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Pioneer Castro Citizen Dies

Mr. James Arch Johnson, widely known rancher of Castro County, died at his hotel home in Dimmitt at 10:15 Saturday night. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon in the High School auditorium with Rev. U. S. Merritt, pastor of the Dimmitt Methodist Church officiating.

Mr. Johnson, 68 years old was born Jan. 7, 1877, in Tennessee. He had lived in Castro County for 47 years. He served as sheriff, and for 28 years as manager of the Flagg Ranch which was owned by the late C. T. Herring and has been managed by Arthur Ware, president of the Amarillo National Bank since Mr. Herring's death.

Deceased is survived by his wife, May Johnson; two sons, Claude who lives at Flagg, and Wilbert, serving with the Navy in the South Pacific; six daughters, Mrs. J. O. Hyatt, Norwich, Kan., Mrs. J. D. Duree, Plainview, Mrs. W. C. Cook, Whiteface, Mrs. Willie Younger, Amarillo, Mrs. Wanda Gibson, Hobbs, N. M., and Lt. Helen Johnson a WAVE.

All of the children with the exception of Mrs. Hyatt and W. T. Johnson were present for the funeral services which were held in the Dimmitt High School auditorium.

Mr. Johnson is also survived by a half-brother, Mr. Bud Burroughs, of Dallas, who was here for the funeral services and a sister, Mrs. Dolly Baker of Altus, Oklahoma.

PhM H.R. Anthony Dies Ministering to Injured Shipmates

Mr. Wes Anthony recently received a letter from a doctor companion of his brother, 3c PhM H. R. Anthony, giving some of the details preceding the death of PhM Anthony, both of whom were on the ill-fated Innapolis which was torpedoed and sunk by the Japs on July 30. According to the letter young Anthony died after ministering to his wounded shipmates for 54 hours, without water or food, while they were adrift in rafts. Although not wounded by the explosion which sank the Innapolis, Anthony died of exhaustion swimming from one raft to another to treat his wounded comrades. PhM Anthony, a native of Hereford, died the same day that a rescue ship picked up the survivors of the Innapolis.

Rance H. D. Club

The Rance H.D. Club met Wednesday, September 19th in the home of Mrs. Leldon Rawls. Mrs. A. F. Blakemore was in charge of the recreation period.

Plans were made to attend the fair to be held in Dimmitt on Oct. 13.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W.A. Fowel. The demonstration will be on storage of vegetables and flower bulbs.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames George DeLozier, L. A. Beavers, L. J. Councilman, H. G. Behrens, A. F. Blakemore, W. A. Powell, Claud Duran, Jack Streun, Lower Walker, Bill Steakey, R. M. Pamer and the hostess.

Jeannette Graham Initiated Into Club

Waco, Texas September 21—Miss Jeannette Graham, Baylor senior from Dimmitt, has been formally initiated into the Athenian club, social organization for girls on the Baylor campus. Miss Graham is a home economics major and English minor and is a member of the Tri D club also.

Set Your Watch

Staff Sergeant E. F. Cooper arrived Sunday, September 30, in accordance with an act of Congress. The national time hand will be moved back one hour to again let the habits of the public become accustomed to Standard Time which places the noon hour somewhere near the middle of the day. If you don't want to be too early for Sunday School you will need to set your watch.

Summers-Whitcomb Vows Read

Miss Dorothy Whitcomb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Whitcomb of Pawtucket, R. I., became the bride of Trevis C. Summers, Aviation Machinist's Mate 2/C, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Summers of Dimmitt, Texas in a ceremony read in the parsonage of the Woodlawn Baptist Church, Pawtucket, R. I., by Rev. Walter B. Greene on Sept. 5th. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Flint Furbush of Littleton, Mass., uncle and aunt of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a rose wool crepe suit with black accessories and a corsage of white flowers.

The ceremony was followed by a reception for the bridal party at the home of the bride's parents. The couple honeymooned in New Hampshire before going to Jacksonville, Florida where they will make their home at present where the groom is stationed at the Naval Air Station.

Postal Note On Sale October 1

The Postal Note, the new medium of transmitting funds through the mails will be placed on sale at the local post office on October 1st. They were designed to take the place of money orders in any amounts up to ten dollars. Two advantages of these notes are the simplicity of issue, and reduction of fees. For any one in any amount from one cent up to \$10.00, a fee of five cents is collected. No application for the note is required. The purchaser writes the name and address of the person to whom the note is to be sent on the face of the note to be sent on the face of the note on the back.

National Business Women's Week

National Business Women's Week will be observed over the nation October 7-13. The theme of the week will be "Jobs Enough to Go Around." A program on the subject will be given by the local Business and Professional Club at 8:30 on Monday evening, October 8 at the home of Mrs. Faye Holand, according to Miss Hazel Merritt, Club president. A cordial welcome is extended to those who wish to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation to our friends for their many kind deeds and words of sympathy during the recent illness and death of our dear Father, Grandfather and Brother. Your beautiful floral offerings and loving sympathy made our loss easier to bear. May God's richest blessings be yours.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson and family
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hyatt and family
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Duree and family
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cook and family
Mrs. Willie Younger and family
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson
Lt. Helen Johnson
Mrs. Wanda Gibson
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Shepard and daughter
Mrs. C. J. Johnson and sons
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McKinney and daughter
Bud Burroughs.

H. D. Club Bake Sale

The ladies of the Northedge Home Demonstration Club are sponsoring a food sale consisting of pies, cakes, and dressed chickens, at Wilsons Grocery beginning at 3:00 P. M.

General Agricultural Exhibits Castro County Fair

J. O. Seale and John Allridge, are Superintendents of the General Agricultural Exhibits Department of the Castro County Fair to be held October 13, 1945. Ribbons only will be made as awards for First, Second, Third and Fourth places.

SMALL GRAINS:

- (Each sample to be one Qt. in square fruit jar)
1. Wheat—Any variety
 2. Barley—Any variety.

SHEAF—GRAINS AND SEEDS:

- (Bundle not over 5 inches in diameter)
3. Grain Sorghums, any variety
 4. Sweet Sorghums (Red Top)
 5. Sudan Grass (Sweet or Common)
 6. Alfalfa

GRAIN SORGHUM HEADS:

- (10 heads)
7. Milo (Combine or Dwarf Melloy)
 8. Kafir
 9. Hegari

CORN—10 ears

10. 10 Ears White Corn
11. 10 Ears Yellow Corn

VEGETABLES:

12. Irish Potatoes (No. 10)
13. Sweet Potatoes (No. 10)
14. Onions (No. 5)
15. Carrots (No. 5)
16. Tomatoes (No. 5)
17. Watermelons (No. 1)
18. Cantaloupe (No. 3)
19. Sweet Pepper (No. 5)
20. Beans (Any Variety Shelled, 1 qt. square fruit jar)
21. Peas (Any variety shelled, 1 qt. square fruit jar)

S. P. Boy Scout Finance Drive To Be Held Oct. 4

Dimmitt will participate in the council wide Boy Scout Finance Drive to be held in the 20 counties of the South Plains Council Thursday morning October 4th. Mr. L. G. Manning is to head the drive.

The South Plains Council has the responsibility of bringing a complete program of Scouting to 20 Plains Counties. The complete program of organizing units, training leaders, providing activities, and maintaining service for these units.

The administrative and service expenses of the South Plains Council are met by personal contribution. There is one council one budget, and one treasurer, through which all council business is financed.

Strictly Troop or Pack expenses are handled within the unit and its sponsoring institution.

Council books are audited annually by a public accountant and are available for inspection at any time.

Your contribution will be wisely invested in training boys to be real citizens.

Baptist Church

September 30, 1945
Sunday School (Standard Time)
—9:45.
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.
Training Union—7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship—8:00 P. M.
"Come Thou With Us And We Will Do Thee Good." We invite you to the services of the First Baptist Church this Lord's Day. This Sunday is "promotion day" in our Sunday School, and we are expecting a great day in our services. If you are not enrolled in a Bible class of one of the other churches in our town, come and visit with us this Lord's Day. The pastor will preach at both services.

Room Mothers Hold Meeting

Twenty four mothers of Grade School children met in the home of Mrs. Raymond Wilson on Tuesday, to make plans for entertainment and special days for the coming school year.

The musical program to be given at the P.T.A. Tuesday 18th was discussed. We expect to have a good year.

Ward Golden, Henry Stakup, John Hill and Brad Fuller made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Sgt. G. Simmons Liberated From Jap Prison

A telegram was received here last week by relatives, stating that Sgt. George Simmons was liberated from Camp Oelika, in Japan, on September 10. The telegram from the War Department also stated that Sgt. Simmons will be back in the states soon.

Simmons has been a prisoner since April of 1942, at the fall of Corregidor.

He was a member of a tank battalion Philippines when the Japs attacked Ialton and was stationed in the Pearl Harbor.

Vernon Braddock Wins 1st Prize 4-H Club Show Sat.

Approximately 100 persons attended the Sears 4-H Club Gilt Show Saturday, September 22, which saw Vernon Braddock, Nazareth Jersey heifer and the right to attend the District Show at to win the County Show and a regarseth 4-H Club boy show his gilt Amarillo Saturday September 29.

Other winners were 2nd, Julian Huseman of the Nazareth 4-H club 3rd, Harold Klemm of the Nazareth 4-H club 4th, Joe Max Woolery, Dimmitt 4-H Club and 5th, Leland Hacker of the Hart Club were: Carl Ray Henderson, Dimmitt, Jett shell etni shretainnitt mitt, Joe Percy of Hart and Bernard Wilhelm of Nazareth.

Kenneth Acker of Nazareth gave a demonstration on showing using his Registered Chester White boar that will compete with 20 other counties in the District at Amarillo Saturday.

HART NEWS

Leland Hacker is in the hospital at Amherst where he underwent a tonsilectomy.

We are glad to welcome a new citizen, a young man in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Farris.

Mrs. Eldon Shive is seriously ill in the Plainview sanitarium.

Mrs. A. L. Hawkins of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crum and son, Cecil, were dinner guests on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis A. Hawkins.

Mrs. Earline Young was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bacon Jones.

Mrs. Connell of San Antonio is visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis.

Mrs. Green Henderson painfully injured her foot on Thursday afternoon and required hospitalization for a few days.

Mrs. Lon Barnes of Dallas is visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Nix.

Mesdames Albert and Robert Myers of Dimmitt were visiting friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Percy Hart spent the first of the week in Lockney visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Livesay.

The shower for the lunch room was well attended, forty two was played and pies were sold.

Mrs. Jay Boston and Mrs. Leroy Aven spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Don't forget the bond issue to be held at the school house on Tuesday, October 2.

Farmers are busy irrigating and planting wheat.

The Hart Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Sanders on Monday, September 24. Mrs. Brooks, president, presided over the business meeting. "Sunshine Pals" names were revealed and new names drawn.

Miss Petty gave a demonstration on Bed Rooms, stressing planning and arrangement of furniture, window and door spacing. She also stressed wise spending of savings; proper color combinations and closet space.

Refreshments were served to nine members, two guests, Mrs. Connell and Mrs. Tom Ray and Miss Leila Petty.

Pvt. Perry L. Hayler, accompanied by his wife and children, arrived home Sunday from Fort Bliss, El Paso. Mrs. Hayler and children will remain here for an extended visit. Pvt. Hayler will return to El Paso this week-end.

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CLASSES AND PRIZES CASTRO COUNTY FAIR OCTOBER 13, 1945

First, Second, Third and Fourth place awards will be made on the following exhibits at the Castro County Fair:

- Jersey—Frank Huseman, Supt.
Class 1—Bulls 2 years old and over.
Class 2—Bulls under 2 years.
Class 3—Cows 4 years old and over.
Class 4—Cows 2 years old and under 4.
Class 5—Heifers 1 year old and under 2.
Class 6—Heifers under 1.

- Winners of Class 1 and 2 Show for Grand Champion.
Winners of Classes 3, 4, 5, 6 Show for Grand Champion.
Milking Shorthorns—Morgan Dennis, Supt.
Class 7—Bulls 2 years old and over.
Class 8—Bulls 1 year and under 2.
Class 9—Bulls under 1 year.
Class 10—Cows 4 years old and over.
Class 11—Cows 2 years old and under 2.
Class 12—Heifers 1 year old and under 2.
Class 13—Heifers under 1 year.
Winners of Classes 7, 8, and 9 Show for Grand Champion.
Winners of Classes 10, 11, and 12 and 13 Show for Grand Champion.

- Hereford—George Burch, Supt.
Class 14—Bulls under 1 year.
Class 15—Bulls 1 year and under 2.
Class 16—Bulls over 2.
Class 17—Pen of 2 bulls shown by one exhibitor.
Winners of Class 14, 15, and 16 Show for Grand Champion.

Methodist Church

Next Sunday September 30, is promotion Day in Sunday School. A special program has been arranged for the occasion. Parents, friends and relatives of those being promoted are urged to be in Sunday School at 10 A. M.

Preaching—11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.
MYF—6:45 P. M.
Preaching at Bethel—12:30 P. M. Ural S. Sherrill

BETHEL NEWS

Many of the communities of our county were represented in the large crowd of singers that gathered at Bethel Sunday for the Castro County Singing convention. There were a number of visitors from adjoining counties also, and the quartets from Swisher county and from Olton were greatly enjoyed. Rev. Lee of Dimmitt filled his regular appointment with an inspiring sermon before the noon hour.

Capt. and Mrs. H. G. Watts and little son of Sarasota, Florida spent Wednesday night of last week in the Earl Lust home. Capt. and Mrs. Watts were college friends of the Lust's daughters, Mesdames James Bradford and Melvin Settle.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts left last week for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where Mr. Roberts will receive medical treatment.

F/O Lloyd Warren and Lt. Hatch of Clovis Air Field were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Copeland from Colorado are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Copeland.

After a week spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust, Mrs. Melvin Settle left Monday to join her husband at Kessler Field, Biloxi, Miss. She went by automobile with her friends, Capt. and Mrs. Watts, who were returning to Sarasota, Florida, after a 25 day visit with relatives at Dallas and Lockney.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford and Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford were week end visitors in the Earl Lust home.

Anyone who enjoys good singing will find a hearty welcome at Bethel each Wednesday night, when the weekly singing is held at the school house. We were proud of the special numbers arranged by this group for the singing convention last Sunday.

FLAGG NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Coke and child ren left Wednesday for Tieton, Washington where they will spend the winter and work in the apple harvest.

Mrs. J. T. Cassler and childre are moving to the Coke place.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McElroy of Dublin visited the Cokes and Wilders Monday on their way to port of embarkation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Gosssett and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coke were Sunday dinner guests of the Buster Krillings.

Mrs. Irvin Ott and her brother, John Davis were business visitors in Matador last week.

Rev. Sherrill and the Sherrills were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aldridge and son are visiting this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boohar.

Mrs. Loyd Rentfro was in Amarillo last week on business.

Pvt. P. L. Hoyer and Mrs. Hoyer of Ft. Bliss are visiting the Clyde Dammors and Woodrow Nelsons.

Mrs. Alvin Frazier and son Kenneth are visiting her sister, Mrs. A. H. Howell of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Jess Birchfield spent the week-end in Amarillo with her mother, Mrs. Gatewood, and sister, Mrs. Stella Jones.

Floyd Davis who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, has returned to his home in Mississippi.

Ph M 3/c and Mrs. Johnny Miller were hosts at a Sunday dinner for Lynn Smith of Muleshoe and June Thompson.

Cpl. Kenneth Adams, former Flagg boy, who has served in the South Pacific, visited the M. F. McRees and Claude Johnson families.

Little Sandra Castle is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coventry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Othell Simmons were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Slim Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stayton are moving to the farm recently occupied by the Alton Trainors.

Alcutian Veteran Arrives Home

Staff Sergeant E. F. Cooper arrived home recently after receiving his discharge at the Camp Shelby, Miss., Separation Center. Sgt. Cooper had served five years and two months in the Army Air Corps, two years of which time he spent in active service in the Aleutian area as a gunner on a B-24 and B-17.

Cap. J. G. Davis, Jr. Gets Discharge

Capt. J. G. Davis, Jr., arrived home Wednesday from the El Paso Separation Center where he received his discharge under the point system. Cap. Davis had served exactly five years in the Army Air Corps, with eight months overseas service in which he made 30 missions over German held territory as pilot on a B-17. He was stationed in England. After returning to the States from overseas duty Capt. Davis was stationed at Roswell, N. M., as a B-29 Engineer test pilot.

Dee Umberson Receives Disch'g

Dee Umberson arrived home Saturday after receiving his discharge under the point system. Dee was stationed on Greenland with the U. S. Communications Department during the war. He was in the Service for 39 months, 18 of which was spent in Greenland.

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Hints; Preparing Farm Products For Fair Show

- (By R. L. King, County Agent)
1. Small Grains (1 qt.)
 1. Wheat—Select uniform in color, size, and shape.
 2. Oats—Select uniform in color, size and shape.
 3. Sheaf Grains
 1. Select 10 days or 2 week before show so it will cure.
 2. Get heads and stalks uniform in size.
 3. Tie below heads, in the middle, and at bottom.
 4. Cut bottom stems off even, 3 to 5 inches in diameter.
 5. Grain Sorghum (10 heads)
 1. Select at least a week before the show.
 2. Select 25 to 50 heads in the field, take to house and select 10 that are uniform in size, shape and color.
 3. Sell filled out at tip and around stem.
 4. Cut stems the same length.
 5. Heads should be wrapped firmly for at least 2 weeks before the show.
 6. Corn (10 ears)
 1. Select as soon as possible.
 2. Uniform in size, shape and color.
 3. Rows of kernels should be straight.
 4. Vegetables
 1. Tomatoes—All same size shape, and color.
 2. Onions—Same size, shape and color.
 3. Rows of kernels should be straight.
 4. Sweet Pepper—All uniform in size, shape and color.
 5. Cantaloupe—Any variety, have them all uniform.

Hart Classes Elect Officers

The Hart Juniors and Seniors met Monday to elect class officers. The officers are as follows:
Billy Phillips—President
Myra Applewhite—Vice-President
Dorothy Bearden—Sec-Treas
Gus Hawkins—Reporter
Rev. and Mrs. Applewhite—Sponsors.
They selected for their colors, red and white carnations.

Attend Party

The following Dimmitt ladies attended a birthday party honoring Miss Rosa Honea at Hereford Monday night: Midge Gaffard, Maxine Erdman, Cloez Hampton, Gwen Buckley, Omega Johnson, Dorothy Gantt, Jimmye Wyer.
Dorothy Graham will go to Rotan October 3, where she will be bridesmaid at the wedding of her former room-mate, Miss Betty Fillingim.

W. S. C. S.

The Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday at the church in a Mission study, directed by Mrs. Joe Gollehon.

Mrs. L. A. Womack was elected vice president to fill the vacancy W.S.C.S. will meet in the home of left by Mrs. May. Next Monday Mrs. Gollehon at 4:00 P. M. in a business and a social meeting.

HONORED WITH DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Miller were honored with a wedding dinner Wednesday evening September 19 in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Simmons.

The lace covered dining table was centered with a three tier cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

The meal of fried chicken and all the trimmings with cake and homemade ice cream was enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Miller, Misses Jerry Simon, Virgie Cooper, June Thompson, Argie May Godfrey, Billie Jo Cluck, of Dimmitt and Eva Mae Foster of Muleshoe.

Joe Harrison, Johnny Gibson of Dimmitt, Lynn Smith and Jack Bachelor of Muleshoe.

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New large stock of Purry Blankets

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Fresh Fruits and Vegetables The North Edge H. D. Club will conduct a Bake Sale in our store Saturday afternoon.

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ANNOUNCING... Opening of BLACKIES GARAGE In former Steak House Building I have opened a garage in Dimmitt and wish to take this method of soliciting your trade, and assure you that it will be our earnest endeavor to render a service that will meet with your approval.

Your Patronage will be appreciated J. B. BLACKWELL

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JUMBO Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rentfro and O.C. spent last Sunday in Tulsa visiting his uncle, Bill Todd. Shoppers in Amarillo Monday from this community were: Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Bales, Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. F.A. May. Mr. and Mrs. F.A. May and her brother, Mr. F.T. Marcus visited in the home of Emzy May in Cloud Monday night and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard were Amarillo visitors Tuesday. Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Sparkman served a picnic supper to several guests, honoring their son, Wayne Thomas, who was home on furlough. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rentfro and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glen May and son, and the Sparkman family. Mr. and Mrs. F.J. Axe are spending a few weeks in Hot Springs, New Mexico, taking baths for awhile. Dr. McAllister and his wife of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haynes on Saturday. Lieut. E.V. Dwyer, from Decatur, Texas, came last week to spend a few days with his parents in the Jumbo community. He has been recently discharged from the armed forces. Jumbo Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Fred Axe, last Thursday, with nine members, and Miss Petty, the Demonstration agent present. Miss Petty gave a demonstration on canning fruit cake for shipping overseas. The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Russell Haynes, October 4th. The time of meeting has been changed to two o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. M.L. Sparkman took Wayne Thomas to Amarillo Thursday. He returned to Coffeville Kansas after spending a 15 day furlough with his parents. Miss Jimmy Doris Hunter spent the week-end in Lubbock with her sister Norma, who is a student in Texas Tech this winter. Mr. and Mrs. Clem Gilliam received a call from John Hardy, Wood that he had arrived safely in the United States, after serving two years and eight months in the European Theatre of War. John Hardy will be the first boy from the Jumbo community to be discharged on the point system. Jim Dyer wrote his parents that he is on guard duty in the city of Yokosaki. Jim landed in Japan just fourteen days after V-J Day. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Matthews visited in the Matthews home Friday night. Mrs. Pauline Bishop came with them and spent the week end with her parents. Margaret Simpson spent the week end at home. Mr. and Mrs. Finis Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter attended the ball game in Canyon Friday night. Rev. Andrews from Hereford filled his regular appointment at Jumbo Sunday. Next Sunday is the day to elect officers and teachers in the Sunday School for the coming year. Come and help elect your favorite officer and teacher. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Matthews and Red visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Matthews in Clovis, N. M., Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rentfro and O. C. went to the circus in Amarillo Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Butler attended a barbecue supper in the home of their teacher, Mrs. Savnie Carroll, southeast of Dimmitt Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Allen in the Easter community Sunday.

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THE BOBCAT TALES

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The Bobcat Tales - STAFF Editor - Phyllis Simon Assistant Editor - Ruby Warren Business Mgr. - Thomas Harrison Sports Editor - Norma Thompson Johnny Gibson, Clyde English Feature Editor - Joe Harrison Sponsor - Mrs. Sam Hunter

STOOP AND SNOOP Why was Carolyn R. feeling so good coming home from Canyon Friday night? Was it because she had a long conversation with two boys from Shamrock? Or was it because she saw her cousin? Hal Hal Wed, what do you think. We seem to have had some new couples last week. Friday night Clyde was with Doy Dean and Sunday night Argie Mae and Bill Birdwell, Billie Jo and Bob Mape, Midred Morris and John L. Thomas were just "riding around" as far as we know—but we don't know very far. Tuesday night Joe was with Phyllis Youts. Ladell Smith and Tommy Sherill were at the show together one night last week. The snappers brains (what brains) are falling him and he can't think of another thing.

HERE'S ONE OF THOSE THINGS Here is one of those crazy things that have no point. But it is surprising how many people will read it down to the very, very end. This may seem to be a funny way to write an editorial. You would be surprised how many people fail to read the editorial. You should read it because of the important information it usually gives. Who knows, someone may get generous and give a prize to all the people who read it. Not only that but it takes a good bit of work to write one and you may have to write one some day. John D. Rockefeller, Jr. drove the last rivet in the final building that completed the construction of Rockefeller Center in New York City, on November 1, 1930.

John J. Hastings returned home Tuesday from Lubbock where he had been called to see with his daughter, who had the misfortune of sustaining painful injuries in a bicycle accident. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor of Plainview and Mrs. Carl Young and son, Cecil, from Muleshoe visited Mrs. R. C. Shuford Sunday. Mesdames Young and Kaylor are Mrs. Shuford's sisters. FOR SALE - Ribbons for any make typewriter Castro County News Mr. G.H. James made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.



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BOBCATS TAKE ANOTHER CLAWING Friday night when they were downed by W.T. High at Canyon, W.T. High made both of their touchdowns in the last half. The Bobcats held the upper hand in the last half although they made no touchdowns. These boys who hit the field for the first time this season were: Charles Frye, C. Jack Brannan Jr., Lattie Smithson Jr.

Mrs. Elser took the third year Home Ec. girls to Hereford to observe a post-war house built by George Heard, on his farm south of Hereford. The house contained double walled windows, steel floors, and steel frame roof with ventilators. The house contains no heating system. It is heated by its dead air space walls.

YOU KNOW THEM BY His laugh, whistle and Virgie Eye - Johnny Gibson. His pin up girls - Bo Jackson. Her bracelets - Mary Lou Rymph. Their ignorance - Freshmen. His walk - Jack Zeigler. His bashfulness - Henry. Their talking - The right hand corner of the Journalism class. His dimples - John Cryer. His typing - Jack Brannan. His beauty - Junior Fuller. His curly hair - Lewis Martin. Her tact? - Betty Hastings. Their ability to walk off the football field calmly with the epep equal trying to catch them to give them what they begged for - The football boys.

The Home Economics club held a meeting Friday, September 21 for election of officers. The officers elected were: Vice-president - Joyce Car- Sec. Treas. - Carolyn Rawlings. President - Carolyn Taylor. The date for Best-Beau party was set for Nov. 17. The party will be sponsored by the Home Ec. club. Fredric Auguste Bartholdi, French Sculptor of Alsace, was commissioned by France to make the Statue of Liberty.

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Pigs for Sale. 2tp Alvin Hastings

FOR SALE—Cook stove used 1 month. Butane or natural gas. 2tp Louise Winkle

FOR SALE—An 8 in Case Hammer mill, used only four times. Can be seen at the Castro County Motor Co., or see 2tc. Aubrey Burch

FOR SALE—21 ft. John Deere disk harrow. 8ft. Moline power lift one way. 12x16 grainery in Dimmitt. Model G. John Deere tractor with 4 row planter. See 2tp Jack Miller

WANTED—Typewriter, must be in good condition. 2tp C. H. Lane Dimmitt, Tex.

FOR SALE—One good milk cow, half jersey and half durham, also 60 to 80 bales of alfalfa hay. tf W.J. Jordan

FOR SALE—A star windmill, cheap, in good condition. See 4tp. W. F. Mayfield Dimmitt, Texas

FOR SALE—A Used Upright mellow toned piano in good condition, also a used duofold, recovered. See Mrs. Aubrey Burch 2tc.

FOR SALE—Two Good shoats, weigh 75 pounds. 2tp J. D. Curtis

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FOR SALE—Bull calves. 2tp B.J. Brannan

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Mrs. Floyd Ashcraft of Lubbock who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ashcraft, left Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Acker at Whiteflat.

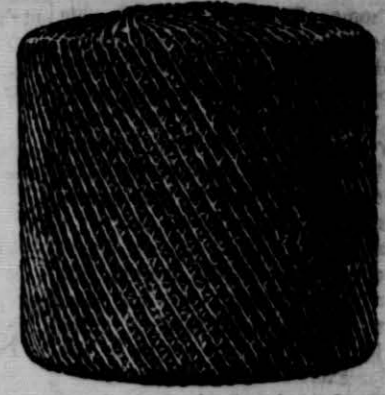
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CARTOON—"Wolf's Tail"
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