

LAST WEEK MARTIN COUNTY rolled back the curtain on the course of events as they happened during the seventy-five years of its existence. The scenes of these events were enacted by a cast of 250 people on the football field at the high school stadium. The performances were held nightly showing to a large attendance each night.

Tuesday, July 14 was given over to the annual session of the Martin County Old Settlers Reunion. Tuesday evening the main program and a big barbecue were held.

To the various committees that had charge of arranging all details of the Martin County Diamond Jubilee celebration, all participants in the historical pageant, and those who provided the entertainment for the Old Settlers, goes the credit for a job well done.

THE LIVELIEST PIECE OF news printed in the many West Texas weekly newspapers this season of year is chronicling the ball games played by the Little League clubs and the Splash programs held at the swimming pools. These are sports of which the youths in the communities participate, and wherever these sports are provided you'll find the youths flocking to them.

STANTON HAS NEVER REALLY felt the "squeeze" of a water shortage. There have been times when the citizens had their supply taxed for a short duration, due to a breakdown or overhauling equipment, but never once were the citizens made to suffer for want of water because of a shortage in the supply.

In the early days of Stanton old timers informed us there was a windmill pumping water from a well at most every home in town. The depth of the wells were shallow providing plenty of water. Windmills would run day and night, keeping on hand at all times, water tanks full of water.

As time passed and Stanton began to shed its swaddling clothes and assume modern ways, the city drilled water wells and installed a modern waterworks system, to be followed later by building a modern sewerage disposal plant.

The individual home owners (Continued On Page 8)

County Girls To Enter Dress Revue At Crane

Gordine Froman and Leta Johnson, Martin County 4-H Club girls, will enter the District Six 4-H Dress Revue August 7 in Crane.

The revue will be held at the Community Building.

Miss Froman, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Froman, will enter the senior division and Leta Johnson will enter the junior division. Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellmore Johnson.

All county winners from District Six will enter the revue. Senior winners of the district revue will enter the dress revue.

The two county representatives were named winners of the county dress revue which was held in April.

The public is invited to attend the final revue which will be held at 1:30 p.m. Judging of the costumes will be in the morning.

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Stanton Will Host Golf Tourney

Amarillo Oil Company To Drill NW Outpost Well

By JAMES C. WATSON
Amarillo Oil Company No. 1 Stephens-Evans Unit will be drilled as a 1 1/4-mile northwest outpost to production in the Azalea (multipay) field in Northeast Midland County.

Location for the 12,000-foot operation is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 52, J. M. King survey and 10 miles southwest of Stanton.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Donovan, 1/2-mile east of Strawn and Devonian production in the Azalea (multipay) field in Northeast Midland County, developed gas and condensate on a drillstem test in the Strawn.

The section from 10,450 to 10,664 feet was tested two hours. Gas surfaced in 35 minutes at rate of 810,000 cubic feet per day.

The project unloaded and reversed out a 1,640-foot water blanket and 860 feet of gas and condensate. Drilling continued below 10,639 feet.

Location is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 1, block 38, T-3-S, T&P survey and 12 miles southwest of Stanton.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1-B McAlester, Northeast Midland County wildcat is preparing to test the Devonian through perforations at 11,368-432 feet.

That zone logged some shows of possible production. It will be treated with acid and likely will be fractured before the investigation of its producing possibilities is completed.

This project also will test in the Strawn where there were some indications it might produce gas and distillate in commercial quantities.

No. 1-B McAlester is 1 1/2 miles south and slightly west of Teepee's No. 1 McAlester, opener and lone producer in the Germania (Devonian) gas-distillate pool.

It is 8 miles southwest of Stanton, 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 41, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey and two miles southeast of Germania.

Ashland Oil & Refining Company completed No. 1-12 B. T. Hale, Northeast Midland County project as a producer from the Spraberry zone in the Germania sector of the Spraberry Trend Area.

It is eight miles southwest of Stanton and 667 feet from north and 670 feet from east lines of section 12, W. Glendinning (T&P) survey, block 37, T-2-S.

On potential test the well produced 166.87 barrels of 35-gravity oil, plus nine per cent water, in 24 hours, flowing through a 32/64-inch choke.

The petroleum is from open hole and pay at 7,920-8,038 feet, after a 20,000-gallon fracture.

This well is a depleted Grayburg producer from pay above 4,000 feet. The hole originally was drilled to 7,257 feet by James H. Snowden and Associates. It logged no petroleum shows between 4,000 feet and total depth. Snowden plugged back and completed in the Grayburg.

Recently Ashland cleaned out to 7,257 feet, and the Spraberry completion resulted.

Two services will be held daily. During the weekdays services will be held at 10 a.m. and at 8 p.m. Sunday services will be at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Congregational singing will be conducted at all services. The public has been invited to come and hear the stirring messages from the word of God and to take part in the song services.

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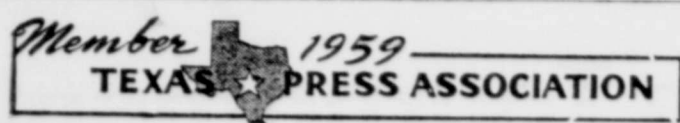
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Valley View 4-H Club Met In Haggard Home

A meeting of the Valley View 4-H Club was held Tuesday, July 7 in the home of Mrs. Buster Haggard.

Girls worked on sofa pillows. In charge of the meeting was Becky Haggard, president.

Refreshments were served to Becky and Ann Haggard, Betty Hardin, Carolyn, Sharron and Charlotte Kuhlman, Judy Free, Mrs. Jack Kuhlman, Mrs. R. W. Hardin, Mrs. Haggard and Mrs. B. Alford.

PERSONALS

Mrs. J. T. Mims has returned home from Brownwood where she attended the DeBusk Family reunion. It was held at Brownwood State Park. She also visited in Abilene with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tubbs; in Stamford with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Jones and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harwell.

Martha Sawyer of Lamesa has been visiting with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sawyer.

Mrs. Annie Odell of Pecos has been visiting with her son, Leroy Odell.



JUBILEE VISITORS—Visitors to Stanton last week during Martin County's seventy-fifth birthday celebration joined in the swing of things. Dressed in identical costumes are Betty Bobbitt, left, of LeMarque, whose grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Price of Stanton, and Sandy Woodard of Midland. Miss Woodard is the granddaughter of Mrs. Evelyn Woodard and Mrs. Mary Wilke, both of Stanton.

Poland's Farmers Using Horses May Not Be As Dumb As You Think

Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw discusses the foreign situation this week, you might say.

Dear editor:

Not knowing much for sure about farming in this country, I couldn't be expected to know anything about farming in Poland, but I read an article last night about a situation over there that attracted my attention.

As I understand it, the Communists over there are trying to get the Polish farmers to get rid of their horses. There are 2,700,000 horses in Poland, they graze over 5,000,000 acres of pasture, and eat over 3,000,000 tons of grain a year.

The Communists are saying it takes too much grain to feed those horses, last year they ate more grain than all the city-dwellers in Poland got, and the thing to do is get rid of them, switch to government-owned tractors.

The Polish farmers though are resisting. They don't have to be told that while a tractor doesn't eat grain, it does consume gasoline, and very few farms in Poland produce gasoline.

Them Poles ain't so dumb. When it comes to a choice of feeding grain to horses or to Communists, they favor the horses.

I never have sat down and figured it up, I don't mind sitting down, it's the figuring that gets me, but maybe you could tell me: how much production does a tractor consume? In Poland they figure it takes 15 per cent of the land to support the horses. What per cent of a farm does it take to support the tractor it takes to work it? I know a man can work a lot more land with a tractor, but you can't raise a tractor, you have to buy it, and if somebody stopped and figured up how much production it takes to buy a tractor, main-



SCS Stamp To Be Issued

Cooperators of the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District are among those honored by issuance of the world's first soil conservation stamp, Jake Hodges said today.

Mr. Hodges said the stamp, to be issued August 26 at Rapid City, South Dakota, "is a tribute to the nation's conservation farmers and ranchers including the 1568 cooperators of the local district, which has been in operation since 1941.

"The 4-cent stamp is in recognition of the farmers and ranchers who are demonstrating good soil stewardship," Hodges said. "It is a salute to their soil conservation districts, and to the professional workers of State and Federal government who help them."

The stamp will go on sale August 26 at Rapid City, S. D., at the annual meeting of the Soil Conservation Society of America, a professional organization, Hodges said.

On the following day, the stamp will go on sale at other post offices throughout the country, including those at Stanton, Tarzan, and Lenorah.

Read the Classified Ads!

Pastimes In Sports

By Clayton Burnam



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Joblessness rose by 593,000 to a total of 3,982,000. This was still about 2,500,000 below the recession level of a year ago. After allowing for seasonal factors, unemployment remained at 4.9 per cent of the civilian labor force.

The outlook for the rest of the year is for some additional decline in unemployment, Labor Department officials said.

It appeared therefore that Secretary of Labor Mitchell won't have to eat his hat this fall. In April he promised to do so publicly if joblessness had not dropped below 3,000,000 by October.

The department's unofficial guess is that there will be 2-

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jim Webb, Glenna and Jerrie Ann Webb, and Vestal McClane were in Lubbock recently to attend a reunion of the Joe Heron family. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Clayton.

Mrs. Agnes Whitson of Midland visited Saturday in Stanton and attended the Jubilee Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thomas of Big Spring visited in Stanton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Moss of Lamesa visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Barnes and attended the Jubilee Celebration.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Mary Wilson has been visiting in Midland with Mrs. Zelda Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Zimmerman and Betty Sue Houston of Lamesa visited last week in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam spent the weekend at Lake J. B. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Avery and children spent the weekend visiting in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilhite and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gilmore and family spent the weekend in Ruidoso, Alamogordo and Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McReynolds were in Idalou Sunday to visit with Rev. and Mrs. William McReynolds. Ellen McReynolds, who had been visiting here with her grandparents, returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pickle of Big Spring visited Tuesday evening, July 14 with Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips and attended the Jubilee Celebration.

George Phillips has been to market in Dallas this week.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Pinkston left Monday for Melrose, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Sebesta and daughter, Leslie, are in Bryan this week. He is attending a short course at Texas A&M College.

Mrs. J. T. Ballard of Kerman, Calif., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ballard and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Payne.

Visitors during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burns were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wood and children of Denver City. Jana Gay Wood remained for a longer visit with Mr. and Mrs. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graves returned home Saturday from a trip to Arizona, Nevada and California. In California they visited Disneyland, Santa Monica Beach, in Burbank with Claude Langley, and at Bakersfield with Mr. and Mrs. Rainey Berry. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graves and family and Mr. and Mrs. Art Lind in Phoenix, Ariz., and in Las Vegas, Nevada. Mrs. Fannie Graves of Phoenix returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Deavenport and Frances Deavenport returned home Friday morning from a 16-day trip to California. They visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Deavenport at San Diego. They also visited Disneyland, Knickerberry Farm, Long Beach, Balboa Park, Tlaxana, Mexico and went on a cruise on the bay at San Diego.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thrallkill and family have been his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clinkscals of Greenwood, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart visited last week in Midland with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stewart and family.

Visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne were her grandmother, Mrs. O. P. Kiker of Wichita Falls and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Kiker of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull have returned home from a 11-day trip to El Paso, Grand Canyon, Las Vegas and Santa Maria, Calif. They were accompanied by their son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. R. L. Hull and daughter of El Paso. In Santa Maria they visited with Mrs. R. L. Hull's mother, Mrs. Paul Nelson.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, Martin County home demonstration agent, will be in Andrews Friday to help judge the Andrews County 4-H Club Dress Revue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson have had as visitors their grandchildren, Beverly Ann and Tyra Jean Ross of Midland and Alice Faye, Doris Jean and Roy Jay McNew of Odessa.

Mrs. Woody Caffey has returned to her home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Caffey. She had spent some time in a Big Spring hospital and was recuperating at the H. R. Caffey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hamilton went to Arlington over the weekend to take their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Kenemer and children home. Mrs. Kenemer came to Stanton with her brother, Jimmy Hamilton, who had visited in Arlington.

Cathy and David Workman spent last week visiting in Rankin with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Workman.



BURN CANCELED BONDS—Sale of the Burkburnett municipal power plant and system to Texas Electric Service company enabled city officials to purchase and burn bonds that had represented a debt of \$676,000 on the municipal light and water systems. Sale of the plant was approved by a vote of almost 2 to 1 in a special election in April. The city now plans a program to provide city-wide sewer service and a modern sewage disposal plant. The company will remove unnecessary duplicating lines and poles and install modern street lights.

Books Donated To Library

Several books were donated to Martin County Library during July, Carrie Alvis, librarian said this week.

Mrs. Pearl Burnam Laws of Odessa and formerly of Stanton donated a number of books. Also donating books was Mrs. Mary Wilke.

Miss Alvis expressed thanks to the women for their generous donations.

Books donated by Mrs. Laws were "The Steeper Cliff," D. Davidson; "Nurses Aide," Hancock; "Shannon's Way," A. J. Cronin; "What This World Needs," Raper; "The Hearth and Eagle," Seton; "Lucinda Bradford," Martin Boyd; "Lace Curtains," Berlin; "Return Tonight," Mary Renant; "The Flames of Time," Kendrick.

Also, "Sue Barton, Senior Nurse," Boylston; "The Burnished Blade," Schoonover; "Toll of the Brave," Fletcher; "Within the Harbor," Bassett; "The Web of Days," Lee; "Captives," M. Irwin; "I Capture the Castle," Dodie Smith; "Peony," Pearl Buck; "The Purple Plain," Bates; "Deborah," Marian Castle and "Unconquered," Neil Swanson; "Toward the Morning," Allen; "Parris Mitchell of Kings Row," Bellaman.

Mrs. Mary Wilke gave the following books: "Greatest Story Ever Told," Fulton Ouslen; "His Great Journey," Komroff; "The Gladiator," Williamson; "The Galilean," Slaughter; "Saturday Review," and "The Unappointed" by Chisom.

Record Book Workshop Held By 4-H Clubbers

Martin County 4-H Clubbers concluded a record book workshop Tuesday, July 21 with a meeting at Grady.

The first meeting was held Friday, July 10 at the county agent's office.

At the July 10 meeting Carolyn Kelly and Ben Mott discussed "What 4-H Record Books Mean to 4-H Clubbers." They also told the group how to put the records together.

Dorothy Hull and Bobby Kelly showed the group how to put pictures and clippings in the record books and how to write stories concerning various projects.

Sandra Kelly and Carl Wright demonstrated how to fill out the main record form.

At the Tuesday meeting Penny Butcher and Jimmy Robertson gave the introduction.

Gordine Froman and Craig Beckmeyer showed the group how to fill out the standard report form.

Bobby Sale and Glen Reid demonstrated how to keep the story, news releases and picture sections.

Also helping with the workshop were Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, and Bob Johnson, county agent.

Thirty-seven boys and girls and ten adults attended the Grady meeting.

4-H Group To Attend State Meet

Six Martin County 4-H Clubbers have been selected to represent District Six at the Texas 4-H Junior Leadership Training Laboratory August 17-22 at Bastrop State Park.

Representing Martin County and District Six will be Gordine Froman, Glenn Reid, Dorothy Hull, Craig Beckmeyer, Carl Wright and Porky Britton.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, and Bob Johnson, county agent, will accompany the group.

Thirty-six 4-H Clubbers will attend the laboratory from the twelve extension districts in Texas. The group will participate in all different types of leadership activities.

The Martin County group will leave Monday morning, August 17 and will return home Saturday evening, August 22.

FLOWER GROVE NEWS

By MRS. C. A. WEBB

Thirty-five persons attended church services Sunday morning, July 19 at the Bethel Baptist Church. Attending night services were 16 persons.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Green and sons, Freddie and Bennie, of Forsan visited recently with her mother, Mrs. A. G. Webb, Lula Bell and R. B.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Butcher and Penelope spent Friday night at their cabin on Lake J. B. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb were in Stanton July 14 for the Old Settlers Reunion parade.

Eugene Barkowsky left Wednesday, July 8 for the U. S. Army. He is stationed at Camp Ord, California. Mrs. Barkowsky is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook. She plans to join her husband in the near future.

Mrs. G. F. Cook visited recently in Rotan with relatives. She has also visited relatives in South Texas and in Canyon.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Stokes spent Sunday afternoon in Lenora visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hildreth, Jr. and children.

Carolyn and Mary Beth Butcher, of Granbury, who had been spending a two-week vacation with their parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Butcher, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb Jr. and children of Big Spring visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, Sr. and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ford and son of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Goodson of Ackerly visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb and Billie Joe Webb were in Fisher County recently to visit Mr. Webb's brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Webb and Milton Webb of McCauley.

The crops are looking good in the community. The C. A. Webb farm received 15 inches of rain from May 1 to July 1.

Rev. and Mrs. Mayo Carpenter and daughter of Midland visited recently with Mrs. A. G. Webb, Lula Bell and R. B.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Butcher and Penelope visited recently at Lake Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Webb and children of Midland visited recently with Mrs. D. L. Langham.

Mrs. Kenneth Langham visited recently in Lubbock with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Turnbow of Sparenberg, while Mr. Turnbow was a patient in a Lubbock hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Landreth and sons of Odessa visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb.

Mrs. Murry Cook visited recently in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Caughman and baby of Big Spring visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Caughman and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lawrence Webb and Vickie Lynn of Monahans visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb and Billie Joe. They also visited with her father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hollandsworth and children of Lenora.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin James, Jr. of Big Spring spent last two weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. Alvin James, Sr. and family, while their parents were in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Berger and

Stanton 4-H Club Meeting Held July 15

Members of the Stanton Four Leaf Clover 4-H Club met Wednesday morning, July 15 at the county agent's office.

The club is made up of nine and ten year old girls. All local girls in that age group are invited to join the club which meets every two weeks at the county agent's office.

President is Sherry Vest. Other officers are Cindy Pickett, vice president; Carolyn Kirby, secretary-treasurer; and Eunice Jan Stephenson, reporter.

Cindy Pickett and Sheila McQuerry made sandwiches and milk shake.

Members are Sheila McQuerry, Cindy Pickett, Carolyn Kirby, Sherry Vest, Eunice Jan Stephenson, Melrae Angel, Lou Ann Louder, and Shannon Womack.

The next meeting will be at 9 a. m. July 29 in the county agent's office.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of Midlothian have been visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Curry and family.

Mrs. Sally Dalton of San Angelo has been visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. H. Deck.

E. W. Ross has returned home from Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pierce have been visiting in San Antonio. They went after their daughter, Lou Wanda, who had visited there.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam spent the weekend at Lake J. B. Thomas.

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TOMATOES, Diamond, 303 can	10c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, Kimbell's	2 for 35c
Shortening FLUFFO 3 LB. CAN 69c	
SALAD DRESSING, quart jar	39c
TEA, Kimbell, 1/4 lb.	25c
PEAS, Del Monte, 303 can	2 for 37c
BLACKEYED PEAS, Fresh, Kimbell, 300 can	2 for 27c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, Del Monte, 303 can	2 for 47c
NEW POTATOES, Kimbell, 303 can	2 for 25c
PAPER TOWELS, Charmin	2 rolls 37c
TOILET TISSUE, Hudson, Fancy	8 rolls 89c
DOG FOOD, Kim	3 for 25c
Cantaloupes PECOS LB. 3c	
PLUMS, Santa Rosa	lb. 19c
LEMONS	lb. 12 1/2c
POTATOES, White, 10 lb. bag	39c
FRUIT PIES, Frozen, Peach, Apple, Cherry, Family Size	29c
FRYERS ARMOUR STAR POUND 29c	
BACON, Armour Star, Tray Pack	lb. 49c
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—Personals—

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook and children, Janet and Barry of Frankston and Mrs. Robert Cook and children, Larry, Reba, Doris and Bobby of Odessa, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Christopher Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Graves and daughters are visiting in Phoenix, Arizona and California. Mrs. Fannie Graves of Phoenix, who had been visiting here, returned home. The Graves family is

visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Art Lind and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graves and family in Phoenix.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Heidelberg of Andrews were in Stanton last week to attend the Old Settlers Reunion and the Diamond Jubilee Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Koonce and Bryan and Linda Mellendorf of Oxford, Michigan, have returned home after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Koonce and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Standefer, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Standefer, and Mrs. F. H. Hines of Midland are visiting relatives near Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Turner and family returned home Friday from a trip to California. Mrs. Turner and children spent about a month visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Sears in Rivera, Calif. Mr. Turner went after them and visited for a week with Mr. and Mrs. Sears. They also visited Disneyland.

Mrs. Mollie Crittenden of Big Spring spent the weekend with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shipp.

Delores and Wayne Shipp spent last week visiting in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stroup.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Polk of Midland visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Polk.

John Carl and Judy Wells of Andrews are visiting with their grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Wells, while their father, John C. Wells, is in Temple. Mr. Wells was to undergo surgery in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bevers and Charlene are on a two-week vacation to various points in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Holder and son of Lubbock visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Holder.

Mrs. Herbert Crunk of San Marcos is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elma Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller took their son, Virgil Miller, to Junction over the weekend where he is to attend a Texas A&M College six-week summer course. He will enter Texas A&M College in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stroud of Odessa visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fitzgerald of Oklahoma City, Okla., have been visiting with her brother-

in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holcombe and daughter.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hazlewood have been Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gill of Wink; her sister, Mrs. Mary Frances Hamilton and Gary Beal of Hobbs, N. M.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Polson have been their sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Polson and children of Casa Grande, Arizona, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Polson and children of Crane.

Robert and Robbie Jean Haggard of Lenora have been visiting with their cousins, Linda and Sara Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson were in Lubbock Saturday on business.

Visitors during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ringener were Mr. and Mrs. James Williamson of Midland.

Sunday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Barbee of Midland.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Rhodes have been Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rhodes, Mrs. Ruth Johnson and children, Patricia Ann and Lucian, all of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blocker of Jal, N. M., visited here Sunday with relatives. Then they flew from Midland to Florida for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelly of Odessa visited last week with Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock.

Rev. J. R. Murdock left Sunday for Waco to visit with his sister, Mrs. J. F. Pace, and Mrs. Murdock's brother, W. R. Power.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Haggard visited Saturday in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. C. Meek. Sunday they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Haggard and family in Lenora.

Mr. and Mrs. Poe Woodard and Sandy of Midland visited last week with relatives and attended the Old Settlers Reunion and Jubilee celebration.

Mrs. Prentiss Hightower and Brenda visited over the weekend in Seminole. They also accompanied Mr. Hightower to Lubbock.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Caffey have been their son and daughter-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Caffey and family of South San Francisco, California. He is pastor of the First Baptist Church there.



Mr. and Mrs. James Unbehend

Myrna Hamby-James Unbehend Married July 3 In Midland

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hamby Stanton High School and has been residing in San Antonio with her sister, Mrs. Edith Moore for the past seven months.

Mrs. Moore served as matron of honor. Best man was Arlie Jones of San Antonio.

For her wedding, the bride chose a white lace dress over white taffeta. It featured a high waistline and a full skirt. She wore a white flower hat and carried an orchid on a white Bible.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fincher in Midland. A white tiered wedding cake and coffee were served guests.

Relatives of the bride who attended were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hamby of Stanton, Darrell Hamby of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Hamby and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fincher of Midland; Mrs. Edith Moore and daughters, Lerry and Sandra of San Antonio.

Friends of the family attending were Arlie Jones of San Antonio and Diane Turner of Stanton.

The couple will make a home in Port Lavaca temporarily.

Local Girls Enrolled At Boothe Oaks

Two Stanton Girl Scouts this week are attending the fourth session of camping at Girl Scout Camp Boothe Oaks near Sweetwater.

The girls left Sunday and will return home Saturday, July 25. Attending are Janis Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Morrison, and Linda Costlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delton M. Costlow.

Mrs. Delton Costlow is serving as counselor at the camp.

Mary Stamps WMU Circle Met Monday

"Christian Witnessing" was the topic of the program presented at a meeting of the Mary Stamps Circle of Women's Missionary Union Monday at the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Philip White gave the program. Leading in prayer were Mrs. Guy Eiland and Mrs. W. H. Yater. Carrie Alvis gave a devotional.

Present were Mesdames Harry Billington, B. F. White, Guy Eiland, W. H. Yater, Philip White, Joan Long, Eula Eubanks, H. R. Caffey, J. R. Sale and Miss Carrie Alvis.

Homesteaders Hold Party

Mrs. W. H. Cook was hostess to an ice cream party for the "Homesteaders" Saturday evening, July 11, at her home.

Sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served. Carrying out the Diamond Jubilee theme, the hostess used napkins engraved with the wording, "Homesteaders, Martin County Diamond Jubilee, 1884-1959."

Present were Mesdames Joe Stewart, Marion Yell, B. F. Smith, S. W. Wheeler, J. B. Harvard, Scott Harvard, Glenn Brown, George Dawson, C. F. Huling, Miss Diana Dawson and Catherine Ann Dawson.

Larry Haggard Honored With Barbecue Sunday

Larry Haggard was entertained on his eleventh birthday with a chicken barbecue Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alex Haggard.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Clement Standefer, Joyce and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Heidelberg and Nathan of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haggard and family.

Scouts Return Home From Camp Murphy

Boy Scouts of Stanton Troop 28 returned home Saturday from a week's stay at Boy Scout Camp Murphy at Lake Thomas.

The camp program included canoeing, swimming and other water activities.

Attending were Carroll Anderson, Mike Hall, Donnie Thompson, Billy Powell, Pete O'Brian, Clinton Miller, and Darrell Brantley.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Lou Annie Henson spent the weekend visiting with Mrs. Willie Fisher in the Line community. They attended church services Sunday in Midland.

Thursday dinner guests with Mrs. C. B. Pollock were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. White, Jr. and family of Tulsa, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey White, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Henson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Henson and family.

Edwenna Shain has returned home from Canyon where she visited Suzanne Reynolds.

Mrs. Delton Costlow is serving as counselor at Girl Scout Camp Boothe Oaks, Sweetwater.

Visitors this week with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stone have been Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. C. S. Stone and son, Bill Stone of Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bell of Lone Wolf, Okla., were in Stanton Monday. He is a nephew of Mrs. Nettie Milhollon.

Mrs. Dan Green had as weekend visitors Mrs. William Brayton and Judy of Austin, Mrs. Roger Stephenson of Midland, Mrs. Dorothy Hanks of Hobbs, N. M. and Rev. and Mrs. Reace and daughter of Hobbs, N. M.

Jerry Graham of Houston is here visiting with Stanton relatives and friends.

Ringener Reunion Held In Lindale

Martin County residents attended a Ringener Family Reunion during the July 11-12 weekend at Lindale.

The reunion was held in the home of Mrs. Floyd Munn and Mrs. Kate Ashcraft.

Seven of the eight brothers and sisters attended. Present were Mrs. Zada Hoover of Midland, Walter Ringener of Stanton, Howard Ringener of Tarrant, Jim Ringener of Lenora, Mrs. Martha Kienle of Minna, Ark., Mrs. Munn and Mrs. Ashcraft.

The one brother who was unable to attend was J. D. Ringener of Iraan.

Sixty-nine persons were present. Attending from Martin County were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ringener and family, Mrs. Lillian Clanton and children, W. A. Ringener and Reba, Howard Ringener, Mrs. Loyd Ringener and children, and Jim Ringener.

Rotary Club Hears Midland High Students

Jay Brimm and Russell Smith, both Midland High School students, spoke to Stanton Rotarians at noon Wednesday, July 15 at Belvue Restaurant.

Brimm and Smith, who were introduced by R. O. Smith of Midland, spoke on "Alcoholism."

Stanley Wheeler, president, was in charge of the meeting. Giving the invocation was George Shelburne. James Webb introduced the guests.

Fourteen persons were present including guests, R. O. Smith, Harold Jernod and H. C. Herrick, all of Midland; Tom Ross and Elmo Wasson, both of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baugh and Patsy Jane of Stamford visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bridges.

Mrs. J. T. Johnson of Jayton is visiting here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Sale and family.

FFA Chapter Receives High Rating At Austin

A superior rating was given the Stanton chapter of Future Farmers of America at the 31st FFA convention last week in Austin.

Attending the state convention were Kenneth Hale, Bud Green and Ronnie Houston. They were accompanied by Milburn Wright, Jr., vocational agriculture instructor.

Jerry Batson of Ackerly received a scholarship at the convention. He and Clyde Feaster of Colorado City, both received \$500 Anderson-Clayton Cotton scholarships. The \$500 awards will be applied toward college fees for studying agriculture.

Area FFA boys who received Lone Star awards were Phil Wallace, Ackerly; Robert Homan, Colorado City; Jerry Kelly, Dawson; Edward Barkowsky, Flower Grove; Hubert Dean, Lamasa; John Wallingsford, Lorraine; Tony Allen and Bill Davis, Sterling City.

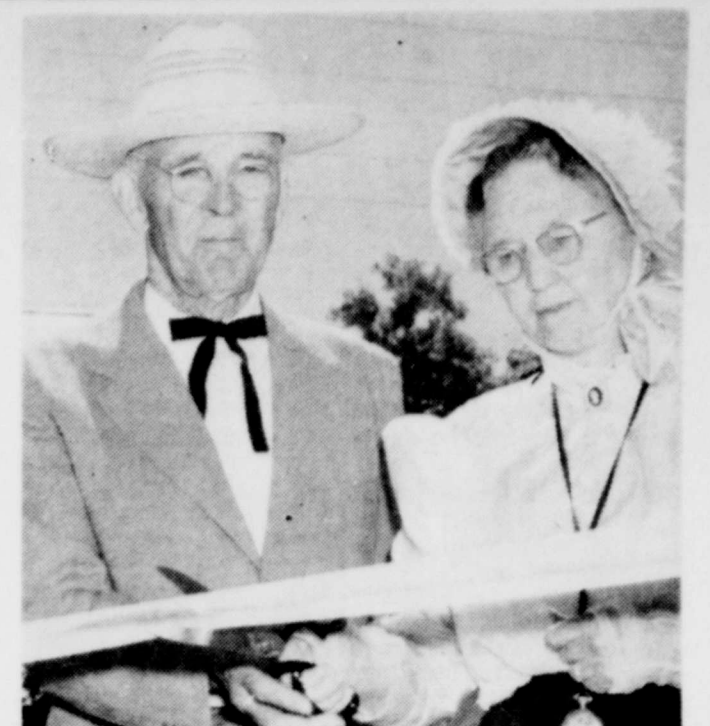
The convention was held Wednesday, July 15-Friday, July 17.

Fun Nite Held Each Week At Methodist Church

"Fun Nite", a weekly recreation for the young people of Stanton, is held each Friday evening at the First Methodist Church.

The meetings begin at 8 p.m. A planned and guided recreational period is held each week under the direction of Floyd Jennings, youth director from McMurry College.

All young people in Stanton are invited to attend.



OPENING OF JUBILEE CELEBRATION—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kaderli are pictured above as they cut the ribbon which marked the official opening of the Martin County Diamond Jubilee Celebration last week in Stanton. Mr. and Mrs. Kaderli have been married longer than any other couple who were married in Martin County.

—Personals—

Nancy and Timmy Dillon of Lubbock are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Robeson. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. James Dillon of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Robeson have returned home from a trip to St. Paul, Minnesota, Detroit Lakes and other points. They have also been in Ruidoso, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Mitchell and family of Andrews visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Ratliff and Larry.

Mrs. Marshall Yates and children have returned home from Hico where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bouldin and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell.

Mrs. Robert Vutech and children of Hobbs, N. M., visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clements. Mr. and Mrs. James Cranton of Roswell, N. M., are also to visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Clements.

Mrs. W. J. Fenton and Tammy of Oklahoma City, Okla., have returned home after visiting

with Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and sons. Mr. Fenton came after Mrs. Fenton and Tammy over the weekend. They had spent two weeks here.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Nobye Hamilton and Lela Hamilton have been Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Davis, Mary Lou and Deen, of Sherman; H. C. Hamilton and Mrs. Buddy Simmons and Robby of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hamilton and Horace of Big Spring. They all attended the Jubilee Celebration and the "Jubilarama." Mr. and Mrs. Davis also visited in Midland with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Coggin of Austin visited last week with Mrs. C. E. Coggin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Johnston and Beverly of Riverside, Calif., have gone to Ranger to visit relatives after visiting in Stanton. From Ranger they are to return to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson are to leave Thursday on a trip to Fort Worth, Dallas and other points in East Texas.

Observance Of National Farm Safety Week Began Monday

National Farm Safety Week is being observed this week in Martin County along with counties all over the nation.

The week started Monday. All farmers have been urged to read up on farm safety and to follow through on the rules.

Each year 12,000 persons are killed on American farms. Another 1,000,000 are injured. And to make the picture more grim, the National Safety Council says many of the deaths are somebody's fault and could be prevented.

The council says human failure — ignorance and carelessness — are the main causes of the accidents. The Department of Agriculture and the Council are sponsoring the annual Safety Week.

As individuals, rural residents can help in the battle against farm accidents by making regular inspections of their home,

buildings, fields, machinery and equipment.

A little repair and extra care usually is all it takes to bring safety to a farm.

In groups, farmers also can work for safety. Rural organizations can make accident prevention a part of their activity and a feature of their programs, Green said.

National Farm Safety Week first was observed in 1944 when the National Conference for Farm Safety decided an extra effort should be made to stamp out accidents on America's farms.

The group decided to set aside a special observance to stress accident prevention. Just how successful the effort has been can be measured by the steady decline of farm deaths and injuries.

In 1950 the death rate per 100,000 farm persons was 62. Last year the number had fallen to about 57.

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County Library Has Shown Rapid Growth

Martin County Library was started as a project of the Stanton Study Club.

Through the work of many interested citizens the library has grown and is now located in the second story of the stone building northwest of the courthouse.

Miss Carrie Alvis serves as librarian and the library is open from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. each Wednesday and Saturday.

Tentative plans for a library were made by the Study Club in 1931-32 during the administration of Mrs. R. W. Hamilton. Mrs. E. Clyde Smith was appointed to head a committee.

A room on the second floor of the Martin County courthouse housed the first library and two shelves of books were the nucleus from which has grown the present library. The library was kept open on

Saturdays with members of the Study Club acting as librarians.

From here the library moved to a building located on the lot opposite the Blocker Chevrolet Company, which was the property of F. A. King, and which was offered to the club, rent free. It was there that furniture was painted, curtains hung, and a semblance of a real library came into being.

While the library was housed in this building Mrs. J. B. Collier consented to become librarian. Though her interest and zeal books were recovered that had been checked out when the library was in its beginning.

This building was moved by Mr. King and converted into a dwelling and again the library moved to the courthouse in a small room on the second floor.

It was in the summer of 1941 that the library again moved. The library was moved to the third floor of the courthouse. In 1943 the Martin County commissioners voted for the county to pay the librarian's salary.

Later it was moved to the present location.

Band Students Are To Attend School At Alpine

Stanton band students are to attend a band clinic and marching school in August at Sul Ross College, Alpine.

The school will be held August 24-August 31.

Approximately 40 band students are scheduled to take part from Stanton.

Jack Gray, band director, will accompany the group. Also going with the students will be Mrs. Gray and several other sponsors to be selected at a later date.

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PERSONALS

Guests last week with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Myrick were her sister, Mrs. Ed Conaway of Colorado City; their granddaughters, Linda and Janice Myrick of Odessa; Mike Baugh of Dallas and Charlotte Craft of Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cox entertained with a birthday dinner Friday for their grandson, Morgan Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox.

Rev. and Mrs. M. O. Southerland and children are in Marletta this week where he is conducting a revival at the Marletta Baptist Church. His father, Rev. M. O. Southerland, Sr., is pastor of the church.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



MARTIN-HOWARD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT
Jack Buchanan, Ollie Robertson,
Bernard Houston, Larry Shaw
J. D. Crawford.

The Martin-Howard soil conservation district is one of more than 2,800 such districts throughout the country being honored by issuance of a commemorative soil conservation stamp by the post office department.

The stamp will be issued August 26 at Rapid City, S. D., at the annual meeting of the Soil Conservation Society of America, and will go on sale at local post offices the following day. The stamp, in 3 colors, depicts a modern conservation farm, and is of 4-cent denomination.

The Martin-Howard soil conservation district was organized by local farmers in 1940. The district now has 1588 cooperators, of whom 1056 have basic conservation plans.

The district is governed by a board consisting of Bernard Houston, J. D. Crawford, Larry Shaw, O. Robertson, and Jack Buchanan. Technical assistance is provided by the Soil Conservation Service. Jack D. Hodges is in charge. Other SCS men working with the district include Jerry B. Bradley, Ed Williamson, and Silas Flournoy.

Here are some of the accomplishments made by the district and its cooperators: 75 new district cooperators in last year; conservation practices applied to the land include: conservation crop rotation, 13,028 acres; contour farming 2510 acres; cover cropping 10,348 acres; terracing 158 miles; waterway development 13 acres; range seeding 15,901 acres; and brush control 31,996 acres.

The soil conservation stamp is a salute to progress in our own district and other such districts across the country.

Officers which served then were J. H. Burnam, noble grand; Luke Cathy, vice grand; and J. R. McKinsey, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pierce have been visiting in San Antonio. They went after their daughter, Lou Wanda, who had visited there.



MAN-SIZED HAMBURGER—Kelly Moore, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore of Midland and grandson of Jim Kelly of Stanton, has his dinner in hand during the Martin County Diamond Jubilee, which was held last week in Stanton.

Our Lady Of Mercy Academy Established Here In 1894

In 1894, two Catholic sisters, Mother M. Beachman and Sister M. Agnes arrived in Stanton from San Francisco, Calif., to establish an Academy and Day School for Catholic children for an area of West Texas extending from Fort Worth to El Paso.

The school was named the Our Lady of Mercy Academy. The sisters settled in the present convent building. An east wing was added and in this building were stationed the classrooms, two large dormitories and a few private rooms.

In 1902, the center building to the convent was built and it contained an office, girls and boys dining rooms, kitchen, bakery, laundry, boys dormitory and the sisters rectory.

From 1894 to 1912, the faculty consisted of Sister M. Beachman, Sister M. Angela, Sister M. Magadeleine, Sister M. Camilla and Sister M. Vincentia.

More help was needed, so Sister M. Xavier, Sister M. Josephine, Sister M. Brigid, Sister M. Augustine, Sister M. Magadeleine, Sister M. Antonio, Sister M. Cecelia, and Sister M. Columbus

came from Ireland to help with the school.

Opening of the oil fields in West Texas in 1929-1931 saw a large increase in enrollment in Our Lady of Mercy Academy. During this period, a high school, under the supervision of Sister M. Aloysius was affiliated with the state department.

After over 50 years of service to the Stanton church operations at Our Lady of Mercy Academy were suspended.

This suspension, due to a rapid decrease in enrollment of students, was hastened by a cyclone which struck the Academy on June 11, 1938. Damage to buildings was so great it was deemed inadvisable to stand the expense of repairing the damage.

The Academy was then moved to Slaton.

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Senator Preston Smith

Some other legislation besides taxation has failed to be completed thus far in the "race with the clock" in one regular and two special sessions of the 56th Legislature.

The legislation involved the state's landowners, sheep, goat and cattle raisers, and sportsmen and hunting lease owners.

After six months' of work, to get some "bugs" out of the bill, the measure is a move to prevent a particularly obnoxious form of trespassing.

Need for the legislation grew out of a lucrative promotional racket several years ago, in which a lot of people discovered they could sell two and one-half to 10 acre tracts in Texas to people over the nation. The land, worth from one dollar to \$5 an acre, was sold for upwards of \$200 per acre. Small landholdings were bought up entire and "subdivided". One location, mentioned in studying the measure, was the sale of the square-mile atop of a mountain at Marathon. The land atop the mountain was inaccessible. Such sites were sold to people through out the nation and abroad.

Meanwhile, actual ranches were being enlarged.

The result was several hundred tiny "islands" of land owned by non-residents within the pastures of the large ranches. The big ranch owner is required by law to allow the plot-owner to cross his land.

To capitalize on the hunting rights market, smart people in counties where these "islands" of land exist, went to the deed records and got the names of non-resident owners. They then leased the tiny plots for hunting. Hunters, once on such a basis, didn't confine their hunting to the tiny "islands" but used the surrounding ranch areas. The confusion and destruction of land and animals is being solved, legislators believe, by the not-yet-complete bill.

Mrs. Guy Henson and children of Beauford, S. C. are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. William Henson.

Cotton Planting Up

The Agriculture Department Wednesday estimated Texas farmers planted 6,700,000 acres of cotton, 18 per cent more than planted last year.

Although well above last year's 5,675,000 acres, this year's Texas estimate is far below the 10-year average of about 9½ million acres.

The department estimated the cotton acreage for the nation at 15,890,000, an increase of 28 per cent over last year.

The department will make no forecast on production until August 10.

Cotton is being grown under

a new program this year which permits producers to increase planting allotments 40 per cent if they are willing to take lower price supports. The department has reported that allotments under this program totaled 17,327,000 acres.

Government officials expect markets to take more cotton during the coming marketing year than the current year.

The department estimated 24,500 acres planted to American-Egyptian cotton in Texas, an increase of 87 per cent over last year.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny White and children of McCamey visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Echols. The White family had just returned home from a trip to Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cox visited Thursday in Lamesa with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hardin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrell and Don of Midland visited recently with her mother, Mrs. Effie Cave. They all went to Lake Thomas.

J. H. Thraikill Honored With Birthday Party

J. H. Thraikill was honored on his 83rd birthday with a surprise party Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stewart.

Giving the party were members of the Lenora Baptist Men's Sunday School Class.

Ice cream, cake and punch were served to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fryer, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Callaway, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Langston and Faye, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Kingsfield, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley, Mrs. Mary Ruth Holloway and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ringener, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thraikill and Fran, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clinkscales of Greenwood, S. C., J. H. Thraikill, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and Mr. Chandler.

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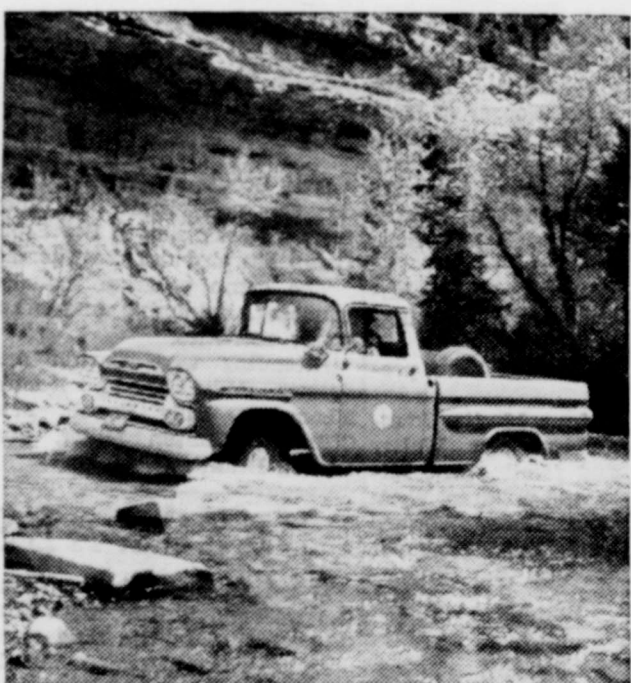
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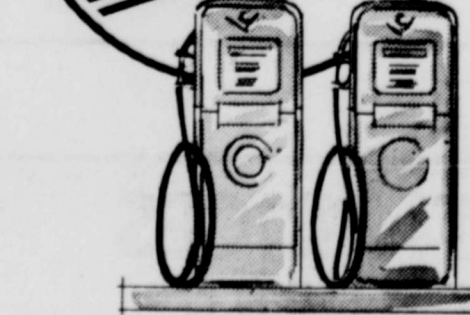
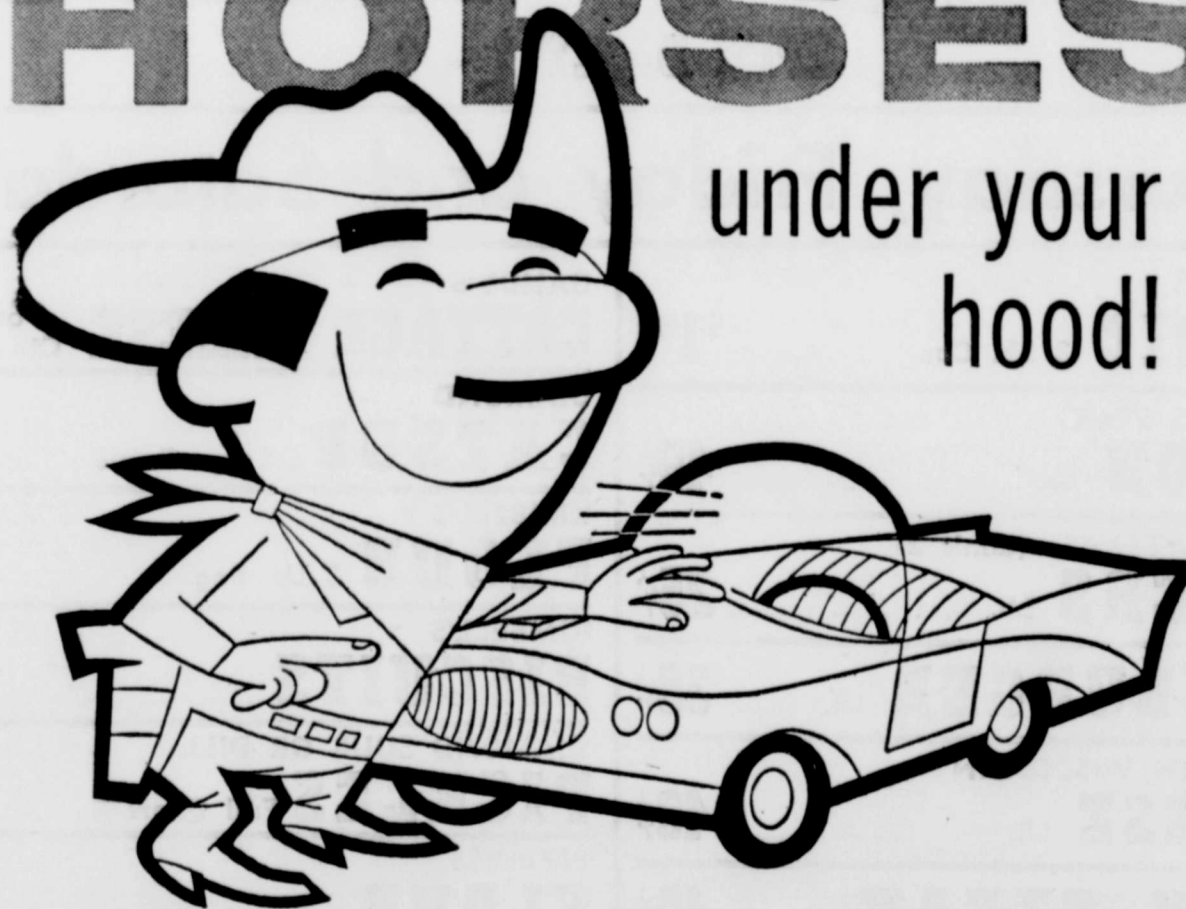
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BIBLE COMMENT

Paul Preached Freedom And True Brotherhood

Freedom and brotherhood are terms that need a lot of careful definition in the difficult times in which we are living. And there is no better guide to an accurate and workable definition of this term than the writings of the Apostle Paul.

Paul puts a great deal of emphasis on freedom. He had been a legalist, and the meaning of his conversion to Christianity has been the discovery of a new freedom. Religion became a matter of the heart to him. It concerned faith more than formal observance that lacked the spiritual reality.

When he lists the fruits of the spirit: Love, joy, peace, suffering, gentleness and goodness, his comment is final. He says, "Against such there is no law." That is the essence of Paul's

philosophy of freedom. It is always associated with goodness. "The law is our schoolmaster," he declares, "to bring us to Christ." He adds, "Christ is the end of the law for everyone that believeth."

What Paul says concerning liberty in relation to Jewish law is true of liberty in relation to all law. Their relationship to liberty makes all laws either a curse or a blessing.

The freedom to do right is a very real freedom and all laws that suppress that freedom are bad.

Freedom and brotherhood were associated with each other in Paul's religion. The life that was lived in the path of freedom was fulfilling the law.

"All the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." That phrase expresses the feeling of brotherhood without any limitations.

Some persons claim that Paul's practicing of brotherhood was limited to the community of Christians. It is true that Paul did regard Christians as owing a special obligation to one another.

But the word "neighbor" meant the same thing to him that it meant to Jesus when He told the parable of the Good Samaritan.



FAMILY AFFAIR—Martin County's Diamond Jubilee, which was celebrated last week in Stanton, provided an occasion for the Hensons to get together. From left, they are Loyd Henson, holding his granddaughter, Candy; Kenneth Henson with his nephew, Randy Henson and his daughter, Sandy Henson; and Homer Henson, holding his son, Dale. Candy and Sandy Henson are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Henson and Randy Henson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Henson. Homer Henson and Dale are cousins to the others.

PERSONALS

Guests last week with Rev. and Mrs. N. L. Range and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Louder were Mrs. Range's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brumit of Dallas.

Joan Range, who has been teaching school at El Campo, is spending the summer with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. L. Range. She is to teach school in Midland next year.

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Report Of Third Annual Martin County Reunion

Following is a report published in The Stanton Reporter on July 14, 1933. It details the facts concerning the third annual Martin County Old Settlers Reunion.

The third annual meeting of the Old Settlers Reunion was held Tuesday evening on the courthouse lawn. Approximately 350 persons attended.

S. C. (Tink) Houston, president of the reunion, was toastmaster. President Houston had the program so well in hand that it moved rapidly and without a hitch.

Those who gave short talks were George Mulkey of Denton, who came the longest way; Mrs. John Richards of Andrews, who 27 years ago on the day of the reunion came to Stanton; Fred Peters of Monument, N. M. who reminisced on the old days in

Martin County, going back as far as 1880.

The only new officer elected was Cal Houston, president, in place of S. C. Houston. Other officers are E. P. Woodward, W. T. Epley and Mrs. Morgan Hall, who retained their places as vice presidents and secretary.

George Shelburne conducted a memorial service for the old settlers who had died since the last meeting.

J. L. Hall gave the welcome address; Rex Garnett gave a prayer and music was provided by old fiddlers, Mrs. Rufus Parks, Jr. sang a solo, accompanied on the piano by Alene Kaderli. Mrs. Katherine Hearn also sang a solo, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Parks, Jr. A reading was given by Mrs. John F. Priddy and Mrs. Claud Houston played the piano for the group to sing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Following the close of the reunion a dance was given on the main street downtown.

Fred Peters of Monument, N. M. while attending the reunion related a few things he knew about Martin County back in the 80's.

The only place for the settlers to get water at that time was from an old wooden water tank at the T&P railroad to which was attached a hose for the settlers to fill their barrels. If the water got a little low in the tank the hot sun caused the staves to spring a leak and water oozing out caused a regular loblolly under the tank, making it almost impossible to get water without the team and wagon bogging.

Mr. Peters told of the "cattle drift." It was in the years of 1886 and '08. All this county was in the throes of a most disastrous drouth. Cattle, by the thousands, drifted down through Martin County from Amarillo Country to the Pecos river. In the fall all the cowboys that could be gotten together were assembled and with chuck wagons pulled for the Pecos to round up the cattle and bring them back to their rightful ranges.

Second County Fair Held In 1934

On November 16-17, 1934 Martin County held its second county fair.

Superintendents of the fair were Mrs. Finley Rhodes, home demonstration department; T. B. Stewart, agricultural division; John Priddy, poultry department; and Horace Blocker, sheep department.

It was held in the two buildings across the street from the First National Bank.

Prizes were awarded for best display of products grown, preserved and manufactured on an individual farm in 1934; best canning exhibit; best display of fresh vegetables; best exhibit of grain sorghum; best three stalks of cotton; best exhibit of corn; best 30 open bolls of cotton; best three-inch bundle of sorghum; best three-inch bundle of sudan; best peck of sweet potatoes; best watermelon, best pumpkin, best gallon of dry beans, best gallon of dry peas.

Also best pound of country butter, best home-made cheese, best one dozen eggs, best pound of honey, best gallon home-made syrup, best exhibit of home-baking, best exhibit of home-made candies by girl under 18, best quilt top, best tufted bedspread, best tufted pillow, best rug or mat, best home knit sox, best display of natural flowers, best looking car, 10 years or older.

Other divisions were for chickens, turkeys, sheep, bull dogs, and relics and curios.

Various prizes included \$5 worth of lumber, a 50 cent can of tea, an Elgin watch, an inner tube, 25 cents of pills, a hair cut, house dress, picture frame, motor oil, flour, gas and other items.

Cash prizes ranged from \$1 to \$2.

WT Hospital Group Slates Odessa Meet

About 200 administrators from hospitals in West Texas and the Panhandle are expected for the annual conference of Northwest Texas Hospital Assn., Oct. 22-23 in Odessa.

Including practically all Texas hospitals west of Fort Worth, the NTHA is the oldest hospital organization in the state.

The meeting gets under way at 9 p. m. Oct. 22 with registration in the Lincoln Hotel. Earl Benson, administrator of Medical Center Hospital, Odessa, is chairman of local arrangements.

Highlight of the convention will be installation of Milton Ramsour, administrator of Pecos Memorial Hospital as president. He will succeed C. H. Denning, assistant administrator of Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

A banquet Oct. 22 in the Lincoln Hotel will close the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Atchison are in El Paso this week where he is to receive medical treatment. Mrs. Mary Wilson accompanied them to El Paso.

Personals

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Nance were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McWhorter and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hargrove of Eunice, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Eudy of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holden and Beverly and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Swinney of Big Spring, Mrs. Grace Nance and Beverly McClellan of Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilkes and children were in Dallas last week.

Gary McDaniel of San Antonio is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilkes and family.

Mrs. Hattie Wylson of Baird, N. M. visited last week with Mrs. Ann Davis.

Mrs. John Huff of Bryan is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Ann Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Zimmerman of Midland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Zimmerman. Visiting Thursday with the Zimmermans was Mrs. Ellison Tom of Midland.

Steve Edwards is visiting in Seminole with Jimmy Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. Deroy Anderson and son of Tokio visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fugary.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Holland and family of San Angelo visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly and family. Elaine and Benny Holland remained here for a longer visit with the Kelly family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall visited Sunday in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Curry.

Mrs. L. I. Langley is a patient in a Big Spring hospital. She underwent surgery last week.

Barbara Moore of Midland returned home Sunday after visiting with Mrs. Flora Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Johnal Woody and Ken of Odessa visited Saturday with Mrs. Inez Woody and others.

Mrs. O. L. Snodgrass was in Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Howard of Midland visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clements, Beverly and Cindy, returned home Sunday night from a five-day trip to Colorado and New Mexico. They visited Colorado Springs and returned home by way of the Baptist Encampment at Glorieta, N. M.

Brenda Eckert of Odessa is visiting with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eckert Sunday the Eckerts visited in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. James Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Gotcher of Kermit visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Edwards. Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Gotcher then attended a shower in Big Spring for Rosa Lee Ebersol, bride-elect of Donald Howard Reed. Reed is Mrs. Edwards' grandson.

Mrs. Don Sebastian and children of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey White. Visiting last week with the Whites were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. White, Jr. of Tulsa. Susie White remained for a longer visit with her grandparents. Mrs. Sebastian and children are to be here two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell are visiting in Harper, Kerrville and Johnson City. They are to attend a homecoming Sunday at Post Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elam of Lamesa visited last week with

Mrs. Hattie Estes and attended the Old Settlers Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gilmore and son, Timothy, visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley. Also visiting in the Ashley home were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Robertson and children of Sweetwater.

Mrs. C. C. Kelly returned home Thursday from Abilene, where she had been visiting with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stephens and family. Mrs. Stephens has been ill, but is reported to be improving. Diane and David Stephens returned home with their grandmother to visit several weeks.

Mrs. Lila Flanagan underwent surgery Friday morning in Midland Memorial Hospital.

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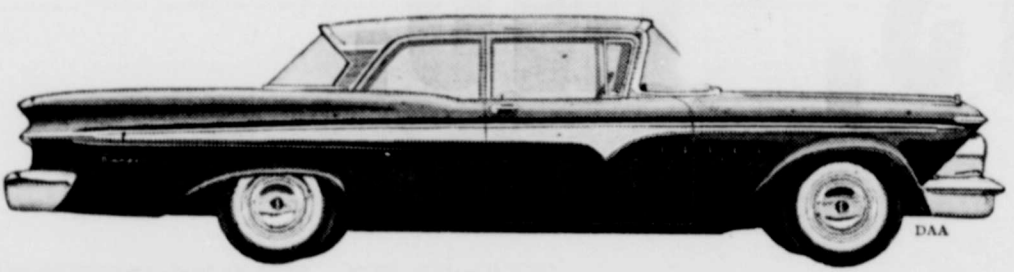
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SHS Majorettes Return From Fort Worth

Three Stanton High School Band majorettes attended a twirling and drum major workshop at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth.

Attending the twirling school were Marsha Bristow and Linda Saunders. Glen Reid attended the drum major's school.

The girls left Stanton on July 5 and returned home July 11.

Woody Woodard of Fort Worth conducted the school. Other instructors included Linda Arnett, head majorette at TCU, Billy Head of Fort Worth, Johnny Jones of Fort Worth, and Jim Jacobsen of Fort Worth.

Mrs. P. M. Bristow and Tim and Mrs. Stanley Reid and Gary went after the girls.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Annie Thomason has returned home from a trip to El Paso.

Jimmy Hisey of Midland is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wheeler and family.

Mrs. C. G. Stinchcomb and daughters of Odessa visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hull and family. Bobby Hull returned home with them for a visit.

Tarzan 4-H Girls Learn To Make Cookies

Peanut butter cookies were made by members of the Tarzan Do and Learn 4-H Club Monday at the home of Mrs. O. Robertson.

Present were Sandra Pugh, Marva Cox, Mary Ellen Pribyla, Carol Ann Pribyla, Dena Robertson, Anita Woody, Lou Wanda Pierce, Mrs. Robertson and a guest, Patsy Sanderson.

Henson Reunion Held Sunday

The family of Mrs. Alta Henson met for a reunion Sunday at the city park.

The group enjoyed a picnic lunch.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Henson, Brenda and Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Leman Henson, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Coggin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Coggin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knight and children, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Straub and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stone and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Olvis Johnston and Beverly of Riverside, Calif. and Mrs. Alta Henson.

Davis Family Holds Reunion

Members of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Davis of Stanton held a reunion Sunday, July 12 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Davis.

Only four of the nine children were present for the reunion.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Davis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Creech and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Creech and children, all of Martin County; Mrs. Doris Taylor, of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Halbrook and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cross and children, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Cross, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham and children, all of Midland; Mrs. Bill Williams of Knott; Mrs. Arthur Schauer and family of Chicago, Ill.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gilbreath are the parents of a daughter, Rhonda Sue, born at 6:03 a.m. Monday, July 20, in Malone-Hogan Hospital, Big Spring. She weighed 7 pounds 5 1/2 ounces.

The Gilbreaths also have a son, Ricky, 2 1/2.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Bland of Leuders and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gilbreath of Stanton.

Snooter Knows

(Continued From Page 1) dismantled their windmills and abandoned their water wells. The reason for the change-over was obvious — in order to build and maintain a water works plant it was necessary the system be supported by all citizens paying a monthly charge for the amount of water each patron used.

All through the eight years of drought suffered in Stanton, never was there a time the city was forced to place restrictions on the amount of water a patron could consume.

Fortunately, because the frequent rains falling in the community this Spring, the city's water consumption has been down considerably in comparison to the drain on the supply over a period of several years past.

IT'S NOTED SOME OF THE incorporated towns are falling in line with a plan to remove old junk, trash, dead grass, and weeds from vacant city lots. Since the communities have received so much rain weeds are growing waist high.

The plan undertaken by these towns is the city sends the vacant lot owner a notice of the condition of his lot and asks him to do something to correct the situation. A sufficient period of time is given the lot owner to comply with the city's request. If he fails the city clears the lot, and charges the expense to the lot.

MARTIN COUNTY DIAMOND Jubilee celebration, commemorating the county's seventy-fifth birthday, has moved into past history. The five-day-week long program ended with last Saturday night.

The next notable event to happen in the historical life of Martin County will be in 1984 when it will have arrived at the age of one hundred years old.

PERSONALS

Leonard Foreman, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Foreman of Richmond, Calif., has returned home after visiting a month with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Foreman of Lenorah.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MARTIN
CITY OF STANTON

Be it known that the City Council of the City of Stanton, Texas, met in regular session at the City Hall on the 7th day of July, 1959, and among other proceedings had by the said Council was the passing of the following Ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE FIXING FIRE LIMITS IN THE CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS, TO INCLUDE W/2 BLOCK 4, ALL BLOCKS 5, 17 & 18, W/2 BLOCK 19, ALL BLOCKS 25, 26, 27 & 28, S/2 BLOCK 29, S/2 BLOCK 34, S/2 & NE/4 BLOCK 35, AND ALL BLOCKS 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 & 42. ORIGINAL TOWN OF STANTON, TEXAS; GOVERNING BUILDING, ENLARGING AND ALTERATION OF BUILDINGS WITHIN SAID FIRE LIMITS AND REQUIRING INSPECTIONS AND PERMITS FOR THE SAME; PROVIDING FOR PERMIT AND INSPECTION FEES; PROVIDING THAT ANY PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION WHICH SHALL DO ANY ACT PROHIBITED OR FAIL TO DO ANY ACT REQUIRED BY THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE DEEMED GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND UPON CONVICTION THEREOF SHALL BE PUNISHED BY FINE OF NOT LESS THAN \$5.00 AND NOT MORE THAN \$100.00 FOR EACH OFFENSE, AND THAT EACH DAY SUCH VIOLATION EXISTS SHALL CONSTITUTE A SEPARATE OFFENSE; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT WITH THIS ORDINANCE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Stanton, Texas, at a regular meeting of the City Council held on the 7th day of July, 1959.

S. W. Wheeler
Mayor

ATTEST:
M. H. White
City Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. James Glynn and children of Ballinger are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Röss and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glynn.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the town of Stanton, Texas, Martin County, Texas, at 9:00 A.M., on Monday, the 3rd day of August, 1959, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Martin County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1959, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Doris Stephenson,
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hancock visited over the weekend in Lawn with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hancock. Mrs. Curtis Hancock and her sister, Mrs. Hubert Chastin of Sweetwater also attended an old settlers reunion at Buffalo Gap.

Mrs. Alfred Tom of Midland was a Stanton visitor Tuesday. Irvin Graham is a patient in a Big Spring hospital.

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