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## ELECTION DATE ANNEX SCHOOL DISTRICTS SET

Elsewhere in this issue of the News appears a formal Notice of an election for the purpose of annexing the Cleo Independent School District, the Bethel Common School District and the Dimmitt Independent School District for the purpose of forming what is termed a Consolidated Rural High School. The election, to be held on March 24 in each of the districts, has been called by the Castro County Board of School Trustees in response to a petition, requesting the election, presented to the Board by qualified tax paying voters from each of the School Districts.

Children from the Cleo, Bethel and other districts have been enrolled, by annual contract, in the Dimmitt Schools for the past several years with the result that housing facilities of the Dimmitt District have become crowded beyond capacity, making consolidation necessary so that additional housing facilities might be supplied to properly care for the growth in scholastics resulting from the transfers into the Dimmitt Schools.

Election judges and clerks for each of the school districts participating in the election are named in the election notice along with other details preparatory to conducting the election for consolidation.

## County 4-H Boys To Show Hogs At Amarillo Show

Castro County 4-H Club boys will exhibit their 30 hogs at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show on next Monday, afternoon, Mar. 5. This is the largest number of pigs ever exhibited by Castro County boys at any show, according to M. U. May, County Agent, who supervises 4-H Club work in the county. The majority of the hogs that will be shown have been raised by the boys who are doing much to improve the quality of hogs grown in Castro County.

The following boys will exhibit hogs at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show: 3 Chester Whites, Anthony Acker; 1 Chester White, David Acker; 4 Chester Whites, Floyd Acker; 3 spotted Poland Chinas, Kenneth Acker; 2 Chester Whites, Carl Dean Klemm; 2 Chester Whites, Alphonse Klemm; 8 Poland Chinas, Danny Huseman; 3 Poland Chinas, Julian Huseman; 2 Poland Chinas, Lewis Huseman; all of these boys are members of the Nazareth 4-H Club. 3 Poland Chinas, Raymond Powell, Jr.; 2 Durocs, Dean Sanders, both of these boys are members of the Hart 4-H Club.

Castro County 4-H Club boys have established one of the best records in Texas with their good hogs and the quality this year is much better than ever before. Several of the boys also plan to exhibit their hogs at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show which will be the first time a Castro County boy has ever exhibited at that Show.

## COKER-CALHOUN VOWS ARE READ

Mr. Buddy Calhoun, son of Mr. R. L. Calhoun and Miss Mozelle Coker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coker, were united in marriage Thursday night, March 1, at Hereford, with Rev. Marvin Boyd, pastor of the Hereford Methodist Church, officiating. They were accompanied by Miss Barbara Hunter and Mr. Chock Payton.

Mrs. Calhoun was reared at Lamesa, moving to Castro County with her parents about a year ago, they had, until recently, resided in the Cleo community. Mr. Calhoun was reared at Palestine, Texas, and has been a resident of this community for the past four years. He is employed by the Texas Com-School. he was employed by the pany.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Alexander of Floydada were here for a last week end visit with their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Cogswell and Dr. Cogswell.

Mrs. B. E. Staffar and children of the Flagg Ranch were visitors in the home of her sister, Mrs. Howard Hershey, last week-end.

## FIGHTING OUR WAR

**Pfc. STANLEY BYRNES KILLED IN ACTION**

A telegram from the War Department was received here Tuesday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Byrnes bearing the message that their son, Pfc. Stanley Byrnes had been killed in action on February 17. He was with Patch's 7th Army.

Pfc. Byrnes, 19 years of age, had been overseas since December of 44. Before being inducted into the army from Swisher County, in April of '44, he was a student in the Dimmitt High School. He received his military training at Camp Adair, Oregon and Camp Leonard Wood, Mo.

**BATTLE SCARRED VETERAN AT HOME**

James Burnam arrived here Sunday from Camp Carson, Colo., for a 28 day furlough visit with relatives, following which he will return to Camp Carson for further treatment. James was recently returned to the States from the European War theatre where he saw many months of combat before being seriously wounded at Aachen, Germany. A more complete account of his experiences will appear in the next issue of the News.

**RECEIVES CITATION AWARDED HUSBAND**

Mrs. Bob Hembree received a citation this week, recently awarded her husband, Pvt. Hembree, commending his regiment for meritorious conduct in combat. Bob is with the 37th Tank Battalion of Patton's First Army, and has been on continuous combat duty for the past four months.

**PFC JOHN P. MURPHY ARRIVES IN STATES**

A parallel in dates has marked the experience of pfc John C. Murphy, son of Mrs. Ola Murphy, who recently arrived at Corpus Christi where he is being treated for wounds received in an explosion on Siapan. Pfc Murphy was inducted into the armed forces on Feb. 18, 1943, and returned to the state from foreign duty on Feb. 18, 1945. He left Honolulu on Christmas Day, 1944 for the combat zone and returned to Honolulu on Christmas Day 1945 after having been injured on Siapan.

**LOCAL SAILORS MEET ON GUAM**

Word was received here recently by relatives, that Ph. M. 3/C Norville H. Birdwell, son of Mrs. Cor-dye Birdwell, and A. R. M. 3/c Billy Joe Rothwell, had had the good fortune of meeting recently on Guam. The two sailors enlisted in the Navy together on November 2, 1942, and received their boot training together before being separated.

**FORMER DIMMITT BOY AT BOMBER BASE, ENGLAND**

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England—Corporal Robert L. Copelin, 20, of Borger, Texas, recently arrived at this Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress base to take part in the bombing attacks on vital targets in Nazi Germany.

Assigned to the 487th Bomb Group commanded by Colonel William K. Martin of Ogden, Utah, Cpl. Copelin is a ball turret gunner on a big bomber in the war's toughest theatre. At present, he is undergoing an intense two-week period of training prior to his take-off on his initial mission.

He is the son of L. R. Copelin of Borger. A graduate of Borger High School, he was employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company prior to his entry into the AAF in September, 1943.

His group is a unit of the Third Air Division, the division cited by the President for its now historic England-Africa shuttle bombing of Messerschmidt plants at Regensburg, in August, 1943.

Robert L. Copelin is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Ewing of Dimmitt and attended High School here two years.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mr. P. H. Dyer was honored with a surprise birthday party, arranged by Mrs. Dyer, at their home Friday night. Following the playing of a number of games of "42", refreshments were served to forty-eight guests, all of whom were neighbors and friends of the family from the Jumbo community with the exception of the following:

Mr. Howard Sharp of Route N, Tulsa, received word Wednesday that his cousin, Bennie Clark of Chickasha, Okla., had been killed in action in the Pacific war zone.

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## Brothers-In-Law Serving In Pacific



Pfc. Wayne Lowrance



S 1/c B. F. Hendon

Pfc. Wayne Lowrance, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lowrance of Dimmitt, received minor wounds in the battle for Luzon, in the Philippines, on January 24, according to a telegram received by his parents from the War Department February 14. Prior to the Philippine invasion Pfc. Lowrance participated in action on New Guinea. He received his military training in Camp Roberts, California.

## National 4-H Club Week March 3-11

Texas will have 103,000 boys and girls among the 1,700,000 observing National 4-H Club week March 3-11, the A and M. College Extension Service announced today.

Reports from the nation as a whole show the membership has something to celebrate:

Approximately 300,000 active and former members of the 4-H are now in the armed forces of the United States. This means that one out of every 14 men and women in military service has been, at one time or another, an active member of 4-H, and new heroes among 4-H'ers at the fighting fronts, on the seas, and in the air.

Similarly, on the home front, 4-H has demonstrated its organized preparedness and ability to serve on a monumental scale, as the following tabulation, in round figures 4-H wartime achievements in the 3 years since Pearl Harbor, shows:

Victory Garden products, (acres)—400,000  
Poultry products, (birds)—33,000,000  
Dairy Cattle, (animals)—300,000  
Livestock, (animals)—1,000,000  
Peanuts, soybeans, and other legumes, (acres)—200,000  
Products canned, (quarts)—47,000,000  
Meals prepared in keeping with the nutritional needs of family—37,000,000  
War Bonds or stamps, purchased or sold to others—\$140,000,000  
Scrap collected, (pounds)—300,000,000

Ever since Pearl Harbor, thousands of 4-H members have been—Checking their food and health habits.  
Having periodic health examinations and improving physical defects.  
Removing farm and home hazards through safety measures.  
Increasing farm fuel supplies.  
Caring for farm machinery.  
Canning, drying, freezing and storing food.  
Repairing and remaking clothing.  
Learning first aid and home nursing.  
Demonstrating wartime practices in homemaking and farming to others.

National 4-H Club week this year has been set aside mainly to help 4-H members check up on the efforts they have made so far in reaching their 1945 goals; to re-dedicate themselves to the ideals embodied in the 4-H Club pledge with particular reference to the 4-H war goals; and to reach still more young people with the 4-H program, because of the serious situation confronting the nation.

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## EDITORIAL

The beginning of a new and revised school program for Castro County begins this month with an election for consolidation of the Dimmitt, Cleo and Bethel Districts. For the past several years a number of the smaller districts of the county have been transferring students to the Dimmitt District, and in recent years practically all students from adjoining districts have been transferred to the local school, resulting in over crowding of the housing facilities, especially in the Grade School. The only feasible solution is the consolidation of the districts involved in order that additional housing facilities, adequate to care for present and expected needs, can be supplied. The election being called by the County School Board is the first step in permanently solving the county's knotty school problem. It is expected and hoped, that elections will be arranged for in other districts in the near future, so that the plans for a larger, successful, school program, one that will materially to the educational facilities and opportunities for the youth of our county, will materialize before any child in any part or section of the county is handicapped by the lack of a properly planned school program. The individual student profits by the additional advantages provided by an enlarged school and more complete instruction facilities. It is the duty and responsibility of the adults of the county to see that the proper educational facilities are provided for their children, and this can best be achieved through cooperative and united effort.

## BROADSTREET-CALOWAY VOWS ARE SOLEMNIZED

Mr. and Mrs. John Broadstreet are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Jo Ella, to Raymond Caloway, Soundman Second Class, son of Mrs. Violet Chrisman of Ft Worth, who is now home on leave from the U. S. Navy. The double wedding, with double ring ceremonies, which also united in marriage two close friends of the bride and groom, Miss Geraldine Kuykendall of Dallas and Melton Lee Overall also of Dallas, was performed in the Kuykendall home.

The bride is a graduate of Dimmitt High School class of '43 and since that time has been employed in the U. S. Civil Service in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. James went to Clovis, N. M., today, Thursday, to visit their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Donnell. Mrs. James will remain for a month's visit.

Rev. U. S. Sherrill attended the funeral services for Rev. T. C. Willett, who died Monday. Rev. Willett was pastor of the Muleshoe Methodist Church.

## Methodist Church

Not until Jesus came did men understand the meaning of Love, Mercy, and Compassion. Only in Him do we know their meaning today. Christ is the head of the Church. The best interests of every life are met in Christ Jesus and His Church. Give God a chance. Attend the services of the church in your community.

Sunday School—10:00 A. M.  
Praying—11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.  
MYF—7:15 P. M.  
Junior Missionary Group—7:15 P. M.

Ural S. Sherrill

## W. S. C. S.

The W. S. C. S. met Monday in the Church. The program which was greatly enjoyed by all present, was given by the young girls class of which Mrs. Brannan is leader. Following the program the ladies served refreshments.

W. S. C. S. will meet next Monday in a business and social meeting in the home of Mrs. E. L. Knight, with Mrs. May as hostess. Mrs. Neumayer will bring the devotional. Everyone is invited to attend.

## News From The CASTRO COUNTY WIND EROSION DISTRICT

**SUPERVISORS**—Barber Eubanks, Chairman; Raymond Annen, Secretary; R. A. Axtell, Orbin Nowell, Albert Springer

Approximately a carload of crested wheatgrass seed was sold in Castro County in 1944. This is sufficient seed to plant about 3,000 acres. Part of the plantings were in neighboring counties.

Observations of a large number of plantings under different conditions indicate that certain conditions are desirable in order to increase chances of getting a good early stand. These conditions are:

1. Plenty of protection by stubble and straw. Some of the best stands have been obtained on sudan stubble land where the ground was practically covered with sudan stalks.  
2. A firm seed bed. The ground should not be stirred in any manner between the last crop and drilling the crested wheatgrass. An exception to this is where the land is to be irrigated. Then it may be tilled, floated, and irrigated to firm it if necessary.  
3. Cover not more than three-fourths inch. Many plantings are lost because the seed is covered too deep. The secret is in planting so shallow that the first rain will bring it up before the ground dries out. The trashy cover helps to keep the ground moist at the surface.

Land that is to be planted in crested wheatgrass next fall should be drilled in cane or sudan this spring to provide a good stubble and plenty of trash. Sudan may be grazed lightly, or seed harvested,

## Hereford Breeders To Exhibit At Fat Stock Show Mar. 7

Castro County Hereford breeders will exhibit three bull calves at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show next week. All of the calves have been consigned by Castro County Hereford sale which will be held on March 7. Only top Hereford cattle are sold in this auction at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show, and these are the first animals that have been consigned to the registered breeders in the past several years.

Mr. George Burch of the Cleo community, long time Castro County Hereford breeder, will exhibit two bulls and consign both of them to the sale. These bulls were both shown at last year's Castro County Fair, and attracted much attention at that time. Both of the animals to be shown by Mr. Burch were bred by him and are a credit to the registered cattle of Castro County.

Haskell Robbins of the Frio community will exhibit one bull and consign him to the sale that is an annual affair at the Amarillo Show. Mr. Robbins states that he has a very good calf and one that would do any herd a lot of good.

Castro County has ten registered Hereford breeders, according to M. U. May, County Agent, and the entry of these animals by the above mentioned breeders in the Amarillo Fat Stock Show should do much to interest people in the good Herefords grown in Castro County.

## B&PW Announce Women for Posts

Leila Petty, President, Business and Professional Women's Club, working with Miss Margaret A. Hickey, St. Louis, Missouri, National President and Dr. Mattie Lloyd Wooten, Denton, State President, announces the following group of Texas women for inclusion in the Federation's Roster of Women for Policy Making Posts:

Judge Sarah T. Hughes, Dallas, judge  
Dr. Minnie L. Maffett, Dallas, physician and surgeon  
Mrs. Jack Little, Dallas, immediate past president, Congress of Parents and Teachers  
Mrs. John J. Perry, Sweetwater, Department of War Service of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. J. W. Walker, Plainview Dollar-a-Year appointee of the United States Treasury; and  
The Roster of Women for Policy Making Posts comprises the names of women from every state in the union who are by education, training, maturity of judgment and availability prepared to take a place in the council of policy-making bodies.

Women are interested in an ordered world to follow the war and they hope to take active part in achieving this better world. The handy list of well-qualified women for various activities will make it possible for appointing boards to have definite knowledge of the qualifications and the availability of women they might like to include in appointments.

## Ration Calendar

March 1 to April 1  
Sugar—Stamp No. 35 is good for five pounds sugar and it will be valid until June 2.

Meats and Fats—Book IV, red stamps Q5 through Z5 and A2 through D2 are good for 10 points each. E2 through J2 become valid March 4. Q5, R5 and S5 expire March 31.

Fat Salvage—Every pound of waste kitchen fat is worth two red points and 4 cents.

Processed Foods—Book IV, blue stamps X5 through M2 are good for 10 points each. N2 through S2 become valid March 1. X5, Y5, Z5, A2 and B2 expire March 31.

Shoes—Book III, stamps one, two and three, with airplane pictures, each good for one pair of shoes indefinitely.

Gasoline—(Coupons must be endorsed on front) A coupons, 4 gal. each with No. 14 expiring March 21. No. 15 coupons become valid March 22. B5, B6, C5 and C6 ratings have a value of 5 gal. each. R1 and R2, 5 gal. (valid for bulk delivery only); T coupons designated "First Quarter" good for 5 gal. through March 31; D, one and one-half gal.; and E1 and E2, one gal.

## RED CROSS ROLL CALL WAR FUND DRIVE BEGINS

According to an announcement this week by Mr. E. F. Harman, chairman of the Castro County Chapter of the American Red Cross, plans and organization for the 1945 Roll Call and War Fund drive in the county are complete. He urges the citizenship of the county to cooperate with community chairmen by making their Red Cross contributions as soon as possible in order that the Castro County quota may be reached during the first week of the campaign. The drive begins officially March 1 and continues through March 31.

Following are the chairmen and quotas for the various communities in the county:

Nazareth—Andrew Acker	\$275.00
Arney—Ray Cole	100.00
Flagg—Mrs. Ernest Jones	125.00
Rance—Mrs. L. J. Counselman	60.00
Summerfield—Mrs. L. B. Lookingbill	65.00
Frio—J. E. Andrews	100.00
Cleo—Mrs. A. A. Dodd	100.00
Easter—Mrs. L. E. Stone	65.00
Bethel—Mrs. Kay Roberts	120.00
Big Square—Mrs. Roy Haberer	125.00
Hart—Raymond Powell	275.00
Jumbo—Mrs. M. L. Simpson	125.00
Sunnyside—Mrs. Roy Axtell and Mrs. J. C. Gilbreath	175.00
Dimmitt—Mrs. L. A. Gladden	
Mrs. Frank Shepard, Henry Stakeup	
Bill Simon	
Percy Estes	
Bill Webb	
M. U. May	
L. G. Manning	1,000.00
TOTAL	\$2,530.00

## Hart Senior Play To Be Presented Friday, March 9

"The Patched Coat" by Pauline Phelps, under the direction of Mrs. Rose Powell, will be presented Friday, March 9, at the Hart High School Auditorium.

The story of the play is centered around a feud between two college fraternities. The class mascot has been stolen from the academy steeple, and the boy who can place it back there without being caught will get to choose his partner and lead the Grand March at the Fraternity Formal at the Academy.

Grandma is a charming old lady, who is not nearly so deaf as she pretends is played by Earline Goodman. Dinah, the colored maid, whose main design in life is to get a "no back evening dress", is portrayed by Pollyanna Smitherman. Dean Sanders plays the roll of Bert, the mischievous high school brother of the Hamilton Sisters. Effie Hamilton is a poor cousin who is living with the Hamiltons and working for her room and board while she is in college, is played by Sue Austin. Maybelle and Gladys Hamilton are played by Lucy Martin and Bonnie Hill are two lovely but haughty sisters who are in college and are very jealous of Effie. Jimmie Case and Oliver Atwater are the beaux of Gladys and Maybelle, and also members of the Phi Gamma Frat. Cecil Ray Jones and Jackie Oler play these roles. Jack Godfrey plays the part of Bobby Stearns, who is a member of the Spade and Shaves Society, and all the girls are willing to break their former dates to go with Bobby.

The scene takes place in the living room of the Hamiltons house. The time is the present.

Between act numbers will be: A "Grandma Dance" by Myra Newsom, Jane Phillips, Eleanor Jo Ledger, Royce Lynn Pyeat, Barbara Rose Powell, Jean Mills, Joan Youngblood, Sandra Sanders, Geneva McLain, Edith Rue Smitherman.

A Costume Duet, Rose Mary Sharp and Dean Phillips.  
A Skit, Cecil Hamm, Lonnie Jobe, Solo, Norma Jean Sharp, Solo, Homer Garrison.

Two other plays will be presented in the near future by the Speech 1 Classes. The winner of the three plays will go to Area Meet. Watch for dates and announcements later. Admission to "Patched Coat" will be 15 cents for grade school, 30 cents for High School and 50 cents for adults. Time is 8:45 P. M.



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LEGAL NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE, HANDLING, TRANSPORTATION, AND STORAGE OF ANY FORM OF MANUFACTURED OR LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GASES...

Section 1. That all persons, firms, or corporations who may, from and after the effective date of this ordinance, install or equip any residence, business house or apartment house...

Section 2. The fact that does building is located and situated within the corporate limits of the City of Dimmitt with any installation or equipment designed to use as fuel any form of manufactured or liquefied petroleum gases...

Section 3. Any such installation shall be a standard and type of equipment. Any system which uses any form of manufactured or liquefied petroleum gases must bear the label of approval or listing of the Underwriters' Laboratories...

Section 4. When any such equipment is installed as herein provided, same shall not be placed in operation or used unless and until said installation has been approved as complying with this ordinance...

Section 5. Any person, firm or corporation installing any such equipment as herein provided shall secure the approval of same as complying with the requirements of this ordinance by the City Secretary...

Section 6. All tank trucks and tank trailers used for the transportation of liquefied petroleum gases within the City shall be so constructed and operated as to comply with the regulations for the design, construction and operation of automobile tank trucks and tank trailers...

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Section 8. In the event any section or part of section or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the valid portions hereof, which shall be enforceable hereafter...

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CASTRO

WHEREAS, We, the County Board of School Trustees of Castro County, Texas, after full and complete consideration, have concluded that it is in the best interest of the School System of Castro County, and to the best interest of the scholars and patrons of such school system that the Cleo Independent School District, the Bethel Common School District of Castro County, Texas, be annexed to the Dimmitt Independent School District for the purpose of forming a Rural High School, as provided for in Article 2922-A, et seq., of the Revised Statutes of 1925, of the State of Texas, now in force and effect; and it further appearing that the County Board of School Trustees that such annexation of the said Cleo Independent School District, the Bethel Common School District, and the Dimmitt Independent School District to the Dimmitt Independent School District of Castro County, Texas, is in the best interest of the scholars and patrons of such school system, and that it is necessary that an election be held under and by virtue of the provisions of Article 2922-C of the Revised Statutes of 1925 of the State of Texas, as amended and now in force and effect.

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HART HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Six-weeks exams this week and we are proud to say that we did well. In fact, it makes us think.

In English III we have been giving book-reports. Some of the books were "Al Smith," "Roaring Camp," and "Gone With the Wind." They have all been very interesting.

In Agriculture, Mr. Powell has been teaching the boys to graft trees. The boys appear to like this work.

In Science, the students have been performing some very interesting experiments. They have made experiments with potatoes, meat, and various other things.

Algebra is well under way, with the elementary districts, and that it is hard for some of the students—but they seem to make passing grades. We sympathize with all the victims of Algebra. Although in this class we have some of our "A" students.

"Heart's Heart Beats" Bobby's heart is still beating for Geneva.

Cecil Ray's heart is beating a little fast for Patsy.

Earline's heart is beating for a little blonde-haired boy.

Billy's heart beats in still Phyllis. Louise's heart is beating for Weston (of Olton).

Sugar Coated News All you people get on those "sugar coats"—We haint got much time.

We wonder who Cecil Hamm is interested in. Cecil, why don't you tell us what girl you'd like.

Mildred Patterson and Polly Smithman went to two shows in one day. They said their boy friends took them. Who were they?

The Henderson twins, Lola and Nola, are both after the same guy. We hope the best one wins. Twins.

The way we hear it, Lavern Jones' boy friend lives in Tulsa. It couldn't be the one that came down the air plane, but it could be his buddy.

Could it be that Claude Cox and Jeanne Sharp are getting interested in one another? Come on I want to know on that.

Lavelle has her head set on that guy in P. V., and is getting more interested in him every day.

The Talk's Going Round That—Charles Sharp has an interest in Tulsa.

A lot of people enjoyed the band concert Friday night.

Everyone enjoyed the party that the Parent-Teachers gave us at the home of Mrs. Sharp.

Gus escorted Earline home from the party Thursday night.

Jack Godfrey and Dorothy Bearden were seen together at the Band Concert Friday night.

Bobby Bennett escorted Janice Boston home from the party.

Last Sunday Dorothy and Lucy went to Olton.

What little girl in Dimmitt has Lonnie Jobe swooning all over?

Theron Hawkins is a dream man for somebody. What you little girls waiting for? Somebody grab him—while grabbing is still in style.

War Strategy The war isn't half over, even though the Allies are gaining on the Germans, we have still got the Japs to beat, and with the colossal help of each and everyone on the homefront, victory is bound to be ours. But let's don't talk about it, let's do something about it, and buy that bond today, and keep on buying them, till it hurts, and then buy some more.

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DO YOU GRIPE? Are you a chronic griper? If you are then you had better stop while the stages are young.

When someone tries to help you, do you know it all, or are you too stubborn to admit you don't and try to make them think you do.

Yes, there are people like this all over the world. They are in the homes, in the schools, in public places or anywhere you look.

In the home when other members of the family tries to do something and does it wrong they are doing the best they can, so why fuss, yell and holler at them. They're just as human as anyone.

When a teacher puts all she or he has into something do you sit back, pay no attention, put nothing into it for yourself and then expect to get all there is to get out of it.

Do you, when you go to a store, fuss because you can't get the things you used to get? Do you accuse the clerk of hiding things when the notion strikes you to remember what your parents tried to teach you respect for the other person. Try to go halfway on everything and you'll find it won't be so hard to do.

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FRIO NEWS

(By Clark Andrews)

On Saturday night March 3, a play by local talent "Toby Doodle Dandy," will be presented at the Frio school house at 8:30. A small admission charge will be asked. Those who have parts are: Mrs. H. L. Lindley, Mrs. David Yandel, Miss Christine Lindley, Miss Cleo Jane Littrick, Leo Bedwood, Charles Pennington, Luther Dowdy, and Lee Roy Dowdy and are directed by Mrs. W. A. Springer. The public is cordially invited.

Beginning Thursday night March 3, a study course for Sunday School Enlargement will begin at Frio according to present plans, and will continue through Sunday night, the lessons to be held nightly. Rev. Allen plans to be present most of the time if he can so arrange his school work, and a work-

er from Plainview, whom Dr. Allen has chosen will be present each week. Those interested are most welcome.

Mr. Lowery is the owner of a new I. H. C. Truck. He made a business trip to Wellington during the week end.

Mrs. Berryman's mother has



L. Odus Hastings left Wednesday for Nashville, Tenn., after a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hastings. He had formerly been stationed at Reno, Nevada.

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**FLAGG NEWS**

Miss Peggy Younger of Texas Tech., Lubbock, and Pvt. Chas. Younger of Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, visited their mother, Mrs. Willie Younger and grandfather, Mr. Arch Johnson, last week-end.

Mrs. Will Johnson formerly of Seattle, and Mrs. Younger and Peggy and Charles are visiting friends in Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott, Cecil Ginn and Sid Sheffy were in Plainview Tuesday.

Geo. Bradford is quite busy moving the cotton gin from Flagg to Ropesville where he expects to have it ready for the fall cotton crop. Mr. McDaniels, moving contractor, is doing the work.

B. M. Nelson attended church with Rev. Sherril at Flagg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones at Springlake.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Aven and sons of Hart spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graef. Mrs. Aven is a cousin of Mrs. Graef.

Mrs. Clifton Dodson and children of Clovis, N. M., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Graef.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hair of Olton visited in the C. C. Graef home Saturday night.

Ivey Jean Parker of Paducah is visiting her cousin Mrs. Alvin Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chism and Mrs. Louis Coke and Tommy Sheffy were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Pete Coke.

Mrs. Jude Gossitt, Mrs. Louis Coke, and Mrs. James Buckley were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Elzie Teague and Mrs. Ernest Jones and Bob and Bill were business visitors in Amarillo on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Frazier visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ivey, of Pep, N. M., last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Damron and Lucille were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hayler in the Arney community.

Grover Frazier suffered a foot injury while working at the gin last Thursday. His foot was treated at Amherst.

**SUNNYSIDE H. D. C. NEWS**

Mrs. Dwight Axtell was hostess to the Sunnyside Home Demonstration Club February 20.

Our president, Mrs. Walter Hodges was in charge of the meeting. Roll Call was answered by "My Favorite Radio Program."

Question and Answers Concerning the Texas Home Demonstration Association—Mrs. Ray Riley.

Demonstration Association—Mrs. A. L. Behrends.

Mrs. Howard Bridges gave a report from Council. After our meeting we did Red Cross work.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Hubert Lilley, March 6.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to Mesdames A. L. Behrends, Howard Bridges, Ray Riley, Beuford Hayden, Ray Axtell, Sam Gilbreath, Walter Hodges, Hubert Lilley, and the hostess, Mrs. Dwight Axtell. Mrs. R. A. Ferguson and Mrs. O. C. Axtell were visitors.

**NAZARETH**

**P. T. A. Meeting Held**  
A very large group of members and guests attended the Parent-Teachers Meeting on Thursday evening, February 23. As it was guest night, each member was permitted to bring a guest.

After the business meeting Mrs. S. M. Carrell of Dimmitt gave an interesting talk on "What the P. T. A. Has Done For the Schools of the Nation." She included the work that has been accomplished by the local organization.

The entire high school presented a program for the entertainment of the crowd. The program was entitled "The Dances of the Continents." Various groups of students gave representative dances of each of the continents.

The meeting closed with the serving of refreshments to the patrons by the high school.

**Teachers Attend Meeting**  
Sisters Germaine, Victoria, Benedict Marie, and Donata, teachers of the Nazareth staff, attended the meeting of the local State Teachers Association that was held in Hart Wednesday, February 21. They reported that the meeting and program was very interesting.

At the election of officers during the meeting, Sister Germaine was elected president of the local association and Sister Benedict Marie was elected secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kleman and their son, Bernard, who is visiting at his home on a 3-day furlough from the Navy left for San Antonio Friday, February 23. They spent a week-end visit with another son, Lavern, who is studying at St. John's Seminary.

They returned home Monday, February 26. During their absence Florence Stork of Nazareth remained in the Kleman home.

Rita Beth Hyland, Nazareth High '44 graduate, who is attending Mount St. Scholastica College, Atchinson, Kansas, has sent her parents a copy of the Mount Mirror Magazine Section in which she has several poems published. This section is a special edition that is put out by the college only three times during the year, and it contains work of special merit. The school paper gave her credit for "being a poet of promise."

A party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmucker Sunday, February 25, for Lt. and Mrs. Arnold Schmucker of Ardmore, Oklahoma. Lt. Schmucker was married February 7 to Miss Shirley Crimean of Farmington, N. M. Mrs. Schmucker recently graduated as a cadet nurse.

Mrs. Mike Gerber and her sons, Henry and Leonard, left Thursday February 22, for San Francisco, Calif., where they will visit with Ray Gerber M. M. 2/c.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Birkenfeld recently made a trip to New Mexico to visit friends and relatives.

Elaine Albracht underwent a tonsilectomy in the Otheopathic Clinic in Amarillo Thursday, February 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hastings, Betty, Dorothy, Lt. Odus Hastings, and J. E. Harman went to El Paso for a last week-end visit with their son and brother, Pvt. Joe Richard Hastings.

**NAZARETH HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

**Editorial**  
Should high school seniors be drafted into the Army? There are many ways to answer that question. In the first place, it breaks up a senior class; second, after the boys learn they are in 1-A, they give up their studies and do nothing in school; third, this causes a hardship on the teachers as well as on their education, when in a few months, they would graduate and have credit a high school graduate; fifth, after once getting to high school, they seldom return to high school for the few months of training.

It must be admitted that the Army needs more boys to train. With our casualties getting greater and greater, certainly replacements are needed. Military training is also good for boys at eighteen. It makes them strong, gives them a different outlook on life, teaches them obedience, brings them into contact with more people, affords them travel, and often teaches them some trade.

However, even though the army needs these eighteen-year-old boys, and even though it does give them some advantages, this question might be considered: whether or not they should be taken out of high school just two or three months before they are graduated, or whether they should be allowed to graduate throughout the nation, and then drafted in one general draft immediately after graduation.

**Ruth Ann Fehr**  
The Freshman Class Report  
How we're wishing the weather man would make up his mind. We catch ourselves wondering what kind of weather we shall have next.

Our Science room is becoming a regular kitchen lately. On Friday we had boiled egg, and on Monday we had fried steak for experiments on digestion.

We were "on the case" again last Friday. Because of the women of the Nurses' Aid we had to use the office during class.

Hildagard seemed to have had a good time Sunday afternoon at a party, even though she wasn't there. What happened Hildagard? Please tell us?

**Mary Margaret Braddock**  
The Sophomore Class Report  
Such mean weather. Several of the Sophs had to miss school Monday on account of it. It came in at 11 o'clock in a truck.

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Don't we just love history tests! Oh, we know all about technology and big business, at least we think we do.

In literature we have finally got over those stories of horror and have started to read essays.

There was a large typing class Friday. What happened to two-thirds of the class? Having tests. Ellen Acker

Patsy Rawlings, student at Tex- rived home Monday for a visit in as State University, Austin, ar- the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rawlings.

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