

# CASTRO COUNTY NEWS

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## Town Topics

### YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF!

A city, or town, or community, can only measure its bigness and importance in proportion to the activity of its citizens in its civic affairs. Citizens of Dimmitt and Castro County, as we see it, are willing to support an agency that devotes its entire time toward helping the community grow and prosper. That agency is the Chamber of Commerce of Castro County.

Possibly you have some pet criticism concerning some of the policies and past activities of the Chamber of Commerce. No individual, no company, or corporation, is above criticism, or immune from making mistakes. In fact the person or organization that does not make mistakes is never credited with trying to accomplish anything. The person who criticizes the Chamber of Commerce for erring, has erred himself. In our opinion, there is no reason for not supporting the Chamber of Commerce that will overshadow the reasons why you should support it!

Has it ever occurred to you that you could do as well as the men active in Chamber of Commerce work, men who are giving freely of time they might be devoting to personal gain? If you make your living in this community, and call it your home, aren't you willing to support the men directing the affairs of the Chamber of Commerce to the extent of becoming a member? Are you interested enough in your city to employ every possible means to help it grow?

This editorial is directed to those who are not members of the Chamber of Commerce of Castro County, and to those who have been unable to see the benefits derived from it, to the extent of joining.

A membership drive will be started at an early date, and every citizen will be given an opportunity to join. The News, who believes in Castro County, and an institution ever alert to the promotion of anything for the progress of the community, urges you to join the ranks and become a worker with the workers for your own interests!

What has become of the old-timer who said that the ground hog prediction had never failed!

It pleases us to take the following from the Amarillo News-Globe of last Friday morning, from the story concerning the Prosperity Banquet, given the evening before by the chamber of commerce of that city:

### "Dimmitt Group Largest

Dimmitt had the largest group present of any Panhandle city, with eight delegates to the banquet. Plainview was second with five."

This merely to show that there are some in this city who are determined to see that Dimmitt is not to be overlooked as one of the coming towns of the Plains!

The News is pleased, indeed, to call attention to the small news items appearing every week in the rural news columns, advising that the farmers are at work night and day, preparing land for spring planting. Not that we delight in the fact that the farmers are working overtime, but because it is a signal for us to prepare for a harvest this year. This county has been most fortunate since last Summer, and a continuance of favorable weather will mean much to the county.

W. J. (Bill) Miller, formerly of Roswell, N. M., is the new editor of the Quitaque Post. And we devote space enough here to remark that, if the Post improves in the next six months in proportion to its proficiency during the two weeks which it has been

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## Many Conversions At Baptist Meet Now On Here

Large congregations continue to fill the new Baptist Church, where Rev. C. Y. Dossey, State Evangelist, of Dallas, is delivering some wonderful messages every morning at 10:30 and in the evening at 7:45.

Upwards of fifty conversions have been reported since the meeting started two weeks ago, and practically every church in Dimmitt has received new members as the result of the revival.

On last Sunday people were turned away at the morning service, when the auditorium became so crowded that many were standing, in order to hear the message and the beautiful singing by the large choir.

The meeting will close on next Sunday, and it is expected that near or over a hundred conversions will be total result of the revival, which has been a success and officials, with Rev. N. M. Gilbert, of the church, are well pleased with the results.

### BROOKS' SEDAN BADLY DAMAGED IN MISHAP

The Buick Sedan, belonging to I. B. Brooks, local land man, was badly damaged four miles west of Dimmitt on the Clovis highway last Saturday morning, when a Ford truck hit his car broadside, tearing off the fenders, running board, and doing other damage, to the extent of several hundred dollars, according to Mr. Brooks, who was driving his car.

The truck was approaching him from the east, when loose dirt caused the driver to lose control, swerving into the side of the Buick, despite the efforts of Mr. Brooks to dodge it.

The truck was also damaged considerably.

### COUNTY SINGING CONVENTION AT CLEO SUNDAY

Preparations are being made to entertain several hundred people at the Cleo school house on next Sunday, when the County Singing Convention will be held.

An all-day meeting is planned, and singers from every section of the county are making plans to attend.

### MR. AND MRS. BAXTER RETURN TO THEIR HOME

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Baxter returned to their home in this city last week. Mrs. Baxter, who improved some from her extended trip during the past month, is still confined to her room.

## Much Interest Was Indicated In Dairy Meet

Much Interest Shown As Result of Meeting at Court House Last Saturday.

Over forty farmers of Castro County attended the meeting held at the court house in this city last Saturday afternoon, in the interest of a dairy program in the county.

The call for the meeting was issued thru the News last week, and was signed by several business men, including T. V. Weaver and the president of the chamber of commerce.

Much interest was shown by those attending, and it is believed that an extensive dairy program will be put over in the county as a result, and thru the efforts of Mr. Weaver, who is head of the vocational department of the Dimmitt High School and whose efforts in the farmers' behalf have been untiring since last fall, when he took up his work here.

Inspiring talks were made at the meeting by R. C. Nicholl and O. B. Martin, of Tulia, H. A. Ferguson of Amarillo, A. F. Collett of San Angelo, and several local men.

As a direct result of the meeting, increased interest was manifested in the dairy program, which has the full support of the chamber of commerce; one more bull circle was formed, and representatives were sent to Amarillo and San Angelo this week to look at stock. It is expected that a car load of 20 head of dairy stock, will soon be shipped into the county.

The chamber of commerce officials are watching with interest the growth of this movement which will mean so much to the county at large.

### ATTENDED PROSPERITY BANQUET AT AMARILLO

The following from Dimmitt attended the Prosperity Banquet, given by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce in that city last Thursday night:

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Singer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Dean and Mr. Dean's mother, of Clarendon, Mrs. R. B. Boren, Leonard P. White, George Barnett, and Ernest Medkief.

All report a splendid time, and were elated that Dimmitt had the largest representation of any visiting Panhandle city. Plainview was second in attendance.

## Stock Lost From Apparent Poisoning of Animals

E. E. Herring, a farmer living in the Bethel community, 12 miles southwest of Dimmitt, reported last week the loss of two horses and one mule, apparently from poison. Two other animals, he said, were taken sick the latter part of the week.

According to Mr. Herring, who feels his loss keenly, the animals became suddenly ill on Tuesday of last week, and were dead in a short time, dying, apparently, in much pain. After death the bodies were rigid, and the limbs could not be moved.

### SCHMITZ STILL IN COUNTY JAIL HERE

W. L. Schmitz, who was tried in county court last week on a lunacy charge, after the death of his wife from a shot gun charge in this city two weeks ago, is still confined in the County jail, awaiting instructions from State authorities at Austin, as to which institution he shall be taken.

### FUTURE FARMER CLUB BOYS RECEIVE SUITS

Members of the Future Farmers of Texas Club, sixteen in number, and organized by the Dimmitt High vocational agriculture class, have received their new uniforms.

The suits are of a solid gray color, heavy material, and on the front of the shirt is a fac simile of a hog, and the members' initials. On the back of the shirt is the Texas seal, and the F. F. T. Insigna.

The suits consist of shirt and trousers.

### DIMMITT HAS ANOTHER PAPER IN HI SCHOOL PERIODICAL JUST OUT

"Bobcat's Tales" is the name of a publication falling into the hand of the News, accidentally, this week. Vol. 1, Number 1, dated February 10, contains 12 pages, and is dedicated by the staff to the Faculty of the Dimmitt High School.

Bessie Mae Hicks heads the staff as editor-in-chief, and Greer Estes is business manager, with several others on departmental work for the paper.

It is not stated in the pages how often the publication will appear, nor does it's columns disclose where it is published.

## C. of C. Plans County Drive For Members

Meeting to be Held Latter Part of This Week to Complete Year's Program.

A meeting of the Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of Castro County will be called by President George C. Smith for the latter part of this week, at which time committees will be completed and a detailed program will be outlined for the year.

Work has been delayed somewhat, awaiting a final report on the budget pledge cards, which have been in the hands of several directors and other members for the past ten days. The budget is practically assured, there being, up to Thursday, over \$2,600.00 subscribed for the year's work, which not only assures a paid secretary, but also the carrying out of a program which will mean a great deal to the County, agriculturally, industrially and commercially.

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## Official Scores for Local Gun Club

Following is the official scores of the Dimmitt Gun Club, for the meet held on Thursday of last week:

The scores are for hits out of a possible 25.

- D. L. McDonald, 25.
- Edwin Ramey, 25.
- Frank Annen, 22.
- A. M. Holland, 21.
- Edgar Ramey, 21.
- W. G. Baxter, 20.
- Charles Wilson, 20.
- Carroll Gunter, 20.
- D. D. Whitlow, 19.
- Fred Boswell, 18.
- Bert Huckabee, 17.
- I. B. Brooks, 17.
- Garland Smith, 17.
- E. B. Wright, 16.

Messrs. McDonald and Holland of Amarillo, and guests of the local club at the meet, have both won several champion medals in large trap meets over the country.

### ATTENDED DISTRICT MEET

W. Pennington, local manager of the C. E. Stone Chain Store, with Mrs. Pennington, attended a district meeting of store managers, held in Lubbock last Sunday.

Plans for all stores in this district, for this year, were discussed at length at the meeting.

## Local Legionaires Will Organize An Auxilliary Unit

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Castro County Post No. 445, American Legion, to be held on Friday night of this week, an Auxiliary unit will be organized, composed of the Mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of the members.

The purpose of this organization is similar to all such units, and the work of the Legion Auxiliary thruout the United States and in some foreign countries has been such to inspire the men to their own organization activities, to a greater extent.

Every ex-service man in Castro County is urged to attend the meeting Friday night, with a view of joining, and to bring one or more members eligible for membership in the Auxiliary.

## Judge Gough Will Speak in Dimmitt Next Thursday

As announced in last week's News, Judge L. Gough, formerly of this county, would talk to the citizens at an early date on a matter which should be of vital interest to every citizen, and especially the farmers and business men of Dimmitt.

The meeting will be held in the district court room on next Thursday night, and it is hoped that a large representation will be out to hear him, as he will have an important, as well as interesting message.

## Masons Confer Special Degrees

Some special degree work was conferred by the local Masons at their Monday night meeting this week, at the Masonic hall in this city. Among the out-of-town visitors present were:

- F. M. Black, of Muleshoe, and District Deputy Grand Master;
- C. H. Bippen, West Bradley, L. A. Ray, H. C. Baird, and Albert Schofield, all of Hereford; L. A. Harless, of Abernathy, and A. R. McCoun, of Eric, Oklahoma.

### MASONS TO HAVE GEORGE WASHINGTON PROGRAM

The local Masonic lodge will have a special program at their hall on Saturday night of this week, the occasion being February 22, Washington's Birthday. All Masons and their immediate families are invited to attend.

### RAMEY DELEGATES TO INTERNATIONAL SHOW

Ernest F. Harmon and Thos. F. Bice will leave next Monday for Wichita, Kansas, where they will attend the Implement Show, to be held on the 26, 27 and 28 of this month. They will visit Kansas City and other points on the trip.

Both are connected with the Ramey Implement Co., of this city.

## Bethel Phone Line Near Completion

Farmers of the Bethel community, twelve miles southwest of Dimmitt, are working on the new Dimmitt-Bethel rural phone line, and the work is progressing nicely.

With the completion of this line, that section of the county will be connected directly with this city on a first-class, permanent line.

The farmers, with the chamber of commerce and T. A. Singer, of the West Texas Telephone Co., started on this project several months ago.

# Dimmitt Basketball Teams Closing A Most Successful Season of Victories

The Basketball season for Dimmitt High's Bobcat teams is nearing a close, and the News gives herewith a history of the season's work of both Bobcat teams.

The girls' team remains undefeated for the season, the crowning victory being that of last Friday night, when they took the fast Plainview team into camp by a 44 to 15 score.

On Saturday night the boys feated the Canyon College team in a closely contested game, the final tally being 24 for the Bobcats, and 23 for the visiting Yearlings. This gives the boys eleven victories out of thirteen games played during the season.

Following is the record for the girls' team for the season:

- Frona, 47-13; Canyon, 45-18; Hereford, 53-17; Tulia, 27-14; Memphis, 53-28; Canyon, 44-17; Panhandle, 36-28; Hereford, 45-16; Muleshoe, 36-14; Frona, 54-19; Plainview, 44-15; Muleshoe, 58-17.

Following are the players on

this team, of which Dimmitt is justly proud:

**FORWARDS**—Effie Elders, Ona Faé Smith, Evelyn Blanton, Mary Kate James.

**CENTERS**—Zonelle Brooks, Elfreda Murphy, Alyne Creager, Evelyn Courtney, Irene Waggoner.

**GUARDS**—Lillie Belle Harp, Leona Hastings, Willie Mildred James, Ruth Waggoner, Louise Houtchins, Jennie Gardner, Pauline Hembre.

The boys, while defeated three times, met all comers in a splendid exhibition of the game, and the following results are tabulated for their season's work, which also is a splendid record, and shows good team work and hard practice, both individually and as a unit:

- Frona, 16-11; Farwell, 21-16; Frona, 16-14; Hereford, 20-10; Pampa, 29-19; Frona, 30-21; Muleshoe, 24-17; Hereford, 19-10; Farwell, 13-9; Hart, 38-6; Canyon, 24-23; Muleshoe, 27-15.

Following are the defeats of the team: Tulia, 16-11; Amarillo, 32-16; Farwell, 18-13.

The team includes the following students:

- Speed Webb, E. Newton, F. Smith, Junior Rothwell, T. Newton, Ash. Mauldin, Glenn Manles, Gaston Jackson, M. Kennedy, Clyde Tisdale, Eules Waggoner, and Hardy.

**All-Stars at Panhandle Tourney**

The following Bobcat players made the all-star teams at the Panhandle tournament, held last month:

- Girls—Effie Elders, Zonelle Brooks and Lillie Belle Hart.
- Boys—Elbert Newton.

**Boys Lose Tuesday to Farwell**

On Tuesday night of this week the boys' team went to Farwell, where they played for the bi-county championship of Farmer and Castro Counties. They lost the contest, due mainly to the disqualification of part of their team, the score being 13-18.

This loss eliminates the boys from the Interscholastic League contests to be held at Canyon next week.

### Wednesday's Games

On Wednesday night of this week both teams were victorious over the Muleshoe cagers on the local court. The boys won by a score of 27 to 15, while the fair players piled up 53 tallies to the 17 of their adversaries.

### Away From Home

On Friday and Saturday of this week, the boys will play in a tournament at Liberty, in Hale County, and on Friday and Saturday of next week both teams will enter the tournament at Dalhart.

### Tulia Next Week—Probably

An effort is being made to have both Tulia teams meet the Bobcat teams on the local court next Wednesday night, altho this arrangement is not definitely settled, according to Coach Henry Loter, of the High School.

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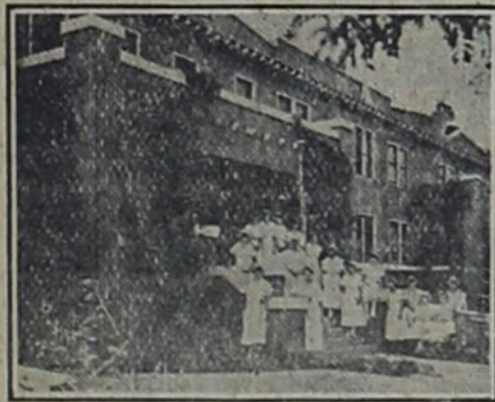
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### Census Enumerator To Ask 24 Questions

Citizens will be required to answer 24 very personal questions when the census takers arrive this year with their blanks to determine just how many of the rational genus homo are extant in the United States at this time, which will be the 15th decennial census of the country.

These questions, tho personal, are not embarrassing and are not impertinent, and they must be answered unless the persons questioned wishes to be subjected to a penalty. This action will be taken against those who know the answer to questions but refuse to answer, and will not be directed against such persons as are actually unable for various sound reasons to advance the desired information.

Withholding of answers, if done wilfully, will result in prosecution in federal courts, with penalties of prison sentences or fines or both, provided for convictions.

Folowing is the list of questions:

1. Relationship to head of family, including a statement as to the housemaker (housewife) in each family.
2. Whether home is owned or rented.
3. Value of home, if owned, or monthly rental, if rented.
4. Radio set? ("Yes" or "No.")
5. Does this family live on a farm? ("Yes" or "No.")
6. Sex.
7. Color or race.
8. Age at last birthday.
9. Marital condition. (married or single.)
10. Age at first marriage. (For married persons.)
11. Place of birth. (State or country.)
12. Place of birth of person's father.
13. Place of birth of person's mother.
14. Mother tongue of each foreign born person.
15. Whether able to read or write. ("Yes" or "No.")
16. Attended school or college at any time September 1, 1929. ("Yes" or "No.")
17. Year of immigration to United States. (Foreign-born persons only.)
18. Whether naturalized. (For foreign-born only.)
19. Whether able to speak English. (Foreign-born only.)
20. Occupation of each gainful worker.
21. Industry in which he is employed.
22. Whether employer, employee or working on own account.
23. Whether actually at work.
24. Whether a veteran of the U. S. military or naval forces; and for each veteran, in what war or expedition did he serve.

The census bureau has found that it will be possible to determine the classification of families as to economic status from information given regarding the owning or renting of homes. This information is desired by firms and individuals using census figures in organizing their selling and advertising campaigns, but census takers will take particular pains to see that no information is given to the public concerning any individual's home.

This census will determine for the first time the direct answer as to how large a potential radio audience may be, from the answers to the question regarding ownership of radios. The census bureau for the first time in its history will classify women doing housework in their own homes as "home-makers."

### Testing Cattle for Spring Dairy Show

TULIA, Feb. 19.—Over two hundred head of Jerseys and beef cattle in Swisher County have been T. B. tested the past week, in preparation for the dairy and livestock shows this spring. A large per cent of the Jersey herds in Swisher County are doing accredited herd work. The dairymen of the county are planning to have a number of Jerseys in the Plainview Dairy Show in April. The 26 4-H Club calves were tested so that they could be entered in the Panhandle-Plains Fat Stock Show in Amarillo and the Fort Worth Fat Stock Shows.

—Let the News print that next Stationery!

### News of Big Square MRS. WILL WYER, Correspondent and Representative

**Club Meeting**  
The L. I. C. met with Mrs. Sam Layman last Friday evening with nine members present. The subject of the program was "Parliamentary Laws". The adoption of the Constitution and By-Laws was the main feature of this meeting.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the program, by the hostess.

Mrs. Sam Layman has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker and Mrs. Sam Layman were visitors in Hereford Tuesday.

Roy Haberer and family spent the week-end visiting relatives in Dimmitt.

Mrs. McClug returned Tuesday from a short visit with her sister, in Arizona.

Mrs. C. Cotton of Haskell Co., visited relatives in this community last Sunday.

Mrs. Sturit, who was seriously ill, was taken to Matador Sunday, for an operation.

Tom Reed arrived Saturday from Denver, Colo., for a visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown drove to Mangum, Okla., Sunday, on a business trip.

Dr. Mayes Miller of Dimmitt, made several professional calls in this community the past week.

Sam Layman returned from Ardmore, Okla., and reported his father and mother slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stiles and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bragg enjoyed the singing of the Stamps quartette in Dimmitt last Thursday evening.

Z. T. Allen, who has been at the Plainview Sanitarium for the past three weeks, was brought home Sunday. His condition is much improved.

The all-day singing at Big Square has been indefinitely postponed on account of the sickness in the community. The date will be announced in the News later.

The Ladies' Club at Big Square have purchased a slide for the school grounds, valued at \$64.50. They have also to their credit, \$60, worth of folding chairs at the auditorium. The Club netted \$22 serving lunch at the sale last Thursday.

### News of Arney MRS. FLOYD W. FORTNER, Correspondent and Representative

The children enjoyed a Valentine party at the school house on last Friday afternoon.

Due to the high winds recently, it has been necessary to do some repair work in this community on wind mills, the one at the school house among them.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Argus Nix sympathize with them in the death of their little boy. It is thought that he procured some poison, causing death.

Mrs. J. O. Gillam and son and two little granddaughters, Doris and Louise Carouthe, of Quanah spent last Wednesday and Thursday with her sister and family, Mrs. A. W. Fortner.

The past few days of Spring-like weather has started spring farm work in earnest in this section of the county. Tractors can be heard running night and day, and many farmers are preparing to sow their spring grain. A number of new tractors have been bought by farmers in this community recently.

**Economy!**  
A Scotchman in planning his new home left off one room. A friend asked the reason for this: "Oh, that's the shower", he replied.

**Precaution**  
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**Railroad News**

Being Personal Notes of the Local Railroad Employees.

Fireman M. E. Kemp has returned to work. He was called to Lubbock on account of an injury to his wife and baby, who were in an automobile accident.

Fireman J. I. Sampson has returned to Childress after relieving M. E. Kemp and Fireman Donovan for a few days.

Brakeman Shuster has returned to Amarillo. He relieved brakeman Huffaker, who has bid in the Childress local.

R. I. Donovan, who has been living in Dimmitt, has moved to Nazareth.

Engineer Yoakley has returned to his run from his home in Amarillo.

Business is very good on the Sterley-Dimmitt local for the season of the year.

**News of Jumbo**

MRS. J. J. WILDER, Correspondent and Representative

C. D. Spencer has moved to the C. G. Maples farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinckert visited in Amarillo last Saturday.

Miss Kitty Oxford came up from Ropesville last Saturday for a visit with her mother.

A number of Mr. Adams' family have been quite sick with the flu the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Biard attended the American Legion benefit show in Hereford last Friday night.

The Jumbo Basketball boys and girls went to Westway last Friday and played. The boys won their game, but the girls lost.

Miss Edna Hall had as her guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lindsey, Misses Elaine Dyer and Juanita McGinnis, and Paul Hickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew, Misses Lela Thomas and Alma Ruth Andrew, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Spencer.

Mr. Decker and family moved to Canyon last week. A large number of their friends met at their home for a farewell party on Tuesday evening of last week.

Quite a few from this community attended the "Passion Play" in Amarillo last Saturday night. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Gilliam, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Ullman Hunter.

—Those who partonize the Advertisers in their Home Paper are helping build the Community

**"Caterpillar" Tractor Show Plainview Next Week**

A comprehensive program has been arranged for the "Caterpillar" Tractor and "Caterpillar" (Holt) Combine school to be staged at Plainview on February 24, 25 and 26, being Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. According to the local representative, E. D. Keaton, of the West Texas Tractor and Machinery Co., dealers of these lines and sponsoring this school, the first day is to be devoted to agriculture. As one subject on this day they will have Killefer Tillage. A talk is to be made on this wheat land chiseling with the Killefer System by Mr. W. M. Hauserman of Oklahoma City, Okla., a representative of the California factory of the Killefer Mfg. Corp., building these machines.

It is also announced that Dean A. D. Leidigh will make a talk on West Texas Agriculture in the afternoon. These two talks will fit into the regular program which is composed of non-technical lectures and moving pictures of an educational nature, in power farming.

The last two days of the school are to be devoted to a large extent along an educational line, for the benefit of County Commissioners, their operators, both tractors and graders, contractors, and to a certain extent also this program will be of interest to farmers.

Daily program will begin at 9 a. m., and last until 3:15 p. m. A number of farmers from Castro County are planning on attendance during the three days

**RECEIVED MANY VALENTINES FROM FRIENDS**

G. W. Gibbs, janitor at the court house, showed to the News last week a whole arm-load of pretty valentines, sent to him by the school children of Greinville, where, several years ago, he was janitor at the school.

Mr. Gibbs says that each year the children remember him with these kind of presents, and he values them highly.

**At the School Again**

Teacher—Who can tell me the meaning of the word 'transparent'?

Johnny—Something you can see thru.

T.—Give me an example.

J.—A doughnut.

**A Laundry For Dimmitt**

**NEW MACHINERY INSTALLED!**  
*Additional and Experienced Help!*

*--We are now prepared to handle all Laundry Work brought to us, and all work is Guaranteed.*

*We Solicit and Will Appreciate the Business of all Dimmitt Citizens.*

**Home Laundry**

Located Three Blocks West of the Court House, Then Three Blocks North—Last House on Left Side Street

*Mrs. O. F. Smith, Owner*

**National Tailors**

**Grand Opening OFFER**

**Thursday, Friday, and Saturday**

FEBRUARY 20, 21, AND 22

**TWO SUITS**

FOR THE

**PRICE OF ONE**

**\$39.50**

*And Up---Guaranteed Fit!*

If you don't need two Suits, bring a friend in—  
SPLIT THE COST!

Be Here Thursday, Friday or Saturday!

*Hundreds of the Spring's Newest Woolens, direct from the best foreign and domestic looms here in the bolt, to make your selection from. It will be a treat for you to come in and look over one of the largest selections of Woolens on display in the Paahandle---each yard of goods GUARANTEED 100% WOOL!*

EACH GARMENT WE SELL IS HAND-TAILORED to your own individual measure in National Tailors' own gigantic shops by Expert Tailors and Designers, which assures you of the finest workmanship and fittings obtainable. COME IN TODAY, and let an Expert take your measure.

THE GREATEST GUARANTEED BONAFIDE Sale of its kind ever offered. National Tailors' coast-to-coast buying power makes it possible for you to save half and more on your New Spring Suit. Don't miss it. Come in TODAY, as it stands to reason that prices like these won't last long.

**Values up to \$75.00 on Sale---Nothing Reserved---Open Evenings Til 8**

**MEN**—and Young Men who contemplate purchasing a New Suit now or in the next six months—can't afford to pass up the Greatest Tailoring offer ever attempted!

**National Tailoring Company**

*Located in Dimmitt for This Week Only, at Parker's Tailor Shop, Directly West of the Court House*

—Where Cleaning and Pressing is an Art. Suits Cleaned and Pressed, \$1. We Call for and Deliver!  
TELEPHONE 2 on 3

**HATCHERY IN DIMMITT**

**Open For Business**

Our Hatchery is in operation and we are prepared to do you—

**Custom Hatching**

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL EGGS IN OUR CARE!

Price---\$3.50 Per 100 EGGS

**BABY CHICKS---**

Heavy Breeds, \$14.00 per Hundred  
Leghorns, - \$12.00 per Hundred

**Erwin's Hatchery**

East of New High School on Highway DIMMITT

**C-C. to Announce Year's Program**  
(Continued from first page)

A membership drive will be inaugurated next week, according to President Smith, which will include the entire county. Firms and individuals who have signed the pledge cards are, of course, members, and this campaign is to enlist the support of individuals and firms, including farmers and rural merchants, all of whom will be equally benefited by the organization's work during the next twelve months.

The following committee chairmen are announced by the president and at the coming meeting this week, members of the chamber will be placed on the various committees, assigning practically every member of the organization in a working position for the year:

- Finance—T. A. Singer
- Membership—C. O. Byrnes
- Publicity—George C. Smith
- Fair and Agriculture—M. R. Avery
- Municipal—E. B. Wright
- Educational—Geo. M. Roberts
- Charities—B. D. Woodlee
- Highways—D. D. Whitlow

Entertainment—Ernest Medkief  
Industrial—Charles O. Wilson  
Health—Henry Stalcup  
From three to five members will compose the above committees, to work with the respective chairmen, and they will report any activity, at each monthly meeting of the directors, during the year.

**"RIO RITA AT STAR THEATRE IN HEREFORD"**

The great Ziegfeld all-dialogue music spectacle, "Rio Rita", is advertised in this issue of the News by the Star Theatre of Hereford. This is an all-talkie, and said by critics to be the greatest one ever produced.

Featured are Bebe Daniels and John Boles, with a supporting cast that assures the very best of entertainment.

"Rio Rita will play at the Star Theatre Matinee and night next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and many are planning on attending from this city.

Mark—Did you ever hear the story of the dirty shirt?  
Mack—No.  
Mark—Well, that's one on you!

**ATTENDED FAMILY RE-UNION AT TURKEY**

The following from here attended a family reunion last Sunday at the home of J. N. Colvin, in Turkey, in honor of J. B. Rothwell and wife, of Estelline:

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Benton and family.

Twenty-seven children and grandchildren were present, and a most enjoyable day was reported by those attending from Dimmitt.

**FIFTH GRADE HONOR ROLL, DIMMITT SCHOOL**

Following is the Spelling honor roll for the Fifth Grade, Dimmitt public school:

- Dorothy Watts, Mildred Gary, Hazel Rockey, Juanita Gordon, Louise Miles, Chesley Trout, John Parker, Jack Boone, Roy Latham, Elmo Tisdale, Marcelle Davis, Billy Stringer, Wilmer Madera, Donald Hulin, Alice Meek, Marvin Hick, Glen Grant, Harold Livesay, Douglas Stone, Elton Singer, and Odus Hastings

—Let the News print that next Stationery!

**TOWN TOPICS**  
(Continued from first page)

under his guidance, the Caprock City will have some paper! We have a friendly feeling toward Quitaque, because of the fact that it was there that, for six months, we became attached to the west. We congratulate our old friends in Briscoe County on their new editor, and trust that they will give him the support that his ability will merit.

Mail order catalogs are beginning to flow into Dimmitt and this territory, as well as all other rural communities of the country. We estimate, from the number of families in this section, that, including the postage on the catalogs, the mail order houses will spend upwards of \$7,000 on advertising in this county alone. They are not spending a cent IN the county! But they are investing the amount in an effort to get the money OUT of this community! And they will be successful, to a large extent, if the local business men do not make an effort to hold the trade at home. If the business men of Dimmitt will spend just half of the estimated amount above, in legitimate newspaper advertising, during the next four months the greater part of the money that would go to the mail order houses will be kept at home, to reach him again, thru the regular channels of business. In our opinion, if W. K. Henderson, of Shreveport, had hit upon the mail order houses, his work, which is getting results, would have been more beneficial to the rural communities.

**NEWS OF Bethel**

Mrs. Jim Bagwell  
Correspondent and Representative

**Club Has Meeting**

The Bethel Community Club met last Thursday, with Mrs. J. C. Williams. The members present were Mesdames Kay Roberts Earl and Vern Lust, John Gallo-way, J. G. Davis, Geo. Shwen, Le land Smith, Jim Bagwell, and one visitor, Mrs. Miller.

Refreshments of tamales, co-coanut pie and cocoa were served

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams visited over Sunday in Lubbock.

J. E. Lust and family visited in the Vern Lust home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kimble and children visited relatives at Earth Sunday afternoon.

Miss Manning spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Jim Hahn, of Dimmitt.

J. G. Davis and family visited in the Herring home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bagwell are the proud parents of a boy, born February 12.

J. P. Richardson and family of Vernon, moved into our community this week. We are very glad to welcome them here.

Work is progressing nicely on the Dimmitt-Bethel telephone line.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jenks of

**LAND FOR SALE**

160 or 320 Acres at a Bargain, between Hart and Dimmitt, Texas. This is well improved and under the market value.

**JIM LASH LAND COMPANY**  
PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

Vega, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Kay Roberts.

Those visiting in the Kay Roberts home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tarpley of Flagg and C. E. Head and family

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. L. E. Williams and daughter, Mrs. Albert Clubb, of Floydada, visited a few hours in the Jim Bagwell home Tuesday.

**ERWIN'S HATCHERY OPEN FOR BUSINESS**

T. S. Erwin, of the Erwin Hatchery, announces this week that they are ready to take care of all eggs brought in, and guarantees expert and good care in the handling of all hatches.

The capacity has been increased and they also announce prices on some fine baby chicks, which should interest all lovers of chickens.

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**DRS. GREEN DENTISTS**



- False Teeth ..... \$20 up
  - Gold Crowns ..... \$5 up
  - Bridgework ..... \$5 up
  - Silver Fillings ..... \$1 up
  - Extractions ..... \$1 only
- Sleeping Gas given  
**PLAINVIEW**

**HEMSTITCHING**

SEE  
MRS. E. C. HOLLAND  
At Carter-Houston's  
PHONE 125

**You Can't Dodge Facts!**

**"CATERPILLAR" Tractor and (Holt) Combine School**  
PLAINVIEW

—At Our Place of Business, February 24, 25 and 26.  
—An Instructive School, Well Worth Your Attendance  
**Sample 1930 Combine at School**

**NO TUITION CHARGE**

—WELL WORTH YOUR TIME AND EXPENSE OTHERWISE!

**"Catterpillar" Track-Laying Tractors Have Undisputed Merits!**

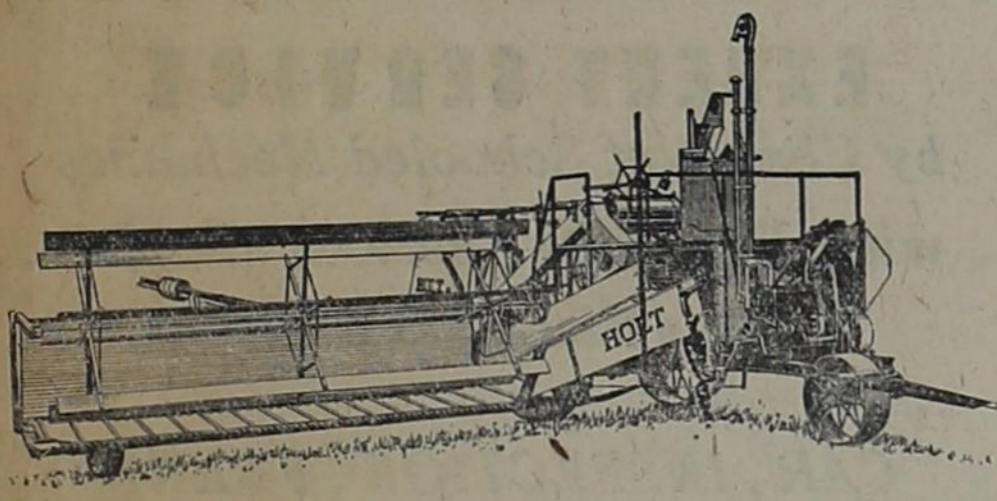
(“Caterpillar” Tractors Were Again Reduced in Price December 11, 1929)

Agricultural Engineers have proven that wheels are always traveling up hill on farm land, and the softer the land the steeper the hill. Did you ever notice a team of horses pulling a load over pavement, then they would drop off into soft ground; the wheels sink down, starting the up-hill climb and increasing the pull of the horses? The same principle holds in Tractors. It has been proven by engineers, using dynamometer test, that as much as 80 per cent of the power of a wheel Tractor is lost on loose soil.

It has been proven by Engineers' test that a "Caterpillar", after it is started, required two horse-power to move it over plowed ground.

**"Caterpillar Don't Waste Power and Fuel!"**

—Transporting themselves, but develop more draw bar pull with less cost to you.



**"CATERPILLAR" (Holt) COMBINE**

Prices, Equipped, f. o. b. DIMMITT

- 1930 Models
- Model 38, 10-ft. Header **\$1,685.00**
- Model 38, 12-ft. Header **\$1,700.00**
- Model 34, 15-ft. Header **\$1,967.50**
- Model 36, 16½-ft. Hdr. **\$2,135.00**
- Model 36, 20-ft. Header **\$2,195.00**

Twenty-Eight Refinements for 1930 on an Already Acknowledged Superior Combine!

WITH A RADICAL PRICE REDUCTION BACKED BY REAL PARTS SERVICE—

**W. G. BOLES HARDWARE COMPANY**  
Dimmitt, Texas

Will Carry Our Combine Parts Stock



**West Texas Tractor & Machinery Co.**  
PLAINVIEW, TEXAS

**SUCH IS LIFE**  
By Charles Suggree  
HELP NEEDED!

YEAH, YOU CAN CALL ON MY SISTER IF YOU GIMME A NICKEL

I'LL GIVE YOU THE NICKEL IF YOU SPELL "BANANA" FOR ME = I HEAR YOU'RE PRETTY GOOD

BANANA-NA-NA-NA-GOSH! THERE I GO AGAIN!

I KIN SPELL IT, BUT I DONT KNOW WHEN TO STOP

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GEORGE C. SMITH, Editor and Manager

**Political Announcements**

The following announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, to be held Saturday, July 26, 1930

**Sheriff-Tax Collector—**  
J. H. FLANAGIN  
I. B. BROOKS  
C. G. MAPLES (re-election)

**County-District Clerk—**  
WADE PARKS  
FRANK CONE  
W. P. RAY  
W. B. HOWARD  
MRS. R. B. BOREN (re-election)

**Commissioner Precinct No. 3—**  
J. A. MAYNARD  
F. J. AXE (Re-election)

**Tax Assessor—**  
PERCY ESTES (Re-election)  
J. G. (Gano) HASTINGS

**Commissioner Precinct No. 2—**  
J. G. DAVIS  
ROY HABERER (Re-election)  
C. W. MICK  
H. M. HORTON  
E. R. ROTHWELL

**County Judge and School Superintendent—**  
M. R. AVERY (re-election)  
W. A. SENTER  
EARL LUST  
J. F. EASTER

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—**  
H. J. WINKLE  
JOHN LILLEY  
G. H. WEBB  
GROVER BURT

**Commissioner, Precinct No. 4—**  
E. C. BURKS (re-election)

**CORRECTION**

In making the announcement of H. M. Horton, two weeks ago, as a candidate for the office of Commissioner from Precinct 2, the News stated that he resided 15 miles south and 2 miles west of Dimmitt. This was an error. Mr. Horton lives 7 miles south and 2 miles west of this city.

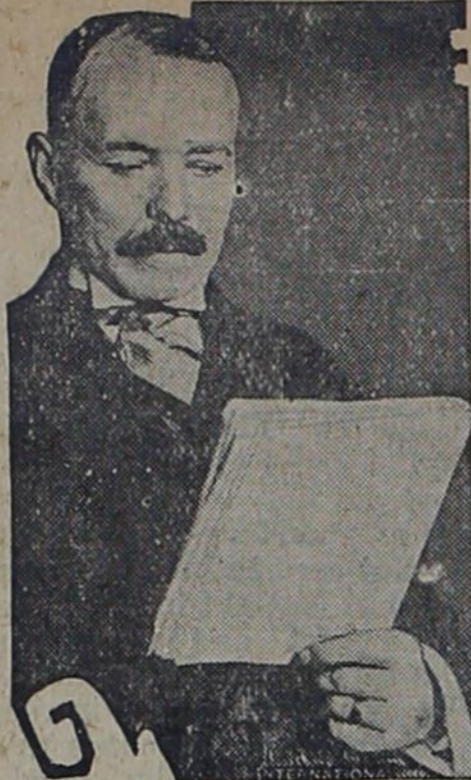
**THE LETTER "E"**

"Some one has decided," says the Tacoma Bulletin, "that the letter 'e' is the most unfortunate letter in the alphabet; because it is always out of cash, forever in debt, never out of danger, and in hell all the time. No little credit is due, however, in that it is never in war, and always in peace. And we are deeply indebted to this little letter, since it is the beginning of existence, the commencement of ease, and the end of trouble. Without it there would be no meat, no life, and no heaven. It is the center of honesty, and, although it starts off in error, it ends in making love perfect."

Also, we cannot resist adding the letter "e" is the first letter on a Linotype keyboard in English, and the last letter in the word Linotype, which symbolizes several desirable things beginning with "e": efficiency, economy, endurance, to suggest a few.—Linotype News.

**Conditions Change!**  
In bygone days, It was the craze, To dress like Mother Hubbard. But co-eds now Dress more, I vow, Like Mother Hubbard's Cup-board!

**SWISS PRESIDENT**



Dr. Jean Maria Musy, former finance minister of Switzerland, who was elected to succeed Doctor Haab as president of the oldest republic, Doctor Musy has been head of his country's finances since 1925.

**News of Easter**

Mrs. Joe Senter left last week for California, her husband having been there for some time.

The new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hines is nearing completion.

Miss Frankie Senters left last week for Lamesa, where she will visit with relatives.

W. T. Sumner and wife attended singing at Cleo Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Kerksey entertained the 22 Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tidmore Wednesday night.

Mrs. H. R. Reeves visited with Mrs. Horace Ballaw last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Orr of Younge County, has bought and is improving a tract of land on North Flagg.

Mrs. Cardie Birdwell and little son Noorville, left last week for a visit with relatives in Young County.

Mr. and Mrs. Coz Armes attended church at Dimmitt Friday and Saturday nights of last week.

Mrs. Tom Bratcher entertained the Study Club at her home last Thursday afternoon, at which time a work meeting was held. One quilt was made by the members, several of whom were present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sid Sheffey on Friday afternoon of this week.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
STATE OF TEXAS )  
County of Castro )

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Lamb County, on the 16th day of September, 1929, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Ewing Halsell versus T. J. Randolph, No. 186, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A. D. 1930, it being the 4th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Castro County, in the Town of Dimmitt, the following described property, to-wit: The southwest quarter of Sec. No. 30, Blk. No. 2, W. E. Halsell's Subdivision in Lamb and Castro Counties, Texas, containing 160 acres of land. Levied on as the property of T. J. Randolph to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$4,093.70, in favor of Ewing Halsell and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 11th day of February, 1930.  
C. G. MAPLES, Sheriff  
By J. H. Flanagan, Deputy.

**The Best Purgative for**



Relieves the congestion, reduces complications, hastens recovery.

**News of Flagg**

Mrs. W. T. Sumner, Correspondent and Representative

Eddie Lee Allen visited in the Stagner home at Flagg last week

Mrs. Hise and children motor-ed to Lockney last week.

A large attendance was reported at our church Sunday night.

Thirty enrolled in the Sunday School last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Saxon have moved on the M. W. Field's place in this community.

J. S. Smith has purchased a new tractor, to be used on his farm.

J. S. Smith has begun breaking land on his half-section near Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frye visited in Lockney last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith spent the week end in the J. S. Smith home.

V. A. Allen, Martha Medley, Steve Chandler and Emerald Smith were in Flagg Sunday afternoon.

The school children had a Valentine box at the school last Friday afternoon and a few visitors were at the school.

The people of this community have organized a Sunday School, and all are invited to attend every Sunday and help to make it a success.

**SAFETY SLOGANS**

To remember means not to forget to always be careful.

A road sign reads: "Drive slow, you might meet a fool. A better sign would be, "Drive slow, two fools might meet."

Too often a grade crossing is the meeting place of headlights and light heads!—Crosbyton Review.

**Mrs. Mathis' HOME BEAUTY SHOP**

Phone 130

MARCEL 75c

FINGER WAVE 75c

All Kinds of Beauty Work Guaranteed

**Try the Drug Store First**

FLOWER SEED

TWEEZERS

PARTY GOODS

BOTTLE OR NIPPLE

—Any of the Ten Thousand Items Needed Every Day. WE TRY TO KEEP THEM!

**Dimmitt Drug Co.**

"Where Quality Is Paramount"

**TO OUR OLD FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS---**

---We have leased the Cafe at HART, TEXAS and now have it in charge, and will appreciate your patronage.

**BILL AND MRS. BILL EWERS**

**COMPLETE EQUIPMENT FOR ALL KINDS OF REPAIR WORK**

We Specialize on FARM MACHINERY

Sharpening Welding Repairs

**CAULDWELL MACHINE SHOP**  
West of Courthouse Dimmitt

Welding may save You buying New



LET ME FIX IT

AS GOOD AS

NEW

HENRY

The Welder

Cauldwell's Shop

**A Thing of Beauty Is A Joy Forever!**

Set A Rose Garden This Spring!

—We have 1,000 two-year old Field Grown Choice Varieties of Monthly Overblooming—

**ROSES**

PRICES, WHILE THEY LAST—

**Five for \$1.00**

Climbing Vines---5 for \$1.00

Parcel Post—10c Extra Express—25c Extra

Chinese Elms---50c to \$5.00

MANY OTHER BARGAINS IN SHRUBS, FRUIT TREES, ETC.

**SALE BEGINS FEBRUARY 22**

—Write for Price List and Descriptive Booklet Giving Valuable Information on Setting and Care of Trees.

LANDRUM'S

**Hereford Nursery**

Phone 99

Hereford, Texas

**Your Doctor**

—Must be a graduate physician and an approved practioneer before you will risk your life in his judgment!

—The same should be true of your Car. Your life, it can safely be said, depends upon the condition of your Car!

—I am a Graduate Automobile Mechanic, and have had years of experience in shop work, on practically every popular make of car.

"Let Me Be Your Car Doctor"!

**Chas. B. Burkett**

Located at Dimmitt-Whippet Garage

**EXPERT SERVICE**

by Chevrolet Schooled Mechanics with Chevrolet Service Tools! On a Flat Rate Basis

CAR INSPECTION FREE!

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**Permanent Waves**

SPECIAL---

Regular \$15 Permanent Wave for **\$7.50**

Regular \$7.50 Permanent Wave for **\$5.00**

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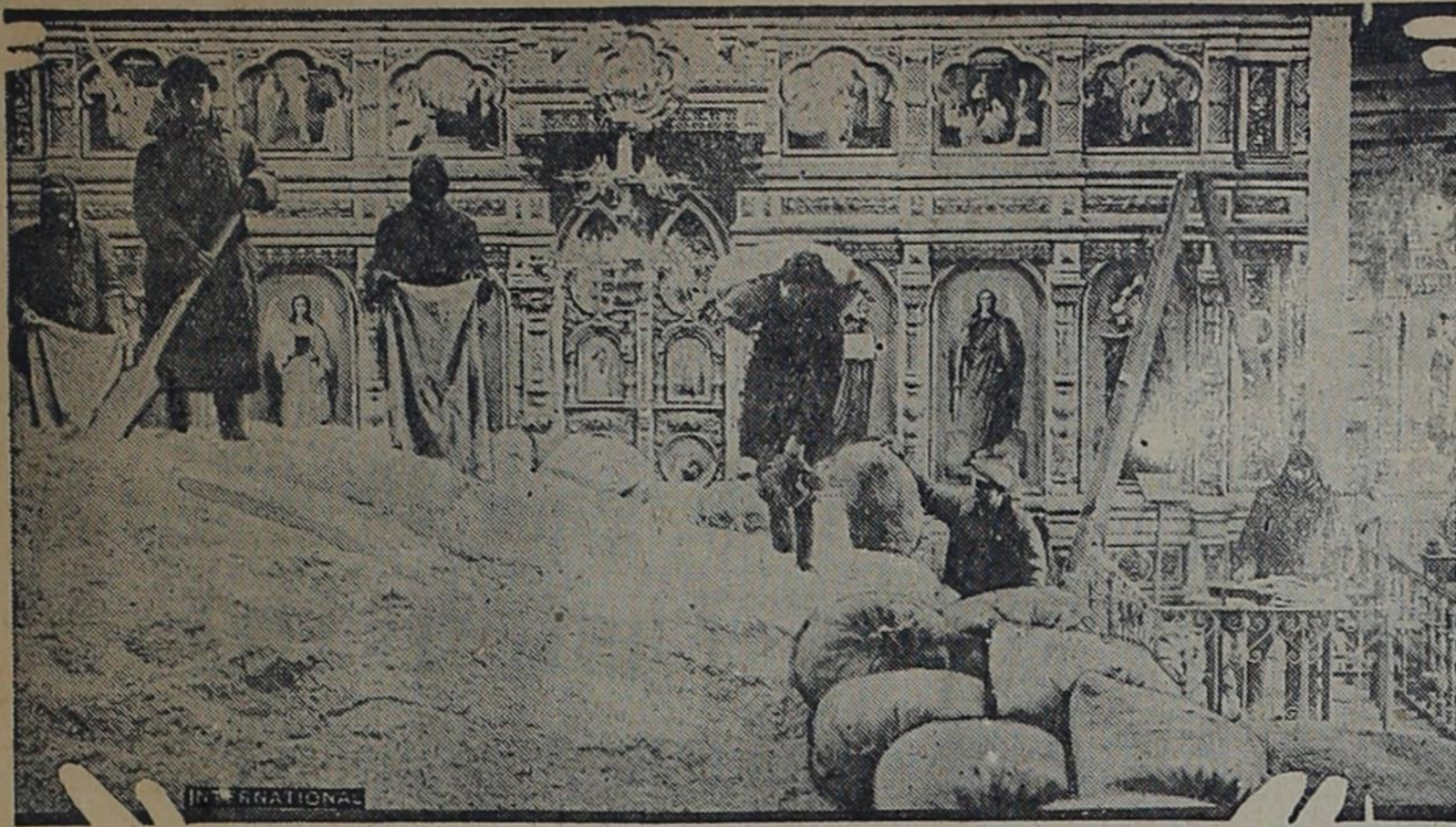
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**Mrs. W. S. Smart**

213 East McKinley Street—HEREFORD

Let the News do Your Printing!

**Russians Store Wheat in Churches**



While the saints in this Russian church at Petrovsky look down benignantly, peasants bring in their wheat crop. have it duly recorded by a commissar and then take it to the huge mound of wheat in the nave. So great is the crop this year that ordinary means of storing it have been exhausted. Officials were forced to use churches.

**GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY**  
**Church News**  
ALL DIMMITT CHURCHES WELCOME VISITORS

**METHODIST CIRCUIT**

**Rev. J. E. PETERS, Pastor**  
**JUMBO**—First Sunday in each month, morning and evening services.  
**BETHEL**—Second Sunday in each month, morning and evening services.  
**FRIO**—Third Sunday in each month, morning service only.  
**EASTER**—Third Sunday, evening service only.  
**FLAGG**—Second and Fourth Sunday afternoons of each month.  
**CLEO**—Fourth Sunday in each month, morning and evening.  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Services every second and fourth Sunday by Rev. Earl Smith, of Hereford, morning and evening.  
Bible Class Study 10 to 11 o'clock every Sunday morning.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.  
Ladies Bible Class every Tuesday at 4 p. m. Social meeting every first Tuesday.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Services on the first and third Sundays, morning and evening, by Rev. J. R. Bright, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.  
Epworth League meets every Sunday at 8:00 p. m.  
Missionary Society meets every Monday afternoon a 4 o'clock.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

Preaching every Sunday morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. N. M. Gilbert.  
Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a. m.  
Junior B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday at 6:00 p. m.  
Senior B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday at 7:45 p. m.  
Missionary Society meets every Monday afternoon.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Preaching every second and fourth Sunday morning and evening, by Rev. G. D. Robinson, pastor.

**ROAD NOTICE TO LAND OWNER**

In the matter of the Petition of Cal Dickey and others for a Public Road in the County of Castro,  
THE STATE OF TEXAS—  
To Landowners:  
TAKE NOTICE, That the undersigned Jury, appointed by the Commissioners Court of Castro County, Texas, to lay out, survey and assess damages resulting from the establishment of a Public Road, as petitioned for by Cal Dickey and others, beginning at a point in the State Highway, same being the N. E. Cor. of Section 299, in Block M-6, Castro County, Texas, and running to County Road at a point known as the S. E. Corner of Section 47, in Block 10-T, the whole distance being about 6 miles, will, on the 24th day of February, at 10 A. M., 1930, in discharge of our said duty, meet upon the following premises, the beginning of the road, and will then and there proceed to assess any damages to which you may be entitled on account of the laying out of said Public Road, and you are hereby requested and required to produce to us a statement in writing of the damages, if any claimed by you, and all evidence which you may desire to offer in relation to such damages, and do and perform such other acts as may be necessary and lawful in the premises.  
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands this 23rd day of January, 1930

FRANK DRERUP  
FRANK VENHAUS  
FRANK J. BROCKMAN  
DANIEL FEHR  
GROVER BURT  
(43)

Pete—Do you wear spats?  
Bill—No, that's my long underwear!

Subscribe for Your Home Paper!

**Strange But True**

By Harvey A. Wilson, Happy

On March 11, 1929, at Daytona Beach, Florida, Major Seagrave of England, drove a special built automobile at the average rate of 231.36 miles an hour.

Two is the only number that gives the same answer when added to itself or multiplied by itself.

No one has ever seen God at any time. (John 1:18).

On Friday, December 13, 1929, a certain family in Kansas City was increased to thirteen members by the birth of twins, whose combined weight was thirteen pounds.

The number 12,345,679, multiplied by 27, the second number from each end, gives 333,333,333.

A steel needle will float upon water.

The oldest man, (Methuselah) that ever lived, died before his father (Enoch) did. (Genesis 5, 24, 27.)

A square contains a larger area than a rectangle of the same circumference.

Frau Alfred Zoellner, who lives in Demmin, Germany, and who is 29 years of age, is the mother of 18 children, all under the age of ten years. She gave birth to four sets of quadruplets. All the 18 children are living.

A "lead" pencil contains no lead. There are no buffaloes in the United States. The birch tree sheds its bark every year. The backbone of a camel is as straight as that of a horse. No two things in the universe are exactly alike.

Only eleven letters of the alphabet are made with curved lines; the other fifteen have straight lines only.

In 1909 Robt. M. La Follette, Senator from Wisconsin, spoke almost nineteen consecutive hours in congress, and holds the record of having made the longest speech before that body.

The Greenwood cemetery in Brooklyn, N. Y., covers four hundred acres.

Tom Thumb was a real dwarf, and lived to be forty-five years of age.

It never gets too cold to snow. Currency is not money. The true American Indian is beardless. The number 13 is not unlucky. Snakes do not go blind during "dog days." Bananas, lemons, and oranges all grow in Texas. There are several minerals heavier than lead.

**The're Always Out!**

"Are you troubled very much in your neighborhood with borrowing?"  
"Well, yes, quite a bit. Our neighbors don't seem to have anything we want."

—Those who partonize the Advertisers in their Home Paper are helping build the Community

**"I Feel Like I Have A New Life Before Me," Says Woman**

Mrs. Taylor Says She Suffered 30 Years When She Began Taking Orgatone (Argotane) —Now Feels Better in Every Way.

"I am simply feeling so improved as far as my health is concerned, that I feel like I have a new life before me, since taking Orgatone (Argotane)," said Mrs. A. E. Taylor, residing at 1904 Jackson Street, Amarillo, Texas, in her statement to the Orgatone (Argotane) representative.

"Yes sir, I am feeling like a different woman and I want everybody to know it," continued Mrs. Taylor. "I have suffered with a badly disordered stomach and constipation for thirty years and one bottle of Orgatone (Argotane) has done me more real genuine good than anything else I have ever tried. I guess I ought to know a real medicine when I have tried it as I certainly have taken enough of it in my years of illness.

"I had been suffering for so many years with a bad stomach and other troubles and my condition had become wretched. After meals gas would form and bloat me up till I would get so miserable and dizzy at times I could hardly stand on my feet. I soon lost all desire for food of any kind and the little I did eat caused me constant misery in my stomach and I lost energy and all interest in everything.

"I tried most every kind of medicine and did everything I know how to do trying to get relief, but I kept getting worse all the time.

"Orgatone (Argotane) has completely changed life around for me and I just can't find words to express my gratitude for it. I have been relieved of those terrible bloating spells and those sinking bilious attacks have left me, as well as my constipation. My appetite is better ever could and I relish my meals now and I can eat as much as I wish I could thank the maker of Orgatone (Argotane) for placing this wonderful medicine in reach of suffering people."

Genuine Orgatone (Argotane) may be bought in Dimmitt at the Dimmitt Drug Company. (Adv.)

**Long Illness Soon Ended. New Konjola**

Medicine Brings Quick and Complete Relief After Prolonged and Stubborn Illness.



Mrs. Amelia Schafener

"After taking other medicines and treatments for five years, Konjola soon relieved me," said Mrs. Amelia Schafener, 2721 Indiana avenue, St. Louis. "Stomach and liver weakness had brought my health to a state where I was about to give up. A gas formed after I ate the simplest of foods and I bloated until I was short of breath and sometimes nauseated. My liver was sluggish and I had frequent bilious attacks and terrible dizzy spells.

"I soon found that Konjola was the medicine for which I had long sought. My liver responded to this medicine almost from the first bottle. The sluggish feeling left me and I was free from bilious attacks and dizzy spells. Headaches are a thing of the past. My stomach is well and strong and I eat all that a good appetite desires without the least inconvenience of discomfort. My general health is better than it has been in years."

Konjola is sold in Dimmitt at Gunter Drug Co., and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section. (Adv.)

**Vocational**

Kittie—What does your brother do?  
Katie—He's a girl scout.  
Kittie—You mean a boy scout.  
Katie—No, he's always out scouting for girls.

**Two Sides!**

Emily—There are two sides to every question.  
Evelyn—Yes, and there are two sides to a sheet of fly paper, but it makes a difference to the fly which side he sits on.

**In Dimmitt---**  
**ONE WEEK ONLY**  
**Feb. 24 to March 1**  
**Mrs. Bobbie Hart**  
*Expert Cosmethologist and Authority on the Skin*  
**DIRECTING**  
**EDUCATIONAL**  
**BEAUTY WEEK**

—On the care of the Skin, the Art of Make-Up, the Correct use of Toiletries, and Blending Powder and Rouge to suit your individual type of skin.

**How to Avoid the Sign Post of Age!**

To the Women That Make an Appointment at Our Store Will be Given, Without Charge or Obligation—

**Skin Analysis, also French Facial**

—She will suggest the proper and correct treatment for your particular type of skin and advise you upon the latest and most charming arts of personality make-up. You are urged to avail yourself of this unusual opportunity. Teaches you how to care for your skin in the scientific manner!

To Avoid Waiting and to Make Sure of an Appointment, Phone Early!

REMEMBER—YOU ARE NOT OBLIGATED!  
Private Booth Arranged in Our Store Where These Facials Will Be Given.

**Gunter Drug Store**



Trade-mark Registered  
Sherwin-Williams Products are sold throughout the world, under this trade-mark.

**Clean Up and Paint Up**

—It will soon be house-cleaning time, and we are now prepared to take care of every want of the housewife during the Spring-Cleaning days. Our large stock of Hardware and Household Supplies and Necessities will enable you to do your work with mch ease, and when the work is completed, we can furnish you with

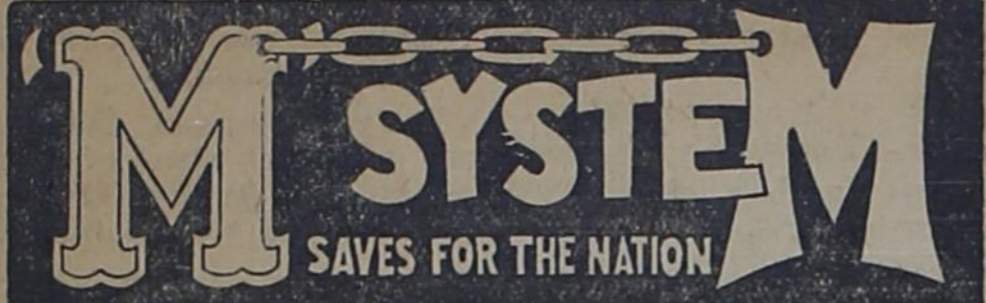
**PAINTS and VARNISHES**  
**Brushes of Every Description**  
**Latest Designs in Wall Paper**  
**---And Everything to Make the Home More Comfortable and Homelike.**

**We Will Build Your Home and then Furnish it for You!**



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DIMMITT



# SPECIALS

Saturday, Feb. 22

- EXTRACT, Per Bottle ..... **28c**
- NUCOA, Per Pound ..... **23c**
- PEACHES, No. 21-2 Can ..... **25c**
- Blackeyed PEAS, 3 Cans ..... **25c**
- PITTED DATES, 2 Boxes ..... **35c**
- SLICED CARROTS, Pr Can ..... **15c**

SEE OUR SPECIAL ON COFFEE

---Remember to Get Our Stamps or Coupons!

WE DELIVER---PHONE 123

**Ruth Wright Entertains With Slumber Party.**

Miss Ruth Wright entertained a number of her friends with a slumber party at her home last Saturday night. The guests, escorted by Messrs Talmadge Buckmaster, George Key, Elbert Newton, Greer Estes, Jack Crump and J. M. Wright, went to the hostess' home after church and the ball game, and the remainder of the evening was spent in games, after which gentlemen departed, and the following young ladies made merry the remainder of the night: Misses Evelyn Blanton, Ione Lile, Daisy Crump, Joan Barnett, Armavena Stringer and Ruth Wright.

**Priscilla Art Club Met Wednesday Afternoon.**

The Priscilla Art Club met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Stalcup, with Mesdames Carroll Gunter and Stalcup as joint hostesses. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent in needlework and social chats, after which delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Bill Webb, Delmar Neumeyer, Amy Gregory, Grace Newton, Joe Bruce, Ernest Medkief, Heny Workman, Ray Cowser, Charles Wilson, Ray Bell, Bert Huckabee, Pete Duree, Johnnie Lawson, and Louie Allen.

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# SPECIALS

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

- BANANAS, dozen ..... **25c**
- APPLES, fancy Winesap, doz. **25c**
- LEMONS, dozen ..... **37c**
- COCOANUT, lb. .... **28c**
- Peanut Butter, Quart ..... **40c**
- COFFEE, Schillings, lb. .... **48c**

We Give Chinaware Coupons With All Purchases!

**Maynard's CASH WE DELIVER GROCERY PHONE 132**

## Personal Notes

I. B. Brooks was in Plainview Monday.  
 Carlos Reynolds was in Hereford Monday afternoon.  
 N. G. Jackson of Tulia, was in Dimmitt Monday.  
 Chas. C. Burns has returned from a business trip to Dallas.  
 Miss Nola Mooney is visiting in Forest and Clovis, N. M.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Loren Reynolds of Plainview, were here Monday.  
 A. H. Hutchings transacted business in Muleshoe Tuesday.  
 Mrs. C. E. Mathis transacted business in Clovis two days last week.  
 C. T. Smith is here from Illinois, is visiting his brother, O. F. Smith, of this city.

T. B. Rose, of Clovis, and brother of Mrs. C. E. Mathis, was here Monday on business.  
 Little Irene Graham visited her aunt in Plainview over last weekend.  
 Miss Virginia Johnson visited friends and relatives in Lubbock last Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stalcup and Mrs. R. B. Boren were in Plainview Sunday afternoon.  
 Mrs. Bertha Huddleston, of Plainview, is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. F. Smith of this city.  
 Misses Maude Buckmaster, Dot Blanton and Ola Kimball, were in Amarillo last Saturday.

Miss Josephine Hardy, who is attending Texas Tech, spent last week-end with home folks.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reynolds of Hart, attended church here last Sunday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Johnson of Lubbock, spent last Sunday in this city.  
 Miss Sarah Brashears spent last week-end visiting Mrs. H. S. Hillborn, in Plainview.

Charles B. Byrnes is transacting business in Fort Worth this week.  
 C. A. Benton of Lockney, visited in the home of J. C. Benton last Friday and Saturday.  
 M. E. Simmons, of Lubbock, visited his daughter, Mrs. G. A. Barnett, here last week.

Jack Gregory returned from Lubbock Sunday, where he had been at the bedside of his wife.  
 R. B. Boren, of Lubbock, is spending the week with Mrs. Boren, and son, Jack.  
 J. H. Crump, of the Crump Medkief Motor Co., returned this week from a two weeks' visit in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Smith and son, and Mrs. C. E. Mathis and niece Loudell, were in Olton and Plainview Sunday afternoon.  
 Mrs. J. R. Gollehon and son, Noel, Mrs. Joe Gollehon and daughter, and Floyd Reynolds, visited in Amarillo last Saturday.  
 Mrs. W. A. Clark, of Lubbock, is visiting in the homes of her sisters, Mesdames W. A. Wright and R. B. Boren.  
 Miss Jewel Hahn and Mrs. Jim Coulter of Bowie, are visiting their father and family, J. T. Hahn, this week.

Little Billy Jean Sullivan, 1 year old, of Turkey, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. C. Benton, in this city.  
 T. A. Singer of the West Texas Telephone Company, transacted business in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday.

Mesdames Etta Brashears and Dewey Wright were in Hereford Friday of last week. Mrs. Jack Wright returned with them and visited in the home of Mrs. J. R. Hastings.

## Home Laundry Installs New and Modern Machine

Mrs. O. F. Smith, who has been operating a home laundry in this city, has built up a trade that has necessitated the installation of additional and more modern machinery.  
 In this issue of the News she announces the installation of a new mangle machine, and other added facilities enables her to take care of all the work that this city can furnish.  
 She is located on North Ninth Street, three blocks west of the court house, and three blocks north, the last house on the left, near the Hereford Highway.  
 She solicits the business of Dimmitt citizens, and guarantees all work.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore of San Angelo, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, in this city.

Mail us remittance with your order today before our bargain offers are exhausted.—HEREFORD NURSERY.—Adv.  
 W. S. Parks in in Lubbock visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jack Gregory, who recently underwent an operation in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tate and daughter, Miss Lorene, of Fargoc, Oklahoma, arrived in Dimmitt last week for a visit with relatives and friends.  
 Mrs. John Burson, of Silverton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Carroll Gunter, Tuesday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Bland Burson, also of Silverton.

Mrs. S. P. Crawford was called to Happy this week on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. John Burgess.  
 Mrs. C. C. Reynolds of Hart, and her daughters, Miss Christine and Mrs. E. S. Umberson and S. C. Huckabay, of this city, left Tuesday for Roswell, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Dirah Elmore.

# STAR THEATRE

Hereford, - Texas

FRIDAY, February 21

GEORGE JESSELL in **LOVE, LIVE AND LAUGH** All-Talking!

Saturday Only February 22

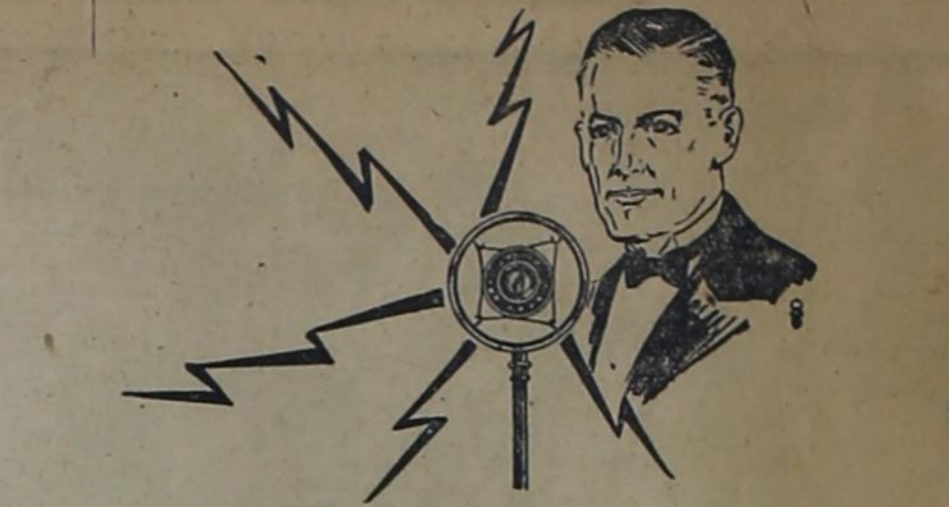
JOSEPH SCHILDCROUT in **THE NIGHT RIDE** All-Talking!

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday **3 BIG DAYS 3**

THE GREATEST TALKING PICTURE EVER PRODUCED! **"RIO-RITA"**

We are running Matinee each day so as to give all a chance to see this Picture.

10c Matinee 40c  
 15c Night 50c  
 Three Hours of Real Amusement!



## A Bargain Broadcast! Listen In!

MEN'S and BOYS' Spring Underwear

MEN'S RAYON UNIONS--- **\$1.50**

MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHORTS ---in many Pretty Colors and Stripes; Fast Colors **50c and 75c**

BOYS' UNIONS In All Sizes 6 to 14 REAL VALUES— **50c**

Boys' Broadcloth SHORTS FAST COLORS Sizes 8 to 14 **50c**

MEN'S RAYON Undershirts All Sizes GOOD QUALITY— **85c**

MEN'S ATHLETIC UNIONS Best of Material No-Rip— **\$1.00**

BOYS' COTTON Undershirts Sizes 8 to 14 REAL BALUES— **39c**

MEN'S COTTON Undershirts EXTRA QUALITY— **50c**

# Carter-Houston DRY GOODS COMPANY

DIMMITT, TEXAS

**W. M. S. Met At Church Monday Afternoon.**

The W. M. S. met at the Baptist Church on Monday afternoon, with eleven members present. No lesson was rendered, as the ladies spent most of the afternoon in planning the dinner for the Workers' Conference, held all day Thursday at the church. Future benevolence work was also discussed. After the meeting several members visited new residents of the city and surrounding community and invited them to attend the revival, now in progress.

**SUBJECT FOR SERVICES AT CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Rev. H. Earl Smith, pastor of the Church of Christ of this city, announces the following subjects for his services next Sunday: Morning, "Christian Worship" Evening, "Gospel in Prophecy" The public is invited to these services.

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**NATIONAL TAILORS IN DIMMITT THIS WEEK**

The National Tailoring Company, with a house in Amarillo, serving this territory, announce in this issue of the News that they will be at the Parker Tailor Shop in this city on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. They announce two suits for the price of one, being offered for \$39.50.

These suits are made of the best grade woollens, a fit guaranteed, and all cloths absolutely hand-tailored in their large shop at Amarillo.

To assure the people that they are not putting out inferior goods, as is sometimes the case in sales of this kind, they invite their patrons to visit their shop and see their own suit made, if they desire. Two-day service is promised.

Alyne C.—Miss Good, do you know how to make a tennis net? Miss G.—No, how is it done? A. C.—Take a lot of little holes and tie them together with string.

You Are Invited To Visit With Us

LATEST STYLES IN New Spring Hats, Dresses and Novelties

**HEIFNER HAT SHOP** Mrs. Margaret Heifner, Prop.

Star Theatre Building Hereford