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BAPTISTS TO HOLD ANNUAL SESSION AT DIMMITT SEPT. 13

The Tierra Blanca Baptist Association will hold its 41st Annual Session with the Baptist Church at Dimmitt, Texas on Thursday, September 13, 1946 according to an announcement of Dr. Roy L. Johnson of Canyon, Clerk of the Association.

The program will begin at 10:00 o'clock with moderator H. E. East of Tulla presiding. After organization and election of officers for the coming year, reports on various phases of denominational work will be heard. District Missionary, B. N. Shepard of Plainview, will be one of the morning speakers and Dr. Howard Williams of Dallas, the Executive Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will close the morning services with a report of the cooperative work of Texas Baptists who, during the current year, have sent more than three million dollars through the Dallas office for various phases of missionary and benevolent work. Baptists have no executive heads over their churches, but work on a principle of voluntary cooperation and more than 3,000 churches of Texas cooperate with the Texas General Convention.

The Dimmitt Church will be host to the visitors at the noon hour after which the afternoon session will be given to associational matters. It will begin with the annual sermon to be delivered by Rev. M. J. Lee of Dimmitt. Rev. R. H. Cagle of Hereford will report for the Executive Board and present a suggested budget for the new year. Mrs. R. L. Roots of Hereford and Rev. Ed Byars of Dawn are scheduled to report on the Sunday School and Vacation Bible School work of the past year which is the best in the history of the association. Mrs. A. O. Thompson of Hereford will report on the work of the women.

The evening session will begin at 7:30 and will present a variety program consisting of special music from Hereford, Canyon, and Happy with brief reports on Student work by Robert Kilgore of Canyon and on the recently established Bible Chair at West Texas State College by Miss Eula Potter. The Brotherhood work of the Association will be reported by W. H. Harden of Canyon and James I. Payton of Canyon will deliver a brief address on "Everyday Righteousness." The chief address of the evening will be delivered by Dr. A. Hope Owens of Plainview on "Our Baptist Heritage." The evening meeting will close with a talking motion picture entitled "That Boy Joe." This picture is a portrayal of the influence of beer on juvenile delinquency and vividly calls attention to the necessity for total abstinence.

The meeting is scheduled to adjourn at 9:15 and visitors of any denomination are welcome to attend this inspirational and business session of the Baptists of Tierra Blanca Association which is the missionary organization of nineteen churches in parts of six counties in this section of Texas.

CALLED TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Jim Wilkinson and son, Money Wilkinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Statton left Tuesday for Los Angeles, California, to attend funeral services for a nephew of Mrs. Wilkinson, Mr. Walter White, who was killed in a Labor Day car accident. Mr. White was reared at Erick, Okla. Mrs. White is a sister of Mrs. Statton.

Jimmie Mears, son of Mr. B. B. Mears arrived in Dimmitt Tuesday from Oxford, Calif., where he had been for the past two years. Jimmie was accompanied to Dimmitt by his father who went to California last week, and is now enrolled in the local school.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this method of expressing my appreciation to the Dimmitt Volunteer Fire Department, and to others, for the efficient work which saved my business building from destruction during the recent fire which was quickly brought under control.

Sincerely
Garnett Holland

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Green and family returned home Thursday afternoon after a visit with her mother at Cleburne. They also made a business trip to Fort Worth

EASTERN STAR TO MEET TUE. NIGHT

According to an announcement by Eastern Star officials, a meeting of that organization will be held Tuesday night, September 10 at 8:00 o'clock in the American Legion Hut in Dimmitt. All members are urged to be present for this meeting.

PACIFIC VETERAN ARRIVES HOME

Staff Sergeant Fred Annen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Annen, arrived home recently from Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio Separation Center, where he received his discharge from the Armed Forces. Annen had been in service for the past two years with 18 months overseas. He saw active service in the Philippines and Okinawa.

BETHEL NEWS

Sunday School met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan with good attendance. Rev. Dyess brought the sermon for the day.

After months of delay because of shortage of material, work has been resumed on our new community building. Doors and windows will be in place and the seats set up by next Sunday and everyone in the community is invited to Sunday School at Bethel community house on next Sunday and every Sunday.

Week-end guests in the J. C. Williams home were Mrs. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fullingum and baby of Albuquerque. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and their guests ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams near Hereford.

The young people of the neighborhood surprised Mr. and Mrs. Fate Sannon Thursday night by gathering at their house for a party. Games of dominoes and 42 were enjoyed until a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McEntire and children of Floydada spent Friday night with Mrs. McEntire's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell. They went on to Amistad, N. M., Saturday where they spent Labor Day holidays with Mrs. McEntire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell. J. A. Bagwell, who has been here plowing wheat land went home to Amistad with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fate Shannon and David attended a family reunion of the Shannon family in the park at Plainview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell, Carolyn and Sue returned Sunday from a visit with Mrs. Bagwell's parents and other relatives at Granite, Okla.

Marilee Cooper visited Marlene Rothwell Friday.

Mother Howell and sons, Gaston and Carroll of Muleshoe spent Sunday in the Moss Howell home.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell, Mrs. J. D. Davis, Sr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell visited Mrs. Bryan Sinclair Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan and Mrs. Elizabeth and Grace Louise Lust were shopping in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss Howell and children were Lubbock visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan Sunday.

Dinner guests in the Harry Rothwell home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Billie B. Sinclair and Houston Lust.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dunn of Hereford visited the Leland Smiths and Iver Bagwell's Sunday.

Dinner guests in the J. C. Williams home Saturday were Mrs. Williams' sister, Miss Winnie McLain of Dallas, accompanied by Miss Winnie Eakin of Dallas and Misses Edith Bardsly, Ruby Worley, Grace Smith and Mrs. Jackie Bolton all of Oklahoma City. The group was returning home from vacations spent in New Mexico and Colorado.

Patricia Howell returned home Friday after a month's visit in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Seaborn Teague at Slaton. Mrs. Teague and daughter, Shirley, brought her home and spent the night in the home of Mrs. Teague's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billie B. Sinclair and Houston Lust were among the visitors in Amarillo on Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Finch went to Amarillo Wednesday where Mr. Finch is attending a Chevrolet parts school.

INFORMATION ON CERTIFYING WHEAT

In order to certify wheat according to County Agent King a farmer must secure No. 1 certified wheat seed and this seed must be planted on summer fall land.

Many inquiries have been received at the County Agents office in regard to wheat certification and available sources of certified seed.

Some 5500 bushels of certified seed have been secured out of the county besides the wheat that was grown in Castro County last year.

Certified wheat sowers from Castro county include W. W. Gilbreath, Frank Dorris, E. L. Ivey and William Hochstein.

ATTEND FAMILY REUNION SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skipworth, Mr. Ernest Skipworth and son, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Weyer and little daughter, Mrs. Lee Irvin and two children, Mr. Edwin Kimbell and Mrs. Midge Gafford attended a reunion of the Skipworth family, held in the Plainview City park Sunday. There were ninety-eight friends and relatives present for the enjoyable occasion.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

(By Boyce House)

A Texas classic is the "Babe of the Alamo" speech made, many years ago, by Guy M. Bryan in the House of Representatives:

I intended, Mr. Speaker, to be silent on this occasion, but silence would now be a reproach, when to speak is a duty. No one has raised a voice in behalf of this orphan child; several have spoken against her claim. I rise, Sir, in behalf of no common cause. Liberty was its foundation, heroism and martyrdom consecrated it. I speak for the orphan child of the Alamo. No orphan children of fallen patriots can send a similar petition to this House—none save her can say, "I am the Child of the Alamo."

Well do I remember the consternation which spread throughout the land when to sad tidings reached our ears that the Alamo had fallen! It was here that a gallant few, the bravest of the brave, threw themselves betwixt the enemy and the settlements, determined not to surrender nor retreat. They redeemed that pledge with the forfeit of their lives—they fell, the chosen sacrifice to Texas freedom.

Texas, unapprised of the approach of the invader, was sleeping in fancied security, when the gun of the Alamo first announced that the Atilla of the South was near. Infuriated at the resistance of Travis and his noble band, he marshaled his whole army beneath the walls, and rolled wave after wave of his hosts against those battlements of freedom. In vain he strove; the flag of liberty—the Lone Star of Texas—still streamed out from the breeze and floated proudly from the outer wall. Maddened and persistent, he reared his batteries and, after days of furious bombardment and repeated assaults, he took a blackened and ruined mass—the blood-stained walls of the Alamo. The noble, the martyred spirits of all its gallant defenders had taken their flight to another fortress, not made with hands.

But for this stand at the Alamo, Texas would have been desolated to the Sabine. Sir, I ask this pitance, and for whom? For the only living witness, save the mother, of this awful tragedy—"this bloodiest picture in the book of time," the bravest act that ever swelled the annals of any country.

Grant the boon! She claims it as the Christian child of the Alamo—baptized in the blood of a Travis, a Bowie, a Crockett and a Bonham. To turn her away would be a shame! Give her what she asks, that she may be educated and become a worthy child of the State—that she may take that position in society to which she is entitled by the illustrious name of her martyred father—illustrious because he fell in the Alamo.

Mr. Sam Maynard was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Phillips of Littlefield. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Butler and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Butler and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nicholson, Mrs. Edmond, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Phillips and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Orban Phillips and son, Mrs. Sam Maynard and children, Clinton Phillips.

PLAINS DAIRY HERD IMPROVEMENT ASSN.

The following is a report for the month of August given by Robert Huseman, tester for the Plains Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

Nine herds were on test with a total of 219 cows that gave a total of 119,564 lbs of milk and 5486.2 lbs fat. This was an average of 545 lbs milk and 25 lbs of fat per cow.

J. E. Rigler of Plainview had the highest herd average of 612 lbs of milk and 29.1 lbs of fat per cow. 32 cows were on test. Highest 3 cows in butterfat was:

1. Jersey owned by Frank Huseman with 1,296 lbs of milk testing 5.5 percent giving 71.3 lbs B. F.
 2. Jersey owned by J. E. Rigler with 1,169 lbs of milk testing 5.9 lbs giving 68.9 lbs of B. F.
 3. Jersey owned by J. E. Rigler, 1,283 lbs testing 5.3 lbs giving 68 lbs B. F.
- Highest 3 cows in Milk Production:
1. L. R. Vaughn of Olton, Milk-Jersey Shorthorn 1,448 lbs. milk.
 2. Frank Huseman, Jersey, 1,296 lbs milk.
 3. B. E. Brumley, Holstein, 1,265 lbs milk.

PRECAUTIONS URGED TO PREVENT FALL COLDS

Austin, Texas—With the approach of fall and the attendant seasonal changes of weather, common colds become much more prevalent and widespread in the state.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning against the careless treatment of any respiratory illness since they can and frequently do result in the dreaded complication, pneumonia. He emphasized the fact that pneumonia usually strikes with little or no warning, following a simple cold, an attack of influenza or some other respiratory infection.

"A cold or any other infection of the breathing passage, especially if accompanied by fever, demands the immediate attention of a doctor," the State Health Officer said. "To try to fight such a disease without bed rest and by means of self-medication may endanger life unnecessarily."

According to Dr. Cox, prevention is better than cure and in order to avoid colds, influenza, and pneumonia he advised building up normal physical resistance by sufficient ventilation, adequate nourishing food, outdoor exercise and sufficient sleep and rest. "However," he added, "if, in spite of such care, a respiratory illness develops, the family doctor should be called immediately."

The fact that pneumonia is definitely a communicable disease is often overlooked, Dr. Cox stated, but this should be borne in mind so that the danger of passing the disease from one person to another can be eliminated.

FRIO NEWS

There were eighty-eight in Sunday School Sunday. Bro. Allen filled his regular appointment and was a dinner guest of relatives in Hereford.

The rain which has fallen the past week has amounted to around 2 inches of moisture.

Mrs. H. M. Mobley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mobley left Wednesday night for Grandfalls to visit Mrs. Mobley's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bentley. While there they also visited in Juarez, Mexico and Carlsbad Cavern.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Dodson and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Robbins and family.

School began Monday with Mrs. Roy Calvert as teacher. Miss Marcia Robbins went to Claude Friday where she will be employed as first grade teacher.

Mrs. H. M. Mobley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mobley were dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Elis Todd and family in Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Robbins, Pat, Glenda and Betty arrived home Wednesday after an extended visit with relatives in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haberer and daughter, Betty and Jean went to San Antonio to meet their son and brother, Philip Haberer, who recently returned to the States after two years in service in the Pacific war zone.

4-H WORKERS RETURN FROM STATE CONFERENCE

Five Castro County 4-H Club boys and girls, two adult leaders, the County Agricultural Agent and Home Demonstration Agent, attended the 4-H Club Round-Up at College Station August 28-30.

The round-up was the first held since 1941 and was attended by 1200 4-H Club boys and girls, leaders, county and Home Agents from every county in Texas. The theme for the 4-H round-up was "Contributions of 4-H Clubs can make in building citizenship, local, State, National and international." The program was both educational and recreational in nature.

The Club members were selected for outstanding work done in the past and all five received much information that will be helpful to them while leading their club during the coming year.

Club members selected were: Doyle Davis, President of the Hart Club. Doyle was a winner last year in the Santa Fe Contest and received an all-expense paid trip to the National 4-H Club congress. Doyle has been a winner in the Sears Contest and has been a consistent winner with his registered Jersey cattle. For demonstrations this year Doyle has Jersey cattle, registered swine, wheat, corn and hogs.

Doyle will judge in the 4-H Division of the state 4-H Club Jersey show at Waco September 6.

The other 4-H Club boy selected was Floyd Acker, secretary of the Nazareth 4-H Club. Floyd was selected because of his work with swine. He has been a winner of the Sears Contest, county achievement award, Producers Grain Corporation and has been a consistent winner with his swine in the show ring having shown the Chester White Champion at the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show last Spring.

The 4-H Club girls who attended were Narda Sue Warren, Dimmitt Sr. 4-H Club; Viola Stork, Nazareth Sr. 4-H Club, and Betty Brooks of the Hart 4-H Club. Narda Sue was Castro county's entry in the Dress Revue contest. Narda Sue made a very good showing in the Revue although she did not win first place. She said the judges told her she would have been next choice after the state winner. Fifty-five girls, representing that many counties, modeled their dresses in the Revue.

Viola Stork, president of the Nazareth Senior Club and Betty Brooks, secretary and past president of the Hart 4-H Club as well as 1945 Gold Star girl and 1946 Talent Club winner were the two official delegates to the 4-H Round Up.

While enroute to College Station last Tuesday the Castro County group had the distinct honor of meeting Governor Stevenson and visiting with him in his private office at the Capitol building in Austin.

Adult leaders who attended the round-up were Jacob Acker and Mrs. Wm. Hochstein of Nazareth.

RAILWAY CO. ANNOUNCE AGRICULTURAL AGENT

The appointment of A. K. Hepparty to the position of Agricultural Agent for the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway Company and The Wichita Valley Railway Company, effective September 1, was announced today by L. R. Capron, Vice-president, Burlington Lines, Chicago.

This appointment has the effect of including the Texas territory served by these railroads within Hepparty's jurisdiction. His headquarters will be in Denver, Colorado, where he also represents the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad and The Colorado and Southern Railway.

HAPPY EDGE CLUB MEET

The Happy Edge Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Henderson Aug. 21. Six members answered roll call. After a short business session, Miss Petty gave a demonstration on block printing.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Wilmer Crum, Henry Wilhelm, Elmer Dishman, Homer Herring, Bob Steffins. One visitor, Mrs. Knight, and the hostess, Mrs. Frank Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fulkerson left Thursday for Santa Anna, Texas, for a month's visit with her brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Wesley Fox is visiting relatives at Amarillo this week.

THIEVES TAKE TIRES FROM LOCAL VEHICLES

Tire thieves were busy in Dimmitt Thursday night of last week, and increased the tire shortage here by eight tires and tubes. Six new implement tires, with tubes, were stolen out of a pick-up, belonging to Glenn Youts, and which was parked near his home in west Dimmitt. The thieves also removed a wheel, with tire and tube, from Mr. Youts' Chrysler which was also parked at his home. The tire and tube stolen off the Chrysler were also practically new. Before the thieves discontinued their operations for the night they visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Att Webb and stole a wheel, with tire and tube, from their Buick. The loss of the Buick wheel was suddenly discovered Friday morning when Mr. Webb drove the car off the blocks on which the axle had been resting. No arrests have been made in connection with the car thefts.

Mr. Youts is offering a \$50 reward for information leading to the apprehension of the thieves and recovery of his tires.

HART NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hastings and Robbie May were in Lubbock on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Martin and Lury are in Florida visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wells and family.

A. L. Hawkins visited in Dallas from Wednesday to Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamm have received word from their son, Melvin, that he has arrived in the states and expects to receive his discharge soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cluck and family have returned from a week's vacation in Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bacon Jones and son and Mr. Jones' father and mother, all of Bonham, Texas spent part of last week in the parental Aven home. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Aven entertained at dinner for their children, attending from out of town other than the Jones' were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Aven and children from Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson and son from Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brown and children and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Aven and children from Hart.

Mrs. W. C. Dinwiddie and Mrs. J. H. Hankins spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dinwiddie. Mr. and Mrs. Rondo Dinwiddie and Borden were dinner guests on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Cox have returned home after visiting relatives and friends here. They, with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Cox and Claude and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Height and children attended the Cox family reunion at Buffalo Lake.

Mr. Brooks Lewis of Albuquerque, N. M., was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Height and Mrs. Charles Taylor and sons were in Lubbock Tuesday afternoon. Joe Newman and Owen Hanks returned to the Merchant Marine for duty reporting at Houston the last of the week.

Mrs. Bird Cox and son, Claude, were in Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Iley S. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. John Rice and daughters are in Chicago this week visiting Scott's son Stanley, who is a student at the University of Chicago. Mrs. Joe Crowley and small son returned to Chicago with them where they will make their home.

Miss Betty Brooks has returned from Austin, San Antonio and College Station where she went sight seeing and to attend a 4-H Club School.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Van Vleit and children, Miss Grace Ray and Opal Ray spent the week-end in Sulphur, Okla., where they visited their sister, Irene, and helped her celebrate a birthday with her family.

Rain has been very spotted around here the past week with some sections still in need of moisture.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bennett just south of town.

Miss Jewel Barnes of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Williams at Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers of Austin are here for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rawlings.

Washington News Letter

(By Congressman Eugene Worley)

On July 1, by 8 o'clock, we were circling Bikini lagoon around 8000 feet altitude and were in the 10 to 20 mile zone as we had been instructed to be the previous night at the briefing. The first zone extended to 10 miles and the second 10 to 20 and an Army man estimated that we were approximately 13 miles from the spot where the bomb was to explode, which is about the same distance the plane was when the bomb was dropped at Hiroshima. We were provided with a pair of the darkest glasses I've ever seen. It was impossible to see anything through them but they were a necessary precaution against temporary blindness from the illumination of the bomb itself.

We were also outfitted with life-preservers and parachutes, as well as a small piece of film which was designed to reflect any radioactivity which might come in our direction. The bombardier was about 25,000 feet at 8:30 and had already made one "dry" run. At that time a cloud was over the target and he advised he would make the final run at exactly 9 o'clock if possible. By virtue of an excellent radio timing hook-up all ships and planes in the air were informed the instant the bomb was released. At exactly 9 o'clock, word came over the our hook-up—"Bomb away!" the warning bell rang, the black glasses were immediately put in place and everyone sat with tense expectation because it hardly takes more than a minute for a bomb to drop 25,000 feet. An Army Colonel had said our plane would receive a heavy jolt when the bomb exploded and accordingly all of us were braced for it. I personally felt nothing stronger than what I thought was an air pocket but other Members said they thought it was somewhat worse. At any rate, I saw the most brilliant flash of light ever through those dark glasses I've ever seen. You couldn't tell whether the bomb had hit its target but immediately upon removing the glasses, we saw the most brilliantly white and almost solid column of churning smoke climbing straight up into the air. We could see all ships still afloat but within a few minutes one had sunk, three were listing and burning and a most peculiar and fantastic green color was spreading on the water just over one of the aircraft carriers close to the target. One of the men aboard our plane who had been at the New Mexico bomb experiment said the ground out there had turned practically the same color. In and out of the tremendous column of smoke we could see the Army and Navy "drone" airplanes flying through the smoke clouds. These airplanes were controlled by radio and were equipped with all sorts of devices to test the heat, radioactivity, and everything else of a scientific nature which might have been generated by the explosion. This in itself was weird and it was almost unbelievable that the drone airplane could maneuver almost as perfectly as if a human hand were at the controls.

Our pilot and most everyone aboard was inquisitive so we eddied in as close as we could for a better view and circled the lagoon and even-heightening smoke column for about half an hour before returning to Kwajalein.

As another precaution all aircraft traffic within a radius of 500 miles surrounding Bikini had been frozen for a 24-48 hour period on account of the possible dangers of radio-activity. As we left, the top part of the cloud had reached an approximate altitude of 35,000 feet and was slowly dissipating. Due to the shortage of time we had previously been given permission to leave Kwajalein for Guam immediately if we assumed what ever radio-activity hazards were present, which we did. I understand most everyone back in the States had heard an on-the-scene description by radio but it was rather garbled. I understand also a number of people have expressed their appointment over the power of this bomb, but so far as I am concerned, it is by far the most destructive power man has ever had a hand in. This view was shared by all of the military and naval personnel with whom I talked.

Next Week: The Philippine Independence Day Celebration.

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TRACT II: All of the South half of a 640 acre tract of land, situated in the County of Throckmorton, State of Texas, patented to John Early by Patent No. 39, Volume 4 dated September 1, 1887 Deed Records of Throckmorton County, Texas.

Mr. Ernest Skipworth and son, Jimmy, of El Paso returned home Sunday night after a ten day visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skipworth.

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MIDWAY CLUB ENTERTAINS

The Midway Club entertained members of their families with their annual picnic and party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barber Eubanks on Friday night, Aug. 23.

After the meal was served, games were played until a-late hour, and everyone declared that the annual party is the most enjoyed meeting during the club year.

Club members with their families attending this event were: Mesdames Joe Benson, John Blaine, W. C. Crick, Verle Crick, Bill Crum, Savaris Carrell, Noel Gohshon, Billie Graham, Jr., Raymond King, Maurice Foust, O. E. Howe, Cliff Gibson, W. R. Gibson, George Webb, Miss Petty, Wallie Cayton, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Barber Eubanks.

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FOR SALE—Comanche Seed Wheat, especially adapted to irrigation.
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FOR SALE—1938 Chevrolet pickup.
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FOR SALE—9 ft. International one-way, good condition, bought new this year.
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WANTED—Dirt moving of any kind; Irrigation tanks, stock tanks, land levelling, etc. See or write—
D. W. Wallace
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FOR SALE—10 ft. Moline one-way, with new 26 inch discs. A good one.
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FOR SALE—Recleaned Wichita Wheat seed also Turkey Red and Smoothie Head Wheat. We also have for sale one Standard Oliver Row Crop Tractor, rear wheels steel, good tires on front wheels, complete with planter, lister, and cultivator attachments. All in first class condition.
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FOR SALE—12x16 government granary. Could be used for living quarters.
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Ted Sheffy or
Bill Graham

FOR SALE—Chevrolet motor, 41 model, ready to go on irrigation well. Price \$200. See at Dimmitt Motor Company.
Arthur Kleman

FOR SALE—Pony and saddle and boys bicycle.
Jimmy George

Just Received—Carload Rock Phosphate, on the track at the Farmers Grain Co. in Hart. This phosphate does not harden in sack, and cannot be stored until spring when phosphate is scarce. 2tc.

REWARD—I will pay a \$50.00 reward to anyone who furnishes information leading to the recovery of seven tires stolen from my place Thursday night, Aug. 29. Any information will be treated confidentially.
Glen Youts

FOR SALE—Van Brunt Wheat drill, in running condition.
C. J. Mapes

FOR SALE—Upright Gulbransen piano, good condition. Also 10 inch John Deere feed grinder.
Wes Anthony

FOR SALE—Ripe Tomatoes, \$2.50 bu. Black-eyed peas \$1.75 bu. Hot chili pepper 20¢ lb.
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FOR SALE—24x26 business building to be moved. Half of building floored with 2x8's. Next door to postoffice north.
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