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## Grain Differential To Be Removed From Dimmitt Freight Rate

## Castro Citizens Attend Various Fourth Of July Celebrations

### WILL MEAN MUCH TO THIS SECTION

WILL MEAN MUCH TO THIS LOCALITY AS GRAIN CAN BE CHEAPLY SHIPPED

Months and years of tireless effort on the part of several interested parties to remove the grain differentials at Dimmitt was rewarded the fore part of the week when the following telegram was received by C. O. Byrnes: "Texas Railroad Commission is issuing order today to be effective five days after publication by carriers but not later than July twenty-fourth cancelling grain differentials at Dimmitt stop after July twenty fourth your maximum common point rate will be thirty three cents on wheat and twenty nine half cents on coarse grains stop please give this information to Edgar Ramey, Singer, Whitlow and others interested and accept my congratulations.

D. R. Simpson, Tex-O-Kan Flour Mills

Since the completion of the railroad into Castro county Dimmitt has been penalized with a freight rate of one cent per hundred pounds. It was agreed by railroad officials that after two years this rate would be removed, however at the close of the period agreed the differential still held and the matter brushed aside with little or no consideration. The fight was continued and convincing data assembled for hearings on the disputed rate before the commission. Many trips to Austin and other contact points were made at considerable expense and loss of time by local citizens and as the local cause gained strength and support from the powerful milling and elevator enterprises of the state more and more attention was directed to the claims of the Dimmitt folk until the railroad conceded the victory announced in the telegram.

When effective Dimmitt will enjoy just as cheap a freight rate as any point in the Panhandle, equal to Hart, Hereford, Tulia and other cities. In past years this has been quite a handicap to the shippers in this place and in one elevator alone has cost over \$18,000.00.

Dimmitt is justly proud of the rate change and especially is appreciative of the wonderful work and cooperation of the men who have made this possible.

### HIGHWAY WORK IS PROGRESSING

SWISHER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ANXIOUS TO GET PAVING LAID ON NO. 86

Work is progressing nicely on the finishing grade and drainage of Highway No. 86 East to the Swisher county line. The contour of the shoulders and bar ditches of the new roadway are being gently sloped and it will not be long until travelers over that road will have a perfect right-of-way over which to drive.

Judge McCasland and Editor Engleman of Tulia were callers on the writer Tuesday afternoon and expressed hope for the co-operation of the Castro County commissioners court in securing paving for Highway 86. The Swisher County court has secured the right-of-way for the highway through its county and they are working tirelessly for a connecting link of paving between Castro and Swisher counties.

### HART HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB TO SEND DELEGATE

The Hart Demonstration Club met June 27, with Mrs. Bill Johnson. Roll call was answered with advice given to the delegate going to the A & Short Course at College Station.

Those present were Mesdames L. G. Sears, Alvin Pricer, Frank Brown, Charlie Priddy, Lonnie Nash, Reed, C. C. Rice, Claud Stewart, Bob Duff, Percy Hart, Gob Whitlow, Ray Jones and the hostess.

### DIMMITT BEATS HART SUNDAY

LOCALS CHALK UP FIRST WIN OF SEASON SUNDAY BEAT HART 10 TO 7

The Dimmitt baseball team won its first game of the season last Sunday when they defeated the fast Hart nine on the local diamond by a score of 10-7 before a good crowd of fans.

With a crippled and revamped line-up the homehings presented a hustling club that jumped into a lead in the first inning and held to it stubbornly throughout the contest to beat off rally after rally of the invading Hart team.

Taking advantage of a streak of wildness on the part of the visiting hurler who walked the first three men and which was followed by a pair of sizzling singles by new additions to the home club the score board showed a trio of tallies to start off the game. The invaders however refused to admit defeat and came right back to score two runs and climb back in the ball game. Again the homehings pulled away but not for long as Hyatt developed a sore arm and was relieved under a fire of drives in favor of Webb, local high school star. The youths' fast ball worked like magic as it flicked past the batters to turn in strike outs on the first three men to face him. After that he was never in much danger and worked easily to coast in behind the nice lead.

Raymond (Hack) Wilson, Ray Cowsert and the Newton brothers are expected to be back in shape for the remaining games of the season and with them available the Dimmitt fans may well expect many diamond thrillers the remainder of the season.



From The Castro County News' Washington Correspondent

SCORES SHIPBUILDERS MITCHELL CHARGES FLOP BUSINESS CONCERNED NO NEW RECOVERY LAW ICKES DEFENDS THE PWA THE 1936 LINE DRAWN CONGRESS SHOWS SPEED ROOSEVELT ASKS ACTION ANXIOUS ABOUT HOOVER THE NEW TAX PROPOSALS

That some private shipbuilders

### GOLLEHON SERVICE STATION NOW CONTINENTAL SYSTEM

Arrangements were culminated during the past week which saw the transfer of the Gollehon Service Station to one of the Continental Oil Company system. Fred Boswell, local Continental Oil Company distributor states that the new change will give the customers of the Gollehon Service Station the most up-to-date service systems in this part of the Panhandle. Only the finest of petroleum products. Continental, will be handled by the station and that in all its different phases. Of course the noted Conoco Ethyl and Bronze gasoline will be featured to give the automobile owners of this city and county the finest of motor fuel.

The station was opened under the famous Continental red triangle this Saturday with favors being given all customers with their purchases.

The station will be managed by the same personnel as in the past and they ask their old customers and all motorists to drive by and get acquainted with their new products.

are certainly not above suspicion of willingness to wave the flag or circulate war scares in the plain and simple interests of their own pocketbooks" is the conclusion of the Senate Munitions Committee, which says that their record, since 1927, "has not been an entirely pleasant and wholesome story." This just about summarizes the situation, but it comes as no surprise to those who have kept up with the revelations before the committee. That ships built in private yards cost several million more than those constructed in navy yards caused the senators to criticize the Navy Department for not having some "yardstick" with which to accurately measure the difference in cost.

The charges of Ewing Y. Mitchell, aired before a Senate committee, do not amount to as much as one thought because the witness, repeatedly asked to specify the facts to support his contentions, contented himself for the most part with rehearsing items uncovered by previous inquiries. If he hoped that Republican members would take up the issue he managed his testimony very badly, time after time straying to alleged derelictions of the Commerce Department prior to the present administration. His audience dwindled as the hearing continued, and the former official reiterated his statement that he had no direct evidence of graft or corruption.

Business leaders, we are advised, are showing some concern over cancellation of orders, which have developed since the death of NRA, and officials of the new organization fear that a sharp decline in activity may develop. Field agents report much price-cutting and widespread use of "loss leaders" by big and little stores. They also assert that labor standards are being cut. These evils appear in the consumer's goods industries, the service trades and in small establishments generally. In the manufacturing industries labor standards continue to be unstandard. Apparently the cancelled orders come in through anticipation that removal of wage and hour restrictions will mean cheaper prices and that there is no use in holding on to orders placed at prices under the old order.

Just now the idea is that Congress will go home without enacting any new recovery law, but industry will be invited to submit

### COTTON CHECKS ARE BEING GIVEN

CASTRO COUNTY RECEIVES OVER \$5,000.00 IN COTTON POOL CHECKS

Over \$5,000.00 in more than 400 checks were received the fore part of the week by the county agent from the government cotton certificate pool at Washington.

The sum represented the final payment of \$3.54 per bale on cotton certificates pooled last year. It is the final distribution of the checks on the 1934 pool.

Notices have been mailed and payment is being made in the local office of the County Agent.

### RAY COWSERT IS MADE LIEUT.-COL.

LOCAL COUNTY ATTORNEY IS ACCORDED COMMISSION ON GOVERNOR'S STAFF

A Dimmitt and Castro County citizen was accorded a signal honor last week end when Ray Cowsert, county attorney, received his commission and appointment as Lieutenant-Colonel on the staff of Governor James V. Allred. The honor comes as a distinct surprise to Mr. Cowsert and is a result of the splendid record made by the young local attorney. The News extends its sincere congratulations together with the whole community to Mr. Cowsert for the deserved honor and hopes other such recognitions may be forthcoming in the future.

voluntary codes with the understanding that they will not be passed on until the future NRA policy is decided upon. The President points out that since the Court decision lawyers have been searching for a substitute law and that once they thought a suitable act could be based on the right of Congress to define "interstate commerce" but that further study revealed difficulties. While the study continues there is not much prospect for immediate success or legislation.

Secretary Ickes, PWA administrator, issued a vigorous defense of his policies in his recent book, dedicated to President Roosevelt, just as Harry Hopkins seems to be the man of the hour insofar as spending the work relief fund is concerned. Mr. Ickes freely admits that mistakes were made but he insists that he has kept politics out of his organization, which allotted only \$2,506,000,000 and had more than a billion of that tied up by unsurmountable legal difficulties. He points out that the prosperity level of public construction exceeded ten billions of dollars annually and that this sum was totally inadequate to end all unemployment. He insists that PWA kept an average of 500,000 men at work on construction sites in 1934 and provided jobs, directly and indirectly, for 2,900,000 more.

The general opinion is that the Republicans will put their faith next year in the conservatism of the past without any effort to attach unto themselves dissatisfied Democrats, and that the Roosevelt strategy is a play to the left, which will line up all those that range from mild liberalism to extreme radicalism. The famous "grass roots" conference was taken as an indication of the atti-

### BAPTIST AUXILIARY OFFICERS MET JUNE 29TH

The officers of the Women's Missionary Union Auxiliary to the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Kirkpatrick, June 29 in a business meeting.

The devotional service was led by Mrs. Vernon Shaw, with a prayer by Mrs. Sparkman.

Quarterly reports were given by the following: Education, Mrs. Dowell; Personal Service, Mrs. Boothe; Benevolence, Mrs. Whitlow; Stewardship, Mrs. Key; Missions, Mrs. Gollehon; Mission Study, Mrs. Musick; Periodicals, Mrs. Kenmore; Young People, Mrs. Maples.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Burch, Boothe, Key, Schooler, Youts, Stephens, Whitlow, Kenmore, Shaw, Sparkman, Dowell, Musick, Singer, Maples, Gollehon and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnett and daughter of Lubbock were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elder Tuesday.

Miss Tina Mae Wright left Friday for an extended visit in Lubbock.

tude of the Republicans and the course of the President in the past two weeks has been ample sign of his policy. This practically means a continuation of the fight of 1932, with new personalities perhaps, but the same fundamental clash between those who believe in the old order and those who demand something different.

President Roosevelt, following the NRA decision, has insisted upon a broad program of legislation and Congress has responded with a burst of speed that promises adjournment with almost a clean slate. The "must" list has been getting action, with many Republican votes scattered in support of various measures. As a general observation, the reader may put it down that the President will get what he wants, viewed as a whole, even if he has to accept some compromises.

The flurry over the proposed new tax legislation, which was at first regarded as a campaign gesture by many business men, indicates that the plan will go through without serious objection. Moreover, the tax suggestion cuts the President definitely from any flirtation with the Big Business, while anxious for recovery, was perfectly willing to wait on it until it came without obnoxious reform legislation.

A campaign on straightout lines, between Liberals and Conservatives, would cut party lines generally, with many Democrats turning conservative. It would give a definite answer to what the American people want. If the conservatives win, as many think they will, the nation will head back towards the attitudes of the past but, if on the other hand, the President is again endorsed by the people, the impetus that it will give to his leadership will undoubtedly hasten what many New Dealers insist is an organized and orderly revolution.

With this line of battle definitely drawn, Republican leaders will attempt to "smoke out" Mr. Hoover by making him declare his position by stating definitely whether he is an actual candidate for the 1936 nomination or not. The activity of his friends in the South and West, it is contended, give color to the belief that he wants to run again. His opponents insist that this is keeping some Republicans from re-

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### ARNEY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB IN FINE MEET

The Arney H. D. Club met in an all-day "foundation garment pattern" meeting at the home of Mrs. G. L. Russel, June 25. Enough of the patterns were made to make out club 100 percent on foundation patterns. An enjoyable dinner hour was well praised.

Those present were Mesdames Russel, J. Morris, V. Norman, W. Graham, Ruth Bland, Pete McFarland, Miss Izora Clark, Demonstrator and Mrs. Glenn, a visitor for the day, and the children of each present.

The group adjourned to meet again, June 27 at the home of Mrs. Walter Graham for achievement reports of the demonstrators, Mrs. Norman and Graham will be heard.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Miller and son spent Sunday in Hereford. Attorney Swain Burkett transacted business in Dallas this week.

### NEWS IS ON TOP OF BALL LEAGUE

HIGH SCHOOL SUFFERS THIRD STRAIGHT DEFEAT AND DROP IN STANDING

Base hits rained a booming barrage of tallies in all the games played in the softball league this week as pitchers were hit hard and often while the support was nothing to shout about.

The rush of the High School team which marked the opening weeks of the league has apparently been subdued and their standing in the league is receding speedily as they marked up their second and third straight defeats at the hands of the News and General Motors' clubs. It may be said however, that several of their regular players are out of the city.

This week ends with a new club holding the honor position of the league. The News team enjoying a half-game lead over the General Motors and High School, by virtue of their fourth straight conquest at the expense of the High School lads Monday by a score of 16 to 7.

The General Motors club rallied following their stunning defeat by the powerful Lumber team last Friday by a score of 9 to 2 and loosed their big guns against the school boys to blast out a record 32-15 score which was aided by erratic fielding on the part of the youngsters.

The Druggists reached up from their lowly cellar position Tuesday afternoon to drag the Bakers into a tie for the bottom with a 21 to 15 win after coming from behind in the latter innings.

From the appearance of the teams at the present time the game between the Lumbermen and the News on July 12 will be one of the best and most hotly contested ever played here and both clubs are attempting to have their full playing strength present for the game.

Club	W	L	Perc't
News	4	2	.667
H. S.	4	3	.571
General Motors	4	3	.571
Lumbermen	3	3	.500
Bakers	2	4	.333
Druggists	2	4	.333

Schedule this week  
News vs. Bakers, July 8.  
Druggists vs Lumbermen, July 9  
General Motors vs Bakers, July 11.  
News vs Lumbermen, July 12.

### 4TH CELEBRATED HERE QUIETLY

VARIOUS ATTRACTIONS ATTRACT DIMMITT CITIZENS ON FOURTH OF JULY

With no especial program in Dimmitt for the fourth of July the citizenry of this city and of Castro County celebrated the birthday of the Independence of our great nation in various means and at widely scattered points.

The big celebration and party at the state park at Hereford attracted the majority of the folks of this community to enjoy the variety of events including rodeo, ball game, fireworks, barbecue and platform dance. Others attended the opening speedboat races and other aquatic sports at Amarillo while still others made excursions to various other cities holding celebrations and to the Carlsbad Caverns.

Then there were those who very sensibly stayed at home, evaded the blistering sun and other inconveniences and truly enjoyed a day of restful celebration.

In all, every one reports a grand time and all the more satisfying is the fact that no casualty of any kind was reported during the day from this locality although the nation reports its usual toll.

ELIZABETH ROUTH CIRCLE WILL MEET MONDAY JULY 9

The Elizabeth Routh circle of the First Baptist church met at the church with five members present last Monday.

A lesson from "Missions in the Bible" was taught by Rev. Shaw. The next meeting of the circle will be held at the church July 8 at 4 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bente and Miss Kathleen Rothwell spent the week end in Estelline.

Mrs. Ida Thomas and daughter, Miss Virginia, of Marfa were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thomas.

Misses Florette Meek and Zonell Brown and Messrs. Marlor and Louie Swette attended the show in Hereford Monday evening.

Ray Sheffey was a Plainview business visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Maples of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Maples were Plainview visitors last Wednesday.

L. V. Hils transacted business in Crowell this week.

### FEDERATION OF OFFICERS MEET 9TH

EXECUTIVE BOARD TO HOLD FIRST MONTHLY MEETING TUESDAY, JULY 9TH

The executive board of the Castro County Federation of Womens' Clubs will hold its first monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon, July 9, at the home of Mrs. Mark Cowsert. Each officer of the Federation also each local club President are urged to be in attendance as there is a great deal of business which will be up for disposal.

D. Johnson of Mount Pleasant and Keith and Spurgeon Johnson of McLean are here on business. Mr. Spurgeon Johnson began the construction of a new home on his farm, two miles from town. Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Armstrong and son are vacationing in Sweetwater and Dora.



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STATES' RIGHTS, ALRIGHT

It seems under the Constitution that every state has a right to make a fool of itself, and before this Young Democrat-Elliott Roosevelt matter is finally closed, Texas will likely have availed itself of the provision.

After all, it was poor judgement on the part of the Young Democrats in ever naming Elliott Roosevelt an active official in their state organization. It was poor judgement on his part to have accepted the post, and the Amarillo episode was predicted even before it happened.

The fact is the American people, East, West, North or South, resent any semblance of the "crown prince" stuff, and untoward events usually follow, regardless of the well-intentioned motives of those connected.

Elliott Roosevelt ought not be made to resign by Texans. . . that would be poor taste on the part of Texans, but delicacy might suggest a quiet withdrawal on his part, which would be a display of taste and judgement worthy of the most honorable.

The above editorial from the pen of Editor Sam M. Braswell of The Clarendon News will perhaps be of interest to the members of the Young Democratic organization of this county, and there is a great deal of truth in the foregoing paragraphs, however, Editor Braswell has no doubt been misled from the actual feelings and policies of the Young Democratic Club of Texas by the recent press releases emanating from the disgruntled clique within the Dallas club who were using any and every method to gain a little place in the public eye following their pitiable failure to control the Amarillo State convention.

While the Amarillo conclave was of the torrid character it was concluded with nothing but the kindest of feelings existing between the State organization and the Governor of Texas and the Roosevelt boys, James and Elliott. To those who were not familiar with the real inner-workings of the state organization perhaps such impressions of "poor judgement" did arise. . . but for which there is no just grounds.

The Dallas group, still indignant from the sound walloping administered them last year in their own convention by a well organized West Texas delegation, arrived in Amarillo with the express purpose of taking charge and firstly made the mistake of silently championing the disgruntled and radical "college group", thus making them a tool for their own selfish ends. A solid West Texas block however held the unstable convention intact and repulsed whatever attempt to disrupt procedure along orderly and democratic rules.

The presence of both James and Elliott Roosevelt at the convention was a fine thing and each made brilliant addresses. Of course both men upheld the principles and actions of the President, as any boy would his dad. Of course, the convention disapproved of certain policies of the New Deal and upheld Governor Allred's "states' rights" policy, in spite of the distinguished guests. But the point we wish to make clear is that no condemnation for either and particularly Elliott was voiced either on the floor or in any caucus. His impromptu debate with Governor Allred following the Executive's brilliant address in open session was a fine piece of work and withheld any personalities which the Dallas group would have the uninformed believe. Elliott only voiced his convictions. . . and who didn't at that convention?

The Young Democratic Clubs are destined to become one of the most powerful and influential organizations ever to become established in the United States, and in spite of minor grudges within individual units the policies and aims of the organization will be deciding factors in coming political wars.

While speaking of the Demo Convention may we take this opportunity to tell of a very humorous incident which occurred immediately following a lengthy debate upon whether or no the convention would accept the resolution upholding "States' Rights". One brother delegate clamored for the floor and despite the handicap of an overindulgence in the democratic freedom of the previous evening's festivities, gained recognition and amid flowery gestures stated that the convention "very cleverly retained something we never had".

THE NAUGHTY GOVERNMENT!

Well, boys and girls, here is more evidence that the government should get out of business and not interfere with the profits of the individual.

The Senate Munitions' Committee tentatively reports that the navy, in calling for bids on warships, is "at the mercy" of private shipbuilders and has to take the low bid regardless of what it is. Moreover, it is indicated that "the private yards cost the Government from one to two million dollars more per cruiser than the navy yards."

This won't do! The government has no right to build its own warships and keep private corporations from getting million-dollar rake-offs. It has no business blundering in ship construction or exhibiting the well-known inefficiency of the government.

When the nation wants a navy the idea is to let the shipbuilders hold a consultation, decide how much profit they will be satisfied with, and all the government has to do is pay for the ships! That will be enough.

THE CHURCHES GROW

While statistics as to the growth of churches are to be taken with some reservations, because they are sent in by the churches themselves, the fact that these figures show that all of our leading religious bodies have recorded gains over a period of seven years may be taken as an indication that religion is not yet as dead as some people would like to make out.

There are, we understand, about 240,000 ministers in the nation, or about one for every 500 persons. The presumption is that there are as many churches. Last year, according to the Christian Herald, there was a gain of 1,222,064 in the memberships of churches and religious bodies, which brings the total above 62,000,000—approximately half of the population.

WORTH MORE THAN A TITLE

We don't know how long the Hon. James J. Braddock will remain heavyweight champion of the United States and the world, but he has something of a record worth noting.

About a year ago he was on relief, receiving altogether some \$367 from the government to take care of himself and family. What of it? Well, the other night before he won his title he forced the New Jersey relief administrator to take his note for that amount and since the fight he has paid it in full before it became due.

Evidently, he believes in paying his bills even when there is no law to make him do so. That is worth more than a boxing championship.

Sunday School by HENRY-LESSON RADCLIFFE

MOSES THE LEADER

International Sunday School Lesson for July 7, 1935.

Golden Text: "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord." Psalm 33:12.

(Lesson Text: Ex. 24: 3-8, 12-18)

The career of Moses is one of such romance and interest. As a great patriot, organizer and leader, law-giver and always a devout follower of God, his life stands out among the ancient leaders of the Jewish people.

Our readers are familiar with the famine which drove Jacob and his followers into Egypt, where the providential power of Joseph enabled them to be saved. The Israelites were welcomed into the new land and treated with consideration and favor by the rulers. With the passage of generations a new dynasty arose. The growing numbers and increased prosperity of the Hebrews caused some fear and envy and a policy of oppression was adopted toward them.

The Hebrews were subject to many exactions and were allowed to exist only as slaves. They were forced to labor in the construction of public works and their condition became very pitiable and miserable. At length the ruling Pharaoh, in an effort to prevent the increase of this race, decrees the death of all male infants. At this time, Moses was born and his mother, Jochebed, managed to save his life by arousing the pity and love of an Egyptian princess.

Raised in the Egyptian court, with his own mother serving as nurse, Moses had every advantage which the advanced civilization of Egypt could furnish. He received the best education available in his day, and was trained in the arts and schemes of the Egyptians. Although his prospects for advancement and power were excellent,

Moses never forgot that he was a Hebrew and, possibly due to his mother, he remained firm in his worship and fidelity to the God of his fathers.

One day Moses found an Egyptian mistreating one of the Israelites. Acting upon an impulse which was in response to his genuine feeling, Moses intervened and killed the aggressor, hiding his body in the sand, another example of trying to accomplish good through evil, which exacted its penalty. The next day when Moses tried to intercede between two Hebrews engaged in a difficulty, one of them referred to his violent act the day before. Fearing detection and punishment (favorable commentary upon the Egyptian of that period. . . that a prince should be punished for killing an ordinary man) Moses fled to Midian, where he remained forty years, during which time he was married.

Our lesson text tells us of the summons which came to Moses calling upon him to return to Egypt and free his people. We should not question the fact that in everyday life now similar divine summons come to man. The difficulty lies in the fact that so few are able to recognize and respond to such opportunities. As Elizabeth Barrett Browning wrote:

"Earth's crammed with heaven, And every common bush affire with God; But only he who sees, takes off his shoes, The rest sit round it and pluck blackberries." Moses, like many other men in similar positions, sought to evade the responsibility assigned to him. He made excuses, the first was that he was not able to accomplish the task, but God promised his own assistance. The second was that he did not know how to tell the Israelites who had sent him and God gave him a name by which he was to be known. Then, Moses declared that the Israelites would not believe him, and God gave him two signs to confirm his divine authority. Then, as the

fourth and last excuse, Moses complained that he was not eloquent, whereupon God gave him a mouthpiece.

The story of Moses' mission in Egypt is fairly well known. Time and again the permission was given for the Israelites to leave only to be withdrawn. Ten plagues were sent to make Pharaoh allow the children of Israel to depart, the final one being the death of all the first born from the crown prince to the lowest beast. Instructions were given the Hebrews as to how they could prevent the death angels visiting their own homes, and it was in commemoration of this event that the Passover, the most important annual feast of the Jews in later centuries, came to be observed.

The story of the flight of the Hebrews, the pursuit by the Egyptians, the miraculous crossing of the Red Sea, and the destruction of the pursuing army tell a story which is fairly familiar. At Sinai, Moses received the revelation of divine law known as the Ten Commandments, composed of two tables, one giving man's obligation to God and the other his social duties to his fellows.

The Jews were not constant in spirit and devotion to Jehovah, however, for during Moses' absence they persuaded Aaron to manufacture the golden calf which they worshipped. As a result, Moses and the Levites slew three thousand of them and then implored God not to desert them and to give them another opportunity. Spies sent out to view the promised land returned with unfavorable reports, but only Joshua and Caleb of the twelve had enough faith in God to recommend the attempt to conquer.

Moses never reached the promised land, although he viewed it from afar. As a punishment for disobedience the Israelites were kept in the wilderness another generation and it was a new generation which finally made their way northward to the plain of Moab, where Moses delivered his farewell address, given us in the Book of Deuteronomy. This is a very eloquent utterance and marked the passage of the great leader.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF CASTRO)

By virtue of an order of sale

BETHEL

By Mrs. Cleo Richardson

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust and children and Grace Marie Bagwell attended quarterly conference at Easter Sunday.

Rev. Haines conducted services at Bethel Saturday night and Rev. Armstrong filled his regular 5th Sunday appointment Sunday evening after quarterly conference at East during the day.

Mrs. Earnest Bagwell and son are spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell.

Mrs. John Bagwell and son spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

Rev. and Mrs. Armstrong and Bernon were guests for the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Sinclair and children, Georgia Shwen and Earlene Lust were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs. Jack Baker. Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell

issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bell County on the 12th day of June, 1935, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of H. C. GLENN, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, a private corporation, versus Henry Harris, O. P. Lambert and M. J. Runnels;

No. 21,4g8, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY IN AUGUST A. D. 1935, it being the 6th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Castro County, in the town of Dimmitt the following described property, to-wit: N. W. 1-4 of Section 7, Block K-3, Abst. 256, Cert. 440, H E & WT Ry. Company Survey in Castro County, Texas, containing 160 acres of land

Levied on as the property of M. J. Runnels to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$3,409.48 in favor of H. C. GLENN, AS RECEIVER FOR TEMPLE TRUST COMPANY, a private corporation and cost of suit.

Given under my hand, this 26th day of June, 1935.

Garland Brown, Sheriff

spent the week-end in Oklahoma. Mr. Steve Williams and son visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Davis and J. G., Jr. and Mrs. Cleo Richardson visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith and Mrs. J. Z. Smith, Friday.

John Bagwell and niece and nephew, Christine and J. A., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Davis in Apache, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Paul Williams and Mrs. J. A. Bagwell made a trip to Clovis, N. M. and Mr. Earnest Bagwell returned home with them.

Mrs. Jim Bagwell and Christine and Grace Marie spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Henry Allman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan spent Sunday visiting in Tulja.

Grace Marie Bagwell went on a picnic to Hereford with a crowd from Frio.

Earlene Lust spent Saturday night with Ellen Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Collie Benton spent last week in Estelline. Their daughter, Juanita, who has been visiting there the past month returned home with them.

Louis Clement and J. E., Huber and Chester Tindell of Shamrock were here on business Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Bowen of Marlen, Oklahoma, are visiting friends here this week.

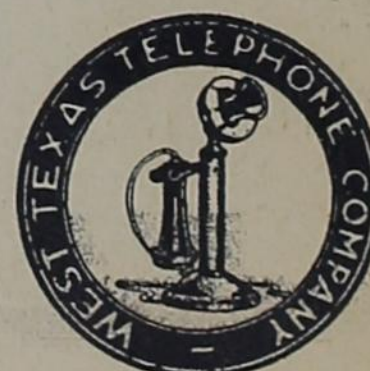
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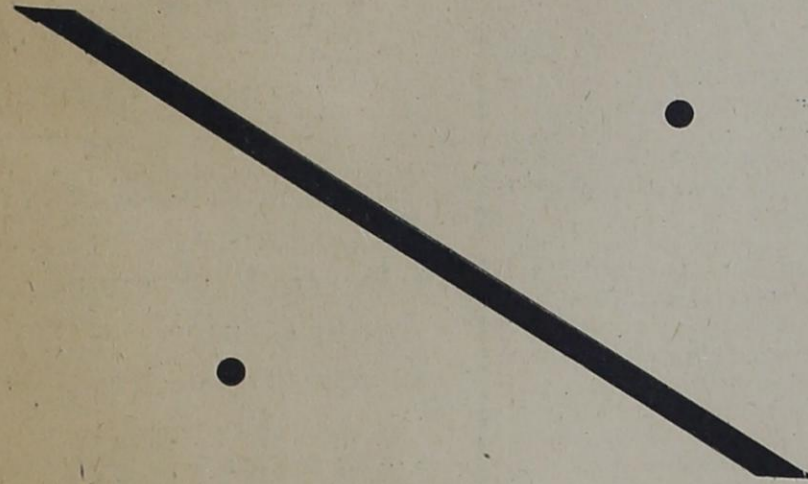
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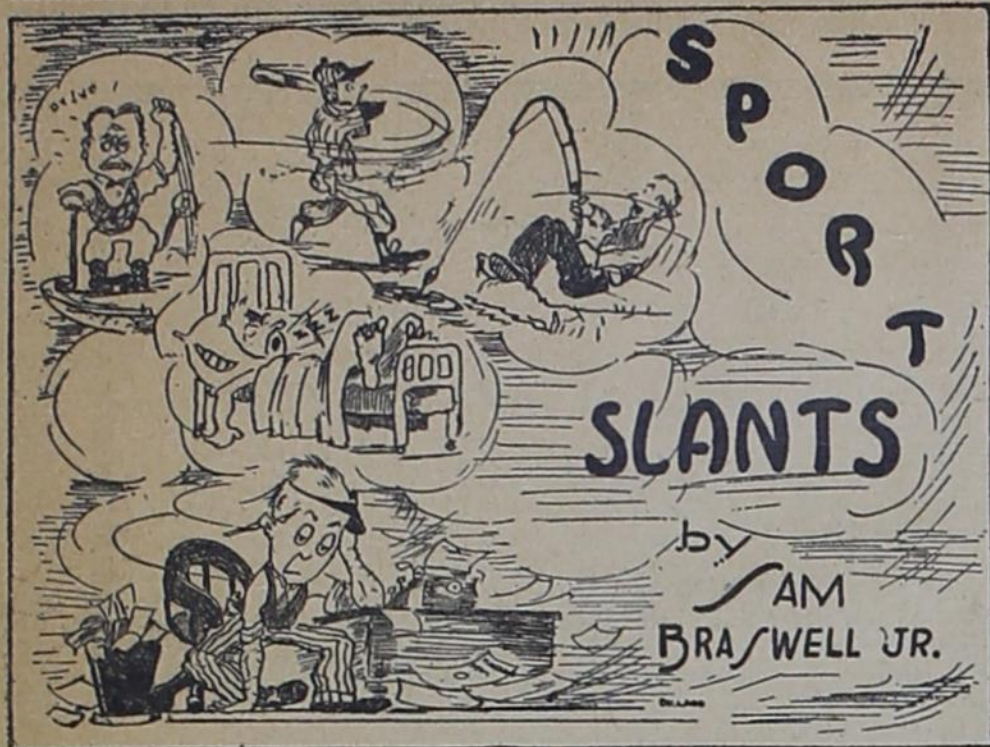
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# The Castro County News





It looks like the baseball fans of Dimmitt will at last have a club that will be able to take care of itself with the other teams of this section as soon as injuries and other minor ailments are corrected. The locals showed a sign or so of hustle in Sunday's game while beating Hart and at times displayed something like real baseball ability. New additions to the line-up plus the return of the crippled and a real desire to win should produce a team worth supporting.

Sunday's win against the strong Hart club was the first turned in this season by the locals. There are still some weak spots in the homing's defense and the batting is a bit faulty but new interest is being manifest and the fans may be sure that from now on the Dimmitt baseball team will be no set up.

It's few teams that can boast of a Lieutenant-Colonel in its line-up but such is the case with the local club. Since last week the gentleman in question jumped from just plain Ray Cowser to "hizzoner" Lieutenant-Colonel Ray Cowser of Governor Allred's personal staff. That lends quite a dignified tone to the home town baseballers, but whether or not its going to help much remains to be seen. As yet, his commission hasn't included a 1,000 percent batting average, but surely the Governor has some dire fate awaiting any pitcher who should strike out his Lieutenant-Colonel.

This softball league is getting hotter than a four dollar depot stove. All the teams are hard to beat and the games are more thrilling and get closer with each contest. Don't miss any of them the favorites will take it on the chin frequently.

Now that July 4 has rolled around again, it is time for the various sports writers to begin producing alibies, or to begin looking for congratulations, as the case may be, because the national holiday has long been acclaimed as the date that decides the major league pennant races. The consensus of opinion for many years has been that whatever team has managed to beat off the early "rookie team" threats and climb to the head of the list by July will still be at the top post when the time comes for the handing out of the winning honors.

Should the traditional method of picking the winners prove correct this year, the scribes who banked their hopes on the two New York nines should be the ones to look for the plaudits, for the record book points strongly toward the New York finish. Though other teams, including the Chisox, Tigers, Indians, Cards and Pirates have shown enough to stay consistently in the first division, the Manhattan squads have produced what it takes, and have spent most of the season thus far on top of their respective heaps.

In looking over the records for causes of the success of the leaders, one thing stands out—pitching. The Yankees have not been the usual power house on attack, what with Lou Gehrig, Tony Lazzeri and the rest hitting way below their lifetime averages, but this lack of punch has been more

than offset by effective twirling. Much of the burden has been carried by two who were not considered before the season to be the topnotchers they are, Vito Tamulis and Johnny Allen. Tamulis is a rookie whose experience in the big time show goes back only to the start of the present campaign. He has been erratic, it is true, but seventy-five per cent of the recruits are spotty performers. When Vito has been right, though, he has been very, very, right. Allen, after being forced to remain out of ball nearly all of last season, has returned to his old form, and has been the Yanks' most consistent winner. Although Gomez and Ruffing, the other starters, have not been at their best, their performances have been of great help to a team that has had to depend almost entirely on hurling.

The Giants have perhaps the best rounded out club in either league. Bill Terry has had no less than six starting pitchers on whom he may depend to give an excellent account of themselves. Hubbell, Parmelee, Schumacher, and Fitzsimmons, the quartette brought over from last year, have proven themselves capable of coping with the best of the leagues' hitting department. Clydell Castleman, rookie, has turned in some nifty performances, and as a result gets in his share of games. Leon Chagnon, traded to the Giants last winter from Pittsburgh, recently started his first game in two years, and rewarded Marse Bill by allowing the Reds but two bingles in eight innings, though losing the game. Terry is sure to call on him for future turns on the hill. Though the curving corps stands out as the best asset of the clan, the Terry men, as has been mentioned, have retained topnotch exhibitions in other departments. When injuries forced three regular infielders out of the game at the same time in May, the club continued its winning ways by supplying inner guardians in the form of Ott, outfielder; rookie Cucinello, hurriedly recalled from Nashville, and Koenig, the most versatile utility man in baseball. And the club has been consistently near the top in club batting.

The question now is, "Just how far will Joe Louis go?" The Brown Bomber continued his long string of victories by putting away Primo Carnera, former title-holder, in six rounds, winning on a T. K. O., after the 265-pound Italian groggily admitted defeat. Louis had been boxing professionally only a little more than a year, yet in that time has won all of his 23 fights, including 19 that saw his opponent unable to go the route against him.

### FLAGG

Flagg was visited by a nice shower Thursday night which was fine for row crops and gardens.

The Christian meeting being conducted by Rev Thompson is attracting rather large crowds. There were one hundred and fifteen at Sunday School and others continued to come for church services. We are having fine singing.

Mrs E G Snapka and Bill, Mrs Jacques and Lane, Mrs Albert Walthall and daughters left Tuesday morning to visit friends and relatives in East Texas

Hoyt Redwine is back from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Misses Avis Jean Pennington and Dorothy Wrenn Simmons visited Miss Gwendoline Armes Sunday.

Mrs W. B Marlor entertained her Sunday School Class with a marshmallow and swimming party Saturday evening.

Joseph Binswinger acquired a rather badly sprained ankle in a baseball game recently.

Bob Sheffey who was taken to Ray Sheffey's suffering with pneumonia is doing nicely at this writing.

Misses Leola Longan and Celeste Gagy visited Miss Trudie Pillow Sunday afternoon.

The Sunshine Club met with Mrs. Fred Walker Thursday. The next meeting will be with Mrs. G. B. Frasier.

Mr. Joe Tarpley and family, after receiving a death message from Hollis, Oklahoma, left for that city Tuesday afternoon.

### WASHINGTON—

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turning to the party, places barriers in the way of reorganization and definitely classifies the party as "too conservative". It is generally known that his name was not mentioned at the Springfield conference but, in the absence of outstanding contestants, certain leaders fear the strength of the Hoover candidacy. Indicative of the attitude of some progressives, it is said that Senator Borah, expected to head the Idaho delegation to the next Republican National convention, will not attend if Mr. Hoover figures as a possible nominee.

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Incidentally, Mr. Borah strongly supported the tax program set forth by President Roosevelt. Not only did he endorse it along with progressive senators but, in a special statement, defended it against those who said it was a "share the wealth program." The Idahoan called it a "share the burden of the government" program, sound economically, morally and, if wisely exercised, more conducive to recovery than the reckless voting of bonds.

The President's message, which surprised Congress, urged revision of our tax system "toward progressive taxation of wealth and of income." He offered a three point program: (1) the taking of inheritance or gifts of great size; (2) the boosting of taxes on very large incomes, and (3) a graduated tax on corporation income, ranging from 10 3-4 to 16 per cent, instead of the flat 13 3-4 per cent now in place.

The President based his program on the principle that "wealth in the modern world does not come merely from individual effort and of manifold uses to which the community puts that effort," that "the people in mass have helped to make large fortunes possible" and that "the ownership of wealth represents a great public interest and a great ability to pay."

Mr. and Mrs. S. Carroll attended the show in Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Wright of Lubbock has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Mrs. Ted Woods, Misses Opal Barrett and Willie Mildred James were Hereford visitors Wednesday.

Miss Oleta Bowling of Amarillo visited friends here this week.

Miss Celeste Ross of Tulia spent the week end with friends and relatives in Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert George of Shamrock were here on business this week.

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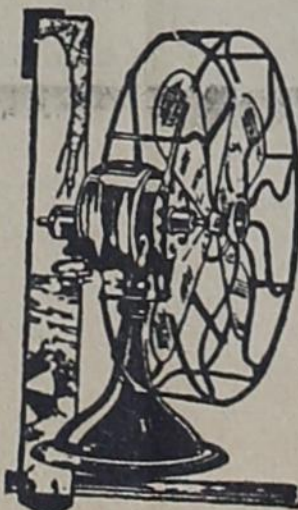
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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morris visited relatives in Memphis over the week end.

Mrs. Raymond Wilson and Mrs. Ray Cowser were Amaillo shoppers Monday.

R. H. Crump and son, Jack, were visitors to this city Sunday.

Mr and Mrs A M Wilson and family of Tulia spent Sunday in the home of Mr and Mrs. Raymond Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Woods attended the show in Hereford Sunday.

Hubert Maples of Hart was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Maples Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Moore and daughter were Hereford visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Bill McDonald of Bovina spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashcroft.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McLean, Mrs. Donald Cox and son, Miss Mayme Cox and Tom Hanks attended the show in Hereford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aren McDaniel of Kress were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skipworth last Friday.

Mesdames O. B. Trimble, Meade Haile and Ernest Meckiff of Hereford returned the fore part of the week from a ten day vacation in Ruidosa, New Mexico.

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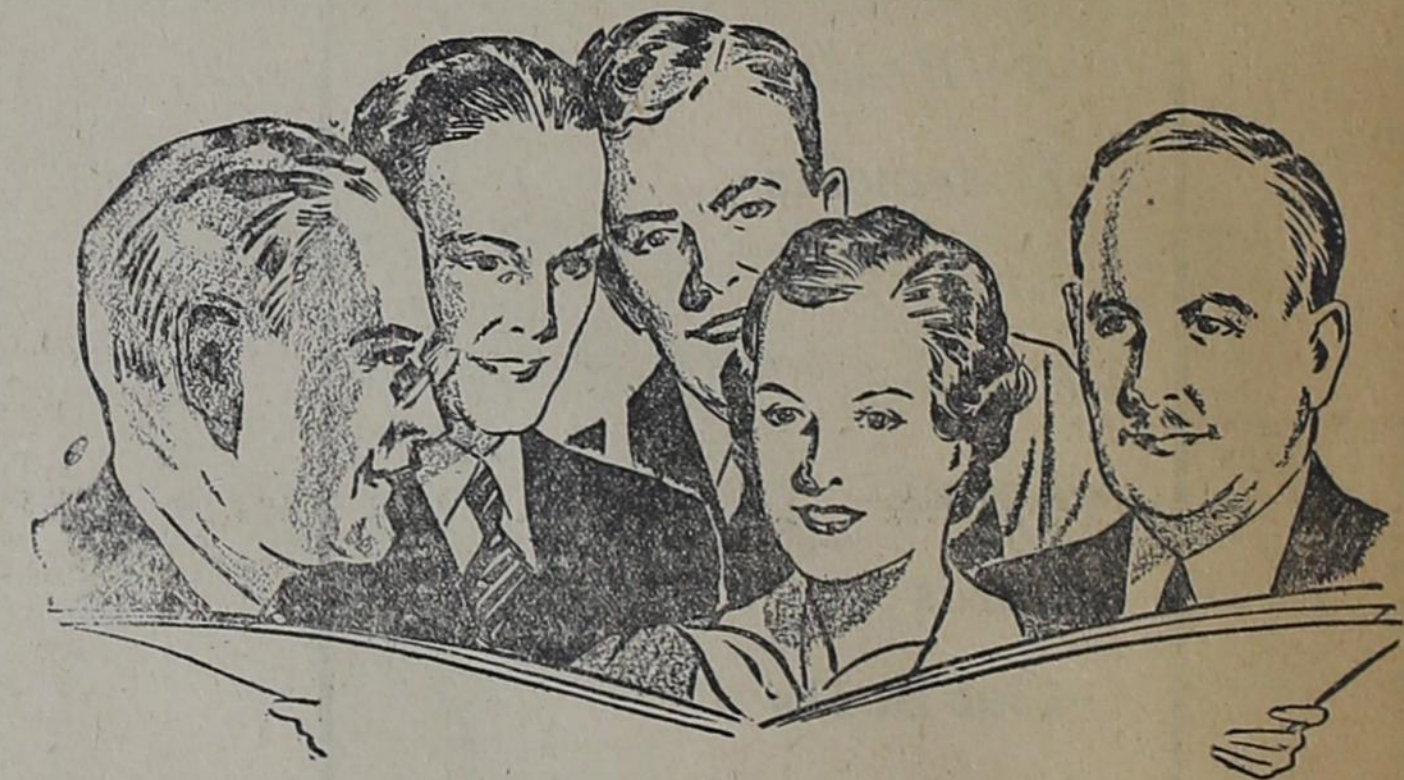
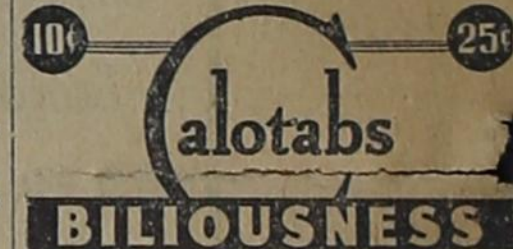
### CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many friends for the flower offering and the kindness during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. May God's blessings be with you all.

- Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and family

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Simpson and family of Plainview were visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Maples Sunday.

Mrs. R. C. Shufford was taken to a Dallas sanitarium Wednesday. Her daughter, Mrs. Doy Haber accompanied her.



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