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Castro County Celebrates Birthday With Picnic Wednesday

Baptist Summer Revival Campaign Will Begin Sunday Morn

HUGE CROWD ATTENDS CO. PARTY

BASKET DINNER, RODEO BASE BALL GAMES, DANCES, ATTRACT HUGE CROWDS

Dimmitt and Castro County citizens celebrated together Wednesday the forty-fourth anniversary of the organization of the county in an old-time picnic day. Featuring such attractions as an olden style basket dinner, rodeo, base ball games, and two separate dances throngs of visitors swarmed the streets of Dimmitt and enjoyed a grand day participating in the various festivities of the occasion.

Old timers gathered, renewed acquaintances and recalled early day trials and hardships and pleasant memories of other years, while the younger generations were attracted to the barker's calls to "have a chance" at the various contests and games of the carnival.

Noon found the crowd overflowing and growing larger every moment. Baskets of delicious picnic edibles were produced and dinner on long tables under the trees was the order of the hour.

The first call for the rodeo hastened a conclusion to the brief post-noon siesta and the trek to the rodeo grounds began. A huge crowd viewed the competition of this section's best cow-hands vie with the wild cows, steers, and broncs and the speedy goats, in the favorite sport of the old west.

The double-header base ball games between Dimmitt and Hereford and Dimmitt and Springlake drew hundreds of fans and provided entertainment for the diamond enthusiasts. The locals trounced the invading Hereford nine in the first encounter by a score of 6-3, but were overwhelmed in the after-piece by the Springlake club by a score of 13-2.

The crowds milled the streets until night when two dances were held in honor of the celebration.

The Witt Hotel lobby was filled with a crowd of pleasure seekers who danced to the tunes of an Amarillo orchestra while an open-air platform dance shared the throng.

At a late hour the throng began to disperse for their respective homes, tired but happy in the knowledge that the favorite Dimmitt Picnic had at last become an annual affair again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hicks and family and Joe Keith Williams of Lubbock spent the week end in Eldorado, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newton left Saturday for Detroit. They plan a two week's trip and on returning will drive two new cars back.

Mrs. Goowdin Miller is visiting her father and sister in Snyder, Oklahoma.

Miss Catherine Smith is visiting relatives in happy this week.

Miss Maxine McCraw of Plainview is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sheffey.

Mr. B. F. Wilson of Medford, Oklahoma, was the guest of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dilmond Neumayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hyatt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Thompson of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cox and family spent the week end in Seagraves.

ORDER OF COMMISSIONERS COURT ESTABLISHING BOUNDARIES OF ELECTION PRECINCTS

The Commissioners Court setting in regular session this 12th day of August, 1935, came to consider the matter of re-establishing the election precinct lines of election precincts No. 1, 4, 5, and 12 of Castro County on motion made by Commissioner L. A. Ricketts, duly seconded by Commissioner Andrew Acker and passed by unanimous vote of the court, the following order was passed, First:

That the boundary lines between election precinct No. 1 and No. 4, be changed from the present location as follows, From the center of the East door of the Castro County Court House in an Easterly direction to an intersection with the center line of State Highway No. 86, and thence following the center line of said Highway No. 86 in an Easterly direction to the present East boundary line of election precinct No. 1. The territory lying on the North side of this line being election Precinct No. 4, and the territory lying South of this line being election precinct No. 1;

Second, that the boundary line between election precincts No. 5, and No. 12, be as follows: From the East boundary of election precincts No. 1 and No. 4, along the center line of State Highway No. 86, in an Easterly direction to the Castro County & Swisher County line. The territory lying North of this line being in election precinct No. 12, and the territory lying South of this line being in election precinct No. 5. The boundary lines of commissioners Precincts No. 1 and No. 4, will be changed to conform to the change in election precincts.

Signed: PERCY ESTES, County Judge, Castro County

Attest: GLENN HICKMAN County Clerk, Castro County

CORN-HOG MEN COMPLIMENT 3-A

CORN-HOG RAISERS PRAISE AAA AND INSIST UPON ITS CONTINUATION

The Texas Corn-Hog Advisory Committee, being the duly elected representatives of about 38,000 Texas Corn-Hog producers in 225 counties, while in session at the Farmers' Short Course at Texas A. & M. College, issued the following statements:

We wish to go on record commending the National Administration for its untiring effort to give the farmer an opportunity to receive parity prices for the commodities he produces and markets, and to give the producers of agricultural commodities a protection similar to that which has been given manufacturers and other commercial interests. Texas farmers are keenly aware of the fact that this is an unprecedented consideration given them.

We insist upon the continuation of Agricultural Adjustment programs and processing taxes, without which Texas farmers and Texas business would suffer.

We express the determination of Texas farmers to hold our adjustment programs regardless of attacks made on them, and hereby notice that we shall insist upon some kind of farm program no matter what legal difficulties may arise in connection with the present one.

We heartily endorse, and are ready to assist the Texas Agricultural Association in its effort to expose the unconstitutionality of high protective industrial tariffs which have been of great damage to the majority interests of farmers, and we call on all the people of Texas to assist us in our struggle for a fair deal which is of great importance to the people in all occupations just as well as

to those engaged in farming.

We wish to commend and endorse the Corn and Hog Sections of the AAA in Washington for the splendid way they have carried out the program in Texas and the manner in which they have helped the Corn-Hog contract signers of Texas to meet each problem that has come up in carrying out the program.

We want to express the appreciation of the farmers we represent to the Extension Service of the Texas A. & M. College for the

WILL ROGERS AND WYLIE POST DIE IN ALASKA CRASH

Dimmitt, together with the rest of the nation and world grieves over the tragic death of the beloved Will Rogers and Wylie Post, killed when their ship crashed in Alaska Thursday. They were enjoying a vacation flight when something went wrong sending them crashing to their death. The plane was equipped with pontoons for water flying and unsuitable for landing on the ground, where they were forced down.

lapable way the program has been handled and the fair, impartial decisions that have come from the officials in charge.

We endorse the actions of the members of the present Corn-Hog Review Board and the way they have handled the job of allotment that has been their duty. The Board has been fair and just in all its decisions and rulings, and contract signers appreciate its impartial allotments.

This committee feels that the Corn-Hog program has been efficiently and fairly carried on in Texas. The County Agents, all Corn-Hog Committeemen and others connected with the program have worked hard in putting it over. The contract signers have been harmonious and have co-operated with the officials, and this body wants to express its appreciation to all connected with the program for the manner in which it has been handled.

Messrs. Ralph and Ted Cox and C. J. Bain and E. D. Smith are vacationing at Eagle Nest Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Shaw of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Brooks of Hereford were visiting friends in Dimmitt Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Strother and family spent Tuesday in Amarillo.

G. L. Blanton, Miss Sue Blanton and Homer Blanton are in Fort Worth on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rice and daughter of Post are visiting relatives here this week.

SCHOOL OPENS HERE SEPT. 2ND

FACULTY WILL BE COMPLETED SOON. SCHOOL ISSUE WILL BE AUGUST 29TH

School bells will ring again on Monday, September 2, tolling the opening of the 1935-36 term of school in Dimmitt.

Superintendent H. P. Clemons states that the staff will be completed in the next few days and announcement of the faculty personnel will be announced. It has been necessary to wait until this late hour to fill several vacancies due to the resignation of several members of the faculty at the last moment.

The News is co-operating with Superintendent Clemons and the local school board in devoting its issue of August 29th to the school opening. Considerable expense is entailed in the edition and we believe the patrons will be well pleased with the results. The local advertisers will be given opportunity to boost the Dimmitt school and welcome the faculty members and students in this edition which will carry interesting stories, pictures and full announcements of the opening exercises.

SOFTBALL LOOP TO START PLAY

FIVE TEAMS WILL ENTER SECOND HALF OF SOFTBALL LOOP. START TUES.

The Dimmitt men's softball league will begin its second half play Tuesday afternoon with the News and Lumbermen, both co-holders of the first half championship, blasting the lid of the new schedule. The second half will find only five teams in the competition as the Druggists club has been unable to hold its players

COUNTY SCHOOL OFFICIALS INVITED TO ANNOUNCE PLAN

The various superintendents of the various county schools are cordially invited to send in their open-announcements and plans for the coming year to The News for publication August 29th, that issue to be dedicated to the educational program of the county and city.

LADIES SOFTBALL LEAGUE IS PROVING VERY POPULAR

Interest in the ladies softball games under the arc lights are proving immensely popular and large crowds of enthusiastic fans are attending every game.

At the present the Girl Scouts are leading the parade having handed the Dizzy Deans a thrilling walloping August 14th by a score of 23 to 17. A huge early lead by the Scouts proved a bit too much for the Dizzier team, however the latter portion of the contest was decidedly in favor of the losers.

The ladies games begin at 8:30 p. m.

WPA PROJECT IN CASTRO LIKELY

WORKING ON PROJECT FOR HIGHWAY 51 ACROSS THE CO. DESIGNATION LIFTED

The commissioners court has been busily engaged in auditing the county books and working out a budget for the coming year and at the same time trying to work out a satisfactory project to submit for a W. P. A. grant. Since the change in the status of the local relief set-up in the county it will become necessary for the county to take care of its unemployed in the future, hence the necessity for such a project to care for the demand when it arises.

With this in mind the court is working on a plan to finish the grade and drainage on Highway 51 North and South across the county. This is possible since the State Highway Department has lifted the designation number from the road. This was done so as to conform with the W. P. A. requirement that only lateral county roads would be eligible for such a grant.

It is possible that other projects will be submitted for consideration from Castro County, however, at the present, these have not been made public.

Ray McIntyre of WTSTC spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cox spent Sunday in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harris spent the week end in Floydada.

Mrs. C. C. Reynolds of Hart was a visitor in Dimmitt last week.

Honorable H. C. Webb and Carroll Gunter transacted business in Plainview Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Frasier of Hereford spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stalcup.

together for a team. The players of this team that remain in the city will be chosen by the other five teams, thus helping fill their playing roster with sufficient men to play the games according to schedule.

The complete schedule will be published in next week's issue of The News.

REV. SHAW WILL CONDUCT SERIES

REV. JOE TRUSSELL TO BE EVANGELISTIC SINGER IN REVIVAL SERIES HERE

This Sunday, August 18, the summer revival meeting of the First Baptist Church will begin. According to Rev. Vernon Shaw, pastor plans have been made for one of the greatest religious awakenings ever seen in the local community.

Fresh from great victories in revivals throughout a vast portion of West and Central Texas, Rev. Shaw returns to his home field to launch his greatest campaign for the Great Redeemer.

One of the outstanding evangelistic singers of the state has been secured to handle the music for the campaign. Rev. Joe Trussell of Brownwood will bring many beautiful messages in song and all who have heard him state his solos are so beautiful and full of appeal crowds are drawn to every service.

The morning services will begin at 11 o'clock with the evening services starting promptly at 8:30.

A most cordial welcome is extended each and every person to attend any or all the services and join in the worship.

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING FOR CASTRO COUNTY

Persuant to Acts of the Forty-Second Legislature, Regular Session Chapter 206, Notice is hereby given that a public hearing on the Budget of Castro County for the calendar year, 1936, will be held in the Commissioners' Court Room starting at 10:00 a. m. on the 20th day of August, 1935. Following the hearing the Commissioners' Court will set the tax rates for the 1935 tax roll.

Percy Estes, County Judge, Castro County

DIMMITT NINE TO PLAY AMARILLO

WILL INVADE CITY IN ATTEMPT TO GAIN REVENGE FOR EARLY LOSS HERE

Sunday afternoon the Dimmitt baseball team will invade the confines of the Potter County Capital for a diamond joust with the potential Amarillo Furniture nine. It will be remembered that early in the season the Amarillo team visited the local ball garden and plucked an easy victory from the homelings, however Manager McIlroy's club is intent on returning the compliment to the city boys and are going to present a vastly improved team to vie for the Sunday honors.

It is hoped and expected that a goodly number of local fans will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit Amarillo Sunday and see a real diamond thriller.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Holly and Mr. Sid Huckabay and son made a trip to the New Mexico mountains last week.

Mrs. J. M. Wright and Miss Pearl Wright of Lubbock spent the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Durcie McWharther of Westover is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Webb and other relatives here for an indefinite period.

What A Difference A Few Years Make



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IN THE BALANCE

Ask any business man, investor, property owner or thinking worker what is most needed to give the nation the confidence, the spirit and the optimism that will break depression.

You might get the same answer from each: "Tax reduction, plus a determined policy that will balance the budget as soon as possible, and gradually reduce and eventually eliminate the vast national debt."

Real, permanent and sound recovery cannot arrive so long as industry faces the prospect of confiscatory taxes that will seize whatever profits it is able to make. We cannot have a wave of home-building so long as our citizens realize that increasing taxes may soon make it impossible for them to keep their property. We cannot have re-employment of the jobless so long as investors are afraid to put their money into productive enterprises—because rising taxes imperil both principal and income.

The national debt is approaching the \$35,000,000,000 mark. Hundreds of millions of dollars a year are required to meet the interest. More hundreds of millions are required for sinking funds with which to pay off the bonds when they fall due. Long after the money has been spent, and the things it bought have disappeared, we and our children will be paying the bill.

The Federal government has attempted to "spend us back to prosperity". In the view of many unbiased commentators we would have gone a long way farther toward recovery had spending been held down—in other words, the government's policy, in their behalf, has hindered and not helped the nation. Yet more spending is in prospect—and more taxes.

The people want tax reduction. Business wants tax reduction. Investors and workers want tax reduction. Unless it is achieved, the nation's economic future is in the balance.

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Most of us, knowingly or otherwise, take chances with fire. And that's a game in which the player always loses. He can't win.

Here's a simple little questionnaire that may aid you in eliminating common fire risks—and may also give you an inkling into the unnecessary chances you have been taking:

Have your furnaces, its pipes, and other heating devices and equipment been recently inspected and approved by an expert? Has your electric wiring likewise been checked by an approved electrician—not an amateur? Do you make it a practice to keep your basement, attic and unused rooms from accumulations of paper, rags and other waste? Do you keep your property free from dry grass? Do you store explosive and inflammable liquids in safe places, and in approved metal containers? Do you take constant care with matches, tobacco and smoking materials? If you have done any building or remodeling, have you conformed to an up-to-date building code calling for the most approved construction and the most fire-resistive materials? And, finally, do you take advantage of expert inspection services offered by fire marshals, insurance organizations and other bodies?

If your answer to any of these questions is "No", you are taking chances with fire. You are imperiling your property and that of your neighbors—and perhaps imperiling lives as well. Most fire hazards can be eliminated with but a small expenditure of either time or money—and whatever investment you make will pay big dividends in safety and security.

BETTER BUSINESS ON THE FARM

"So long as farming is unorganized," said Sir Horace Plunkett, British agricultural authority, recently, "the greater majority of farmers will have to buy all they require for their industry at retail prices, and sell what they produce at wholesale prices.

"It is a ludicrous situation, that unorganized farmers have to deal with the most highly organized business. The only solution for the farmer lies in 'better business'."

Statistics show that the agricultural cooperative movement is rapidly growing in almost every civilized nation—Sweden, England, Ireland, the United States, etc. It is a tribute to American initiative that its highest development has been reached by farm groups in this country.

Organized farming means eventual prosperous farming. Unorganized farming means the indefinite continuance of agricultural depression.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Castro County, Greeting:

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by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next day of February A. D. 1936, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 16th day of July A. D. 1935, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 2265, wherein THE DALLAS JOINT STOCK LAND regular term of the District Court of Deaf Smith County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Hereford, Texas, on the first Monday in February A. D. 1936, the same being the 3rd BANK OF DALLAS is Plaintiff, and C. E. D. LOVE and J. D. LOVE are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH

In the 69th Judicial District Court of Texas.

No: 2265.
The Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank of Dallas Vs. Original C. E. D. Love, et al Petition

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

The Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank of Dallas, a private corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the United States of America, with its principal office, place of business and residence in Dallas County, Texas, hereinafter called plaintiff, complaining of C. E. D. Love of Cooke County, Texas, and J. D. Love, of Castro and Deaf Smith Counties, Texas, hereinafter called defendants, for cause of action would respectfully show the following:

I. That on the first day of January, A. D. 1935, the plaintiff was and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described premises situated in the Counties of Castro and Deaf Smith, State of Texas:

Being all of Section No. 71, in Block M-7, containing 655.4 acres of land; and Being the same land conveyed to T. C. Calley by S. L. Easley and wife by warranty deed dated July 25, 1924, recorded in Vol. 30, Page 620, Deed Records of Castro County, Texas.

II. That on such day also it was entitled to the possession of such premises, and that thereafter, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1935, the defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed it of such premises and withholds from it the possession thereof.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff prays that the defendants be cited to answer this petition and that the plaintiff have judgement for the title and possession of the above described premises, the costs of suit and for such other and further relief as it may be en-

JUMBO

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Hardin and children of Kirkland, who have been visiting for the past two weeks with Mrs. Haroin's father, Mr. W. H. Wilkerson, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Virginia Nix of Hereford spent from Saturday to Tuesday with Miss Mary Ann Baird. Monday on the Kelly Graves place near Westway.

Mr. P. H. Dyer and son, Wayne, and Mr. F. J. Axe and sons, Wilburn and Fred, made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Miss Louise and Elizabeth Goats who spent the past weeg end here

This action is brought as well to try title as for damages.

RENFRO & McCOMBS, Attorneys for Plaintiff. Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid titled to at law or in equity.

RENFRO & McCOMBS, Attorneys for Plaintiff next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND and the Seal of said Court, at office in Hereford, Texas, this the 22nd day of July A. D. 1935.

L. H. Foster, Clerk, District Court, Deaf Smith County.

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returned to Canyon Monday.

Mrs. Jesse McGinnis went to Amarillo a Saturday for a visit with her brother, Frank McGinnis.

Mr. Bradford Spencer took his grandmother, Mrs. Phillips back to her home in White Deer Saturday.

L. A. Matthews and son, Leon, were in Hereford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dyer and family spent Sunday in the Lint Merritt home.

L. A. Matthews and sons, Leon and Lawrence, were in Dimmitt Monday.

Marlin and Mrs. Mat Gilliland spent Tuesday in the P. H. Dyer home.

Leora, Reed of Sweetwater is visiting in the Ullman Hunter home.

Gene and Jimmie Dyer have returned home from a short visit with their aunt, Mrs. Mat Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McGeehee from Kansas City spent Wednesday night in the Ullman Hunter home. Ms. McGeehee is contractor for the irrigation well on the Duke place.

Mr. Jack Richardson and son, Jackson, from Shreveport are here, they were joined by Mrs. Richardson Friday. They spent the week end in the Ullman Hunter home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Beck, Mr.

and Mrs. L. E. Beck and LaVelle, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hardy and Dugan attended church at Easter Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Martin from Lubbock were dinner guests in the Ullman Hunter home. Mrs. Jack Richardson made the trip from Lubbock with them.

Miss La Rue Beck came home Friday.

Mrs. Jim Berry of Frio and the Springer children called in the L. E. Beck home Tuesday.

The John Stark family and LaRue Beck called in the Jake Wagner home in Hereford Saturday.

Miss Virginia Stark spent the week in the Jake Wagner home.

Those who went swimming at Dyer's Wednesday night were: James, Clements and LaVelle Beck, Leora Reed, Chas. McGinnis and Orval Pierce.

Mrs. J. R. George from Rio Grande came Wednesday for a visit in the J. J. Wilder home.

Bill Hacker spent Saturday evening and night in Hereford with his sister, Mrs. Hazel Sparks.

Brother J. R. Sharpe filled his regular appointment here Sunday. Mr. Dickerson of Wyche spent Saturday night with Lonnie Adams.

Miss Anna Lou Getaway of Amarillo spent Saturday night with Miss Hope Adams.

Paul Andrew of Hereford is visiting his uncle, Robert Pinckert.

The regular chicken fry Friday night was well attended and enjoyed.

C. C. Hunter, Jr., spent Sunday with Merle Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Chub Pinkert spent Thursday night in Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boggs.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dyer spent Sunday in the C. I. Beck home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Harrell called in the Charley Harrell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Woolery spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Woolery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hughes and Lucile and Billee Dyer had supper with Mrs. J. C. Gallagher of Hereford.

Mr. Junior Woolery is working north of Hereford on the Oscar Easley place, he plans to be gone a month.

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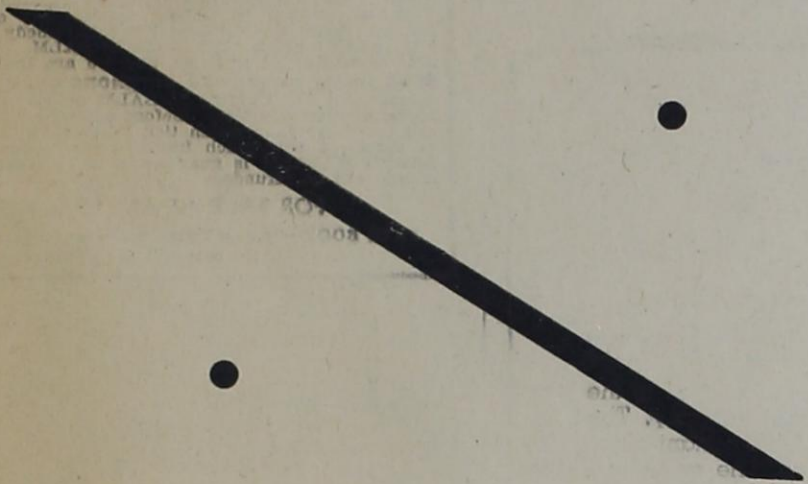


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IN SOCIETY

LAUGH-A-LOT HONORED BY MRS. P. P. ROBB

Mrs. P. P. Robb was gracious hostess to the Laugh-a Lot club Wednesday afternoon at her home. A refreshing salad course was served to Mrs. Harvey Youts, guest and Mrs. Henry Staleup, Mrs. Bill Webb, Mrs. Dilmond Neumayer, Mrs. Homer Newton, Mrs. Henry Clemons, Mrs. Buck McCuan, Mrs. Buddie Birdwell, Mrs. E. W. Thomas and the hostess.

LONDON BRIDGE CLUB MET THURSDAY

The London Bridge Club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edgar Ramey. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Otis Holley, Rayford Ricketts, Mrs. Andrew Elder, guests; and Meade Haile, O. B. Trimble, Byron Shipley, Tom Bice, Sam Gilbreath and the hostess. In the games Mrs. Sam Gilbreath scored high with Mrs. Otis Holley second high.

NEW SEWING CLUB ORGANIZED

The Dizzy Dames Sewing Club was organized Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Kathleen Rothwell. Sewing and pleasant conversation furnished the entertainment throughout the afternoon. Plans for future activities of the club were formed before an attractive ice course was served to Misses Dorothy Maples, Florette Meek, Dapheene Hutchings, Emily and Mary Alice McLean, Pauline Rothwell and the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Dorothy Maples.

SENIOR STUDY CLUB PLANS NEW YEAR BOOK SOON

The Senior Study Club has just completed a very interesting course of study and their year book is now ready for press. The club will not meet again until their first regular meeting which is the fourth Thursday in September.

METHODIST W. M. S. IN INTERESTING MEET

The W. M. S. of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Carlos Reynolds was in charge of the program with several interesting topics on the subject of prohibi-

tion being given by various members. Mrs. Rothwell dismissed the meeting. Thirteen members were present.

Mrs. Cleo Richardson of Bethel and Mrs. Raymond Wilson spent the week end in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blount and Mrs. Fannie Brown of Lockney and Mr. Edney Blount of Memphis, Tennessee, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Brown Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Lee of Spur arrived Sunday for an extended visit with friends here.

Henry Staleup transacted business in Hereford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnett of Lubbock were guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elder, Sunday. Mrs. Elder returned home with them for an extended visit.

Mrs. Less Womack and children are vacationing in Ruidosa, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. True Burson and family of Silverton visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Gunter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Youts and family are visiting relatives in Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Miss Vera Hamilton of Floydada has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. E. C. Caudle and Mrs. Jim Maynard.

Miss Nila Stephens of Mineral Wells is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ozro Stephens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thomas and family are visiting in Marfa this week.

Mrs. W. A. Jones and sons are visiting relatives in Oklahoma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hudson of Happy were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hudson. of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hudson Thursday.

Mrs. Ernest Skipworth and family of El Paso were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skipworth the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Skipworth returned home with her Saturday for a two week's vacation.

Misses Jewell Faye Webb and Hickox of WTSC of Canyon visited Tuesday with Miss Zonell Brown.

Mrs. G. L. Willis, Allie Mae and G. L. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morris.

Mr and Mrs. Ralph Whitesides of Plainview were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Blanton over the week end.

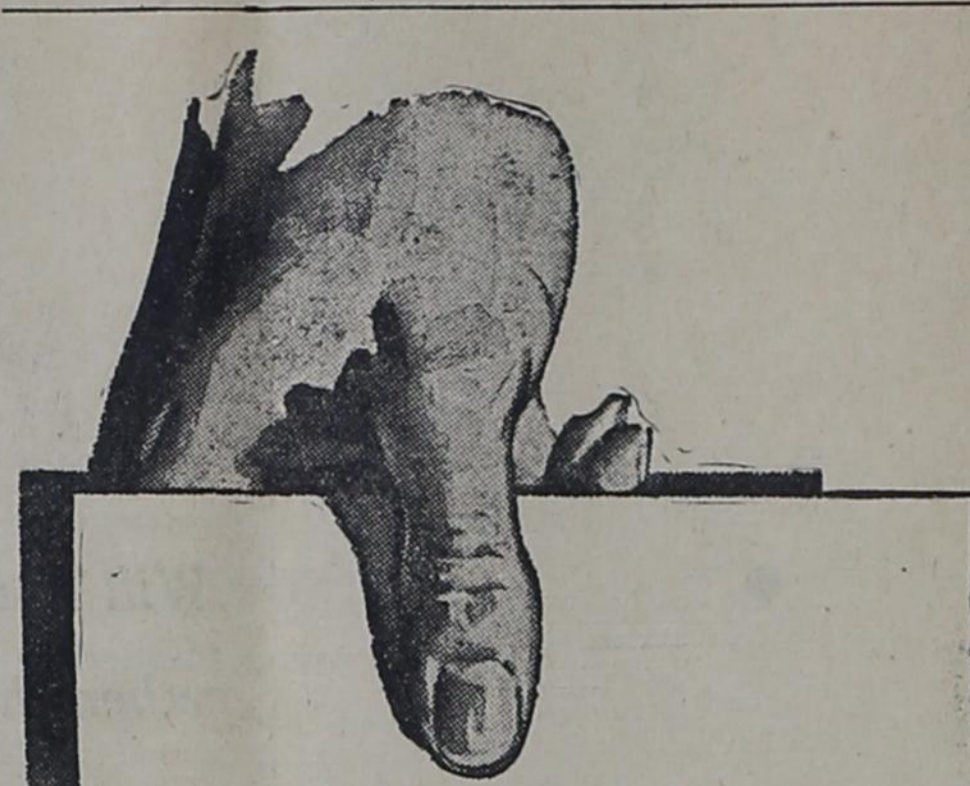
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Parker and children of Happy were visiting friends in Dimmitt Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Bice and Mrs. Rayford Ricketts were shopping in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Edgar Ramey is visiting her parents in Hail Center this week.

Mrs. Cleve Tate and daughter, Miss Johnny Beth, left Thursday for Santa Rosa and Las Vegas, N. M., where they will visit relatives.

James Barron, formerly of this city, is visiting in the home of friends prior to leaving for Alva, Oklahoma, where he attend the State Teachers College.



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