

Martin County 25th Annual Old Settlers Reunion Starts Monday

Many Expected For Big Event

At Higginbotham-Bartlett Company places will be provided for old timers to sit and visit Tuesday. On display will be pictures and reminders of days gone by.

Many old settlers have been growing beards for the celebration. The beards will be judged at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday at Higginbotham-Bartlett Company.

Billy Houston is in charge of the parade. Prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 will be given to the first, second and third place winning floats.

All units which are to be in the parade are asked to be in the First Methodist Church by 4:45 p. m. Tuesday where the parade will begin.

Anyone who wants to ride in or enter the parade is asked to contact Billy Houston or other reunion officials. Everyone who can is asked to enter the parade so it will be the biggest.

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Mahon For Re-election

George Mahon, Congressman from this district, requested this week that we formally announce his candidacy for re-election to Congress. He had filed for a place on the ticket some time ago.

"A long statement would serve no useful purpose," Mahon said.



GEORGE MAHON

"but I would like for the people to know of my feeling of appreciation for the wonderful support and good will which they have given me through the years."

"And I would like to add this," Mahon said. "We seem always to be living in uncertain and difficult times. Under all conditions and at all times I am doing everything in my power to serve the best interest of our district and of our country. I am always pleased to have the people of our district call upon me. I will deeply appreciate a continuation of your support and confidence."

IN THE COTTON PATCH

By COUNTY AGENT BOB JOHNSON

Wind—steady and continuous—maker of the great dust bowl of years past and plague of the farmer has greatly affected insect activity during the past five days. This agent has not been able to count a damaging insect infestation since Saturday morning, not only damaging but beneficial insects as well have been hard to find in cotton all over the county.

Spiders clinging to the terminals are about the limit of insects in the top six inches of the plants with an occasional hooded beetle or lygus bug. Most insects are in the lower part of plants using the leaves and other plants for wind-breaks.

If you have checked for squares this week you probably noticed several small squares in the tops of plants that have had very few or none if the cotton fleahopper has been present in the field.

Glen Petree, southwest of Stanton, was approaching the time to poison for fleahoppers and lygus buds Friday before

the wind started. And tried his spray rig in the field Tuesday to check the wind effects.

Irvin Myrick and James Webb, northwest of Stanton, had fleahoppers in their fields Saturday but not in damaging numbers.

Fields around Grover and Denver Springer at Lenorah had few insects visible Monday morning. And Snooks Epley's irrigated patch produced little more with the exception of a fleahopper which blew away when exposed to the wind.

Newell Tate had a few lygus present Tuesday morning but the wind prevented a good accurate check from being made due to the insect shift from top to lower parts of the plant.

Several growers have asked this agent what the Cabbage Looper Moth looks like during the past few days. The moth has a wing spread of about 1 1/4 inch and is grayish brown with the front wings marked near the center by a silvery spot which is shaped somewhat like the figure 8. Eggs are laid singly on top of the leaves.

Gas Tax Refund Blanks On Hand

Application blanks for refunds of federal taxes on farm-used gasoline have been received at the office of County Agent Bob Johnson.

Farmers who may claim a refund of 3 cents on farm-used gasoline, may obtain them from the agent. The refunds cover only a one-year period, from June 30, 1957, to July 1, 1958.

Applications for the refunds may be filed on or before Sept. 30, 1958, according to the agent.

Beryl Tidwell of Corpus Christi is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Evelyn Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Butcher and son of Fort Worth have been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Butcher, and daughter; his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Butcher.

Visitors with Mrs. Flora Morris are her daughter, Mrs. Bill Neill, Larry and James Thomas, of Tornillo, and Barbara Moore of Midland. Mr. Neill visited in the home and then went on to Temple, Austin, Commerce and other cities.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



MARTIN-HOWARD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Jack Buchanan, Ollie Robertson, Bernard Houston, Edgar Phillips, J. D. Crawford.

Great Plains Conservation Program plans of operation are being developed by James Webb who farms John Harvard's place west of Stanton and on A. C. Woodard's place at Wolcott. They will present these plans to the Soil Conservation Service for approval for Federal cost-share assistance for conservation practices which will include needed land use changes as well as measures to build-up and maintain the productivity of the soil. Both of these plans will include cropland and rangeland.

"If we are courageous in accepting new ideas, and willing to work with instead of against the land, we shall find in conservation farming the best system of agriculture that the world has ever known."

H. H. Bennett

In April of this year, F. D. Breedlove planted approximately 100 acres of native and introduced grasses on his cultivated land for seed production. Breedlove's planting included, Blue Panic, Sideoats Grama, Blue Grama, Seed Lovegrass and Indian grass. These grasses have been irrigated and are all up to a good stand. He plans to harvest seed from these grasses for sale and for use in reseed-ing some of his rangeland.

"A man is known by the soil" (Continued on page 8)

Well In West Martin Gets Acid Treatment

By JAMES C. WATSON

Jake L. Hamon of Dallas and Midland has acidized his No. 1 Holton, prospective Devonian discovery in West Martin County, and was swabbing back load, acid water and new oil on last report.

The pay, behind casing perforations from 11,948 to 11,974 feet, was acidized with 2,000 gallons. During 16 hours of swabbing, the wildcat returned 48 barrels of load oil, 39 barrels of acid water and six barrels of new oil.

On last report, the project was being swabbed at the rate of three barrels of fluid per hour.

The wildcat 7,577 feet from east and 5,872 feet from south lines of league 246, Wheeler County School Land survey, and 21 miles northwest of Stanton.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 M. McKaskle will be drilled as an 11,100-foot wildcat in East Martin County, 12 miles northeast of Stanton.

The project will be dug 660 feet from north and east lines of section 12, block 35, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Murphy H. Baxter of Midland will drill No. 1 Donovan as a southeast offset to dual Strawn and Devonian producer in the Azalea (multipay) field in Northeast Midland County.

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White Says U. R. Plan Not Classed As Bond Issue

City Secretary Harvey White advised The Stanton Reporter Wednesday morning that the city council was anxious to get it over to the people of Stanton that the proposed Urban Renewal Plan to be voted on July 21 should not be confused with a bond issue.

White stated that the proposition to be voted on would be to either accept or reject the U. R. program. He said the vote would be to determine whether the people give to the council the authority an Urban Renewal Commission and a Planning Committee.

Detailed information will be published next week about the election.

C. C. Committees To Be Appointed

H. M. McReynolds, acting manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce said this week that new members were signing up and some of the old member rejoining the chamber.

He stated that new committees would be appointed, and a planned program of work submitted to the directors for their approval.

McReynolds stated that a drive would be launched shortly to raise money to provide adequate rest rooms for Mexican nationals expected to work in the county this summer.

Li. Billy Storey To Wed Lubbock Girl In July

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gilchrist of Ames, Iowa, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara K. Gilchrist, 2010 Main, Lubbock, to Second Lieutenant Billy Mack Storey.

The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Storey of Stanton. He is a 1957 graduate of Texas Tech and the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. He is stationed at Fort Sam Houston with the Nurses Army Corp where he is taking part in a six week training course.

The future bride is also a 1957 graduate of Texas Tech and the Methodist Hospital. She is a graduate of Ames, Iowa High School. A registered nurse, she is employed by Dr. John H. Shelby in Lubbock.

The wedding will take place at 2 p. m. Saturday, July 12 at the chapel at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

After Lt. Storey completes his training at Fort Sam Houston, the couple will make their home in Killeen, where he will be stationed at Fort Hood.

Edwards Buys White Grocery

Ed Edwards has purchased the grocery and market in Stanton formerly owned by L. H. White.

Mr. Edwards assumed active ownership and management on July 1. An advertisement appears in this issue of the paper concerning the change of ownership.

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Stanton Girl Wins District Essay Contest

Barbara Jane Smith of Stanton was named District 6 winner in the fourth annual industrial essay contest sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce's industrial development committee.

According to Eldor Buelow of Abilene, chairman of the WTCC committee, Miss Smith will receive a certificate from the regional chamber. Buelow said that more than 200 high school seniors entered this year's contest, each writing on the topic, "What My Town Can Do To Have More Industry."

Regional winner of the contest was Dan Hartmann of Fredericksburg who received a \$250 scholarship to the West Texas college or university of his choice.

Other winners included Pat Wilkins of Wellington who won second place and Linda Hawley of Albany who won third place and district winners Patsy Emberson of Littlefield, Dist. 2; A. J. Egerton of Wichita Falls, District 3; Bill Henson of Bowie, District 4; and Charles McLure of Van Horn, District 7.

The annual contest is sponsored jointly by the WTCC and local chambers of commerce. Winners at the local level were presented prizes in most instances by the local chamber.

Stantonites Home From California

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Tom and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Deavenport of Fresno, Calif., have returned home from a three-week trip to the Northwestern states and Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom flew to California where they joined

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Most Stores To Close On Fourth

Most Martin County merchants will observe Friday, July 4, by closing for the day.

The holiday was one of five members of the chamber of commerce voted to observe earlier this year.

Some merchants will not only observe the fourth, but the fifth as well and re-open their stores on Monday, July 7.

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Farmers Fail To OK Cotton Station Here

Plans for the establishment of a cotton classing station for Stanton have been virtually abandoned for this year.

A few weeks ago the agricultural committee of the Chamber of Commerce sent out 800 cards to cotton farmers in Martin, Midland and Glasscock counties, but received only about 400 replies.

Most of the farmers answering the cards were in favor of the office, but too many of them did not answer at all. The committee will send out more inquiries, for there is a good possibility of getting the office for next year.

"It's too late to get anything done before cotton picking," said Gerald Hanson, committee chairman. "We'll need the approval of more farmers before we can make any plans. I doubt if the USDA in Dallas would grant us an office unless more than 50 per cent of the farmers were in favor of it."

Blakley Says Showdown Time For All Texans

Cowboy-lawyer William (Bill) Blakley, who seeks to represent Texas in the U. S. Senate again, said today that the Democratic Primary July 26 "is showdown time in Texas."

"Texas has long been 'the number one target of those who do not believe in individual freedom, in state sovereignty, in the rule of constitutional law,'" he said.

"You will decide whether this state is to be represented by a majority senator free from obligations to any out-of-state influence or whether we are going to allow the cliques, political blocs and renegade labor leaders of the north tell Texas and the south what to do about their political business."

About integration in public schools, Blakley had this statement this week. "And now the Supreme Court has decided—without the benefit of constitutional authority or legal precedent—that the people of this state cannot control and operate their own public school systems."

"And let us hope that we will never again witness the unconstitutional use of military might for the enforcement of an unconstitutional judicial decree."

County Attorney Talks To Courtney Home Demo Club

Ralph Caton, county attorney, and Mrs. R. P. Odom were guest speakers at a meeting of the Courtney Home Demonstration Club June 25 at the home of Mrs. Bernall Howard.

"Education" was the subject discussed by the two speakers. Members voted to not meet again until September 10 when the club will meet with Ima Kelly.

Present were Mesdames J. M. Yater, Bill Hull, Chalmer Wren, Ohmer Kelly, T. B. Stewart, Jr., Earl Douglas, and two guests, Mrs. C. L. Howard and Mrs. W. A. Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomas spent Sunday visiting in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones.

Attending a picnic Saturday in Big Spring were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin George and family, Janice Glaze, Buzzy Brewer, and Alton Robertson.

Two Killed In Martin Crash

Two men were killed in a head-on collision of two cars 18 miles north of Stanton on the Lamesa Highway Saturday night at 10:30 p. m., on Highway 137.

Two others were injured, one seriously. Amillio Aquierre, 27, and Gilberto Hinojosa, 32, drivers of the two vehicles, were killed in the crash.

Manuel Alvarado was taken to the Malone-Hogan Clinic in Big Spring by Arrington ambulance. He had a broken leg and other injuries. Joe Espinosa escaped with minor injuries. Alvarado, a Mexican national, was a passenger in the Hinojosa car, while Espinosa was riding with Aquierre.

Sheriff Dan Saunders said one car apparently spun in the path of the other after its right wheels dropped off the pavement onto the shoulder of the roadway.

Rites for Hinojosa, who lived west of Stanton on the Wesley W. Williams farm, were held Tuesday morning at 9 a. m. at St. Joseph's Catholic Church with the Rev. Fabian Diering officiating. Burial followed in St. Joseph Cemetery with Arrington Funeral Home in charge. The deceased leaves his wife, nine children and his parents.

At 10:30 a. m. Tuesday morning, Father Diering conducted the funeral mass of Aquierre and burial also followed in St. Joseph Cemetery, also under direction of Arrington Funeral Home. He leaves his parents, his wife, one daughter, Linda, three brothers and five sisters.

Stanton Lions Hear Rev. Wright

Rev. W. C. Wright was guest speaker at a meeting of the Stanton Lions Club Tuesday at Belvue Restaurant.

The speaker discussed "The Price of Freedom." He was introduced by R. C. Vest, president.

Guests were Jess Woody, George Elliott of Big Spring, and the speaker.

Thirteen members were present.

Glenn Gates, first vice president, will be in charge of the program at the July 8 meeting.

Stanton Marines Based In California

Pvt. David Brewer and Pvt. Wayne Parum are stationed with the U. S. Marines at San Diego, California.

Both Brewer and Parum entered the Marines Tuesday, June 25.

Brewer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brewer of Stanton and Parum is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Parum of Stanton. Both are 1958 graduates of Stanton High School.



DINNERTIME—These triplet calves decide to forego their usual ration of milk for grain. Owned by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hyatt of the Lenorah community in Martin County, the calves are an oddity in that triplet calves occur only about once in every 132,000 births.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore and children of Midland spent Sunday visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clardy.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Barnhill and children, and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Robinson and children of Midland spent the weekend at Lake Nasworthy at San Angelo.
 Mrs. W. E. Loveless of Denton visited last week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Jones.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Currie of Midland returned home last week from a fishing trip to Lake Buchanan.

Philosopher Unhappy With Economists' Latest Theory That Good Times Cause Bad Times

Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw reports on economics this week, without any affect on the situation.

Dear editor:

As I understand the reports from Washington, the recession, if we had one, has now hit bottom and things are picking up, although you've got to understand us economists speak only in general terms and it's possible to have a private recession in the middle of a boom, and I suppose a private boom in the middle of a recession.

At any rate, I've been interested in what caused the thing and yesterday afternoon I found out from a newspaper the wind had blown against a fence out here on my farm. When a fence has no more wind resistance than mine, it's not good farming practice to leave a newspaper lodged against it, so I pulled this one off and read it.

According to it, nine economists were called on by a Senate Committee to explain what caused the recession and they thought it over and reported "the recession was caused by the good times of previous years."

This seemed to suit the Senate Committee, but it doesn't me. That is, I'm not arguing over whether its right or not, what I want to know is, if good times are to blame for bad

times, and everybody is always struggling and hoping for good times, aren't they just inviting a recession? When Congress passes a law trying to end a recession, isn't it just arranging for good times which will in turn bring on another recession?

I tell you, I don't like this theory of economics. It's like arguing the only way to end a rainy spell is to have a drought, or the only answer to a drought is a flood. It's sort of like blaming war on too much peace, or divorce on marriage.

Generally you might be able to argue that too many Democrats too long in power will bring on too many Republicans too long in power, with the thing switching back and forth every few years, and that might be right, but I'd just as soon have some other arrangement for the economic system. Politics is all right for entertainment, but economics is where your bread and butter is.

Yours faithfully,
 J. A.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Avery and children, Gene Graham of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Cowboy Daves and children of Big Spring spent the weekend at Colorado City Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam spent the weekend in Iraan with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burnam, Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kelly and Charles of Panhandle have been visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Odom, and other relatives.

West Texas Press Comments

In an election held last week in seven towns to determine whether or not they wanted to become members of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Assn., five of the seven voted favoring the membership. The seven towns in the new water district to be formed are Haskell, Munday, Seymour, Goree, Rule, Knox City and Rochester. The two later towns voted against membership. Purpose of the water district is to create a new water supply for the towns.

Site for a 52,000-acre feet reservoir is on Miller Creek east of Munday and the total cost to the seven towns was estimated at \$6,550,000.

The next move elections will be held in each member town to vote on the required bond issue and on a water purchase contract.

Grady McLain, mail carrier at Knox City retired June 19 after serving 38 years. Thirty-five years of that time he carried the route out of Foard City, which post office was closed last March.

Swift justice was meted out last week in the murder trial of Robert A. Willis, Jr., who killed his father-in-law in Kent County. On a charge of venue the case was heard at Haskell. Willis pleaded guilty to the charge and in five minutes deliberations the jury returned a verdict of 99 years in the pen, according to the Jayton Chronicle.

The Morton Tribune last week reported that area of Cochran County received four days of rain that averaged in all 2½ inches. The hopes of the cotton farmer for a big yield of cotton were sent higher than they had been in many years. One farmer was heard to say, "now if we don't get a hail."

From reading an editorial in Editor Melvin Dow's column, "Yours Truly," in the Wink Bulletin, the post office force suffered an invasion of fleas. The parcel post clerk proved very allergic to flea bites and had to receive medical treatment and a vacation from work for a few days. The Bulletin said, "The local post office has been 'de-pested' and under control."

The Church of Christ building built in Loraine in 1914 is being razed to make way for a new church edifice. The auditorium in the new building will be 80x40 feet. The Church of Christ was organized in Loraine in 1907.

In as small town as Loraine in Mitchell County the community has provided patronage enough to keep a small hospital going until now it has 22 rooms. The hospital was established in Loraine in 1938 by the present half owner, Dr. Bruce Johnson. The rapid increase of patronage the hospital has kept adding rooms and a wing.

Drs. Johnson and Joe Terry are the owners and as the Mitchell County News says they have a corps of nurses, a book-keeper, receptionist, two laboratory technicians, housekeeper and cook.

The News says, "Not every town this size can boast of a hospital this size and people here are justly proud of the hos-

pital and its growth to be able to care for the needs of this community in their illness."

A free vaccination of dogs for rabies was held in Memphis one day last week. Report on the event spread rapidly and when the day was over 226 city dogs had received the serum. Following the completion of the vaccinations, an alphabetical list of dog owners and their dogs was made out and turned over to the city police for their use in helping find lost dogs and owners, according to The Memphis Democrat.

A 19-year-old Graham young lady has been named Rodeo Queen of the Possum Kingdom Roundup Rodeo, July 23-26. She is Miss Salasta Pemberton, and attends TCU. She has been rodeo queen two years at Possum Kingdom.

After serving the city of Menard less than three months it's in a year resigned, charging insubordination on the part of the city marshal and lack of backing by members of the city council, according to The Menard News.

When the Coleman Booster Club attended the Mason centennial celebration last week they traveled most the way on the old Western or Dodge City trail. On the route the Booster Club passed through Cow Gap, once reported more cattle went through that point than any point on the old cattle trails. The Coleman Centennial will be held Friday, July 4.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Hightower, Lynch and Brenda, returned home Friday from a week's trip to Houston, Longview, Cleburne, Mt. Vernon and Garland.

Sandra Massey of Midland visited last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Woody, Sr. Friday she was honored with a party at the Woody home. Guests went skating and to the ball game.

Read the Classified Ads!

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345 Students In Public Schools Here In 1933

Back in 1933 only 345 students were enrolled in the Stanton schools. The article below was clipped from the Reporter files of September, 1933.

The Stanton public schools opened Monday with a combined enrollment of 345.

At a recent meeting of the school board the faculty was completed as follows: A. M. Limmer, superintendent; W. C. Glazener, high school principal; Mrs. W. C. Glazener, Rufus Hyde, Mrs. Rufus Hyde, Mrs. Grace Loveless Jones, high school teachers; W. V. Stevenson, elementary principal; J. W. Maggart, Mrs. J. W. Maggart.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caton were recent visitors at Buchanan Dam. They were joined there by friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Daley, Jr. of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy McClane and sons, Will, Curtis and Brian, of Norwalk, Calif., are visiting with his mother, Mrs. Viola McClane, and his sisters, Miss Vestal McClane, and Mrs. Jim Webb, Mr. Webb and family. They will also visit her cousin, Mrs. L. C. Waits and family.

Mrs. J. S. Lamar, Mrs. Larry Morris, Mrs. J. A. Farrell, Lila Fae Everett, Ise Mae Robertson, elementary.

There are 79 high school students enrolled and 266 elementary students enrolled.

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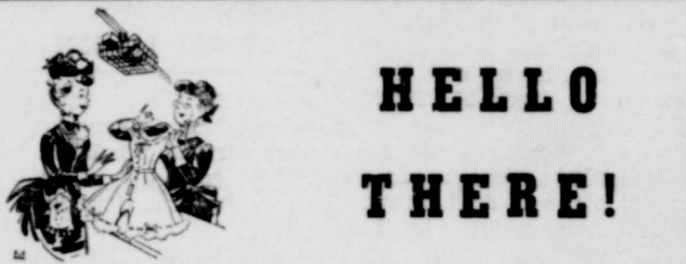


WELCOME OLD SETTLERS

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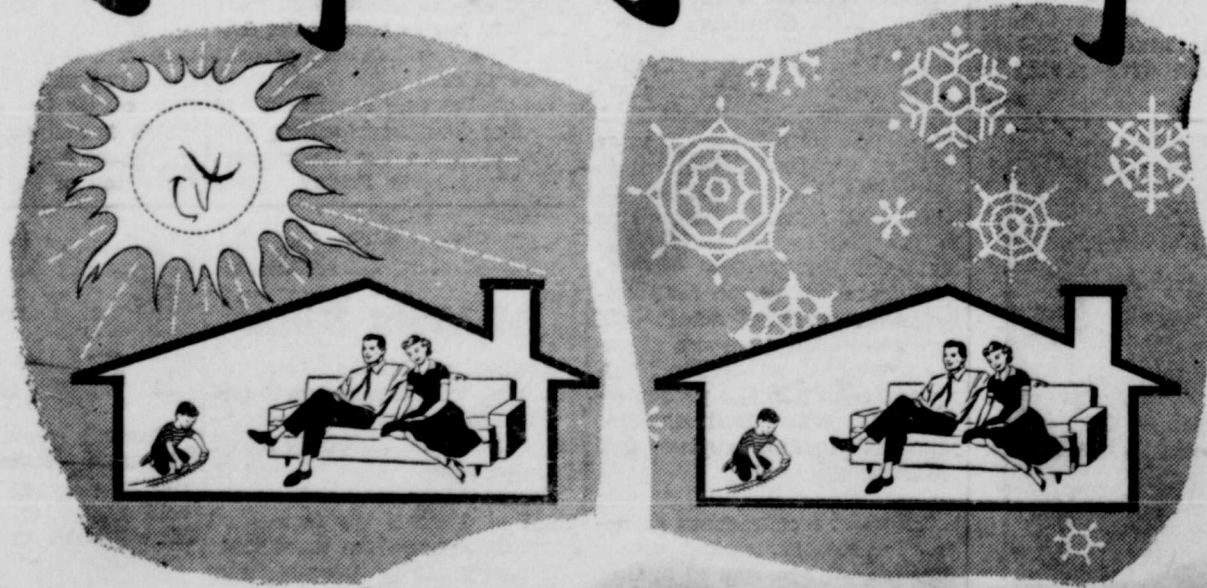


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Historical Stories From Files Of The Stanton Reporter

The Mercy Academy was established in Stanton by Sisters, Mother M. Beechmans and M. Agnes, who came here from San Francisco, California in 1894. The Academy had class

rooms, two large dormitories, few private rooms, office, girls and boys dining rooms, kitchen, bakery, boys dormitories, and Sisters' Refectory. Served as the only Catholic convent between

Fort Worth and El Paso for many years. Owing to other Catholic schools opening at various points in West Texas drawing heavily on the scholastics of Mercy Academy, and severe damage by a tornado, the school was closed.

Home Demonstration work in Martin County has had very few anniversaries. Under the supervision of Miss Myrtle Miller, in 1933, clubs were organized and work was carried on. In 1935 Miss Jolene Vannoy succeeded Miss Miller as home demonstration agent and work was continued for a year and the county was compelled to discontinue the work due to

drouth. Two years elapsed and through co-operation of the county commissioners, in September 1937, demonstration work was resumed by the appointment of Mrs. Elsie Gilkerson, county agent. The work has been carried on continuously since that date.

August 1929, the Stanton Study Club was organized as per invitation of Mrs. John F. Priddy for all women to meet at her home. Following a second called meeting the club was organized by electing Mrs. E. P. Woodard, president; Miss Lorane Lamar, vice president; Mrs. J. E. Moffett, recording secretary; Mrs. Brick E. Edison, corresponding secretary; Mrs. M. Lowe, treasurer; Mrs. John Priddy, parliamentarian; Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, critic; Mrs. Press Brown, press reporter; Mrs. Earl Powell, musician.

Odd Fellows Lodge organized in 1901. Lodge continued to function until 1917 or 1918. Two years of drouth Lodge missed meetings and resumed again in 1924. Officers elected were: J. H. Burnam, noble grand; Luke Cathey, vice grand; J. R. McKinsey, secretary.

It is said that Sulphur Draw which runs through eastern part of Martin County is claimed by an old Indian was one time a running stream. Beads, arrows and other Indian trinkets have been dug up on this Draw, leaving the impression in the early days the spot was an Indian grave yard.

Masonic Lodge organized in Stanton in April, 1907. First officers: Mrs. M. E. Campbell, WM; C. S. Robinson, SW; C. T. Allen, JW; J. H. Epley, treasurer; S. W. Pratt, secretary; A. B. Miller, SD; A. L. Houston, JD; and J. E. Millholon, Tyler.

Eastern Star organized in 1908. Officers, Mrs. Mayme Hall, WM; C. S. Robinson, WP; Mrs. Lilly Hancock, AM; J. L. Hall, secretary; Mrs. Nettie Millholon, treasurer; Miss Willie Pearson, conductress; Mrs. Lenorah Epley, AC; Mrs. Annie Miller, chaplain; Mrs. Dora Arnett, Adah; Miss Anna Pearson, Ruth; Mrs. Mattie Grisham, Esther; Mrs. Clara Haynie, Martha; Mrs. Hettie Montgomery, Electra; Mrs. Bessie Clark, Warden; and J. E. Millholon, sentinel.

Honor Roll students in the Stanton schools in the winter of 1918 included Merle Witt, first grade; Filmore Epley, second grade; Alune Pratt and Jimmie Mae Moore, fourth grade; Lucille Odom and Jack Cauble, sixth grade; and Minnie Ebbersol, eighth grade.

When Merienfeld, later to have its name changed to Stanton, was still of that name the first entry in the Money Order book was issued at the postoffice on August 17, 1885 to L. Cappercorn, Dallas, sent by W. T. Campbell, Marienfeld in the amount of 85 cents. Charge for the money order was five cents. John J. Konz, was postmaster. A record book showed that J. M. Garrett, succeeded Knoz as postmaster February 18, 1890. The change of the name Merienfeld to Stanton was shown by an entry to be January 3, 1890.

One of the early claims against Martin County was in February 13, 1888, when Adam Knoz entered a claim for \$1.40 for services tendered.

Mrs. Ferguson Won County In 1932 Election

Mrs. Miriam A. (Ma) Ferguson easily captured Martin County in the 1932 general election. Her opponent was Orville Bullington, Wichita Falls man, and Ma snowed him under here 501 to 183. The story from the Nov. 18, 1932 issue of The Stanton Reporter is reprinted here.

The members of the Martin County Commissioners' Court met this week and canvassed the votes cast in the November election. According to the official count the total votes cast in the November election were 300 less than in the August primary. Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson received 501 votes to Bullington's 183. Armstrong, Independent received four; Hyett, Liberty Party, five and Edwards, Socialist, one.

In what the Texas Election bureau has announced as its last report on tabulation on votes, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, governor-elect had a lead of 155,570 votes over Orville Bullington, Republican, out of a total of 820,020 counted thus far. George W. Armstrong, Independent, had 636 votes.

9,501 Bales Cotton Ginned In County in '32

Cotton production has continued to pick up along with other things in Martin County since 1932. A cotton report from the files of the paper dated November 25, 1932 is passed along here for significant interest.

This Tuesday noon, the gins of Martin County had turned out 9,501 bales of cotton. This number based on an average price of \$25 per bale means an approximate estimate of \$237,500 for the county.

Farmers Gin, 2,067; Farmers Gin, 2,900; Lenorah Gin, 1,703; Tarzan Gin 1,575; Guitar Gin, 1,250; Hamilton Gin, 906.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. McClane of Odessa visited Sunday with Mrs. Viola McClane, Miss Vestal McClane and others.



HELLO THERE!

Stanton will play host to all Old-Timers who are living in Martin County now, or who were residents here in the past for the 25th Annual Old Settlers Reunion.

THE PROGRAM IS COMPLETE

Thanks to good officials, fine cooperation, and a lot of hard work and planning, the reunion this year is destined to be the best.

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WELCOME HOME

Once again we are happy to have a part in welcoming our OLD SETTLERS back for their annual Reunion.

Be sure and include our store on your list for an old-fashioned get-to-gether.

JAMES JONES
HARDWARE AND APPLIANCES

WELCOME OLD SETTLERS

We are mighty glad you are going to be in town July 7-8. And come to see us while you are here.

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TO ALL THE OLD SETTLERS--

WE SAY-- WELCOME

IN STANTON JULY 7-8

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The Higginbotham-Bartlett Store in Stanton has been designated official headquarters. Here you will meet your friends and here you can see the various exhibits and the memories of days that are gone.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS A

Lodge Notices A-1

Stated meeting every
second and fourth Tues-
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AUTOMOTIVE D

Autos For Sale D-1

FOR SALE: 1957 Bel Aire Cher-
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factory air conditioning, power
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Business Chances E-1

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PERSONALS

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. Jim McCoy were her moth-
er, Mrs. Bertha Burnam, and
sister, Mrs. Bob Schmidt and
children of Big Spring.

Visitors last week in the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCoy
were his mother, Mrs. M. J. Mc-
Coy, and sisters, Mrs. Tom Can-
non, both of Lubbock, and Mrs.
John Whitaker of Big Spring.

Visitors in Stanton Saturday
night were Mr. and Mrs. Arlo
Forrest of Midland, Marijann
Forrest of Houston, Wayne
Davis of Lovington, N. M. They
visited Mrs. B. F. Smith and at-
tended the Jones-Britton wed-
ding.

BUSINESS SERVICES F

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Office Supplies K-6

WE HAVE PLENTY of Colum-
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Miscellaneous K-8

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REAL ESTATE M

Lots For Sale M-5

FOR SALE—Lot No. 15 in Block
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tion. Near high school. Mrs. O.
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La Marque, Texas.

Houses For Sale M-4

FOR SALE — Small House. See
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FOR SALE — Two-bedroom
home. Carpet in living room
and hall. Air conditioner. On
paved street. 504 St. Francis.
Call SK 6-2141.

FOR SALE — Two bed-room
house. Carpeted. Good condi-
tion. Mrs. John Storey. Call SK
6-2223.

PERSONALS

Weekend visitors with Mr. and
Mrs. L. C. Waits were his moth-
er, Mrs. C. W. Sanders and his
brother-in-law and sister, Mr.
and Mrs. C. E. Henry, all of
Shamrock.

Mrs. J. S. Sorley of Cranfills
Gap is visiting with her son and
daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.
Floyd Sorley and family.

Mrs. Eddy Butler and Mrs.
Dewey Williams left Saturday
morning for Putnam and Ste-
phenville.



MRS. ELLIS WAYNE BRITTON

Janelle Jones, Ellis W. Britton Are Married In Stanton Church

A double ring ceremony in
the First Methodist Church at
8 p. m. Saturday united in mar-
riage Janelle Jones and Ellis
Wayne Britton, both of Stanton.
Officiating clergyman was the
Rev. W. H. Kirby, pastor
of the church.

The bride is the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. James Jones.
She graduated from Stanton
High School and attended
McMurry College in Abilene.
She is a member of the Rho
Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma
Phi.

Britton is the son of Mrs.
Hoyt Britton and the late Mr.
Britton. He also graduated
from Stanton High School
and is engaged in farming.

The bride was given in mar-
riage by her father. She wore
a gown of Chantilly lace and
tulle over bridal satin. The
fitted bodice featured a Sa-
brina neckline edged in scal-
lops re-embroidered with seed
pearls and iridescents, a yolk
of silk illusion and long
sleeves of lace which ended in
points over the hands. The
bodice ended in points in the
front and back at the waist-
line.

The matron and maid of hon-
or wore dresses of pink organdy
over taffeta styled with sleeve-
less bodices with capelet collars
scooped away from the neck-
lines. The skirts were full bal-
lerina length. They also wore
taffeta, cummerbunds which
featured panels in the back to
give a bustle effect and which
fell to the hemlines. Their pic-
ture hats were of pink net and
they wore pink net mitts and
carried pink fans on which were
pink feathered carnations and
ribbon streamers.

Candle lighters were Barbara
Jane Smith, Mrs. Kenneth
Stroup of Midland, Sharon Wil-
son of Anson and Karan
Crooks of Snyder. All attend-
ants wore dresses styled identi-
cally to the maid and matron
if honor gowns except they
wore orchid organdy to carry
out the bride's chosen colors of
pink and orchid. Their flowers
were wrist corsages of pink
carnations.

Jan and Jami Forrest of Big
Spring, nieces of the bride, were
the flower girls. They were
gowned in dresses of orchid or-
gandy over taffeta with sashes
and butterfly bows in the back
with streamers to the hemlines.
They carried orchid net baskets
filled with orchid and pink pe-
tals. Decorating the outsides of
the baskets were feathered pink
carnations. They also wore net
mitts and picture hats of net.

Harold Smith of Andrews
was the best man. Ushers were
Larry Clements of Franklin,
cousin of the bride, H. L.
Curry, Burley Polk and Jimmy
Henson.

Nuptial Selections
Billy Ray Clements of Dallas,
the bride's cousin, was the or-
ganist. Mrs. Burley Polk, soloist,
sang "Through the Years" and
"The Lord's Prayer."

The church was illuminated
with white cathedral tapers in

the windows and across the
chancel rail with greenery. On
the communion table was a large
fan shaped arrangement of pink
gladiolus beneath a lighted
cross. Flanking the table were
seven - branched candelabra
holding white tapers. The bride
aid to the pre dieu also was
lighted by tapers. Pews occupied
by members of the immediate
families of the couple were
marked with white satin bows.

The reception was held in
the home of the bride's par-
ents. Assisting in receiving
guests were the bride's parents,
the mother of the bridegroom
and the honor attendants.

Serving in the houseparty
were Martha Tinkle of Abilene,
Gloria Houston of Abilene,
Janice Myers of Colorado City,
Carol Clark of Plainview, Sally
Brem of Deming, N. M., Judy
Reynolds of Andrews, Esther
Reithmeyer of Lamesa, and Re-
becca Affleck of Big Spring, all
friends of the bride at McMurry
College.

The reception table was laid
with a floor length white net
cloth over white taffeta. Center-
ing the table were the bouquets
of the bridal attendants. Com-
pleting the setting were a crys-
tal punch bowl and tiered cake
decorated with pink roses and
topped with a miniature bride
and bridegroom.

Short Wedding Trip
For a short wedding trip, the
bride changed to a two-piece
brown dress of pima and cot-
ton trimmed with matching
lace. Her accessories were in
tangerine and her corsage was
a white gardenia from the brid-
al bouquet.

Following the trip, the couple
will be at home at 500 North
Fourth Street in Stanton.
Out-of-town guests attending
were Mrs. J. R. Nichols, grand-
mother of the bride, Mr. and
Mrs. H. H. Bickley, Shirley and
Marilyn Bickley, Mr. and Mrs.
Oran Nichols, Doris, Bobby,
Don, and Edith Nichols, Flo-
rine and Lorine Jones, Mr. and
Mrs. Roy Price, Mrs. Shirley
Chesser, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. For-
rest, Marijann Forrest, Wayne
Davis, Bill Quittbaum, Jack
Walbridge, Mammie McKee, all of
Midland; Mrs. Joe K. Connally,
Mrs. E. F. Henderson, Mrs. Bill
Kuykendall and Kim, Mrs. W.
H. Forrest, Mrs. Jim Long, all of
Big Spring.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Wil-
liams, Patsy Manning, Phyllis
Odom, all of Lubbock; Pat Crook
of Snyder, Helen Reithmeyer of
Lamesa, Barbara Brem of Dem-
ing, N. M., Mrs. T. D. Snead and
Gene of Seminole; Mrs. Kitty
Parr, Audrey and Willie Mae
Parr, San Angelo; Mrs. L. L.
Bacon, Mrs. Fred Walker and
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reynolds,
Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. B. W.
Clements and Elizabeth Hicks of
Franklin.

Rehearsal Dinner
The mother of the bridegroom
was hostess Friday evening for
the rehearsal dinner given in
her home.

Served buffet style, the sup-
per was placed on a table cen-
tered with an epergne of crystals
and silver, filled with pearled
grapes in pink and orchid.
About 30 were present.

Assisting with the party were
Mrs. J. C. Sale, Mrs. M. D. Hall
and Mrs. Souval Britton.

Bridesmaids Luncheon
Using replicas of the brides-
maids' hats and nosegays, four
hostesses entertained Saturday
at noon with a bridesmaids lun-
cheon in the home of Mrs. Phil
Berry. Joining Mrs. Berry were

PERSONALS

Rev. and Mrs. Lee Perry of
Odessa visited Saturday with
Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock.

Mrs. J. R. Murdock has re-
turned home from a Big Spring
hospital.

Perry Clements of Shreve-
port, La., spent the weekend
with his brother and sister-in-
law, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cle-
ments.

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and
Mrs. W. L. Clements were Mr.
and Mrs. Jim Speck and sons
of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Orr of Midland and Mr. and
Mrs. Will Orr of Monahans.

Mrs. Myrtle Parum of McGhee,
Ark., who is visiting with her
son and daughter-in-law, Mr.
and Mrs. S. R. Parum, was hon-
ored on her birthday Tuesday
with a dinner at the Parum
home. Attending were Mrs.
Jeannie Muniz and children and
Mrs. W. A. Cornelius.

Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. C. B.
Jones and Mrs. Ray Simpson.

A hat made of orchid net and
filled with pink and orchid flow-
ers centered the table where
places were marked by miniature
fans and nosegays in pink net.
Pink linen formed the backdrop
for the decorations. About 18
were included in the hospital-
ity.

Bridges Entertain For Local Couple

Janelle Jones and Ellis Wayne
Britton were honored at a bar-
becue supper Friday night, June
20 at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Cecil Bridges.

Hosts and hostesses were Mr.
and Mrs. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs.
B. F. White, Mr. and Mrs. L. C.
Hazelwood, Sr., and Margaret
Moffett.

Guests autographed a pink
linen hand hemstitched table-
cloth. In the center of the cloth
was "Janelle and Juggy, June
28, 1958" embroidered in orchid.
The autographs will be embroi-
dered later.

Sixteen guests attended.

Watkins Family Reunion Held Here

A reunion of the family of
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watkins was
held June 25-26 in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eckert.

It was the first time in eight
years Mrs. Eckert and her four
sisters had been together.

Attending were Mrs. Edgar
Straach of Coleman, Mrs. O. E.
Amarine of Ballinger, Mr. and
Mrs. J. J. Eastman of Midland,
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Byxbe and
Jerry of Honolulu, Hawaii, and
Mr. and Mrs. Eckert.

Callaway Home Scene Of Tuesday Evening Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Bernace Calla-
way entertained with a buffet
supper in their home Tuesday
night, June 24.

Homemade ice cream and
cake were also served.

Attending were Mrs. J. T. Bal-
lard, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hay-
worth, Julian and Linda, all of
Kerman, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. J.
W. Hayworth of Fort Worth, Mrs.
Iwanna Quednau and children
of Tampa, Florida.

Also Mrs. Ora Hubbard, Mr.
and Mrs. Luther Ballard, Mr.
and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Mr.
and Mrs. S. F. Goolsby, all of
Star Route, Stanton; Mr. and
Mrs. C. G. Standefer, Mr. and
Mrs. Leo Payne, Mrs. Glenn
Brown and Suzanna of Stanton,
Mr. and Mrs. Jorden Johnston,
Big Spring; Dwane Donelson,
Midland.

PERSONALS

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs.
Paul Briggs and children Wed-
nesday, Thursday and Friday
were his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
E. J. Briggs of Gladewater, his
sister, Mrs. James Stark and son
of Bay City and his brother,
Leon Briggs of Seminole.



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Specials Good Saturday and Monday, Dollar
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COOKIES, Supreme Pecan Fudge 39c

MUSTARD, French's, 6 oz. 2 for 25c

KOOLADE 6 pkgs. 21c

TUNA, Del Monte, Chunk 2 for 59c

WELCHADE, New qt. can 29c

Peaches HUNT'S 29c
No. 2 1/2 Can

LUNCH MEAT, Kimbell's 12 oz. 43c

PAPER PLATES, 9 inch 2 for 27c

NAPKINS, 80 count 2 for 25c

CRISCO 3 lb. can 89c

PORK AND BEANS, Van Camp's, No. 303 can 2 for 27c

TOMATO CATSUP, Diamond, 12 oz. can 2 for 29c

PEAS, Del Monte, No. 303 can 2 for 35c

LEMONADE, Frozen, 6 oz. 3 for 29c

ICE CREAM, Swift 1/2 gal. 69c

TOMATOES, Vine Ripened lb. 17c

CARROTS, Fresh Cello Pack 9c

CANTALOUPE, Presidio lb. 7c

Fryers ARMOUR STAR 37c
Lb.

WEINERS, Armour Star lb. 51c

BOLOGNA, All Meat lb. 44c

CHEESE, Wisconsin, Longhorn lb. 47c

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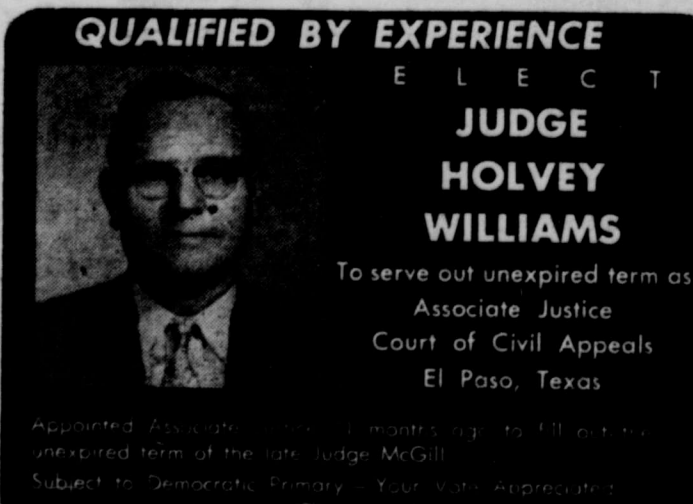
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unexpired term of the late Judge McGill
Subject to Democratic Primary

PERSONALS

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson were Mr. and Mrs. Melton Williams and children of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Ross and children of Monahans.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tunnell of Midland. Visiting Monday in the Tunnell home was Jack Myers of Andrews.

Mrs. Morgan Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cox spent Friday in Lubbock. Mrs. Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall and family and Harry Hall.

Sherman McKaskle is spending the week in Andrews with his brother, Conrad McKaskle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Simpson left Saturday for a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rogers and Dick visited Sunday in Andrews. Sue Ragland has been visiting in Stamford.

Mrs. Tommie Foreman and Mrs. Dan Wyatt entered beauty school Monday in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Graves and daughters are visiting in Maine with Mrs. Graves' relatives. They are visiting in Prosser Isle and other cities.

Chiffon Pie—Perfect For Summer



This luscious lemon pie in a chocolate cookie crumb crust is perfect for hot weather entertaining, as the no-cook, no-fail filling is made in minutes with lemon chiffon pie filling mix. The tangy fruit flavor, the fluffy chiffon-like texture and rich yellow color make it a cool-looking, cool-tasting treat for this time of year.

Lemon Chiffon Pie
 1 package Jell-O Lemon Chiffon Pie Filling
 1/2 cup boiling water
 1/2 cup very cold water
 1/3 cup sugar
 1 cooled baked 8- or 9-inch chocolate cookie crumb crust

Place mix in a large deep mixing bowl. Add boiling water and mix thoroughly. Add very cold water and beat vigorously with rotary beater or at highest speed of electric mixer until mixture is very foamy—takes about 1 minute. Add sugar and beat until filling stands in peaks—takes 1 to 3 minutes. Pour into pie shell. Chill until set, about 2 hours. Serve plain or garnish with a sprinkle of cookie crumbs or whipped cream, if desired.

Note: Store leftover pie in refrigerator covered with an inverted pie pan.

BIBLE COMMENT

Ruth Was An Ancestor Of The Nazarene

Scattered through the pages of mankind's history are the beautiful stories that we would like to offer as representative of the true life of man, the life that lies beneath the overabundance of tragedy.

These are the stories telling of generosity and kindness, of happy home life and the love of little children for their parents, of courage in the face of danger and the sacrifice of people for those they love.

In the Bible we find them all. Among the most beautiful of these is the story of Ruth, a tale so deep and penetrating it merits a complete book of the Old Testament and stands as a classic tale of faith, love and loyalty for all time.

Ruth was the daughter-in-law of Naomi, a woman who lost her husband and sons and was left alone in the world. Naomi was far from home when her husband and sons died and decided to return to her people. She advised her daughters-in-law to stay in their native country of Moab and remarry. One did.

But the other, Ruth, refused. She vowed loyalty to Naomi with a promise that stands as the highest expression of devotion we have: "Whither thou goest I will go; and where thou lodgest I will lodge; thy people shall

be my people, and thy God my God. The Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me."

Ruth's progeny were destined for great things. She was the great-grandmother of King David and thus an ancestor of Jesus.

It is good to remember in these days of racial prejudice and unalien agitation that Jesus, the purest and best among men, traced His lineage not only to noble and saintly Israelites, but to this devoted Moabite girl who illustrates much of the best in goodness and love.

PERSONALS

Attending a birthday dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Wise and son in Midland were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House and Frances, Mrs. J. L. Walraven and sons of Big Lake, Melba O'Brian, and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dee House. It was in honor of the birthdays of Ronald Wayne Wise, Donald Ray Walraven, Frances House and Mrs. J. D. House.

Mrs. J. D. Renfro will return home Saturday from Waco where she has been visiting with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cervenka and family. Last week Mr. and Mrs. Renfro attended a reunion at Joshua. Mr. Renfro returned home and Mrs. Renfro remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Eugene Baugh and Sandra Miller visited Wednesday, June 25 in Odessa.

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Allred are the parents of a son, born at 1:25 p. m. Saturday, June 21 at Medical Arts Hospital in Big Spring. He weighed 8 pounds 4 1/2 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Green and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allred.

Soft Drinks Best For Holiday Joy, Highway Safety

Thousands of Texas motorists will be heading outdoors this holiday weekend for family outings, picnics and other recreational pleasures. Whatever your plans may be, be sure that this Fourth of July holiday will be both "safe" and "sane."

One way to insure your family's safety while on the road is to make your liquid refreshment a cool sparkling refreshment of carbonated soft drink. There's no finer holiday treat for youngsters and adults than a refreshing bottle of your favorite carbonated soft drink.

Soft drinks blend in with summertime and eating and dining enjoyment are as American as the 4th of July. If your plans include an outing be sure to have an ample supply of soft drinks. They fit every occasion and are the prescribed liquid refreshment for a safe holiday weekend.

Homemakers will find bottled soft drinks an outstanding ingredient for many novel and delicious recipe ideas for the entire family's eating pleasure. Your local soft drink bottler can supply you with several recipe ideas featuring bottled soft drinks that are guaranteed to make a hit with every member of your family.

Make your plans now to include bottled carbonated beverages on your 4th of July food list. They'll make your holiday pleasure complete. So economical and readily available, soft drinks are the perfect companion for patio suppers, chicken baskets, or just plain sandwiches and cold cuts.

And, if you plan to travel over the weekend—be sure your "one more for the road" is a sparkling bottle of your favorite carbonated soft drink.

Courtney School Dedicated In November, 1929

An interesting story about the dedication of Courtney's school building appeared in the November, 1929 issue of the Stanton Reporter. It appears below.

Last Friday night marked the formal opening and dedication of the new \$16,000 brick school building in the Courtney community.

The auditorium of the new building was filled to overflowing with patrons and visitors that had assembled there to take part in the dedication service.

Among the interesting talks given was one giving the history of Courtney. It was reported that school was first held in 1907 in a one room building that had cost in the neighborhood of \$260.

Others on the program included Robert Hamilton, C. L. Sone, Horace Blocker and, Mrs. M. C. Williams.

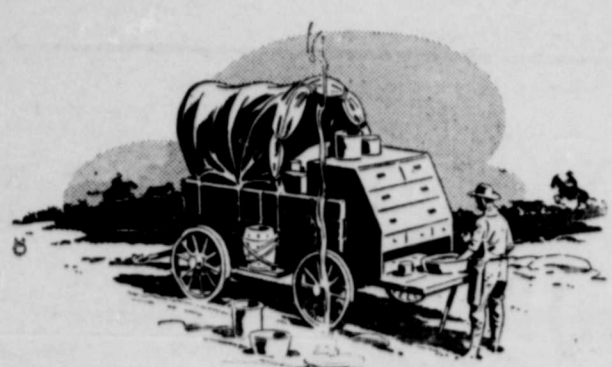
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The Internal Revenue Service asserts a penalty on taxpayers who have income of more than \$100 not subject to withholding tax who do not file a declaration of estimated tax and pay their tax during the year. According to the law, the owner of a business must file a declaration of estimated tax by April 15 and pay one-fourth of the income tax he is going to pay for the entire year. He then

pays one-fourth on the following dates: June 15; October 15; and January 15. Congress' purpose in putting this into the law was to treat the grocery owner and his grocery boy (who has his tax withheld) the same by requiring each to pay his taxes as he receives his income. There are a number of exceptions allowed taxpayers in making an estimated tax. However, if you have income on which tax is not being withheld you probably should check your instruction on filing an estimated tax return. Any Internal Revenue Service office can help you.

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IT IS OUR WISH

That everyone visiting Stanton during the Old Settlers Reunion have a very enjoyable time.

In our estimation we have the finest people and the county with the best possibilities of any in the vast West Texas region.

Come By And See Us While You Are In Town

BOBBIE'S DRESS SHOP

Announcing CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP EFFECTIVE JULY 1

I have purchased the grocery business formerly owned by Mr. L. H. White in Stanton and will continue to operate from the same location on St. Peter Street.

It will be the continued policy of the store to bring friends and customers, both old and new, the very best in service possible at all times.

We plan to make certain improvements and expand the store facilities -- both in the stock of merchandise carried and with fast free delivery when requested.

This is an invitation to all of Mr. White's customers to continue with their patronage and we cordially invite our friends to come in and see us when in need of anything in the grocery, fresh vegetable, or market line.

EDWARD'S GROCERY

TO THE OLD SETTLERS- WE SAY- **WELCOME**



All the OLD-TIMERS will want to come to Stanton on July 7-8 for the REUNION. Come, enjoy the days, and talk to friends you may not have seen in many years. While in the city we would like to see you too.

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It is a great pleasure to extend congratulations to all of the pioneer settlers who made this section second to none and it is our sincere wish that those living in the County and all of those who plan to return for the 25th Old Settler's Reunion have a most enjoyable visit with their friends, neighbors, and loved ones.

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Peaches CAL - TOP No. 2 1/2 Can, 2 For . . . **49c**

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TOOTH PASTE CREST . . . 2 - 53c Tubes **89c**

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KOUNTY KIST
CORN
Whole Kernel
12 Oz. Can, 2 For
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CHARCOAL BRIQUETTS
KIMBELL'S
10 Lb. Bag **59c**

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EGGS LOCAL UNGRADED 3 Dozen . . . **\$1**

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LEMONADE FROZEN . . . 6 Oz. Can 10 For **\$1**

POTATOES U. S. No. 1, White 10 Lb. Bag **39c**
Fruits and Vegetables

Squash HOME GROWN Lb. **5c**

PEACHES CALIFORNIA . . . Lb. **15c**

BELL PEPPER . . . Lb. **15c**

OKRA HOME GROWN . . . Lb. **17c**

WEEK-END MEAT BUYS
FRYERS SWIFT PREMIUM Lb. **39c**

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WHOLE . . . Lb. **59c**

FULL HALF WITH CENTER CUT

BUTT END HALF . . . Lb. **65c**

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FRANKS NUEHOFF . . . Lb. **55c**

CHEESE VELVEETA . . . 2 Lb. Box **85c**

PRESSED HAM . . . Lb. **45c**

BACON WILSON'S . . . 2 Lbs. **\$1.39**

WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

Report Of Third Annual Martin County Reunion

Following is a report published in The Stanton Reporter on July 14, 1953. It details the facts concerning the third annual Martin County Old Settlers Reunion.

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

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

Those who gave short talks were George Mulkey of Denton, who came the longest way; Mrs.

John Richards of Andrews, who 27 years ago on the day of the reunion came to Stanton; Fred Peters of Monument, N. M. who reminisced on the old days in Martin County, going back as far as 1880.

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

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

J. L. Hall gave the welcome address; Rex Garnett gave a

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

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

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

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

Mr. Peters told of the "cattle drift." It was in the years of 1886 and '08. All this country was in the throes of a most disastrous drought. Cattle, by the thousands, drifted down through Martin County from Amarillo Country to the Pecos

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graves and Grenville Graves went water skiing at Lake J. B. Thomas Sunday afternoon.

L. C. Waits was elected to membership in the Stanton Oddfellow Lodge at a meeting Thursday night at the IOOF hall. Walter Graves was the presiding officer.

Mrs. A. L. Frith presided at a meeting of the Stanton Rebekah Lodge Monday night, June 23, at the IOOF Hall. Members voted to enter a float in the Old Settlers Parade on July 8.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Odell and children of Lindsey, Okla., were recent visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Buckland and family. They all went to Winters where they visited Mrs. Buckland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Herrman, and also went fishing.

FARM AND RANCH REVIEW

At a meeting of the Farm and Ranch Club in Fort Worth last week, Robert W. Howard, a roving reporter for the American Meat Institute addressed the club. In the course of his remarks he said a total of 6,000,000 pounds of beef were sold for barbecue each year in the United States.

The amount of money spent annually for aprons and other outdoor equipment totalled \$87,000,000.

He pointed out the livestock producer had lost his appreciation of leather with a rapid increase in the use of ribbons and banners made out of cloth for awarding at livestock shows. This fact, the speaker said, offered a tremendous opportunity for additional leather use.

Among the recent articles of leather goods being made by some firms include banners, ribbons, aprons, leather ties, even leather calling cards.

Monday and Tuesday of next week are close at hand. They are days or parts of days, you farmers and ranchers will want to unhitch your teams, hang up the harness, load in the wagon, call the dogs and come on in to Stanton. They are days, 7th and 8th of the month, the Martin County Old Settlers Reunion will be held. There will be a number of old settlers from the county you will want to meet and talk with, and you may get the surprise of your life by meeting an old friend whom you hadn't seen in years, wondering if he is still alive.

The wording in the top start-off of this squib, relates to the time back yonder when the "sure-enough" old timer lived in Martin County. All this jargon about "unhitching your team," "hang-up your harness," etc., doesn't fit into the scheme of things of this day and time. There will be the 20-year settler on the reunion grounds who never heard of the items mentioned.

Nowadays, the populace will be coming to the reunion in high-powered, late model automobiles. And they may be an old former Martin County settler who will make the trip to the reunion in an airplane.

Anyhow, boys, climb down off your tractors and come to the reunion. Cotton will grow just the same while you enjoy yourselves.

The National Safety Council announces that harvest accidents accounts for more than 100,000 farm work mishaps annually and fires take the lives of more than 700 persons each year.

President Eisenhower has proclaimed National Farm Safety Week for July.

The column isn't at all surprised at the price weeds cost the United States annually, just from looking at the growth in Stanton. It is said the cost is \$5 billion a year. Commenting, the Kendall County SCD News says, "This is more than \$100 loss to each person who pays this loss? You and the farmers — you pay more for foods and fibers you buy and the farmer gets more money for his work."

It could just as well have been one of the many other kinds of vegetables grown the hand of Fate picked to take the rap of having the price structure pulled out from under it. But it was that luscious and delicious member of the vegetable family, the tomato, that has suf-

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Johnson and children will spend July 4, 5, 6 visiting in San Angelo. On July 5 they will attend a reunion of the 1948 graduating class of San Angelo High School, of which Mrs. Johnson was a member. Mrs. Johnson will also visit her mother, Mrs. Gladys Stein, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnson, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farris and family were in Lubbock Sunday to attend a Davis family reunion at MacKenzie Park.

Mrs. Eula Eubanks and Mrs. J. C. Newland, Karen and Barbara of Monahans have returned home from a trip to Santa Monica, San Diego and Los Angeles, Calif. Johnny Eubanks of Los Angeles returned home with Mrs. Eubanks for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eckert spent the weekend in Odessa with their sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Eckert, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eckert.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull were their son and daughter-in-law, I/Lt. and Mrs. Leon Hull, Jr. of Biggs Air Force Base, El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pinkston have returned home from a visit in Irving.

Mrs. Roy Martin will leave Thursday for Palestine where she will attend a Sammons family reunion.

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river. In the fall all the cowboys that could be gotten together were assembled and with chuck wagons pulled for the Pecos to round up the cattle and bring them back to their rightful ranges. In one herd on the way back the line of cattle was five miles long and two miles wide, accompanied by over 100 cowboys, one of the biggest cattle drives ever known in Texas.

"CLOUD BURSTS," "TWISTERS HIT," "WINDS 60 MILES AN HOUR," "HAIL BIG AS CROQUET BALLS,"

were some of the words found in heads newspapers carried over stories of storms that visited their areas the past week. Even before this item moulded into type for this issue, Martin County may have been struck by a storm the above words could be used to emphasize the type of storm.

But as matters now stand at this writing Martin County has been missed by any type of a rain storm. The area answered as a sort of a spawning place for rain clouds. They would form here and then veer to the east and spread their moisture over that section.

The best service we could get from nature's water wagon were a few scattered rain drops as the clouds moved on to the east.

The largest movement of livestock, cattle and calves, received at the Fort Worth market in any single day since July of last year, was one day last week. The number was 4,000 head. Trade on all cattle and calves reflected strong on that day.

A report issued by the U. S. Agricultural Department last week, stated that not only are grasshoppers and other insects working in the cotton fields in the High Plains country, with serious results, but a recent pest, the boll worm, is adding its force to damaging cotton.

A recent survey made in Houston to learn from the people their preference of meat, chicken was the second choice to beef.

The main reason given for buying chicken fell into four groups, according to the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. They were: flavor, economy, health and versatility.

Chicken eaters should be interested in the fact that the meat is high in protein and high in B vitamins and low in calories.

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 Values to \$10.95 . . . \$6.90
 Values to \$8.95 . . . \$5.90

MEN'S SHOES

BY JARMAN

Values to \$16.95 . . . \$10
 Values to \$12.95 . . . \$8
 Values to \$10.95 . . . \$6

COTTON LINGERIE

\$3.98 Values in Slips, Gowns, and Baby Dolls \$2.69

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Values to \$9.95 . . . \$6
 Values to \$12.95 . . . \$7
 Values to \$15.95 . . . \$9

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DISCONTINUED STYLES Values to \$5.95 \$1

MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS

\$3.95 And \$4.95 Values \$2.98

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First Quality 2 for \$1

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\$5 Values \$3

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VARIOUS COTTON FABRICS, Were \$1.98 to \$3.95 HALF PRICE

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GIRLS' SLEEPWEAR

Gowns and Pajamas in Easy Care Cottons, Values to \$3.98 \$1.98

LADIES' SHOES

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GIRLS' DRESSES

KATE GREENWAY DRESSES From \$1.98 to \$7.95, NOW HALF PRICE 99c to \$3.98

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Sizes 8 1/2 to 12, \$4.95 and \$5.95 \$3

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GIRLS' SPORTSWEAR

KNIT TOPS, SHORTS, and PLAYSUITS, Values to \$3.95 \$1 and \$2

BOYS' SHOES

Sizes 3 to 6, Values to \$7.95 \$3

PIECE GOODS

Dacron Dotted Swiss, Dacron and Cottons, Linen Weave Rayons, Better Cottons \$1 yard

Disciplined Cotton Prints, Dazzle Broadcloth, and Others to \$1.29 69c yard

INFANTS DIAPER SUITS

Values to \$3.98 \$1

DOTTY DAN \$1.98

\$3.95 Short Suits \$1.98

Martin County Officers In 1929

Regular readers and Old Settlers will be interested in knowing who the county officials were in 1929. The story below tells of their installation on January 2 of that year.

Wednesday, January 2, the new Martin County officers who were elected at the last election were sworn into office.

The ones to take the oath of office were J. H. Zimmerman, sheriff and tax collector; Jno. F. Epley, county and district clerk; J. H. Watson, justice of the peace, precinct 1; Nell Casey, treasurer; E. D. Shumate, constable; J. E. Thompson, public weigher; J. H. White, commissioner, precinct No. 1; J. H. Burnam, commissioner, precinct No. 2; J. W. Bryson, commissioner, precinct No. 4.

Officers who were re-elected for another term were G. A. Glaser, county judge and superintendent; Allen Reed, county attorney; Edmund Morrow, tax assessor; G. W. Hawkins, county surveyor; Adam Konz, justice of the peace, precinct No. 2; W. F. Stewart, commissioner, precinct No. 2.

PERSONALS

Carl Clardy has returned home from Dallas where he attended a meeting of the Texas Butane Dealers Association.

Mrs. Ray Louder has returned home from a two-week visit in Breckenridge.

Elect Judge Sarah T. **HUGHES** To Supreme Court

Re-elect **JOHN C. WHITE** TEXAS COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE FOR CONTINUING PROGRESS IN TEXAS' LARGEST INDUSTRY

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by John C. White)

PERSONALS

Clyde E. Thomas Attorney At Law First National Bank Building BIG SPRING, TEXAS Phone AM 4-4621

PERSONALS

R. W. CATON ATTORNEY-AT-LAW Office in Courthouse Phone STANTON BK 6-3441

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STANTON

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 23, 1958, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,077,210.90
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	445,300.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	37,465.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$1,559.94 overdrafts)	2,404,034.09
Bank premises owned \$57,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$7,500.00	65,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
Other assets	1,185.10
TOTAL ASSETS	4,036,196.09

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,145,223.65
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	255,010.80
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	44,586.22
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	121,609.91
Deposits of banks	27,074.12
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	42,823.64
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,636,418.34
TOTAL LIABILITIES	3,636,418.34

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	172,297.64
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	27,480.11
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	399,777.75
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	4,036,196.09

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 85,000.00

Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof 835,274.00

Total Amount of Loans, Certificates of Interest and Obligations, or Portions Thereof (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed") 835,274.00

I, Jack Ireton, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JACK IRETON, Cashier

CORRECT—Attest:

JIM TOM
 R. O. ANDERSON
 W. C. HOUSTON
 Directors

State of Texas, County of Martin, ss:
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of June, 1958, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

(SEAL) EVELYN WOODARD, Notary Public

My commission expires June 1, 1959.

Deavenport's

Edwards - - -

(Continued from page 1) ership and the policies to be adopted by the store. Mr. White had operated the business for the past 22 years.

Stantonites - - -

(Continued from page 1) the Deavenports for a trip to British Columbia, Canada. They visited Vancouver and on Vancouver Island they toured the world famous Buchart Gardens. Other interesting sites included Grand Coulee Dam, a lumber mill, Yellowstone Park, and Salt Lake City. They also visited the famous WHR Ranch near Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Deavenport returned to Stanton for a visit. Their son, Billy Deavenport, visited in Stanton while his parents made the trip.

Graves - - -

(Continued from page 1) Graves, Jr. of Friona and J. L. Graves of Roswell, N. M.; one daughter, Mrs. Lorena Hardin of Lenora; his mother, Mrs. Belle Graves of Stanton; 26 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Fallbearers were Sam Goolsby, Jim Webb, Ted Stewart, Earl Douglas, Walter Kelly and Hall Kennedy.

Well - - -

(Continued from page 1) Slated for an 11,700-foot bottom, operator will attempt to complete the project as a dual producer.

PERSONALS

Mrs. John Storey spent Sunday night in San Angelo with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McGlinley.

Wanda Jo Williamson of Lovington, N. M., is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson. Her mother, Mrs. E. R. Williamson of Lovington brought her here Saturday.

Soil - - -

(Continued from page 1) he keeps." Anonymous

It is not too early to begin planning brush control practices for your rangeland next year. Did you know that it takes 1,500 to 2,000 pounds of water to produce a pound of mesquite timber while this same amount of water will produce two to four pounds of dry grass. One inch of water in an acre of land will produce 500 pounds of grass which will feed a cow for 18 days. With 10 inches of water stored in our soil, we could grow 5,000 pounds of grass per acre. This would be enough grass to take about half and leave half for holding water and still keep a cow all year on five acres of land. On land which had sufficient cover, (2,000 pounds or more), 70 to 80 percent of the rainfall enters the soil, whereas land which is bare or has little cover loses 70 to 80 percent of the rainfall as run-off.

Drill site is 1,980 feet from north and 860 feet from west lines of section 31, block 38, T-2-S, T&P survey.

Snooter Knows

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anniversary with his beard intact, not a hair out of place. He started his beard to serve a dual purpose — the Mason celebration and the Martin County Old Settlers Reunion to be held in Stanton July 7 - 8.

HERE IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE success of a hospital in a small town. Though for many months Stanton's modern hospital both in building and equipment, has been standing idle, a silent sentinel pointing to having seen better days. At times during its idleness, rumors would float of its reopening. One is now in the offing that the institution will get going sometime in September.

But the kernel to this editorial is that in a town much smaller than Stanton — over 1,000 population — Loraine, in Mitchell County, has the Johnson Hospital, established originally by Dr. Bruce Johnson, now owned and operated by Dr. Johnson and Dr. Joe Terry.

The source of information about the hospital comes from a story published last week in The Mitchell County (Loraine) News. A new room has just been added to the hospital, making 22 rooms in all. A new laboratory set-up, bathrooms finished.

The hospital was opened by Dr. Johnson in 1938. Patient increase made it necessary to build a new addition to the hospital, and as the years passed the increase in patronage made it mandatory more room be added. Recently, the interior of the hospital was treated to a new coat of pastel paint. It has a modern operating room, X-ray machines and other modern equipment adequate to care for any normal illness. The hospital has a corps of nurses, a bookkeeper, receptionist, two laboratory technicians, housekeeper and cooks.

The News speaks of its town's hospital as "not every town this size can boast of a hospital of this size and people here are justly proud of the hospital and its growth to be able to care for the needs of the people of this community in their illnesses."

Colorado City with hospital facilities is only a few miles away from Loraine, as well as Big Spring with its several hospitals.

A TAX FREE CITY FOR ONE year. Can you imagine such an act of benevolence visited upon a town that passed through seven years of drought, and at a time when other great and small were clamoring to raise taxes to meet the expense of operating the municipal government.

But we have The Big Lake Wildcat, published in our neighborhood town to the south, for authority that for the year 1957, the City of Big Lake went free paying city taxes. In 1958 the payment of city taxes will be resumed, the rate being set at \$1.00 on the \$100 valuation. The Wildcat said the city tax rate in 1954 was \$1.50 on the \$100 valuation, 1955 rate reduce to \$1.26, 1956 another reduction lowered the rate to 75 cents. The city's valuation totals \$3,250,000.

THERE HAS BEEN VERY LITTLE boiling in the political pot going on out this way as yet. Whether it is due to candidates not having any food to put in the pot to boil, or whether they think they can ride into office on the voluntary vote of the voter, or whether they are possessed of that old fogey idea some merchants have when solicited for an ad for the newspaper, "they all know I'm here, anyway."

We're in the month when the big battle is to be staged to determine the winning candidate, and the candidate eligible to take the voyage "Up Salt Creek." That day is Primary

25 YEARS AGO

The third annual meeting of the Martin County Old Settlers Reunion was held Tuesday, July 11, in Stanton. It was estimated 350 people attended.

A basket dinner was spread on the court house lawn in the evening prior to staging of the main program at night.

Adam Konz retained the honor of being the oldest Martin County settler present, having settled in the county in 1879. George Mulkey, of Denton, received the honor for the old settler coming the longest distance to the reunion.

Cow trails that long ago had dimmed out with coming of farmers settling up the county and with age of seasons after removal from the county of cattle and sheep were brought to life again in stories told by some of the pioneers present at the reunion.

The old longhorns that perished in the great blizzards of 1886 and 1887, must have wriggled in their graves as the old time cowhands told stories of "turning 'em back when stampeded as they drove them up the old cow trails."

Only new officer elected to head the reunion next year was Cal Houston, president, to take the place of S. C. Houston, retiring.

Notice issued by M. F. King

Martin - - -

(Continued from page 1) and best in the history of the reunion.

Included in the parade will be floats sponsored by various organizations, the Stanton High School band, commercial vehicles, different riding units and other groups.

The barbecue supper will be served beginning at 7:30 p. m. by the Jetton Brothers of Fort Worth at the city park. Tickets are \$1.25 for adults and children.

After supper a program will be held. The Stanton High School band is scheduled to play for the program. New officers will be elected.

To conclude the meeting a memorial service for all old settlers who have died during the past year will be conducted by George Shelburne.

Stanton businessmen were asked to decorate their stores with pictures and pioneer relics for the celebration. Many stores already have pictures and different objects displayed in the windows. Anyone who has old pictures and antique articles is asked to bring them to any store in Stanton or to the official headquarters to be used in the displays. Even if the articles have been displayed before, their owners are asked to display them this year.

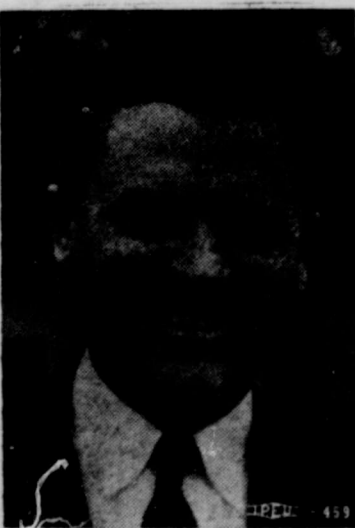
O. B. Bryan is serving as president of the organization. Alton Turner is vice president and secretary is Mrs. Morgan Hall.

Mrs. Morgan Hall, secretary, said she had received letters from several out-of-town old settlers saying they would be present for the reunion. She said it looks as if more out-of-town old settlers will be present this year than at any past reunion.

A final planning meeting was held Tuesday night at the Cap Rock Electric Coop with a large crowd present.

Election Day, and it's on July 26. Also on the same date Precinct Elections will be held.

Starting off the July Primary month is the date set for absentee voting. That event starts just three days from this publication day of The Reporter—July 6. Absentee voting will end on July 22.



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GS Committees Named Saturday

Committees were appointed when the Senior Girl Scouts met Saturday.

On the committee to make a flag for camp are Ruby Doshier, Glen Reid and Veronica Sorley.

Joyce Anderson was appointed as chairman of a food committee for camp.

In charge of a committee to make a float for the Old Settlers Parade is Gloria Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Coggin Entertain With Barbecue Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Coggin were hosts for a barbecue supper Saturday night at their home.

Attending were 1/Lt. and Mrs. Leon Hull, Jr. of Biggs Air Force Base, El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brewer and children of Big Spring, Mrs. Jane Robison of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Coggin and children.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. B. Q. Evans and family visited recently in Enid, Okla., with her brother, Staff Sgt. Claude J. Elliott. He is to be stationed at Okinawa with the U. S. Air Forces. Mrs. Evans also has a brother, Staff Sgt. Robert Lee Elliott, who is stationed in North Africa.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sorge of Midland spent Saturday in the John Storey home. Also visiting in the Storey home during the weekend were Billy Mack Storey of Fort Sam Houston and Barbara Gilchrist of Lubbock.

Miss Lora Medlin of Garden City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson. Also visiting the Williamsons was Mrs. Leonard Alexander of Midland.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pierce and family have been Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nixon of Deming, N. M. and their granddaughters, Bonnie and Rene Slate of Salt Flat.

Mrs. W. J. Coates and children of Lomax visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Madison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly, Sandra and Roy, visited last week in Monahans with relatives.

Pvt. Jimmy L. Waits, who has been stationed at Fort Carson, Colorado, is spending a 14-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Waits. He will report

for duty at Fort Ord, Calif. Mr. Waits went to Colorado after his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Deavenport, Jo Nell and Jane Ann of Houston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Deavenport and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Tom. Also visiting here are Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Deavenport and Billy of Fresno, Calif. Billy Deavenport spent three weeks here while his parents were on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allgood of Avenal, Calif., are visiting with his sisters, Mrs. Delbert Franklin, Mrs. Charlie Cravens, Mrs. Richard Adkins and their families, his brother, Cherry Allgood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adkins, Lou Ann and Larue, and Terry Franklin are visiting in Duncan, Okla., with Mr. Adkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Adkins, and Mrs. Adkins' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennemer.

Cecil Bridges of Heidelberg, Miss., is visiting with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bridges.

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CANNON BATH TOWELS Regular 49c Assorted Colors **2 For 59c**

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620, 120 3 Rolls **89c** 127 3 Rolls **79c**

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SUN GLASSES Box Of Assorted **1/2 PRICE**

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