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The Greatest Mother in the World



RED CROSS WAR FUND MARCH 1-1943

Symbolic of the role the Red Cross is again playing, the 1943 Red Cross War Fund poster depicts the organization as a mother ministering to the needs of the men of the United States armed forces and the victims of war throughout the world...

Red Cross Needs \$125,000.00 To Finance Wartime Program

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Faced with the greatest wartime program in history, the American Red Cross will launch its 1943 War Fund appeal for \$125,000,000 on March 1...



Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Youngblood and son, and Mrs. A. M. Wilson and daughter, Mattie Mae, of Tulla, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson, Sunday...

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REMEMBER THIS



Little Jack Horner sat in the corner. Boo! Incidentally the Journalism class is going to have a party at Jo Ella's...

Bobcats Win Final Game

The Bobcats played their final game of the season with Canyon. It was played in the Canyon gymnasium. The final score of the game was 28-24. This was a good game with both sides doing some good playing...

STAFF Editor in Chief: Sue Shelly Associate Ed.: Harriet Huckabay Sports Ed.: Mary E. Behrens...

From The Editor's Desk

Spring is sprung! Fall is fell! Winter's still here. And it's colder than... usual.

LIBRARY NEWS Some seventeen books were turned into the library this week. These were books given to the Victory Book Campaign...

CLASS NEWS The Homemaking girls are sewing this semester. The first and second year girls have started making dresses of cotton material...

Grade School News Last Friday, March 6, Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Bearden entertained the second grade with a surprise party after playing games...

Boxing Tournament Held Wednesday In the boxing tournament held Wednesday at noon, the admission was a book suitable for our boys in the armed forces...

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Raiders Win Boxing Tourney

In the boxing tournament recently conducted in the seventh and eighth grade boys' physical education class, the shagging Raiders, led by John Cryer, topped top honors by winning three out of the five weight divisions...

Fuzzy-Wuzzies

Few of the many pictures that have come from the battle zones in the jungle islands of the Southwest Pacific have failed to show the husky, bushy-haired natives of those islands doing their part, along with their fighting men and their leaders...

Senior Play Cast Selected

Casting has now been completed for the senior's local presentation of "Dude Ranch." James Beach's brand-new comedy hit with songs, rehearsals are now progressing under the direction of Mr. Wright...

Salute To Boys In Service

Sgt. Kenneth Scarborough son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Scarborough, West to school at Dimmitt High School until he was a Junior...

Gremlins In Dimmitt High

For years the students have been misapplying making low grades on tests. Teachers have always told students that you are dumb payor you are not... it's the gremlins.

National Red Cross Month

March is the month set as National Red Cross month for this year. Castro County has a quota set at \$15,500, but the committee hopes to raise at least \$2,500. The slogan is "Give Double."

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Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY . . . if you're annoyed by "private" electrical problems

What You Buy With WAR BONDS The Before anti-aircraft gun is designed for greater range and heavier calibre than the average anti-aircraft or rapid fire gun...

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THE CASTRO COUNTY NEWS



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B. M. NELSON, EDITOR

Entered as second class matter, the post office in Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, under the act of March 3, 1879.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS To: Bessie M. Hunt. Greeting: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 19th day of April, A. D. 1943, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Castro County, at the Court House in Dimmitt, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 18th day of March, 1942. The file number of said suit being No. 1798. The names of the parties in said suit are: George A. Hunt as Plaintiff, and Bessie M. Hunt as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Plaintiff's cause of action is for divorce, awarding custody of children and allowance for maintenance of said children. Plaintiff alleges that Plaintiff resides in Castro County, Texas, and that Defendant resides in the State of Missouri.

That Plaintiff has been an actual bona fide resident of the State of Texas for a period of 12 months and has resided in Castro County, Texas, wherein suit is brought for a period of six months next preceding the filing hereof. That on or about the 6th day of August, 1936, Plaintiff and Defendant were duly and legally married in the County of Cedar, State of Missouri, and continued to live together as husband and wife in the states of Missouri, Idaho and Texas until on or about the 15th day of September, 1941.

That at all times while married to the Defendant Plaintiff has conducted himself with propriety doing his duty as a husband and has at all times treated the Defendant with kindness and forbearance and has been guilty of no act causing the hereinafter described acts and omissions on the part of Defendant.

That Defendant is guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward the Plaintiff of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable. That such acts caused the separation of Plaintiff and Defendant on or about September 15th, 1941.

That there was born to this Plaintiff and Defendant three children, George A. Hunt, Jr., a boy five years of age; Harold Eugene Hunt, a boy three years of age; and Caroline L. Hunt, a girl one year of age. Plaintiff asks that custody of said children be awarded to Defendant and that he be decreed to pay \$20.00 per month, or such sum as he is able to pay for the support of said children.

That Plaintiff and Defendant own no community property. Wherefore Plaintiff prays for judgment for divorce, for disposition of custody of said children, for judgment allowing maintenance of said children and for such other and further relief as the court may deem proper.

Issued this the 3rd day of March, 1943. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office, in Dimmitt, Texas, this the 3rd day of March, D. 1943. OLA T. MURPHY, Clerk of District Court, Castro County, Texas

C. Williams, Johnny. Bev. Bob and Don, and Mrs. and Wanda Marie, went Tuesday to visit with returning Wednesday. Homer Newton and Amarillo Tuesday see how.

and her mother, of Lubbock business and



During last summer's heated race for the United States Senate, two old-timers were talking in Gatesville. "They don't have campaigns as hot as they used to," said one.

"No," the other agreed. "Now, the Hogg-Clarke campaign—that was a real hum-dinger."

"Yes," his friend chimed in. "The things that the Clarke people used to tell on Hogg!"

"That's right but those things were true; but the lies that the Hogg people would tell on Clarke—"

"They weren't lies, either," broke in the other. "They were the truth."

And they began waving their canes at each other and friends had to separate them—all because of a race for office 50 years ago.

Don't you think the Legislature ought to do something about there being so many legal holidays in war-time? Banks, for example, besides being closed on Sundays and also on Saturday afternoons, are required by law to observe a flock of other days.

If you can't cash a check and put through a business deal on a Tuesday just because it happens to be Lincoln's birthday, then your mulling a living is interfered with and that slows down your ability to pay taxes and buy war bonds.

Washington's Birthday this year came on a Monday. So from 10 o'clock Saturday afternoon up to 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, there is no banking service. Cafes, stores and other business establishments had to stock up with money to make change and cash salary checks of customers for most half a week.

State departments also close on all these holidays and employees recently enjoyed a vacation and a half days—in the middle of the week.

The Legislature could strike our list of holidays and when we are at war, that on days, Christmas, New Year's, July, Thanksgiving, and Day and Texas Independence shall be official holidays.

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Canucks and Yanks Fly Wing to Wing Guarding Alaska



High over the great mountain ranges of Alaska speeds a flight of R.C.A.F. Kittyhawks, ready to meet in the air anything the Japs may send against the shores of this northern outpost of the continent. Each day the aircraft of Canadian and United States forces cover many miles over dangerous mountain country and the lonely waters of the northern Pacific. In the case of a large scale invasion of North America by the Japanese it is probable that these aerial fighters would be out in front to bear the first shock. They have already clashed with strong forces of the Jap and bombed his outposts on a number of occasions.

With their Kittyhawks waiting behind them the eager-birds, a group of Canadian fighter pilots fighting over the Aleutians alongside of American pilots lean over their maps while discussing the day's operations. One Jap fighter plane was bagged recently by Wing Commander Kenneth Boomer of Ottawa.

Castro County Has

- One Bank. Lions club. Ice delivery. 1,018 farms. One hospital. Three hotels. Welding shop. Two laundries. Public library. 35 Boy Scouts. Boy Scout band. 423 farm trucks. Boy Scout troop. Girl Scout troop. Two drug stores. Five restaurants. Two cotton gins. 10 public schools. High school band. USDA war board. 1,065 automobiles. One variety store. Four barber shops. 23 filling stations. Red Cross chapter. 944 farm operators. Weekly newspaper. One Masonic lodge. Active Garden Club. Seven types of soil. Two Lumber yards.. West Texas Gas Co. Elevation, 3,865 feet. One Catholic church. 85 commercial trucks. One real estate office. Two blacksmith shops. Four hardware stores. One commercial dairy. Order of Eastern Star. 125 Four-H club boys. Five Girls' 4-H clubs. One Odd Fellows lodge. American Legion post. Five implement houses. Moving picture theater. One incorporated town. 41,226 miles paved road. Two insurance agencies. Twelve grain elevators. Two abstract companies. 4,631 population (1940). 400 miles telephone wire. New county court house. Three practicing lawyers. Nine protestant churches. Cold storage food lockers. County agricultural agent. Two practicing physicians. National Farm Loan Bank. Two baby chick hatcheries. Commercial printing plant. American Legion Auxiliary. 86,656 miles state highway. Six wholesale oil companies. School lunchroom programs. Parent-Teacher organizations. 1,078 qualified voters (1942). Five grain elevator companies. Reynolds Greenhouse, flowers. One established produce house. One dry cleaning establishment. Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co. Three rural electrification units. Independent telephone company. Five Home Demonstration clubs. Two state roads under construction. 900 square miles; 576,000 acres. County home demonstration

BETHEL

We were sorry to have no Bethel news last week but the writer was the victim of a severe case of influenza. Misses Edith Neill and Carrie Russell visited in the home of Miss Neill's brother at Black over the week-end and attended the revival meeting at Summerfield. Mr. and Mrs. Clem Benton of Dimmitt visited in the J. C. Benton home last Sunday. The Womens Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. E. R. Sparkman last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Nowell and Jaquita of Maple, Texas, visited over the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell. Sunday guests in the Jim Bagwell home were their daughter, Mrs. Ray

HITLER ONCE TRIED SUICIDE

ANY predictions have been made that Adolf Hitler, Nazi Fuehrer, will commit suicide when his twisted mind realizes the hopelessness of his cause. Few, however, know that Hitler once raised a revolver to his head as he groaned, "Everything is ruined. I am going to end it all." A woman took the gun away from him. This occurred at the time of the November 1918 Nazi putsch, before Hitler's rise to eminence as Germany's Fuehrer. Other revealing incidents in the stormy career of the fanatical Fuehrer are likewise brought to light by a man who, for 14 years was Hitler's closest friend, Ernst Hanfstaengl, He used to soothe the emotional ex-house painter with his piano renditions of Wagner's compositions. Writing in the March issue of Cosmopolitan magazine, Hanfstaengl pens an intimate and clear picture of the Nazi leader and his sinister zycophants and their plans of world conquest. Hanfstaengl fled Nazi Germany six years ago shortly after Hitler ordered him to Hitler's music room and directed him to play his own funeral march on the piano. Treachery, murder and intrigue was the pattern followed by the Nazi party under Hitler and other Nazi party leaders, Hanfstaengl relates. In fact, violent death occurred in Hitler's own residence when he discovered that his sweetheart had fallen in love with her Viennese voice teacher. The night she told Hitler she wanted to leave him she died from a bullet wound. The gun was Hitler's, but Hitler said she had killed herself. Hanfstaengl writes that a party leaver who refused to accept the suicide explanation subsequently was murdered. Tracing his association with Hitler from the night he first met him in 1923 to the evening he played his own funeral dirge at the Fuehrer's direction, Hanfstaengl outlines the history of the Nazi party's rise in Germany and Hitler's constant scheming for world power. Throughout his article parade such personalities as Rudolf Hess, now a prisoner in England following his fantastic airplane flight from Germany where he was deputy Fuehrer; the clue footed and jealous Goebbels, minister of propaganda; Alfred Rosenberg, whose fanatical hatred for Communist Russia was always being poured into Hitler's ears, and a number of women who have figured in the German Fuehrer's life. The woman of the moment with Hitler, writes Hanfstaengl, and if she was addressed by the erotic Nazi leader as "My sunshine" and if she happened to be blonde, "My golden one." The sweetheart who died, writes the former head of the Nazi Foreign Press Department, was "Geli" Raubal, daughter of Hitler's half sister. She was a vivacious and pretty blonde. She was 22 when she arrived in Munich in 1928. She had dreams of becoming a singer. She moved into Hitler's house and began to appear in expensive gowns and furs, and about that time Hitler discarded the symbolic boots of the World War German soldier and became clothes conscious. When Hitler learned "Geli" had fallen in love with the young teacher they quarreled. "On the day she wanted to leave Hitler's house, she died," writes Hanfstaengl. In sudden panic Hitler sent for Herman Goering and Gregor Strasser, the party leader. Soon after their arrival, Strasser left grim-faced; he had refused to call it an accident. Hitler's hatred of him dated from that moment, Strasser was later killed in the Nazi purge. Hanfstaengl's differences with the party chieftains over Nazi policy forced him and Hitler farther apart. "As I fell from favor, old friends who feared to talk came to me with stories of Nazi atrocities. I determined to have it out with Hitler. He seemed to sense something was wrong. He motioned me silently to the music room; his eyes were icy and remote. Inside he turned and stared at me for a long moment and then he pointed to the piano. "Play your funeral march," he said. Sometime later Hanfstaengl was ordered on a mysterious mission by plane. Convinced this was to be his Nazi execution, he evaded his companions and fled to England.

Want Ads

FOR SALE good 4 room house to be moved after purchase. See C. G. Maples. FOR SALE—Six-year-old saddle horse. Bargain at \$75.00. Can be seen at B. D. Shipley farm. 1tp SEWING WANTED—Draperies preferable. Eva Jackson, one block west of grade school. 2tp FOR SALE—Hampshire sows and pigs. Also good, clean soybean seed, \$2.50 per bushel. Leave your orders at my farm. J. W. Schwallier, Nazareth, Texas. 3tp STRAYED—Three-year-old yellow Jersey cow with horns. Left my place about ten days ago. Liberal reward. Carl Kemp. 2tc Mr. and Mrs. Stub Jones had as guests over the week-end, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Welch, of Dawn, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dixon of Hereford visited in the Jones home Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ramey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Buchanan, at Plainview Sunday. They were accompanied by Decima Ramey, who visited her aunts, Mrs. H. S. Hilburn, Mrs. Effie Jacobs. L. A. and Mrs. Hudson drove Groom Sunday afternoon. Mrs. F. son visiting with her parents, and Mrs. Phil Farley and L. A. continuing on to Fort Worth. Mrs. H. son returned home Tuesday accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Ed Wagner of Groom. Mrs. Glen Styles of Big Square. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams were Sunday guests in the J. C. Benton home. Cpl. and Mrs. Frances King of Dalhart were here recently for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin E. King. Cpl. King is in the engineering department of the glider training school at Dalhart.

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New Spring BONNETS

in Felts, Satens, Milans, Failles. For chic, smart wear this spring, choose your hat now from our large selection of Brewsters, Gages ... and see Bury's.

Fashion Dress Shoppe