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PAUL ZIMMERMAN SAYS—

Hello, Neighbor

Monroe May, our county agricultural agent, is really proud to have helped several county men in the purchasing of 15 registered cattle to be used as foundation stock for further breeding. "Castro farmers will be able to see a difference in the prices they receive for dairy products and cattle if a program of better breeding is followed during the next few years. And the fact the farmers are taking this step of their own initiative gives me hopes for the agricultural future of this county," County Agent May stated this week as he reported the purchases.

Remember Pearl Harbor

Another thing or two that will be the making of this county is the raising of more poultry and hogs, and the development of egg farms. There is reason that increased production along these lines be such that creameries and cheese factories will find it profitable to build in this section. There is an exclusive and large territory to be served here if the proper production and backing is secured. Everyone would benefit.

Remember Pearl Harbor

Another thing which will in time develop Castro County is the irrigation by pumping. For the past year Peerless Pump Co. has been telling the farmers thru the advertising columns of The News the advantages of their pumps in the development of irrigation. The first costs are rather high, but one has only to look at the rapid progress made around Hereford to realize the potential possibilities.

Remember Pearl Harbor

It is with "open arms" that we receive M. A. Kelly and his good wife back to Dimmitt. Yes, and it is also good news that we learn the Castro Wind Erosion and Soil Conservation Program for Castro County will be continued. Kelly "knows his onions" about this work and the farmers' committee are likely very happy to know that their program will continue. The soil in this section is not yet worn out and if properly protected will increase rather than decrease in value.

Remember Pearl Harbor

We feel almost as patriotic about paying our poll tax as we do about buying savings stamps. Why not? That is the essence of the thing we are fighting for. But be ready next week for the announcement of our quota in this county for savings bonds. We will break down the figure to find out just how much each individual in this county will have to buy in order to do his part. Then each of us will plan our own budgets to take care of more than that amount. Sure we will!

Remember Pearl Harbor

Castro County citizens are rising to the emergency of the occasion: See the list of donations to the Red Cross Emergency War Relief Fund on this page. We went over the quota by \$104.73. It was not exactly easy—but cooperation in a democracy can outstrip regimentation in each and every given. And to those who did not participate redouble your efforts in the coming months to make up in the purchase of Savings Bonds.

Remember Pearl Harbor

Supt. R. A. McCollum was telling us in front of the post office (as he licked the paste on his Motor Vehicle Tax \$2.00 Stamp and placed it on his car windshield) how at Dimmitt Hi put on a panel chapel program on "What My Organization Can Do for Defense." He is familiar with the students' activities and even with his understanding of the youngsters he was surprised at the ideas the students displayed on how to help in the national effort.

Remember Pearl Harbor

That rabbit-eating bunch of Methodists on the board of stewards in Dimmitt are always figuring out some way to get a good feed (and that means full stomach) just before tackling the congregation for money to bring the preacher's

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MOTOR STAMPS MAY BE SECURED

Postmaster Tom Bice announced this week that the Dimmitt post office now has on hand ready to issue Motor Vehicle Tax Stamps, which the Federal Government requires to be placed on all motor vehicles—passenger cars, trucks and pickups. The stamps will cost \$2.00, and must be stuck on the windshield or car windows in such a place as they will remain until the end of the fiscal year of the U. S. Government—or June, 1942.

Next June motor vehicle owners will be required to buy a new Motor Vehicle Tax Stamp during the month of June, which will cost \$2.00 and be good for one year. Cars bought each month thereafter will be required to secure such stamps for the remaining months at a decreasing rate of about 42c a month.

The Motor Vehicle Stamps must be secured before the last of next month and are being issued now effective February 1. Each person registering his car must fill out a card and mail the information thereon to the proper government agency printed thereon.

Postmaster Bice advises the public to secure these stamps as soon as possible so as to avoid a last-minute rush.

SEVERAL NEW CANDIDATES IN RACE FOR JOBS

TWO NEW DISTRICT CANDIDATES AND EIGHT COUNTY CANDIDATES HAVE ANNOUNCED FOR OFFICE

District Attorney Herbert C. Martin is asking the people of the 64th District to elect him to the office of District Judge, and J. R. (Billy) Hall is seeking the District Attorney's office, as announced this week in the political column of The News.

Eight county men are making the race so far, two for the Sheriff Assessor-Collector's office and five for commissioners' places. Ira Clingsmith, present commissioner of precinct 1, has announced he will not make the race. Ira has served two terms, and says he has his hands full now with farming.

T. R. Davis and John Lilley have announced for that place. In the other commissioner posts Sid Sheffy has announced for 2, J. O. Ayres for 3, and John Stork for post number 4.

Joe Hastings has announced for the County and District Clerk's post. In the Sheriff's race Garland Brown, incumbent, and John A. Nolen have thrown their hats in the ring.

To keep up with political announcements from week to week turn to The News Political announcement column on page four where all announcements will be listed.

Singing at Bethel

Castro County Singers will convene at Bethel Sunday afternoon for a singing session, officials of the organization announce this week. Any one interested in singing are cordially invited to join the organization.

SUNNYSIDE 4-H CLUB REPORT

The Sunnyside 4-H Club met at the regular meeting Friday. The program was on the yearbooks, goals, scorecards and scrapbooks. We learned some new songs and liked them very much.—Jesse Jo Lillie, reporter.

DIMMITT 4-H CLUB NEWS

We had a meeting Friday, Jan. 16, with Miss Ava Grindstaff as guest. She gave us our 1942 yearbooks. One new member was present.

We decided on our goals which we will work on during the year. The meeting was adjourned when the bell rang.—Meda Harris, reporter.

SMOKING TWO CIGARS

It was reported that County Attorney Swain Burket was smoking two cigars at once when he learned he was a father of an 8½ pound baby son Tuesday morning.

Biddy Goes to Work Early



America will need millions of eggs this winter, as part of the "defense food" production. Kathryn Hines, pretty 4-H club girl, shows Biddy that soldier hours will be expected. Many poultry producers follow this practice of turning on electric lights in hen-houses early in the morning during winter months. The practice compensates for the fewer hours of daylight and gives hens a full day of eating and laying.

J. A. Bagwells Celebrate Golden Wed Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon, Jan. 18, at their home in the Bethel community. The occasion was in the form of an open house to their friends and neighbors. Little Carolyn Ann Bagwell gave a very appropriate reading and presented her grandparents each with a corsage of yellow rosebuds. The two oldest granddaughters, Mrs. Christine McEntire and Miss Grace Marie Bagwell, pinned the corsages on the honored couple while Mrs. Leland Smith sang, "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," accompanied at the piano by Ray S. McEntire.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell presided at the "Guest Table." Miss Grace Marie Bagwell poured coffee. Mrs. George Bagwell baked a lovely angle food cake which occupied the center of the lace-covered dining table. Tall white candles in crystal holders decorated the table.

Friends and relatives present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gullion of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dempsey and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boethe of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust, Grace Louise and Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Spackman, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts, Mrs. J. S. McEwin, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan and Mary Elizabeth, Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Malone, Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Shwen and Georgia. Children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. Moss Howell and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell and little daughters, John Bagwell and Johnnie Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray S. McEntire and baby of Silveston, and Ivor Bagwell and son, Milton Ivor.

HOME DEM. COUNCIL WILL SPONSOR A "42" PARTY

The County Home Demonstration Council will sponsor a "42" party Tuesday night, Jan. 27, at 7:30 p. m. at the courthouse. Supper will be served cafe fashion, and will be followed by games of "42". Admission will be 35c each. The arrangements for the supper and the games of "42" are in charge of the Flagg Home Demonstration Club.

SON IN PANAMA

Mrs. J. H. Chism received a letter from her son who has been serving in the Army for six years. He says he is in Panama and says it is awful hot there—but he expects a "hotter time" later on.

RED CROSS WAR FUND REPORT

Castro County citizens may well be proud of the following report by communities of the War Emergency Red Cross Campaign just completed:

Dimmitt	\$625.92
Sunnyside	29.00
Hart	62.74
Fagg	7.00
Big Square	21.23
Bethel	40.05
Jumbo	46.21
Arney	29.25
Easter	5.50
Mulkey	17.50
Frio	14.00
Nazareth	66.33
TOTAL	\$904.73

REGISTERED CATTLE BOUGHT BY CASTRO MEN

COUNTY FARMERS BUY GOOD FOUNDATION STOCK—WILL DEVELOP BETTER CATTLE

Fifteen head of registered Jerseys were purchased by three Castro County farmers last week after an inspection of several herds around Dallas and Cleburne. Four Castro County men made the inspection with County Agent W. W. May. Making the trip were Frank Huseman of Nazareth, S. W. Lilley of Sunnyside, Raymond Davis of Hart, and Pete Coke of Fagg.

Among the cattle purchased was a two-year-old registered Jersey bull with one of the best production records back of his ancestry to be found on the Plains. Pete Coke purchased two cows and three heavy springer heifers. T. R. Davis purchased two bred heifers, and three heifers of breeding age, and S. W. Lilley bought one bull, one cow and three springer heifers.

The cattle were purchased from Reed and Butler of Trenton, who have been breeding registered Jerseys for many years and have bred one of the best herds in that section of the state.

The introduction of these registered cattle to Castro County is the first ever introduced by farmers alone to the county and will no doubt lay the foundation for better dairy cattle in the county. Before the addition of these cattle there were only two or three registered cattle in the county.

The four men who purchased these cattle are no doubt pioneering registered Jerseys in Castro County—which will affect the income of the farmers in this section for many years to come.

It is hoped that this is only the beginning and will mean more registered Jersey bulls will be added and every time such an animal is added to the county more dollars will be made by every farmer—which will do much to help make Castro County a leading agricultural county on the Plains.

Congratulations are in order to these men who have brought in these first cattle who have made the move that will improve the dairy cattle of Castro County each year. They are not only going to help improve the cattle but will do much to help increase the production of milk for the National Defense program and keep the production up in the future by improving the herds of the county by the distribution of better bulls.

McMahons Visit In California

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. McMahon and family were in California last week where they visited their son, R. V. Jr., at Kern County Airport, Bakersfield, Calif., and with Mr. and Mrs. D. Arcey Quinn at Los Angeles. They also visited with Mrs. Frank Winkle at Yuma, Ariz., while on the trip.

R. V. Jr., who is an aviation cadet, has been transferred twice recently, but is now at the Kern County Airport, which was recently purchased for the Federal Government Bomber Field. He expects to be there for awhile at least.

"Tell all the folks back home," Mrs. McMahon stated her son said, that I will not be allowed to write all, but I wish to thank everyone who has written me and sent me gifts recently.

CADET GOES TO N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hickman have received word that their son, Kelton J. Hickman, has been transferred from Ratout, Ill., to Long Island, New York. He is in the air corps.

VISITS WIFE

C. Walling of Munday spent week-end with Mrs. Walling, teacher.

TALKS OVER 7,000 MILES

James D. Redwiro, Castro County youth, called 7,000 from "where" in the War Zone to his brother, Truman Redwiro, back, know he was well—cost \$17.25.

THREE-MAN BOARD TO HEAD CITY-COUNTY OFFICE OF CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Local H. D. Clubs Will be Heard on Radio Program

The Castro County Home Demonstration Clubs will be represented in a broadcast over KFYO, Lubbock on Monday, January 26, at 1:45 p. m. The club members participating in the program will be Miss Hazel Merritt, Mrs. Barber Eubanks, Mrs. Noel Gollehon, Midway Club; and Mrs. C. D. Gilliam, Jumbo Club.

The program is in dialogue form with the setting being a Home Demonstration Club meeting after refreshments have been served. The dialogue presents an explanation of the Whole Wheat Demonstrations held in Dimmitt last summer and brings out educational points on the nutritive value of whole grain products.

Also to be heard on this broadcast will be Mrs. Noel Gollehon singing "America, the Beautiful" with Mrs. Carlos Reynolds accompanying her at the piano.

Got Any Old Rags, Boxes, Papers, Magazines, Razor Blades?

Next Saturday the Dimmitt Boy Scouts will make a collection of the town calling for old rags, magazines, newspapers, and pasteboard boxes. It is their desire that these items be tied into separate bundles, and Scouts will pick them up in a pickup.

People in rural section may aid the local Scouts in this work and at the same time be aiding in the National Effort, for Uncle Sam needs these articles in making proper packing for shells, boxes, etc. The rural people may leave their bundles at either of the local schools, Harman-Harman Implement Co., or The News office.

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A BOY, ADOPT ONE!

Dimmitt Lions Club voted at the regular Tuesday meeting to sponsor a Castro County Father & Son Banquet to include any father and his boy in this immediate vicinity who would like to have an interesting evening together, get some good eats, and hear an unusual program. The time of the "men only" affair will be Tuesday, February 10, at 7:30 p. m. The price will be announced later. Tickets will be on sale soon, and those interested in attending are asked to secure tickets as soon as possible so that the committee in charge will know how many to expect. Tickets may be secured from Earl Harrison, Paul Zimmerman and R. A. McCollum.

Some Boy Scouts and other boys from ages 9 to 18 will not have an opportunity to attend. The committee will arrange for these boys to attend if men with no sons will indicate they wish to take one.

The boys of today will be the men of tomorrow—and perhaps many of them will be fighting for us tomorrow.

If you have no son, adopt one for this Father & Son Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hickman have received word that their son, Kelton J. Hickman, has been transferred from Ratout, Ill., to Long Island, New York. He is in the air corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bills of Amarillo spent the week-end in Dimmitt with relatives.

Edgar Ramey, Ulys Davis and Ozro Stephens were chosen by County Judge Posie Cunningham and Mayor H. W. Golden to formulate the organization of the City-County Defense Council. Already the City Council has passed an ordinance which, when published this week, and the two succeeding weeks, provides authority for the Defense Council to enforce rules and regulations, under direction of the U. S. Army and Navy, for any equipment necessary for Civil Defense.

This is a serious matter, and although we may seem far removed from the source of bombing, Mayor H. W. Golden stated Tuesday, "we must be prepared for any National Emergency. Speaking for the City of Dimmitt, we must and are going to set up organization for proper Civil Defense, including a properly conducted blackout system." The City-County Defense Council, when completely organized, intends to have practice blackouts. Air Wardens will be appointed in the near future to assist in conducting blackouts. Other Civil Defense officers will be appointed for other parts of the county.

Garland Brown urged the public last week through columns of The News to pay their county and state taxes as well as their poll taxes before Feb. 1 and save the penalty. This week J. W. Skipworth, city secretary is reminding Dimmitt citizens that to save his patriotic, and to pay city taxes before Feb. 1 is one way to save on taxes. School taxes, as well as city, county and state taxes, impose a penalty also if not paid before Feb. 1st. School taxes are paid at the office of Harrison & Webb.

Specious claims for deferment on ground of essential industry also will get a reluctant nowhere, he said, while those with defective or inadequate teeth may find it harder to avoid native service than heretofore.

The draft need indicated at a press conference that few conceptions of the draft because of dependence might have been decided to especially where wives have in private industry after their husbands have been excused from the draft.

"Printer's Devil" in Bed County's Worst With Mumps

Dale Whitlow, "printer's devil" at The News, is in bed with the mumps this week-end. Dale is not especially fond of his "devil" but he probably took the "devil" with him.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Castro County News has been authorized to announce that the following candidates are running for the offices listed, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Personal Announcements

Herbert C. Martin Out for Dist. Judge

As your District Attorney, I have done my best to be worthy of the fine vote of confidence you gave me in electing me to the office of District Attorney by a strong majority vote in every county in this 64th Judicial District.

On the other hand, I consider a business before the petit juror has been handled in the same manner without any let down in the enforcement of the law—six major murder cases have been disposed of before juries with only one acquittal.

However, your grand jurors will tell you I am sure, that it has not all been prosecution—that many matters have been disposed of by the grand juries before reaching court by reason of the fact that there has always been a prompt disposal of those problems which may best be solved by human understanding and consideration rather than prosecution.

I consider it imperative that any man seeking the office of District Judge should be qualified both by legal training and by human experience to be able to best serve your interests.

John Lilley to Run For Com. Prec. 1:1

TO THE PEOPLE OF CASTRO COUNTY & PRECT. NO. 1:

I wish to announce my candidacy for Commissioner of Prec. No. 1, subject to the action of Democratic Primaries July 28. I will thank you for your vote and support in this race.

Billy Hall Running For Dist. Attorney

To the Voters of the 64th Judicial District, Composing Bailey, Lamb, Castro, Hale & Swisher Counties:

I in all ways mindful of the duties and responsibilities of the office of District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District, and in all ways realizing that there are many things to work out and hard work to do, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of District Attorney of the 64th Judicial District.

Candidates' Political Calendar

- FOR DISTRICT JUDGE: HERBERT C. MARTIN
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY: J. R. (Billy) HALL
FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR: JOHN A. NOLEN
FOR COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK: JOE HASTINGS
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECT. NO. 1: T. R. DAVIS, JOHN LILLEY
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECT. NO. 2: SID SHEFFY
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECT. NO. 3: J. O. AYRES
FOR COMMISSIONER PRECT. NO. 4: JOHN C. STORK

gitating me and if you believe I am qualified to give you the kind of service you are entitled to, and that I will work in all ways to your interest, then I will highly appreciate your vote and influence and will guarantee you that if you see fit to vote for me and say a good word for me, that no one will appreciate that vote and good word as much as J. R. (Billy) Hall.

Sid Sheffy Asks Another Term as Com. Prec. No 2

TO THE PEOPLE OF CASTRO COUNTY & PRECT. NO. 2: I wish to thank you for your vote and support in past elections. Having served as your commissioner for the past 3 years, I feel that I am better qualified to serve, and am asking you that you return me as your commissioner in the coming election.

Joe Hastings Out For County Clerk

TO THE PEOPLE DIMMITT AND ALL OF CASTRO COUNTY: I am now ready to shed my overalls and put on a bow hat and a white collar and serve you again as your County Clerk. If you so desire, the lumber yard at which I have been working has closed its doors, so I am eligible for another job.

LEGAL NOTICE

BLACKOUT AND AIR RAID PROTECTION ORDINANCE

An ordinance relating to Air Raid Protection; Authorizing Blackout and Air Raid Protection orders, Rules and Regulations; Prescribing Penalties for Violation thereof; and Declaring an Emergency. WHEREAS, a state of war exists between the United States of America and Japan, Germany, and Italy, and the defense of the United States of America is in the hands of the Army and Navy; and WHEREAS, in modern warfare no city, however distant from the enemy, is free from attack; and WHEREAS, lights at night time are a definite aid to the enemy in reaching military and other objectives; and WHEREAS, Blackouts, when ordered by the Army or Navy are essential to the preservation of life and property in this city, and it is imperative that the City of Dimmitt aid the Army and Navy by all possible cooperation and assistance; and WHEREAS, Failure to extinguish lights when ordered to do so by duly authorized authorities may result in loss of life by thousands of the residents of the City of Dimmitt as well as the residents of other parts of the Nation when lights in this city are used as a guide to other objectives; and WHEREAS, Failure to comply with orders, rules and regulations governing excavations, traffic movements, congregation of persons in streets and other public places will result in confusion and unnecessary loss of life both during blackouts and during air raids in the daytime, now therefore.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

- LARD Wilson's Pure 8-Lb. Carton \$1.29
4-Lb. Carton .67
ENGLISH PEAS, 2 medium cans 19c
TOMATO JUICE CHB. 3 tall cans 25c
PORK & BEANS (Vancamp) 3 - 16-oz. cans 23c
COFFEE White Swan, 1-lb. can 32c
BAKING POWDER, Gold Table, 2 - 12-oz. cans 15c
OLEO, Wilson Golden Brand, 1-Lb. 17c
PECANS, in shells, 2 Lbs. 25c
SPUDS 10 LBS. 29c
ORANGES, 252 California Sunkist, dozen 23c
CRANBERRIES, Fancy red - 2 qts. 25c

Market Specials

- SALT PORK, No. 1, per pound 19c
BEEF PORK, nice and tender, lb. 21c
STEAK, Loin, nice and tender, lb. 28c

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Section 1a. A "blackout" is hereinafter defined as any period of time designated by United States Military or Naval Authorities for extinguishing or effectively screening lights of all kinds. During such period it shall be unlawful:

(1) For any person in the occupancy or in the possession or control of any building or structure to fail to turn out or cause to be turned out all exterior lights thereon or connected therewith.

(2) For any person to allow any light in any house, room or apartments, lodging houses and office buildings shall be responsible for all exterior lights, lights in passageways, stairways, halls, corridors and other spaces not occupied by tenants or other persons and in all unoccupied rooms, apartments or offices.

(3) For any person excepting as may be herein otherwise provided to display or allow to shine, any light in any open space, or for any person owning or controlling any sign to allow the same to be illuminated or any light to be displayed therefrom.

(4) For any person to drive an emergency vehicle with the lights on unless screened and shielded according to regulation promulgated by the Mayor or by United States Military or Naval Authority.

(5) For any person to place or leave any vehicle or any obstruction of any character in any public street, avenue or alley in such a manner as to obstruct traffic, fire hydrants, or exists from public places.

Emergency vehicles shall be those designated as such by the Mayor, shall exhibit on the front windshield an insignia to be designated by him, and all lights thereon shall be shielded in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by him.

In extinguishing or turning off electric lights in any building or structure the main switch should not be used for such purpose.

When deemed necessary for the protection of the public safety the Mayor shall make rules and regulations to be observed during "blackouts" in addition to those prescribed in this ordinance which shall have the force and effect of law until repealed.

Section 2. General Orders, Rules and Regulations to be in Writing. All orders, rules and regulations authorized by this ordinance for the conduct of the general public shall be in writing and shall be available for public inspection at the place and during the hours fixed by the Mayor (or other authorized official).

Section 3. Orders, Rules and Regulations, Effective Until Repealed by Council. Any order, rule or regulation promulgated pursuant to the authority conferred by this ordinance shall be in force and effect from the time of promulgation until amended or repealed by the Mayor (or other authorized official) or until repealed by the City Council.

Section 4. Appointment of Special Fire and Police Force and Air Raid Wardens—Identifying Emblem. The Mayor may appoint for a specified time as many special or auxiliary firemen and policemen and air raid wardens, without pay, from among residents of the City as may be deemed advisable for service in connection with any blackout or air raid protection measure. During the term of service of such auxiliary firemen and policemen and air raid wardens, they shall possess all the powers and privileges and perform all the duties as may be set out by law, ordinance or rules and regulations pursuant thereto. They must wear such identifying emblem as may

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order, rule or regulation issued pursuant thereto shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not exceeding One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars.

Section 5. Unauthorized warning or All-Clear Signals Prohibited. Any unauthorized person who shall operate a siren or other device so as to simulate a blackout signal or air raid, or the termination of a blackout or raid, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance.

Section 6. No Municipal or Private Liability. This ordinance is an exercise by the city of its governmental functions for the protection of the public peace, health and safety and neither the City of Dimmitt, the agents and representatives of said city, or any individual, receiver, firm, partnership, corporation, association, or trustee, or any agents thereof, in good faith carrying out, complying with or attempting to comply with, any order, rule, or regulation promulgated pursuant to the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable for any damage sustained to person or property as the result of said activity.

Section 7. Lights During Blackouts Declared Public Nuisance. Any light displayed contrary to any order, rule or regulation promulgated pursuant to the provisions of this ordinance constitutes a public nuisance and when deemed necessary in order to protect life or property during a blackout or air raid the police, or the special police authorized herein, are authorized and directed to enter upon any premises within the City, using reasonable force, and extinguish lights or take other necessary action to make effective any order, rule or regulation promulgated under the authority conferred by this ordinance.

Section 8. Conflicting Ordinances, Orders, Rules and Regulations Suspended. At all times the orders, rules and regulations made and promulgated pursuant to this ordinance shall be in effect, they shall supersede all existing ordinances, orders, rules and regulations insofar as the latter may be inconsistent therewith.

Section 9. No Conflict with State or Federal Statutes. This ordinance shall not be construed so as to conflict with any State or Federal statute or with any Military or Naval order, rule or regulation.

Section 10. Penalties for Violations. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance or any

raids, it is necessary that appropriate regulations be promulgated by the City of Dimmitt and put immediately in effect, and the lack of such regulations creates an urgency and an emergency in the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety requires that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law, and it is accordingly so ordained.

Passed and approved this 19th day of January, A. D. 1942.

H. W. GOLDEN, Mayor
J. R. GOLLEHON, R. E. WILSON, Aldermen
ATTEST: J. W. Skipworth, City Secretary.

It's Me Again, Folks... Stub Jones ran my picture once before in The News, but since then I have had the mumps, measles, flu, and a nasty cold—but, the doc gave dad a prescription and I got it filled at Castro Drug—and now I am ready to wrestle and fight the Japs. You know, folks, Sub has some new booths at his drug store and if I wasn't a girl-hater I'd take my date there and buy her a soda! CASTRO DRUG Prescriptions A Specialty - - - - - PHONE 99

City Taxes Due Before Feb. 1st

Folks, in connection with National Defense, our National Government is stressing Thrift. Your City Government, too, would like to see you pay your 1941 taxes before Feb. 1st AND SAVE THE PENALTY! We are servants of the people, and make this effort to remind you that you will SAVE by promptly paying your City Taxes.

City of Dimmitt J. W. Skipworth, City Secretary