR SALE—1947 14-foot Auger Massey-Harris combine in excellent shape. See Tom Annen 44-4tp

FOR SALE—by estate, cotton pickers cook stove, cheap. See Swain Burkett, attorney. 44-2t

Have taken over all yard work, plowing, grass sowing and post hole digging. Contact me at Bearden Tractor Co. 44-3tp R. H. Rickert

GRISWOLD'S Convalescent Home for elder people. Good care and excellent food. 401 Irving St., Hereford, Texas. Phone 1231J. 43-3tc Mrs. Viola C. Griswold 401 Irving Street Hereford, Texas

SERVICES

For ensilage cutting see Bud Wesson or Slim Hargrove 42-4tp

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Farm Bureau Insurance, Hail Insurance. See E. L. Ivey 28-tfc

WANTED — Work shocking feed by acre. Have used furniture and lumber for sale. See R. H. Rickert 43-3tp

EXPERIENCED irrigation farmer wishes to rent one-half to a section of irrigated farmland. Have plenty of good equipment, and can furnish good references. 42-8tp Melvir Brock Rt. 2, Crosbyton, Tex.

WANTED—Listings on your farms, ranches, and city property. If you are in the market for real estate see us. 42-8tp Joe Cowen Agency Phone 195

LOST & FOUND

LET US do your custome feed cutting, row binding broadcast or combine. 41-6tp Deroy Cates

LOST—Men's leather billfold, contains driver's license and gasoline courtesy cards. Notify 1tp A. O. Gregory

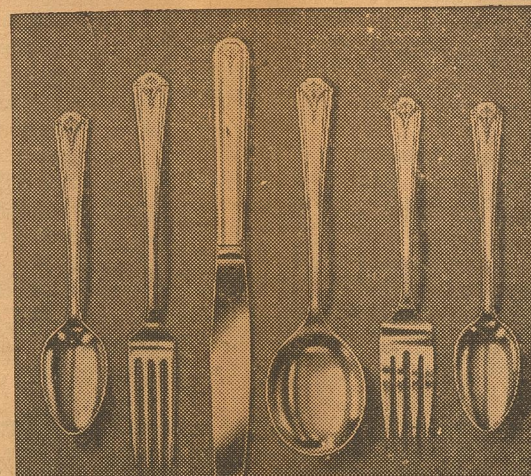
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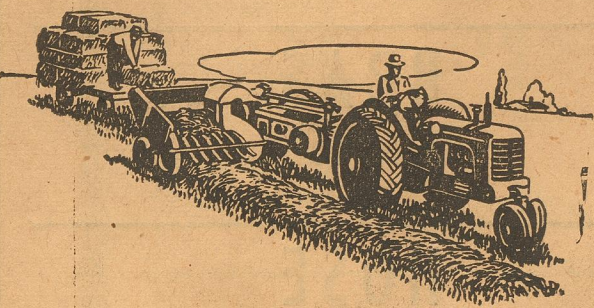
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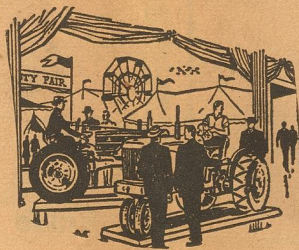
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We're Welcoming

Some mighty nice folks—the farmers and stockmen of Castro County...
Enjoy Your County Fair

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FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Glenn Youts 35-tfc

FOR RENT—2 furnished apartments. 12-tfc Mrs. Sam Cooper

TWO-ROOM home, modern, also bedroom, private bath for rent. 44-tfc Mrs. Faye Kenmore

FOR RENT—Bedroom. 9-tfc Mrs. E. R. Rothwell

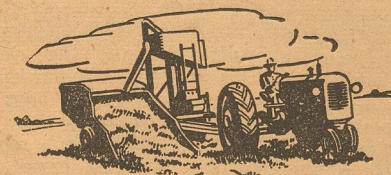
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FOR RENT—Bedroom with private bath. 41-tfc Mrs. Lorene Bagwell

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FOR RENT—Furnished room with private bath and kitchen privileges. Will rent to man and wife or to two ladies. 44-4tp Mrs. Kenneth Turner



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CASTRO CLEANERS

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kimbell



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gregory

**Twiner-Gregory Vows Pledged in
Candlelight Ceremony Recently**

Before an arch of greenery and baskets of white and pink Gladioli, Miss Dalia Twiner became the bride of Billy Gregory in a candlelight ceremony read Saturday evening, Aug. 22, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gregory.

The double ring service was solemnized by Mr. Bob Wear, minister of the First Church of Christ, Hereford.

Miss Sandra Neumayer, pianist, offered traditional wedding selections as guests assembled. Faywayne Murphy sang "Because" by D'Hardelot and "I Love You Truly" by Bond, accompanied by Miss Neumayer. Miss Decimae Dennis played the wedding march.

Given in marriage by Mr. Stub Jones, the bride wore a formal-length white wedding gown with train. The gown was of nylon net over white taffeta, fashioned with a fitted bodice and tiered flounced skirt. She wore long matching mitts. Seed pearls decorated her coronet and her shoulder length veil. She carried a white Bible, a gift of the bridegroom, topped with a bouquet of stephanotis centered with a white orchid and festooned with satin streamers. She wore a pearl necklace which was more than one hundred years old, belonging to a friend.

Lighting the candles were Miss Sunnye Brown and Miss Sue Smith of Hereford. Miss Katy Coke was maid of honor and Miss Joan Moore of Hereford was bridesmaid. All attendants wore ballerina-length dresses of blue net and pink net. Their bandeaus were of velvet cording and trimmed with seed pearls. Each carried a bouquet of carnations. Miss Mitzi Wilson registered the guests.

Carrol Gregory served his brother as best man. Donald Wright was groomsman and Jackie Copeland was usher.

Mrs. Twiner, mother of the

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

Sealed bids for the purchase of the following property of Arney Common School District No. 6 of Castro County, Texas will be received in the office of Robert Estes, County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Supt. of Castro County, Texas, at Dimmitt, Texas until ten o'clock A. M., on September 14, A. D. 1953, and then and there publicly opened and considered. A Cashier's check payable to Robert Estes as Ex-Officio School Superintendent of Castro County, Texas, in 10% of the amount of each bid, must accompany same, guaranteeing that if said bid is accepted the bidder will promptly take said property, pay for the same in cash and remove same from its present site within thirty days from the date of purchase. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, and no bid received after ten o'clock a. m. on said date will be accepted or considered. The property to be sold is as follows:

- One three-room frame dwelling with bath;
- One two-room frame dwelling without bath;
- One saddle shed;
- One garage.

Said property may be inspected by calling upon Charles E. Burks or Bruce Fields, each residing in said community near said property, said property all located on Arney school site nine (9) miles north of Nazareth in Castro County, Texas.

ROBERT E. ESTES, County Judge and Ex-officio School Superintendent of Castro County, Texas.

CLAUDE T. SHELTON, County Judge and Ex-officio School Superintendent of Swisher County, Texas.

The bride wore a black faille dress with pearl trim. Mrs. Gregory, mother of the bridegroom, wore black crepe with rhinestone trim.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony. Laid with a linen cut-work cloth the serving table was centered with an arrangement of white gladioli. Serving the tiered wedding cake was Miss Dennis and Miss Wilson presided at the punch bowl.

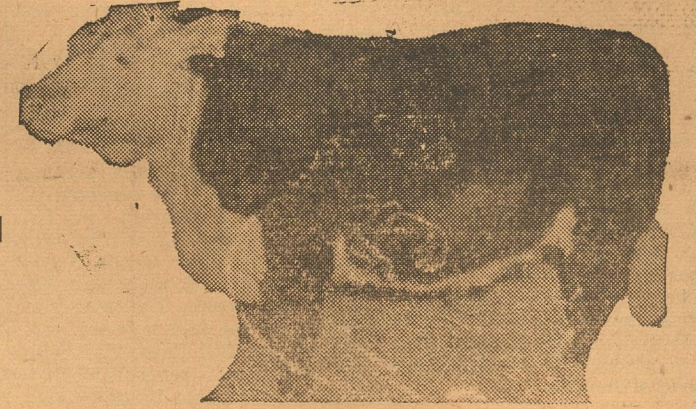
For travel, the bride wore an ensemble of dark green with black velvet trim. Her accessories were black velvet.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Eargle Twiner of Dimmitt. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gregory, also of Dimmitt. The couple were both graduated from Dimmitt High School in the spring of 1953. They will make their home in El Paso where he will attend college.

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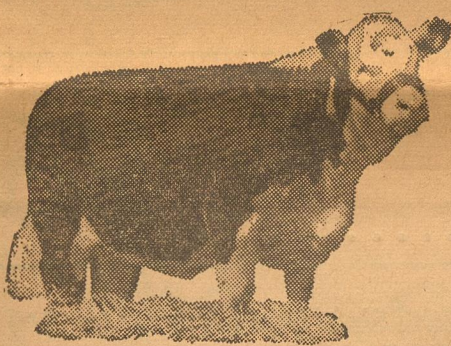
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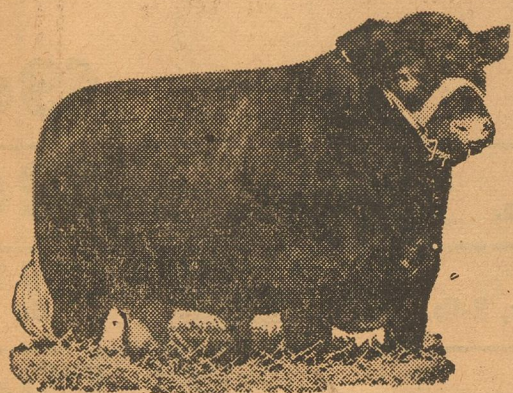
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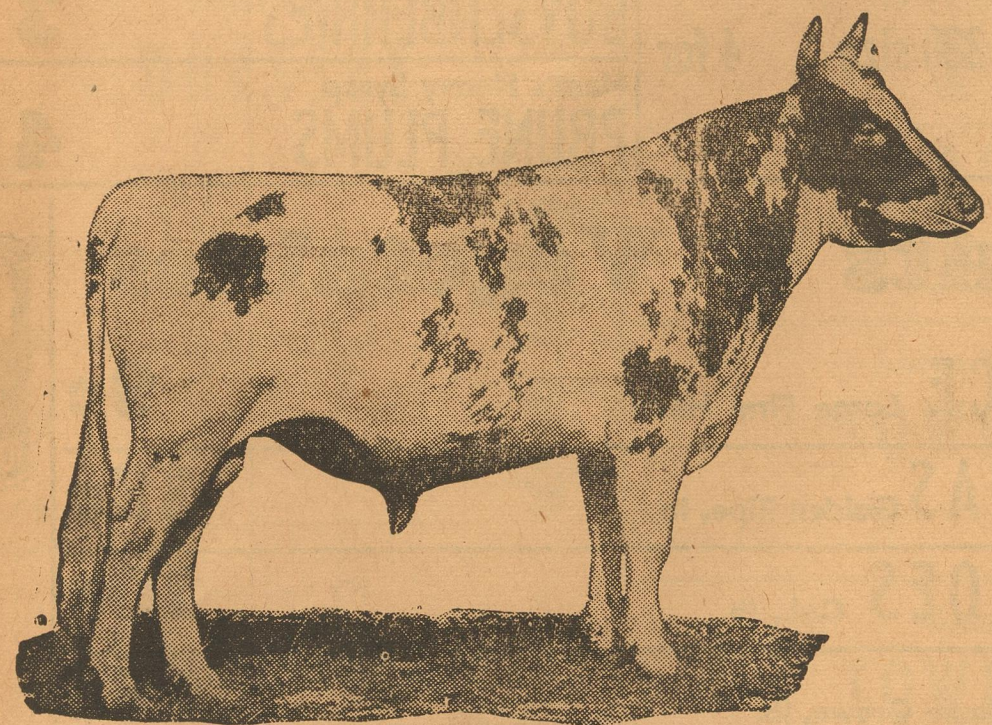
Check the items that suit your needs

With winter on the way make needed repairs around the home or perhaps do some remodeling. We have everything which will be needed and at special prices. As a reminder just check the things you will want, then come in to see us. We will save you money.

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HART NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bennett and children and Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Reed and children spent Sunday night and Monday at Carlsbad where they toured the caverns. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Boruk of Olton visited friends in Hart on Monday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. R. O. Browder and Bobby visited in Eldorado, Brownwood and Abilene Wednesday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hawkins and Children left Tuesday for Ft. Worth where they will visit his brother Herold and keep the children in school while Mrs. Herold Hawkins meets her brother in San Francisco. The brother has been a prisoner of war in Korea for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hale and daughter and grandson of College Station spent Tuesday with their friends, the O. D. Dinwiddies.

Mrs. Jim Height is able to be at home after receiving treatment in the Olton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Thomas and Buddy are vacationing in Oklahoma this week.

Mrs. Neil Wall is with her sister, Mrs. Elton Shive and family at Finley, Okla. The Shives have a new baby boy born August 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hacker and Erma Glen are in Oregon and other northwestern states this week. Mrs. Hacker's mother and

relatives live in Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Brooks and children vacationed in Red River and Carlsbad, New Mexico last week and this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCollum and daughter, Sidney, and son, Bobby, arrived in Hart on Saturday to make their home here. Mr. McCollum taught last year at Pringle and spent this summer at Canyon where he received his Master's in Education on Friday, August 21st. He will be principal of the Hart Grade School and coach of girls basketball. The family will occupy the new home ready by the school board.

Mesdames Bill Reed, T. B. Cox, and Iley Scott report the fishing fine at Buffalo Lake on Monday.

Jack Dinwiddie of Laramie, Wyo., and Borden Dinwiddie of Greenwood, Texas, were in Hart over the weekend to visit Mrs. Ida Dinwiddie. Mrs. Dinwiddie went on with them to Greenwood for a short visit where they will leave Borden with his parents and go on to Laramie. Jack is a son of Mrs. Dinwiddie who will visit some time with the family at Laramie.

Mesdames A. J. Smith and T. U. Smith spent most of last week in Oklahoma and Arkansas. They fished at Lake Texoma and visited at Broken Bow and DeQueen. They returned on Thursday and

on Saturday, the T. U. Smiths with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sander, Judy and Jo went to Loraine, Texas for the Smith family reunion which was held at the home of Mrs. D. R. Smith. They report 89 people at the reunion.

Little Dannee Williams is able to be at home but is still very ill. His father is giving him physical therapy.

Mrs. Loyd Farris and baby son, Rickey Lee, who arrived on Wednesday, Aug. 26th in the Plainview Foundation and Clinic came home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Hamm returned Sunday evening from Amherst where she had visited Mrs. W. P. Holland and baby while W. P. underwent surgery at the Amherst hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Davis and children are at home after vacationing a week at Brownfield and Ruidosa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Futrell and Carol Sue have returned from their vacation in the mountains of New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Morris of Vernon spent most of last week with her brother, Frank Sanders, and Mrs. Sanders. On Thursday the couples had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Furche Riley and family at Sunnyside.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Davis announce the birth of a son in Olton Hospital on August 31st.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jobe of Tulsa spent Sunday visiting relatives in Hart.

Ed and Melba Harris with Dr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis and daughter of Plainview were in Ruidosa over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bauman and children have returned to their home in Shawnee, Okla., after visiting last week with his brother, Frank and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman are at home again from a two-weeks visit with their son in San Diego, Cal. They also visited a daughter while in California.

Mrs. Lee Woodward of San Angelo is making an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Gilmore, Mr. Gilmore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Miller and family attended a Young County reunion at McKensie Park in Lubbock on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maples and children are home from their vacation in Colorado. Mrs. Maples is the local postmistress. Mrs. Bowden and Mrs. John McLain tended office while Mrs. Maples was away.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Riley with their grandchildren, Sandra and Jack Sanders, left on Tuesday morning for Sherman where they will visit Mrs. Riley's mother, Mrs. Furche, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Huston and children are back from their vacation in Central Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Raash, Gary, Rodney and Pamela of Roosevelt, Okla., spent last week visiting relatives, the Roy Clucks Elmer Scotts, Loyd Farris, and Rodney Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Willis and Bobbie and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett and Rickey have returned from a vacation at Red River, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Smitherman and Edith Rue, Mr. and Mrs.

John Rice and Virginia with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crowley and children of Orange, Cal., toured the Carlsbad Caverns on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Olton visited Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rhodes of Abernathy and Mrs. Wade Denny and daughter of Rock Port visited the Smitherman family during last week.

A picnic supper honoring Frank and Myra Wiley of San Diego, Cal., was held in the park at Plainview on Thursday evening, Aug. 27th. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wiley, Richard, Leon and Mary of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey and children, Mrs. E. M. Muse, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Newsom and Debbie, Mrs. Betty Price, Misses Beth Rigby, Betty Williams, and Wainelle Keater, all of Plainview; Misses June Rigby, Dorothy Williams and Charlen Cross all of Loekney; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Newsom and Miss Delores Benson all of Hart and the honorees and small daughter, Pat.

Visiting in the J. J. Newsom home during last week besides his daughter, Mrs. Frank Wylie, husband and daughter from San Diego, were the Newsom's son, Stewart, wife and daughter from Plainview, Mrs. J. R. Wiley, Mary and Leon of Floydada and Miss Beth Rigby of Plainview. The Wileys returned home by train on Sunday. Frank will be stationed on the USS Nereus A. S. 17, whose home base is San Diego.

The Hart Progressive Home Demonstration Club met in the

home of Mrs. Herman Burress on Wednesday, Aug. 26 at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Pepper Martin, vice-president in the chair. Roll call was answered with suggestions for next year's work. Mrs. Aven was winner of the plaque at the drawing following the demonstration. Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames Loyd Davis, Herb Mayfield, Doyle Davis, Tom McLain, Owen Hankins, Bud Hill, Dudley Aven, Pepper Martin and Mrs. Jurak. Also little Vickie and Steve Hankins, Bruce Martin and the new daughters of Mesdames Doyle Davis and Tom McLain.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bell and children were called to South Dakota by the sudden death of Mr. Bell's foster father. The Bells left Hart on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Garrison and children visited her mother, Mrs. W. W. Welch in Brownfield on Sunday. Mrs. Welch returned with them to Hart for a week of visiting.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks to all those who sent flowers, cards and kind words of sympathy during our recent sorrow. We wish to especially thank the members of the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Department for the great help they gave us. May God bless you for your kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Blackwell and family
Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Braman and family



WELCOME VISITORS
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	Hunt's Heavy Syrup PRUNE PLUMS 4 2 1/2 Cans For \$1.00		Hunt's New Whole POTATOES 8 Tall Cans For \$1.00	Hunt's Country Style PICKLES 3 2 1/2 Jar For \$1.00

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Castro Farmers Contribute Food to Waco Orphanage

A program of aid to the Methodist Orphanage Home in Waco, which is carried out each year by the Dimmitt Methodist Church, is being conducted again this year, according to the Rev. Raymond VanZandt, pastor.

Rev. Van Zandt said a load of roasting ears and potatoes had already been shipped by truck to the orphanage. Dilmond Neumayer, county farmer, carried the load of potatoes to the Waco home while Earl Lust of Dimmitt hauled the roasting ears to the orphanage. H. B. Honea, Dimmitt implement company owner, has furnished the church a truck to carry another load of 150 sacks of potatoes to the Methodist Home.

Farmers of Castro County who have a surplus of foodstuffs have donated it to the worthy cause, Rev. Van Zandt said. The foods will be turned over to orphanage officials and will be served to the 150 children in the home.

Try A NEWS Want Ad

Baptist Revival Begins at Hart

The Rev. Bruce Giles, pastor of the Earth Baptist Church, will be the guest evangelist at the revival to be held at the Hart Baptist Church, Sept. 6-13. The Rev. L. E. Godwin of Amarillo will lead the singing.

Rev. Giles is a forceful and dynamic speaker and has led successful revivals in the Panhandle and South Plains. Rev. Godwin is also recognized as a capable song leader.

Morning services will be held each day of the week-long revival beginning at 9 a.m. Evening services and prayer meeting will get underway at 7:30 p.m. with the evangelistic service to follow at 8 p.m.

A large crowd is expected to be on hand for each service.

WSCS to Meet Sept. 14

Mrs. Margaret Wilson will lead the Methodist WSCS study at the local Methodist Church, Monday, Sept. 14. The title of the program will be, "The Life and Task of the Church." All members are urged to attend.

Many Entries Seen For Fair Queen Contest Sept. 12

Final plans for the fair queen contest are being completed and indications are that the event will be a big success, according to a report given by M. E. Cleavinger at the Tuesday meeting of the Lions Club.

Cleavinger said six candidates entered the fair queen contest last year and that more candidates were expected for this year's event. He added that entries from neighboring towns would probably sign up for the contest, which is slated to be held Saturday night, the last day of the fair.

Heading a committee on arrangements for the contest, Cleavinger told Lion members that the new queen would be elected by vote. A penny will be charged each person voting for a contestant. A ballot box will probably be placed in the merchants exhibit building at the fairgrounds for this purpose.

Lions Club members voted unanimously to sponsor a queen for the contest, and a committee was appointed to select a nominee. Joe Cowen will serve as chairman of the committee and will be assisted by Harold Stephens and E. B. Noble.

James W. "Rosie" Bates will preside over the coronation ceremonies for the new queen.

Cleavinger made a special appeal to other clubs and organizations to enter a contestant in the event as soon as possible. Sixty percent of the proceeds from the contest will go to the fair association while the balance will go to the sponsor of the winner.

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Nazareth Picnic Set for Sept. 7

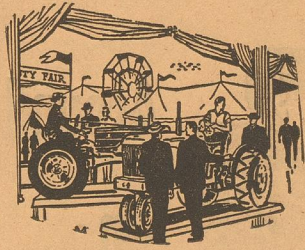
Highlighting the Nazareth Labor Day Picnic, slated to be held Monday, Sept. 7, is a dance and supper, according to Mrs. Leo Ehly, chairman of the supper committee.

The day's activities will begin at 2 p.m. and will be concluded with a dance at 9 p.m. Music will be furnished by Carlton Scales and his orchestra. Other features of the event include games and a country store booth.

From 5 to 7:30 p.m. supper will be served consisting of roast chicken and dressing with all the trimmings. Plates will cost \$1 each.

Everyone is invited to attend the picnic.

Patsy Hardy was home from Dallas last week-end to visit her parents. She is a second year student at the Dallas Methodist Hospital of Nursing.



Welcome to the Fair

We extend the hospitality of our city and hope you have the time of your life!

FRAZIER'S JEWELRY

Dollar Day

TUESDAY SEPT. 8, 1953 We Will Be Closed Monday, September 7, Labor Day

Table
ODDS & ENDS
Your Choice — Any Item
Dollar Day Bargains \$1

Plastic
GARMENT BAG
Full Length Zipper
Handy For Car or Closet Each \$1

CROCHET COTTON
Puritan Large Ball 5 for \$1

Purple & White
TOBOGGAN CAPS
\$ Day Special Each \$1

Mittees
TRAINING PANTS
White or Pastel Colors 6 pair \$1

NYLON HOSE
Lancedale 100% Nylon 1st Quality New Fall Shades Pair \$1

Table
SHOES
Close Out on Ladies Better Summer Shoes Values to \$5.90 Dollar Day Special \$2

MEN'S SLACKS
By Higgins 100% Wool Wonder Waistband Flannels, Tweeds, and Gabardines \$9⁹⁰ to \$12⁹⁰

Arline
Aires
Chic Tots
Bobby Teens
Washable DRESSES
For Little Girls And Teenagers \$2.98 \$3.98 \$5.90



RESISTOL HATS
See our new Fall Felts with the self-forming band. Snap brim or wide brim. \$10⁰⁰ \$12⁵⁰ \$15⁰⁰

Soft Sole Leather
MOCCASINS
In Green, Brown, Blue or Natural Special This Dollar Day All Sizes Pair \$1⁷⁹

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Men's White
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Large Size 12 for \$1

Men's Nylon
DRESS HOSE
Bear Brand 100% Nylon 2 pair \$1

CANVAS GLOVES
Large, Medium or Small 5 pair \$1

Men's
WORK SOCKS
White or Random Long or Short Top 5 pair \$1

Men's
WORK SHOES
Special Dollar Day Rubber Sole All Sizes 6 to 12 \$4

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FRIO NEWS

by MRS. OWEN ANDREWS

New officers for Sunday School Training Union and Church were elected Sunday morning. They are as follows:

Sunday School—Superintendent, A. D. Johnson; Assistant Superintendent, T. L. Sparkman, Jr.; Secretary, Tawana Thompson; Assistant Secretary, Velma Irwin; Pianist, Alma Andrews; Assistant pianist, Frances Andrews; Assistant Song Leader, La Nelle Mobley.

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Training Union—Director, L. D. Irwin; Assistant Director, E. H. Little; Secretary, Veradelle Andrews; Assistant Secretary, Winnie Jo Irwin; W. M. U. President, Mrs. Owen Andrews.

Sunday School Teachers—Adult Class, L. D. Irwin; Assistant, A. D. Johnson; C. B. Class, T. L. Sparkman, Jr.; Young People's Class, J. E. Andrews; Assistant, Mrs. Owen Andrews; Intermediate Class, Mrs. F. M. Woolbright; Assistant, Mrs. H. M. Mobley; Junior Class, Dan McLallen; Assistant, Bill Warrick; Primary Class, Mrs. U. L. Leslie; Assistant, Mrs. W. H. Andrews; Beginners Class, Mrs. H. H. Dobbs; Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, Jr., Mrs. H. C. Miller.

Training Union sponsors are Juniors, Mrs. Robert Simpson, Mrs. A. D. Johnson, J. E. An-

draws. Story Hour—Mrs. Henry Dobbs, Mrs. W. H. Andrews, Mrs. Leo Hall.

Next Sunday will be Promotion Day and Officer Appreciation Day.

The Frio Home Makers Club met Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Jack Jones. The program was given by Mrs. Gene Noel on the subject of "Choice and Care of Dinnerware." She told about the manufacture of dinnerware, differences of quality and suggestions for selection. Present for the meetir were Mesdames Noel, Henry Dobbs, Leonard Buttrill, Frank Robbins, W. A. Springer, Owen Andrews, E. H. Little, Suddeth and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. H. F. Benson on Sept. 9, and will be on "Farm Safety and Automobile Safety." Bill McLearn of Hereford has accepted an invitation of the club to be guest speaker. All members are urged to attend and visitors are cordially invited.

This community has just reason to be quite proud of one of its young men. Wade Thompson was a member of the class graduating from Texas Tech in Lubbock last Wednesday night. He was one of the four honor students of the class and was given special re-



CELEBRATING THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING anniversary are Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cox, former Hart residents, now living in Santa Rosa, N. M. The celebration was held at Hart in the home of T. B. Cox, son of the honorees. Mr. and Mrs. Cox are actively engaged in the ranching business. (See page six, section two, for story.)

cognition at the graduation exercises. Wade has passed tests for Officers Training in the Navy and is awaiting call. Those from here attending the exercises were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Lometa Odom, Mrs. Eva Odom, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, Tawana and La Von Thompson, Mrs. Don Cox, Mrs. Charles Gregg and Jerry, Dan McLallen, Nora Jo and Sammie Lu McLallen, Clark

Dobbs, James Dobbs, and Virginia Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lamb and their grandson from Borger were visiting the W. H. Andrews Sunday. Mrs. Kate Lamb of Marlowe, Okla., who has been visiting her Andrews relatives here for several days accompanied the Lambs home. Others visiting the Andrews Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Burris of Texico, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Andrews, Miss Alma

Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, Jr., and children. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Vinson and girl are visiting their relatives at Big Spring and vicinity this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Springer attended a family reunion of the McGee and Strange families, at Plainview Sunday. They also visited Mr. Springer's sister, Mrs. W. T. Johnson and Mr. Johnson.

Visiting the Lindleys this week are Mr. Lindley's sisters, Mrs. J. M. Jester of Oklahoma City,

Mrs. Claude Price of Beebe, Ark. Mr. Price also accompanied them. Mr. and Mrs. George Lindley of Amarillo were visiting the Lindley home Sunday. Others also visiting there Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cole of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. McClure and the Sam Lindleys and Jack Shirleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Warrick and children and Mrs. Warrick's mother, Mrs. Greeson of Black, are visiting their relatives at Kilgore,

this week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd and boys spent the week-end visiting friends at Clarendon. They attended church in Clarendon Sunday morning and went out to the Lazy RB ranch and visited friends the rest of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson and children, Tawana and La Von Thompson are visiting relatives in the Oklahoma City vicinity this week.

MY OFFICE
will be closed from
Sept. 7 to Sept. 12,
1953. I will be taking
a post graduate
course San Antonio.
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Dimmitt, Texas

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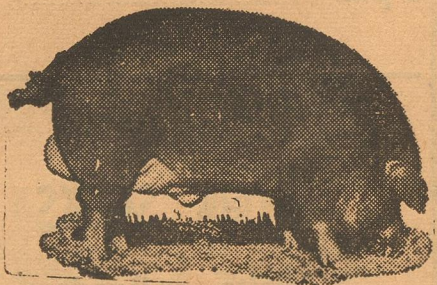
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We welcome you to the
CASTRO COUNTY FAIR
September 10, 11, and 12

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Pageant of Progress



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The County Fair—Thursday, Friday, and Saturday—is a **MUST** on your schedule!

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Grocery Specials

Our Value, In Heavy Syrup	2½ Can
PEARS	29c
Hunt's	No. 2½ Can
PEACHES	27c
Tender Sweet, Cream Style	No. 1 Can
CORN	11c
Honey Boy	Tall Can
SALMON	39c
Chuck Wagon, Mex. Style	3 Tall Cans
BEANS	29c
Everlite	25-lb. Print Bag
FLOUR	\$1.79
COOKIES	49c
	Box
	Ball Point Pen FREE
Cello Package	2-lbs.
PINTO BEANS	35c
LIGHT BULBS	Value \$1.38
3-60 watt bulbs	All For
3-100 watt bulbs	99c
1-150 watt bulb	
California Santa Rosa	Lb.
PLUMS	19c
California Fresh	Lb.
TOMATOES	10c
Fresh Home Grown	Lb.
SQUASH	5c
Aged Wisconsin Longhorn	Lb.
CHEESE	49c
Assorted	Lb.
LUNCH MEAT	39c
Golden Brand	Lb.
OLEO	19c

Wilson Super Market

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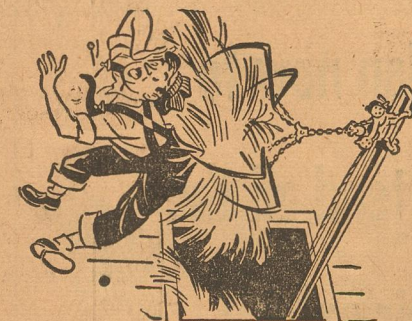
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McLean is Named To USO Campaign

Robert (Bob) McLean of Dimmitt has been named County Chairman of Castro County for the Texas United Defense Fund, the state-wide group which will sponsor USO's campaign for \$775,000 in Texas this year.

McLean's appointment was announced this week by W. O. Mullins of Amarillo, Asst. Chairman of Region 1.

Dudley K. Woodward, Jr., Dallas attorney, is State Campaign Chairman of the forthcoming fund appeal to carry on the familiar services of the USO to the young men and young women of the nation's armed forces.

A major portion of the Texas goal, as in 1952, will be included in Community Chest campaigns throughout the state this fall.

Other area chairmen are H. M. Baggaly, Tulsa; L. W. Cole, Canyon; C. O. Stone, Littlefield; Noel Woodley, Muleshoe; and B. C. Woodridge, Claude.

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CASTRO COUNTY FAIR PROGRAM

Thursday, September 10.

Arrangement of Exhibits

2:00 p. m.—Carnival and Concessions open

6:00 p. m.—Old Fiddlers Contest

9:30 p. m.—Fireworks

Friday, September 11

9:00 to 12:00—Judging Club Division and Guernsey Division

10:00 a. m.—Start Judging Agriculture Exhibits, Womens Division, Flower Show

1:00 p. m. to 2:00 p. m.—Hereford Judging

2:00 p. m. to 3:00 p. m.—Milking Shorthorn

3:00 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.—Brown Swiss

3:30 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.—Jersey and other Exhibits

8:00 p. m.—Pet Show

Saturday, September 12

9:30 a. m. to 12:00 Noon—Quarter Horse Judging

3:00 p. m.—Awarding of Band and Parade Prizes and Band Concert

9:00 p. m.—Coronation of Fair Queen

9:30 p. m.—Square Dance Contest

Square Dancing

Wiley is Top Navy Grad at San Diego

Franklin R. Wiley of Floydada recently graduated from Store Keepers School at the Naval Training Station in San Diego as top man in his class, with an average of 89.93.

Wiley, his wife (better known as Myra Newson of Hart), and daughter, Pat, are home on a ten-

day leave visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wiley and family of Floydada, and Mrs. Wiley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Newson of Hart.

Wiley is a graduate of Floydada High School and attended WTSC at Canyon before entering the Navy in September, 1952.

After his leave, Wiley will return to San Diego with his family where he will be stationed on the USS Nereus AS 17.

School Time Means Greater Threat of Disease to Children

AUSTIN, Sept. 3—Communicable diseases common to children reach their low point, as to number of cases, late in the summer. Then, when school opens, and children are closely grouped together in classrooms, germs begin to spread, and the increase runs to thousands of cases of illness causing much time lost from school, discomfort for the children, and untold hours spent in nursing them back to health, declared George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Some children die and others suffer permanent damage to their health. The really tragic part of this situation is that it is, in a large measure, preventable. If all parents would change their indifferent, negligent attitude toward diseases such as measles, whooping cough, scarlet fever, and chickenpox, and would cooperate with school and health authorities, these common communicable disease epidemics could be reduced.

Dr. Cox says these are the important ways to protect the health of our school children; immunize every child against diphtheria and small pox, have daily inspection of school children, with isolation or separation of the suspected case of disease, sending home any child showing signs of illness, such as paleness, sore throat, skin eruption, fever or any other symptom that apparently needs the attention of a physician; keep children home who show signs of illness. Call the physician and let him interpret the symptoms. Readmission to school should be based on permission of the family physician or health officer. Inspection should be made at the beginning of school and at mid-year for minor skin infections and head lice, with exclusion of all infected children from school. The development of good personal habits in every child is very essential to the control of all contagious diseases.

"For the sake of our children—their physical health and progress in school, let's stop the inroads of needless illness, and give them a

Davis Heads '53 Fair Horse Show

Some of the finest animals of this area will be on show Saturday morning, Sept. 12, when the quarter horse show, an outstanding feature of the Castro County Fair, is held at the local fairgrounds.

Under the capable direction of Chamber of Commerce Manager Bill Davis, who is serving as superintendent of the show, a large number of entries are expected to compete. On the average some 35 to 45 horses have been entered in past shows. Davis predicts an ever greater number will sign up for this year's show. There will be classes for all horses plus a gelding class and an open reining class, he pointed out.

All quarter horse owners who are interested in showing their animals should contact Davis.

"I have the names of a few from the entry list of last year," Davis explained, "but I know there will be other horsemen in the area who will want to exhibit their animals. We will accept entries up to the time of the show," he concluded.

The show superintendent said that a judge for the event had not been selected.

"It is important that horsemen in the area contact me soon to decide on a judge for the show," he emphasized.

Cow Completes Record

Kittie Brownie, 184467, a registered Brown Swiss cow owned by Vincent Braddock of Dimmitt, recently completed a 305 day lactation record on herd test of 10,352.0 pounds of milk at 3.93 percent, 406.53 pounds F. The four-year-old was milked two times a day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall and little daughter of Lubbock were in Dimmitt Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Vestal.

fair chance for normal development, physically and mentally," Dr. Cox asserted.

Pride and Cooperation Help Boost County Fair

(Editor's Note: Emphasizing the pride and cooperative spirit that has prevailed among the farmers of Castro County in showing their products and striving to make the County Fair a bigger and better project from year to year are some excerpts taken from a story written by Robert B. Hershey, former County Chamber of Commerce manager, in a 1947 issue of the Castro County News.)

This is the season of county fairs throughout the land. It is in effect a period of celebration and acknowledgment that the present growing season is practically at an end. It is the time of year when we as agricultural people can point up our successes of the year and proudly exhibit our handiwork for all to see.

And we do this not from a spirit of boastfulness or mere exhibitionism but from a deep seated, though perhaps unconscious, desire not only to raise the most, but the best of a product, in keen but friendly competition with our neighbors. This is not only good for us individually but it tends above all to strengthen and renew each year our agronomy as a unit. Thus it seems to be not only an individual's rights, he having earned it by his labor, but also his duty as a member of the community to present the best examples of his products that may

be seen, studied, examined, tested, one against another, and even praised for their perfection. Such acclaim is part of perfection. Such acclaim is part of a man's natural wealth in life, immeasurable in terms of money and priceless to him. The blue ribbon won this year is a continuous incentive to do as well or better the following year.

The county fair is important for other reasons. It is a day when we can relax and visit with our friends, neighbors and strangers.

We can talk things over, discuss the crops and the weather, our various problems and discoveries, and each in his own way from his own experiences, can perhaps add a little to the common knowledge of all. We hand our such bits of knowledge unselfishly and without thought of reward, other than the full realization that by so doing we are in effect building up the wealth of the whole area. And this is good for we are proud of our county and its accomplishments year after year.

CARLILE THEATRE

Dimmitt, Texas

SATURDAY

SEPTEMBER 5

"MY DARLING CLEMENTINE"

Linda Darnell

Henry Fonda

SUNDAY — MONDAY

SEPTEMBER 6 — 7

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Doris Day

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TUESDAY — WEDNESDAY

SEPTEMBER 8 — 9

"ASSIGNMENT PARIS"

Dana Andrews

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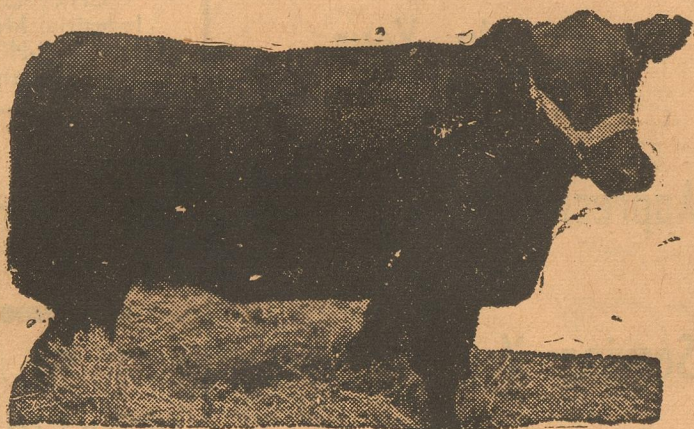
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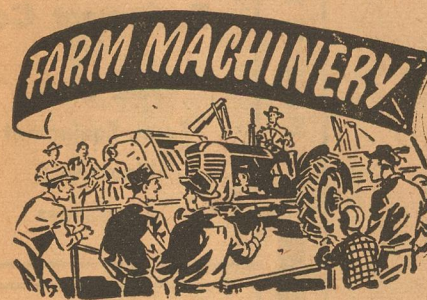
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