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Breakfast for two. That's what we have in the shell of one egg. A hen of mixed breeds looked the prospects for a wheat crop over and decided that it was up to her to pull the J. A. Bagwell farm out of the red and put it back on a paying basis. As her contribution against inflation she produced an egg Sunday that measured six and one-eighth inches in circumference the short way and eight and one-half inches the long way. The egg will be on display at the News office until breakfast Sunday morning. The J. A. Bagwell farm is 1 1/2 miles north of Bethel, a community where they do things in a big way.

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The business of renaming and renumbering the streets is still being considered by the City Council. This is not a vital matter so far as the continued growth and development of our city is concerned, but it would aid materially in simplifying of the street marking and house numbering project which is in progress. Businesses and towns are not always run to the best advantage on the old or original procedure, and many times it is found that it is necessary to make some changes because of the changes brought about by advancement or development. If you believe that renumbering and renaming the city streets would be of any appreciable benefit now, or in the future, or if you had rather they remain as is, contact a member of the City Commission and express your opinion. They want to do what the people of the town desire, and it is time the street markers were being ordered, they are going to be permanent and after they are once erected it will be too late to make any needed changes.

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The Bobbies have again turned the eyes of Texas and Iowa toward Dimmitt. The winning of the Girls Basketball State Championship has again won for Dimmitt much favorable publicity as well as the highest athletic honor and glory available to the athletic department of a public school. Twice in a row Coach Blaine has tutored his Bobbies to the highest pinnacle of success in basketball and as a reward has won the privilege of playing the Iowa State Basketball Champions for the national basketball crown. The Bobbies will win the game at Des Moines. Any team that can beat Cotton Center should meet and defeat the best that the frigid area has to offer.

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Many Bobbie fans are planning to make the trip to Des Moines to see the game that is always an anti-climax to the Texas basketball season. Another good reason to see this game is that it will be Maurine Smithson's last game in high school basketball. A senior, Maurine will write finis to the most brilliant career, as a guard, in girls high school basketball in Texas, or anywhere.

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Dimmitt has two champions. The Bobbies are the girls state basketball champions and Att Webb is again the champion life insurance salesman for the Lamar Life Insurance Company in Texas. Mr. Webb led all salesmen for his company in the volume of business sold in 1950. Another good example of what hard work will do.

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A membership meeting of the Castro County Chamber of Commerce will be held in the District Court room in the courthouse Friday, March 23, at 7:30 p. m. All members of the organization are urged to be present. Included on the program will be the election of officers for the coming year. As Dimmitt and the county develops the opportunity for service, through an organization such as the Chamber of Commerce, will continually increase and the benefits derived from the efforts of the organization will be more noticeable as the field of service becomes broader in an ever expanding territory. Ours is a wonderful opportunity for the development of one of the richest trading centers and most productive areas in the Panhandle-Plains country.

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The Bobbies were guests of the Dimmitt Lions Club Tuesday noon. The girls didn't seem to

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STATE CHAMPIONS



The Dimmitt Bobbies repeated their performance of last year by weathering a tough State Basketball Tournament and walking off with the state championship crown. The tournament was played last week in the Baylor University gymnasium in Waco with large crowds witnessing each performance and a capacity crowd turning out for the finals Saturday night. Although playing in the tough bracket at the state tournament, the Bobbies sailed through the preliminaries, quarter-finals and semi-finals with very little difficulty although some of the finest teams in the state, many of them veterans of former state tournaments, blocked the way to the finals. Early in the tournament Dimmitt and Cotton Center emerged as favorites as finalists as they were in separate brackets and the early predictions were born out by tournament play results. In earning the title of Queen of Texas basketball the Bobbies defeated the always dangerous Cotton Center sextet in the final game by the close score of 36 to 30, with both teams showing a well balanced offensive and defensive game throughout the contest.

The entire Bobbie squad saw action during the tournament with the final game being the only one without a substitution for the starters. Lometa Odom, Johnnie Godfrey and Mary Nelson, forwards, and Maurine Smithson, Mitzie Wilson and Decimae Dennis played the clock around in the Cotton Center game, while the Cotton Center starters went all the way with the exception of one guard who fouled off in the fourth quarter.

By winning the Texas State Championship the Bobbies won the right to go to Des Moines, Iowa, next week where they will play the Iowa state champions from Hansell on Saturday night. A large group of Dimmitt fans are expected to follow the Bobbies to Des Moines for the intra-state championship game.

A complete report of the tournament play at Waco last week appears in the sports story in the Bobcat Tales elsewhere in this issue of the News.

New Town Hall Members Get Pass To Last Program

The Dimmitt Town Hall and Concert Association announces that those persons who did not join the association this past season and would like to join this coming season, will be admitted free of charge to this season's last program which is to be given March 23rd, Friday night, in the Dimmitt high school auditorium. The last program is a concert by the Deep River Singers who have made many successful tours throughout the United States. Season memberships are \$10.00 for a dual membership, \$6.00 for a single membership, and \$2.40 for a student membership. There will be five concerts next season which will be announced at the last program.

Everyone who would like to join Dimmitt Town Hall come to our last program and buy your next seasons membership and attend our last concert free of charge.

Joe Bales, President

Girl Scouts to Conduct Bake Sale Here Sat.

The Dimmitt Girl Scout Troop II will conduct a bake sale at the Wilson Super Market Saturday, March 17. The money derived from the sale will be used to send the girls to Scout Camp.

Huge Elevator Construction Project Underway

Construction work was started here last week by the Dimmitt Wheat Growers on Dimmitt's largest single grain storage building project. According to the manager of Dimmitt Wheat Growers, W. M. Kunkel, storage capacity of the huge elevator is being more than doubled by the construction of thirteen concrete tanks and six star bins. The new elevator storage facilities are being constructed just south of the present or original elevator, and along the east side of the elevator's railroad trackage. Kunkel declared that a minimum of equipment will be necessary to operate the new storage as the present unloading facilities will be used to serve the new addition. The new storage will have a capacity of 450,000 bushels, bringing the elevator's total capacity up to 850,000 bushels.

The construction contract was let to the A. F. Roberts Construction Company of Sabetha, Kansas, which it is reported, will use local labor as far as possible on the huge building project. Present plans are to have the additional elevator space ready for use by June 1.

Mrs. Franklin Latimer and children visited relatives in Shattuck, Okla. last week end.

Hart Parent-Teacher Ass'n Elects Officers

The Hart Parent-Teacher Association met in regular meeting on Tuesday, March 13, in the school gymnasium with the president, Mrs. J. E. Cook, presiding. Mrs. Herbert Williams and Mrs. C. C. Harmon presented the fifth and sixth grades in a very interesting program. The sixth grade gave a short play "At the Grocery Store." John Pyeatt gave a reading. The fifth grade presented a short play, "The Parts of Speech" and Marsha Ann Smith gave a piano number. The sixth grade concluded the program with a short dialogue, "The Sewing Bee."

A large crowd was present to enjoy the very good entertainment. The following officers were elected for the coming year. President, Mrs. Milton Sharp; Vice President, Mrs. Frank Bauman; Secretary, Mrs. W. T. Sanders; Treasurer, Mrs. M. M. Smitherman; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Elanor Griffer; and Historian, Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Sr. These officers will be installed in the May meeting.

The Association voted to sponsor a paper drive during the next three weeks. A prize will be given to the organization of the school bringing in the most paper. Every

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4-H Club Boys to Exhibit At Lubbock Fat Stock Show

Castro County 4-H Club boys will exhibit 5 calves, 5 lambs and 26 pigs at the Lubbock Fat Stock Show March 19 to 21.

Calves and lambs will show Monday, March 19, pigs Tuesday, March 20 and sale March 21.

Those who have livestock entered from the county are: Donald Renfro, 3 pigs and 1 calf; Dennis Acker, 3 pigs and 1 calf; Dennis Huseman, 1 pig; Alfonso Huseman, 3 pigs; Joe Nelson, 3 pigs; Ted Conrad, 3 pigs; Floyd Schulte, 3 pigs; Bill Hill, 2 pigs; Kinney Hill, 2 pigs; Bob Hill, 1 pig; Bob Anthony, 2 pigs; Richard Hunter, 1 calf; Tom Acker, 1 calf; Joe Percy Hart, 1 calf and 3 lambs.

County Judge Gives Reasons For Fight Against H. B. 226

Following is a statement released Wednesday for publication by Robert Estes, County Judge of Castro County, regarding H. B. 226, a bill introduced in the Legislature by Rep. Callan Graham and which has been opposed by the

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Plains Memorial Hospital News

Patients in Hospital:

Mrs. Vincent Huseman
Miss Althea Schulte
Mrs. Ed Brockman
Robert Earl Haney
Mr. C. A. Hance
Miss Allie Mae Willis

Patients dismissed since last report:

Mrs. J. D. Anderson and baby girl
Robert Singer, Jr.
Mrs. Betty Armstrong and baby girl
Mrs. Neal Ford and baby girl
Mrs. Helen Hamm
Clayton Ray Graef
Mrs. W. B. Tinnin
Mrs. Lawrence Huseman
Paula Jo Birdwell
Terry James
Kenneth McDermitt

Local Writer Sells Story

Word was received here this week that "Crusoe's Radio", a 2,000 word short story by Mrs. Alice Hale of Dimmitt, had been accepted for publication by "Our Navy" in the mid-March issue. The publication is a Naval magazine and is published in Brooklyn, N. Y. Although Mrs. Hale has written a number of other stories, this is the first one she has sold for publication.

Disasterous Fire Damaged Modern Home Wednesday

The new modern residence, recently completed and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, in West Dimmitt was badly damaged by fire early last Wednesday night. The fire evidently originated in the spacious living room as it was in that room that the heaviest damage was sustained, however the entire house was badly damaged by smoke and fire as was the furnishings in each of the rooms in the large home. An estimate as to the extent of the damage has not been released but it is believed that it will amount to several thousand dollars.

Cause of the fire is not known nor has any theory as to its origin been advanced. Mr. and Mrs. Jones had been out of town most of the day Wednesday and almost immediately after returning home late in the afternoon Mr. Jones was summoned to a meeting of the City Commission of which he is a member. Mrs. Jones left at the same time to visit a neighbor during his absence. The City Commission meeting had only been underway for a short time when the fire alarm was sounded, and Mr. Jones immediately learned that it was his home that was on fire. By promptly responding to the alarm the fire department was able to control the flames and they were quickly extinguished.

Helen Kay Reed Dies on Way to Hospital Saturday

Little Miss Karen Reed died in the arms of her father as she was being rushed to the Plainview Clinic about 4 a. m., on Saturday morning, March 10, 1951. The cause of death still remains unsolved. Karen Kay was born in the Plainview Clinic on October 10, 1943. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Reed, one brother, Mike, and one sister, Nancy; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reed, all of Hart and her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Dellis of San Diego, Calif., all of whom were present for funeral services which were conducted in Hart on Monday afternoon. Rev. E. J. (Continued On Back Page)

Band Concert to Be Given Here Friday

Appearing in its First Annual Spring Concert, and incidentally, the first concert appearance to which an admission fee has been charged since its organization, will be the Dimmitt High School Bobcat Band.

Hopes are that the High School Auditorium will be filled to capacity to hear the concert. The Band has been working ever since football season on many new numbers—including many that should be interesting to almost any listener because they will be of a popular and novelty nature as well as classical.

While the Band is presenting this concert as such to give music lovers a treat, it is also presenting the concert to realize a substantial financial profit thereon, with the proceeds to be applied toward giving Band Letters to deserving members of the Band, and also toward helping secure more instruments.

It must be understood by the public that a band is not a small item in the school district's budget, and that the School Board has spent many thousands of dollars on instruments, uniforms and music for the Bobcat Band. Therefore, the Band solicits your attendance at Friday night's concert, March 16, at 8:00 p. m. in the High School Auditorium.

Give the Band members a boost by buying your ticket from them when they approach you. Let them know thusly that you appreciate the Band Members have you a more enjoy football games, an mer at the night on the Court H member, they hours of prac ments in let Give the at the Coler Tickets wa the door.

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HART NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. Jones of Junction, Texas, spent Tuesday through Sunday in the homes of their children, Cecil Ray Jones and Mrs. Bill Wood and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Simms and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Sweatt and daughters spent the week end in the home of their sister and parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bennett of Gatesville, Texas spent the week end of March 3rd in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bennett. Sunday dinner guests were their children, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McLain and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bennett and son, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Bennett and son all of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bennett and sons of Plainview.

On March 4th Mrs. T. U. Smith entertained with a family dinner in honor of her husband's birthday. Enjoying the day were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sanders, Judy and Jo, and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Smitherman and Rue and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sanders and Joe Bob visited the Cummings family in Friona on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Patsi Smitherman was in Amarillo on business on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sanders and daughters visited his sister, Mrs. Furche Riley, and Mr. Riley and children in Littlefield on Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to see Mr. Hubert Maples able to be up and about after a long seige of arthritis.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Riley have returned from a visit to Hot Springs, New Mexico. They were there for the benefit of their health.

Schools were dismissed on Friday in order that all of the teachers might attend the Teachers' meeting in Amarillo on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Dewey Smith was called to Lodi, California, on Sunday to be at the bedside of her husband who was critically ill. Mrs. A. R. Bostick is teaching while Mrs. Smith is away.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Alexander Jr. of Borger, and Robert Alexander of Fort Hood spent the week-end in the home of their mother, Mrs. Willie Mae Alexander.

T. R. Warren, who is stationed with the U. S. Army at Camp

Polk, La., is home on leave. We have been informed that he has his orders for duty in Korea and will ship out soon after return to camp.

Lewis Wakefield who is stationed with the U. S. Airforce at Lackland Air Base spent the week end with his brother, W.D. Wakefield, and family.

George Rogers Clark and Lee Atens of Big Spring spent Friday night in the home of George's aunt, Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Sr., and family. George has joined the U. S. Navy and will be inducted in Albuquerque soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pyeatt and children of Tulia spent Sunday afternoon in the home of his brother, Roy B. Pyeatt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong are announcing the arrival of a daughter on Saturday morning, March 10th, in the Plains Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Joe Fortenberry of Amarillo had lunch in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Dinwiddie Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Slade of Amarillo were in Hart visiting friends on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. R. E. Loman visited her brother, Mr. Ben Pistole, in Dumas on Friday night and Mrs. Jim Height visited friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Atkinson, in Hartley on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Bailey and Miss Eileen Dawkins of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Height on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Williams of Amarillo visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Jr., and family Friday night and Saturday.

M. F. McRee attended the basket ball games in Waco. Miss Connie McRee was on the Dimmitt team which brought such honor to Castro county and Dimmitt by winning the McCamy State Tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cluck also attended the games in Waco. They will visit his sister in Coolidge before returning home.

Hitch Your Wagon to a Star was the theme carried out in the annual Banquet for Hart High Seniors given by the Baptists W. M. U. on Tuesday night, March 6th in the lunch room. Mrs. Chas. Taylor is president of the local society and was assisted by members who furnished food and help-

ed plan the program. Entertainers were from Wayland College and members of the Senior Class. All agree that it was one of the loveliest affairs of the season.

Mrs. Doyle Davis was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. W. A. Hawkins, Sr. on Friday afternoon, March 2. Hostesses were Misses Elva Mae Bearden, Claudine Gallion, Nell Armstrong and Delores Benson.

Mrs. Fred Clark was honored with a wedding shower in the home of Mrs. Haskell Jackson on Thursday afternoon March 8. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Christine Shellar and Misses Patsy Bauman and Marilyn Stone.

Mesdames John Rice, Steve Boruk, and F. A. Smith were hostesses in the home of Mrs. Rice on Friday afternoon March 9, for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Paul Armstrong.

Nine girls from the Junior class enjoyed a slumber party given by Miss Peggy Davis in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Davis on Thursday night. As is the purpose of a slumber party, the girls stayed awake all night to enjoy the fun.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reed were in California for an extended vacation and visit with relatives when they were called home on Saturday by the sudden death of their granddaughter, Karen Reed.

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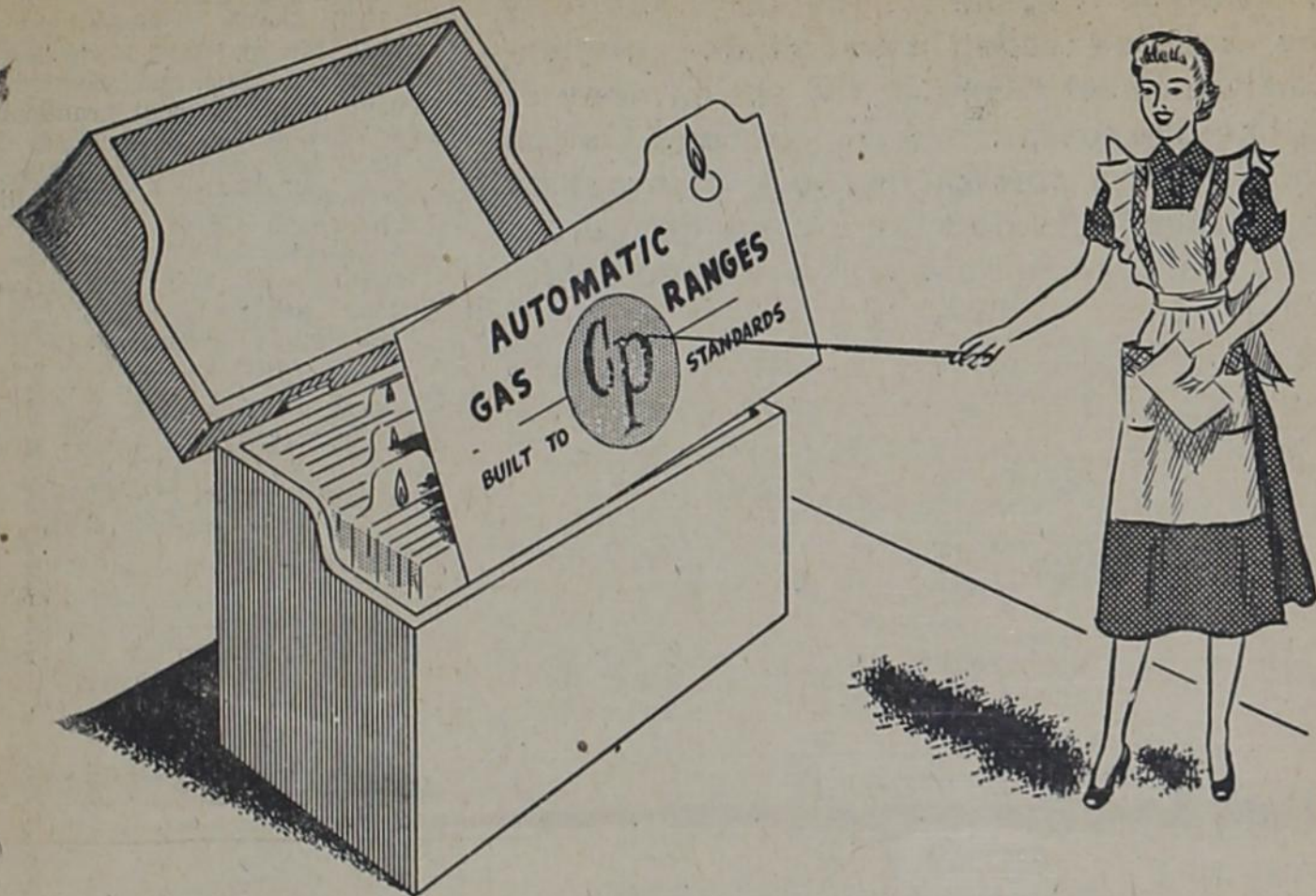
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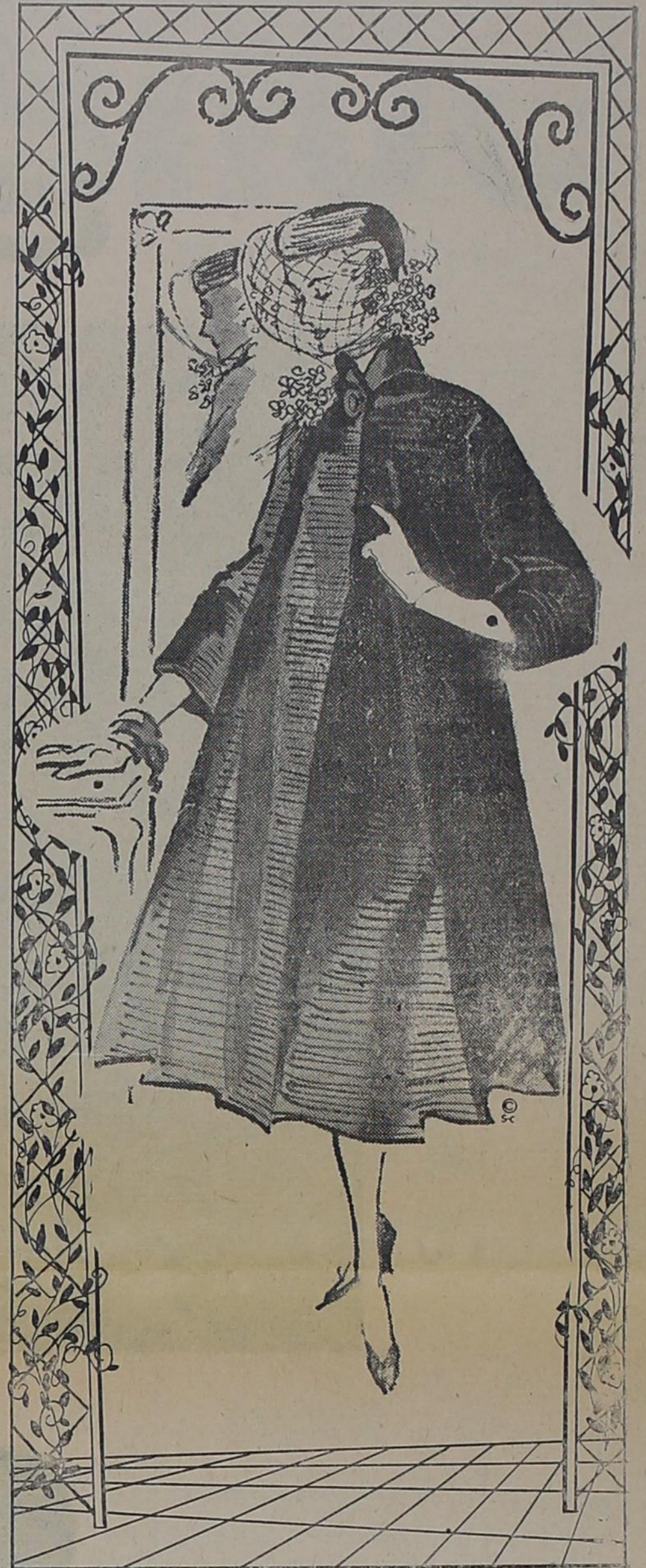
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Mr. and Mrs. Buster Boothe and sons of Canyon visited the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Boothe.
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moran and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thompson were Sunday dinner guests of the Sid Sheffys.
Mr. and Mrs. Noble Armstrong visited relatives in Brownwood last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ginn were business visitors in Littlefield Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bingham have moved to the former Booth farm, west of Flagg.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Damron of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Damron last Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Birchfield of Arcata, California, visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Birchfield last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wilson, Sr. were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wilson, Jr. in Dimmitt Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Birchfield

visited relatives in Farwell last Saturday and attended a Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud LaRue in Clovis Sunday.
On March 4, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Birchfield and their sons Leon and Waymon and their wives attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. Birchfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Birchfield in Farwell.
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This is a "Public Works" project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.
In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workmen or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall not pay less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workmen or mechanic employed on this project.
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We wish to take this means to express to our friends and neighbors the heart felt thanks and deep appreciation we feel for your friendship to us which was shown in so many, many ways in the recent loss of our little daughter, grand-daughter, and niece, Karen Reed. Special thanks go to Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bennett for their thoughtfulness. May God reward each of you.
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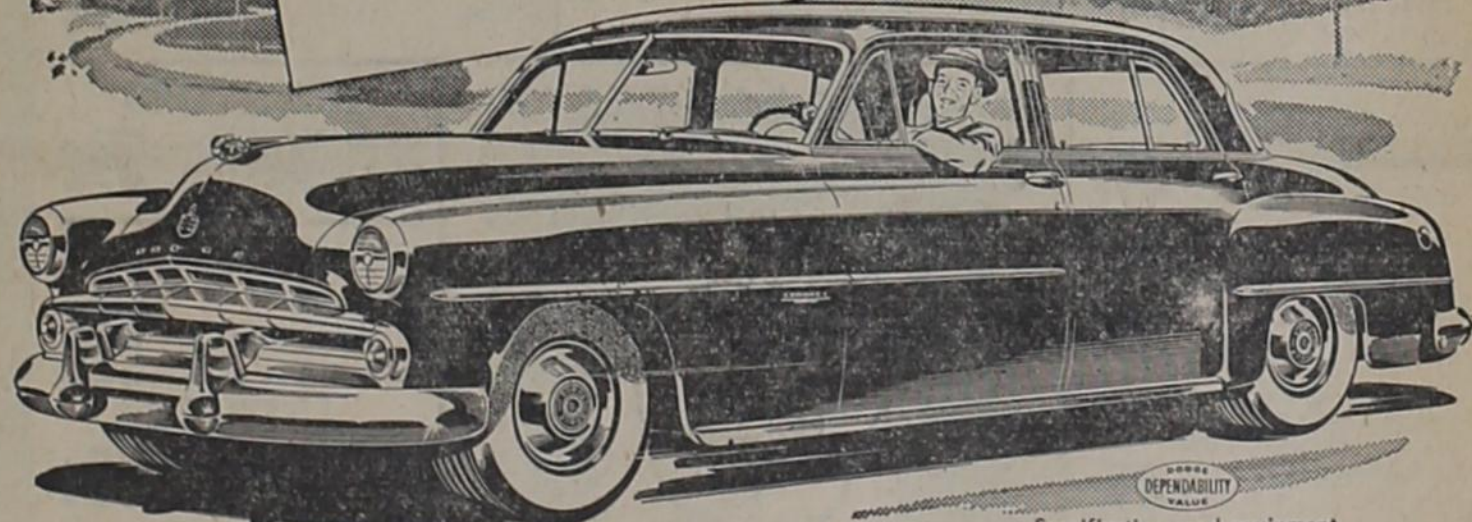
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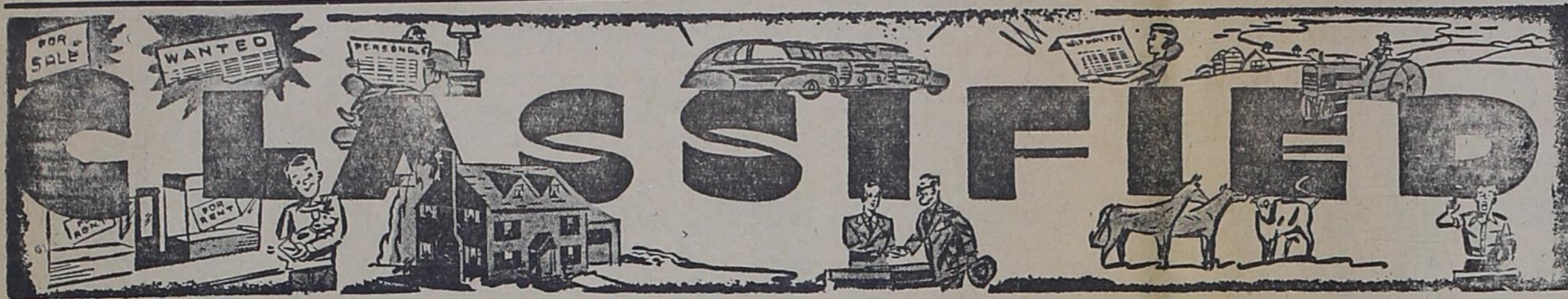
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LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals for constructing a lake fill, on a per yard basis will be received at the office of the County Judge, Courthouse, Dimmitt, Texas, until 10:00 a. m., March 26, and then publicly opened and read.

This fill is to be constructed across the lake on the section line common to sections 24 and 29, Blk. 10-T, Castro County, Texas, and is to have a base 60 feet wide by 3 feet high, with a 3 to 1 slope, and is to be 1800 feet in length.

Specifications are available at the County Judge's office in the Courthouse, Dimmitt, Texas.

Signed:
Commissioners Court
Castro County, Texas
By: Robert Estes,
County Judge

Blanche Grove Circle Meets

The Blanche Grove Circle of the Dimmitt Baptist Church met Monday, March 12, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Kirkpatrick for Bible Study. Mrs. Frank Henderson was in charge of the program. "Jesus Calls Us" was sung by the group and the opening prayer was by Mrs. C. W. Boothe. Mrs. Ray Balch, Benevolence Chairman, asked members to take eggs to the Piggly-Wiggly Grocery for the orphans home.

A card was signed by members for Mrs. K. E. Turner, who underwent surgery in Amarillo recently.

Following a prayer led by Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Ivor Bagwell taught a Bible lesson from Daniel 10 through Amos 9. Mrs. W. T. Gollehon dismissed the meeting in prayer.

Carpenter-Stephens Wedding Solemnized

Miss Joy Carpenter, daughter of Mr. George Carpenter of Earth, and Mr. Albert Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stephens of Dimmitt, were united in marriage February 22 in the Central Baptist Church in Clovis, N. M. Rev. W. E. King performed the ceremony. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bond of Plainview, sister and brother-in-law of the groom.

The bride wore a navy crepe street length dress with white and navy accessories.

Mr. Stephens is a World War War veteran with 42 months service in the Army Quartermaster Corps. He served one year in the Far East theatre of operations.

After a short honeymoon trip to Phoenix, Ariz., the couple are at home in Dimmitt where he is employed by the city.

Specialist Conducts Training School

Miss Gladys Darden, specialist in Home Management, conducted a two-day training school on work simplification in the home of Mrs. Irvin Ott on Thursday and Friday.

Training in simplifying certain jobs and methods of applying the principles to every job was stressed.

Two leaders from each club were trained and they in turn will train other members of their club.

Those attending were: Mrs. K. R. Mullican and Mrs. Woodie Nelson of Northedge; Mrs. Billy King and Mrs. Billy Ott of Sunnyside; Mrs. J. D. Murray and Mrs. M. L. Aven of Hart; Mrs. Irvin Ott and Mrs. C. W. Mick, Big Square; Mrs. Grady Pillows and Mrs. Billie Kirby of Southedge; Mrs. Clyde Dameron and Mrs. Bill Booher of Flagg. Others attending were: Miss Diane McClurkan, County Home Demonstration Agent from Bailey County, Mrs. Gene Ivey of Dimmitt and Mrs. Robin Vann, Castro County Home Demonstration Agent.

Carl Jowell Stars For McMurry Indians

ABILENE, Mar. 9—Carl Jowell of Dimmitt scored points for McMurry College in the Indians' 97-29 triumph over Texas Christian University's Horned Frogs in a dual track and field meet here Tuesday.

Jowell won second in pole vault.

Mrs. E. R. Rothwell and granddaughter, Sharon Rothwell visited with friends in Floydada and relatives in Rotan last week.

Plans Underway to Create Water Dis.

The High Plains Water Conservation and Usurs Association will give strong support to creation of an underground water conservation district in a 21-county Panhandle-South Plains area, board officials have announced following a meeting in Plainview March 8.

Efforts to organize a district will be renewed within the next few weeks following announcement by the State Board of Water Engineers of its official designation of the area included in an underground water reservoir underlying the proposed district. The board has had the designation matter under advisement since last August.

Officials of the High Plains association, which has 14 county groups as associate members, outlined the following procedure to be used in setting up a district:

Association members, largely composed of landowners and irrigation well users, will petition the Board of Water Engineers to create a district.

The State Board then must give full notice throughout the area affected of a hearing at which the board will determine whether the district shall be created. The hearing will be held somewhere within the 21-county area, possibly in centrally-located Plainview. Underground water users and any other citizens affected will be given an opportunity to offer testimony on the desirability of a district.

If, after the hearing, the State Board decides that a district should be created, the board will enter an order creating the district and appointing five directors from five different precincts. The primary function of these appointed directors will be to call an election within a short period, after proper notice has been given throughout the territory.

At the election, the people will decide whether to accept the district, and they will elect five directors from five separate precincts designated by the state board.

In designating precincts, the law provides that no town or city may be in more than one director's precinct.

The Texas legislature in 1949 approved the farmer-sponsored underground water conservation district law as an alternative to a state-control measure offered. The enabling act provides that the districts shall protect, conserve and re-charge the ground water supply.

West Texas Gas Co. Announces Personnel Changes of Officials



R. F. HINCHEY

R. F. Hinchey, West Texas Gas Company president, was named chairman of the board of directors at a meeting in Kansas City Tuesday afternoon. C. I. "Stony" Wall was named to succeed Mr. Hinchey as president.

Simultaneous announcements were also made about four other promotions within the company: T. S. Whittis was named vice president, transmission; H. F. Heath, vice president, distribution; J. J. Wiley, vice president, accounting and budget control; and R. M. Curry, assistant to the president.

These six men have a total of more than 100 years service with West Texas Gas Company.

Mr. Hinchey came to West Texas Gas Company from Ogmulgee, Okla., June 1, 1927, as vice president and general manager. His first task was to supervise construction of a gas transmission line from the Panhandle gas field down into the South Plains and of distribution plants in the various cities and towns which were to be served.

The entire working life of Mr. Hinchey has been spent in the natural gas business. This year he will complete his 47th consecutive year with the industry. His first job with the industry was that of water boy, during his early 'teens, with a construction crew building a natural gas pipeline from Bradford, Penn., to Buffalo, N. Y. He has been employed in the gas industry ever since with the exception of about one year spent serving in the armed forces during World War I. His work with the industry has led him from New York and Pennsylvania to Ohio, West Virginia, Oklahoma and finally to Texas.



C. I. WALL
Stony Wall, new company president

dent, has a background in the industry that almost parallels that of Mr. Hinchey except that practically all his working life has been spent with West Texas Gas Company.

Except for a "slow are" Stony might today be with one of the major league baseball teams. Failing to get the nod from Branch Rickey of the St. Louis Cardinals during a summer training school—Stony was told that he might obtain a job with West Texas Gas Company which had just been organized.

This job he soon found out was that of checking pipe for the line being laid from the Panhandle gas field to the South Plains. His rapid rise from pipe checker to more responsible positions with the company, including such jobs as assistant purchasing agent, purchasing agent, Plainview local manager, superintendent of city plants and vice president in charge of operations, is not surprising to his business associates. His ability to "turn out" work has won him the confidence of his business associates and the company's directors.

Stony is a member of the Lubbock Rotary Club, Masonic Lodge, and he also is well known for his active participation in civic work and his promotion of West Texas athletics. He is a graduate of the University of Kansas, where he achieved national renown for his participation in collegiate foot-

Friendship Class Enjoys Social

The Friendship class of the Methodist church met in Fellowship Hall Tuesday evening for their monthly social. Mrs. George Webb gave a timely devotional. All who have birthdays this month were recognized.

Refreshments of birthday cake, sandwiches and cocoa were served to twenty-four members. Games of 42 were enjoyed throughout the evening.

H. D. Clubs to Serve to Serve C - C Banquet

Home Demonstration Council met in regular session in county courtroom March 13 at 2:30 p.m. Twelve members answered roll where five clubs were represented. An interesting recreation period in form of an auction was enjoyed by the group. The finance committee reported two future projects: serving the Chamber of Commerce Banquet in April and selling drinks, candy and gum at the dairy show April 6. Each club is to turn in names of three books which they will purchase for a club library in the Demonstration office. Each club is to send four dollars for a THDA scholarship for a 4-H Club girl of District II, to treasury by May 1st. Miss Bonnie Cox will be at next council meeting April 10 and lecture on exhibit work. Recreation school will be held in Plainview on March 28-30, on family recreation. Delegates elected to T. H. D. A. district meeting at Tulia April 28 were Mrs. Ray Axtell, Mrs. F. E. Cloudus and Mrs. Orbie Armstrong. Alternates elected were Mrs. J. D. Murray, Mrs. Irvin Ott, and Mrs. Carl Easterwood.

Club Reporter

Disabled American Veterans Meet

The D. A. V. and Auxiliary met March 12 at Tulia. The D. A. V. voted to give the Auxiliary \$50.00.

The Auxiliary set Saturday, March 17, to have a bake sale at Tulia.

March 26 is to be social night, barbecue and fun for all disabled veterans and families. All disabled veterans and families of Castro County are cordially invited. This social will be held at the American Legion Hall at Tulia.

Mabel Ewing, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Graham and girls left Saturday for Kingston, Okla., where they will stay during the summer months attending to farming and cattle interests there.

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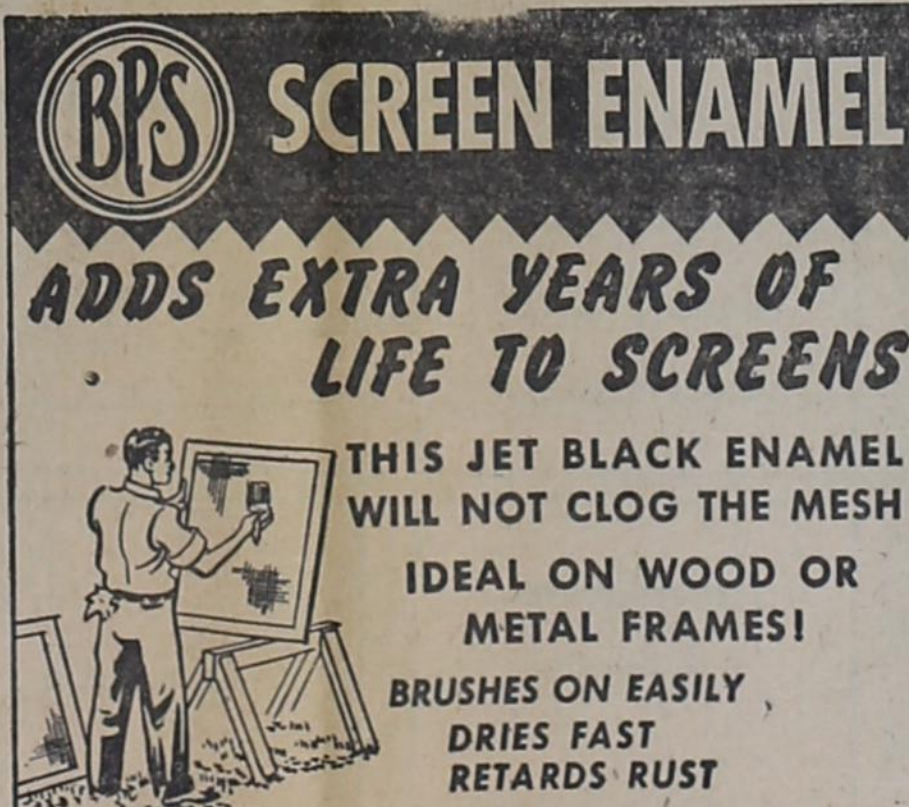
Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Fellowship Hall. Mrs. Gollehon, president, led the business discussions. The group sang "Come, Thou Almighty King". Mrs. Neumayer gave a very interesting lesson on "The Health of the American Indian." She was assisted by Mrs. Sam Hunter and Mrs. B. M. Nelson. Mrs. Brannan led in prayer. All ladies of the church are urged to be present Monday 19.

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BETHEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Warren had several of their children home for Sunday dinner, the occasion being for their son, Loyce's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Warren and Lyrice, Mrs. Leldon Rawls and children of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Warren and daughter of Monte Vesta, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Sheek and boys of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howell and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell and Nelda Jean were in Plainview Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell made a business trip to Plainview Wednesday afternoon and also visited their sister, Mrs. A. W. Bates.

Moss Howell, who is in a Lubbock hospital is reported as slowly improving, but is still very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Seale and David were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren Friday evening.

We are very sorry some of the children and grown-ups of the community have the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson were calling in the Harry Rothwell home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Narlene Rawls spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Joe Warren. Narlene is attending Draughts Business school in Lubbock.

Woman's Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. Harry Rothwell Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Settle, Mrs. Haberer and Mrs. Roberts brought us a very interesting lesson on the labor situation. Those enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. Earl Lust, Kay Roberts, D. W. Brashear, Vern Lust,

Melvin Settle, Roy Haberer, J. C. Williams and our visitors, Mrs. Jim Bagwell of Amistad, N. M., and Mrs. Levi Johnson of Farwell, and the hostess, Mrs. Harry Rothwell. We will meet with Mrs. Melvin Settle March 20, everyone come.

Bobby Joe Warren, Herbert and Jimmie Howell and Glenn Lust and their instructor, Mr. J. Seale, did some F. F. A. judging at a stock show in Portales, N. M., Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Mrs. Bobby Joe Warren were in Clovis, N. M., Thursday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stiles at Big Square Sunday afternoon.

Mary Kay Kelly of Dimmitt was a Sunday guest of Nelda Jean Bagwell.

Mr. R. M. Dunr of Dimmitt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Bagwell and children.

Wesley Smith, Milton Bagwell and Weldon Warren were among the many who attended the basketball games at Waco.

Mr. C. A. Cryer of Borger visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Vern Lust and Mrs. Loy Stone were in Hereford Saturday.

Bob and Jack Bradford spent this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust while their parents Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford attended the girls basketball games in Waco.

Mrs. Bobby Warren and Miss Narlene Rawls were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell.

Mrs. George Bagwell, Carolyn and Sue were shopping and visiting relatives in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts spent the most of the week with his brother, Mr. Jack Roberts, in Tucumcari, N. M.

Mrs. Jim Givan stayed at the Howell home Sunday and cared for the children in the absence of Mrs. Charles Howell.

EASTER NEWS

(Reporter Mrs. Wendell Markley) A big Easter dinner is planned for Easter Sunday, March 25th. All the community is invited to come. Bring all the food you think your family can hold, and bring lots of colored eggs for the kiddies, as they are having a big Easter hunt in the afternoon. Bring your family, card tables and games and we'll have a wonderful time, remember now, it will be at the schoolhouse at 1:30. Club was held Thursday, March 8th, with Mrs. John Godfrey as

hostess and co-hostess was Mrs. Dee Johnson. The co-hostess took care of the children during the meeting. Roll call was answered by telling how each member had started out in housekeeping. After adjournment, appetizing refreshments served were sandwiches, cookies and coffee. Next meeting will be March 22nd, at the schoolhouse, with Mrs. Gladys Glenn as hostess. A project the club has undertaken recently is sending the boys in service from the community Card Shows and packages on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Glenn went to Cheyenne, Wyoming, last week to visit Mrs. Glenn's brother who is stationed at the F. E. Warren Air Base.

Mrs. Leo Hall and daughters visited relatives in Wellington re-

cently. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Monds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond White, moved to Lubbock Sunday night. Mr. Monds is on a construction job there.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Johnson of McLean visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Johnson and family Sunday night and went back home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hall and daughters spent Sunday evening with Mrs. W. W. Lowe of Dimmitt.

Miss Lanelle Walthall, who is going to Wayland College at Plainview, visited Mrs. Wendell Markley last week-end while she was home.

Mrs. S. A. McCathern of near Hereford, a recent member in our club, is moving to Zell, South Da-

kota, in the next few weeks. Mrs. Raymond White visited Mrs. Arthur Oakley of Dimmitt on Monday.

Mr. Glenn Bell of Hereford, and Miss Evelyn La Plant were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. La Plant and daughters.

Mrs. Wendell Markley spent Wednesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. G. H. La Plant.

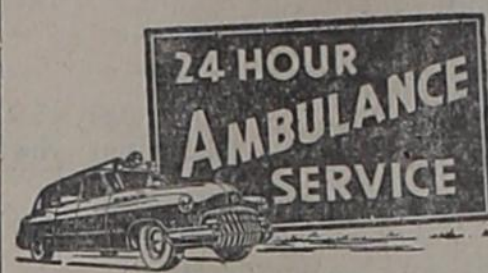
Mrs. Charles Warnock of Dimmitt visited her mother, Mrs. John Godfrey, Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Epperson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. La Plant Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin La Plant and daughters visited with the Wendell Markleys Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton McLain have had as their guests Mrs. McLain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Holt from Malakoff, Texas. Also Sunday was a family reunion for the Holt family. It was the

first time all the children, wives, and grandchildren had been together with their father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Holt, in fourteen years. Everyone had an enjoyable time.



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EDITORIALS

Lasting Impressions . . .

This is a subject which has been written about and talked about time and time again, but it is one on which the students of any school should think. This past week the Dimmitt Bobbies and a large number of fans went to Waco to attend the State Basketball tournament. During this time there were many quick opinions formed by the people with which we and every school group came in contact. Some of them are probably good and some bad, but these opinions, although they may just be a quick observation, will remain with these people every time they hear of our schools.

What can we do about it? This question can be asked over and over without a definite answer, but there are many things that will help. One is to remember to control your temper. People appreciate a person that is not temperamental, because they are comfortable to be around. Another factor that helps is good sportsmanship. We have had lectures and editorials on that subject and should all know what it means after seeing the state tournament. We need to watch our conduct too, and not do something away from home that we wouldn't do at home. Perhaps, it is a great temptation to do something forbidden you at home, but remember it might be fun at the time, but there will probably be repercussions. Remember such things as being a good sport, holding your temper, and watching your conduct are the things that may form the opinion for your city and school.

Let's meet this challenge directly and make this city and school a place of which to be proud; one that people will remember and say with respect "I know those people. They're from Dimmitt."

Friendship and Loyalty

Have you ever stopped to think that friendship and loyalty go hand in hand? Then just stop and take a look at the Dimmitt Bobbies and their many fans. One look will give you the answer. The Bobbies are not only superb ball players, but wonderful, lovable girls. Although they have achieved much, and received great fame, it has not gone to their heads. They still have their old friends and many new ones. These friends admire them as well as love them, and they are also known as fans. It was these fans that turned out to support the Bobbies and gave them such a wonderful banquet. Friendship and loyalty—you would know what we mean had you attended the banquet. The feeling was there and you swelled with pride as you heard the voices of our Dimmitt Bobbies raised in song, singing "We Love Those Dear Hearts and Gentle People Who Live and Love In Our Home Town".

These fans were responsible for the great spirit noticed by other towns and fans who attended the State Meet. When a group gets so full of school spirit that it spills over and all around them—then that's really something!

Society Sue

Dimmitt Bobbies left Monday for Waco where they played in the State Tournament, and won. Seems as if they had lots of people to follow them down there. The Bobbies came home Sunday. There were several cars waiting to greet them at Plainview. As the several cars followed the bus, lots of cars pined them. By the time they reached Dimmitt there was quite a caravan following them. The Bobbies were greeted by quite a number of fans. They showed the trophies, and talked to the fans who didn't get to go to Waco. Dimmitt was glad to welcome the girls and their fans home, and hear the exciting news.

Bobbies and fans leave for Iowa about next Wednesday. Good Luck Bobbies!

The Seniors will be quite busy for a while now. Play practice starts Monday night, March 12, for "Who's Batty Now", because the time is short, there will be long hard practices.

Charlyne Campbell entertained with a weiner roast at Cameron Park at Waco. Billy G., Wesly M., Jimmy, Don N., Gilly G., Wesly, Jack, Fayrene, Dona, Mary Ann, Carolyn and the hostess, Charlyne. Also attending were several of her kinfolks from Waco.

The fans that went to Waco, gave the Bobbies a banquet in the Crystal Room of the Roosevelt Hotel. There were several guest speakers, including guests from Iowa. There was a large number of fans attending. This was a very fine affair with "good ole Dimmitt spirit" present.

Mr. Izzy Fred, a Waco jeweler, gave away four beautiful Bulova watches. Dimmitt came home with three of the four watches. Johnny Godfrey was presented a watch for the most beautiful player in the tournament. Lometa Odom and Ruth Cannon received watches for highest score in the tournament. Maurine Smithson received a watch for the most outstanding guard in the tournament. Congratulations girls.

You can tell the people that went to Waco. Almost all of them came home with some new clothes and some came home with loud noise makers used at the games.

Report cards came out last Wednesday, some faces looked sad, some glad and some a bit puzzled at the grades.

D. H. S. Directory

Friday, March 16, there will be a band concert in the auditorium at 8:00 o'clock.

Tuesday, March 20, P. T. A. meeting will be at 8:00 p. m.

Thursday, March 22, One-act play contest will be at 7:00 p. m. Let's all try to attend.

The Tattles

Well, kids, our books are here, yes sirc; The seventh grade met on Monday of last week and received the books they ordered about 2 weeks ago. Some of the titles are such as: "Mustang", "The Land Grabber", "Junior Miss", and "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay". We plan to order again soon.

So if you see some of the 7th grade going around with their head stuck in a book you'll know that it is someone from the Teen-Age Book Club.

Mrs. Richardson's Sixth Grade feels most fortunate in having the privilege of making place card favors to be used for the Easter Sunday Dinner at the Veterans' Hospital in Amarillo. Our teacher will go to Amarillo early enough Easter morning to place the favors on the tables and trays and then attend the special Easter services for the patients in the Chapel. The center pieces for the twenty tables in the dining room will be white Easter lilies from Velma's Floral Shop in Dimmitt.

Mr. Willett Speaks In Chapel Program

The Students of D.H.S. practically heard the roar of wild animals coming from the auditorium Tuesday, March 6. Mr. Willett told about the habits of wild animals of India and how the people protected themselves. He demonstrated many of the garments the Indian people wear and how they put them on. He also exhibited knives used in the jungles and told of the use of each knife. It was an educational and interesting program.

Don't miss this big event! Coming soon—Band Concert at Dimmitt on the 16th of March, at 8:00 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Merritt and family of Kit Carson, Colorado, are visiting relatives and friends in Dimmitt.

Rumored As "Best Yet"

Odom, Smithson Again Named As All-Time All-Staters

The Dimmitt Bobbies repeated as Texas State Champions in Waco last week-end as they breezed through the State Tournament with what is known to many as the best combination in the state's history and beat a great Cotton Center team to take the title.

The Bobbies launched their drive Wednesday night against a strong Aleo team that realized its shortcomings after giving in to the Bobbies with a 69-29 score. Lometa Odom smashed the state scoring record in this game by racking 47 points in not quite four quarters of play, beating her scoring opponent, Ruth Cannon of Cotton Center, who had set the record earlier in the day with 44 points. Lometa hit 22 shots of 27 attempts while long-shot artist Johnny Godfrey was adding another 16 points to the score and Mary Nelson putting 3 long shots into the net. The guards demonstrated an outstandingly air-tight defense throughout the game, with floor guards Decima Dennis and Mitzi Wilson giving up only 13 points while Maurine Smithson witnessed something new in pivot shots by all-stater Jo Head of Aleo, who managed to slip eight field goals past Maurine. But Maurine kept the majority of Head's shots from dropping through the hoops.

The Bobbies had a breather Thursday night and could not show up against a weak Knott team. Substitutes saw plenty of action in the game after the Odom-Godfrey-Nelson combination put 44 marks on the scoreboard, 24 for Lometa and 10 each for Mary and Johnny, while Smithson, Wilson, and Dennis held the Hillbillies to a scant 23 points. Peggy Messenger hit the other two for the Bobbies, making final score 46-23.

The semi-finals Friday night saw Seagoville, state finalist of last year, lose to Dimmitt 38-25, as the Bobbies hit a supposed peak of their season, with Lometa Odom accounting for 25 points while Johnny Godfrey tallied 9 and Mary Nelson hit 2 out of 3 attempts. The guards had Seagoville worried at the end of the first quarter, wondering at the half, and hitting the rafters and out-of-bounds more often than the basket during the last half. The Smithson-Wilson-Dennis combination burned up the floor and captured the ball as only they could. McRee turned in a superb game in substituting for Mitzi when she fouled out. The Bobbies were still at their peak, however, when they met the determined Cotton Center Elkettes. The record crowd soon realized the battle of the champions was on. The

son, who was holding Ruth Cannon to one of her low scoring games of the year. Odom, Godfrey and Nelson topped the Cotton Center crew in points and the third period ended with Dimmitt leading 29-19.

The fourth period saw some of the finest basketball in the history of the sport, with Cotton Center cutting Dimmitt's lead to four points again, and the Bobbies holding on desperately to their lead, never allowing it to be overtaken or approached by any margin less than four points. The scoring started when all-state Cannon put one in on Cotton Center's first attempt, only to be matched by a two-pointer by Odom on her first try. The score was tied three more times in the quarter and the score was 10-8 as the quarter ended with Cotton Center on the upper edge. The second quarter, however, was a different story as Dimmitt settled down to overpower the Cotton Center girls by a 6-point margin, something the Hale County misses couldn't overcome.

The stands were in a continual uproar the last half as Dimmitt kept their four and six-point lead during the third quarter by brilliant floor play, stalling, shooting, passing and one Maurine Smith-

Johnson sisters, Colleen and Arleen of Cotton Center fascinated the crowd with their exhibition of fast floor play, good long shots and brilliant passing. Although Cotton Center had several chances, these were discouraged by three outstanding Dimmitt Guards. A touch of professionalism had been noticed all during the game, but it reached a point which would make professionals sulk in the corners as the wild battle raged in all its fury with the time clock running out and the score standing 36-30 for the Bobbies. A foul on Cotton Center gave the Bobbies the ball and Nelson and Godfrey commenced to put everyone on the edge of their seats by a brilliant passing



and stalling counter, which lasted until the end of the game. The final score was 36-30 and earned the Bobbies a repeat performance as Texas Basketball Queens. There was little disappointment by spectators for they knew they had seen the game of the year in girls basketball.

The official tab on the Cotton Center-Dimmitt game follows:

Dimmitt	fg	ft	pf	tp
Odom, f	9	1	2	19
Godfrey, f	5	1	0	11
Nelson, f	3	0	0	6
Smithson, g	0	0	2	0
Dennis, g	0	0	0	0
Wilson, g	0	0	4	0
				36

Cotton Center	fg	ft	pf	tp
R. Cannon, f	8	1	2	17
A. Johnson, f	4	1	1	19
C. Johnson, f	2	0	2	4
D. Cannon, g	0	0	2	0
Barrett, g	0	0	5	0
Shadden, g	0	0	2	0
Lorenze, g	0	0	0	0
				30

The all-state team was announced after the finals Saturday night after being determined by officials, scribes, and members of the State High School Girls Basketball League. It follows:

Forwards	Team
Name	Dimmitt
Lometa Odom	Cotton Center
Ruth Cannon	East Chambers
Jo Anne Ryan	New Deal
Wanda Arant	Slocum
Betty Griffin	Aleo
Jo Head	
Guards	Team
Maurine Smithson	Dimmitt
Patsy Pharr	Seagoville
Jimmy Shanks	Knott
Millie Bennett	Stratford
Vera Patterson	Seagoville
Catherine Shadden	Cotton C.

Maurine Smithson was named the outstanding guard of the tournament and Lometa Odom and Ruth Cannon were high scorers, with 115 and 118 respectively. Cotton Center Center ended the season without a loss to any team except Dimmitt but the Bobbies beat them four times. Dimmitt was beaten twice, once by Cotton Center and once by Springlake. Seagoville won the third place game over Robertson and East Chambers won the consolation.

Bobcats Take Track Meet With Waco's Moore High School

The Bobcats walked off with an exhibition track meet with Moore Negro High School of Waco last Friday, taking every first place. Good times and distances were recorded, including a 100-yd dash in 10.3 seconds by Gene Easley, who also ran the low hurdles in 23 seconds, the same time that won state last year; an approximate 20 ft. broad jump by Easley; a 40ft. 9 in. shot put throw by Don Nelson for a new county record; and a 5 ft. 6 in. high jump by Douglas Dennis, who defeated the defending negro state champion high jumper.

Other events entered and won were the 880 yd. dash, Bill Hunter; the 440 yd. dash, Donald White; the 220 yd. dash, Gene Easley; the mile run, Bill Murphy; the discus throw, Don Nelson; and the 440 yd. relay, Jess Burch, Donald Wright, Gene Easley, and Weldon Warren. The score was Dimmitt 68½, Moore 38½.

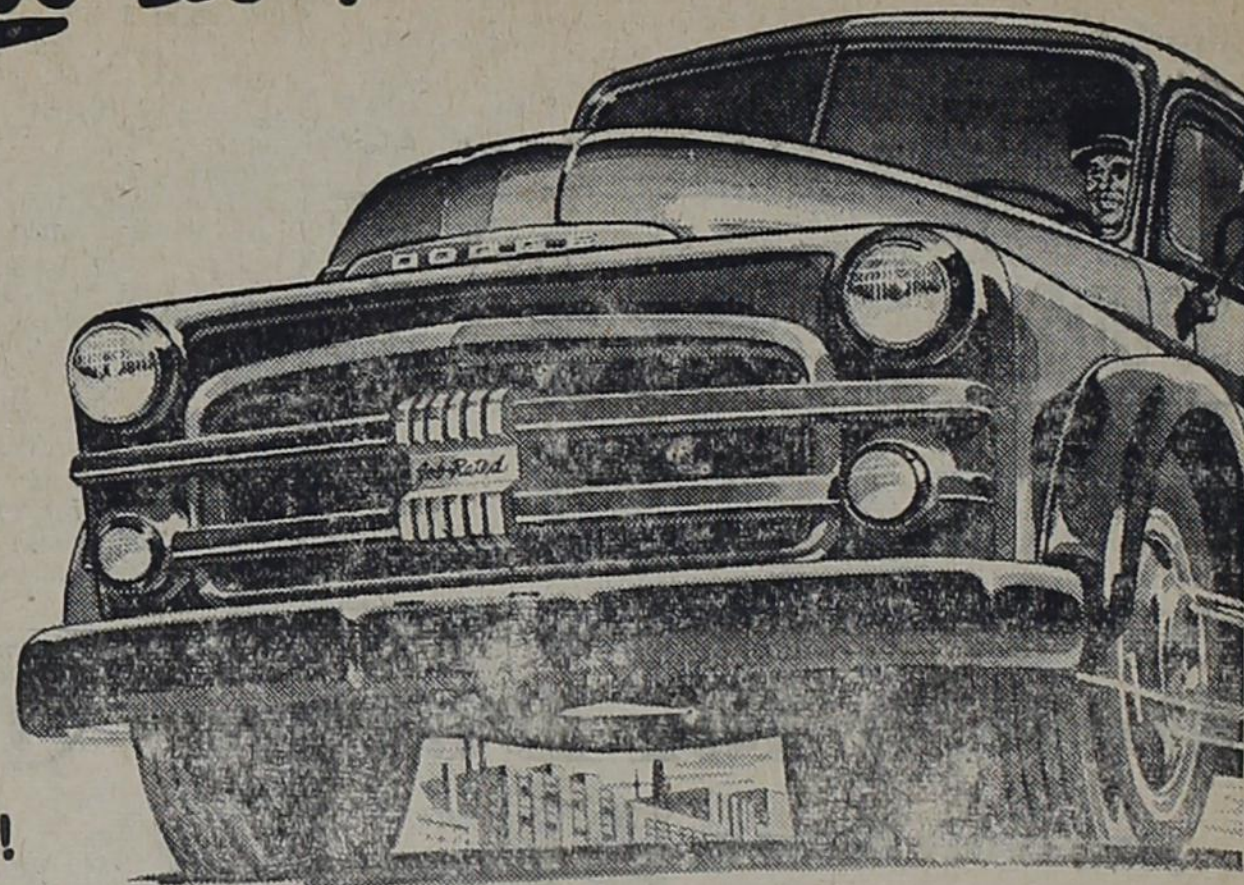
League Play In Rehearsal

Have you always wanted to attend your own funeral? This has its good points and bad points. Of course you find out what people think of you. If you wonder what it would be like, come to see "Balcony Scene", a one-act Inter-scholastic play. The cast of "Balcony Scene" is as follows: Bill Hunter, Bill Murphy, Rae Hardy, Beth Hance, Charlyne Campbell, Jim Jowell, Don Nelson, and Lora Nora Poe. Miss Suits has the job of trying to make these people turn into actors while she is directing the play. This play is a competitive play with the winner taking part in District, Area, Regional, and State. District will be in Dimmitt at the High School auditorium, March 22. The director of the Interscholastic meet is Mr. Bates. Various other plays will be presented by neighboring towns. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Flagg H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Carl Easterwood for a regular meeting. The report of the road committee was accepted.

Mrs. Jess Birchfield was appointed civil defense director for our club.

Mrs. Easterwood was elected delegate to the district meeting at Tullia.

Mrs. Vann did not give her demonstration because of the

work simplification school at Mrs. Otts. She will give the demonstration at our second meeting. This meeting will be with Mrs. Ginn on March 22.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Jess Birchfield, Buck Brandon, Edd Wilson, Cecil Ginn, Andy Thompson, Melvin Settle, Elzie Teague, John Bessimer, Sid Sheffy, Elmer Cooper, Lynn Smith, Calvin Heiskell, Bill Booher, Clyde Damron, Gene Ivey, Robin Vann, Mrs. Earl Lust and Mrs. Tom Lewis were visitors.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Armstrong of Earth are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Rowena, to Orville M. Cleavenger, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Cleavenger of Springlake. Date for the ceremony has not been set. Mr. Cleavenger is serving in the U. S. Navy in San Diego, California.

Sunnyside H. D. Club

The Sunnyside Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, March 7, in the home of Mrs. Erving King. The roll call was answered by "What I think we can do to help 4-H girls."

Mrs. Ray Axtell was elected as delegate to attend the T. H. D. A. meeting at the Tullia high school April 23.

Plans were made for the monthly social which will be at the home of Mrs. Billie Ott Friday, March 16, at 7:30 p. m.

After the business meeting was finished, the agent, Mrs. Vann, gave an interesting demonstration on "placing the pattern, cutting and marking". The material she used to demonstrate on was a plaid.

Following the meeting refreshments were served to Mesdames Billie King, Ray Riley, Billie Ott, Willard Morris, Jack Ebeling, Joe Ebeling, Cecil Curtiss, Noble Howard, J. C. Holbrook, F. V. Dodsor, the agent, Mrs. Vann, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel, Carl Sandy and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Maxwell and Donnie visited Fred Bruegel, Jr., and Dale Maxwell at Texas Tech Sunday of last week. A basket lunch was enjoyed in the Lubbock park. Dale and Fred Jr. are roommates at Tech.

Mr. Orban Phillips of Corsicana visited in the Sam Maynard home this week.

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Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Maynard were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Maynard and Preston of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caudle of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Sam Maynard and Mrs. Ray Balch visited in Hereford Monday.

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BIG SQUARE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Scott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stiles and Mrs. Leonard Elliott were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Elliott called in the Scott home later in the day.

Mr. Wes Anthony and Mr. Fred Kuntz attended the Fat Stock Show in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Jay Black and Mrs. Otis English and son, Lonnie, were in Clovis, N. M., Monday.

Mrs. Andy Behrends and Mrs. M. L. Howard were Clovis visitors Monday.

Dinner guests in the Andy Behrends home Sunday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Story, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Story, all of Hereford.

Mr. Steve Black of Santa Rosa, N. M., spent the week-end with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Black.

Mrs. John Davis and Mrs. Irvin Ott were Plainview visitors Monday.

Clum Davis of Ringling, Okla., spent the week-end in the home of John Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Haberer and son, Davy, of Canyon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haberer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carnes of Tullia visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Black Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuntz and family were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott.

Mrs. Ted Sheffy, Beth and Graham spent the week end with Miss Henry McMurry in Marlow, Okla. Ted joined them Monday after taking a load of plows to Kingston.

Mrs. Cameron Is Circle Hostess

Lottie Moon circle met with Mrs. Cameron with ten members present and one new member, Mrs. Tidwell. The meeting was opened with a song, "Jesus Calls Us", prayer was by Mrs. Maples. Mrs. Gollehon taught the Bible lesson.

Refreshments were served to the group.

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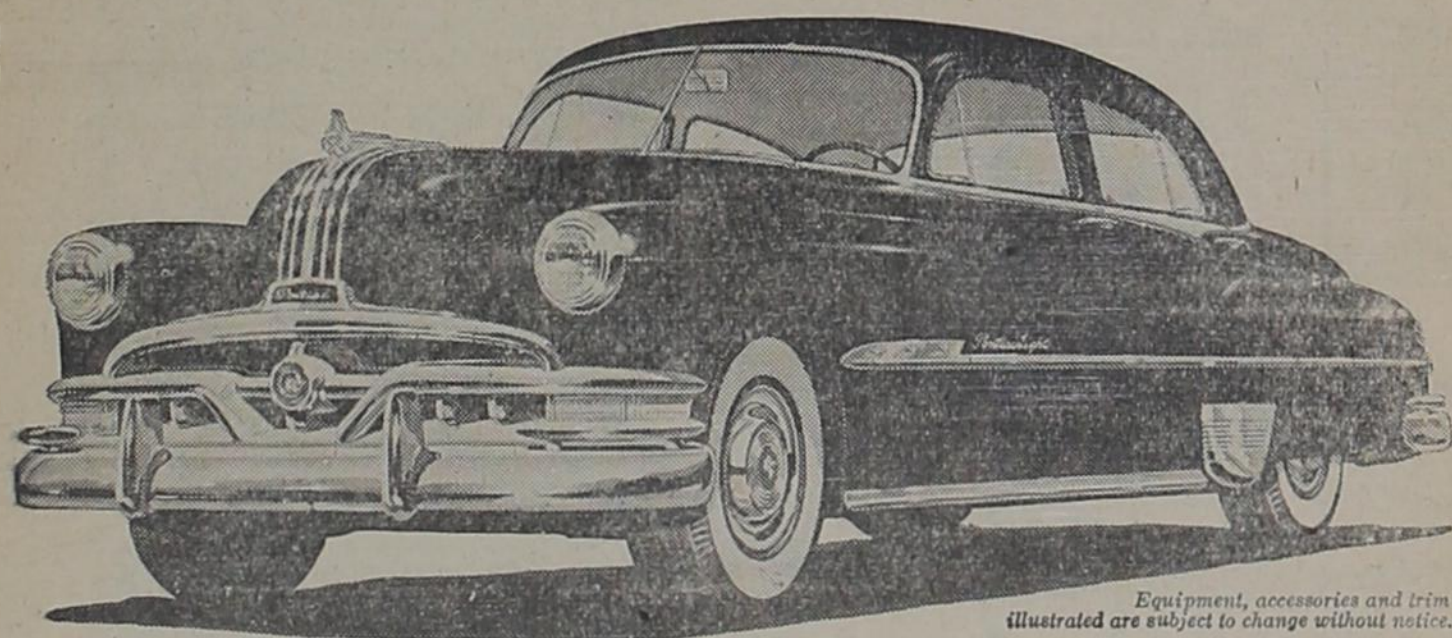
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FRIO NEWS

(Delayed from last week)
Frio Home Makers Club met in the home of Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, on Wednesday February 28. Heart Disease was the subject of the program. "We're told that heart disease, cancer and tuberculosis are the great American killers", related Mrs. Henry Dobbs in her discussion, but according to

her information, she said "It's the telephone, the calendar and the clock, that actually kill off our people." Although they seem exaggerated, she stated that really it is the hurry and rush of modern living along with lack of moderation in other habits, that actually cause so many early deaths. Mrs. Glenn Gripp gave information on the different kinds of heart disease. Those present for the meeting were Mesdames Hen-

ry Andrews, Henry Dobbs, C. N. McClure, Joe Davenport, Floyd Cole, E. F. Vogler, W. A. Springer, Gene Noel, Glenn Gripp, Owen Andrews, Henry Vogler, a visitor, and the hostess, Mrs. Sparkman. The year books were filled out except for hostesses for the latter month or so of the year. The next meeting will be about home nursing, with Mrs. E. F. Vogler and Mrs. E. H. Little giving the demonstration, and will be in the home of Mrs. C. N. McClure, on Wednesday, March 14.

On Friday night a musical was held at Frio with Lester Irwin acting as master of ceremonies and others playing guitars, violin and mandolin were Tommy Irwin, Gene Dickson, Charles Russell, and E. F. Vogler. Present from out of the community were Mrs. W. W. Lowe, Sonya and Keith, Lanelle Mobley, June Belknap, and Jewel Lawrence, all of Dimmitt, Mrs. Ed Russell and Charles of Summerfield, Mrs. Bill Dickson, William, Gene and Dale of Hereford. The men had a business meeting during the musical, with two visitors from Hereford, Geo. V. Stambaugh and Leo Forrest present to explain facts about the Rural Telephone Association. Six persons signed up for a telephone that night as most of those present already had signed.

Among those who sold cattle at Amarillo last week were J. E. Andrews, Henry Andrews and L. D. Irwin. Mrs. W. C. Lowery, with Mrs. Brooks of Hereford has been visiting the formers cousin at Hutch, N. M. They spent a week taking treatments at Hot Springs before going on for a visit. They were away about two weeks, returning on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vogler and family entertained his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vogler and baby of Lamesa from Monday until Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Dowdy and sons, Buster and Arvil Lee, and Oren Dowdy, all of Modesto, California, were here Wednesday night and Thursday visiting the sister of Johnnie and Oren Dowdy, Mrs. Leonard Irwin and family. On Thursday night, the Irwins and Dowdys visited another brother, Luther Dowdy and family, at Tulia. On Friday they all went to Oklahoma, near Washington, to visit other relatives. The Irwins came home on Sunday night. Lester, Tommy and Velma stayed at home to do the work while the folks were away.

Veradella Andrews spent Wednesday night at Hereford with her friend, Virginia Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Spicer Gripp and Nancy were in Oklahoma City,

last week taking care of sheep sales. The Gripps, Spicer Glenn and their father had sold and were delivering the sheep there. D. D. Benson was able to be back driving the bus last week after several days absence due to illness, but was not able to work this week, again.

W. A. Springer and Charles Ralph spent several days at Amarillo during the Stock Show, last week, as Charles was taking care of his calf, there. He is to be congratulated on winning fifth place. Other show visitors were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Little and Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robbins and Carol, Misses Lyla and Glenda Robbins, H. D. Robbins and Pat.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Glenn and children went to Cheyenne, Wyo., where her brother, Dudley Bailey, of Clovis, is stationed with the Air Force. They went to take Bailey's car to him as he will be stationed there for awhile.

Mrs. J. B. Thompson has her brother spending part of the week visiting her. He is Pvt. Ronald Godman, of Camp Polk, La. He is also visiting her sister, Miss Barbara Godman, and their parents who live near Bushland.

Visitors in the Robert Simpson home Saturday night and Sunday were Mrs. Simpson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts of Wellington, and her brother Verl Roberts and family of Littlefield. Dinner guests of the Oscar Hurts Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobbs and Larry and the Shannons.

Hunts have recently purchased property in Hereford. They bought the Hollis Rainey home, which is a three apartment house located on 307 E. Park Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brooks visited Mrs. "Dueward Taylor and family at Friona on Sunday.

Mrs. H. M. Mobley left Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. Taylor, at Breckenridge. She planned to go by way of Floydada for her sister, Mrs. Opal Bentley, who is in a Lubbock hospital following an operation last week. While in Breckenridge the sisters plan to paper their mother's house.

Stock Show visitors at Amarillo last week were Mrs. H. M. Mobley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Renfro and Donald and Austin Mobley. Donald took a pig to the show.

On Monday night those attending the Inspirational Meeting at the Dimmitt Baptist Church were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, LaVon, Oma Ruth and Tawana, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Andrews and Dolores, J. H. James and Clark Dobbs, Lester, Tommy Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson, and Nell, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Andrews, Miss Alma Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Owen Andrews, and Joe Ed, Veradelle and Frances Andrews, Clark and Glenn Andrews, Leonard Schmidt, Arthur Blackburn, Mr. Sargent, Rev. R. L. Shannon and Mrs. Shannon, Velma and Winnie Jo Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar

G. G. Club Has Style Show

The G. G. Club entertained the members of their club and several guests with a style show Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Payne.

The style show was sponsored by Franklins Ready to Wear of

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Refreshments were served to Kathrine Phillips, Verba Sadler, Mettie Bird, Ila Haydon, Alene Lilley, Cyble Gamblin, Flossie Jones, Johnny Hawkins, Edna Riley, Louise Haydon, Bech Bridges, Louise Packard, Willie Mae Sadler, Mozelle Lilley and the hostess, Sue Payne.

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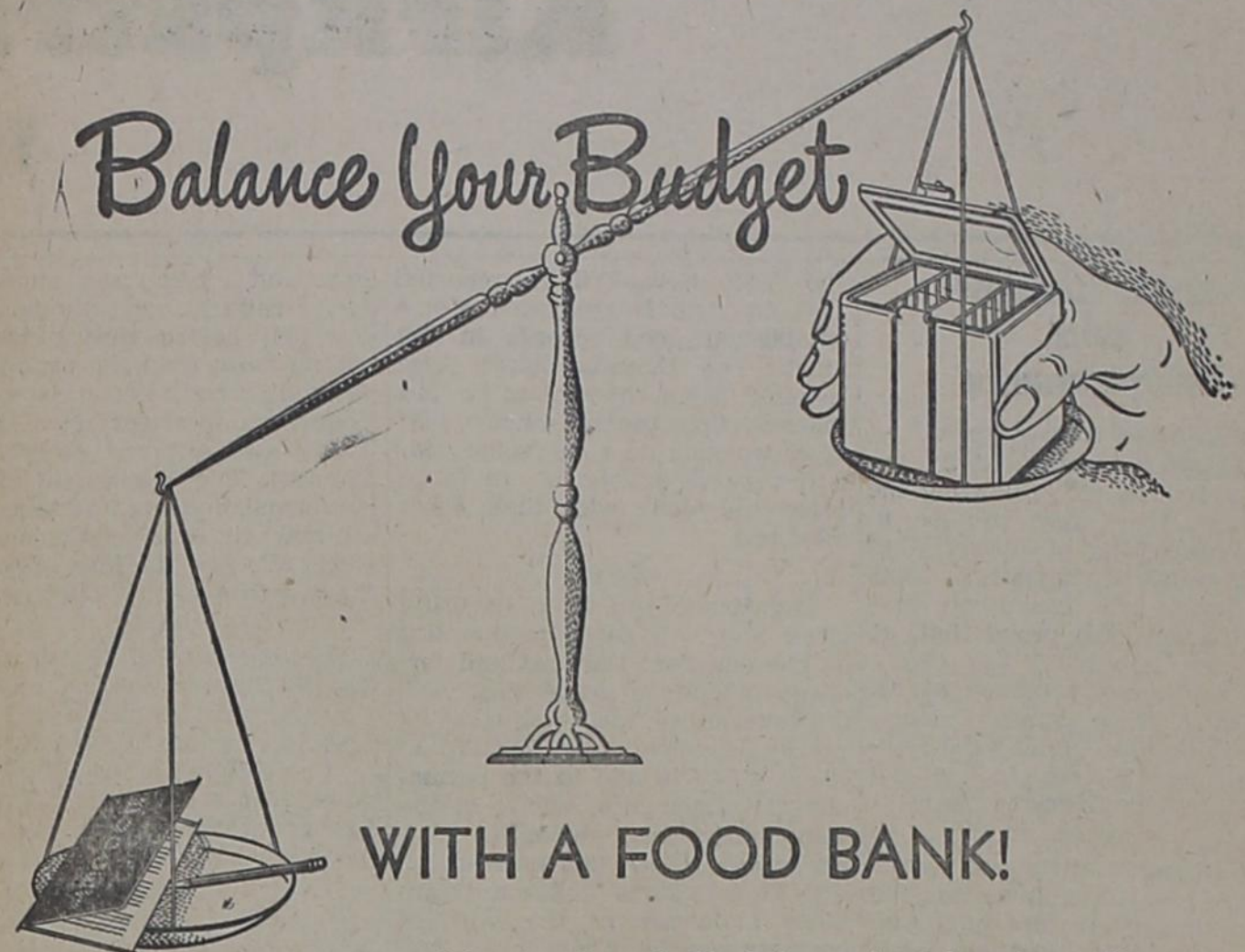
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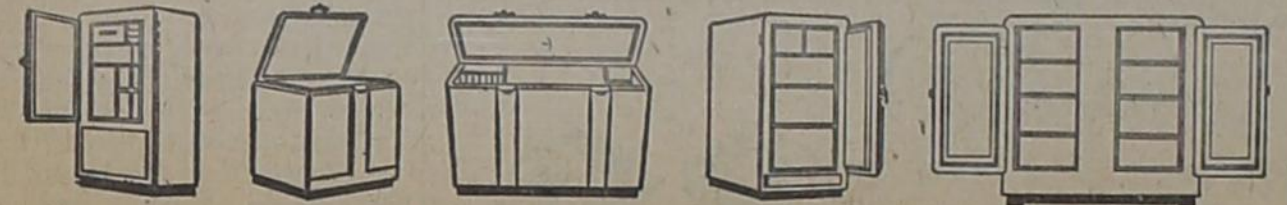
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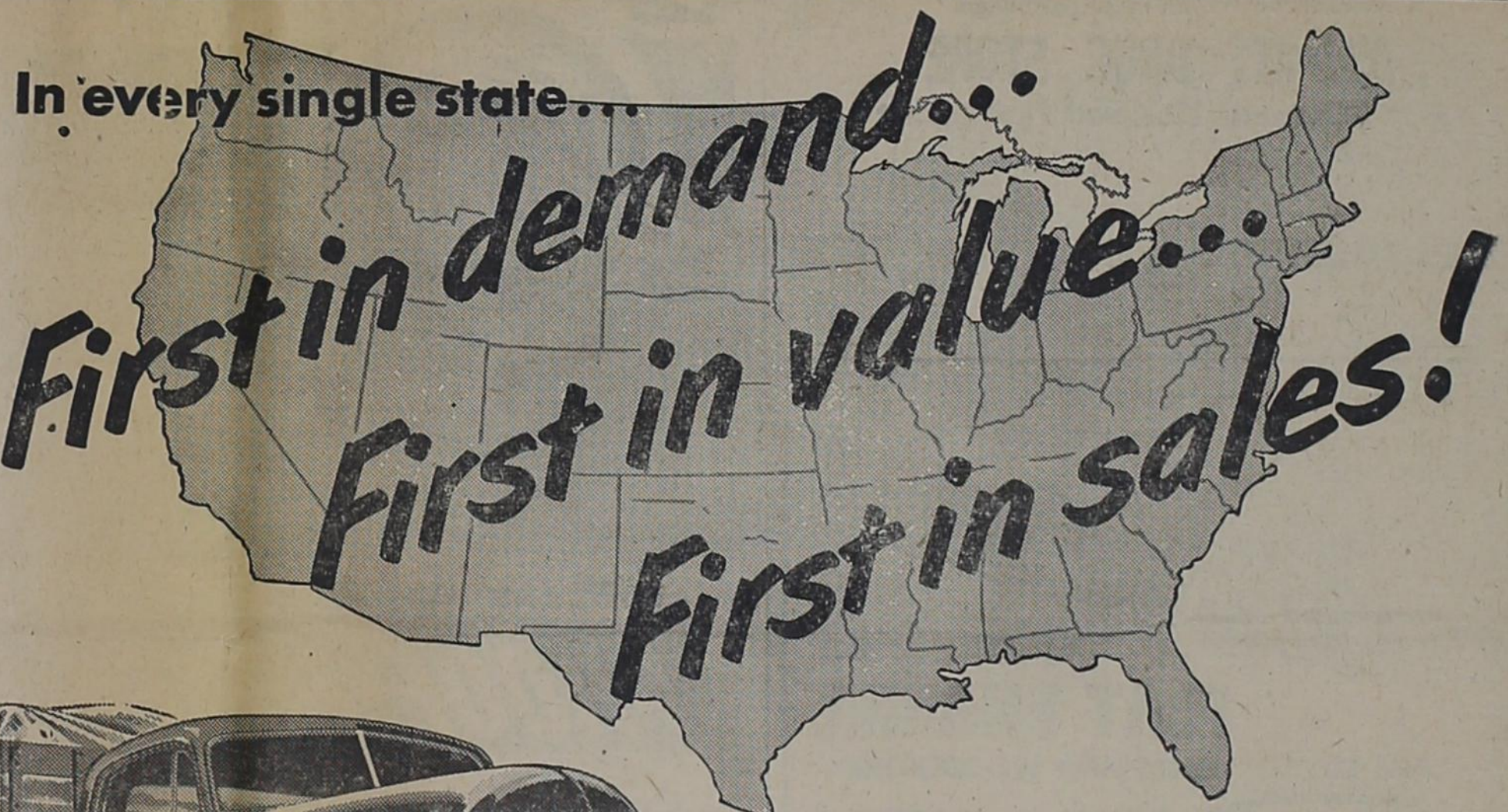
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be particularly impressed by the usual nonsense, etc., following the meal but they were profuse in their expressions of appreciation for the wonderful support of their fans during the basketball season. It makes you proud that, at least, you supported the champions with your presence at all or part of their games. Many Dimmitt fans will follow the Bobbies to Des Moines to see the intra-state championship game.

The Dimmitt girls will wear Western regalia to Iowa to give the Northerners an idea of actual appearance of the clothing associated with life in the cattle country. However, it is doubtful if the boots and big hats that will be displayed by the basketeers would have withstood the hard usage of the pioneers in the old west. On the other hand I'll bet the pioneers wouldn't have stood much of a chance in a basketball game with the Bobbies. The proposition is about as broad as it is long.

In reporting a track meet between the Dimmitt Bobcat Track Team and a Waco Negro Team, Jink Tucker, sports writer for

the Waco News-Tribune reported that the two Negro track teams established good records in the meet. The Bobcats didn't seem to mind being referred to in that manner, they probably knew that after working on a newspaper for a few years anyone is apt to be colorblind along with their other ailments.

The Vogue will be a beautiful store and will carry a fine line of merchandise. Dimmitt and territory should be proud that with the addition of each new business we are getting solid substantial firms that will add to the permanent development of our town and community. Specializing in Ladies ready-to-wear and accessories, The Vogue brings to Dimmitt another indication of the faith of business people in our area, and it is our belief that they will not be disappointed. I am always ill-at-ease in a ladies store. In the first place I don't have any business in one, and when I do venture in to wait on the wife the shoppers get on my nerve. Where a man will walk into a store, glance over a shelf or rack full of items and point out a garment to his liking and say "Wrap it up," the lady shopper will examine the complete stock of goods get the prices on everything whether she aims to buy it or not, discuss the material and color, visit another

store and a half dozen show windows, return, and complete the day just before closing time by buying more than the family budget will stand. We welcome the Vogue, its manager, Mrs. Eargle Twine and son and daughter to Dimmitt. The Vogue will observe its formal opening Saturday with all new fixtures, equipment and stock. We like the idea of sending flowers to a formal opening.

Opening date of the new Phillips 66 Service Station, on Highway 51, will be announced soon. The new station will be operated by Dan Bothe, assisted by a competent corps of helpers. This will be one of the most modern stations in this area.

The Phillips 66 Service Station on Highway 86, operated by E. B. Noble, is adding building facilities for washing and greasing cars. When the new building is completed the station will be modern in every respect.

County Judge...

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Texas Farm Bureau and other organized rural blocs as well as county court organizations. Judge Estes' statement follows:
"Efforts to have H. B. 226, the controversial Rural Road Bill, referred from the State Affairs Committee to an unfavorable Committee were unsuccessful and at a public hearing Monday night, March 12th, the State Affairs Committee voted the bill back to the House floor recommending its passage with amendments that, in effect, changed the bill very little. "The bill was promptly brought up on the House floor Tuesday morning and by a vote of 74 to 62 the House referred the Bill to

the Agriculture Committee which is believed to be unfavorable to H. B. 226 by opponents of the bill. If this is true then H. B. 226 can be counted as "dead". Mr. Harold LaFont, 120th District Representative, has opposed this bill straight through from its beginning.

"The Farm Bureau and County Judges and Commissioners' Association have been bitterly opposing this Rural Road issue and have branded it as being mock economy. If county money is used, as H. B. 226 proposes, and taken in a Rural Road Program, then the County will be just that much short in revenue in the future. Last year Castro County's 1/2 portion of the Bond Assumption Act Surplus amounted to \$28-181.36."

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person in the district is urged to bring their paper, magazines, boxes and rags on April 2nd to the school house.

Helen Kay Reed...

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Keith and Rev. R. O. Browder conducted the services. Homer Garrison of Plainview was in charge of the song service. Out of town relatives beside those mentioned above who were here were Mrs. Charlene Dellis and Kenneth Dellis of San Diego, Clifton Dellis of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Witt and Sally of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Silcott and Dana of Olton, Mrs. R. L. Gattis of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reed of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Knowles of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashley, Mr.

and Mrs. Cloyce Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ashley and Messrs Leonard and Robert, Jr. Ashley all of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Smith of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McFarland and Mrs. Cy Denton of Amarillo. Out of town friends whose names we secured were Mr. and Mrs. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Garrison, all of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sparks and George Sparks of Florida; and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hinson and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hare and Mrs. D. T. Ewing all of Amarillo.

Honorary pallbearers were Bob and Byron Bennett, W. T. and Dean Sanders and T. C. Ray. Active pallbearers were Bob Davis, L. J. Rice, Chas. Sanders and Ed Bennett.

Handling the flowers were Wilma Mae Bird, Marihelen Maples, Judy and Jo Sanders, Janie Swindie, Janice Sharp, Carolyn Davis, Perry Lee Van Vleet and Jean and Beverly Mills.

Burial was in the Hart cemetery under the care of Lemons Funeral Home.

Sunrise Easter Service At Palo Duro Park

A Sunrise Easter Service will be held in Palo Duro State Park March 25.

The Amarillo High School Bel Canto Chorale will be presented in special songs and then Alvis M. Autrey, leader of the choir, will conduct a massed choir in Easter hymns. Any organized song group interested are invited to contact Mr. Autrey for details on the program.

Special busses will carry the singers to the Canyon. A loud speaker system will make it possible for thousands to hear the service.

Rev. Leon Hill, famous evangelist and noted speaker, will deliver the Easter Sermon. He has originated several great Easter outdoor observances, and took the lead last year in reviving the Easter Sunrise Service at Palo Duro State Park.

Arney Community Club Holds Regular Meet

The Arney Community Club held its regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, March 8, in the home of Mrs. Opal Grass.

After a short business meeting the club members, now working in ceramics, enjoyed the evening making flowers under the direction of Mrs. Gwen McFarland.

Those attending were Mesdames Henry Wilhelm, Mildred Zachery, Edith Fields, Bruce Fields, Carl Jackson, Sam Goulden, Ben Fortner, John Stork, Gwen McFarland, and the hostess Mrs. Opal Grass.

Hereford Plans Pioneer Day Celebration

Residents of the entire Mid-Plains area are invited to start making preparation for the Mid-Plains Pioneer Day celebration to be staged in Hereford the last of May or the first of June, the definite date to be announced soon.

The first contest which may benefit anyone from the entire area is the naming of the pioneer organization to be established during the celebration. Everyone is eligible to enter the contest, Tom McFarland, secretary-manager of the Hereford Chamber of Commerce, said. He explained that the name should be one which will apply to the entire area, not just a locality. Entries should be mailed or brought to the C of C office in Hereford by Friday, March 23, when they will be judged by the Retail Merchants Committee, which is sponsoring the entire celebration. A prize of \$10 or \$15 will be presented the person selecting the winning name.

McFarland urged men of the area to start preparing for the big two-day celebration by growing whiskers to compete in the whisker contest. Prizes will be awarded in several contests, sack race, flour scramble, Old Fiddlers, best cowboy costume, best cowgirl costume, square dance, and horse shoe pitching. McFarland explained the flour scramble—\$20 or \$25 in half dollar coins are placed on the street and six barrels of flour dumped on top—then the scramble begins.

Prizes will be awarded the best floats in the big parade to be held on Friday of the celebration. All floats are to depict some early stage of Texas history or characteristics of pioneer life. Towns and individuals of the entire Mid-

Lois Marshall Circle

The Lois Marshall W. M. U. Circle of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Will Copeland for our Bible Study Monday evening, March 12th. The lesson beginning with the 10th Chapter of Daniel and studying through to Amos.

We opened our study by singing "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" and prayers by Mother Bell and Mother Alldredge. Mrs. Will Wright closed our study with prayer.

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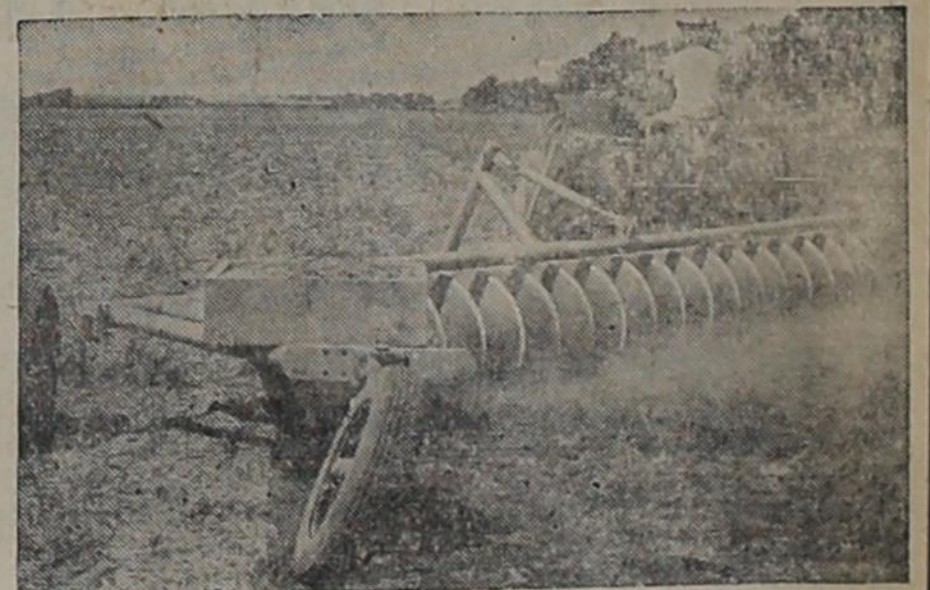
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