

# THE CASTRO COUNTY NEWS



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## September 27 Set As Castro Co. Fair Date

### Dimmitt Schools To Begin '44-'45 Term Monday

Dimmitt schools will open their doors to begin the 1944-45 school term Monday morning, September 4. An increase in enrollment over last year is anticipated at this time.

Grade school students are urgently requested to bring book cards and report cards, while high school students are asked to bring transcripts of work from schools previously attended or to have them sent to Dimmitt High School.

A schedule of classes follows: 9:30-10:15—Vocational Agriculture II, Home Economics II, General Science, Algebra I, English III. 10:15-11:00—Vocational Agriculture II, Home Economics II, Civics, Social Science 8, Plain Geometry, English II.

11:00-11:45 — Mathematics 7, Farm Engineering, Home Economics III, General Science, English I, American History, Social Science 8, English IV, Typing. 11:45-12:30—General Mathematics, Farm Engineering, Home Economics III, World History, Algebra II.

1:15-2:00—Vocational Agriculture I, Home Economics I, Chemistry, Junior Business Training, English 8, Algebra I, English II, Commercial Law. 2:00-2:45—Vocational Agriculture I, Home Economics I, Speech, English 8, Mathematics 7. 2:45-3:30—General Mathematics, Elementary Science 8, English I, Reading and Spelling 7, Journalism. 3:30-4:15—Typing, English 7, Elementary Science 8.

### Anthony U. Steiert Gets Promotion to Rank of Captain

AN EIGHTH AAF PHOTO GROUP, ENGLAND.—The promotion of Anthony U. Steiert, 27, of Hart, Texas, from the rank of First Lieutenant to Captain recently was announced at this aerial reconnaissance station.

Captain Steiert is a supply officer for a photographic squadron. Prior to entering the army May 3, 1941, he was employed as an accountant in Amarillo, Texas. He attended Subiaco College Academy at Subiaco, Ark., and played varsity football, basketball and baseball. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Steiert, reside at Hart.

### Lt. A. Schmucker Stationed at Clovis

According to an announcement from the Roswell Army Air Field, at Roswell, N. M., Second Lieutenant Arnold A. Schmucker is now a student in the four-engine pilot school at that Army Air Forces Training Command station. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmucker of Nazareth, Texas. He received his wings recently at La Junta, Colo.

### Dimmitt Business Firms To Close For Labor Day

The following business firms have signed an agreement to close in observance of Labor Day, Monday. Labor Day is one of the few holidays observed annually by local business establishments, and perhaps this custom has arisen from the fact that Labor Day comes in a slack season of the year: Thompson Grocery, Tate Pro-

### Legion Barbecue Tuesday Night

The American Legion is having a barbecue at the Hut Tuesday evening, September 5. All discharged veterans of World War I and II are invited and any service man home on furlough is urged to be a guest. A pit will be dug and the meat cooked in the yard. Service men and ex-service men and their wives are urged to be present any time from 6 P. M. on to enjoy the social hour.

### Methodist Church

We were glad to have Rev. Horace Brooks of Petersburg, Texas, preach for us last Sunday. We have heard good reports from the service. Bro. Brooks sang in the revival at Earth August 17-27. The pastor will preach at both services next Sunday. You are cordially invited to worship with us. Bring the family and invite your friends.

The Memorial for Greer Estes will be held at the church at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Services Sunday are: Sunday School 10:00 A. M. Preaching 11:00 A. M. and 9:00 P. M. MYF 8:15 P. M. Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday at 3:00 P. M. Prayermeeting Wednesday 9:00 P. M.

Ural S. Sherrill, Pastor

### James J. Curtis Completes Course

AMARILLO ARMY AIR FIELD, AMARILLO, TEXAS — James J. Curtis, son of J. D. Curtis of Dimmitt, Texas has completed his course of studies as an aviation mechanic in this Army Air forces Technical Training School.

His graduation from this technical school now fits him for airplane maintenance and he will be sent to an air base where he will assist in keeping America's Flying Fortresses in the air for Allied Victory.

In addition to the completion of the schedule of academic and practical studies as an aviation mechanic he has been thoroughly drilled in military tactics and defense and a course of physical training that has conditioned him to meet all requirements of an American soldier.

### Mrs. Cunningham Is Club Hostess

The Dimmitt Garden Club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Posie Cunningham, August 22. Mrs. Jim Cox gave an interesting program on the customs of Russia. Roll call was answered with current events about Russia. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Marion Benton, R. B. Boren, Jim Cox, Frank Easter, Faye Holland Bill Stalcup, E. B. Wright and the hostess.

### Memorial Services To Be Conducted Sun. For Cap. Estes



Arrangements are being made this week for Memorial Services for Captain Greer H. Estes. The services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Dimmitt Methodist church, with the pastor, Rev. Ural S. Sherrill, making the memorial address.

Captain Estes was killed in action, while serving with the invasion forces in France on July 8. Following is the program for the Memorial Services:

Music. Hymn—"What A Friend." Prayer. Hymn—"Rock of Ages." Scripture—Rev. C. W. Williams. Memorial—Read by Swain Burkett. Solo—"My Jesus, As Thou Wilt." Sung by Mrs. E. L. Kight. Memorial Message—Rev. Ural S. Sherrill. Hymn—"My Faith Looks Up To Thee." Prayer—Rev. C. W. Williams. Mrs. Ruby Webb will be in charge of arrangements.

### Pig Show To Be Part of Co. Fair

A pig show will be held in connection with this year's Castro County Fair, where the winners of the Sears and Roebuck Pig Contest for Castro county will be determined. Eight boys who received registered Chester White sow pigs from Sears Roebuck in the spring will exhibit their gilts at this year's Fair. The boys who will exhibit pigs are Donald Annen, Walter Kleman, Luke Acker, Marion Hoelting, Nazareth; Theron Hawkins and Doyle Davis, Hart; Lynn Axe and Oren Eubanks, Dimmitt; and Lloyd Krilling, Flagg.

The winner in the Fair will exhibit his gilt at the Amarillo Sears and Roebuck Pig Show where 22 counties of the Plains will be represented. Last year Floyd Acker of Nazareth placed second in the Amarillo show with his gilt, and the Castro county boys hope to repeat this again this year.

All of the boys have done an excellent job this year in caring for their gilts, stated County Agent M. U. May, and their exhibition at this year's Fair will be one of its highlights.

### W. S. C. S.

The ladies of the W. S. C. S. were hostesses Monday to the District Zone Meeting. A very interesting meeting was held and lunch was served at the noon hour. It was unanimously voted to accept the invitation of the Bethel W. S. C. S. to hold the next zone meeting at Bethel, date to be announced later. The Dimmitt W. S. C. S. will meet Monday, September 4, in the home of Mrs. Geo. Webb for a business and social meeting. Each lady is requested to bring a covered dish. All who go are requested to meet at the church between 11:30 and 12:30.

Benny Bennington returned to his home at Happy Monday after a weeks visit with his cousin, Lonnie Rice.

### Dimmitt National Farm Loan Ass'n To Hold Meeting

The annual meeting of the Dimmitt National Farm Loan Association will be held at the Rio Theatre in Dimmitt on Saturday, September 2, at 3 P. M., according to an announcement by J. W. Webb, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association, following a meeting of the association's board of directors.

"There is considerable interest among the stockholders in this meeting," Webb said, "because, as landowners, they are interested in maintaining a strong, home-owned association for long-term credit service."

The association, which recently paid a five percent dividend on stock, had a total on July 1 of \$1,991,087.13 in loans outstanding in this territory, has a capital stock of \$74,050.00, all owned by its members, and has reserves and surplus of \$40,532.40.

Directors of the association are: Frank Annen, President; C. G. Miller, Vice-President; J. B. Summers, and Eugene Ivey.

A free show will be given in connection with the stockholders meeting, following which a number of prizes will be awarded.

### Marie Elizabeth Crum Becomes Bride of Lt. John J. Foster Wed., Aug. 23

Miss Marie Elizabeth Crum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crum of Dimmitt, became the bride of Lt. John J. Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester G. Foster of Lockhart, Minnesota, in a double ring ceremony at nine o'clock Wednesday evening, August 23, at the First Baptist church in Amarillo, Texas.

Rev. A. D. Foreman read the vows in the presence of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Foster, who was born nineteen miles northwest of Dimmitt is a graduate of West Texas State High School in Canyon.

Lt. Foster was born in Lockhart, Minn. He has been in the armed forces since September 3, 1940, and has just returned from overseas duty in Italy.

Those attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Crum, Mrs. Della Sparks and Mrs. Blanche Fisher.

After the ceremony the couple and friends were entertained at Old Tascosa in the Herring Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Myers and daughter returned home recently from a vacation outing at Taos, N. M.

### Lt. H. V. Murphy Is Missing In Action

Mrs. H. V. Murphy of Houston received a message from the War Department Friday informing her that her husband, Lt. Harwood V. Murphy was missing in action in a flight over Europe, exact location was not given. He has been missing since August 9.

Lt. Murphy, an Air Corps radio operator, is a son of Mr. W. A. Murphy, deceased, and a step son of Mrs. Ola T. Murphy of Dimmitt. He had been in the armed services for the past five years having transferred from the Coast Guard to the Air Corps last fall, and had been in England for the past three months. He received training for the Air Corps at Kelly Field, San Antonio, and in California.

Lt. Murphy was reared in and near Dimmitt and received his common school education here with the exception of his Senior year, when he attended school at Clovis, N. M. He is the father of one child, a baby son, who is in Houston with Mrs. Murphy. Other relatives are a half brother, John Pierce Murphy, who is with the 10th Marine Corps on Tinian Island in the Pacific; three brothers, Frank Murphy of Graham, Andrew Murphy of Clovis, N. M., and Verdie Murphy of Englewood, California; three sisters, Mrs. Ada Hanlin of Englewood, California, Mrs. Elfreda Edwards of Olton, Mrs. Vivlene Duke of Dimmitt, and four half brothers of Dimmitt, Billie Dea, Fawayne, Roy and Ray Murphy.

### Mr. Wisend Resigns As School Principal

Mr. Norman Wisend, who was to have been principal of the local high school this coming school term resigned last week to accept a position in the Amarillo High School. In addition to being principal, Mr. Wisend was to have taught part of the mathematics.

### Hart Farmer Buys Registered Bull

According to an announcement by the American Jersey Cattle Club a registered Jersey bull, Signal White Way Prince 454171, was recently purchased by C. C. Griffin of Hart. The breeder from whom the bull was purchased was not announced.

### Pfc. C. D. Stayton Wounded in Action

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Stayton received a telegram from the War Department Sunday notifying them that their son, Pfc. Charles D. Stayton, had received a slight injury in France on July 30, and that he was receiving treatment in a hospital. Although letters have been received from Pvt. Stayton, written since the date of his injury, he failed to mention the incident.

### Mr. and Mrs. Axtell To Observe Golden Wedding Anniv's

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Axtell of the Sunside community will hold open house for their friends and relatives Sunday afternoon, September 3, in observance of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Axtell are pioneer residents of Castro County, having moved here from Kansas in 1908. Their many friends throughout this territory, wish for them many more years of happiness as they join with them in celebrating their Golden wedding anniversary.

Laura Jean Cunningham spent last week-end visiting in the home of her parents, County Judge and Mrs. Posie Cunningham. Miss Cunningham has employment with the TWA Airlines and at present is located at Amarillo where she is serving as ticket agent.

### Rodeo And Other Entertainment To Be Provided

Arrangements for the 1944 edition of the Castro County Fair were made at a meeting of the Directors of the Association held in the District Court Room Wednesday, with the president of the association, Mr. E. F. Harman, presiding. Wednesday, September 27, was selected as the date for the Fair, with the same general plans as has been used in the past being adopted. At the suggestion of County Agent M. U. May, the Dimmitt Lions Club will sponsor, and assist in conducting, the Fair and Rodeo and other entertainment features. Mr. Harman pointed out the need of the Fair, in that it promotes the production of better quality livestock and foodstuffs so vitally needed in the war effort, and that very little if any, materials would be used in conducting the Fair that could be classed as war materials.

Mr. Bill Webb was appointed as Secretary-Treasurer of the Association to succeed Mr. Ozro Stephens, who has efficiently served in that capacity during the past several years.

The following committees were appointed:

Arrangements Committee—Clarence Bearden, chairman, Charlie Hays, H. G. Manning, E. L. Carpenter, Percy Estes, and J. Elvis Burch.

Program Committee—Earl Harrison, chairman, Albert Myers, Goodwin Miller, and Raymond Wilson.

Finance Committee—Posie Cunningham, chairman, Bill Simon, Jess Wright, T. A. Singer, and Jeff Peeler.

Rodeo Committee—Lee Welch, chairman, Bradley Fulfer, Stub Jones, Dirty Newton, Deroey Cates, and Monty Wilkerson.

### Farmers Urged To Use Good Planting Seed

The News has been requested to publish the following article in the interest of the national effort in producing food for our own consumption and to supply the destitute nations of the world:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

An appeal to all elevators, seed dealers and growers of Texas. State Commissioner J. E. McDonald is making a special request to everyone in any way connected with the distribution of planting seed to help the farmers in securing the best seed to be had in our efforts to produce an abundance of food as the United States will be called upon during the war and years to come to supply a greater part of food for the starving people of the world.

Due to the shortage of man power and the limited amount of farming equipment no farmer should take a chance on planting seed without knowing the origin, purity and most important of all, the germination of same.

At the present time the State Department of Agriculture is having inquiries about where to buy good seed wheat, as some had bad stands last year on account of some combine wheat of low germination. The State has well equipped testing laboratories at Austin and Lubbock to test your seed free of charge. Be sure to use them.

It is a misdemeanor to violate the Seed Law and the first offense is subject to a fine of \$50.00 and not over \$200.00 for each succeeding offense.

To anyone transporting grain or seed unlawfully, enforcement officers are compelled to put stop tags orders on same and file charges in county where the violation occurs. For additional information and a free copy of the Texas Seed Law address your inquiry to: Commissioner J. E. McDonald, State Department of Agriculture, Austin, Texas.

### Bobcats To Begin Training Friday

The 1944 Edition of the Dimmitt Bobcats will begin fall gridiron drills Friday morning, September 1, with six lettermen and ten squadmen of the championship 1943 team on hand. Of these six lettermen, only two, Bill Gladman, guard, and Glenn Godfrey, end, were regulars of last years eleven.

The remaining lettermen include Joe Harrison, right-half and captain; Leo Ashcraft, quarterback and co-captain; Thomas Earl Harrison, guard; and Bo Jackson, Fullback. In all probability, Thomas Earl will be shifted to the secondary where his speed and experience will be needed, since the entire 1943 backfield was graduated. Joe Harrison and Leo Ashcraft will be trying to fill the shoes of two all-district players of last season, Mobley and Birdwell, who made football history in district 1-A. Just just who will be there in place of Bagwell, Cryer, Aldridge, Dye, Jackson, Curtis and Stewart will be answered only by time but Frye, Nelson, Howell Eubanks, Stevenson, J. Cryer, E. Jackson, Brannan Lamb and several others showed nicely in spring practise and will be out there scrapping. A complete roster of those expected to report follows: Centers — Charles Frye-145 pounds and Elbert Smith 140; guards — Bill Gladman 160, Bascom Nelson 170, Jack Brannon 130, and Loyd Lust 125; tackles—Charles Henry Howell 135, Oren Eubanks 160, and Jimmy Sparkman 170; ends—Bill Jowell 135, Charles Wilder 145, John Cryer 130, and Carl Jowell 118; backs—Joe Harrison 140, Thomas Earl Harrison 140, Bill Stephenson 140, Virgilio Lamb 145, Glenn Godfrey 160, Leo Ashcraft 130, Bob Mooney 118, Lonnie Rice 120, and Mederith "Bo" Jackson 135.

The Bobcats will open the season with the Littlefield eleven September 15 with just two weeks of practice behind them. Just how the Cats will fare this season remains to be seen, but those who saw Mr. Seale's charges in the Spring game will remember a fighting bunch of kids barely nosed out by an experienced veteran eleven.

A complete schedule follows: Sept. 15—Littlefield Sept. 22—Dalhart (there) Sept. 29—Dumas (there) Oct. 6—Frona (there) Oct. 13—Tulia (there) Oct. 20—Hereford (there) Oct. 27—Frona (here) Nov. 3—Open Nov. 10—Open

### Hart Club Boy Enters Contest

Cecil Ray Jones, member of the Hart 4-H Club, will enter the Santa Fe Contest this year, which is open to all 4-H Club boys who wish to compete for one of the seventeen free trips to Chicago. This award has been won by four former Castro County club boys, they were: Elbert Summers, Trellis Summers, Rodney Smith and Edward Bennett.

Cecil Ray has made an outstanding record in the past four years as a member of the Hart 4-H Club. He has for demonstrations this year 20 acres of Plainsman milo, two Hereford cows and one calf, five sheep, one registered Chester White sow and five pigs and eight Duroc pigs.

Cecil Ray has been an outstanding leader in the Hart Club and in addition to the many demonstrations he has he has irrigated the feed crop on his father's farm, this year, stated County Agent M. U. May.

In trying to win this trip Cecil Ray will be endeavoring to uphold the fine 4-H Club record of Castro county boys, for they have won the high state award for the past three consecutive years.

### Marvin Sherrill Completes Course

KEESLER FIELD, Biloxi, Miss., Aug. 31—Pvt. Marvin L. Sherrill, son of Rev. and Mrs. Ural S. Sherrill of Dimmitt, Texas, today completed the first leg of a training program that will qualify him for dual duties as a member of a combat air crew.

He was graduated from the Army Air Forces Training Command's B-24 Liberator bomber mechanics school at Keesler Field. With 17 weeks of aircraft maintenance and emergency operations training behind him, he will complete his air forces schooling at another station.

During the last seven days of his course, he logged several hours in a B-24 Liberator bomber in the practice performance of the duties of an aerial engineer. He previously had been skilled in the fundamentals of the Liberator's fuel, electrical, engine, hydraulic and propeller systems.



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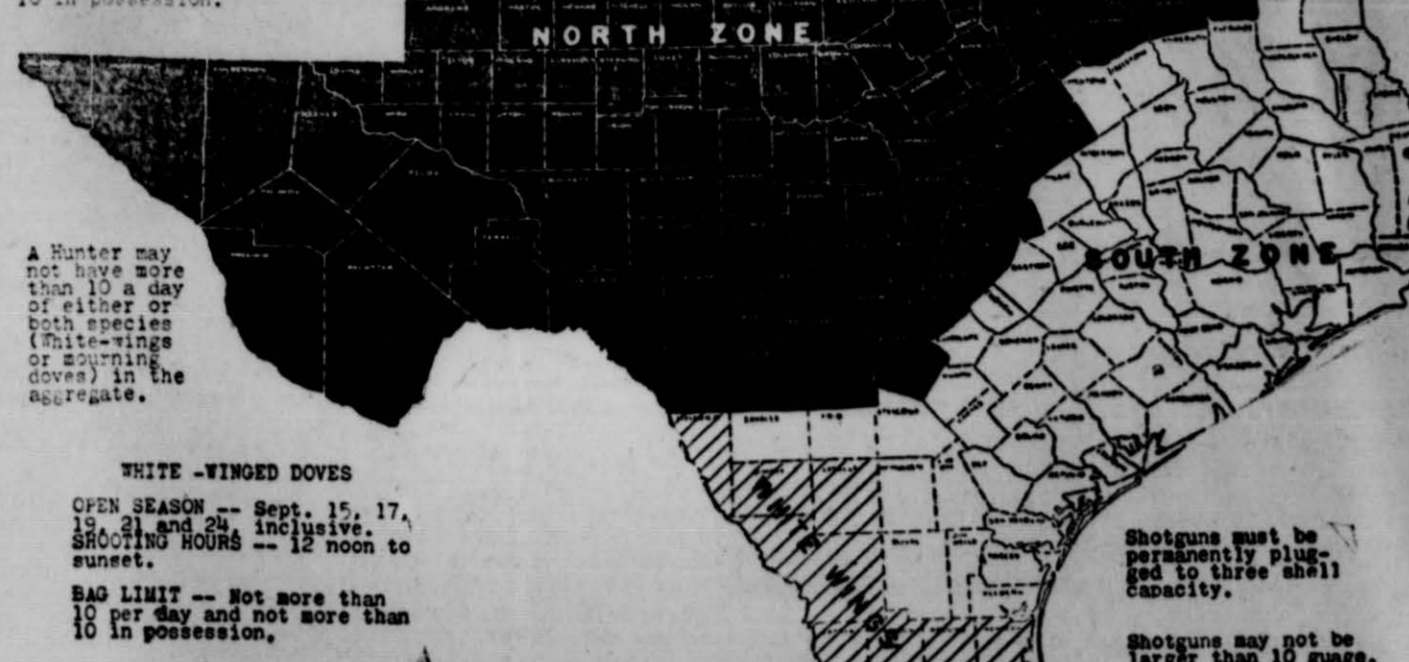
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Notice Of Change Of Management of John's Cafe

Hart News

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis, Doyle and Peggy with Mrs. Bertie Connel...

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Swett of Jal, N. M., spent the week-end visiting Warren's folks...

Little Miss Dorothy Johnson of Goodnight is visiting grandmother...

Miss Eleanor Jo Ledger has returned from Oklahoma City to resume school lessons...

Miss Kathleen Phillips entertained a number of the town young folks with a weiner roast...

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Penson of Sweetwater and Mrs. W. L. Stewart of Cores were here for a last week-end visit...

Mr. and Mrs. T. U. Smith and Rodney attended the Smith family reunion...

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tucker and grandson are spending this week with her brother, R. A. Ferguson.

Nazareth

The boys who will report from here for induction at Oklahoma City on September 1, 1944...

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huseman received a telegram from the War Department that their son, Robert...

Leonard Guggemos of the Navy recently visited with his mother, Mrs. Loretta Guggemos...

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter and Patsy went to Hamlin Sunday to visit relatives...

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Soil Conservation News

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Notice Of Change Of Management of John's Cafe

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FOR SALE—New Heavy Hog Wire.  
3tp C. G. Maples

FOR SALE—1942 Model Tudor Ford V-8, good condition, good tires. 7 miles south of Dimmitt.  
4tp H. C. Nelson

FOUND — Recapped Goodyear tire, on rim. Size 6.25x16, Ford V-8 rim. Owner may recover same by paying for this advertisement.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that policies 501-525, inc. of the Fulton Fire Insurance Company assigned to R. L. Buckmaster, Agent, Dimmitt, Texas, have been lost. This is to notify the public that none of these policies has been issued as contracts of insurance, and said company has secured no premium for said policies, and therefore the same are considered void and of no effect by the company. SIGNED:  
FLOYD WEST & COMPANY, GENERAL AGENCY,  
3tc Dallas, Texas

WANTED—Farm hand single or married, house available.  
2tp Troy Maxwell

For Quick Sale or Cash Rent 82 1/2 A. improved land. 11 mi. S. Hereford. Fred Whitaker  
3tp Rt 1, Claude, Texas

LOST—1 set Joe Kirkwood Golf Clubs in khaki bag. Loaned to someone 2 years ago and not returned. \$5.00 reward for return.  
Swain Burkett

FOR SALE—1942 model International 1/2 ton pick-up, good tires, perfect mechanical condition. Bargain for quick sale.  
Sawnie Carrell

FOR SALE—John Deere 10-ft. power take-off Binder.  
3tp Roy G. Smith

FOR SALE — 25 Shoats.  
Clint Cox  
5 1/2 miles N. E. of Dimmitt

FOR SALE — 1 upright piano, 1 1/2 bed with springs and mattress. See Mrs. Jim Rawlings at Dimmitt Drug

FOR SALE—Studio couch, nearly new; McCormick Deering separator and cream cans; gasoline iron; kerosene heater; one good saddle horse, seven years old.  
E. R. Rothwell

If you want custom plowing done see  
2tp W. C. Johnson

FOR SALE—1940 model 1 1/2 ton Chevrolet truck, a good one, also 1938 Ford Pick-up, good pre-war tires. See these trucks this week at Dimmitt Motor Co.

STRAYED—A whiteface cow, branded M on right hip, has been at my place for the past year. Owner may recover cow by paying feed bill.  
2tp G. L. Willis, Jr.

NOTICE—I will accept button and button hole work on Wednesdays and Thursdays only.  
4tp Mrs. Ulys Davis

## FOR SALE

An A-1 Section of Land located in the N. W. part of the County. Has good 4 room house, well and mill, and some outbuildings, and an irrigation well. Possession of wheat land may be had as soon as contracted for. Balance January 1st, 1945. Priced at \$40.00 per acre. Good terms.

**B. D. Woodlee**

## BETHEL

Charles Henry Howell is visiting with his grandparents at Maple and helping with the harvesting of the row crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan and daughter, Mary Beth, and Grace Louise Lust left Friday for a few days vacation in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust were in Hereford Wednesday where they met Glen who had been visiting the past week in Amarillo in the Charlie Bee Bee home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell, Mrs. Harry Rothwell, Marlene and Sharon visited in the A. W. Bates home in Plainview Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bagwell are moving some of their household goods and farm machinery to their ranch in New Mexico preparatory to planting their wheat.

Mrs. Kay Roberts had a tonsilectomy at the Miller-Cogswell hospital in Dimmitt Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell and children were Lubbock visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell were in Amarillo on business Tuesday.

Miss Clydene Johnson of Dimmitt spent Saturday night with Marlene Rothwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel returned last week from a weeks visit with her mother in Fresno, California.

Bryan Sinclair left Thursday for a few days vacation visit in Bell county.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Loyd and Mrs. J. C. Williams went to Plainview Sunday afternoon to attend the closing services of the Nazarene meeting.

Junior Cox of New Mexico is

visiting Albert Sinclair. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell and daughter, Marlene were Hereford visitors Saturday.

Bethel community has had near three inches of rain during the past three days. The rain was accompanied by high winds and some hail which damaged the row crops some.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for the many expressions of sympathy and kindness toward us in our bereavement in the loss of our son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Andrews  
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Maples and family.

Out of town guests in the Glenn Smith home last week-end were Misses Mary Jo Smith, Juanita Crum all of Amarillo; Mrs. McJimsey of Lubbock, Mrs. George Schiewer, Mrs. John Crum and Raymond and Gene of Northedge, and Mrs. J. G. Davis of the Easter community, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rogers Hereford, also Annie Duree, Patsy Ray Hardy, Dorothy Winkle and Joyce Carpenter of Dimmitt. Misses Smith and Crum will spend their vacations visiting friends in Denver, Colorado, and from there they will go to California. We wish these prominent young ladies a very pleasant trip. They are graduates of the Dimmitt High School and have been very efficient in the commercial field. Miss Smith is with the Amarillo and Industrial Finance Co., and Miss Crum is employed at the Wheeler Motor Co.

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**FLAGG**  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson and Mrs. C. J. Johnson are visiting C. J. in Little Rock, Ark.  
Lelda Ann Thompson has returned from a Dallas hospital where she had a physical check-up.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Cox of Melrose, N. M., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sheffy, Miss Minerva Sheffy of Childress and James Cox were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Sheffy.  
Rita Graef of Lazbuddy and Sandra Castle of Dallas visited their aunt, Mrs. Pat Graef, this week.  
Luke Neely has returned from Vernon where he has been visiting

his brother, Melvin, who is on leave from the Army.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ginn attended church in Earth Friday night.  
Rev. Sherrill conducted a revival meeting there during the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thompson were business visitors in Muleshoe Friday.  
Mr. W. A. Senter has sold his farm to Geo. Bradford. He expects to visit this winter in California due to Mrs. Senter's bad health.  
Lelda Thompson spent Sunday with Carolyn Scarbrough.  
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott were hosts at a chicken supper Saturday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Boober, Lt. Scott Miller, and Ethel Davis, all of Plainview

and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boober.  
Mr. and Mrs. Pat Graef, Mr. Will Graef and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Langford have returned from a trip to Alpine and El Paso. They went to see their grandmother who is sick.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coventry were Plainview visitors Thursday.  
Mrs. Clyde Damon visited Mrs. Irvin Ott Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tranor have returned from a trip to Colorado.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Boober and family of Plainview, Lt. Scott Miller, Ethel Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott and Mr. and Mrs. William Cox of Melrose, N. M., were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boober.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Birchfield were in Canyon and Amarillo last Thursday on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boswell and children of Tulla are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McRee visited the Marvin Mundells at House, N. M., Sunday.  
Mrs. Joe Smyers has returned to her home at Graham after visiting this summer with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones.  
Mrs. L. D. Williams of Silverton visited Mrs. Elzie Teague Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rentfro were

business visitors in Amarillo Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Axtell will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary next Sunday. They will have open house for their friends from 3 to 6 P. M.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Chevenger and son, Don, of Alhambra, Calif., are here this week to visit the Axtells.  
The Flagg ladies canned corn on Monday in Dimmitt at the canning center for the Flagg Grade School, under the supervision of Mrs. Jim Elder, Mrs. D. G. Axtell and Mr. J. O. Seale.  
LaVelle Teague is visiting this week with Mrs. Leldon Hoyer at Arney.  
Lt. Weldon Barton, son of A. C. Barton, is home on a ten day furlough from Louisiana. Mrs. Pat McCard from Illinois is also visiting the Bartons.

**Big Square News**  
Clifford Layman has been given a medical discharge. He is now home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Layman.  
Mr. Eugene Martin has taken a load of cattle to the Oklahoma City market.  
Patsy Lindaley has returned home from Dallas where she has been employed for the past few months.  
Noel and C. G. Mick have been visiting their grandparents in Hereford.  
Sammy Cox suffered a broken arm Saturday afternoon when his horse stepped in a hole and fell with him.  
Clifford Gene and Mary Martin have been visiting their grandparents in Elk City for two weeks.  
Billie Gene Brown and L. G. Layman are visiting in Clovis for a few days.  
Ralph Cox took a load of cattle to the Lubbock auction sale Thursday.  
S. J. Black is home from the hospital and reports his health is much improved.  
Mrs. Hubert Elliott received medical treatment in the Miller-Cogswell Hospital Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stiles called on the Alfred Scotts Sunday afternoon.  
Little Patsy Cox has been on the sick list this week.  
Mr. Art Haberer was in Lubbock Thursday on business.

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