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and
castro county
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With politics and political candidates dominating the news it is a little difficult to come up with a subject that would attract much attention until after the primary Saturday.

Among the several million Texans who will be proud when the election is over and the regular routine is again established is George Parr of Duval county. I have never met the Duke of Duval, and have only seen his picture in the paper one time, and naturally I can't report his opinions with any authority. But it is my guess that the guy will be proud when this election is over. When the candidates for governor want a little more political "thunder" or feel that they are running short on material they dig up another indictment or some new charges against Parr, one of the state's lesser political bosses, and start all over again with the threadbare issue. If the Duke can escape conviction until Saturday, chances are that he will go unmolested until another political campaign gets underway.

On the other hand the Duke of Duval has never seen me either, unless he might have seen me on television sometime.

People are funny. They get steamed up over political campaigns and once every two years they air their views and pay some attention to government and affairs of state, then too often sit idle by until another election year rolls around before expressing an opinion. It is possible that if the public would continually keep attention focused on their elected officials and demand efficient and acceptable government the need for heated campaigns might be lessened.

On election years, too, there always arises the question as to what extent and the amount of effort, the citizen should go to in supporting the candidate of his or her choice. Good citizenship requires that the issues in a campaign be discussed and studied and assayed with the purpose of honestly selecting the person best qualified to discharge the duties of the office. I am convinced that open and frank discussion of political issues and the personalities of the individual candidates is the only intelligent way to resolve the various political issues into understandable facts for basis of sensible voting.

We like to believe that this newspaper has supported the candidacy of Judge Ralph Yarborough for the same reason that some of our neighbors and friends have supported the candidacy of Governor Allan Shivers. And that reason is that after all of the issues have been carefully weighed we honestly believe that the supporters of each candidate are conscientiously supporting the man they believe is best suited to serve as governor of the state for the next two years. That is Democracy at work, and so long as we accept the decision of the voters and support our elected officials we can rest assured that our way of life is secure.

For the past few weeks the governor's race has been comparable to the pendulum of a clock, at times it has appeared that first one candidate and then the other was forging ahead. At present it seems that the Yarborough campaign has definitely taken hold and bids fair to smother the Shivers machine with an avalanche of votes.

Many, many voters have been reserving a final decision on their choice for governor awaiting a satisfactory explanation of Shivers' Rio Grande Valley land deal. That explanation has failed to materialize, Shivers' only explanation was that he realized a profit on a transaction. The question is "what was the transaction?" He doesn't say.

Most local people know that two young Dimmitt men lost sizeable amounts of money on a land swindle scheme in the Rio Grande Valley. They also know that the land that Shivers made such a handsome profit on is the same land that was involved later in the same fraudulent deal that relieved a young Dimmitt veteran of \$13,000, all hard-earned money, and none of which came as an easy profit, as did the governor's \$425,000.

Other reasons that Yarborough will be elected by a landslide vote is because that Texans won't forget: That Governor Shivers said that it was against his "fundamental principles" to apply for federal aid for the destitute farmers and

257 People Attend Nazareth Meeting

The 55th annual meeting of the Catholic State League, which convened at the Nazareth Holy Family Parish on Monday and continued through Thursday noon, was declared a big success both from a standpoint of attendance and interest.

A total of 257 Catholic delegates, visitors and insurance representatives from over the state were registered Monday afternoon at Nazareth High School on the first day of the four-day League meeting. Those attending the meeting represented 35 men's societies and 33 women's societies from Catholic Parishes in Texas. The State League is the Texas branch of the national organization known as the Catholic Central Verein of America.

About 200 people were in the parish hall Tuesday morning as Chairman Andrew Acker banged his gavel to start the opening session of the convention. Welcoming addresses by Lawrence Schumaker, Mrs. Ed Brockman, Miss Schulte, County Judge Robert Estabrook and Father Peter Morsch, pastor of the Holy Family Parish, were given in regular order. Joseph Steinhilber responded for the State League, expressing his satisfaction at the good number who had come to the meeting.

The Catholic Life Insurance Union banquet Monday night was well-attended with some 200 persons being served. It was characterized by a very informal and cordial spirit. At the end of the meal, President Ben Schwegman of San Antonio served as toastmaster. Responses were made by

Msgr. Pokluda, Father Lenzen, Father Goertz, Father Wahlen, Father Henkes, Father Wagner, Father Erder, Brother Lawrence Gonner, Felix Stehling and Mrs. Steubben.

About 30 of the 106 field agents of the Catholic Life attended the business sessions during the afternoon.

It was feared that the Youth Delegates to the Nazareth convention might be small in number. However, despite the distance, a large group was in attendance, especially from the local Catholic high school.

Right Rev. Msgr. A. M. Bot (See LEAGUE MEET back page)

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Flagg RNP Club Seeks to Revive C of C Luncheons

Farmer-Merchant Dinner Slated For Middle of August

Meeting in regular session Thursday night at the home of Clyde Davis, members of the Flagg Rural Neighborhood Progress Club set about the task of reviving the farmer-businessman dinner meetings that were so popular in Castro county last fall when the Castro Chamber of Commerce first inaugurated the program.

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Members were served refreshments just before departing.

Other arrest activities included: Driver License violations, 1,525; Drunk Driving, 596; Improper Passing, 767; and Driving on the Wrong Side of Roadway, not in passing, 417.

Second greatest number of warnings, next to speeding, were made for defective lights. There were 6,008 in this category. Other warnings included: Improper Passing, 1,596; Wrong Side of Roadway, not in passing, 1,096; and Stop Sign violations, 1,726.

Leading the list of both arrests and warnings was "speed". Forty-three percent of the arrests and 36% of the warnings were for violations of the speed law.

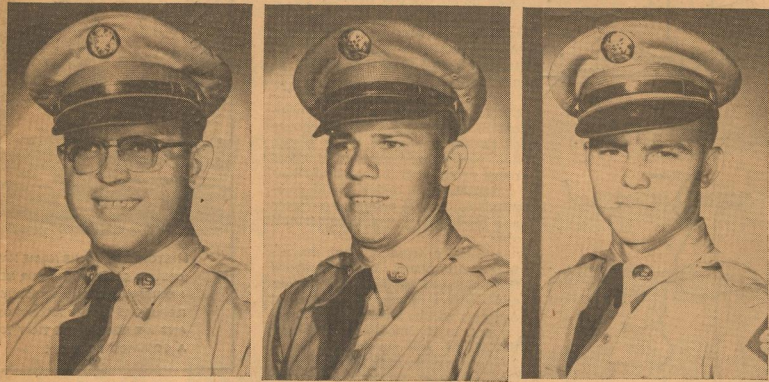
Patrolmen didn't do their work standing still. They racked up a total of 1,163,004 miles during the month while working 101,907 man hours. 37% of which was at night.

All of the patrol work wasn't just riding, either. Accident investigations required 3,431 hours; 1,396 hours were spent on safety work; and patrolmen spent 2,994 hours on court duty.

Members of the Texas Highway Patrol effected a total of 10,903 arrests during the month of May, according to a report just released by W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Patrol Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety. Of these, 8,516—or 78%—were for hazardous traffic violations. As usual, however, the Patrolmen gave twice as many warnings to motorists as they did tickets—a total of 21,898.

A twirling class for members of the Dimmitt High School Pep Squad will begin Monday, August 16, at the high school, according to James W. Bates, who will direct the activities of the local pep squad this fall.

Hot Local, State Races Predicted for Primaries



PVT. DAYTON HACKER PVT. LEO DURBIN PVT. MAXIE WARREN

Three soldiers of the Dimmitt area recently began eight weeks of basic training in the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center at Ft. Bliss, Texas.

They are Pvt. Dayton E. Hacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hacker of Hart; Pvt. Leo Jerome Durbin, son of Mr. Jerome Durbin of Nazareth; and Pvt. Maxie W. Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren of Dimmitt.

All will spend the first eight weeks of basic

training on fundamental infantry subjects like army drill, rifle, machine gun, and bazooka marksmanship, and familiarization with army technical subjects. This first phase of training is climaxed with a one-week maneuver in the field.

Upon completion of their first eight week cycle, they will either be assigned for further training at Ft. Bliss in the techniques of Anti-aircraft Artillery, or they will be transferred to another Training Center for schooling in some

Candidates for county political offices stepped up their campaigns this week in an effort to talk with as many qualified voters as possible and present their platforms preparatory to the county, district and state elections, Saturday.

Indications are that voting will be comparatively heavy in the county despite the fact that absentee voting was light. A total of 1,875 county residents paid poll taxes and most of this number are expected to exercise their voting right when polls open in the county Saturday morning.

Fifteen polling places have been established for the county, according to County Democratic Chairman W. E. Kirkpatrick, Sr. Polls will open at 7 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Polling places and names of election judges follow: Dimmitt, box one—Dewey Wright; Dimmitt, box two—Joe Hastings; Dimmitt, box three—E. C. Yot; Dimmitt, box four—L. C. Lee; South Nazareth, box five—William Hochstein; Hart, box six—Perev Hart; Bethel, box seven—Leland Smith; Jumbo, box eight—Mrs. M. L. Simpson; Sumnerfield, box nine—Mrs. Lee Curry; Sunnyside, box ten—Howard Bridges; Big Square, box 11—Andrew Behrens; North Nazareth, box 12—Art Kleman; Arroyo, box 13—Clyde Hancock; Frio, box 14—J. E. Andrews; and Ester, box 15—Mrs. John Burnett.

Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson has set Friday as the date for a national referendum among growers on marketing quotas for the 1955 wheat crop and the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee urges Texas producers to participate.

If quotas are approved (two-thirds of the voting growers must favor them) producers who comply with their farm wheat acreage allotments may market all the wheat they produce in any way they choose. They will also be eligible for the full level of price support which is authorized for the 1955 crop. Producers who are subject to the marketing quotas, those with more than 15 acres of wheat, will lose their price support eligibility if they do not comply with their acreage allotments. They will also be subject to a marketing quota penalty on their excess wheat.

If quotas are disapproved, there will be no marketing quotas and no marketing penalties. Price supports would be 50 percent of parity for those who comply with their acreage allotments—which will continue in effect even if quotas should be voted down.

Climaxing the Saturday elections will be an election party at the courthouse lawn in Dimmitt. A bulletin board will be placed at the north entrance of the courthouse and voting returns will be posted on the board at various intervals. Complete returns will be posted as soon as they have been tabulated. Election officials will also be in contact with Amarillo and Lubbock newspaper and radio stations in order that state and district election returns may be announced periodically. The election party is open to the public and is expected to attract residents from all over the county.

Castro county voters will cast votes for 12 county candidates when they go to the polls Saturday. Two county and two precinct offices are contested. M. H. Fowlkes, incumbent sheriff is opposed by Jack Cartwright and Mrs. Neva Hastings, incumbent county and district clerk, is opposed by Mrs. Ola Murphy. In precinct one, R. T. Kendrick, incumbent is running against E. I. "Tump" McLain, and in precinct two, Otis English is seeking reelection against Noble Armstrong.

Uncontested offices are: county judge, Robert Estes; county attorney, Russel Moran; county treasurer, Mrs. Faye Holland; commissioner of precinct three, Olen Rice; and commissioner of precinct four, John Stork.

State and district candidates names appearing on the ballot who will serve the people of Castro county follow: district judge, E. A. Bills of Littlefield; district attorney, Joe L. Cox of Plainview; state senator, Andy Rogers of Childress; and state representative, Jesse M. Osborn of Muleshoe. All state and district offices are uncontested.

Annual 4-H Club Rally Day Will Be Held Wednesday

Some 200 4-H'ers, parents and adult leaders representing all 16 4-H Clubs in Castro county will be on hand for the annual 4-H Rally Day which get underway in the Dimmitt High School auditorium Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.

Next week being National Farm Safety Week, the theme of Rally Day will be built around safety on the farm. The purpose of Rally Day, according to County Agent Charlie Hudson, one of the planners of the event, is to provide educational material on farm safety as well as provide an afternoon of entertainment. "The program is also designed to give 4-H'ers an opportunity to become acquainted on a county-wide basis and learn to work and play together," Hudson added.

A feature of Rally Day will be swimming in the high school pool. Club members will be charged 25 cents admission. Games will also be played on the football field under the direction of 4-H leaders who recently attended the 4-H recreation school at Nazareth under the auspices of the State

Extension Service.

All 4-H club members will bring sack lunches which will be spread on the ground at the conclusion of the days program.

Mystery number such as "A Midsummer Night's Dream," or "A Summer Phantasy," will be included on the afternoon program. Staging this entertainment will be Royce Lynn Pyeatt, Della Pohmeier, Bobby Bradley and Milton Moore.

Joe Nelson, Dimmitt 4-H Club member, will serve as master of ceremonies for the occasion.

A complete itinerary for the afternoon follows: 1:30 to 2:00—registration and group singing; 2:00 to 2:10—introduction of guests; 2:10 to 2:40—safety and songs; 2:40 to 3:00—"Midsummer

Night's Dream"; 3:00 to 3:40—film; 3:40 to 4:45—swimming; 5:00 to 6:00—games; and 6:00 to 7:00—supper.

Serving on committees for Rally Day are: Registration—Richard Hunter, Grace Acker, Wilma Noble and Norman Nelson; Group Singing—Royce Pyeatt and Tom Acker, accompanied at piano by Phyllis Wall; Steering committee—Bryce Dowell, Della Pohmeier, Royce Pyeatt and Larry Brittain; Recreation Committee—Della Pohmeier, Phyllis Wall, Wilton Ivey, Bobby Bradley and Joe Pohmeier.

Adult leaders H. C. Nelson and Frank Huseman will have the responsibility of providing refreshments and spreading lunches for the occasion.

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Local Small Fry Win Over Hart

Dimmitt's Junior and Small Fry baseball teams "poured on the coal" Monday night at the local ball park as they blasted the Hart Juniors and Small Fry into submission. The local Small Fry shut out the Hart team, 16-0, while the Dimmitt Juniors won their game handily by the score of 17-4.

Hal Ratcliff pitched a one-hitter as the Small Fry went on a batting spree to defeat the Hart Small Fry. Top batters for the night were Ratcliff, Jerry Hyatt, Morris Booth, Carl Lee Kemp, Don Smith, Jack Ragland, Jerry Cluck, Kent Hance, Harold Golden, Chuck Youts, Alton Fields and O'Neal Moulton. Every member of the Small Fry squad saw action as the benches were emptied.

In the Junior game, James Spear and Jackie Twiner divided the pitching chore. Leading hitters were Coyce Wilkinson, Cary Johnson and Clifford Smith. The local Juniors grabbed an early lead and were never threatened as hits were plentiful throughout the contest.

The two Monday night tilts marked the end of the season for the local Junior and Small Fry teams. Although team standings in the Little League were not available, both Dimmitt teams reportedly "broke even," winning about half and losing about half of all of their games during the season.

The Little League Tournament to be held here will probably be played the first week in August, according to Thomas Earl Harrison, who is helping plan the tourney. About six teams are expected to compete in the five-day event.

Registration for the two-day meeting will begin at 8:30 a. m. at the livestock judging pavilion on the Tech campus.

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Representatives from all over the Panhandle-South Plains area are expected for the meeting.

County Farm Bureau Queen May Receive New York Trip

A bevy of beauties will be on parade in August when the Castro County Farm Bureau Queen Contest is held to select a candidate to compete in the District Farm Bureau Queen Contest. The county and district events are preliminary contests to determine who will enter the state contest at the Texas Farm Bureau Convention this fall. Winner of the title will go to the national convention where she will vie with winners from other states for the national queen crown.

Date of the county contest has not been set, but will probably be held in late August when a county-wide farm bureau meeting is held. Each community in the county may enter a contestant and a panel of judges will select the winner. The county winner will be sent to the district contest, with all expenses paid. In addition Farm Bureau winners will make a prize available to the county queen.

For the girl who wins the state contest, a trip to the American Farm Bureau convention in December in New York will be in store. The Texas Farm Bureau will allow \$500 in expenses for the queen and her matron escort to make the trip on the Texas Farm Bureau special train. District winners will also receive beautiful wrist watches.

To be eligible for competition, girls must be the daughter or the sister of a Farm Bureau member, be single, and be 16 years old by September 1, 1954, and not more than 22 years old on that date.

Among the rules for holding the district and state contests is a provision that the contestant must make a speech from one to one and one-half minutes in length. The subject of the speech will be, "Why I Am Glad My Family Is in Farm Bureau."

Some 60 counties in the state participated in the contest last year, which Miss Fayteen Peoples of Quail won. As many as two that number are expected to enter nominees in the state race this year.

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EDITORIALS

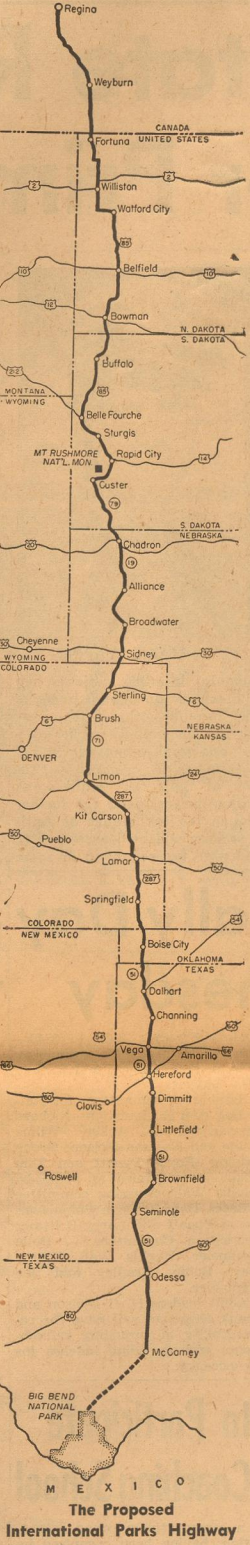
The Big Step

In 1937 a highway was constructed in Texas which extended from McCombe in the Big Bend through Odessa, Seminole, Brownfield, Littlefield, Dimmitt, Hereford, Vega, Channing and Dalhart. This highway was designated as Texas Highway No. 51. The highway served for a decade as a good straight route from the Big Bend country to the Panhandle.

Then, several years ago, a group of men representing most of the towns along the road, conceived the idea of making our Highway 51 a part of a straight route from the Big Bend of Texas to Canada. These men organized and named their group the Highway 51 Association, and went to work on their project. They consulted with men on the highway commissions of Oklahoma and Colorado and received favorable response to their proposal. Men from the three states met and formed the International Parks Highway Association, whose object was to promote the idea for a federally designated International Parks Highway.

And now, after several years of constant plugging for their project, the members of the International Parks Highway Association, which now includes six states and part of Canada, are ready for the big step: a promotional tour, beginning August 30 in Odessa and reaching Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada, September 3, to organize subsidiary divisions in each interested town along the highway. The purpose of the International Parks Highway will be to draw traffic from Canada to Mexico, with each section along the route publicizing other points to keep the traffic and the business it will bring; in other words, 33 cities in six states and the Saskatchewan Province of Canada will be working together co-operatively for the mutual benefit of both the cities and the traffic. The highway will go through such historic and scenic spots as Last Mountain Lake at Regina, Canada; the Great Wheat Belt; the Badlands of North Dakota; the Black Hills of South Dakota; Mount Rushmore National Monument; the Rocky Mountain region; the Oklahoma oil region; the High Plains underground water region; the Texas oil region; and eventually Big Bend National Park and Mexico.

The promotion of this project, which began with the organization of our Highway 51 Association, may be the last step toward federal designation of the International Parks Highway.



'Driver Training Does More Than Develop Good Drivers'

(Editor's Note: The following editorial on driver training appeared in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Saturday, July 17. We feel this editorial serves as another paper's view on a subject which must be incorporated over our state to insure the safety of our drivers of tomorrow.)

The American Automobile Association estimates that 425 lives were saved, 14,910 traffic injuries were prevented and \$42.6 million worth of property damage was avoided by driver education in high schools of this country during the last year.

During the school year just closed more than 330,000 teen-age boys and girls received driver education in 6,500 American high schools, and the largest number since the program was initiated over 20 years ago. The total number of youthful drivers having received the instruction since 1936 is two million. Although purely voluntary, the training has become popular among teen-agers. Most of the cars used have been supplied by dealers and manufacturers.

The AAA believes that driver education in the schools affords a great potentiality for future safety on the highway since today's teen-age motorist is the adult of tomorrow. The necessity for this training of the immature is evident in the fact that young motorists are prime offenders on the highways.

A typical driver education course includes 34 hours of classroom work, eight hours of actual driving practice and another 24 hours of observation of other students driving. There is more than imparting skill to the immature motorist. The most important phase is that the student must learn what his responsibilities are at the wheel. Good sportsmanship—courtesy and fair play—are emphasized more than mechanical skills. Attitudes toward other motorists, pedestrians and enforcement authorities are emphasized.

In those respects, the driver training program is doing more than developing good motorists; it is furthering the cause of good, responsible citizenship among youths. In view of those beneficial results to society as well as the individual, driver training of teen-agers is an inviting cause for agencies that reach youths not handled by the schools.



Recent events are driving home—hard—the vital need for a United America. The latest development is the rapid swing through Asia of Chinese communist leader Chou En Lai. In the course of that trip, he visited practically every important Asiatic official. Our officials can only speculate as to the results of his discussions. But certainly, they are not a good omen for the free world. It is obvious that the communists are seeking to bring all of Asia under their rule. The importance of that objective cannot be overestimated. Exclusive of Siberia, nearly 1,300,000 people live on the continent of Asia. It is a treasurehouse of natural resources. It is fertile and productive—capable of enormous production in food and fiber. MOBILIZED under world communism, Asia's people, resources and productivity would be formidable. Against a treaty of that magnitude, Americans cannot afford the luxury of partisan obstruction and endless dissension. A divided America will be a weakened America and in the modern world only the strong will survive. There are two paths to unity. One is unity through fear; the other is unity through faith and confidence.

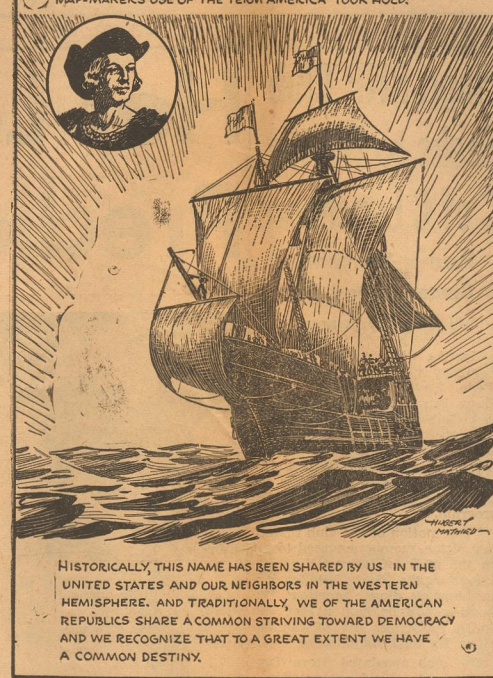
The communists have taken the road of fear. They have achieved unity through suppressing dissension. They have gained solidarity by brutally crushing any opposition. NOWHERE—at any time—have the communists ever won a free election, not even in Russia. In every instance, they have come to power when the people were confused and divided and unable to resist. America must take the other path—the road of faith and confidence. We have usually found our unity by talking out our differences—by arriving at common understandings. That kind of unity is still the most potent force in the world! We may soon be faced with the necessity of reexamining our entire foreign policy. None of the alternatives are pleasant. But we wind our salvation if we face the problems as Americans and not as partisans.

Reexamination will serve no purpose if the sole objective is to prove that some policies of the past were right—or some policies were wrong. No truly American interest is guarded by that attitude. But a searching reexamination—with the objective of preserving America for ourselves and our children—will lead us out of the darkness. It will achieve our goals. We have recently had a demonstration of force wielded by a United America. There was some discussion of admitting Red China to the United Nations. AMERICANS—with one voice and regardless of party—roared their indignation. They made it clear—crystal clear—that they would not tolerate the admission into the United Nations of a country whose leaders had been branded "aggressor" by the United Nations itself. Those who were leading the movement to bring Red China into the United Nations have now backed away from the idea. Both the free world and the United Nations itself are stronger as a result! The American people—through unity—achieved a goal worth striving for. That unity can be—and should be—extended to all the basic problems of saving our cherished freedoms.

There are some who substitute slander and vituperation for honest discussion of issues. There are some who are always intolerant in their statements and in their judgments. There are some who abandon the paths of reasons to go on wild emotional excursions. There has never been a time when we should pay less attention to such people and more time to logical thinking. There will always be issues that divide us. But those issues do NOT include the safety and the security of our country. Through mutual trust and confidence, Americans will unite and provide the leadership that will turn back the forces of communism. If we are determined, this nation, under God, will survive! DROUGHT RELIEF: I have been working with State Agriculture Commissioner John C. White and other State officials to place before the Department of Agriculture the facts about drought conditions in a group of Central Texas counties. As I pointed out in an address in the Senate, range conditions in these counties are extremely serious. There is practically no grass left. Cattlemen already have had to begin supplemental feeding of livestock. The harvest of oats and other small grains was very small. The corn crop is virtually a total loss. Water supplies are dangerously low at several points.

OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat

"AMERIGO" TO "AMERICA"
THE MAN FOR WHOM OUR LAND WAS NAMED, AMERIGO VESPUCCI, WAS BORN 500 YEARS AGO IN FLORENCE. FROM 1499 TO 1502, HE MADE FOUR VOYAGES ACROSS THE ATLANTIC. HE MAY NEVER HAVE SEEN THE LAND THAT WE INHABIT TODAY, BUT AN EARLY MAP-MAKER'S USE OF THE TERM "AMERICA" TOOK HOLD.



HISTORICALLY, THIS NAME HAS BEEN SHARED BY US IN THE UNITED STATES AND OUR NEIGHBORS IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE. AND TRADITIONALLY, WE OF THE AMERICAN REPUBLICS SHARE A COMMON STRIVING TOWARD DEMOCRACY AND WE RECOGNIZE THAT TO A GREAT EXTENT WE HAVE A COMMON DESTINY.

The WORD and the DEED

From the July 15 Edition of The State Observer

THE STRANGE CONTRAST

In his 20 years in State office, the present Governor, Allan Shivers, has said a great many things, and has done a lot less than he had said he would do. His promises of 1954 can be gauged by Texans who want to vote with care, by his performance of the past. Mr. Shivers, a very effective exponent of the trade of saying one thing and doing another, has written his own record, which can be given in many instances in his own words, and by that record he richly deserves to be judged.

ON PARTY: "I will support the Democratic nominees. I make that pledge without reservation."—Shivers to Credentials Committee, National Democratic Convention, July 18, 1952.

ON WATER: "Eighty percent of the flood waters in Texas was wasted... 50 million acres... have lost one-fourth of their topsoil... We must do something about it!"—Shivers radio speech May 10, 1950, quoted in Dallas Morning News.

ON OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: "Certainly we must continue an even better pattern in the great field of human relations... this field includes public welfare—sufficient aid to our splendid elderly men and women."—Shivers in radio speech, Texas State Network, 7 p. m. Aug. 3, 1949, shortly after he became governor.

ON TEACHER PAY: "I am not against the \$600 pay raise... but we are forced to decide what we can afford."—Signed article by Gov. Allan Shivers, Dallas Morning News, Feb. 19, 1953.

ON HONESTY: "I shall continue to advocate making available to our deserving aged citizens... sufficient funds to carry them through the evening years of life..."—Shivers in campaign radio speech, 8:45 p. m. July 15, 1952.

ON FEDERAL AID: "I will not sign the bill for the Canadian River Dam unless Federal Aid provisions are eliminated."—Shivers to delegation of Panhandle leaders, May, 1953.

ON PARTY: "I intend to vote for the Republican candidates for President and Vice President."—Shivers at Press Conference, Oct. 2, 1952.

ON WATER: "We must work out a program to save our soil and water."—Shivers in campaign speech, June 10, 1954. Still just talking four years later.

ON OLD AGE ASSISTANCE: "Fact: The ceiling on old age pensions, for which Shivers voted as a Senator in 1945, has remained in effect to this day throughout Shivers' three years as lieutenant governor and five years as governor."

ON TEACHER PAY: "The governor flatly refused to cooperate (in efforts to pass teacher pay legislation)."—Bob Proffer, president, Texas State Teachers Assn., in letter to teachers, May 23, 1953.

ON HONESTY: "I have no intention of voting ticket, and I'm proud of it."—Shivers in speech to Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Executive Club, Jan. 1954.

ON FEDERAL AID: "Gov. Allan Shivers today demanded that the Federal government build the Diablo Dam on the Rio Grande."—Shivers' press release, June 30, 1954, during campaign time.

ON HONESTY: "The basis of all propaganda is the misleading statement which has the ring of authenticity, whether it is used by the village busybody or persons in high office attempting to promote 'the big lie'."—Article entitled "They say..." by Allan Shivers in This Week, Nov. 22, 1952.

Walter Rogers' WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

Adjournment Hope Fades

Congressional goings-on have really warmed up and the pressure is on full steam for an adjournment by July 31. However, many of the observers are predicting August 15 as the earliest, and perhaps Labor Day. It will all depend with what speed the Senate moves in getting some of the highly controversial measures back to the House. The Senate amendments will probably require conference committees. These conference committee hearings can get pretty steamed up at times, and the debate can get rather lengthy. Unless compromises can be reached on amendments to these controversial measures, earlier adjournment just won't be. This situation has kept many of us in Washington when we would have preferred to be in our districts. I had definitely planned on getting back home not later than July 10, but I knew this plan was knocked in the head when they started talking about adjournment July 31. Once a definite target date is set for adjournment of the Congress, it is like beginning on the first dip of a roller coaster. From that time on, you have to hold your seat and hat at the same time and keep your eyes open, up and down and sideways. It looked as though I would not even be able to get home to cast my vote, so I sent for an absentee ballot to serve as a safety net. However, things did slow down a little bit in the House this last week, and I am definitely planning on coming home for several days around the 24th. How long, will depend upon the measures coming up before my committee and the Congress during the week following the 24th.

The Investigation Business

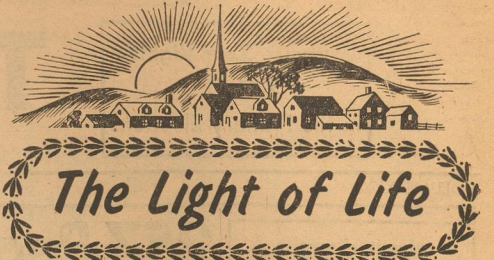
Hawking appears to be holding its own as a national pastime. From the looks of the House calendar, it appears that Hawkshaw is going to start investigating each other. I have reference to House Resolution 439, which provides for the appointment of a special committee to the House of Representatives to investigate the campaign expenditures of various candidates of the House of Representatives. Setting up this committee before the campaign is over look like something a bit more than some campaign expenditures is not the expenditure itself, but where it came from. Anyway, it might turn out to be a pretty good show when the investigators get to investigating the investigators.

The Health Bill

I was very much surprised when some of the folks around here were surprised because the so-called Health Bill did not pass the House of Representatives. It was quite a question before this measure reached the House that it would receive favorable action. As soon as the debate got well underway, it was quite obvious that there would be not more than a 50-50 chance for its passage, and as the debate proceeded, it became very obvious that the bill would likely be defeated, as it was. Early in the debate, it was brought out in very clear terms that the bill would not reduce the cost of health insurance to the average citizen, that it would reduce the cost of medicine services to the average citizen, and would not make available health insurance to those who could not now afford it. In short, it would not accomplish the stated purpose of the bill. In the main, it would have created and provided a direct and indirect subsidy to insurance companies. In my opinion, if there is any business in the United States that does not need a subsidy, it is the insurance business. If you have a mortgage on your home, chances are that some insurance company owns that mortgage, because many, many mortgages are purchased every day by these companies. The bill would have provided at least a door to socialized medicine, to which I am unalterably opposed.

Buying From or Selling to Uncle Sam

You would be most amused at some of the transactions and proposals that are presented to the Congress. Some are to sell items to the government, and some are to purchase items from the government. The same group may want to buy one item from the government and sell other items to the government. The amusing feature about the whole situation is that the value of the items are determined by the two different formulas: when they want to buy something from Uncle Sam, they demand that it be given to them at bargain basement prices, or its socialism. When they want to sell something to Uncle Sam, they demand about five prices for it, and if any question is raised, they immediately scream that the government has gone socialistic and is trying to rob all of the private citizens of their property. Frankly, the value of an item, whether it is a transmission line or a bucket of paint, should be determined by the same formula, whether it is being sold to the government or by the government.



(Editor's Note: Following is the first of a series of articles by our local clergymen on the church and the world today. A different pastor will contribute to the column each week, so the voices of all our churches may be heard. All clergymen in Castro County will be asked to submit a contribution to the column.)

Wanted: Men of God

By REV. RAYMOND VAN ZANTD
Pastor, First Methodist Church, Dimmitt

General Omar Bradley said: "We have too many men of science, too few men of God. We have grasped the mystery of the atom, and rejected the Sermon on the Mount. The world has achieved brilliance without wisdom, power without conscience. Ours is a world of nuclear giants and ethical infants. We know more about war than we know about peace, more about killing than we know about living."

These words should set us to thinking. We should ask ourselves some questions. Who am I? What am I living for? Where am I going? What am I going to do when I get there? If I keep on going in the direction I am traveling, where will I end up?

The business of living is a serious matter. The biggest job we have in this world, is taking the life God has given us and using it to the best interest of our own development, and for the betterment of those around us. When one loses sight of this great truth one does not have much to live for.

Too many people today are fed up on life. They do not seem to find anything worth living for. Sadly disappointed in the best that the finite can give they have come to the place in their lives and experiences when they are asking, "What's the use?"

To the thinking mind it would not be difficult to see what is wrong with life like this. They have left God out of all their plans and purposes. The parents who say, "I do not know what to do with my children. They are selfish, stubborn and obstinate and I cannot do anything with them"—the parents who talk and feel like this have not realized that they have left out of their lives the most important thing—they have left God out. We have never been able to see what parents are thinking about when they seem to think that they can establish a home where the atmosphere of love and peace abides without God.

You can't get rid of God. Notwithstanding the fact that many have made an effort to do so, the fact remains: God is here and always will be, and whether we want to or not, we must reckon with Him. You can't ignore Him and get rid of Him. You can't reason Him out. He is here, always and forever.

God belongs—He belongs in the heart of every person. If He is left out there is an aching void which nothing the world can give can satisfy. The only way a person can be happy is to trust God and make him a vital part of the life. This is not my world. This is not your world. This is God's world. God is worthy of trust and those who do not trust him are doomed to failure and disappointment.

The man who leaves God out is a sick man. The doctors of today have come to know that they are not just treating diseases of the body, they are treating persons. The life without God is sick. Just leave him out and undertake to meet life with its responsibilities and burdens and you will see what we mean. Leave Him out and the cares and burdens and worries of life will get into the blood vessels of the heart and the lining of the stomach and you will be a sick man. You can't get rid of God. You can't be well and happy without Him.

We know a lady who was sick. She went to many doctors and they could not find much organically wrong with her body. Finally she went to a good and wise doctor and he said to her: "Why not try God? Get back home and go to church. Teach a class of boys or girls. Go your mind off of self and begin to think and do for others." The lady was angry at first, but she finally took the good doctor's prescription and it worked.

When people become so busy that they have no time for God; when they are so busy that they cannot go to their church; when they are so busy that the Sabbath is just like every other day—well, they are just too busy.

The Chinese have a saying: "If you have two loaves of bread, sell one and buy a lily." It is not the body alone that needs to be fed. Mind, heart, and soul grow hungry, and many a time they are famishing when the larder is full. There are homes where the lilies are entirely crowded out by the loaves; where there is no room for beauty or enjoyment, or even for love to grow, because of the mad scramble after earthly things. Fewer loaves and more lilies—less of the rush after material things, and more time for the gracious and beautiful things God has placed in reach of all of us—would make happier and nobler lives.

Why not give God a chance? Why not try Him for a time and see what the results will be in your life and in the life of others of your home? Why not try going to church? Why not try giving God some of your time? Why not take him as the partner for your life?

We are workers together with God. Through Him we can work and make our community, our home and our church what they should be. There are many things which God does in which we have no part. God paints the clouds and golden sunsets; He keeps the stars in their orbits; He sends the showers and sunshine; He paints the rose and the lily, and scents them with their sweetness.

But there are other things which are as great and beautiful in which He permits us to be co-workers. He gives us the opportunity through service to put the tints of immortal breath on human souls. What an honor to be a co-worker with God in transforming the lives of others; in dispelling darkness, misery and sin; the bringing of light, happiness, and righteousness to men who are dwelling in darkness. It is not what our life is in wealth, culture, attainment; but what our life is in service to others. This is the test of true greatness. "Let him who would be greatest among you be your servant."

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Hart News

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Buchanan and Oyama drove to Lubbock on Sunday afternoon to take Ella back to Texas Tech for her last six weeks of school. Ella had spent a short vacation at home. Miss Geneva McLain has returned home for the rest of the summer after attending school at Texas Tech for six weeks.

Mrs. Jack Hawkins and children spent the week end visiting her parents at Daughtery, Okla. Miss Nelda Vitto of Plainview is visiting Phyllis Wall this week.

Miss Wanda Jo Felder is in Littlefield this week to visit Miss Maurice Aven who is employed in the Jones Jewelry Store. Mrs. Cleo Chaves and children

of Memphis, Tenn., have returned to their home after spending some time in the home of her sister, Mrs. M. O. Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Churchill of Abilene are visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Height, Mr. Height and children. Visiting in the homes of Tom Ray and Earl Hacker on Wednesday were Mrs. Ray and Mr. Hacker's mother, Mrs. J. M. Hacker of Lubbock, their sister, Mrs. Carra Morgan of Springlake and their brother, Haskell Hacker, wife and family of Ontario, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanders went home with Mr. Ed Sanders to Albuquerque, N. M., for a visit.

Miss Erma Glen Hacker has returned from Colorado Springs, where she spent the first few weeks of her vacation from Wayland College.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bauman and Antonette spent a few days visiting his brother, Tony and family at Shawnee, Okla. Frank's other brother and sisters were there for a family reunion during the time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Stockstill and son of Oklahoma City visited last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. T. C. Ray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett spent the week end in Ruidoso, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and sons attended a Taylor family reunion in Plainview at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hudgins on Sunday.

Mr. S. A. Attaway who now makes his home with a daughter, in Dumas, visited many old time

friends here early this week. Mr. and Mrs. Attaway lived in Hart many years ago and operated a grocery store. Mrs. Attaway passed away in March of this year. Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Huston and children are spending this week in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Barrington of Wichita Falls spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McRee.

Jack Minshew is at home recuperating from an appendectomy in the Castro County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Phillips had all their children home on Sunday. Enjoying the noon meal were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wakefield and Marcia Ann from Denver, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips from Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Phillips and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Alexander and daughter, Jerry and Monte Phillips, all of Hart; and Mrs. Phillips' mother, Mrs. Andy Higgins and Mr. Higgins from Canyon. Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield left on Tuesday for San Francisco, Calif., for a short vacation. Marcia Ann remained with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Newsom and daughters of Plainview spent their vacation last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Newsom.

Miss Delores Benson left Monday for Baird where she will help nurse her grandmother who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dar Lewis who are employed by Bill Swindle were injured when they were returning from Dimmitt on Saturday afternoon and the pickup turned over. A flat tire was given as the cause of the accident. Mr. Swindle who owned the pickup reports large damage.

Mr. and Mrs. James Funderburk of Arkansas are here to visit her mother, Mrs. A. M. Rowland and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Motley and children and Miss Janice Nance of Idalou visited in the B. H. Bowden home on Sunday. Mrs. Motley and Mrs. Bowden are sisters.

Visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Odom, Raymond Odom and D. H. Odom during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Emerson and children of Purcell, Okla., and Doris and Peggy Nickles of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bennett entertained with a supper in their back yard on Saturday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Tump McLain of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bennett and children of Plainview.

Mrs. Ralph Williams, the former Jane Henderson, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. W. H. Felder, Sr., on Monday afternoon, July 19. Hostesses were Misses Phyllis Wall, Gaylia Anderson, O'Lysia Bowden, Jerri Sullivan, Peggy Kittrell, Marlena McLain, Jo Ann Youngblood and Wanda Jo Felder.

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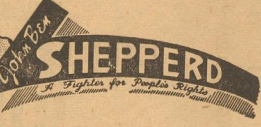
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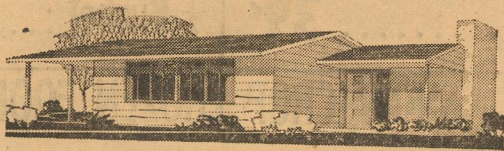
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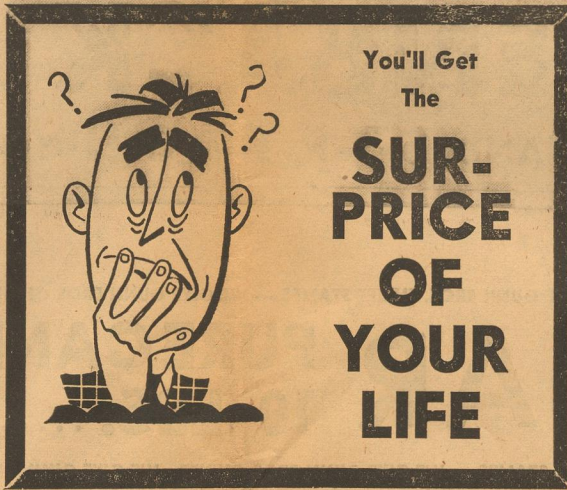


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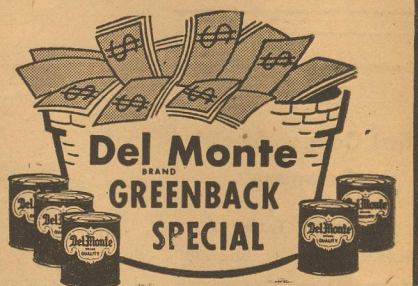
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Rural Conditions Better, Says Prof

Most of Texas' rural areas are losing population but rural life is improving, Assistant Professor Wilfrid C. Bailey of the University of Texas declares.

Latest U. S. census figures show only the irrigation-farming sections of the Texas Panhandle and Lower Rio Grande Valley recorded rural population gains.

That means prosperity for all areas, Bailey says. Farming prospects in the Panhandle and Valley are improving. In other rural sections, farms have become larger and marginal lands have been turned into grazing pastures.

Better roads and transportation have caused larger villages and towns to grow as shopping centers for the larger-farm owners, Bailey explains. Operators of small marginal farms have found better-paying jobs in the shopping centers.

Only the smaller villages have suffered from the change, he says. With today's highways and motor vehicles, a purchaser who once had only time to drive 10 miles to a store now is willing to drive from 30 to 40 miles to shop. New industries in smaller cities also are improving living conditions in many rural areas, allowing farmers to work in factories also, Bailey pointed out. An anthropologist, Bailey has made many studies of changing social economic and cultural conditions in rural areas.

Mrs. Joe Wallis of Long Beach, California, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dennis. She will remain here until December when her husband returns from overseas.

Two Negroes Booked On Intoxication Charge

Two law violators were ordered to pay fines in county and justice court Monday morning.

Roy Thurman Odem, area Negro, was ordered by County Judge Robert Estes to pay a fine of \$150 and costs in county court after pleading guilty to a charge of driving while intoxicated. Odem also had his driver's license suspended for six months. In justice court, Earl Patterson of Dimmitt was ordered by Justice of the Peace Mrs. Ruby Jones to pay a fine of \$14 and costs after the defendant pleaded guilty to a drunk charge.

Odem was arrested in Hart Sunday morning by Sheriff M. H. Fowlkes after a Hart resident notified the sheriff that the defendant was driving recklessly. Patterson was arrested in Dimmitt Sunday by Deputy Sheriff J. V. Messenger.

News From the Running Water District:

Stubble Mulch Farming Increases Soil's Water Containing Capacities

Because summer precipitation is scanty and often torrential, it is imperative that the soil be managed to allow it to absorb and retain as much moisture as possible. Southern High Plains soils tend to run together, swell greatly when wetted, and are deficient in noncapillary pore space:

1. Stubble mulch residues break up water films that greatly restrict infiltration, and
2. Intercepts the raindrops and minimizes the disintegrating effect of their impact on the soil granules.
3. Soil is pulverized less by sub-tillage.
4. Decay of plant residues and the formation of decomposition products that stabilize soil aggregates takes place mainly at the surface, where it is most needed.
5. Increases permeability and reduces runoff.
6. Wind movement is heaviest during winter and early spring months—period during which soil is most subject to erosion by wind. Surface mulch reduces surface velocities.
7. Stubble mulching reduces evaporation.
8. Prevents crusting and aids in easier seedling emergence.
9. A furrow-type drill places seed nearer the moisture and also operates better in heavy residues than does a disk-type drill.

Reasons for increased yields with stubble mulching:

1. Moisture rather than fertility is limiting factor in crop production in area.
2. Average rainfall 15-25 inches; low humidity only 20 percent of this becomes soil moisture.
3. Organic matter imports good tilth and water holding properties to the soil.
4. Organic matter serves as a storehouse of nutrients for growth of both plants and micro-organisms.
5. Raising continuous wheat is more conservative of organic matter than raising wheat on fallow.

Stubble mulch machinery should be:

1. Capable of operating at controlled and uniform depths.
2. Equipped with rolling coulters to cut residues and weeds ahead of the sweeps to prevent clogging.
3. Have adequate weight and strength for penetration and operation under unfavorable soil conditions.
4. Cultivate the soil with sufficient effectiveness to kill weeds and volunteer crops such as wheat.

Stubble mulch tillage:

1. Combine should have an efficient straw spreader to avoid leaving straw in windrows eliminate clogging.
2. Cultivate as soon as possible after harvest before soil becomes too hard and dry.

Cultivate deepest at first plowing and shallower each successive time for a firmer seed-bed. 4-5 inches deep if to be fallowed, 3-4 inches for continuous wheat.

3. Drill wheat with a shovel-type drill at a spacing of 12 inches and preferably 14 inches apart.

Summary:

1. Subtilled land will produce higher yields of wheat than one-wayed land except in years with above normal precipitation when fertility rather than moisture is the limiting factor.

2. Increased yields under stubble mulch farming are due to depressed nitrification which prevents overstimulation to plant growth, and in combination with improved soil infiltration rate, makes for an improved moisture-fertility balance.

3. Subtillage conserves organic matter.

4. Does not increase damage from insects or winter annual weeds.

5. Practice of raising continuous wheat maintains soil, organic matter and porosity at higher levels than does summer fallowing.

6. There are now available implements to do subsurface tillage.

Water enter soil during rains through the pores or spaces between the soil granules. As long as these pores are open, water may soak into the soil rapidly until it is filled and slows down absorption. If pores at the surface become clogged or sealed over, water cannot soak in rapidly. If the land is bare so raindrops strike it directly, the soil granules are broken and the fine mud forms a seal over the surface, making the soil slick on top.

Mrs. Helen Slove of Lubbock is visiting relatives in Dimmitt for a few days.

Vivylene Duke returned to her home in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Ayers and family over the week-end.

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Don't discount the importance of the penny. These humble coppers (if saved) soon grow into dollars. And dollars deposited regularly in your savings soon add up to "what it takes" to make your dearest dreams come true: a home of your own, a college education for your children, financial independence for yourself and your family. Start today making your pennies . . . and dollars . . . count for YOU!

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STOP the candidate who would let the radical out-of-state CIO-PAC, ADA and NAACP leaders run Texas.

STOP the candidate who would hand Duval County back to George Parr.

STOP the candidate who will end segregation in our Texas public schools, and who is willing to give the Texas tidelands away.

STOP the candidate who, as an ex-judge, puts judges' pensions ahead of old age pensions.

STOP the twice-beaten, mud-slinging candidate who has no program and refuses to come out in the open and answer questions about the issues.

GO with Allan Shivers who believes Texas should be run by Texans for Texans.

GO with Allan Shivers who will continue to fight Parrism and all other types of bossism, including Communism.

GO with Allan Shivers who won the tidelands fight and who will keep segregation in our public schools.

GO with Allan Shivers who favors a full parity for farmers and adequate pensions for all eligible aged citizens.

GO with Allan Shivers who has a constructive program for all Texans and who takes a solid stand on all issues.



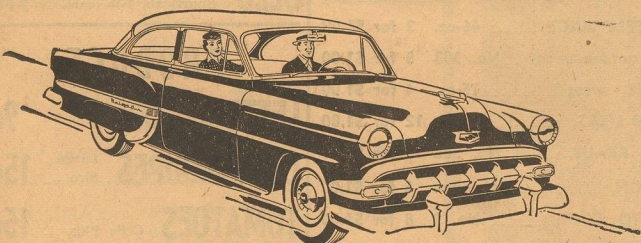
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Win \$25 **BOND** **Prizes**
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Any Adult Can Participate



FOR SALE

MOTORCYCLE for sale. 125 Harley-Davidson. Excellent condition. Cheap.
E. C. Conard
Phone 219

FOR SALE—Shade trees, fruit trees, evergreens, shrubs, roses, hedge, and other nursery stock.
Mrs. J. F. Ward
6-tfc North Main, Hereford.

3-BEDROOM home, 1220 sq ft. 75 ft. front, well located. \$7850.
32-tfc
Phone 292W

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If you have flies and insect problems, see CASTRO COUNTY GRAIN COMPANY for materials and technical information necessary to control these pests. 33-3tc

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

FOR SALE—Dahlias, carnas glads, mums, flowering plants, tomatoes and hot caps.
Mrs. J. F. Ward
24-tfc North Main Hereford

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

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FOR SALE—Two 50x100 ft. American Legion lots, on pavement, excellent location. Proceeds from sale of lots will go into youth center fund. If interested 17-tfc
see Slim Fulfer

Discontinued Cook Shadotone Paint Sale. Flat in gallons 3.50, Satin in gallons 4.15.
Willson & Son Lumber Co.
24-tfc Dimmitt, Texas

FOR SALE—4-room modern house with attached garage. House completely carpeted, tile bath and tile kitchen. 2½ blocks north of Baptist Church on 6th Street.
29-tfc
Hugo Beyer

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CALL DENNIS FLORAL for your party arrangements. Husbands remember your wives on birthdays, anniversaries and special occasions with flowers from 34-tfc. (2) Dennis Floral Shop

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FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa hay. Stored in barn.
36-10tp C. W. George, Jr.
One-half mile north & two east of Dimmitt.

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See JOE COWEN for cotton insurance.

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HAVE CASH BUYERS for land in Castro, Deaf Smith and Farmer Counties.
W. R. Metcalf
Real Estate
632 W. 1st St. on Highway 60 Hereford. Tel. 854 for office or 1489W for residence P. O. 845 36-tfc

NOTICE—For Sale 350 gallon propane tank \$100.
31-tfc
R. M. Davidson
Hart

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Grade A Lavatory, Grade A Commode, Bath Tub, and 20 gallon natural gas water heater with all fittings to the floor for 169.60.
Willson & Son Lmbr. Co.
37-tfc

FOR SALE—Used coffee table and gas heater, both practically new.
Mrs. Will Wright
37-3tp
Phone L15

FOR SALE—Clean 1947 Oldsmobile 98 See Don Johnston
37-tfc
Phone 227W

FOR SALE—Model A John Deere tractor New head, block and radiator. Powertrol. Good rubber. Priced to Sell.
Rayphard Smithson
37-tfc 5½ mi. SW Dimmitt

FOR SALE—15"x24" semi-thick insulation batts 5.70 per hundred.
Willson & Son Lbr. Co.
38-tfc Dimmitt, Texas

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FOR SALE—Frigidaire, living room suite, bed, dressers, chest of drawers, table, light trailer, stoves and what have you.
R. H. Rickert
38-3tp
South Front St.

FOR SALE—Improved irrigated farm of 160 acres in Swisher County, priced \$200.00 per acre.
M. A. Crum
38-2tp
Floydada, Texas

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SERVICES

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For prompt repair service on all household appliances see Bud's Fixit Shop
Phone 202W

18-tfc in former Bobcat Cafe bldg.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—You can find the oldest and best saw filer in anybody's town down at Wilson's Lumber Yard. His name is
16-tfc
Old Man Jordan and he wears a red hat or cap. Your patronage appreciated.

CESSPOOL pumping. New 4-inch pump. Call 5-3038.
32-10tp
L. C. Height
420 South Maxwell
Tulia, Texas

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FOR CUSTOM CAR seat covers, seats rebuilt with finest materials and skilled workmanship see Dimmitt Upholstery and Shamrock Service Station. We also do furniture upholstery. Phone 272W
32-tfc

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WANTED
SEE US FOR repair parts for your Briggs & Stratton motors.
28-tfc
Bud's Fixit Shop

LET US repair and service your air conditioners.
28-tfc
Buds' Fixit Shop

For Hospitalization Insurance see Carolyn Rose Rawlings
30-tfc
at Rawlings Hotel

WANTED—Listings on your farm, ranches and city property. Castro County Real Estate tfc-22
George Bradford

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POULTRYMEN see Castro County Grain about caging your laying flocks. We have cages, brooders, feeders, water and sanitation supplies and a complete line of Purina Feeds for your livestock and poultry. 24-tfc

MOWER SHARPENING—Let me sharpen your lawn mower with precision sharpening equipment.
24-tfc
W. S. Hembree

WANTED—Listings on your farms, ranches and city property. If you are interested in buying, let us show you what we have
51-tfc
Scoggin Real Estate

Garden and Landscape Enthusiasts—We have in a new supply of Garden and Lawn Seed, also a large stock of Ortho Sprays and Dusts for your garden and all types of flowers and ornamentals. Call Castro County Grain Company about these supplies and about your plant needs and disease problems. 24-tfc

HELP WANTED—Two registered nurses needed at Castro County Hospital in Dimmitt, Tex. Salary plus part maintenance. Call
Owen Cox, Tele 33

LATEST—Kill Johnson Grass with Herbicidal oils. See Castro County Grain Company for merchandise and details. 28-tfc

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RENTALS

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FOR RENT—Furnished room with private bath, kitchen privileges if desired.
38-tfc
Mrs. Kenneth Turner

FOR RENT—Bedroom with private bath and entrance.
32-tfc
Lorene Bagwell
Tel. 332-J

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment.
35-tfc
Glenn Youts

FOR RENT—Corner office in Rawlings Hotel building, ideal for barber shop and beauty shop.
19-tfc
J. C. Rawlings

KITCHENETTE apartments. DIMMITT COURTS
36-tfc
Telephone 64J

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LISTINGS WANTED
Have buyer for Castro County farm land. 37-tfc
WESSON REAL ESTATE
Hereford, Texas

WANTED—Scissors, Knives Pruning Shears, Lawn Mowers, etc., to sharpen.
28-tfc
Bud's Fixit Shop

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Leeth and Sandra have returned from a sight-seeing trip to Yellowstone National Park and Colorado.

Miss Mary Lynn and Donna Sue Hendrix have returned from a visit with their grandparents and relatives at Tulla.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Castro County News has been authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices indicated, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries: For County Judge and Ex-officio County School Superintendent:

ROBERT ESTES (Re-election) For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:
M. H. (Houston) FOWLKES, (Re-election)
JACK CARTWRIGHT
For County Treasurer:
MRS. FAYE HOLLAND
(Re-election)

For County and District Clerk: MRS. NEVA HASTINGS (Re-election, 2nd term)
MRS. OLA MURPHY
For Commissioner Precinct 1:
R. T. KENDRICK (Re-election)
E. L. (Tump) McLAIN

For Commissioner Precinct 2:
OTIS ENGLISH (Re-election)
NOBLE ARMSTRONG
For Commissioner Precinct 3:
OLEN RICE (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct 4:
JOHN STORK (Re-election)
For Representative, 96th Legislative District:
JESSE M. OSBORN

For District Attorney
64th Judicial District
JOE L. COX
For District Judge, 64th Judicial District:
E. A. BILLS, (Re-election)

For State Senator:
ANDY ROGERS (Re-election)

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LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: The Bedford Town and Land Company, a joint stock company; all Stockholders of the said Bedford Town and Land Company, whose names are unknown; E. S. Jones and if ever married Mrs. E. S. Jones; E. F. Halsell and if ever married Mrs. E. F. Halsell; G. M. Etter and if ever married Mrs. G. M. Etter; R. R. Dulin and if ever married Mrs. R. R. Dulin; A. R. Andrews and if ever married Mrs. A. R. Andrews; J. B. Stinson and if ever married Mrs. J. B. Stinson; R. L. Belsler and if ever married Mrs. R. L. Belsler; W. H. Bean and if ever married Mrs. W. H. Bean; W. C. Dimmitt and if ever married Mrs. W. C. Dimmitt; H. G. Bedford and if ever married Mrs. H. G. Bedford; J. W. Hinton and if ever married Mrs. J. W. Hinton; H. G. Bedford, Trustee, and R. R. Dulin, Trustee, and their successors as trustees of the said Bedford Town and Land Company; F. E. Eller and if ever married Mrs. F. E. Eller; Mrs. Louisa J. Faulkner and if she be dead to the spouses, unknown heirs and legal representatives of Mrs. Louisa J. Faulkner; Mrs. M. F. Mangold and M. F. Mangold; and if any or all of the above named parties are deceased, their heirs, their unknown heirs and legal representatives of each and all of them; their unknown spouses and any and all persons owning or claiming any interest in the property hereinafter described, all of whom are DEFENDANTS. Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and be before the Honorable District Court of Castro County, Texas, in the Courthouse thereof in Dimmitt, Texas at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 16th day of August, 1954, then and there to answer in writing Plaintiff's petition filed in said court on the 1st day of July, 1954, in this cause numbered 2174 on the docket of said Court and styled, Hugo F. Beyer vs. Bedford Town and Land Company, et al., a brief statement of the nature of said suit being as follows:

Suit in statutory form of trespass to try title, and for costs by Hugo F. Beyer, Plaintiff, against those persons who are first named in this citation and to whom it is directed, as Defendants, and the unknown spouses and heirs and legal representatives of the said named persons and each of them, the names and residences of whom are alleged to be unknown to the Plaintiff, the Plaintiff suing for title and possession of the following described real estate lying and being situated in Castro County, Texas, to-wit:

Lot No. Ten (10), in Block No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154), of the Original town of Dimmitt, said county and State, as shown by the recorded map and plat thereof.

Plaintiff alleges that he is entitled to the title and the possession of said property, claiming under the Five, the Ten and the Twenty-five Year Statutes of Limitations, and Plaintiff further prays that the cloud cast on the title of the property above described by Defendants be removed and said title vested in the Plaintiff, all as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The Officer executing this process shall promptly serve the same according to law and make due return as the law directs, and if this process be not served within ninety days from the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

ISSUED AND GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Dimmitt, Texas, this 1st day of July, 1954.
Attest:

Texas
NEVA HASTINGS
Clerk of the District Court of Castro County.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our gratitude to all people who contributed in any way, by thought, prayer, word or deed, in the memorial service for our beloved Dwight D. Axtell, especially for honoring his request for memorials instead of flowers.
Mrs. D. G. Axtell and other relatives

CARD OF THANKS
To my many friends I give thanks for their tokens of kindness during my confinement in the hospital and for the beautiful birthday gifts and greeting cards.
Mrs. H. Alldredge

Visitors of Mitzi Wilson Monday night were Cynthia Hull of Ranger, Donna Erwin of Canyon, Maidelle Pruitt of Lovington, N. M., and Peggy Bonds of Canyon. All are students at West Texas State College in Canyon.

Hart Couple Hurt In Pickup Mishap

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lewis, Negro resident of Hart, were treated in Castro County Hospital Sunday afternoon for serious injuries suffered in a wreck seven miles southeast of Dimmitt on Highway 194. Mrs. Lewis, according to attending physician Dr. H. W. Biscoff, suffered a fractured right arm and lacerations of the left leg and scalp while Lewis suffered lacerations of the left arm and fingers. The victims are convalescing nicely but will be confined to the hospital for a few days.

Lewis and his wife had been to the hospital here where she underwent a checkup and were returning to their home at Hart when the accident occurred. The right front tire on the pickup Lewis was driving blew out causing the vehicle to leave the road and turn over two times, according to Deputy Sheriff J. V. Messenger, who investigated.

Messenger said the machine skidded about 150 feet, turned over twice, and came to a rest on its wheels near the side of the highway.

A passing motorist discovered the wreck just after it happened and notified the sheriff's office. The victims were brought to the hospital here by ambulance.

Messenger said the pickup, which was towed to a local garage, was damaged almost beyond repair.

1954 Fair Catalogue Off to Good Start

A total of 53 Dimmitt merchants and businessmen have subscribed to advertising in the new Castro County Fair catalogue or tabloid paper, according to Cecil Oglesby, chairman of the fair catalogue committee.

Oglesby indicated that the response given fair advertising solicitors has been very gratifying and that all merchants and businessmen have been most co-operative. Castro County Chamber of Commerce Manager Glen Youts, Steve Taylor of the Flagg Community and others have ably assisted Oglesby in preparing the catalogue and selling ads.

Oglesby said the catalogue will be set up and ready for publication by the first week in August. Dates for the county fair are September 16-17-18.

Sunnyside Club Sees Medical Film

The showing of the film, "The Atom in Medicine," highlighted a recent meeting of the Sunnyside Rural Neighborhood Progress Club.

Local doctors Fred Faust and H. W. Biscoff brought club members up to date on the latest methods employed in the use of atoms in medicine. The physicians displayed charts and explained how the energy of the atom is developed and its increasing importance as a medicine, particularly in the treatment of cancer.

An important meeting of the Teen Club will be held Saturday, at 8:30 p. m., at the local Legion Hall. All members are urged to be in attendance.

Club members also enjoyed an interesting film on "Travel in India." Refreshments were served to guests and members at the close of the discussions.

To All Voters Of Castro County:

Since I may have missed seeing you, I heartily solicit each and every voter for your vote.

I have only one promise to offer and that is to serve you impartially, giving you a dependable, efficient, and speedy service that you expect when it is necessary for you to go to the County and District Clerk's office to transact your business.

Your vote may be the deciding one so exercise your right to vote. Go to the polls Saturday, July 24th, and vote for me for County and District Clerk.

Thanking you in advance for all your encouragement and consideration you have shown me, I am

Gratefully yours,
MRS. OLA MURPHY

NO MATTER HOW YOU CHECK IT— PIGGLY WIGGLY OFFERS YOU THE MOST FOR LESS MONEY!

Libby's Dollar Sale Continues

Libby's	Size	Amount
APRICOTS, hlv unpeeled,	303, 4	for \$1.00
APRICOT NECTAR	12-oz.	8 for \$1.00
BEANS, deep brown /pork	14-oz.	7 for \$1.00
BEETS, cut	No. 303	8 for \$1.00
CATSUP,	14-oz.	5 for \$1.00
CORN, SC Golden	No. 303	6 for \$1.00
FRUIT COCKTAIL	No. 303,	4 for \$1.00
HASH, corned beef	16-oz.	3 for \$1.00
PEACHES, halves or sctd.	No. 303	5 for \$1.00
PINEAPPLE, sliced	Flat Can	6 for \$1.00
PINEAPPLE JUICE	46-oz.	3 for \$1.00

Grainmen's Meet Slated For July 27

Several grain elevator managers here and at Hart are expected to attend a grain storage meeting scheduled to be held at the Herring Hotel in Amarillo, Wednesday, July 27, starting at 1:30 p. m.

The meeting will be similar to other meetings which have been held in other parts of the state except that special emphasis will be given to grain sorghum storage and problems related to grain sorghums.

Subjects that will be aired during the meeting include "Storage Situation," "Drying and Aeration," "Insect Control in Stored Grain," and "Farm Storage Facilities and Commodity Loans."

Other problems in connection with the grain storage season will be discussed and questions answered.

Cotton Insect Control Meeting Scheduled

A series of cotton insect control meetings are scheduled to be held in Castro county with the first meeting set for Friday, at 8:30 p. m. in the District Courtroom of the courthouse at Dimmitt, County Agent Charlie Hudson announced this week.

The second meeting will be held Thursday, July 29, at 8:30 p. m. in the Hart High School auditorium. Plans for other meetings will probably be made as soon as these two meetings have been held.

Hudson will show a series of slides to acquaint farmers with beneficial as well as harmful insects and to discuss methods necessary for controlling the enemy insects. Insects attacking other crops and any other related insect problems will also come up for discussion.

Cotton growers in the county are invited to attend both meetings. Similar programs have been held in some of the county communities and reportedly have been very successful.

Nancy and Ginger Lee of Oklahoma City are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Ed Wilson, Jr., this week.

Sunnyside RNP Club Sees Pest Control Film

Color slides concerning insect control in cotton were shown by Castro County Agent Charlie Hudson at a regular business meeting of the Sunnyside Rural Neighborhood Progress Club, Friday night at the community building.

Hudson showed the various harmful cotton insects and discussed the best methods of control. Later in the program the county agent displayed slides of beneficial insects and explained their importance in the control of harmful insects.

Included in the slide showings were various forms of spraying and dusting equipment effective in the control of cotton pests.

Refreshments were served the group at the conclusion of the program.

DHS Band Students To Meet Next Thursday

Dimmitt band students planning to attend the Summer Band School at Canyon are asked by Band Director Ralph Smith to meet in the high school band room Thursday, July 29, at 8:15 p. m. Plans and necessary arrangements for attending the school will be made.

Local Negro Fined On Intoxication Charge

Buster Brown, local Negro laborer, pleaded guilty to a drunk charge in justice court here Monday and was ordered to pay a fine of \$15. The defendant was released after paying the fine.

Brown was arrested by City Marshal Wilbur Cook Sunday afternoon near the Kimbell E. F. vator in east Dimmitt. The defendant offered no resistance when arrested.

Mrs. Harry H. Stelter and Mrs. Douglas Schwartz of Houston arrived on Monday night for a visit with the Hawkins families. Theron and Joy Hawkins joined them here for a trip to San Francisco. Mrs. Schwartz will sail from there on August 2 for Japan where she will join her husband who is in the US Air Force. Mrs. Stelter is Joy's mother.

Mrs. W. R. Gipson is at Fort Worth this week visiting her son, W. A. Gipson, and family and new grandson.

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Hart WSCS Holds Local Benefit Party

"Measuring" was the order of the night at a recent benefit party staged by the Women's Society of Christian Service at Hart.

In order for guests to enter the Hart Legion Hut, scene of the party, a person had to be measured for length and pay one cent for each inch of height. Proceeds from the party will be used to purchase an electric picture of Christ which will be placed behind the pulpit in the new Hart Methodist Church.

Special guests introduced at the party included the new Hart High School superintendent and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robertson, and the new coach's wife, Mrs. Charles Bevard.

Church members also honored their new pastor and his wife during the party.

Games were played and pies were sold at the conclusion of the party.

BETHEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seale and boys, were Monday evening visitors of the Bobby Warrens and the Harry Rothwells.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Gregory of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Robinson of Hereford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren. Mr. Warren is recuperating at home after spending a week in a Lubbock hospital.

Mary Elizabeth Givan of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan.

Mrs. J. A. Bagwell, Jr., who is spending the summer in Canyon in school was here this week-end with her little daughter to visit her husband, J. A., who is helping the George Bagwells with farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren and Gary spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren of Dimmitt. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Howell and family of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warren and children of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Haskel from Monte Vista, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Garrison of Pico, Calif., is visiting in the Harry Rothwell home. Mr. Rothwell and Garrison are cousins.

Sunday dinner guests of the Fate Shannons were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Greer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Veasey, Mrs. H. J. Shannon, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Veasey of Amarillo.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Mrs. Bobby Warren made a business trip to Littlefield Thursday.

Sunday visitors of the Doyle Underwoods were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sanders of Half Way, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harvick of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Underwood of Dimmitt, Roy Dale Underwood of Camp Hood, Texas, Mr. J. A. Coughrun, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Coughrun of Harlington. Mrs. J. C. Coughrun will spend the week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Doyle Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell attended a lawn party at the Talmadge Buckmaster home Friday night. Mrs. Gaston Howell showed his picture that he took while he was in Brazil.

Milton Beewell and Sandra Neumeyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stanford and Paul of Abernathy.

The Baptist young people enjoyed Sing Song Sunday night in the Leland Smith home.

Mrs. Bobby Warren and son were Tuesday afternoon callers of Mrs. Lewis Warren and children.

Nelda Bagwell spent Sunday with Decmae Dennis.

Mrs. Doyle Underwood and Mrs. G. E. Underwood were in Littlefield Thursday to visit the

Former Dimmitt Girl To Leave for Germany

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel had as their guests Wednesday, Mr. A. H. Hutchings and daughter, Billie, of Lubbock, former Castro county residents.

Miss Hutchings will leave for Germany in August for a two-year position with the Department of the Army as recreational leader.

A graduate of Texas Tech College in 1950 where she received a B. A. degree, Miss Hutchings later attended the University of Iowa and received a master's degree. During the past year she worked at John Hopkins University in Washington, D. C. Prior to that she taught school in the Pampa School district.

Her duties in Germany will include planning of camp shows, programs and recreation for enlisted men's service clubs.

Mrs. Clarence Beardert went to Dallas this week to visit her daughter, Kay. Kay plans to come home with her for a two-week visit.

The Cleo Community Home Demonstration Club held its annual chicken fry Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Duncan. Those attending enjoyed an outing in the back yard.

The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Autry Thursday, July 29, at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Moran of Mineral Wells is here visiting in the home of her son, Russel Moran, and family.

latter's sister, Mrs. Charlie Ring, from Banas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell, Milton and Nelda were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Sarah Baldwin spent Sunday with Zella Vee Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith attended the funeral of a family friend in Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell, Mrs. Kay Roberts, Mrs. Vern Lust and Mrs. Wes Anthony met with Mrs. J. C. Williams Tuesday afternoon to plan year books for the W. S. C. S.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell and girls were in Paducah Sunday to attend the wedding of Frank Wise and visited her sister, Mrs. Albert Cribb, and family.

Mrs. Ira Brown returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Wanda Byrd, to Santa Fe, N. M., to spend a few days.

Mrs. E. C. Fullingim of Tucumcari, N. M., is here visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Williams, and family this week.

Carolyn Bagwell spent Monday with her aunt, Mrs. Kay Roberts, and Mr. Roberts.

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DIMMITT, TEXAS

Bob Irving Named New Lion Member

Bob Irving, local accountant, was presented and accepted for membership in the Dimmitt Lions Club at a meeting of the organization Tuesday noon. Irving and his family moved here recently from Tulsa.

During the program, the Rev. D. W. Brashear addressed club members briefly, emphasizing the value of fine character and citizenship in the small town. The speaker quoted one of America's great poets and writers, William Allen White, in pointing up the true value and meaning of a high standard of citizenship and the necessary cooperation and willingness to get along that accompanies this attribute. Rev. Brashear concluded, "I think when we move to a large city we appreciate the small town more. I have never known a community that has as high type citizens as Dimmitt. We never criticize each other and move along together with the right attitude and spirit."

President Buck Cleavinger announced during the meeting that a school for Lion club officers will be held at the Hilton Hotel in Plainview Friday starting at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Jessie Warren of Westover, Texas spent last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Glenn Smith, and other relatives and friends.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ray Aldridge of Olton visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sheffy and daughters returned over the weekend from a sight-seeing trip in northern New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and little girl visited their parents in Dimmitt over the weekend.

A family get-together was held in the H. E. Hershey home here Sunday. 31 persons present for the occasion enjoyed dinner and an afternoon of fellowship. Members of the family from as far off as Charleston, Arkansas and Floyd, New Mexico, were present.

A chicken fry, sponsored by the Bethel Progress Club and Home Demonstration Club, is slated to be held at the Bethel Community Building Friday night at 8 o'clock. All persons attending the fry are asked to bring a chicken not later than 6 p. m. The event is open to the public.

Graveside Rites For Infants

Graveside services for Paul Martinez, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martinez of Springlake who died at the Olton Hospital, July 14, were held Thursday afternoon in the Springlake cemetery under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home. The Rev. D. W. Brashear of Dimmitt officiated.

Graveside services for Jesus Granado, Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Granado, Sr., of Earth were conducted Thursday at 5 p. m. in the Springlake cemetery under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home. The Rev. D. W. Brashear of Dimmitt officiated. Born June 19, the victim died in the Castro County Hospital Thursday at 12:45 a. m.

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NEWS FROM CLEO

Mr. and Mrs. George Burch had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Turner. Then in the afternoon they met in the Ester Noble home and visited.

Mr. Dixon Turner and his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sisson and family were here visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gladman and children were in Dimmitt Friday night and were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Summers.

Visitors in the Joe Smith home Sunday were the Dobbins from near Hereford.

Mrs. Buster Tidwell went with a group of girls to camp at the Baptist Camp in the canyon near Crosbyton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman visited in the Elbert Summers home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Campbell visited in the Shorty Oldham home Sunday.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. F. J. Mears' father, Mr. Stokes, in Brownfield Sunday. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

Mrs. Beth Currys and Nell, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunyus from Lockney visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Summers Saturday.

Derryle Dodd was sick several days last week with a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Springer visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Summers and family Sunday and the new grandson Elbert Dean, who was born July 13 on Mr. Springer's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott took their son, Bennie, to Plainview Tuesday for a checkup. Bennie hasn't felt good for several days. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lilburn Arnold and girls visited Wednesday night and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Baker in Muleshoe, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Summers visited Mr. and Mrs. Morece Campbell Friday afternoon. Mr. Campbell is confined in bed with the mumps.

Bailing Wire, Other Metals in Feed Cause 'Hardware Disease' in Cattle

Many Texas Cattle this year will die from foreign-body penetration, commonly called "hardware disease."

Farmers are advised to take care when chopped hay or silage is prepared to be sure pieces of metal are not mixed with the feed. Bailing wire is perhaps the most common offender and is often found in the stomachs of animals, says Dr. C. M. Patterson, extension veterinarian.

All loose nails in feed bunks and mangers should be removed or driven in. In no case should animals be allowed in junk piles and scrap heaps where such items are readily found.

If cattle are provided the proper minerals, Dr. Patterson suggests that it will prevent them from licking and chewing posts and other objects.

Actually, hardware disease is not a disease at all. It is merely the ingestion of foreign bodies by cows, resulting in the penetration of these objects into the stomach walls or into other organs such as the heart and liver.

Cows, mature animals especially, have a habit of licking and consequently swallowing objects such as nails, pieces of bailing wire, glass and other metal objects. These pieces enter the stomach where they are churned about by the stomach walls. Here they become imbedded or even forced through the stomach.

Although symptoms vary from animal to animal, cows that go off-feed, are reluctant to move or move stiffly, exhibit diarrhea and show pain when moved suddenly should be suspected of the "disease."

Dr. Patterson says that in some

animals the symptoms may come and go while in others it may become progressively worse. These also are symptoms of other difficult.

In a good many cases where symptoms are noticed early, veterinarians may remove the objects by operating and searching for the object on the floor of the stomach.

Olton Boy Hurt in Ball Game

Douglas Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith of Olton, was treated in Castro County Hospital Monday night for a large laceration of the right leg just below the knee, according to attending physician Dr. Fred Faust. The patient was released in satisfactory condition, however, Dr. Faust indicated.

Young Smith was playing ball at the local park when the accident occurred. He had just rounded second base and advanced to third. The youth struck his leg just below the knee on

the stob or stake underneath the third base sack and had to be helped off the field. Mrs. Charlie Sanders and Mrs. V. E. Ray, both of Hart, brought the victim to the local hospital for emergency treatment.

Dixon L. Turner of Mineral Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Sissons and children of Amarillo visited with relatives in Dimmitt Sunday. Mrs. Sissons is a daughter of Dixon L. Turner.

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Social Security Pays \$69,582 to Mothers

Mothers and children in the 26-county Texas Panhandle area received \$69,582 of the \$233,563 in monthly social security insurance payments in the Panhandle in December, 1953, John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office, announced today.

The largest group of beneficiaries under the social security insurance program, however, continues to be retired workers, Sanderson said. In December, 2,879 such beneficiaries in the Panhandle received \$130,734, not including payments to wives and children of such workers. There was an increase of more than 27 percent over the number of all beneficiaries in this area compared with December, 1952.

Many people think of old-age and survivors insurance as a program for retired workers and their dependents exclusively. As these figures indicate, however, survivors benefits are an important part of the program too. In total, 6,153 persons in the Panhandle area received payments amounting to \$233,563 in the month of December, Sanderson said.

In Castro County in the month of December, 50 persons received a total of \$1,581 in old-age and survivors insurance payments.

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A Recent Decision Of The Supreme Court Of These United States Said That A Bureau Of The Federal Government Had A Right To Set The Price Of Natural Gas At The Wellhead Because Gas Was A Part Of Interstate Commerce. Under Law Texas Is Prohibited From Taxing Interstate Commerce.

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A Prominent Texas Negro Educator Recently Made A Survey Among His Own People And Found That 90% Of The Colored People Want to Retain Their Separate Schools.

Governor Shivers promised in an Amarillo Speech on July 17th that under these circumstances they could keep their separate schools and that such school for colored children and youth should be equal to those for whites.

Throughout the nation, Allan Shivers—as Governor of Texas—has become a symbol of the modern-day Texas spirit of independence. He is respected universally for the honesty and integrity of his high standard of public service; he is trusted by the people of Texas because they know he is a man of his word who has worked tirelessly and faithfully to help build a greater Texas.

On Saturday, July 24, the eyes of the nation will be on Texas to see if the bosses of the CIO-PAC can now dictate to Texans and penalize this man for making a valiant and successful fight for right. Your vote is important. With Allan Shivers, as our Governor, Texans have tested leadership—a man who knows how to defend Texas principles, a man who is willing to fight for Texas Rights.

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ranchers in the drought-ravaged areas of Texas, after the banks and other lending agencies had reached their limit in making agricultural and livestock loans.

That Governor Shivers agreed in Chicago to support the nominee of the Democratic Party for President, and in Texas repudiated that promise and worked for and gave his influence to the opposition party.

That Governor Shivers has been in office nearly three terms and there still isn't a natural resource tax despite the fact that our natural resources are being drained off at a rapid rate;

That when the teachers of Texas applied to the State Legislature for a deserved raise the Shivers' administration fought their efforts and criticized their motives, and that later, in order to defeat an adequate salary raise to the teachers, he machined through the legislature, in special session, his own compromise measure;

That the present administration has been too long in power and the only way to wreck a political machine is with an avalanche of votes;

That by the mearthy line Shivers has used the big smear in attempted character assassina-

tion, a practice that is not popular in Texas.

League Meet ...

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toms, J. C. D., chancellor of the diocese of Amarillo delivered the sermon at the solemn mass Wednesday, the third day of the convention. He acted in the absence of Bishop Lawrence J. FitzSimon of Amarillo whose health did not permit his presence. The solemn high mass was read by Right Rev. Msgr. J. Steingage, rector of the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, Amarillo.

The press exhibit of Thomas Stuebben, sophomore at Central Catholic High School in San Antonio, was again outstanding with more than a hundred publications on display. Young Stuebben has agreed to keep one copy of these publications at home to loan to any school that wishes to put them on display for a Catholic Press Exhibit once during the year. Stuebben asks that the collection be returned complete, however, and that mailing postage be paid by the sender.

The heavy attendance at week-day morning mass and the ac-

companying Holy Communions indicated the serious thinking of the delegates. Well over 200 attended the mass. Father Lenzan said for the LIUnion deceased.

From the first day of the convention the word was that Muenster was ready to take the state convention next year as its new church (in use since Easter Sunday) was almost completely finished. And after Father Louis Deuster, OSB, the pastor, spoke at the insurance banquet on Monday night and extended an invitation to the League to hold their next banquet at Muenster, there wasn't any doubt about the site of the next meeting.

Absent from the convention was Maurice Hafernik, state secretary who had put a lot of time into the planning of the event and had sent out the official letter of invitation. Family responsibilities made it impossible for him to be present.

All delegates and representatives were very impressed with the fine Castro county agricultural area. They also spoke highly of the progress and growth made by the parish at Nazareth.

Represented in the official registration were delegates from the following towns and cities: Seguin, Sweet Home, New Braunfels, San Antonio, La Coste, Electra, Houston, Castrovilla, Victoria, Windthorst, Scotland, Pilot Point, Stonewall, White Deer, Fredericksburg, Hereford, Red Rock (Amarillo), La Porte, Wall, Ro-

wena, Oltort, Happy, Westphalia, Burlington, Umbarger, Littlefield, Panna Maria, Lindsey, Slaton, Pep, Moulton, High Hill, D'Hanis, Muenster, Vernon, Temple, Corpus Christi, Jourdartown, Shiner, Jarrell, Eola, Floresville, El Campo, Hobson, Tours and Dimmitt.

Hospital News

Patients in the hospital:

Rosa Killian, Mrs. E. D. Newton, Mrs. Nola Wood, Mrs. M. V. Robinson, Mr. Clarence Wilhelm, Mr. H. H. Snow, Mr. Dan Lewis.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. Albert Gerber and baby Mr. R. H. Caler, Everardo Candara, Mr. Ross Stroud, Ramona Lopez, Mrs. Elbert Summers and baby, Cecil Berryman, J. M. Taylor, Jesus Granado, Jr., Jack Minchew, Mae Cox, Giles Tate, Kenneth Cornelius, B. A. Fuller, Karen George, W. H. Sanders, Nora Lee Engle, David Nino, Isidro Raemrioz, Mrs. Dan Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thraillkill, Ina Jo and Bobby, from Burelson, visited over the week-end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Robert Duke and family. Mrs. Duke and little son accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Bureau Directors To Sponsor Outing

The forthcoming Castro County Farm Bureau Queen Contest and state institute will be discussed when county bureau directors and their wives meet at the roadside park just south of Dimmitt, Tuesday night, for a covered dish supper.

All directors are asked to bring a covered dish of food. The supper will precede the short business session at 8 p. m.

Directors are expected to set the date and site for the county queen contest as well as establish rules and regulations. They will also air the Texas Farm Bureau Institute, which will be held this year at College Station on August 1-5. The five-day institute is designed, primarily, to give training to individuals who have specific responsibilities in the county farm bureau organizations over the state, thereby affording a better appreciation of the farm bureau program. The institute

will consist of history, membership, policy, leadership, county office procedure, recreation and assembly program.

Mitzi Wilson returned last Friday from McLain, where she had

attended the wedding of Donna Stubblefield, a college friend.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edd McLeroy in Neblett Hospital at Canyon Thursday night, a daughter, named Judy Ka. The little new-

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