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## Castro County Harvesting Bumper Crop Yields

EDITOR'S NOTE—The following story, the pictures and the cut lines on this page are published in the News through the courtesy of the Amarillo Times, in which this material appeared as a feature article Sunday, October 23.

If there yet lives any person on the high plains who doubts that bountiful crops can be raised around this neck of the woods, he or she should pay a visit right now to Castro County and contact County Agent Raymond King who can show them crops that will amaze them.

For Dimmitt and Castro County remind one of the fabled "Garden of Eden" of Old Testament times, the crops are so lush and

bountiful. What looks like the best corn production record in the history of the Lone Star State is a 20-acre field soon to be harvested by B. Vaughn, veteran farmer living on the highway eight miles north of Dimmitt. Mr. Vaughn, who came to Castro County five years ago from Roswell, N. M., has a field of hybrid Yellow Dent No. 12 corn which he says will produce "better than 130 bushels to the acre." The stalks are 10 to 12 feet in height in average 38-inch rows. It is in irrigated territory, with a good well on the upper northwest corner. "I had three acres last year that yielded 130 bushels to the



That phenomenal corn on the B. Vaughn farm, eight miles north of Dimmitt. Mr. Vaughn has several ears of the fine hybrid Yellow Dent variety in his hands. Height of the stalks can be seen at right of picture. Vaughn estimates it will produce over 130 bushels to the acre.

acre and this is better corn," he told the editor of the Southwest Plainsman one day this month. Incidentally, Mr. Vaughn refused an offer of \$175 an acre for his farm a few days ago. This includes pasture land that is not irrigatable.

Dilmond Neumayer of Dimmitt has a farm a mile east of the Vaughn farm. He is harvesting a feed crop this month off one 40-acre tract that produced fifty bushels of wheat per acre earlier this year. He has a ten-inch irrigation well that runs 2,200 per minute adjacent to this farm. He raised alfalfa three years on the same tract, then broke the land 10 inches deep before he drilled the wheat in. He has 320 acres in the place.

"One day during the wheat harvest, we combined 5,000 bushels of wheat from 10 a. m. until night with the use of three combines, two of them big ones," recalled Neumayer. "There are six wells in this area and we can run water on the four sections in any direction when we want to use it, the land is so level here."

Dayton Chisholm, a farmer in the Frio community of Castro County, the northwest corner, has specialized in certified feed, including separate fields of Plainsman maize, Martin maize and Early Hegari. Crops never looked better anywhere than they do on the Chisholm farm.

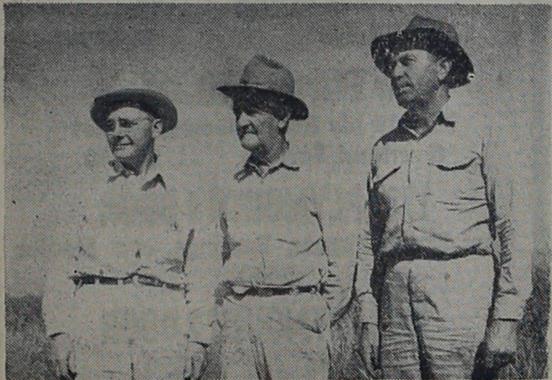
Down the highway, toward Dimmitt, Martin Fulcher has 13 registered head of the Brown Swiss dairy cattle and operates a Grade-A dairy. He exhibited some of them at the Tri-State Fair. His herd bull, Foxwood-Herman, 25 months old, came from the Foxwood farm in Illinois about a year ago. This dairy is on the E. B. Wright farm.

Lettuce is also grown in Castro County there being 300 acres this year. The county is also already famous for its fine cantaloupes and watermelons.

"We have 850 irrigation wells in the county now," says County Agent King. "Over 200 of them were drilled in the last two years and there will be more in the next two years since water is found around 60 feet down."

But Castro County is famous in another way. It has more boys and girls in club work than any other county in West Texas. Some 18 boys sent 44 prize pigs and lambs to the Dallas State Fair last week. About nine of the boys went down with the county agent last week-end to attend the fair. Castro County's club members have won several trips to the International 4-H Club Congress in Chicago. John Bridges, 14-year-old club member from Hart, is a candidate for the Santa Fe trip this year.

The town of Dimmitt is growing apace with the county, there being several fine new churches added this year as well as many new business houses.



Left to right, County Agent King, B. Vaughn and Delmond Neumayer meet on the Vaughn farm north of Dimmitt to survey the crops, including that unusual corn field. Neumayer and Vaughn are neighbors.



Some of that Early Hegari crop on the Delmond Neumayer farm in Castro County, with Neumayer at the left and County Agent King at his right. Delmond says it will be the best in history.



John Bridges, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bridges of the Hart School district in Castro County, and two of his Southdown sheep. John has one of the best records in club work in Texas, showing a total income from his livestock and crops of \$12,692.69 in four years' time. He is in the ninth grade in Hart High school and his adult leader is Rodney Smith. He has entered his record for competition in the Santa Fe contest for a trip to Chicago in December. He was in the State Fair with some of his lambs and two beef calves. He has exhibited his stock at Fort Worth and Amarillo Fat Stock shows as well as at county fairs.

### Earl Hembree Is One of 18 Texans To Receive IOOF Honors

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hembree went to Brownwood Saturday where Mr. Hembree was one of thirteen Texas IOOF members to receive high honors of the organization Sunday.

The Grand Encampment of Texas Odd Fellows, Patriarchs Militant and Ladies Auxiliary PM, convened Sunday at Memorial Hall in Brownwood with 372 registered delegates and visitors.

Decorations of chivalry, the highest honorary degree of Odd Fellowship, given for special service over and above the line of duty and obligation—a degree always conferred and never bought—were presented to 13 Texans by a mixed team from Dallas and Tyler under the direction of Major General E. N. Paslay, assisted by Grand Master C. M. Laughlin of Tyler and some 200 ladies and chevaliers from over the state to the following:

Mrs. Lillie Mahan, Denison; Mrs. Donnie L. Ward, Donna; Howard E. Elliott, Amarillo; Mrs. Laura Hix, Houston; Mrs. Allie Rodieck, Tyler; Mrs. Genevieve Thorndike, Taylor; Mrs. Beulah Payne, Tyler; D. M. Spector, Borger; Tommie Wright, Dallas; John M. Gernetz, Donna; Earl F. Hembree, Dimmitt; J. L. Anderson, Mineola.

### Stolen Truck Is Recovered At Levelland

A 1945 Model Ford truck, stolen from Homer Herring on August 28, was recovered Saturday night by Castro County Sheriff Houston Fowlkes, at Levelland. A transient laborer, Jerry Gaiter, who had been employed by Herring during the summer, had been using the truck in farming operations. Gaiter and the truck disappeared on August 28. Investigations were fruitless until Jerry Moore, a companion of Gaiter, was located at San Angelo last week. Sheriff Fowlkes went to San Angelo to question Moore about the disappearance of the truck, and according to Moore's statement the two men parked the truck in Levelland after driving it from Dimmitt. Acting on information supplied by Moore the sheriff returned to Levelland and found the truck across the street from the Jennings apartments, where it had been parked for the past month. Moore was returned to Dimmitt and is lodged in the County Jail.

### 4-H Club Boys Place At State Fair

Total of six lambs, 33 pigs and one calf was exhibited at the State Fair at Dallas last week during the Junior Livestock show. Winnings included the Champion Chester White pig and Champion pen shown by Dennis Acker, Reserve Champion Chester White barrow shown by John Bridges Chester White light pen of 3 shown by David Acker, 8th place Light barrow shown by David Acker, 2nd place Chester White barrow shown by Stanley Henderson, 4th medium wt. and 7th place heavy wt. Chester White barrow shown by Jack Acker 10th place light Duroc shown by Floyd Schulte, 10th place medium Duroc and 27th and 28th place medium Duroc barrows shown by Gilbert Schulte, 4th place medium Hampshire barrow and 1st place heavy pen and 12th place Heavy Poland China barrow shown by Luke Acker.

Fifteen ribbons and two champion banners were won by the Castro County 4-H Club boys. Bobby Warren Dimmitt F. F. A. boy exhibited the 2nd place Light Duroc pen of 3 and 2nd and 7th place Heavy Poland China Barrows.

During the last two days of his tour, Mr. Cleavenger visited the two huge John Deere tractor factories at Dubuque and Waterloo, Ia., which employ about 9,000 persons. At these factories he saw production of the various general-purpose, standard-tread, crawler-type, and diesel tractors which comprise the extensive John Deere tractor line. He was particularly impressed by seeing John Deere Tractors "coming to life" and being driven away under their own power at the ends of the modern assembly lines.

### Three Castro County Men Register in Sept.

Franklin Latimer, member of Selective Service Local Board No. 18, was notified this week by the Board Clerk, Mrs. Eunice Peterson, that three Castro County men had registered during the month of September. They are: Lewis D. Lacy, Hart; Henry J. Hance, Dimmitt; John S. Birkenfeld, Nazareth.

Mrs. E. S. Ireland of Hereford was here Wednesday for a visit in the home of Mrs. Bill Graham.

### Local Scouts Attend Council-Wide Round-up

The Dimmitt Boy Scout troop, accompanied by their scoutmaster Lewis Ellison and Mr. Ted Wood, attended the council wide Round-Up for all Boy Scouts and their leaders during Texas Tech Scout Day Saturday at Lubbock. Scouts troops from all over the council camped Friday night on Tech campus, and Saturday morning went on tour of the college. Saturday afternoon they saw Tech defeat Arizona in a football game. Scoutmaster Ellison declared that Texas Tech Scout Day will be an annual affair for scouts of this council.

Dimmitt scouts making the trip to Lubbock were: Elmo Blackwell, Wayne Brown, John Gilbreath, Bennie Gollehon, Jack Jones, David Adams, Wayne Newton, Troy Gene Stafford, Edwin Cartwright, Gerald Alldredge, Richard Wood, David Burkett, Jerry Dale Noble, Fay Wayne Murphy, Jerry Vandiver, Clarence Rogers, and Jimmy Ellison.

### Local Dealer Attends John Deere Meeting In Illinois

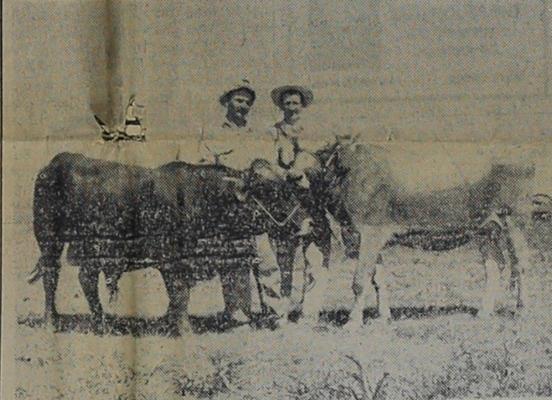
Precision engineering, scientific quality control, and modern production methods that would do credit to the finest factories in the world are used in the manufacture of John Deere farm implements, according to Norman Cleavenger of C & S Equipment Co. of this community, who returned Sunday from a five-day tour of John Deere plants in western Illinois and eastern Iowa. These controls and methods not only contribute to the outstanding quality of John Deere farm implements, said Mr. Cleavenger, but are to a large degree responsible for the fact that John Deere products have not increased in cost as much as most other lines of "hard" goods since the war.

The first three days of Mr. Cleavenger's tour were spent in Moline and East Moline, Ill., where five of the sixteen John Deere manufacturing plants are located. In Moline, Mr. Cleavenger saw the John Deere Plow Works, established more than 100 years ago and "home" of world-famous John Deere disk tillers and John Deere Truss-Framed moldboard plows; the John Deere Wagon Works, where rubber-tired wagons, beet and bean tools, stalk cutters, and crop dusters are made, and the John Deere Planter Works, largest corn planter factory in the world, which—among other implements—produces corn planters with 60-acre daily capacity. In Moline Mr. Cleavenger also saw the John Deere testing and research laboratories, where highly-trained specialists are employed in never-ending search for new ways to improve John Deere implements.

In East Moline, Mr. Cleavenger visited the John Deere Harvester Works and John Deere Spreader Works. The Harvester Works, with 55 acres under one roof and more than 3,000 employees, manufactures large and small combines, mowers, threshers, and other implements. The Spreader Works makes manure spreaders and loaders, cotton harvesters, hammer and roughage mills, corn shellers, and grain elevators.

Several other John Deere dealers from this general area made the trip with Mr. Cleavenger. In addition to the factory tour, they met with representatives John Deere factories in Des Moines, Ia., Ottumwa, Ia., and Horicon, Wis., in order to secure a well-rounded picture of John Deere plans for the coming year, and also were guests at several luncheons and dinners attended by key personnel of Deere & Co. and various John Deere factories.

Mr. B. A. Fuller is at a health resort in Excelsior Springs, Mo.



Martin Fulcher and Ike Winkle with two of the registered herd of Brown Swiss cattle on the Fulcher dairy farm six miles north of Dimmitt.



Some of that certified Plainsman maize on the Dayton Chisholm farm in the Frio community, in Castro County, with County Agent King examining some of the heads.

### John Bagwell In Serious Condition, Brain Hemorrhage

Mr. John Bagwell of Greenwood, Arkansas, is in a serious condition in the Plains Memorial Hospital following a brain hemorrhage suffered Tuesday at 4:00 p. m., at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tate, in Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Bagwell came to Dimmitt to be with her brother, Mr. Jewell Tate, who is critically ill. They are former Dimmitt residents.

### BAND BOOSTER CLUB TO MEET TUE. NIGHT

The Dimmitt Band Boosters Club will meet at the Band House 8:00 p. m. Tuesday, November 1.

Every interested person is urged to be on hand. Membership is not limited to persons who have children in the band.

Mrs. Luther E. Smithson of Alamogorda, N. M., is receiving medical treatment at the Plains Memorial Hospital. She was visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smithson when she became ill.

### 4-H Club Boys to Buy Club Calves

To stress the commercial calf feeding program in the county 30 head of weanling size steer calves will be delivered to 4-H Club boys Saturday, October 29th. The calves will be fed from now until April and will be shown in the local shows and marketed at Amarillo or some other commercial market.

The calves were bought from Mr. Chester Burnett of Vigo Park, Texas, and will be delivered to the stock yards at Dimmitt about 1:30 p. m. Saturday.

Boys who will feed the calves and the number they plan to feed are as follows: Teddie Joe Robb 2, Don Robb 1, Donnie Ray Brock 2, Gale Sadler 3, Denis Acker 3, David Acker 3, George Frye 1, Wesley Sharp 5, Jack Sharp 3, Danny Chisholm 1, Gene Lewis 2, Zay Gilbreath 1, Don Sheffy 1, and Jack Dyer 2.

### CORRECTION

An error appeared in the W. S. Dixon Golden Wedding Anniversary story in last week's issue of the News. In the story the statement was made that Mr. Dixon was born in 1886, a twenty year mistake. Mr. Dixon was born September 30, 1866.

# Nazareth News

(Julene Heiman, Correspondent)  
 Open House Held In Nazareth Church  
 Open House was held in the new church of Holy Family Par-

ish during the entire afternoon of Sunday, October 23.

The last Mass, the early Mass of the Sunday morning, was said in the old church by the pastor, the Very Rev. G. A. Boeckman. The singing during this Mass was the accompaniment of the little

old organ that has been in the church for so many years. The service was as sad as was the weather which was gray and bleak.

There was an entirely different spirit prevalent among the huge crowd that attended the second Mass at ten o'clock. This service was held in the beautiful new church—the first to be held there. The ringing of the "St. Gregory" bell called the congregation to the High Mass which was also read by Father Boeckman. The choir sang joyful music for the occasion to the accompaniment of the new organ which was played by Miss Bobbie Hafernik.

During the open-house session of the afternoon a number of out-of-town guests were seen among the large crowd of parishioners that visited. Among these guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Litsch and son, James, of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Gerber, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Skidmore, Elizabeth Rickwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Podzemny, Mrs. Bernard Kleman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gerber, Mrs. Matt Gerber, Sr., all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman and son, Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerber of Umbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing of Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Walt Warren and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wagner of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Stork and daughters, Viola and Lola Jean, returned recently from a business trip to Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper and family and Miss Roberta Bowers left October 24 for Kansas where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowers and family.

Kenneth and Floyd Acker spent the week-end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ack-

er. They are attending Texas Tech.

A party was held for some of the younger set on October 23 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birkenfeld in honor of their sons, Herman and Edgar.

A social will be held on Sunday, October 30, by St. Joseph's Society. All members, their wives, and lady friends are invited.

**Check Peach Trees for Borers**  
 COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 24—Peach tree borers have appeared in many trees in commercial orchards during recent weeks, says J. F. Rosborough, extension horticulturist of Texas A. & M. College, and now is the time to bring them under control.

He says ethylene dichloride emulsion used now will give quick and effective control. Clear the trash away from the base of the tree, and make a small trench in the soil about two inches from the trunk and make the application. For one year old trees use one eighth pint; two year trees use one fourth pint and for trees three years of age or older use one half pint per tree.

The use of paradichlorobenzene crystals is an old method which has given good results, but, Rosborough says, wait until the weather cools off before using it. Clear the trash away from the base of the tree for a distance of from four to six inches, and then distribute the crystals evenly in a narrow, continuous, circular band an inch wide and on the soil about two inches from the tree trunk.

Do not allow the paradichlorobenzene to come into contact with the body of the tree, warns Rosborough. Pull the soil over the ring of chemical band to form a cone about three inches deep and pack the soil to hold the gas around the bark of the tree. The soil cone should be removed about six weeks after the date of the treatment.

### TEACHER CALLED HOME BY DEATH OF MOTHER

Sister Gregory, teacher of the seventh and eighth grades in Nazareth, was called home by the death of her mother on October 23. Sister's mother, Mrs. Kehres, had been ill for some time, mostly because of her great age. Her home was in Subiaco, Arkansas, and it was there that Sister Gregory had gone to see her mother just a few weeks ago. However, she had come back to take care of her classes and so was not with her mother at the time of her death. The funeral took place October 25th. Mrs. Joseph Birkenfeld relieved Sister Gregory in her classroom during the time of her absence.

### LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 TO: G. L. Burk and his wife, if ever married, Mrs. G. L. Burk, and if deceased, the heirs, unknown heirs and legal representatives of G. L. Burk and Mrs. G. L. Burk; J. L. Denham and wife, S. A. Denham, and if deceased, the heirs and unknown heirs and legal representatives of J. S. Denham and wife, S. A. Denham; J. K. Scott and if ever married, Mrs. J. K. Scott, and if deceased, the heirs, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of J. K. Scott and Mrs. J. K. Scott. Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 64th Judicial District of Castro County at the Court House thereof, in Dimmitt, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 5th day of December A. D. 1949, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 17th day of October A. D. 1949, in this cause, numbered 2002 on the docket of said court and styled J. G. Davis, Sr. Plaintiff, vs. The above parties to whom this notice is addressed Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Plaintiff sues for the title and possession of all of Lot No. 2, Block 106 and Lot No. 5, Block 133 of the Town of Dimmitt, Castro County, Texas, in trespass to try title and to remove the cloud from title and alleging that the defendants have dispossessed plaintiff therefrom, and the plaintiff claiming said title by reason of the 3, 5, 10, and 25 years Statutes of Limitation of the State of Texas, and plaintiff asks for judgment divesting the defendants of the right and title to the above described property and investing the same in plaintiff and that plaintiff be quieted in his title, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Dimmitt, Texas this 17th day of October A. D. 1949.

Attest:  
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## BETHEL NEWS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Dimmitt Circuit held their regular meeting at the Big Square Church on October 18th, with ten members and three visitors present. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Wes Anthony on November 1, and the program will be another lesson from the Mission Study Book "Japan Begins Again".

Grace Louise and Lloyd Lust students at Texas Tech, spent the week-end with home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Warren and baby daughter, Joylyn, of Monte Vista, Colorado, were visitors in the R. M. Warren home Sunday.

Ona Lee Lamb spent Monday night with Marlene Rothwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust were hosts at dinner Sunday honoring the birthdays of Vern Lust (Oct. 21) and Mrs. Vern Lust (Oct. 23). Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lust and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford and Bob, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Settle and Mary, Loy Dean Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust, Grace Louise and Glenn.

Mr. Chester Wright of Los Angeles, was a visitor in the Harry Rothwell home Wednesday.

Mr. Jack Flint suffered a broken arm in a fall while working in his granary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cox and Mary Ann visited in the home of Mrs. Cox's aunt, Mrs. Coleman, at Happy Sunday.

Lloyd Lust and Mrs. M. B. Settle and Mary attended the Home Coming at West Texas State College at Canyon on Saturday.

Visitors in the Vernon Williams home over the week-end were Mrs. William's brother, Delmar Gregory, and her cousin, J. C. Landrum.

The Dimmitt Circuit W. S. C. S. met with the Dimmitt Society Monday in observance of the Week of Prayer program. Those from Bethel who attended were Messdames Kay Roberts, Vern Lust and Earl Lust.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Duke and son of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wallace were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Youts returned home Tuesday from Shawnee, Okla., where they had been visiting his mother, and other relatives. Mrs. Youts, who has been ill, is reported as improving satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Phillips and children of Carlsbad, N. M., were last week end visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard. They are former residents of Dimmitt.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Woodburn and M. R. Woodburn last week were Mr. Frank Woodburn of California and Mrs. Leota Squires of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Woodburn visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stovall and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Watson at Clovis, N. M. Saturday night.

The Dimmitt Garden Club met for their regular meeting in the District Courtroom, Tuesday October 25, at 3 p. m. Mrs. B. J. Brannan presided in the absence of Mrs. Joe Benson, president.

The program for the October meeting was presented to the club by four members of the Rose Society of Amarillo. They were: Mrs. B. C. Elliott, retiring president of the Rose Society, who spoke on location of roses, preparation of soil, and selection of roses. Mrs. Glenn Mercer, gave discussion on how to root rose cuttings. Mrs. J. S. Bush reviewed the reasons why she used patent-

ed roses in her rose garden. Mrs. Roy Bechtal commented upon the use of non-patented rose for garden use.

rains set in. Allen says that nails in metal roofs will become loose in hot weather and may even come out and he suggests that you check the nails. A coat of asphalt roofing cement will usually take care of the leaks in the roof that have resulted from cracks or small holes.

### PREPARE THE HOME FOR WINTER

College Station, October 24—The next few weeks are the time to do those maintenance and repair jobs around the home and farmstead. Old man winter will soon be here. W. S. Allen, extension agricultural engineer—buildings, Texas A. & M. College, suggests a few for starters, here they are.

Check the floor furnace burners, controls and plumbing before you light it, says Allen, to make sure there is no escaping gas to cause explosions. Do the same thing on other gas heaters and it is a good idea to vent them. Vents will eliminate the problem of moisture condensing on the walls. Check the fireplace and chimney for loose mortar or cracks and if repairs are needed, make them before the first fire is started.

If you plan to add insulation to make the house warmer this winter, now is the time. Insulation, properly installed, will cut your fuel bills come winter, says Allen.

Better give the roof the once over and if repairs are needed, make them before the winter

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- 1/2 cup shortening
  - 1 cup sugar
  - 1 egg
  - 1 cup smooth, unsweetened applesauce
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  - 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
  - 2 teaspoons baking powder
  - 1/2 teaspoon salt
  - 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
  - 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
  - 1/2 teaspoon cloves
- Nuts and dates or raisins may be added, if desired.
- Cream shortening, sugar and spices together. Add the beaten egg, then the applesauce. Sift flour with soda, salt and baking powder and add to the liquid mixture. Beat well, then add nuts and dates (if desired) and beat well into dough mixture. Pour into a greased pan, preferably 9x9x2 inches in size. Bake in a moderate oven (325 to 350 F.) for 40 to 45 minutes.

## VOTE FOR HAROLD M. LAFONT

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

SCHOOLS—Taught five years in Public Schools. County Judge of Hale County six years and closely in touch with Public Schools.



FARMERS: Living on a farm and having the interests that a country lawyer generally accumulates, knows the farmers' problems. I am a member of the Hale County Farm Bureau and otherwise try to keep abreast of the farm situation.

ROADS: Serving as County Judge, familiar with the highway needs of this area and know how to cooperate with highway building agencies. Former president of Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association. Member Texas Rural Roads Association. Our school situation demands more paved rural roads for this area.

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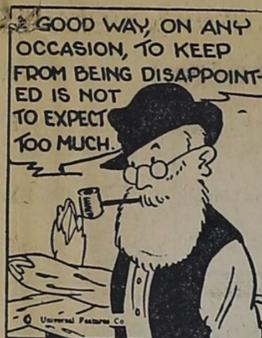
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**SPORTS AFIELD**

A pronounced feeling of pessimism about the future of public gunning followed reports for the 1948 season which showed more game law violations than in any previous year. More arrests, more convictions; more killing beyond bag limits or out

of season; more illegal sales of game; more incidents of damaged property and slain livestock; more protests from farmers; more of everything that was wrong with hunting.  
This rise in law breaking and generally irresponsible behavior has set many people to asking

"How much longer can public hunting continue at this rate?" Do these events foreshadow an approach to the English system under which the average citizen cannot buy a license, get a gun and go hunting?

Outdoor Writer Bill Wolf reports that there is a pronounced trend toward some form of private hunting here, and it is due to lawlessness and bad field sportsmanship as much as any other cause. More and more hunters are joining or forming private clubs which own or lease anywhere from a few to many thousands of acres. More and more landowners are signing off their grounds and allowing only their friends or paying guests to shoot over them.

Under today's conditions, public hunting is largely dependent upon the landowner's tolerance of hunters, and upon the hunter's license money. It's really a cooperative enterprise, but the farmers' tolerance is wearing thin due to discourtesies and vandalism, and the supply of game is wearing out due partly to illegal hunting on the part of both landowner and hunters.

If the recent rapid trend in many states toward more posted land and less game continues unchecked, hunting will collapse. Few persons realize that the end of public hunting could mean the virtual end of game species since only hunters, today at least, are sufficiently interested to spend cash to see that game survives.

Hunting violations persist in the face of increasingly intense enforcement of laws. Despite game men's vigilance, many offenders go unpunished and help wreck hunting for law-abiding gunners.

But worst offender of all is public apathy. Once the average hunter realizes that his own sport is heavily at stake, he probably won't blind his eyes to other hunters' violations and bad conduct. Once the general public realizes that \$2 billion worth of its business is threatened, it will cease smiling indulgently over its neighbors' boasts of outwitting the game agents or putting that officious hayseed of a farmer in his place.

**BAPTIST W.M.S.**

Mrs. Hobart McManigal of Happy taught "Things We 'Should Know'" to members of the Baptist W.M.S. Tuesday Oct. 25 at the Baptist church.

The plan of work for the new year was discussed by chairman of standing committees.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour. The Jessie Glass circle was hostess. There were about 35 women present. A special guest was Mrs. Selvidge of Happy.

Members of the W.M.S. will meet at the church Monday Oct. 31 at 2:30 for a get acquainted social.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**

**Patients Dismissed:**

Larry Allen  
Mrs. W. R. Metcalf  
Mr. T. J. Maples  
Mr. R. L. English  
Mr. Nolan Bull  
Mr. S. D. Jackson  
Mrs. Dan Allen  
Gayle Buckmaster  
Mrs. Luther Smithson (surgical)

Pat Tate  
Mrs. Arnold Brockman and baby boy born Oct. 23, 1949

**Patients in Hospital:**

Mrs. F. J. Brockman  
Mrs. C. J. Mapes  
Mr. John Bagwell  
Mr. E. M. Allen  
Mrs. C. E. Burch and baby boy born Oct. 24, 1949  
Mrs. Kent Birdwell and baby girl born Oct. 24, 1949  
Mrs. J. C. Cartwright and baby boy born Oct. 24, 1949  
Jacala Chism (surgical)  
Mrs. M. F. Sanders

**RECENT BRIDE HONORED WITH SHOWER**

Mrs. Jimmie George, a recent bride, was honoree at a shower given in the home of Mrs. Elmer Youts Oct. 14.

Guests were received by Mrs. Darrell Kenmore who presented them to the honoree, Mrs. C. W. George, and Mrs. Elmer Youts. The tea table was laid with a Madeira cloth and centered with a lovely arrangement of roses. Tea was poured from a silver service by Mrs. Bob Mooney.

Beth Hance registered approximately thirty-five guests in the guest book.

Gifts were displayed throughout the entertaining rooms.

Hostesses were Mesdames Elmer Youts, L. A. Gladden, Lester Dowell, Elvis Burch, Bob Mooney, Darrell Kenmore.

**MISS MARY JEAN WEBB COMPLIMENTED WITH SHOWER**

Miss Mary Jean Webb, who will marry H. Floyd Copeland of Gainesville, October 29th in the First Methodist Church, was honored with a tea shower in the home of Mrs. Raymond Wilson, Thursday, October 20.

Guests were received by Mrs. Wilson who presented them to the honoree's mother, Mrs. George Webb, the honoree, Mesdames Alan Webb and John Blaine sister-in-law and aunt of the honoree.

The table was laid with appointments of silver on the mahogany table. The bride-elect's chosen colors of blush and plum were carried out in the centerpiece of blush astors and stock surrounded by plum melin and going from the flowers to the silver candelabra were silver wedding bells centered with plum satin and one small blush flower.

Mrs. Harold Stephens presided at the guest book where more than fifty guests registered.

Mesdames A. J. Kemp, Jr., and Joe D. Bailes poured coffee during the afternoon from the silver service.

Flowers in the bride-elect's colors decorated the entertaining rooms where the gifts were displayed.

Hostesses were Mesdames Raymond Wilson, L. A. Womack, Harold Stephens, Perry Graham, A. J. Kemp, Jr., Bill Graham, Ted Sheffy, Roy Cluck, Noel Gollehon, W. E. Kirkpatrick and Joe D. Bailes.

**ONE DOZEN CLUB**

The One Dozen Sewing Club enjoyed a covered dish luncheon to honor Rena Cates birthday in her home Monday, October 17. Six of the members attended the luncheon. Mesdames Sally Howell, Lorena Curtis, Oleoda Hance, Doris Lust, Leola Truelock, Nina McLain and the honoree, Beral Hance and Fannie Blanton came in the afternoon.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mrs. Mack McLain honored her husband with a surprise birthday party Monday night October 24. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Curtis and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howell and Paula Kay and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill, Jr. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served after several games of 42 and bridge were enjoyed.

Guests in the B. A. Fuller home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hix of Hobbs, N. M., brother of Mrs. Fuller; Mrs. J. H. Pritchard of Fort Worth, sister of Mrs. Fuller; Mrs. Roy Hickman of Morton, daughter, and Dub Parks, grandson, of Texas Tech, Lubbock. Mrs. Pritchard is making an extended visit.

**JUMBO H. D. CLUB**

The Jumbo Home Demonstration club met Thursday, October 20, in the home of Mrs. Clancey Wortham. After a short business meeting conducted by Mrs. Fred Axe, president, a very interesting discussion of "Holiday Entertainments" was conducted by Mrs. Glen May.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following club members: Mesdames Fred Axe, E. V. Smith, Foy Clowdus, M. L. Simpson, Sr., Glen May, Howard Bishop, Sam Maynard, F. A. May, J. W. Duncan, and L. A. Matthews by the hostess.

The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Glen May, and the program will be on "Christmas Gifts We Can Make," on November 3.

Jimmie Snipes and Money Wilkinson are in Arizona for a deer hunt.

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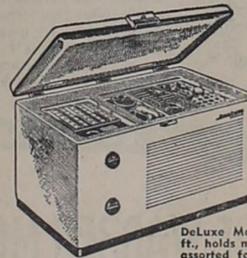
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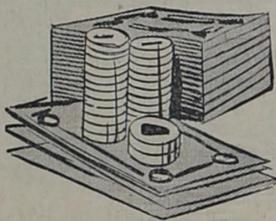
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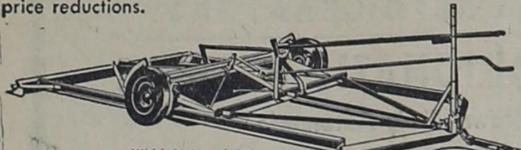
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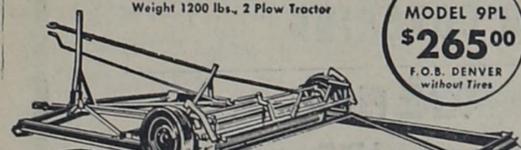
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Mrs. J. J. Newsom and family.

Mr. Urban Hamilton and son and Mr. Leon Jones of Lindsay, Oklahoma were here on Tuesday looking for land to buy. They spent the night with their friends the Jack Bradley family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones and children of Plainview spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edd Harris.

Bobby Edd Brooks and Dean Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins and son attended the home coming at W.T.S.C. in Canyon on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Perry and daughter of Denver were here Thursday visiting friends and looking after farming interests.

Mrs. B. K. Neal and sons, Ben and Greg, and Mrs. A. L. Hawkins of Tulsa spent Thursday in the W. A. Hawkins, Sr. home.

Mrs. C. B. Patterson and Mrs. Byron Bennett were shopping in Plainview on Monday.

Mrs. Ernest Martin was able to return home from Plainview Clinic on Monday after spending a few days there receiving medical attention.

Mrs. Homer Bradley of Plainview spent Thursday night in the home of her son, Jack Bradley, and family.

Dean Sanders of Texas Tech spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Sanders. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas and children, Troy and Sissy Honea spent Sunday in Dimmitt where they helped his mother, Mrs. Floyd Thomas, celebrate her birthday.

Henry Connelly is here from Montana to spend the winter, he says it had already snowed up there and that he always leaves with the coming of the first snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dellis and daughters, Charlene and Wanda, left on Friday for their home in San Diego, California, after visiting in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Dellis of Abilene visited a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Height.

Misses Patsi and Antoinette Bauman, Erma Glenn Hacker and Jane Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hacker, Joe Bauman, and Joe Ray Warren drove to Camp Haynes for an outing on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Lane was honored



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with a pink and blue shower on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Pepper Martin. Assisting Mrs. Martin as hostesses were Mesdames Vida Jackson, Jack Bradley, Robert Brooks, and De-ward Armstrong.

Mrs. Chas. Sanders and Mrs. O. D. Dinwiddie were in Lubbock on Tuesday on business.

Hart received more than half an inch of rain in a slow fall starting Saturday afternoon and continuing through Sunday night. This moisture completely halted the large grain and cotton harvest. It was a decided benefit to wheat and grass crops, however.

### Mr. and Mrs. Jim Height Observe 25th Wedding Anniversary

Mrs. Chas. Taylor, assisted by Mesdames Ralph Futrell, Glen Reid, and Byron Bennett, held open house in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Height of Hart from two to six p. m. Sunday, October 23, honoring them on their twenty-fifth anniversary.

A host of friends and neighbors of Hart presented Mr. and Mrs. Height with a silver coffee and tea service. Mr. Height gave his wife a set of sterling silver in a service for eight, by Wallace. Other lovely gifts in silver were received by the honored couple. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ritchie, Sr., of Vernon sent an original floral painting by Mrs. Bonnie Miller of Lubbock.

Despite the rainy day, many friends called and were served refreshments from the lace covered dining table centered with white chrysanthemums in a crystal bowl.

Out of town callers were Mrs. Alice Thomas of Vernon, Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Applewhite of Lockney, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boston and Larry of Hereford, Mrs. J. B. Slade of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Echols, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walters, and Ted Andrews of Plainview. A son, W. C. Height, and family of Richland, Wash., was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Height were married in Olton, Texas, in 1924 and moved to Hart to make their home in the early thirties. They wish to express their sincere thanks to all friends who helped make this anniversary such a happy one.

### Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, as Amended by the Acts of March 3, 1933, and July 2, 1946

Of the Castro County News published weekly at Dimmitt, Texas, for October, 1949. County of Castro—

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared B. M. Nelson, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Castro County News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the acts of March 3, 1933, and July 2, 1946.

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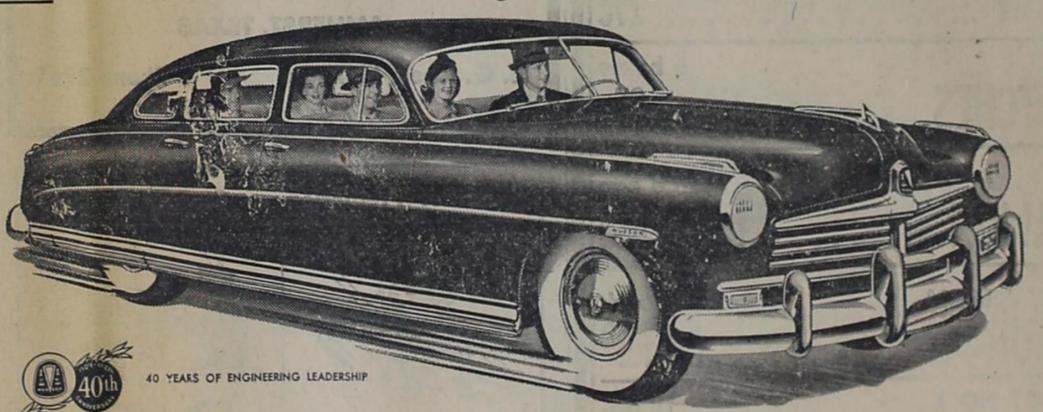
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 Assistant Editor Don Nelson  
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 Homely Hiram—Gus Ziegler  
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 Undertaker—Stanlee Fulfer  
 Don't miss this thrilling performance. Show begins at 7 P. M. at the auditorium, October 31.

## Who's Who

LaNelle Mobley is a member of the senior class. She has attended Dimmitt schools for 12 years. She is a member of the Press Club, F. H. A., Girls sport editor of the Bobcat Tales. Her subjects are: Biology, English IV, Journalism, Typing 11.  
 She is 5 ft. and 3 inches tall has green eyes and brown hair.  
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## Bobcats Defeat Anton Eleven

The Dimmitt Bobcats gained undisputed possession of second place in district 3-B by defeating Anton 18-12 at Anton Friday night.

After leaving the field with a 6-6 tie at the half the Bobcats came back and scored twice in the third quarter to go ahead 18-6. Anton scored later in the game in a pass interception to end it 18-12. Dimmitt Fumbleitis kept the Bobcats down during the first half.

Dimmitt took the opening kick off and after bogging down on the 50 yard line Dennis kicked to Anton's Glasscock who fumbled, with Dimmitt recovering. Gene Easley then slipped around right end for the Bobcats first counter. The plunge for the extra point was unsuccessful. Anton then drove to Dimmitt's 39 as the quarter ended. Glasscock swept his right end to score a few plays later. Estes was stopped cold on the try for extra point.

The Bobcats fumbled away two drives with Anton being on the Dimmitt one yard line as the half ended.

The Bobcats came back fighting in the second half, and after holding the Bulldogs on downs they scored with Billy Hodges setting himself up to score. Shortly after Hodges again scored on a 60 yard drive after an Anton fumble. Both tries for extra point were futile. Anton never gave up hopes and started passing to try to close the gap. Jack Dyer intercepted a pass and ran it to the 30 yard line, Estes then intercepted for Anton and went all the way to end the scoring.

They kicked off to Dimmitt on the 30. Everett Wilkinson then broke loose and darted to the three where he was pushed out of bounds as the game ended.

## Witch One??

"Vote"! The word vote is repeated over and over as it passes through the lips of each senior member. For as you all know the proceeds taken in are for the senior class.

So vote for the "little girl" of your choice. See her win "Tiny Tot" of '49' and see the seniors have a wonderful senior trip to remember as the best trip ever.

The report up to Friday 21, 1949 was:

CANDIDATE	VOTES
LaNell Crowley	2258
Shari Ann Willis	1011
Julie Rothwell	1067
Trellis Gladman	647
Carrol Hayes	219
Jerry Wyr	218
Sherry Manning	135
Rickie Goodwin	143
Deborah Buckmaster	100
Gayle Elder	136
Donna King	163
Jerry Dodd	169
Judy Mooney	116

## Gossip

Monday night Phyllis and Taylor Norman were together. Tell us more!

Phyllis and Gene Easley, Hazel and Jim Jowell seemed to have had an extra good time Tuesday night. eh huh!!

Mary Catherine and Kenneth Howard were seen together Wednesday night. These kids sure get around.

Phyllis and Dale All-n were together Wednesday night too. A new couple seen together Thursday night was Harold Johnston and Della Teague.

Margaret Mitchell and Melvin Witt were seen together Friday night.

Morris and Katy, Junior and Bobby were seen after the ballgame Friday night.

Maurine Smithson was seen with Lavon Keman Friday night. Keep it up kids!!

Who put that gleam in her eyes?? That's what we're wondering about Ruth this week. Could it be because Kenneth is home on leave. They were seen together Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights.

Fayrene and Guy Cox, Yvonne and Jessie reported a wonderful time Saturday night. They went to a masquerade party at Friona. Standlee and Rae, Lloyd and Pat, Junior and Bobby, were seen together Saturday night.

Earl Glen and Mary Catharine were together Saturday night. Betty Stayton and Lavon Keman were together Sunday afternoon.

(Hey, this guy gets around!!!!) Margaret Truelock and Farren Broadstreet were together Sunday night. I believe Kenneth McDermitt was their chauffeur!!!!

Mona and Howard, Della and Rex were seen over the week end. Whose this new boy that we saw the Mona's with Thursday night???? It seems his name is Marvin Moore.

Yvonne and Standlee seemed to have been awfully interested in the Rice-Texas game Saturday. (Who said game)

Whose this Kennie, Fayrene has been looking for??? We wonder did she find him. Harold Key and Rebecca were seen together Saturday and Sun-

day nights. Jacqueline and Lloyd were seen together over the week.

Billy seems to spend most of his time down at the hospital this week end. Maybe its because Pat is down there.

It seems Charles went with a girl, who is a Junior in College Saturday. (How does he rate???)

Charley Thompson seems to have a big interest in Plainview. He was with Doris Saturday and Sunday nights.

Babe and Rusty were together Sunday night.

OKAY GIRLS TWIRP SEASON HAS FINALLY BEGUN. NOWS YOUR CHANCE. IT BEGANS OFFICIALLY MONDAY AT 2:00 P. M. IT WILL END NEXT MONDAY OCT. 31, 1949.

## Bobbie

As the week rolled speedily by (at a snails pace) many interesting things occurred on the old campus. One, perhaps the one thing arousing the most interest, was the defeat we suffered from the Olton Mustangs. This one incident affected more people during the past week than any other of the occurrences. The boys didn't let this get them down though, they were determined to get back on their feet and really fight against the mighty Anton 11. This they did, and won a brilliant victory.

Another occasion that is keeping the students on their toes, is the Hallowe'en carnival. From the work that is being put out, this carnival promises to be one of the largest and best carnivals ever to be held in Dimmitt High School.

We saw many a bright and sunny Senior all decked out in their Sunday best last Monday morning. Yes it was time for the Senior pictures. My what a change these things called "clothes" can make.

Speaking of changes—the Junior play practice is about to begin and of all the characters we see roaming through the halls quoting their lines—you might even see a mysterious Majah or a South American archeologist. There is indeed a change since these Jrs. are truly living their parts.

The band again turned in a great performance at the last home game and at the pep rally. They have really been working and we all appreciate the spirit they are creating.

Pat Tate

## Teacher of The Week

Mr. Olen Bunton is our new assistant coach and teaches the 7th and 8th grade history. He attended high school in his home town of Sweetwater. Later he went to Abilene Christian College also attended University of Kansas City while he was in the Air Force. Mr. Bunton majored in psychology and biology.

Mr. Bunton married Beverly on June 11, 1947. She also is a graduate of Abilene Christian College and attended Brownsville Jr. College. They both plan to get their masters at University of Colorado.

Mr. Bunton is 5 ft. 10 inches in height, has black hair brown eyes, and weighs 170.

His favorites are:  
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## F. H. A. Week Oct. 30-Nov. 5

The F. H. A. girls of Dimmitt will observe Future Homemakers Week October 30 through November 5. During that period they plan to have initiation services and sell delicious homemade pies, hot dogs, coffee and have forty-two games in the Home Ec. room at the Hallowe'en Carnival. We urge you all to drop in if you want good food, and plenty of enjoyment.

## Classified Ads

FOR SALE—Good used pair of boots. No soles. Clifford Powell.

WANTED—To see "Maggie Alone"—Charles Houtchens and Standlee.

FOR SALE—American History knowledge. David Behrends. WANTED—Some big muscles to wear under my Superman uniform. Gene Easley

LOST—One American history book—no need to return. Doc

FOUND—One American history book in Nelson's trash barrel.

WANTED—A man, no particular qualifications. Rosalie and Hazel.

FOR SALE—Jr. Business book. Elmo.

WANTED—Decimae Dennis for Hallowe'en Queen—Superior Fish.

TRADE—Joke book for English 4 Knowledge. Lanelle Walthall.

WANTED—To know how to fly a kite in a telephone booth. Jess.

## Pat Youts to Be Elected Hallowe'en Queen

Pat Youts, the Junior candidate for Hallowe'en Queen, is 5 feet 2 inches tall, has strawberry blonde hair, green eyes, cute figure, and a cinch for the Hallowe'en Carnival reign. Pat is faithfully backed by the Juniors and every other student who has any sense of quality. Since we're on the subject of bingo, the Juniors have their annual Bingo Stand, supposed to be the best in recent years, in the east end of the Gym. The Juniors also have the ever-popular Turtle Race. Everyone interested buys a turtle with a number on it for one dollar, then wins 1-3 of the income on the race if their turtle crosses the line first.

At 10 o'clock the Juniors will raffie off a brand new Dormeyer with a juicer. This is guaranteed to be the best bargain in the carnival raffie, tickets costing only 25c. This is the latest model mixer and the person who wins it certainly will be the luckiest of the night and remember, Pat Youts for Hallowe'en Queen! "We want the honor and the Seniors want the money," stated Gene Easley, Junior Class President.

## Football Coffee

The Home Ec. III girls honored the football boys with a coffee Thursday, the second period, in the Home Ec. room. Colors of purple and white were carried out in the flower arrangements and other decorations. Caramel nut, fudge, chiffon and chocolate marshmallow cakes and coffee were served to all the squad, the coaches—Bunton and Blaine, Mr. Loyd, Mr. Vestal, Miss Suits, the Home Ec. III class, and their sponsor, Miss Irvin. Mr. Blaine gave a few pointers on the game and several of the boys said a few words.

The occasion was enjoyed by all who attended.

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 Mrs. Phoebe De Royster—Donna Lee Robertson  
 Deborah De Royster—Christine Anderson  
 Phineas Forthingale — Jack Dyer  
 Helen Maxwell—Bobbie Ruth Wooten  
 Tommy Tucker—Jim Jowell  
 Aunt Polly—Pat Youts  
 Johnson—Don Nelson  
 Esther—Phyllis Behrends  
 Majah—Gene Easley  
 Dick O'Donnell—David Behrends  
 Hattie—Mary Delozier  
 Director—Miss Suits

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## The Seniors Have Pictures Taken

The Marquis Studio photographer from Enid, Okla. had no trouble getting the seniors to smile Monday the 17. The seniors were all dressed up in their best suits and pretty dresses. The seniors also ordered their frames and folders from which they had a wide selection. We hope to get our proofs very soon. The photographer promised to make us pretty even if he had to send back a different picture.

## Hallowe'en Queen

The Hallowe'en Queen of Dimmitt high school will be crowned in the high school auditorium at 9:30 p. m. on Monday night, October 31.

Everyone work for the girl of your choice. The results up to Friday 21, are as follows:

Nelda Jean Bagwell leading with	2326
Sharon Wesson	337
Decimae Dennis	271
Gwen Smith	197
Dalvia Howard	155
Mary Davis	116

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## Bride-Elect Honored at Dinner Party

Among the round of events honoring Mary Jean Webb, bride-elect of H. Floyd Copeland, was a dinner party on the honoree's birthday, Saturday, October 22 given by Mrs. Joe D Bailes and Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick in the Kirkpatrick home.

The table was laid on an Irish damask cloth centered with a birthday cake decorated in the colors of the bride-elect. The cake was connected with silver candlesticks holding blush candles by mums laid on blush melin. The buffet carried a centerpiece of large white mums flanked by four white tapers.

Wedding bell place cards marked the following guests: the honoree and her groom-to-be, H. Floyd Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Webb, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens, Mr. Bill Kirkpatrick, and Miss Jo Wesson.

A gift of silver was laid beside the plate of the bride-elect.

## W. S. C. S. Observes Week of Prayer

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church observed Week of Prayer in an all day meeting at the church Monday October 24. Due to inclement weather members of the Hart W.S.C.S. were unable to attend.

Mrs. Joe Gollehon was program leader which included the following:

Community Center in Knoxville, Tennessee—Mrs. Vern Lust Hospital in Alaska—Mrs. Earl Lust

Needs of Japan and Korea were discussed by Mesdames Brooks, Vern Lust, Wes Anthony, James Bradford

Needs of Missionary Program—Mrs. B. J. Brannan Song "The Ninety and Nine"—Don Nelson

A special offering was taken for foreign missions.

Ladies attending from Bethel and Big Square were Mesdames Cecil Ginn, James Bradford, Jr., Wes Anthony, Vern Lust, Kay Roberts, Earl Lust.

A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour.

## Mrs. Ted Wood Is Garden Club Hostess

Mrs. Ted Wood was hostess to the Dimmitt Music Club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Swain Burkett was leader on the program on the "Origin of Latin American Rhythm". She presented Mrs. Pat Hyatt who played the piano solo "Malaguena". Mrs. Noel Gollehon and Mrs. Talmadge Buckmaster sang a duet "Celito Lindo". The club chorus sang "La Paloma".

The hostess used the Halloween motif, in her refreshment plate of sandwiches, spiced tea, and individual pumpkin pies served to Mesdames T. S. Buckmaster, Barber Eubanks, Noel Gollehon, Pat Hyatt, Gene Ivey, D. Neumayer, T. A. Singer, Robert Singer, M. B. Settle, E. B. Wright, D. S. Burkett.

Mrs. Jimmie George has returned home from Weslaco where she had been for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter.

Luther E. Smithson of O. B. U., Shawnee, Okla., was here for a visit with home folks last week end.

Rayphard Smithson, student at W. T. S. Canyon, was here for a visit with home folks last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gladden left recently for the Valley where they will spend the winter months.

Buster Cooper returned home Wednesday night from a deer hunt at Pagosa Springs, Colorado. Buster bagged a buck and a doe.

Charles Brock and son of Spearman are here for a visit in the home of his brother, Earl Brock and family.

## DIMMITT I. O. O. F. LODGE TO HOLD MEETING TUE.

The Dimmitt I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 159 will meet Tuesday night in regular session according to an announcement by officials of the organization. Third degree work will be administered by the Littlefield Lodge, and a number of members from the Hereford Lodge are expected to be present for the meeting. All members of the local lodge are requested to attend the meeting.

## EAT APPLES

Apples are plentiful—eat them raw, out of hand, in salads and in fruitcup. Scallop them alone or with sweet potatoes. Fry them with bacon, sausage or ham. Glaze apple rings as a fine garnish for spareribs and pork chops. Serve tart and chilled applesauce or apple butter for breakfast along with crisp toast or hot breads. For dessert, serve deep dish apple pie, apple crisp, apple dumplings or applesauce cake. For variation, serve apple sauce hot on gingerbread or crisp cookies.

Vary the flavor with lemon juice or spices, such as cinnamon, nutmeg or cloves. Use spices in moderation. A pinch of salt brings out flavor. Do not let applesauce stand with nutmeg in it. That turns it bitter.

Leon Taylor is here on leave from San Antonio where he is stationed, for a visit with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ziegler and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Manning.

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