

A Hearty Welcome to All the THDA Delegates and Visitors

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"Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World"

The slogan adopted this year by the Home Demonstration Clubs of America describes the aims and purposes of home demonstration work better and more fully, probably, than any other phrase that could be used. In America there are many many worthwhile organizations that do outstanding work in some given line, but in the main their work is either of a strictly local nature or of a civic or fraternal aspect. There is probably no other organization of national scope that reaches into as many homes with skilled advice for the homemaker as the Home Demonstration Clubs. The home demonstration agent, a skilled home economist, in conducting demonstrations, promoting beneficial projects for the homes of her area and in offering special advice where skilled help is needed renders a service of inestimable value. The group effort to improve the living conditions in rural and urban homes has gone far toward removing much of the drudgery from homemaking and has been a boon to progress in the development of better homes in a progressive age. County home demonstration work is not confined only to assisting the adult homemaker in the solving of her innumerable problems, but through girls 4-H Clubs lays the groundwork for competent homemakers of the future. Our vaunted American way of life is rooted deep in the homelife of the nation where the principles and precepts of democracy are first taught and much credit is due the Home Demonstration program, in all of its aspects, in its aid in the development of better homes, the bulwark of American ideals.

The News joins with the other business firms of Dimmitt in extending heartiest greetings and a warm welcome to the delegates and visitors from the twenty counties of the fine Panhandle-Plains area, comprising District II of the Texas Home Demonstration Association, as they hold their annual meeting in Dimmitt. It is the desire of this newspaper and every person in Castro county that our guests will have a very successful meeting and will accomplish much good in the advancement of the work of their fine organization.

The News is indebted to Mrs. Robin Vann, Castro County Home Demonstration Agent, and to Miss Bonita Kern, teacher in the Nazareth schools, for their assistance in the gathering and preparation of the feature articles and stories pertaining to Home Demonstration work in this issue of the News.

Dist. Supt. to Preach at Local Methodist Church Sunday

Dr. Earl G. Hamlett, District Superintendent of the Methodist church, will preach at the local church Sunday May 11 at 10:50 a. m., and conduct the last quarterly conference for the year at 4:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Nazareth Baseball Schedule Released

Following is the summer schedule for the Nazareth baseball team in the Irrigation Belt league.

- May 11—Nazareth at Happy
- May 18—Vigo at Nazareth
- May 25—Dimmitt at Nazareth
- June 1—Nazareth at Umbarger
- June 8—Nazareth at Friona
- June 15—Open Date
- June 22—Nazareth at Vigo
- June 29—Nazareth—Open
- July 6—Happy at Nazareth
- July 13—Nazareth—Open
- July 17—All Star Game
- July 20—Open
- July 27—Tulia at Nazareth
- Aug. 3—Friona at Nazareth
- Aug. 10—Nazareth at Silvertown
- Aug. 17—Nazareth at Dimmitt
- Aug. 24—Umbarger at Nazareth
- Aug. 31—Open
- Sep. 7—Shannessy Play-off

Registered Nurse on Hospital Staff

Mrs. Gladys P. Nance, registered nurse, came to Dimmitt from Noyada April 21 and assumed her duties on the medical staff of the Plains Memorial Hospital staff. Mrs. Nance had employment in Dimmitt several years ago on special duty.

Plans Are Complete For THDA Convention

Presiding Officer



MRS. B. H. RUCKER

Presiding at the meeting of District II of the THDA, May 7, will be Mrs. B. H. Rucker, of Ropesville, district vice-president. Active in home demonstration work for the past twelve years, Mrs. Rucker is now serving her second year as district vice-president.

Mrs. Rucker was born in Tell, Childress County, and there made her debut in Extension Service work, as a 4-H club member. In home demonstration club work she has served as a demonstrator in several phases of club activity, and she served for three years as Hockley County council chairman.

The mother of three children, Glenda, 15, Terry, 17, and Gary, 3, Mrs. Rucker manages to find time outside of that required by her duties as a mother and a homemaker, to perform the many duties of her office in the THDA. Her husband, who farms a 320-acre irrigated farm near Ropesville, has been very generous in helping at times with the housework so that his wife may attend the many meetings she is called upon to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bell Honored On Golden Wedding Anniversary

An open house celebrating their Golden Wedding anniversary honored Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bell of 2820 27th St., Lubbock, Thursday. The son and daughters and their families were hosts in the Bell home.

Entertaining were Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bell of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Sim C. Griffin of Fort Worth, the Rev. and Mrs. Carol M. Jones of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Smith of Seminole and the Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Forester of Olney.

Assisting in the house party were Mrs. J. A. Martin, Mrs. Mark Burns and Mrs. Jack Griffin.

The table was laid with natural lace cloth and was centered with an arrangement of bronze snapdragons.

Centering the mantel was the couple's wedding picture flanked by yellow candles in crystal candelabra and a large taffeta bow topped the mirror.

A bell-shaped cake, suggesting the names of the honored couple, was served. It was decorated with yellow mallow and candy bows.

Mrs. Bell wore a corsage of yellow rosebuds, gift from her husband.

Friends from over the South Plains were invited to call. Relatives included 14 grandchildren and one great-grandson. A granddaughter who is attending college in Tennessee was unable to attend.

Bell's sisters, Mrs. Idress Gibbs and Mrs. M. E. Mundell, and Mrs. Bell's sister, Mrs. I. C. Giles, all of Amarillo, were present.

Bell was born Aug. 4, 1877 in Missouri and his wife was born Aug. 29, 1883 in Montague County, where the marriage was read May 1, 1902.

The couple moved to Floyd County in 1908; to Castro County in 1914 and in 1924 when Bell retired from farming the couple went to Olton, where he engaged in real estate. The move to Lubbock was made in 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell, charter members of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Olton, hold memberships in First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Lubbock.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and family of Tucumcari, N. M.

PROGRAM

TEXAS HOME DEMONSTRATION ASS'N. DISTRICT 2

Dimmitt, Texas May 7, 1952

METHODIST CHURCH

THEME: United We Stand

9:00 a. m.—Registration
10:00 a. m.—Singing, Leader, Mrs. Howard Bridges; Pianist, Mrs. Troy Kirby.
Invocation—Mrs. G. T. Maltby.
Greetings—B. M. Nelson
Welcome—Mrs. Marvin Sanders
Response—Mrs. Clifton Hamilton
Introductions
THDA Message—Mrs. R. M. Almanrode, President of THDA
Floyd County Chorus
County Reports
Reading—Mrs. Carl Gunn
Report of Credential Committee
Announcements

12:00 Luncheon—Chamber of Commerce, Dimmitt

1:00 p. m.—Organ Music

1:15 p. m.—Castro County Chorus

Introduction of speaker—Mrs. Aubrey Russell, District 2 Agent

Speaker—Miss Iris Davenport, Woman's Editor, Farm and Ranch and Southern Agriculturist County Reports

Recreation—Sundown Club, Hockley County

Extension Staff Speaker—Miss Bonnie Cox

Business:

1. Introduction of candidates for vice president
 2. Discussion of Constitution
 3. 4-H Fund—100
 4. Invitations for 1953
 5. Report of Credential Committee
 6. Report of Resolution Committee
 7. Reading of Minutes
- Summary of Meeting

Speaker



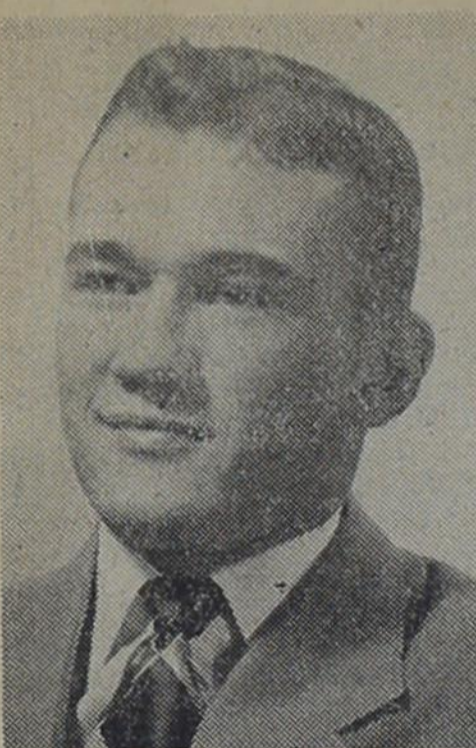
IRIS DAVENPORT

Iris Davenport, editor of the Woman's Department of the "Farm and Ranch—Southern Agriculturist", speaking on the subject "Achieving Distinction in Dress" will be the main speaker at the THDA meeting. A native of North Carolina, Miss Davenport is a graduate of the University of Georgia, and holds a master's degree from Columbia University. She has studied also in Paris and at Louisiana State University, and is chairman of the Professional Committee of Phi Upsilon Officer (Phi Beta Kappa of home economics).

In addition to her academic experience, Miss Davenport has had vast experience as a teacher of home economics, and on various committees in a number of different home economic organizations. She is also national chairman-elect of the National Economists in Business.

Miss Davenport was named as one of the nation's seven most outstanding women born in the South, in a poll conducted in 1948. Being outstanding in the field of journalism as well as in home economics, she is a member of the Gallery of Greats in Contemporary Journalism. Bringing to her readers a sincere and intelligent interest and understanding of their problems, Miss Davenport is well qualified to speak to any group of homemakers.

In Senior Voice Recital



DOUGLAS DENNIS

Next Sunday May 11, at 3:00 o'clock p. m. Douglas Dennis, tenor will be presented by the Swisher Studios of Singing in his Senior High School recital in the Dimmitt High School auditorium.

Mrs. Phyllis Mooney will be his accompanist for the program which will consist of sacred and secular songs, spirituals, folk songs, opera classics and songs of the lighter vein. Mrs. Paul Jordan will be guest artist.

A hearty welcome is extended to all who would like to attend this concert which will be in keeping with National Music Week.

Hart P. T. A. to Hold Meeting May 18th

The Hart Parent-Teacher Association will hold its last meeting of the year Tuesday night May 13 at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Elmer Patterson of Hereford, who is District vice-president will install the new officers.

After the business meeting the Castro County Farm Bureau chorus will present a musical program.

Publicity chairman

Jimmy Cluck and Don Nelson were home from Texas Tech, Lubbock, last week end for a visit with home folks.



MRS. ROBIN VANN

Mrs. Robin Vann, Castro County Home Demonstration Agent, is the hostess agent for the annual meeting of District 2 of the Texas Home Demonstration Association held in Dimmitt Wednesday. Mrs. Vann has a long and successful record in teaching and demonstrating the science of home economics.

She was reared at Levelland and educated at Texas Technological College where she majored and received a degree in Home Economics. Included in her years of experience in her chosen profession is seven years service with the Extension Service as county home demonstration agent, five years at Archer City in Archer County and two years in Castro County. Before coming to Dimmitt, Mrs. Vann taught in the Hart Public Schools for three years.

Plains Memorial Hospital News

Patients in hospital:

Mrs. H. W. Nance, Maria Alvarez, John Rendon.

Patients dismissed since last report:

Claude Adams, Arthur Otero, Mrs. Junior Wyer, Mrs. Francis Wilhelm and baby girl, Mrs. Wayne Lee and twin girls, Mrs. Bill Graham, Sr., Barbara McSpadden, Mrs. Herman Huseman, and Mrs. Tom Ttae.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kay, of Mooreland, Okla., were here last week end for a visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Curtis Tate, and family. They were accompanied by their son, Clifton Kay, of Fairbury, Neb.

District 2 of the Texas Home Demonstration Association will meet Wednesday, May 7, in Dimmitt in the Methodist Church for its annual district meeting. Comprising 20 counties, the district has more than 155 clubs.

The theme of the meeting, "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World" is the theme which

was chosen for the first National Home Demonstration Week, and was later adopted as the theme for all demonstration club work.

The district meeting follows closely the observance of National Home Demonstration Week, this year April 27 to May 3. Home demonstration work, a phase of the work of Extension Service, aims at helping families to develop and maintain the kind of homes which teach the qualities most important for citizens of a democracy. To reach this aim the home demonstration clubs feel the need for well-informed homemakers who are able to make their home comfortable and inspiring.

Texas boasts a club membership of over 41,000, the state being divided into 12 districts for home demonstration club work. The counties included in District 2 and the home demonstration agents who serve each county are Bailey, Mrs. Dian M. Reed; Borden, Mrs. Edith W. Hughes; Cochran, Mabel Ann Manley; Dawson, Ethelda F. Miller; Floyd, Leila S. Petty; Gaines, Mrs. Vivian V. Limer; Garza, Dorothy L. Harbin; Hale, Mary L. Grindstaff; Hockley, Mrs. Jewel P. Robinson; Howard, Mrs. Eugenia B. Toland; Lamb, Mrs. Kie M. Collins; Lubbock, Clara Pratt; Lynn, Graham E. Hard; Mitchell, Mrs. Emabeth P. Towery; Scurry, Mrs. Mildred C. Sparks; Swisher, Earnestine Gary; Terry, Doris E. Mahaffey; and Yoakum, Ozella E. Hunt.

Delegates from the counties of District II, Texas Home Demonstration Association, convention are as follows:

LUBBOCK:
Mrs. H. C. Watson, Mrs. E. W. Stokes, Mrs. Ross Adamson, Mrs. J. P. Walters, Alternate; Mrs. Henry Schwarz, Alternate; Mrs. E. E. Hamlin, Alternate.
SWISHER:
Mrs. S. J. Paine, Mrs. N. S. Ballard, Mrs. Lively, Mrs. Elvin Preston, Alternate; Mrs. Elvin Foster, Alternate; Mrs. George Welmoth, Alternate.

GAINES:
Mrs. G. C. Gafford, Seminole; Mrs. V. J. Bussa; Mrs. C. W. Boardman; Mrs. W. V. Fenter, Alternate; Mrs. K. K. Whitaker.
YOAKUM:
Mrs. C. D. Prewitt, Denver City; Mrs. W. F. Walser, Tokio; Mrs. A. C. Watson, Plains; Mrs. Ormal Pippin, Alternate.

FLOYD:
Mrs. C. A. Caffee, Dougherty; Mrs. C. L. King; Mrs. Tom Parker; Mrs. Carrick Snodgrass, Alternate; Mrs. Thurman Perry, Alternate; Mrs. Vernon Grass, Alternate.

LYNN:
Mrs. Clifton Hamilton, Tahoka; Mrs. J. R. Shelton, Rt. 2, Wilson; Mrs. Kay Moore, Rt. 1, Wilson; Mrs. Marvin Munn, Alternate; Mrs. H. A. Parris, Alternate; Mrs. Clarence Williams, Alternate.

LAMB:
Mrs. Elsie Seymore, Sudan; Mrs. Travis Hopper, Spade; Mrs. Hub Sprayberry, Littlefield.
HOCKLEY:
Mrs. Bob Thomas; Mrs. V. T. Johnson; Mrs. D. M. Tipps; Wandana Pierce, Alternate.

CASTRO:
Mrs. Ray Axtell, Star Rt., Springlake; Mrs. J. D. Murry, Rt. N, Tulia; Mrs. John Crum, Rt. 2, Dimmitt; Mrs. Florene Knight, Alternate.

TERRY:
Mrs. Alfred Tittle; Mrs. Lee Bartlett; Mrs. O. D. Kennedy; Mrs. W. F. Jones, Alternate; Mrs. M. C. Wade, Alternate; Mrs. Freddie Howard, Alternate.

HALE:
Mrs. L. R. Cross; Mrs. J. C. Nixon; Mrs. Clarence Brandes; Mrs. Martha White, Alternate; Mrs. Herman Muster, Alternate; Mrs. Lester White, Alternate.

LYNN:
Mrs. L. E. Corbin, Mrs. J. G. Mendola, Mrs. John Middleton.
BAILEY:
Mrs. A. W. Copley; Mrs. Ann Little; Mrs. T. J. Sullivan; Mrs. Leon Julian, Alternate; Mrs. Tom Haley, Alternate; Mrs. E. W. Thompson, Alternate.

COCHRAN:
Mrs. Charlie Sanders; Mrs. Barnett; Mrs. J. W. Pond, Alternate; Mrs. L. L. Taylor, Alternate.
GARZA:
Mrs. Henry Key; Mrs. Lola Jeel; Mrs. C. E. Scott; Mrs. Georgia Cook, Alternate; Mrs. Francis McWhirt, Alternate; Mrs. W. A. Long, Alternate.

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Former County HD Agent to Attend Convention Here



MRS. CLAUDE MERRITT

Mrs. Claude Merritt, formerly Miss Ava Grindstaff, was County Home Demonstration Agent of Castro County from November,

1941, to June, 1943. She was born and reared in Haskell, Texas, graduated from Haskell High School, and graduated from Texas State College for Women with a B. S. Degree in Vocational Home Economics. Mrs. Merritt taught Home Economics three years before coming to Dimmitt as County Home Demonstration Agent. Following her resignation as County Home Demonstration Agent, she served two years in the WAAC.

Mrs. Merritt's husband, Claude Merritt, is a native of Castro County and a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lint Merritt. The Claude Merritts have lived on their ranch at Kit Carson, Colorado, for 6 years. They have three children, Delbert, age 6, Gary Sue, 4, and Michael, age 1.

In 1947, Mrs. Merritt, as a rural home maker helped to organize the first Home Demonstration Club Cheyenne County, Colorado, had in many years. In 1948, she helped organize 4-H clubs in that county. At that time there were neither county agent nor home demonstration agent in Cheyenne County. At the present time, with the help of a county agent, but still without a home demonstration agent, 149 women in 10 clubs in Cheyenne County carry a well-rounded home demonstration club program.

Mrs. Merritt is president of her local club, president of the Colorado District VII Home Demonstration Council, and is Colorado State HDC Conservation Chairman. She will give a report on conservation activities in Colorado at the Colorado State Home Demonstration Council Meeting in Glenwood Springs, May 22 and 23. Mrs. Merritt is also active in the work of the Methodist Church, Kit Carson, Colorado.

Long Service Gets State Recognition



Mrs. B. M. Harris has been active in Home Demonstration Club work for 22 years. She has served the Texas Home Demonstration Association as vice-president for District 2, chairman of the state 4-H committee and is now vice-president at-large.

Last year, Mrs. Harris was recognized by the Texas Extension Service for her many contributions to 4-H work and was presented the State 4-H Recognition Award. She received a similar honor in District 2 in 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris are the parents of two outstanding 4-H members, Jack and Patsy. They live on a stock farm near Plainview.

Candidate For State THDA Secretary



MRS. SHIRLEY FRYAR

Mrs. Shirley Fryar, executive board member from Knott, is vice-president of District VI. A charter member of the Hiway Club, she has been in club work for 25 years. She was recently nominated by the Fairview Home Demonstration Club of Howard County as a candidate for state secretary of the THDA.

The club work and the home planning of Mrs. Fryar and her family was featured some time ago on the Texas Farm and Home Hour. Her three children have done outstanding 4-H club work, on the county, district, and state levels.

Mrs. Fryar has served as demonstrator and as an officer in many phases of club and council work. As a member of the state executive board, she has been on committees on credentials, rules, and on the stage committee for the pageant at the silver anniversary meeting at A. and M. She was instrumental in bringing the state THDA meeting to Big Spring in 1950, and her work was important in making the meeting a success.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dameron were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reed and granddaughter, Vickie Ray, and James Carrol Williams, all of Sudan.

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Rev. Rankin, pastor of the Amherst First Baptist Church, Judge Otha Dent, and Mrs. Floyd Seymore, council chairman, are shown here at the first annual Friendship Day meeting of the Lamb County Home Demonstration Clubs.

had the district meetings. Here we learned that there are more than 5000 people enrolled at the Short Course, that 2500 people sent for reservations who were turned down, that there are 22 counties in our district (District II) which were represented here, and that these all had a county home demonstration agent present.

Gaines County HD Club Heads Literary Event

The West Side Home Demonstration Club members added a literary twist to their activities when they sponsored a tea and book review on March 25 at the Seminole Community Building. Representatives from all the clubs in the county attended it.

Presenting the review was Mrs. Jack McLaughlin of Lamesa, who reviewed Hollister Noble's "Woman with a Sword".

Mrs. M. E. Rush, of the Busy Bee Club, did outstanding work in gardening in the past year. She canned or froze enough vegetables to supply the family until another garden could be grown.

The Seminole Community recently sponsored a quick-bread and cake show. Miss Ozella Hunt, Denver City, and Miss Ethelda Miller, home demonstration agent from Lamesa, serving as judges, chose Mrs. Shirley Earl as the champion quick-bread maker, and Mrs. K. K. Whitaker as the champion cake maker.

Mrs. W. A. Willis, club member from Seagraves, is justly proud of the work of her daughter, Mary Guinn, has done in 4-H club bedroom improvement, food preparation, food preservation, family health, and dairy foods. Mary Guinn also built an outdoor barbecue pit for the family.

Hart HD Club Organized in 1929

About 1929, a ladies' needle club, called the Progressive Club, met in the home of Mrs. Percy Hart, near Hart, with Lottie Drennan as home demonstration agent, and organized the Hart Home Demonstration Club. It has been active ever since, even in the years when there was no home demonstration agent. Despite the fact that many new members have joined and that many others have quit the club for various reasons, several of the charter members are still quite active. Mrs. Percy Hart and Mrs. T. R. Davis are

March of Dimes Profits From Bake Sale in Terry Co.

On January 31, 1952 the Terry County Home Demonstration Clubs had a bake sale for one hour in cooperation with the State THDA Program for the March of Dimes. A profit of \$111.35 was made. Mrs. Lee Bartlett, County T.H.D.A. Chairman was in charge of all plans.

The Brownfield Junior High Band marched around town and went to the grand stand and played to drum up a trade.



MRS. D. M. TIPPS

THDA chairman of Hockley County is Mrs. D. M. Tipps, of Ropesville. She has been an active club member for 14 years and has been president of the Locketville Club for six years, serving the county council during that time.

two of these.

The Hart club holds a high record of achievement, and their service to the community is extensive. When the Hart community located their cemetery west of town the club purchased and hung a gate at the entrance, doing even the concrete work themselves. They have served many banquets for the 4-H club boys and girls and have sent girls to camps and to special schools. They have sponsored the Boy Scouts and sent a local boy, Stewart Newsom, to the National Jamboree at Valley Forge.

Many club members have gone to district and state THDA meetings and to Short Courses. They have served in several capacities on the County Council, and have taken part in all the work of the Council.

Last December a group of young women organized a club, and the original Hart club became known as the Hart Senior Club, in order to distinguish between the two. This group has a present membership of 22.



BONNIE COX

Bonnie Cox is a graduate of Texas State College for Women, with a bachelor of science degree in home economics. She has been a grade school teacher, a teacher of home economics, a county home demonstration agent, and a district agent.

Miss Cox is a member of the American Home Economics Association, Delta Kappa Gamma, and Epsilon Sigma Phi.

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Early Club Work History Taken From Castro County News

(The following are excerpts from a 1934 Castro County News telling of a short course trip to A. and M. They were submitted by Mrs. Jess Lilley, of the Sunnyside Home Demonstration Club, and were written by Mrs. Cleo Richardson and Grace Maria Bagwell.)

We know that Castro County will be interested in knowing who went so we will list each member's name and what part of the county they were from.

Cleo—Mrs. George Webb
Sunnyside—Mmes. R. E. Duke, Jess Lilley, John McLean

Dimmitt—Mmes. Frank Easter and her daughter, Kathryn, Andrew Elder, and Barber Eubanks.

Bethel—Mrs. Jack Baker, Mrs. Cleo Richardson, and Miss Grace Marie Bagwell

Arney—Miss Helen Morris
County Home Demonstration Agent—Miss Izora Clark

Parmer County—Mrs. Arthur Halley, Mrs. Travis Stone, and Mrs. Caldwell, all of Farwell, Jim Hays, Black, Webb and Claude

Gober, Farwell and Mrs. Reynolds Muleshoe.

July 27, at 1:20 p. m. a big yellow school bus loaded with 25 people and Mr. George Webb as driver left Dimmitt headed for College Station . . .

Soon we were at the edge of the caprock and went down at 4:25 p. m. It was a muddy let-down, but at the bottom we were all safe and still traveling.

Just before reaching Turkey everybody gave a sigh of relief. We were on the pavement. Now let it rain, and it really did . . .

College Station at 12 o'clock (July 29) we stopped in front of the main building. All out for a week's stay.

We went to the registrar's office and got our room assignments and gloried that we were among the first to get there and did not have to be pushed and shoved.

The group parted and went to our different assigned rooms, rested up till late afternoon and all gathered at the flag pole in front of the academic building at 6:30 p. m. for our assignments for class work during the week. At 7 we went to the stadium, the only place on the campus that would seat the entire group of people at the short course, and heard Bishop Clinton and S. Quinn from Houston . . .

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BETHEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts were business visitors in Clovis Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Earl Lust and Lloyd Earl were in Plainview Monday afternoon and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Newt Arms.

Milton Ivor Bagwell spent Monday night with Bill Hunter.

The Bryan Sinclair, Jim Givan, Earl Lust, Billie Brooks Sinclair, and the Fred Walters and am sure many more of the community enjoyed the R.E.A. meeting in Hereford Wednesday.

Mrs. Ira Brown was a Wednesday afternoon caller of Mrs. Ivor Bagwell.

Belva Jean Warren and Patricia Howell were among the eighth graders who enjoyed the banquet Saturday night. Nelda and Sue Bagwell enjoyed in helping serve the banquet.

Lloyd Earl Lust who has had employment in Dallas for the past several weeks is home for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McLean of Floydada spent from Friday until Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Williams and Mr. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Verr Lust were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stiles of Big Square.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Underwood and daughter spent the week end with their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Coughlan of Snyder and also enjoyed some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Youts and Bro. and Mrs. Ray were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell.

Carolyn and Sue Bagwell were Sunday afternoon visitors of Sandra and Nancy Neumayer.

Mrs. Vern Lust had dental work done in Tulla Wednesday, and was a dinner guest in the Joe Finck home.

Mrs. Leland Smith spent most of the week in Amherst hospital, she is suffering from a neurotic condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell were in Amarillo Wednesday on business and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bruce of Amarillo.

Oney Lee Lamb spent Sunday night with Marlene Warren.

Mr. Leland Smith and daughter Elzada were in Plainview Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Thompson of Friona.

Glenn Lust was one of the group of boys of the winning team at Lubbock who with Mr. J. O. Seale, got to go on to College Station for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray McEntire and children of Perryton and Mrs. Duddy Holland of Midland and Mr. Jim Bagwell of Amistad spent the week end with Mrs. Jim Bagwell. The group with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust spent Saturday dressing fryers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell attended the wedding Saturday night of Fayrene Greathouse and Gene Easley.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank our many friends for flowers, food and other kind deeds and thoughts and for the many nice cards. It was sure a help and inspiration while I was in the hospital for my recent surgery. May God's richest blessings be upon all of you.

Mrs. L. H. Lane and family

Mrs. R. B. Boren left Tuesday for a visit with friends at Los Angeles, Calif. She was accompanied by her grandson, Bo Boren of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boren.

Junior Cluck was here last week end from San Antonio for a visit with home folks.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cottonseed, Lockett No. 1. Stormproof 1st year. Cleaned and treated. 1300 bu. \$2.75 per bu. 1 1/2 miles north of Antor, 2 1/2 miles east of Hart Camp. 25-2tp. Reginald Lindsey Star Route Hale Center, Texas

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Will have in this vicinity shortly, the following pianos: one Gulbransen spinet, mahogany, like new; one Lester Betsy Ross spinet, less than one year old, beautiful walnut case; one Wurliitzer Studio, mahogany, 44 inches high; two small uprights, new condition. This is no trick add; the above pianos must be sold at once to retire present obligation against them. Terms to responsible parties. Phone or write Credit Department, McBrayer Piano Company, Box 442, Childress, Texas. Phone 408. 25-3tp

FOR SALE—Large Chifforobe, 5 drawers, hat compartment, large blanket drawer, full length mirror in door. \$15.00. 25-2tp. Mrs. Lloyd Killough

FOR SALE—Used windmill, 10 ft. Challenge, steel wheel and lumber tower. In good shape. Will sell at a bargain. Will Wright 25-3tp

FOR SALE—Early improved Macha cottonseed, delented, graded and germination tested. \$18.00 cwt. 25-3tc. Fred Bruegel

FOR SALE—Frigidaire cook stove. A good one. 25-1tc. Mrs. Louise Kemp

FOR SALE—1941 Z Moline Tractor, four lister planter and cultivator, good rubber. All in good shape. Would trade for cattle. 4 east and 4 north of Olton 23-4tp Marcus Breland

FOR SALE—At a bargain. One 5-room house with bath. On good terms. See J. D. Williamson Northwest of Dimmitt 17-tfc

FOR SALE—Used Refrigerators, all sizes, makes and models, electric or gas. These can be bought cheap. 10-tfc Hays Implement Co.

FOR SALE—1951 Ferguson Tractor, slightly used. Can be seen at Springlake Motor Supply. 26-4tp R. L. Haydon

FOR SALE—New Farmalls and equipment; C. John Deeres and equipment; UTU Minneapolis Moline Tractors and equipment. Can make delivery at good prices. Square Deal Implement Co. Hale Center, Texas, Phone 5111 19-6tp.

FOR SALE—1st year from white sack Macha cotton seed. Recleaned and treated. \$2.50 per bu. 20-7tp. Rube Stinson 4 miles South, 1 East Springlake

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FOR SALE—Cadillac Irrigation motor. Butane equipped. A-1 condition. Priced at \$350.00. 21-8tp T. R. Newton Phone 12. Dimmitt, Texas

FOR SALE—1945 Model M Farmall, 4-row lister and planter. James Burnam 24-tfc Dimmitt, Texas

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FOR SALE—Northern Star cottonseed. First year from registered seed. \$2.50 per bu. or \$150.00 per ton lots. 22-5p. A. & E. Farms 1/2 mile east of Dimmitt

FOR SALE—Several Good used Butane Gas Ranges. 3-tfc Blanton Butane, Inc.

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FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. Apply at tfc-21 Cooper Implement Co.

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FLAGG NEWS

Mrs. Jess Birchfield visited her mother, Mrs. Gatewood in Hereford Wednesday.

Mrs. Earl Lust and Mrs. James Bradford visited Mrs. Glen Stiles in Big Square Thursday afternoon.

Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford were Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Griffin, Jerral and Merle, Mr. and Mrs. Bitt Rush, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boswell and Arlene all of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis and Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford, Bob and Jack. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Griffin remained for a week end visit in the Bradford home.

Mrs. Clyde Dameron and Mrs. Harold Dameron and Jearmie visited Mrs. Wade English Sunday afternoon.

The Flagg H. D. Club will have an all day meeting in the home of Mrs. Ernest Jones Thursday, May 8.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boswell and Arlene spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Easterwood visited her sister in Dalhart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cook went

to Sudar Saturday for baby chicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Teague were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mapes Sunday.

Albert Sykes and Dean Wood of Bellflower, Calif. visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bessemer Wednesday night. Albert Sykes is a brother of Mrs. Bessemer. Albert and Dean have recently returned from Korea.

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TOMATO JUICE Libby, 46 oz can	25c
TREND Giant Box	39c
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Pictured above is Mrs. J. O. Seale and her two little sons, David Lee and Jerral Orris. Mrs. Seale is a former Castro County Home Demonstration Agent, having served in that capacity for two and a half years prior to the summer of 1949. Prior to coming to Dimmitt she taught school at New Deal for one year and later held a position in the Farm Security office at Littlefield. Mrs. Seale was reared at Lela, near Shamrock, and graduated from the Hartley High School. She received her degree in Home Economics at West Texas State College at Canyon.

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MRS. HUBERT MAYFIELD

The Progressive Home Demonstration Club, Hart, was organized in November, 1951, and held its first meeting in January. It began with 12 members and has now increased its membership to 20.

The officers of the club include Mrs. Hubert Mayfield, president; Mrs. Neil Wall, vice president; Mrs. C. Ray Jones, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Jr., council delegate, and Mrs. Doyle Davis, reporter.

Thus far the club has studied five projects, closets and storage rooms, landscaping yards, refinishing furniture, sewing with nylon, and good grooming. They are especially grateful to Mrs. Robin Vann who helped them to organize and to study their projects.

Carrie Chapman Catt was a leader in the campaign that led to the adoption of the 19th Amendment to the Federal Constitution, which granted suffrage to women on equal terms with men.



MRS. DIAN REED
Home Demonstration Agent
Bailey County



MISS GRAHAM HARD
Home Demonstration Agent
Lynn County

FRIO NEWS

Visiting the W. O. Wilsons on Thursday night were Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. J. H. Denson, and Mr. Denson of Anton. On Sunday Mrs. J. M. Barton, mother of Mrs. Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Twilley of Anton visited the Wilsons. Mrs. Twilley is a sister of Rev. Wilson.

Leonard Schmidt and Clark Andrews were visiting Leonard's folks, the D. P. Schmidts, at Clinton, Okla. and attending to business in Oklahoma City on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Irwin and small sons visited her father, Lee Dowdy at the hospital at Purcell, Okla., and other relatives in the vicinity during the week end.

Taking Sunday dinner in the Mobley home were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dobbs and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cole and children, and Joe Ed Andrews.

The Lindleys, Bush and Elza Warrick families visited her father, Greeson home at Black Sunday afternoon, where they enjoyed a fish fry. Mr. Greeson recently returned from a fishing trip to Tishomingo, Okla.

Mrs. H. M. Mobley spent Friday with Mrs. H. D. Robbins.

The Robins are remodeling their home by adding a living room on the east, after tearing off the old screened porch. A new concrete porch is being built.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Irwin visited the Odom brothers south of Dimmitt on Sunday afternoon.

A party for junior and primary aged children was enjoyed at the W. H. Thompson home Saturday night. Those present were Doyle Johnson, Larry Dobbs, Dolores Andrews, Winnie Jo Irwin, Mary

Lou, Jimmy and Don Riley, Norma Rhodes, Nelda Mae, Billie Jean and Doris Barnett, Velma Irwin, Clark Dobbs, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Johnson and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Andrews, Miss Alma Andrews, Tommie, Bonnie and Barbara Sparkman visited in the Charles King home in Amarillo Sunday.

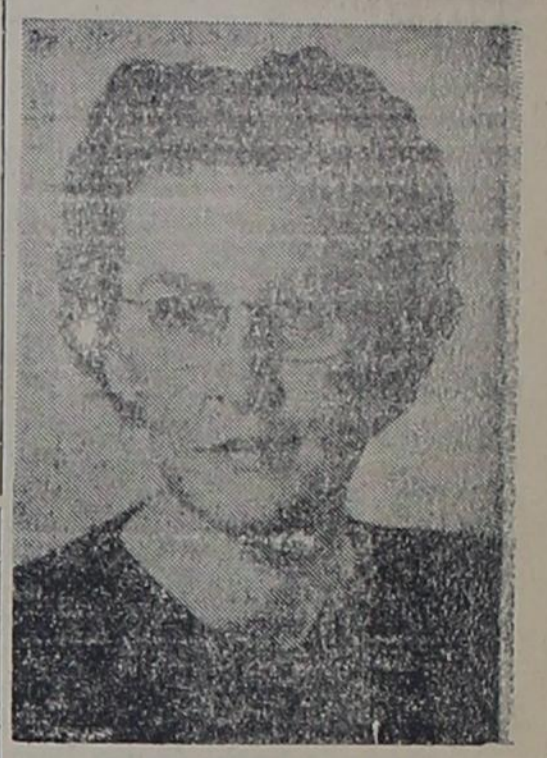
Veradelle Andrews spent Thursday night with Virginia Brock in Hereford after both attended the freshman party at the JC park early in the evening.

Mrs. Charles Heck, Nazareth, Bulids Frame Garden

Known throughout the county for her gardening ability, Mrs. Charles Heck, of Nazareth, this year built a frame garden which enables her to raise fresh vegetables during the winter and to protect her beautiful tulips, hyacinths, and Dutch irises from the strong spring winds.

At first Mrs. Heck made her frame gardens of old window frames, but has now built a 15x20 foot steel frame, covered by a window which slides into place. She plants seeds in it in the early spring for transplanting to the garden later. The plants include such vegetables as cabbage, tomatoes, and celery.

In late fall she plants lettuce, endive, and other leafy vegetables in the frame and her family is able to enjoy them all winter. The frame and the window which covers it are enough protection, Mrs. Heck says, except on very cold days, when she throws a canvas over the garden to prevent freezing.



MAURINE HEARN

Maurine Hearn, state home demonstration agent, has a record of vast experience in a number of fields. She was county home demonstration agent, a specialist in home industries, and a district agent, prior to her job as vice-director for women and state home demonstration agent.

Miss Hearn holds a bachelor's degree in home economics from Mary Hardin-Baylor College. She is a member of the American and Texas Home Economics Associations, of the Texas Agricultural Workers Association, Epsilon Sigma Phi, and the Texas Mental Hygiene Association.

John L. Sullivan fought seventy-five rounds with Jake Kilrain in 1889, in the last of the bare-knuckle championship fights.

The Victory Bell at Annapolis is rung only on the occasion of a navy victory over the army, in football.

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One of the many things done by the Hart Senior Home Demonstration Club was to build outdoor fireplaces. Here Miss Leila Petty, Home Demonstration Agent, is seen helping members build a simple fireplace.

Flagg HD Club Organized in 1929

The Flagg Home Demonstration Club was organized in 1929, under the guidance of Miss Drennen, county agent. Mrs. McEntire was the first president, and other charter members were Mrs. Ernest Jones, Mrs. Clyde Damron,

Mrs. Sid Sheffy, Mrs. Will Senter, Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. J. Adams, Mrs. Elzie Teague, and Mrs. Horace Ballew. Charter members remember their first demonstration as being cheese making, because Mrs. Ballew, cheese demonstrator, had prepared enough cheese to serve at an all-day meeting when a storm came up and blew the cheese away.

In the December, 1940 "Extensioner" an article about the Flagg community credits much of the progress of the community to the work of the ladies of the club.

Shortly after the club was organized its members began to make mattresses, and made a total of 11 of them.

The Big Square Home Demonstration Club was organized in the summer of 1950. The first officers included Mrs. Irvin Ott, president, Mrs. Lon Booth, vice-president, and Mrs. Ruth Stephenson, secretary-treasurer. Though the membership was very small, the club had taken part in a number of interesting projects, the first of them being the making of leather gloves.

The roll of members now includes ten active members. Mrs. Irvin Ott is serving as county THDA chairman, and Mrs. Marvin Sanders is council chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shive and family. Mrs. Shive is a daughter of the Beardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Douglas of Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ramey of Dimmitt visited the Fred Hamms on Friday.

Misses Edith St John of Mobeetie and Eva Copeland of Fresno, Calif. were week end guests of Misses Opal Ray and Erma Hacker. All the young ladies are students at Wayland College.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Shive and Joyce spent the week end visiting the Bill Lacy family near Ft. Towson, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hart spent Sunday visiting her mother and other relatives in Lockney. Her brother Leonard Livesay of San Diego, Calif. was also in Lockney.

Roy Cluck, Jr. arrived on Saturday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cluck. He was being transferred from San Antonio to Sheppard Air Force Base at Wichita Falls. Jimmie Cluck of Texas Tech was also home for the week end.

Messrs and Mesdames T. B. Cox, J. P. Armstrong and Jim Height, Messrs R. A. Futrell, Sonny Armstrong, and Frank Bauman attended funeral services for Jess Slade in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Cox of Santa Rosa, New Mex and Mr. and Mrs. Marlir Cox and Elton of Hobbs, New Mex were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox received word on Saturday that Rev. Virgil Lemons had passed away suddenly in Wichita Falls on Friday afternoon May 2 while enroute from his home there to a hospital. Mrs. Lemons is a cousin of T. B. Cox. Beside the Cox families a host of friends attended funeral services in Plainview on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in the First Baptist Church in Plainview. Rev. and Mrs. Lemons lived at Hart for several years and he was pastor of the local church and of nearby churches in Castro and Hale Counties. Many, many old friends will mourn his passing.

Mrs. M. F. Sanders returned on Sunday from a visit to relatives near San Francisco, Calif. Joe Percy Hart and John Brid-

ges were in Erid, Okla on Tuesday in the interest of purchasing fine breeding stock.

Hart received 1/4 in. rain on Monday night.

Mr. Charley Ewers and relatives visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Phillips on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rice and J. M. Scott were in Littlefield on business on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Scott have returned from a week's trip to their ranch in New Mexico.

Hart, which is located in the southeastern part of the county of Castro welcomes all T.H.D.A. delegates and visitors to our county for the District Meeting on Wednesday—today.

Guardianship of Mark Smith, Non Compos Mentis No. 220

In County Court of Castro County, Texas

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE MARK SMITH, OR HIS ESTATE:

You are notified that I have on the 5th day of May, 1952, filed with the County Clerk of Castro County, Texas, an application, under oath, for authority to make oil, gas or mineral lease upon that certain real estate belonging to such ward, described as follows: An undivided one third of one half interest in the minerals in and to the South one half of John Early Survey No. 39, Abstract No. 1332 and the South one half of John Early Survey No. 38, Abstract No. 192, except the North one half of the South one half and the East 20 acres of the South-west 80 acres, and except the South 40 acres of the Southeast 80 acres, all in Throckmorton County, Texas.

That Robert Estes, County Judge of Castro County, Texas, on the 5th day of May, 1952, duly entered his order, designating the 19th day of May, 1952, at 10:00 a. m. in the county court room in the court house of such county as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

s/ Maurine Bice
Guardian of Mark Smith, Non Compos Mentis



MRS. J. E. MILLS

Mrs. J. E. Mills, of Centerville, is vice-president of District X. Serving her second year in that office, Mrs. Mills has attended all board meetings since her election as vice-president. At the silver anniversary meeting of THDA at A. and M. she, as vice-president of the hostess district, gave the welcome address.

In club work since 1928 she has been a demonstrator in home improvement, home food supply, clothing, and landscaping. She has served in all of the offices of her own club, and was sponsor of the Slocum and Centerville 4-H girls' clubs, and THDA chairman of Leot County.

Mrs. Mills has one daughter, who is a home economics teacher, in Humble, and is thus continuing the family interest in home-making.

Despite her activity in home demonstration club work, Mrs. Mills is secretary of the Centerville WMU society. She attends church services regularly, and sings in the choir.

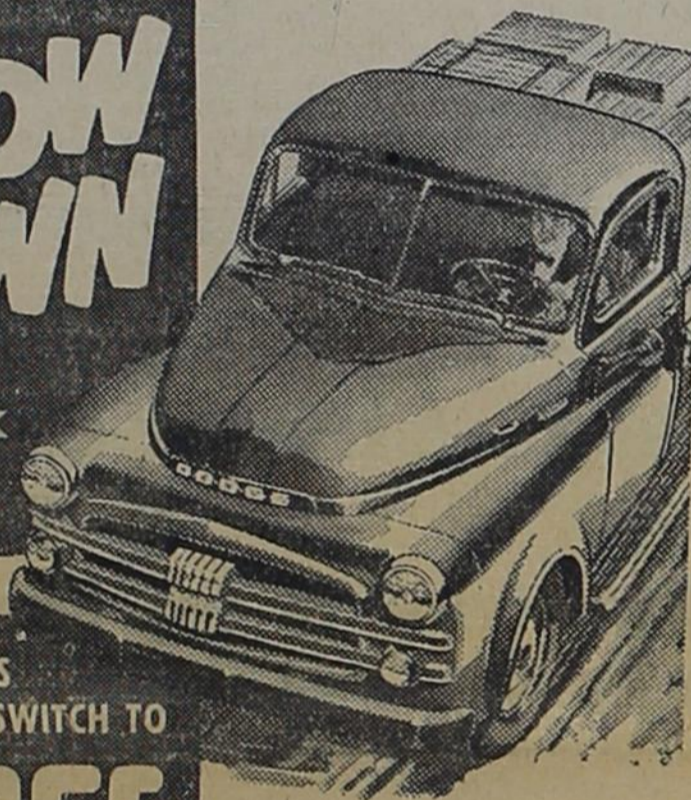
HART NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ray and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ray and sons spent Sunday in Panhandle visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Pancho Lacy and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Bearden are in Chamberlain, S. D. visiting

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Dawson County Commissioners Honored by Council

Dawson County Home Demonstration Council honored the county judge and commissioners on November 12, at the Park Terrace Dining Room. The special guests, introduced by Mrs. Walter Koemel, council vice-chairman, were Commissioners E. G. Murphy, W. T. Snellgrove, Alton Addison, and Cecil O'Brien; Judge R. W. (Buster) Herndon; Lee Roy Colgan, county agricultural agent; and Geraldine Cherry, extension

secretary. Reporting on home demonstration work in the county, Mrs. Lynn Corbin, McCaraty Home Demonstration Club spoke on the THDA; Mrs. L. B. Jones, Punkin Center, spoke about barbecue pits and lawn chairs constructed by members; Mrs. Harold Preston spoke about aluminum trays; and Mrs. P. V. Ryan told of the crafts design workshop which she attended with Mrs. Edi Parker, at Tech, and of the craft design projects in the county. Miss Ethelda Miller, county home demonstration agent, reviewed the cotton style show and mentioned other phases of extension work achieved in the county. The invocation was by Rev.

William Anderson, pastor of St. Paul's American Lutheran Church. Bronze and yellow baby chrysanthemums and frost-bitten oak leaves lined the center of the U-shaped luncheon table. In the middle of this decoration was a centerpiece of bronze chrysanthemums, miniature cattails, and oak leaves. The Dawson County Home Demonstration Clubs are staging a minstrel show entitled "Cotton Cuties", during the first part of May. The proceeds from the project are to be used as a nest-egg for a building fund for a club house. The show will be presented in five different schools in the county.



The Busy Bee Club met recently to study the county budget. Judge Arzie Kirk, Gaines County Judge, met with them. After the discussion of the budget several members gave demonstrations of first aid techniques. Judge Kirk commended the group on the fine job they are doing in their community.

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Representatives from the different clubs, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Welton Blair of the McCarty Club, will solicit advertisements from the merchants of Lamesa and neighboring communities. The advertisements will be used to defray the expense of having the programs printed.

During the week of May 12-17 Dawson County will again observe National Cotton Week. The work of home demonstration and 4-H clubs plays a big part in the success of the affair. Store windows in Lamesa will feature exhibits showing the various uses for cotton. These exhibits will be set up by the home demonstration clubs of the county. The Cotton Style Show will be held on Tuesday night, May 13. This show will feature about 150 models, among them home demonstration club and 4-H club members, who will model cotton garments.

A coffee was held in the home of Mrs. P. Y. Ryan, Jr., on April 9, to welcome all the newcomers of Lamesa and Dawson County. Mrs. Ryan, council chairman; Mrs. M. G. Riggan, council secretary; and Mrs. E. N. Felts, council treasurer, formed the receiving line.

The table was covered with a handmade ecru dinner cloth, and the silver service was Frances I sterling. The centerpiece included an arrangement of jonquils and mums, with an Easter bunny carrying out the Easter motif.

Despite an unusually bad sand storm 35 newcomers and club members were present.

Countywide Tea And Book Review In Lubbock County

A book review and tea on April 30 was sponsored on a county-

wide scale in observance on National Home Demonstration Club Week. Mrs. Howard Alford, of the South West Home Demonstration Club, reviewed "The President's Lady" by Irving Stone. Becton and Carlisle Home Demonstration Clubs contributed \$45 to the March of Dimes Drive in January. Seven other clubs gave small amounts.

Several clubs recently had special meetings and invited prospective members. Shallowater, where the first club in the state was organized, honored five charter members. This club was organized February 6, 1918. Misses Mamie and Katie Bell Crump; Mrs. B. E. Needles of Lubbock; and Mrs. Henry Mahoney and Mrs. A. C. Wright, of Shallowater, were the charter members who were present.

Hurlwood, Good Neighbor, New Deal, and Caldwell clubs sponsored freezing demonstrations given by Mrs. Evelyn Altman, home economist from the International-Harvester Company, on April 22, 23, and 24. During the demonstrations several meals from the freezer were prepared and food was packaged for freezing. The demonstration was held for all the club members in the county.

Mrs. Glenn Woody, chairman of Nursing Services with the Lubbock Red Cross, gave a training meeting to the health leaders from the 21 home demonstration clubs in the county. She taught them to bathe a patient in bed and to make a bed with a patient in it. The health leaders will give

the same demonstration to their own clubs in May.

Each club in the county is contributing a book on the reading list to the home demonstration library. The Council is spending \$100 for home economics books for the library. The most recent acquisition is "Nutrition and Alcoholism" by Roger J. Williams.

The recreation chairmen of the clubs in the county pooled their favorite games, which were then mimeographed by the recreation committee of the County Council, and were returned to each recreation leader for use in club meetings.

Each club in the county has selected a civic project, through the work of the good neighbor committees. Four clubs have adopted patients in the State Hospital at Abilene. Several clubs are working with Milam Orphans' Home, and several clubs are working to bring cheer to people in the Old Folks' Home. Some other clubs are working with the 4-H clubs in their communities.

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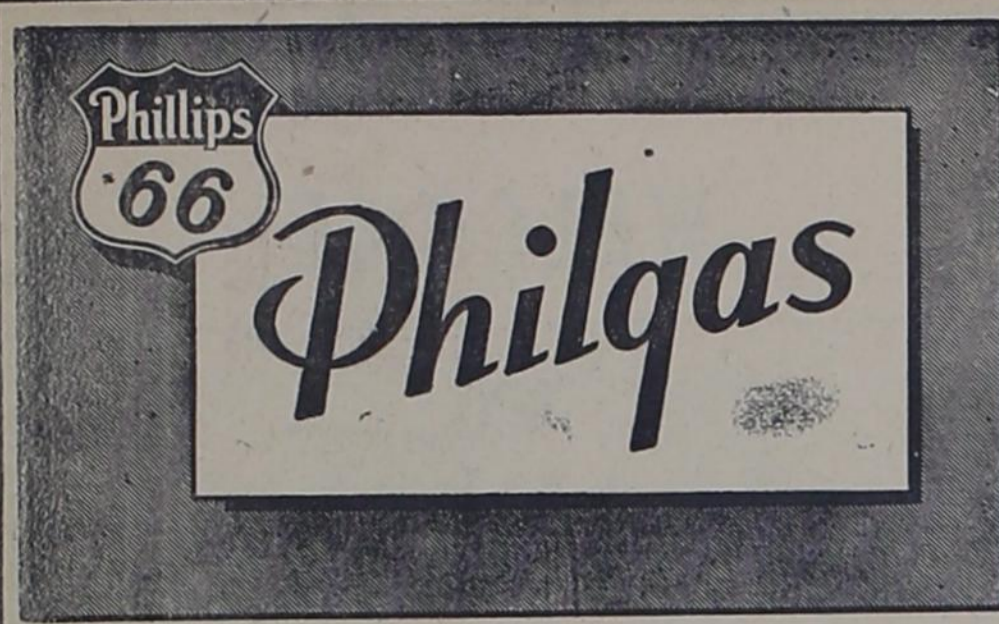
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Mrs. Virgil Zeman, of Abernathy, formerly Mary Catherine Couch, was Castro County Home Demonstration Agent for several years before her marriage in 1941. After her marriage, she taught school in Hale Center and was County Home Demonstration Agent in Lamar County for a while during the time her husband was overseas.

When her husband returned to the States and was stationed near Livermore, Cal., Mrs. Zeman worked for the Livermore Chamber of Commerce. He was sent overseas again and she came back to Texas to work as County Agent in Wheeler County. After his discharge from the Seabees, they made their home in Abernathy.

Mrs. Zeman is busy doing her house-work and her garden work, and is project chairman for the new Abernathy Public Library, begun this year by her study club.



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Lamb County



MRS. AUBREY RUSSELL

Mrs. Aubrey W. Russell, district agent of District II, with her headquarter in Lubbock, has been working as agent of this district since July, 1951. She was born in Johnson County, near Burleson, and grew up on a farm there. She attended Burleson High School, but because of its lack of affiliation, transferred to Paschal High School in Fort Worth, for the last year of her high school work. She recalls the long, cold sixteen-mile ride to and from Fort Worth each day in her brother's model T, and considers the school children who now ride in heated cars as being exceptionally lucky.

Aubrey stayed out of school a year after she finished high school, and then enrolled at the College of Industrial Arts, in Denton (now Texas State College for Women) to major in home economics. After two years of college work she taught the primary grades in a two-teacher school at Egan, and went back to Denton for summer schools. At Egart she met Clifton Russell, and finished her work toward her college degree after her marriage to him.

Mrs. Russell's first job as a teacher of home economics was at Ferriss. There her husband died, and she found the need for a job that kept her even busier than her teaching job did. That job proved to be a position as Farm Security Administration Assistant Supervisor in Bonham. Because of her interest in home demonstration work and her admiration for several home demonstration agents she had known, she determined to enter that field of work.

Her first job as a county agent was in Cottle County, where only two clubs were still active, as there had been no county agent for some time. In a short time she formed ten women's clubs and six girls clubs. Her next stop was Hunt County, though she considers her job there more "go" than "stop". The county had 32 women's clubs when she came there, and this number soon grew to 34. Mrs. Russell's assistant worked with the 18 girls' clubs in the county. The qualities of leadership which these women and girls developed in their club work seemed to their county agent particularly noteworthy.

From there, Mrs. Russell came to Lubbock, where she finds the club women of District II active and consequently progressive, both in their club work and in leadership in the community. She feels that their homes will be homes which will "build tomorrow's world".

complete pantry and foods she prepared for it. Mrs. Givans was a consistent winner in sewing demonstration. Foundation patterns were made for all who wanted them.

Mrs. J. C. Williams made the frame garden for Bethel club. This type of gardening was originated while Izora Clark worked in this county. She is now Mrs. J. F. Mathews of Dawn.

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EARNESTINE GARY
Home Demonstration Agent
Swisher County

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Britten and Aloise, of Groom, were visitors in Nazareth over the last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Backus, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bonds and family, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Backus.

Visitors in the Andrew Acker home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dick and children, and Mrs. Eva Dick, all of Portales, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Guggemos, of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoffmann, of Hereford, were recent visitors in the home of Loretta Guggemos.

BETHEL CLUB

One of the first clubs organized in Castro County was in the Bethel community. Some of these original members who still live in the county are Mesdames Kay Roberts, Earl Lust, J. C. Williams, Vern Lust, Jim Givans, George Bagwell, Leland Smith, Jim Bagwell, Ina Davis (Mrs. Cleo Richardson of Big Spring) and Mrs. Homer Terrel of Tullia.

The use of the pressure cooker in canning corn and meat was one of the first projects in demonstration work here. In November of 1937 a county wide demonstration on bedroom improvement was held at Mrs. Kay Roberts' home. There she showed her refinished bed, dresser and night stand. Then she hand made quilts, mattress protector, drapes and tufted bedspread. Mrs. Roberts still has and uses the pantry in her basement she demonstrated in 1937. Mrs. Jim Givans also demonstrated a

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president, in charge. Clergy present for the meeting included the Most Rev. Lawrence J. FitzSimon, and Fathers F. M. Kaminski, Pep, and Peter Morsch, Nazareth, F. M. Higgins, Littlefield, J. Arnold Carlson, Canyon, and William Blakeslee, Lubbock.

An address on the DCCW theme, "World Peace—the Responsibility of Women" was given by Father Blakeslee. The delegation from Plainview presented a round-table discussion on the

responsibility of the woman, in the home, school, and nation.

Diocesan president, Mrs. J. W. Gorman, Jr., spoke to the group, offering various recommendations and expressing her satisfaction at the work of the Lubbock district. His Excellency, Bishop FitzSimon, chose the last word in the DCCW theme for the subject of his address to the assembly.

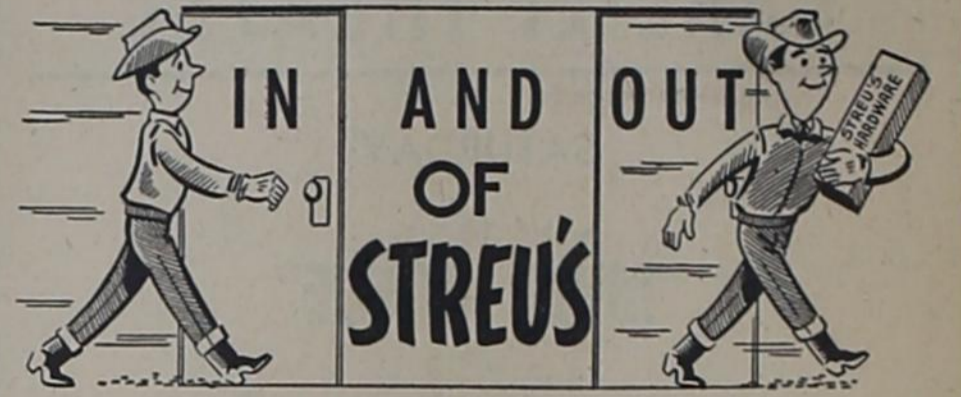
District officers elected for the coming year include Mrs. Tom Anen, Nazareth, president, Mrs. Jack McGarr, vice-president, Mrs. Leo Weil, Plainview, secretary, and Mrs. William Hochstein, Sr., Nazareth, parliamentarian.

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Mrs. S. J. Latta Is Floyd County THDA Chairman



MRS. S. J. LATTA

Mrs. S. J. Latta, of Floyd County, has been serving as county THDA chairman for the past two years. Despite the fact that this is a comparatively new job in the THDA, Mrs. Latta has served well in this office, which has many duties and responsibilities.

Mrs. Latta has served in all the offices of the Sunnyside Home Demonstration Club, as well as being landscape, clothing, and

food leader at various times. She has been chairman of the Floyd County Council and has served in all the offices of the council. She has been a member of the Home Demonstration Club for 22 years. This experience has made Mrs. Latta an efficient county chairman in the THDA. At the present time Mrs. Latta is an adult leader for the county-wide 4-H Club, of Floyd County, of which her daughter, Alice, is a member. This club is made up of boys and girls in high school, and high school graduates.

Mrs. Latta is her county's 1952 nominee for Soil Conservation Home-maker of the year.

Mrs. C. A. Caffee To Represent Dougherty HD Club

Mrs. C. A. Caffee, president of the Dougherty Home Demonstration Club, was elected to serve as Floyd THDA Chairman for the next two years. Mrs. Caffee will assume the duties of her office immediately after the state THDA meeting this year. She is a delegate to the district THDA meeting at Dimmitt May 7.

Mrs. Caffee was president of the Antelope Home Demonstration Club a number of years ago and is serving her second year as president of the Dougherty Club. She was Council Chairman in 1932. In 1939-1940 she was vice-president for District II of the Texas Home Demonstration As-



Evidence of the wide scope of home demonstration club interests is the class on home care of the sick, taught in Howard County club women by Miss Beulah Miles, Red Cross instructor. Above (left to right) are Mrs. Leslie Barr, Mrs. L. C. Matthies, Mrs. Mirl Springfield, and Miss Miles. The fourteen women who took the course were trained as instructors and were authorized to teach the Red Cross course to others. To date over 19 women have been trained by these instructors, and there are plans for further classes to be held soon.

Uvalde Woman Is Vice-President Of District XI



MRS. O. C. HENDERSON

District vice-president of District XI is Mrs. O. C. Henderson, of Uvalde. She has been an active home demonstration club member for fifteen years, serving her club in all of its different offices, and she has worked as a member and as chairman of a number of standing committees.

Maryland was settled by the Catholics; Pennsylvania by the Quakers; New York by the Wallons, Georgia by the English debtors, and Virginia by the Cavaliers.

Princeton's mascot is a tiger.



MRS. C. A. CAFFEE

On the county level she served as council chairman, council vice-president, parliamentarian, secretary, THDA chairman, and as a member of several standing committees.

Borden County Last To Organize HD Clubs in District

The newest county to organize home demonstration work in District 2 is Borden County down in the southeast corner of the District. And during the past six months they have gotten off to a good start with more than 100 women enrolled in 6 adult clubs.

The work was started in November, 1951, with Mrs. Edith W. Hughes, as the first county home demonstration agent for the county.

In February, 1952, club presi-

dents and delegates from these six clubs met with the county home demonstration agent at Gail to set up the program for the year. A county council was organized and officers for the council were elected. A yearbook committee was appointed, and immediately they began work on the year's program. The year-

books were printed and are now in the hands of the club members. Major demonstrations have been selected and club women are busy with these activities.

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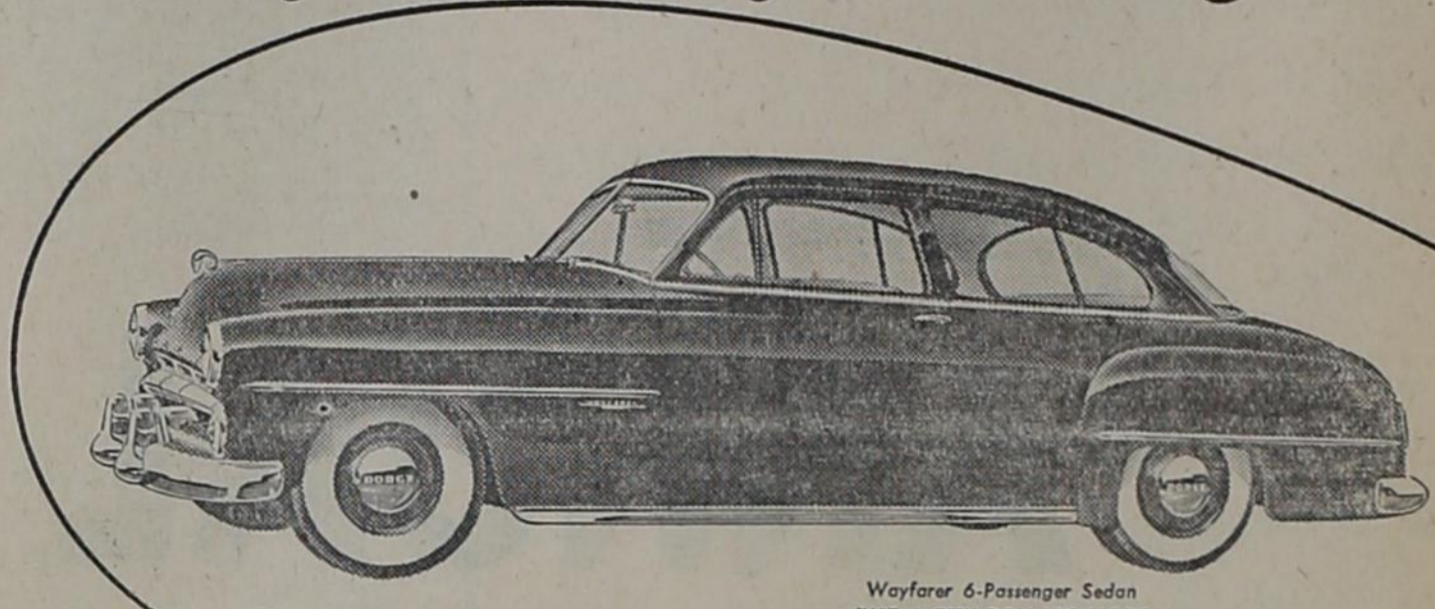
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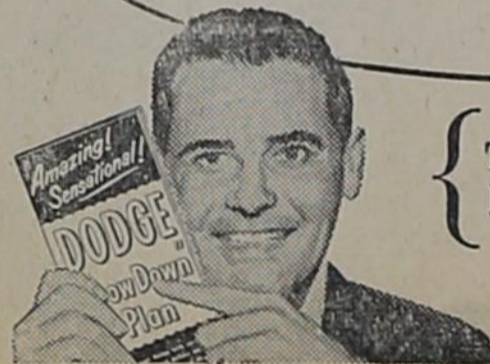
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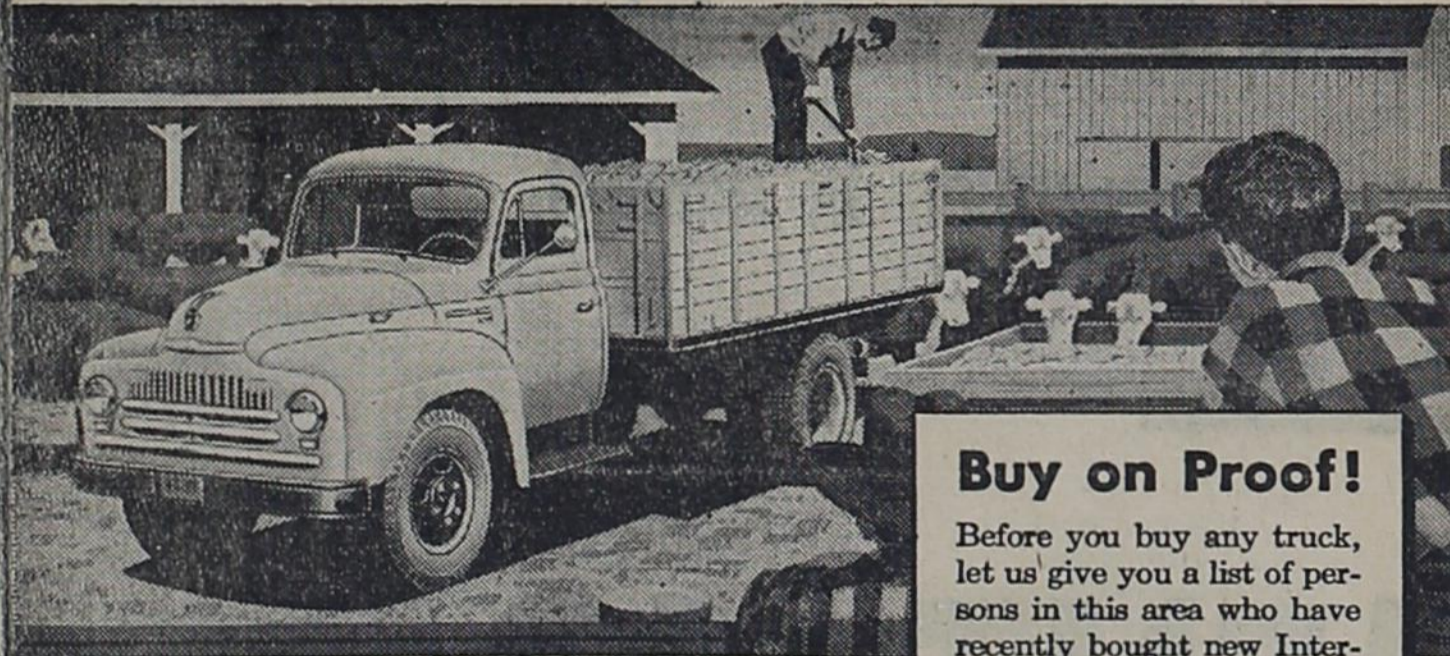
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Terry County HD Work Organized In 1940; Carries on Successful Programs

Home Demonstration work was organized for the first time in Terry County in June 1940, as the result of the efforts of a group of interested women who had for several years been trying to convince their husbands and neighbors of the worth of the extension service for women and girls. At various times during this period specialist from College Station held county-wide demonstrations which stimulated interest. Mrs. Lida Cooper, district agent at that time, met with the women and Commissioner's Court several times, and club women from adjoining counties told of home demonstration accomplishments in their own counties. Also Mr. W. N. McClain, county agricultural agent at that

time, and the County Land Use Planning Committee did much to get the work started. In April, 1949, the Commissioner's Court called a meeting of all those interested in home demonstration work. About 150 women were present and at the close of the meeting when the question was asked, "How many of you still feel the county can afford and should have a home demonstration agent?" all those present voted for it. The court agreed to hire an agent on a six months trial with the condition that if the work proved worthwhile it would be allowed to remain. At the suggestion of the district agent, six groups organized and elected temporary officers prior to the coming of the home

demonstration agent. These were the outgrowth of community quilting clubs.

The county home demonstration council was organized June 29, 1940. Then clubs were represented. They were Harmony, Johnson, Lahey, Pleasant Valley, Pool, Scudday, Tokio, Union, Wellman, Gomez, and Foster.



DORIS E. MAHAFFEY
H. D. Agent

The Meadow Club was organized in January, 1941, and the Willow Wells Club in June of the same year. However, the Willow Wells Club did not meet regularly until it was reorganized in the spring of 1947. The Needmore Home Demonstration Club was organized in May, 1947. There are 8 clubs in the county at the present time, with a total of 147 members.

The clubs and presidents are: Gomez, Mrs. Alvin Herron; Harmony, Mrs. Loyce Floyd; Johnson, Mrs. M. C. Wade; Meadow-Challis, Mrs. W. J. Moss; Needmore, Mrs. J. W. Smith; Pool, Mrs. J. M. Trussell; Union, Mrs. Frank Sargent; Willow Wells, Miss Betty Kinney.

The first home demonstration agent in the county was Mareta Holloway who came in June, 1940. She resigned in August, 1941. She was followed by Dorothy Faye Glanton who was here til September, 1943. Then Mozelle Reast was agent til the fall of 1945. Helen Dunlap was agent from December, 1945, til August, 1951. Doris Mahaffey, who is the agent at this time, came in September, 1951.

Each year the home demonstration clubs work on two main demonstrations. Each demonstration is usually a three year program. In addition to these demonstrations, the clubs have several pro-

grams each year on special interest subjects. Usually a craft is included each year.

Since home demonstration work began in this county some of the demonstrations that have been worked on are poultry, clothing, dairy improvement, production of home food supply, and practically every phase of home improvement. Tailoring was a special interest program in 1949, and sponge cake cakes for high altitudes was a special interest feature in 1951 and 1952.

The present council officers are: Mrs. Billie Sears, chairman; Mrs. Lee Bartlett, vice-chairman; Mrs. Ralph Murry, secretary; Mrs. Frank Sargent, treasurer; and Mrs. A. J. Bell, reporter.

This year the home demonstration club women in Terry County have as their main demonstrations home food production and clothing construction and home food production. The home food production program this year consists mainly of the production, preservation and use of tomatoes. It is the third and final year for this program. This is the first year in a three year clothing construction program. The last programs on simple dress making will be given in May. A style show featuring dresses the women have made will climax the program in June. Next year more dress making details and advanced dress making will be the highlights of the program.

As a part of the celebration of National Home Demonstration Week, the Terry County Home Demonstration Council entertained the County Judge and the County Commissioners with a dinner on May 1, at the Seleta Jane Brownfield Club House. This is an annual affair at which the home demonstration women inform the Commissioners Court of the work being carried on in the county.

Home demonstration club women of this county will attend the district Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting at Dimmitt on May 7. The official delegates are Mrs. Lee Bartlett, Mrs. O. D. Kennedy, and Mrs. Alfred Tittle.

Mrs. Ruth Daniel Heads Floyd Co. HD Club Council



MRS. RUTH DANIEL

Mrs. Ruth Daniel, of Dougherty, is the chairman of the Floyd County Home Demonstration Council. The Council has an enrollment of 35 members who represent a membership of approximately 350 in the sixteen Home Demonstration Clubs in the county. The adult leaders 4-H committee in the council represent 12 girls' 4-H clubs and one joint girls' and boys' club with a membership of 300 4-H club girls.

Mrs. Daniel is serving her second year as Council Chairman. She has been president of the Dougherty Home Demonstration Club. She is a former 4-H club

Borden County Club Cites Method of Raising Needed Funds

Members of the Murphy home demonstration club in Borden County are certainly versatile when it comes to raising money. First they decided to raise money to buy books for the school library. To do this they sponsored a pie supper and made more than one hundred dollars. Then they remembered they hadn't provided for money for their yearbooks so they had to think up another money-making scheme. This time the activity was within their own club meeting without the benefit of outside help.

Each club member brought items from home that were of no further use to her, and they held an auction sale. Mrs. Edd Murphy was the auctioneer, and she had as much fun as the women who were buying. Old skillets brought 10c each. The home demonstration agent bought a food chopper, that would chop only soft foods, for 25c. Mrs. Sorrells bought back some of the items she had contributed because she decided she would like to keep them after all. At the end of the sale the money was counted, and more than seventeen dollars was on hand. This was just about twice

member and was elected state secretary of the 4-H club boys and girls at the Short Course at A. & M. College in 1930. She recalls with regret that she wasn't secretary the year before when Dair Thornton, now governor of Colorado, was the president of the state 4-H organization. Mrs. Daniel's daughter, Julia Ann, is now a 4-H club member at Dougherty, and her son, Bill, is waiting until he is old enough to join the 4-H club there.

In addition to taking care of her children, attending council and the Home Demonstration Club at Dougherty, Mrs. Daniel attends church and is a teacher of the young people's class in her Sunday School. She also drives the school bus for the Dougherty School.

the amount needed for the year-books so the surplus can be saved for future expenditures.

Funds Available For New GI Loans

President Truman recently signed a bill which becomes Public Law 325 making available an additional \$125 million for direct loans to veterans where private investment capital is not available.

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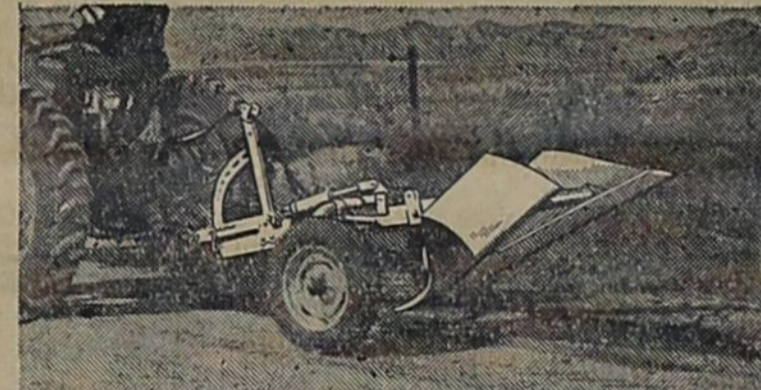


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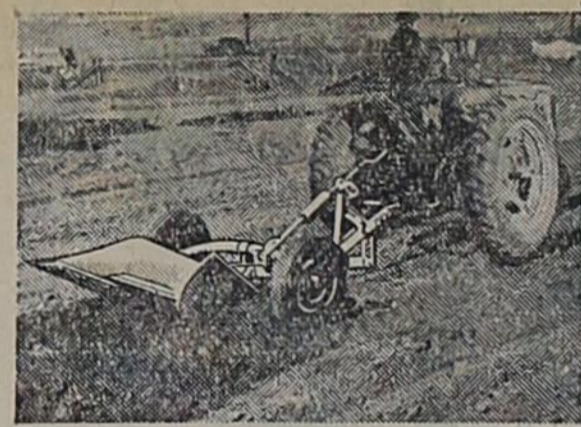
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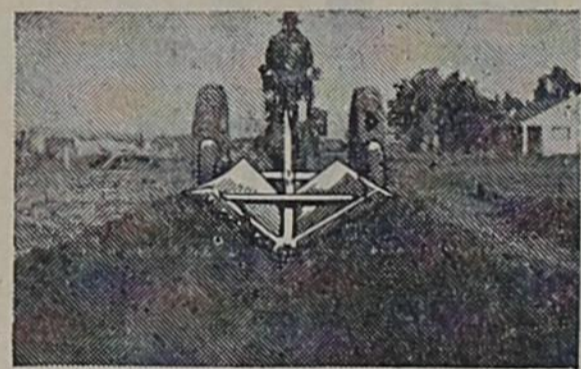


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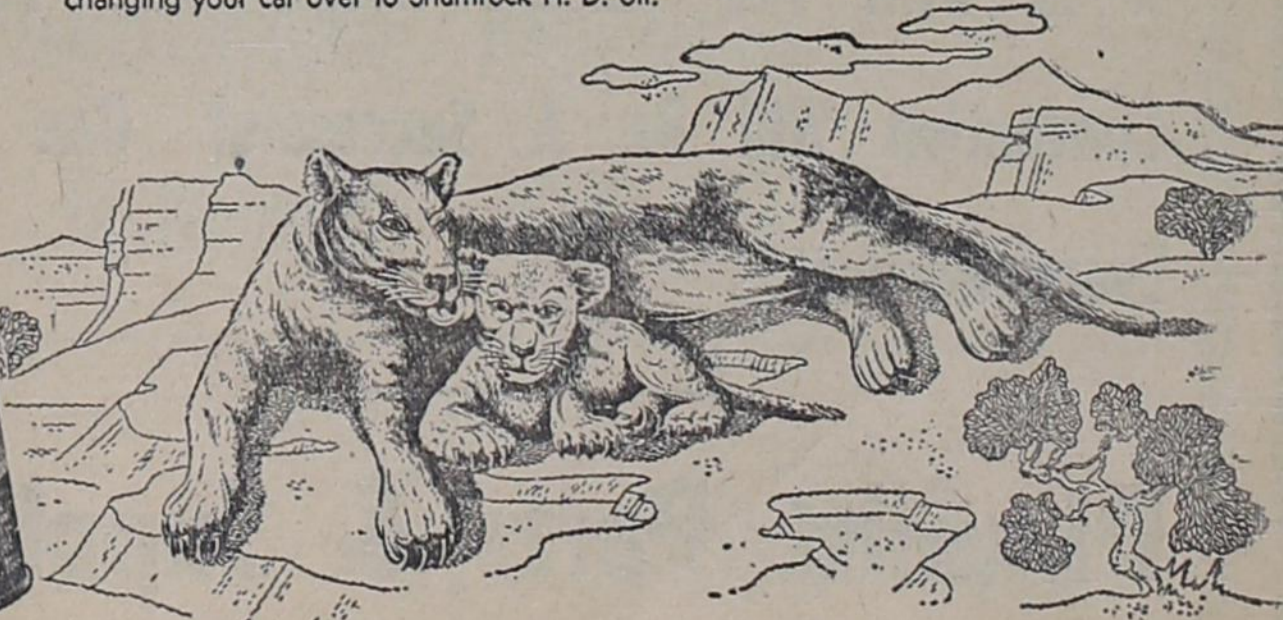
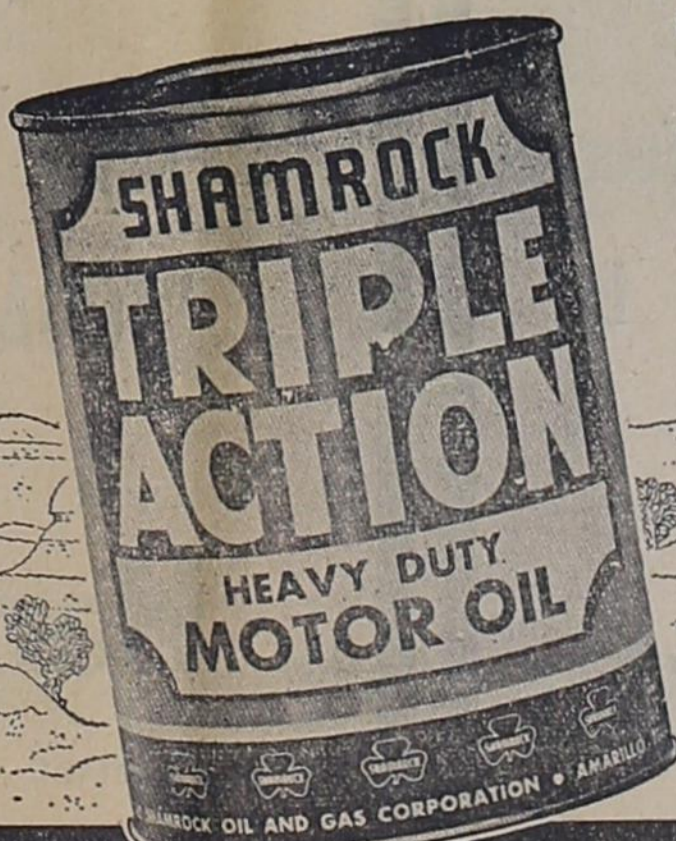
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Presidents of the eight home demonstration clubs in Lamb County are (left to right) Mmes. Jack Yarbrough, Velma Melton, Bill Zohn, J. E. Wade, Lloyd Seymore, J. M. Griffin, Doris McCurry, and Lloyd Haire. Lamb County council officers for 1952 are Mrs. Floyd Seymore, council chairman; Mrs. A. F. Wedel, council vice-chairman; Mrs. Travis Hopper, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Hub Spraberry, THDA chairman.

First Annual FFA, 4-H and FHA Project Show Declared Success

The first FHA, FFA and 4-H project show began last Friday with the judging of the 4-H and FHA dresses, with Miss Charlotte Tompkins, County Home Demonstration, Carson County, and Mrs. Jim Elder, Mrs. Jackie McLeRoy and Mrs. Goldman Dyer doing the judging.

Dresses of both groups were entered in the either, school, play, best or tailored class and were grouped in blue ribbon, red ribbon, or white ribbon groups.

Blue ribbon winners in FHA were:

Peggy Dixon, Monette Kenmore, Carolyn Bagwell, Zella Vee Smith, Wilda Smithson, Peggy Alley, Ragnell Ivey, La Nelle Clowdus, Katy Coke, Jackie Cartwright, Dalia Twiner.

Red winners were: Carolyn Rothwell, Peggy Dixon, Dean Morgan, Lorena McAfee, Ann Dowty, Pat DeLozier, Yvonne Bearden, Dortha Messenger, Beth Hance, Lelda Thompson.

White ribbon winners were: Faye Conard, Louise Simpson, Zella V. Smith, Audrey McDermitt, Mary Ann Witt, Beth Hance, Nay Dell Stine, Dalvia Howard, Gayle Brown, Sunnye Brown.

Ratings in the 4-H contest were as follows:

Blue ribbon: Royce Lynn Pyeatt, Wilma Noble, Shirley Sharp, Peggy Murray, Jimmie Carol Hyeatt, Kay Killingsworth, Norma Law, Blanche Ballard, Eileen Ballard, Judy Boothe, Bobbie Hoyle, and Peggy Davis.

Shirley Sharp of Hart will represent the County in the district contest on Saturday May 3. Kay Killingsworth, Dimmitt, scored 97 on her dress which was highest score in 4-H.

Red ribbon winners were: Shirley Ann Williamson, Grace Acker, Myrle Balch, Martha Burt, Regene Reynolds, Hazel Rogers, Sandra Glenn, Zoe Balch, Tommie Sheffy, Myrna Thompson, Gayle Cooper, Carolyn Huseman, Charlotte Hestand, Louise Simpson, Patricia Brock, Eileen Venhaus, Wilton Ivey, Regina Gerber, Odetta Ball, Virginia Burt, Irene and Grace Schacher.

White ribbon class: Mary Ann Huseman, Peggy Wilkinson, Patricia Buchanan, Betty McDermitt and Joan Book.

These girls were presented in a dress review Friday night in the Dimmitt High School Auditorium. The stage setting, a flower garden, made a beautiful setting for the presentation. Jackie Cartwright of Dimmitt was the excell-

ent narrator.

Dresses were then placed on exhibit at the Fair grounds on Saturday. Other articles on exhibit were aprons.

Blue ribbon: Linda Brown, Hart and Royce Lynn Pyeatt, of Hart. Red ribbons: Ella Lou Jobe and Elizabeth Jo Davis, both of Hart. Ella Buchanan displayed a beautiful Satin Bedspread to win a blue ribbon.

Projects of FFA and 4-H Club boys that were exhibited on Saturday. Judging was done by Hugh Clearman, County Agent of Deaf Smith County, and C. D. Holcomb, Swisher County Agent.

The boys had an excellent show. Placings were as follows.

Sheep: 1st and 2nd: Corredale bucks and ewes went to Burt Huggins.

1st and 2nd Suffolk ewes—Jack Sanders of Hart.

1st and 2nd Southdown ewes: Joe Hart, of Hart.

3rd Melvin Aven of Hart.

1st and 2nd, Southdown bucks: Joe Hart.

Grand Champion Ewe and Buck: Joe Hart.

Hereford Cows and Heifers: 1st and Grand Champion—Jimmy Cole.

Angus Cows and Heifers: 1st: Truman Swopes, Hart.

Class I Lightweight Commercial Calves 900 lbs and under: 1st and Grand Champion—Joe P. Hart.

2nd—Jerry Cluck, Dimmitt.

3rd—Raymond Crum, Dimmitt.

4th—Don and Ted Robb, Dimmitt.

5th—Ted Robb, Dimmitt.

Class II: Heavy Weight 901 lbs or over:

1st and Reserve Champion—Ted Conrad, Nazareth.

2nd—Ronnie Farris, Hart.

3rd and 4th—Don Robb, Dimmitt.

5th—Ted Conrad.

6th and 7th—Truman Swopes, Hart.

Class III. Pen of three: 1st—Robb Bros, Dimmitt.

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Milk Fed Calves: 1st: Jack Acker, Nazareth

2nd: Don Renfro, Dimmitt.

3rd: Jack Sanders, Hart

4th—Richard Hunter, Dimmitt.

5th: Bobby Bradley, Dimmitt.

6th: Bobby Bradley, Dimmitt.

Swine: Berkshire Gilts: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd: John Smith, Hart.

4th: Bob Bowden, Hart.

Chester White Gilts: 1st: Tom Acker, Nazareth.

2nd: Jack Acker, Nazareth.

Poland China: 1st and Grand Champion: Den-

nis Huseman, Nazareth.

2nd: Jack Sanders, Hart.

3rd: Byron Ray Tate, Hart.

4th: Doyle Johnson

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6th: Howard Schulte, Nazareth.

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Jack, an eighth grader in Nazareth school, showed the reserve champion pig at Fort Worth this year, and the grand champion calf at the Castro County Fair last fall. Prior to this year he has

won a number of other events. On the trip to St. Louis, Jack went with his father, Sam Merritt and Curtis King, Purina dealers, from Plainview and Matador.

NOTICE FOR PUBLIC BIDS

NOTICE is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the County Judges offices, Courthouse, Dimmitt, Texas, by the Commissioners' Court until 10:00 A. M. May 16, 1952, for the following repairs to the Courthouse building in the town of Dimmitt, Texas:

1. All outside walls to be cleaned by sandblasting.
2. All outside mortar joints where mortar is out or loose to be repointed.
3. All outside stone to be sprayed with two coats of stone water proofing.
4. All outside windows shall be recaulked and painted two coats cream paint; and outside doors and aluminum shields to be cleaned and refinished.

The above mentioned work shall be accomplished in 30 working days and shall be paid for in cash from the Courthouse and Jail Fund of Castro County, Texas.

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The Seminole Home Demonstration Club held a two-day leather craft school in the Seminole Community Building. The women shown above, who took the classes, later taught leather craft to other club women. Over 200 leather bags, and a number of billfolds, belts, and coin purses were made as a result of the school.

Lamb HD Clubs Hold First Annual Friendship Day

Lamb County Home Demonstration Clubs held their first annual Friendship Day meeting March 20 in Amherst. The activities of the day were varied and were intended to serve as a means of helping the members of the eight clubs in the county to become better acquainted with each other.

Lums Chapel Home Demonstration Club was in charge of registration in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church. After that group singing was led by Mrs. C. P. Davis of the Oklahoma Avenue Club.

At noon a covered dish luncheon was served, the freshman home economics girls of Amherst being in charge of fixing the table and arranging the food. Rev. Rankin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Amherst, asked the blessing. Mrs. J. J. Renfro gave the welcoming address and Mrs. Floyd Seymore, council chairman, introduced the guests and the main speaker, Judge Otha Dent. Judge Dent spoke on "Our County Tax Dollar".

At the luncheon the Oklahoma Avenue Club presented a musical program. U. E. Kelly gave a piano solo, Mrs. Fred E. Lichte sang "Indian Love Song", and the Oklahoma Cowgirls (the club members) presented an instrumental band number. All of the music was by record and was panto-

mimed by the club members.

After the luncheon the group went to the Lamb Theatre for a film on cancer and a lecture by Dr. W. C. Nowlin, of Littlefield Hospital. The film was obtained especially for the meeting from the American Cancer Society, by Mrs. A. C. Chesher, county chairman.

A banquet was held in January, 1835, during Andrew Jackson's administration, to celebrate the fact that the country was almost free of debt.

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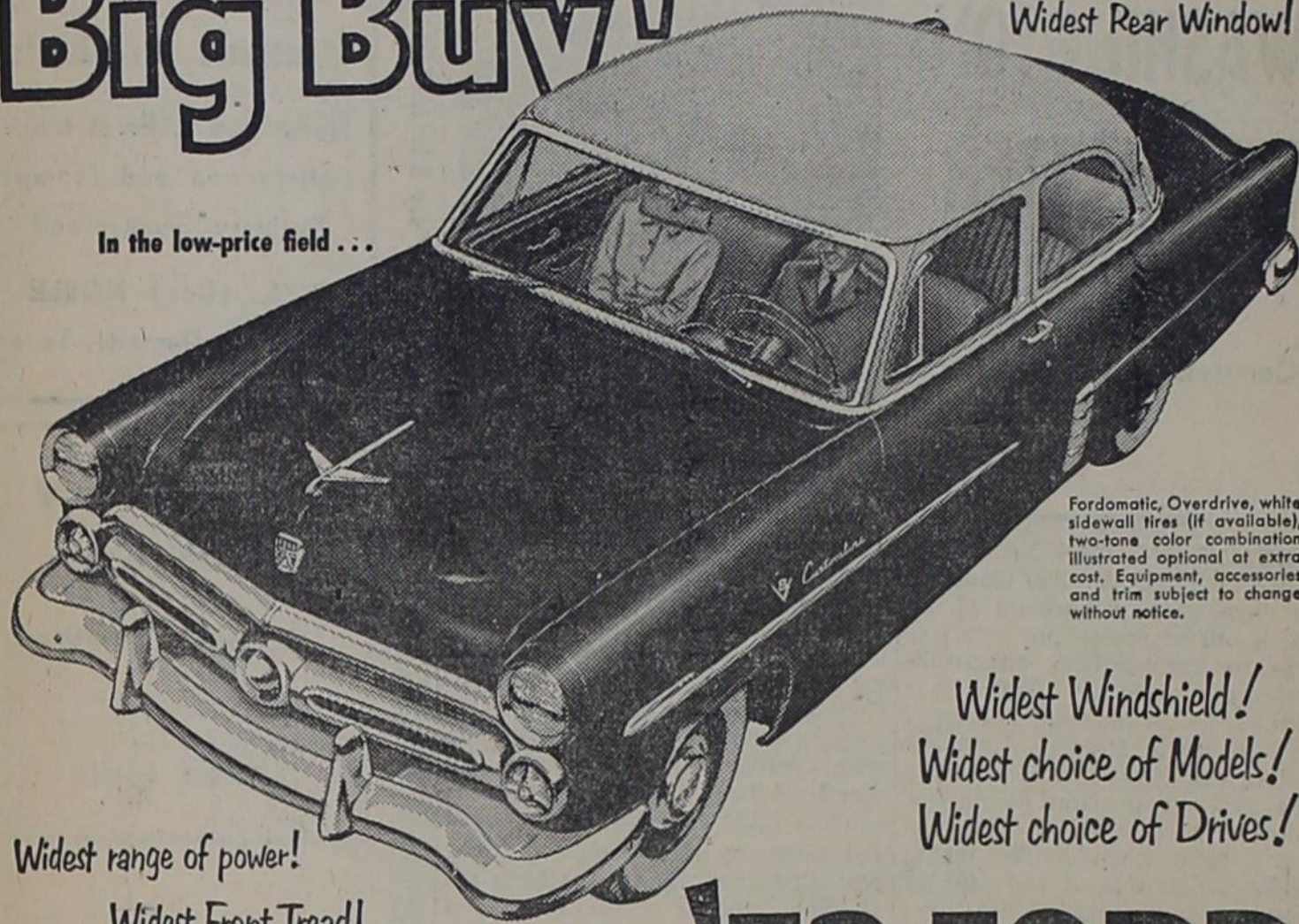
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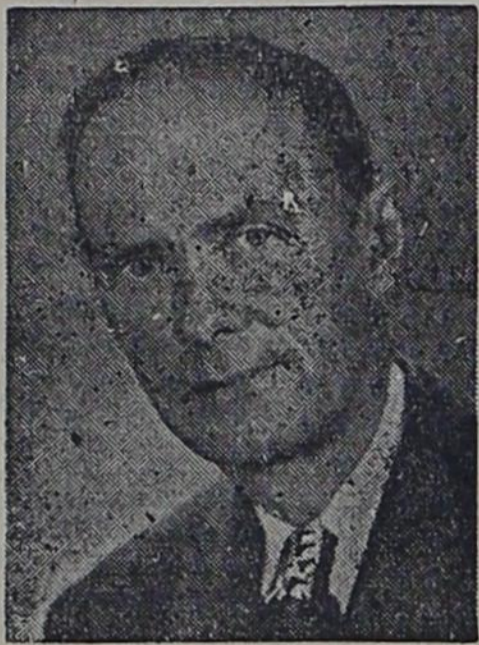
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WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

By Congressman Walter Rogers



DEBATE ON THE NEW IMMIGRATION LAW: The House is now engaged in debate on H. R. 5678, a bill to revise the laws relating to immigration, naturalization and nationality. This bill is designed to bring the immigration laws up to date, to weed out obsolete provisions, to close loopholes and to provide strict enforcement. A number of attempts have been made during the debate to amend the bill for the purpose of relaxing the present and proposed requirements for entry into this country. All of these amendments have been stricken and it does not presently appear that any of them will be adopted. The debate has been prolonged and in many instances very heated. The present immigration policy is based on "national origins" of U. S. population as shown in the 1920 census. Under this policy Great Britain alone has a quota of 65,721 out of the total immigration quota of 154,277 annually. Britain annually uses only a small percentage of this quota. It was argued by one member of the House that this policy resulted in more than two million unused quota numbers between 1930 and 1948. This same member offered an amendment to pool the unused quotas of such countries as England and Ireland and to give these unused quotas to countries like Italy, Greece, or any other country having an annual quota of less than 7,000. The House overwhelmingly voted down this amendment. It likewise soundly defeated an amendment offered by another New York member that would change the census figures being used from the 1920 census to the 1940 census. The result of the amendment would have been to give substantial increases in quota to a number of the Continental and Near East countries. Another amendment offered by another New York member proposed to grant to Italy 46,000 quota numbers which went unused during World War II. It was argued by the member that although Italy was our enemy during World War II, her alliance with Hitler was the doing of Mussolini and not of the Italian people. This argument didn't have much effect on the House. In fact, it caused quite a bit of laughter. The amendment lost by the overwhelming vote of 77 to 21. Another amendment was offered by another New York member to allot unused quotas to benefit separated families, skilled workers, religious refugees, and hardship cases. Although the amendment might have some emotional appeal in the language used, I am glad to report that the House did not permit sympathy to override reason, and defeated the amendment 73 to 23.

Almost every argument that was made to relax the immigration laws was based on the premise that unless the laws were relaxed, this country would be charged with discriminating against minorities and denying many potential immigrants their right to enter this country. It was quickly and clearly pointed out that entry into this country by an immigrant is not based upon any right of the immigrant, but on the contrary is a most precious privilege made possible by the graciousness of the citizens of this country. The theory of discrimi-

nation was also knocked in the head by the remarks of some good Southern Democrats. They pointed out that every time some member of some so-called minority group wants some concession, they immediately cry out that "if you Americans don't grant us what we ask, you are guilty of discrimination." Actually the Americans have succumbed to these entreaties so many times that the so-called minority groups have actually become the preferred group, and the ones being discriminated against are the solid basic Americans. It has actually reached the point that when some of these minority groups want something that they can't possibly justify, they base their arguments on three premises: Number one, they claim that such legislation is needed because it will help in the fight against communism; Number two, they claim that they are being discriminated against; and, Number three, they appeal to the Christian charitable characteristics of the American people. It is high time for the American citizen to wake up and put a stop to these campaigns designed to blind our reasoning powers by an emotional smokescreen. The best way in the world to fight communism is to create an immigration screening process that will separate the sheep from the goats and keep these reds, pinks and fellow travellers out of this country, and at the same time devote our waking hours to cull out and deport the ones who have gotten into this country in the past through loopholes in the law. The great majority of the communist sympathizers that have been uncovered in this country are people who have accepted the hospitality of this country and sought protection under our laws and our way of life. They are nothing less than the vilest scoundrels and traitors that can be conceived, and the quicker we put a stop to it, the better for your children and mine.

THE CUTS IN THE BUDGET: A great clamor has gone up about the many cuts that the House made in the several appropriations bills, and it has been said that Congress will be forced to stay in session until many of these cuts are restored. I can tell you that this Congress is not going to be stampeded into restoring these cuts by any such threats and keeping the Congress in session is not going to change its temper. The money that we have provided is adequate and in many instances should be more than adequate to meet the needs, and I for one am not going to subscribe to any policy to add any more to the public debt or to put any more burden on the taxpayer's back.

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As a club hobby some Gaines County clubs learned to stencil with textile paints. Here members of the Seminole club are shown working on kitchen curtains, table cloths, place mats, and a number of other attractive articles, to add color to their homes. The members are (left to right) Mmes. Clara Howard, Dahl, W. V. Fenter, Tom Lasley, Fred Coche, J. C. Martin, J. D. Mitchell, Vivian Liner, Rachel Tomlinson, B. W. Tomlinson, Rex Long, and E. J. Doscher.

District I Vice President Is Busy Person



MRS. V. H. PONCLET
District I vice-president is Mrs. V. H. Ponclet, of Amarillo. Mrs.

Ponclet has been in club work for 12 years, and has served as 4-H leader most of that time. She belongs to the River Road Home Demonstration Club, and is now serving her first year in the vice-presidency of her district.

In her club work, Mrs. Ponclet has been council chairman and secretary-treasurer, chairman of recreation, finance, and 4-H committees, club president, club secretary, council delegate, and chairman of yearbook, finance, education, and expansion committees. She has also been reporter, parliamentarian, and THDA county chairman. On occasion she has spoken on the radio for THDA.

Formerly active in civic affairs, Mrs. Ponclet says that her work on THDA state committees, coupled with district and state meetings and work in her own club and county, have necessitated her giving up other activities for the time being.

To the Democratic party goes the distinction of having written the shortest platform of the two major parties, that written in 1860, which consisted of only 350

Only one state has been named for a president, that being the State of Washington.

LAMB COUNTY HD NEWS

Last June the Spade Home Demonstration Club was organized. They now have a total of 19 members, as three of their previous number have moved away. The president of the club, only two years ago was a 4-H club girl of Xie Collins, County Home Demonstration Agent. She is Mrs. Bayne McCurry formerly Doris Marie Prater.

The youngest Home Demonstration Club in the County, and also the largest, is the Sunnydale Club organized by the Home Demonstration Agent in January. They now have twenty-eight on roll. President: Mrs. Bill Zohn; Vice President: Mrs. J. F. Minyard; Secretary: Mrs. Dale McGaugh.

The Lamb County 4-H Recreation Club meets the last Monday night in each month at the Youth Center in Littlefield. At each meeting one of the Home Demonstration Clubs in the county sponsors and serves refreshments to the members of the Recreation Club and visitors.

The Lamb County Home Demonstration Council has a new meeting place. Formerly they met

in the Court House in Littlefield. The Extension Office is in Amherst, seven miles away. Last September a new room was built on the back of the building occupied by the County Extension Office, and it was given to the agent as a meeting place for the council. The County Commissioners Court have recently authorized purchase of two folding tables and twenty folding chairs. The room adjoins the P. M. A. office, and some chairs are available for use from that office.

The Lamb County Council each year vote to sponsor an adult leaders expenses to College Station to the 4-H Roundup in June. Also each year they buy the ribbons for the Dress Revue and give a reception tea for the girls immediately following the Dress Revue.

The council members have decided they like the idea of one club being responsible for light refreshments after the regular monthly council meetings, and this year they voted to rotate the responsibility to a different club each meeting.

After the cokes are purchased through the coke machine, owned and operated in interest of the 4-H Clubs of Lamb County.

Council officers are: Chairman—Mrs. Floyd Seymore, Bluebonnet Club; Vice Chairman—Mrs. A. F. Wedel—Yellowhouse; Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Travis

Hopper, Spade.

Mrs. Hub Spraberry (Lumas Chapel) is THDA Chairman. Mrs. C. G. Landers, (also of Lumas Chapel) was elected THDA chairman for next year. Lamb County delegates to the District THDA meeting are: Mrs. Hub Spraberry, Lumas Chapel Club; Mrs. Floyd Seymore, Bluebonnet Club; Mrs. Travis Hopper, Spade Club.

Name of Home Demonstration Clubs in Lamb County and Presidents.

Amherst Perry—Mrs. Jack Yarbrough
Bluebonnet—Mrs. Lloyd Seymore
Lumas Chapel—Mrs. J. E. Wade
Oklahoma Avenue—Mrs. J. M. Griffin
Sodhouse—Mrs. Velma Melton
Spade—Mrs. Bayne McCurry

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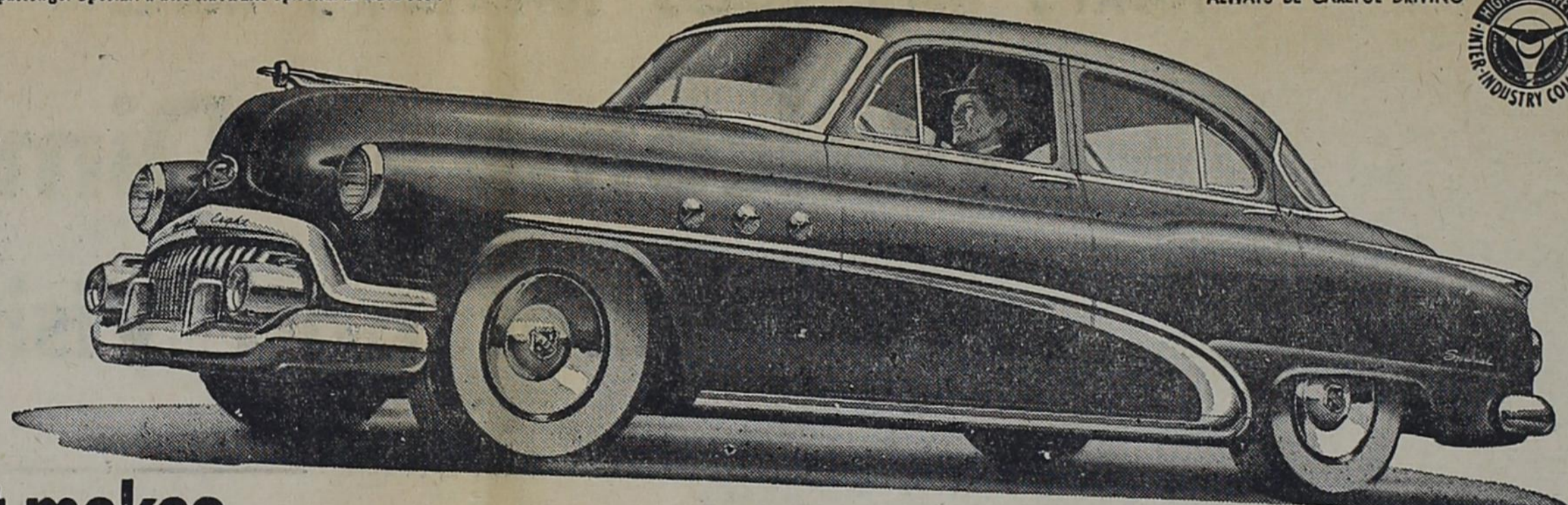
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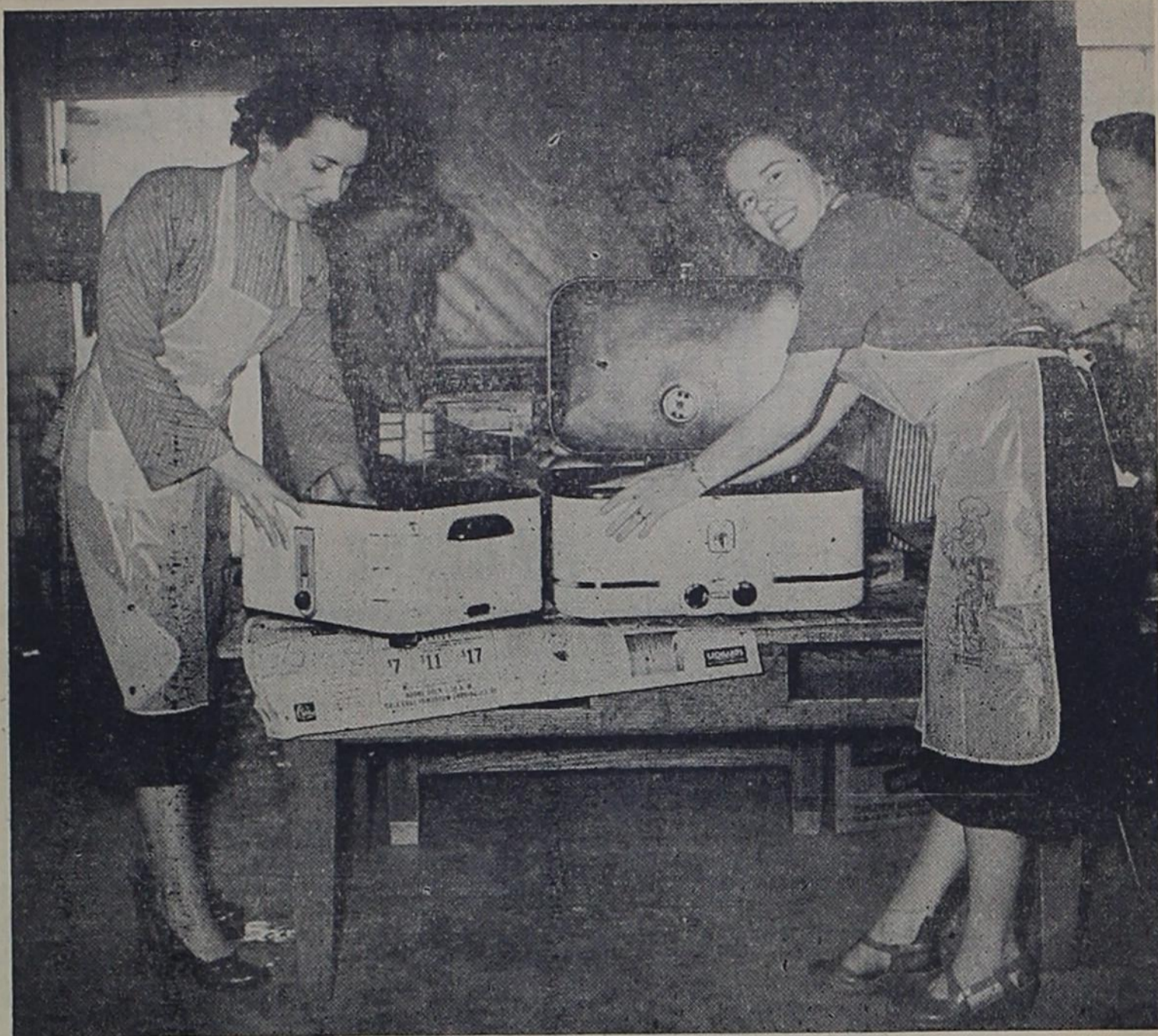
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When Edgar Bergen and his troupe visited Post last January the Garza County Home Demonstration Clubwomen helped with the concessions for the hospital benefit show he presented. The funds from the concessions were given to the county hospital. With the exception of the two Southwestern Public Service employees in the foreground, the women are all club women.

Bergen brought his show to Post because of the response of Garza County people to his "Operation Santa Claus", a project in which the home demonstration club members and their families had a large part.

Pictured above reading from left to right: Mrs. Eleanor Woodson, Southwestern Public Service Co. employee; Imogene Bevers, Garza County 4-H girl; Mrs. W. H. Barton, Mrs. Sid Cross, Mrs. L. H. Peel, Mrs. J. D. McCampbell, Mrs. S. W. McCrary, all Garza County Home Demonstration clubwomen, and Mrs. Martha McCormick of Southwestern Public Service Co.

Mrs. Almanrode, THDA President, To Be Here



MRS. R. M. ALMANRODE

Mrs. R. M. Almanrode, state THDA president, will be in Dimmitt for the district meeting. She is a member of the Sunset Home Demonstration Club, of Knox County.

In 1926, when the THDA was organized, Mrs. Almanrode was present at the organizational meeting. Since then she has worked in many of the numerous offices of the organization. She was vice-president of District III for two years and state secretary for two years, and has attended eight of the state meetings, as well as five Short Course meetings. In 1949, she was a delegate to the national meeting in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Proof of her capability as a leader in fields outside of the home demonstration club sphere of activity, are her position as the chairman of women's activities of the Texas Safety Council and trustee of Gonzales Warm Spring Foundation, as well as her work in her community and in her church.

Last November the THDA Board endorsed her as a candidate for the Southern Director of the National Home Demonstration Council.

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A. J. (Andy) ROGERS
HAROLD LaFONT
For Representative, 96 Legislative District:
JESSE M. OSBORN, Muleshoe
For District Attorney

64th Judicial District
JOE SHARP (Re-election)
For County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent:

ROBERT ESTES (Re-election)
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:

HOUSTON FOWLKES (Re-election)
WILBUR COOK

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. OLA MURPHY (Re-election)

MRS. NEVA HASTINGS

For County Treasurer:
MRS. FAYE HOLLAND (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
OTIS ENGLISH (Re-election)
GLENN RATCLIFF

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:
JOHN STORK (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:

A. H. BROWN
OLEN A. RICE
ROBERT (Bud) LEINEN

For County Commissioner Precinct 1:

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