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## County Polio Vaccinations to Be Given Soon

### Take 3 of 4 Top Awards

#### Nazareth Cattle Breeders Literally "Hog Honors" At Plainview Show

Nazareth cattle breeders literally "hogged honors" in the Brown Swiss division of the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show in the first round of judging Monday afternoon.

Annexing three of the four top honors in the Brown Swiss division were Vincent Braddock and his daughter, Marilyn, 13. Braddock showed the grand champion cow and grand champion bull and his daughter displayed the junior champion heifer. These prize animals are part of Braddock's 40-head herd that supplies their Grade A dairy located two miles north and a mile west of Nazareth.

Braddock's grand champion cow, Hazel-Mar Daybreak's Carlotta, an 8-year-old Brown Swiss, has now won 16 purple banners. Showing the junior champion

yearling bull was Clay Anderson, who operates a Grade A dairy three miles south and two west of Nazareth. He has 14 head of registered Brown Swiss cows in his dairy herd.

The best county herd award also went to Castro county.

Other placings by Nazareth breeders follow:

Brown Swiss Bulls  
Sub-Junior Bull: 2nd, Vincent Braddock; Junior Bull Calf: 1st, Gayland Anderson; Senior Bull Calf: 1st, Joe Schmucker; Junior Yearling Bull Calf: 1st, Clay Anderson and second Vincent Braddock; Senior Yearling Bull Calf: 1st, Herman Birkenfeld; Bull calf: 1st, Vincent Braddock.

Brown Swiss Females  
Sub-Junior Heifer: 1st, Braddock; Junior Heifer Calf: 1st, Braddock and Anderson, 2nd, Senior Heifer Calf: 1st, Marilyn Braddock; Junior Yearling Heifer Calf: 1st Braddock; Female Calved July 1, 1952: 1st, Braddock, 2nd Anderson and 3rd, Anderson; Female calved July 1, 1950 to June 30, 1951: 1st, Vincent Braddock; Female calved July 1, 1949 to June 30, 1950: 1st, Braddock; Female calved prior to July 1, 1950, 1st Braddock and second Herman Birkenfeld.

Graded Herd: 1st, Braddock; Yearling Herd: 1st, Braddock; Calf Herd: 1st, Braddock; Get of Sire: 1st, Braddock, 2nd Anderson and third, Birkenfeld; Produce of Dam: 1st and 2nd, Braddock and Marilyn Braddock and Joe Schmucker, 4th; Three Females Bred and owned by exhibitor: 1st, Braddock; County Herd: Castro; and Best Uddered Cow Class: 1st and 2nd, Braddock, 3rd, Birkenfeld and Anderson, 4th and 5th.

#### Chris Clark Named To Manage Dimmitt Baseball Outfit

Chris Clark, manager of the Dimmitt baseball club last year, was named to manage the club again this year at a meeting of the Dimmitt Baseball Association Monday night. Alvin White was elected assistant manager; Leo Fields, secretary-treasurer; and R. C. (Chock) Lay, umpire for home games.

The Dimmitt team, a member of the Central Plains League, will make its debut Sunday, April 24, the season inaugural date for all teams in the league. The locals will journey to Bovina for a game with the Bovina club starting at 2:30 p. m.

Dimmitt will field a stronger team this year than last year, according to W. M. (Smitty) Smith, president of the local baseball association. The local team won the league championship last year and will be seeking to repeat this year. Olton will be the team to beat this season, Smith says.

Other teams in the Central Plains League playing their first games April 24 are Umberger at Friona, Lazbuddie at Olton and Hereford at Nazareth.

#### Hart Woman to Attend Berger PTA Congress

The thirty-second annual conference of Eighth District, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held in Berger Tuesday, April 19. Mrs. Roy D. Pyeatt of Hart will serve as a consultant at the conference.

More than 400 delegates and visitors are expected to register for the three general conference sessions on Tuesday at Berger High School. Registration will begin at 8 a. m.



**GROUND-BREAKING CEREMONY**—A large crowd of Baptists gathered at the local Baptist Church Sunday morning to witness the above ground-breaking ceremony, a prelude to the construction of a new \$50,000 educational building. Mrs. W. S. Dixon, oldest church member, is seen shoveling dirt from the lot where the new building will be erected. Several other longtime members of the church also shoveled dirt from the above spot during the dedicatory service. Rev. George Ray, Pastor, (standing

before Mr. W. T. Gollehon) offered a prayer before the ground-breaking ceremony and Elmer Youts and Elvis Burch also made opening remarks.

Pictured from left to right are Jimmy Dale Griffin, C. W. Booth, Tom Tate, Mrs. Tate, Robert Gollehon, Mrs. Gollehon, Mrs. Dixon, W. T. Gollehon and Mrs. Gollehon. Mrs. W. T. Gollehon and Tom Tate have been members of the local church the longest period of time, having joined in July, 1899.

#### Four Dimmitt Juniors Selected to Attend Boys State and Girls State

Four Dimmitt High School juniors, Bud Dye, Sharon Wesson, Joe Ben Mitchell and Rita Holcomb, will get on-the-spot experience and training in the functions of state government and the duties of state officials when they go to Austin in June to attend the annual Boys State and Girls State meetings.

Mitchell and Dye, along with several hundred other youths from over the state, will take over the reins of state government for a week and if lucky will serve in one of the top state offices. As a part of the Boys State program, which is sponsored each year by the American Legion, their travel expenses and stay in Austin will be cost-free.

Miss Wesson and Miss Holcomb will participate in the Girls State program, which is essentially the same as Boys State. Their trip is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary and is also expense-free.

A local high school faculty committee recently selected the four students to make the Austin trip on the basis of scholarship, citizenship, trustworthiness and dependability.

Miss Wesson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Wesson. She was in the recent junior play and is active in school activities being historian for the FHA chapter; secretary of the band; and secretary of the junior class.

Miss Holcomb is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holcomb. She is treasurer of the Future Teachers Association and a member of the FHA Chapter.

The son of Mrs. Ruby Jones, the young Dye is vice-president of the

#### Rites Conducted Here Tuesday for Mrs. Dove Nash

Funeral services for Mrs. Dove (C. J.) Nash, 84, who died Monday morning in Castro County hospital here following a two-week illness, were conducted Tuesday at 10 a. m. at the Dimmitt First Methodist Church. The Rev. Raymond VanZandt, pastor, officiated and was assisted by Rev. George Ray, pastor of the local Baptist Church. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery in Hall county under the direction of Dennis Funeral Home.

Born Nov. 8, 1870 in Parker county, Texas, Mrs. Nash had made her home here with her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Fowlkes, since 1948. She was married to C. J. Nash in 1888, and they moved to Lakeview in 1907 where they reared their family.

Mrs. Nash was a member of the Methodist Church.

Besides her daughter here, Mrs. Nash is survived by two other daughters and two sons. They are: Mrs. Albert Gerlach, Memphis; Mrs. Ruby Wolf, Belen, N. M.; Raymond Nash, Santa Fe, N. M.; and Paul Nash, Azle, Texas. She also leaves one brother, Lee Cruise of Alex, Okla., and a half sister, Mrs. Didamy Castleberry of Goodwell, Okla.; 11 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Morgan Dennis, Archie Lamb, Ed Waggoner, Earl Harrison, Ross Summers and Freeman Curtis.

Honorary pallbearers were Herbert Houtchers, C. G. Maples, Sr., Elmer Dixon, William Gollehon, George Webb, Olen Rice, Sid Taylor, Ernie Waggoner, O. B. Winkle and R. A. Ferguson.

#### Local Lions Name Gwendolyn Smith As Convention Queen Candidate

Dimmitt Lions Club members named Miss Gwendolyn Smith, local high school senior, as their queen candidate in the forthcoming District Lion Convention at Lubbock. Miss Smith was nominated by a special Lion committee headed by Don Gladman and her selection was approved by club members Tuesday during their regular weekly meeting.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, Miss Smith will represent the local club at the convention Sunday, Monday and Tuesday and will seek the District Queen Contest title. Candidates are judged on beauty, poise and personality. The selector committee narrowed their nominations down to the senior class feeling that maturity and experience would count most in the contest.

Miss Smith will be given a cash allowance by the club to purchase clothes for the contest.

The club also voted to name five of its members as delegates to the District Convention. They were to be named later this week. New officers for the club will be elected at the next meeting, too. Past club presidents, Joe Benson, R. S. Vestal, T. E. Harrison, B. M. Nelson and Ray Stalcup, will serve as an officer nominating committee.

Club members heard young Edgar Dennis, local high school senior who will compete in future school oratory contests, extole on

#### Faculty Contracts Renewed At Hart

Contracts of teachers in the Hart High and Grade Schools were renewed by the school board of trustees at a recent meeting. A head football coach, Paul Boswell, West Texas State College graduate, was also named.

#### Head Football Coach is Named

Faculty contracts were renewed for one year. They include: High School—Charles Barnard, basketball coach; J. V. Wescott, ag teacher; Freddie Scott, Mrs. W. A. Gilmore, Mrs. J. E. Thompson and Mrs. Herbert Williams.

Grade School contracts renewed were those of Mrs. Dewey Smith, Mrs. Jean Dorrough, Mrs. Ruth Reidsdorf, Miss Lillian Dalrymple, Miss Dorothy Hargrove and Mrs. Fred Mulkey.

Boswell will have the task of fielding Hart High School's first football team. The Hart job will be his first coaching job as he only recently received his college degree. He has played at Pampa High School and was a standout at West Texas State College.

Assisting Boswell will be basketball coach Charles Barnard. When the grid season is over then Boswell will help Barnard in his basketball coaching duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin and family of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Velde Crick and children visited in the W. C. Crick home Easter Sunday.

#### Mrs. S. J. Axe Castro Pioneer, Is Death Victim

Funeral rites for Mrs. S. J. Axe, 76-year-old Castro County pioneer who had been a resident of the Jumbo community for the past 50 years, were held Tuesday at 4 p. m. in the Presbyterian Church at Hereford. Mrs. Axe died Sunday at 10:30 p. m. in Castro County Hospital here. Burial was in West Park Cemetery at Hereford under the direction of Gilliland Funeral Home.

Mrs. Axe had been in poor health for several years. Her husband preceded her in death 18 months ago.

Born at Itasca, Texas, Mrs. Axe and her husband came to Castro County and the Jumbo community from Garland at the turn of the century. They were among the county's earliest settlers.

Mrs. Axe was a longtime member of the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Axe leaves four sons. They are Lynn, Fred, Wilborn and Andy, all of the Jumbo community. She is also survived by fourteen grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bill Hacker, Clayton Woolery, Finis Hunter, E. T. Brooks, P. H. Dyer and Bob Baird.

#### Tony Smitherman On Pacific Cruise

Tony Smitherman, interior communications electrician third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milford M. Smitherman of Hart is serving in the East aboard the destroyer USS Boyd.

The Boyd, flagship of Destroyer Squadron 15, has been in the Far East since last December. Among her assignments was the participation in the evacuation of the Tachen Islands as a unit of the 7th Fleet.

In a response to a number of inquiries, local ASC Secretary Doyle Thomas this week disclosed that cotton acreage planted and harvested above the allotment will not count as history contrary to earlier reports stating that excess cotton acreage would count as history.

Thomas stated that his office first thought excess cotton acreage would count as history but upon reviewing the law found that it wouldn't. The law on excess acreage reads as follows: "Notwithstanding any other provision of this act, any acreage planted to cotton in excess of the farm acreage allotment shall not be taken into account in establishing state, county and farm acreage allotments."

As to the penalty on excess cotton acreage, Thomas states, "Actually all there is to it is to multiply the excess average times the average yield for the farm. This will give the penalty pounds and will be multiplied by the penalty rate. This rate will be 50 percent of parity price as of June 15, 1953. In 1954 the rate was 17%

cents per pound.

The average cotton yield for the farm, according to Thomas will be established by the county committee before harvest. They will consider the previous five years in establishing this average.

Overplanting the cotton allotment, Thomas points out, will not affect a farmer's eligibility for price support on other crops. Any farmer overplanting his allotment will not be eligible for conservation payments on his farm and payments already made will have to be refunded. The penalty will either have to be paid before any cotton from the farm is sold or the buyer will have to deduct the penalty at the time it is sold.

As reported by the ASC secretary is the fact that overplanting on one farm will not affect the price support program on cotton on any other farm in the county.

#### 1st and 2nd Grade Pupils to Get Series of Three "Shots"

A polio vaccination program for first and second grade pupils in Castro County's three schools may be started Monday, April 18, Dr. J. W. Spence, city and county health officer, disclosed Tuesday.

The Salk vaccine, which has proved between 80 and 90 percent effective in tests made over the United States, will be obtained from the state health office in Austin as soon as request forms are received from parents and it can be determined how much of the vaccine will be needed to carry the program out in Castro county, according to the city-county health officer. He said that forms have been received at the local school and that nearly 100 percent have been approved. Forms were mailed to parents of pupils in the Hart and Nazareth schools this week and if received by school officials in time the vaccine will be ordered late this week with the hope that it can be obtained in time to begin the program by Monday or Tuesday.

The city-county health officer said the vaccinations would be given in a series of three shots. That is vaccinations will be given possibly next week and again before school is out in May, with the final vaccination being given a few days after pupils have been dismissed for the summer. The city-county health officer will give all of the vaccinations. A total of 405 first and second grade pupils here and at Hart and Nazareth are eligible for the vaccinations. The program will be carried out here on the first day of the initial vaccinations and at Hart and Nazareth the second day, requiring two days for each of the three vaccinations. A waiting period must be observed after each of the vaccinations, however, and therefore it requires approximately a month and a half to carry out the entire program.

Superintendent of Hart Schools Paul Robertson said forms were mailed to parents of Hart school pupils this week and that a meeting of parents and faculty was to

be held Wednesday to explain the vaccination program. A similar course reportedly was taken in the Nazareth schools.

All of the school vaccinations will be free of cost. However, the vaccine will not be made available to other age groups until sometime later when physicians are supplied with the vital substance. Vaccinations given to others will not be free of cost.

The vaccine which will be furnished by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is the same vaccine that was given to 440,000 children last spring. The vaccine does not prevent a person from contracting polio but when effective does prevent severe cases or paralytic polio.

Contracts have been made with manufacturers for a supply of vaccine costing \$9,000,000 in March of Dimes funds. The vaccine will be given only to those eligible children whose parents sign forms requesting it. It is strictly a voluntary program.

Presumably the vaccine will be given to children later on. Each child getting the vaccine will receive three 1-cc injections with one week between the first and second inoculations and four weeks between the second and third. It is important, the city-county health officer points out, that each child who starts the series gets all three injections.

Close cooperation of parents and children will be necessary in order for the program to be carried out before the polio season.

#### Nazareth Trustees Appointed Tuesday

At a meeting in the county commissioner's courtroom Tuesday morning a basis of the county school board was ordered appointing seven trustees to serve the newly created Nazareth Independent School District.

Those appointed were Joe Schmucker, Vincent Braddock, Paul Acker, Leroy Pohmeier, Val Acker, L. J. Conrad and Leo Dobmeier. These trustees will serve one year until the next regular trustee election at which time a new slate of trustees will be elected by the Nazareth School District.

#### County Red Cross Drive Nears Goal

Castro county is slightly over \$200 away from meeting its Red Cross fund drive quota of \$1075, according to a report received this week from Mrs. Prebble Berryman, treasurer.

As of Wednesday (April 13), a total of \$856.33 had been raised in the county with six communities reporting. The total collected in Dimmitt now amounts to \$497.60 while the total at Hart is \$203.

A report on other communities follows: Sunnyside—\$66.20; Bethel—\$41.50; Cleo—\$31.03; and Big Square—\$18.

Some communities have yet to make a report and are urged to do so as soon as possible. Funds from communities that have not given a report may enable the county to reach its goal.

#### 125 Hear Big Spring Pastor Bring C-C Keynote Address

"It's not square miles, it's square people that makes America great," Dr. P. D. O'Brien, keynote speaker for the Castro County Chamber of Commerce banquet, told some 125 chamber members, directors and special out-of-town guests attending the annual event in the Dimmitt High School cafeteria Friday night.

Dr. O'Brien, introduced by Chamber Vice-President Russell Moran who served as toastmaster for the banquet, left his audience in side-splitting laughter by relating humorous tales and jokes before proceeding with his address—"The Program of Progress."

The speaker led up to his talk by saying, "You can't live on play and laughter, but what a miserable old world we'd have without it."

Dr. O'Brien, who has served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Big Spring for the past 14 years, emphasized such points as aggressive living, concentration of effort and a possible tomorrow. "I'm glad to see you making such

fine progress in Dimmitt. Success is never an accident—success is an achievement," he continued. The Big Spring pastor also remarked, "It's the person that isn't satisfied that gets somewhere. Try to make tomorrow better than yesterday. Make stumbling stones into stepping stones."

Dr. O'Brien referred to the Bible to Paul's program of progress and intimated that there is always room for progress when the individual is willing, determined and has faith in his undertaking.

Chamber Manager Glen Youts, prior to Dr. O'Brien's address, cited such chamber achievements in the past year as the summer recreation program in Dimmitt, International Parks Highway Association progress, the broadcast of Dimmitt basketball games, Farmer-Businessmen dinner, Santa's visit here and the Christmas lighting program. Youts added, "We hope to do more this year. We would like for the people to give lots of thought to our

projects and let us know their views for it takes cooperation to get things done."

Providing music for the gala occasion were the "Blue Notes," high school vocal group. They were accompanied at the piano by Miss Judith Cleavinger.

The food for the banquet was prepared by ladies of the high school cafeteria and served by members of the Dimmitt girls basketball squad.

T. E. Harrison, new chamber president, briefly addressed the group and introduced all directors for the organization. They are Don Gladman, C. W. Walker, George Bradford, Goldman Dyer, Charlie Hays, Cecil Dennis, Jack Malone and H. E. Wall. The last four are new directors.

Out-of-town guests included: Bob Steel, Ft. Worth bank examiner; Chester Hayme, Clovis; Rev. U. S. Sherill, Friona; Mrs. Belle Horrell, Oklahoma; Paul Harvey, Hereford; and Ray Phillips, Hereford.



**ULTRA MODERN FEEDING SYSTEM**—G. L. Willis, who farms and ranches one mile south of Dimmitt, is seen above looking over a portion of his ultra modern feeding system. The system, which has proved very successful, will accommodate some 800 head of cattle. This includes feeding space, pens for handling, scales for weighing and shuttes for dehoring and loading.

A quick check on the beef cattle industry in Castro county will reveal that cattle still play a major role in the economy of the county. Willis is one of many in the county who have or is in the process of building modern beef cattle plants. A few known by the News include A. J. Kemp, Bill Graham, Carl Kemp, Ward Golden, Homer Hill, Jarrot and Roberts, Walter Graham, Loyd Farris, Haydon Brothers, Rodney Smith, John Merritt, Roy Cluck, Carl Frye, Ray Axtell, Jim Elder, Odie Moore and a number of others not available at this writing.

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B. M. Nelson, Editor and Publisher

## Cataracts Are No Longer Incurable

Though cataracts are considered a rather common affliction of older people, there is no longer any reason to fear them, declared Dr. Henry A. Holle, State Health Officer. Many think that once cataracts appear they are doomed to either blindness or an ordeal of surgery which may destroy what sight is left. Such notions have no basis in fact.

An advancing cataract brings on a dimming of the vision, and in some cases the individual sees spots before his eyes, or sees double. If a cataract is left to develop long enough, it will appear as a faint grayness in the pupil of the eye. With complete development the grayness will turn to dead white. Cataract is not a disease but a clouding of the lens of the eye.

Cataract can well get under way before the patient notices any visual defect. In such cases, on-

ly a physician or eye surgeon can discover the condition in time to arrest the process. When the fogging moves to the center of the pupil, the individual becomes conscious of a reduction in vision. The cataract is now well underway. Its growth may be hastened by ill health, focal infections, overwork and neglect of one's health. Another contributing factor is defective vision resulting from astigmatism, and neglecting to use properly fitted glasses to correct such defects. Eyestrain, conscious and unconscious, can play a major role in cataract formation.

Cataracts which are the result of some infection or injury can be prevented. Cataracts resulting from aging cannot as yet be prevented. The important thing

to know about cataract is that doctors can keep it from being incapacitating. Cataracts can be removed when they first appear. They need not interfere with person's work, or embarrass him in any way—they can often be cured. Cataracts should be treated early, before important skills are lost or unnecessary years are spent in frustration. Without fear of blindness, disfigurement or unbearable discomfort, a person can put himself in the hands of a good eye surgeon, when cataract

begins to cause trouble.

A baby daughter named Deana Lynn was born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Hargrove Saturday morning in Castro County Hospital. The infant tipped the scales at seven pounds and one ounce.

Mrs. Earl Brock returned Thursday from San Angelo where she attended the bedside of her brother-in-law who underwent an operation in the hospital there.

## ANNOUNCING

Opening of Offices  
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was at Amarillo." Well, I then have to explain that the paper should have said, "Looking from the Herring Hotel to the Capitol Hotel." Then they say: "Well, is it true that a fellow named Thompson owns the Herring Hotel?" I say, "Now I have heard that, but I'm not sure about it." Then they say: "If his name is Thompson, why does he call it the Herring?" I tell them to write General Thompson, he has the full answer to that.

The next question is: "Why isn't the Capitol at Amarillo?" I have to explain to them that Texas is so big that by the time our Chamber of Commerce heard that they were considering choosing a capitol site and our delegation had gotten to the convention, they already had the building built and occupied. The roads were pretty bad back then, but I don't mention that, just let size take care of it. They usually try to corner me by asking why we don't move it. I tell them that size has us stymied on that one, too, because we can't get an appropriation approved for that much.

Then comes the payoff question. One of the group always says: "By the way, do you all ever have any dust storms out there?" It just goes to show how much confusion can be caused by one little misleading picture.

INTERESTING NOTES  
I picked up a large city daily the other day, and on the front page was a picture of a person involved in a scandal. I opened the paper, and on page three was a picture of Winston Churchill and a write-up about his retirement. The thought struck me that the headline should have been: "Historic figure Replaced on Page One by Cheap Scandal". How true. What is our yardstick of importance?

Watch for some interesting developments on the small business front. There is a gigantic struggle going on behind the scenes between the forces of monopoly and independents. This could turn into the "Battle of the century."

## WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

The Dust Storms  
The dust storms in the south west are again getting front page billing in the Eastern Press. Some are carrying pictures showing a scene that appears to be taken at midnight. The caption under the

picture is, "Mid-day in Pampa, Texas, Looking Down Main Street." This is somewhat misleading, because there isn't a Main Street in Pampa. I sometimes wonder how so many mistakes are made. One picture was taken in Amarillo and captioned, "Looking from the Herring to the Capitol in Amarillo." Now this is the sort of thing that causes confusion. People say to me: "I didn't know the Capitol of Texas

## CARLILE THEATRE

Dimmitt, Texas

SATURDAY  
APRIL 16

### RETURN TO TREASURE ISLAND

TAB HUNTER DAWN ADDAMS

SUNDAY and MONDAY  
APRIL 17 and 18

### WHITE CHRISTMAS

BING CROSBY ROSEMARY CLOONEY DANNY KAYS VERA ELLEN

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 19 and 20

### ABOUT MRS. LESLIE

SHIRLEY BOOTH ROBERT RYAN

THURSDAY and FRIDAY  
APRIL 21 and 22

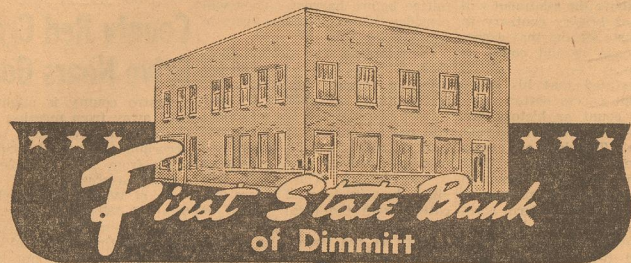
### THE BLACK SHIELD

TONY CURTIS JANET LEIGH DAVID FARAR BARBARA RUSH

SATURDAY  
APRIL 23

### THE OUTLAW'S DAUGHTER

BILL WILLIAMS KELLY RYAN JIM DAVIS



PRESENTS  
INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT TEXAS



### SPANISH GOVERNORS' PALACE

The Spanish Governor's Palace is located in San Antonio. This old adobe building was originally used by the Spanish Governors of Texas as an office and residence. Its keystone bears the Hapsburg coat-of-arms and the date 1749. This beautiful mosaic tile patio was the scene of many important meetings of state affairs. Inside the inner patio will be found a wishing well.

IT'S A PLEASURE TO SHOP IN DIMMITT

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<p><b>Cooper Implement</b> MM Farm Machinery "An Implement For Every Purpose"</p>	<p><b>Dimmitt Implement Company</b> Your Friendly CASE Dealer</p>	<p>For Promp And Efficient <b>PLUMBING</b> Call 302 <b>Poe's Plumbing</b></p>	<p>IT'S A PLEASURE TO SHOP IN DIMMITT</p>	

**CLEO NEWS**

Grandmother Nisbetts has returned from California, after spending three months there. She is now staying with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Pharris of Lubbock spent last Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eulless Waggoner.

Mrs. F. J. Mears spent several days last week in Brownfield. Her mother had a heart attack and is in the hospital.

Dinner guests Sunday in the Melvin Summers home were Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lamb and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lamb and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bartlett and girls from Tullia. In

the afternoon the children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Chaplain of Plainview had dinner Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, in Dimmitt.

Mr. Joe Scott was in Abilene last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dodd, Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Dodd and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dodd and girls attended the funeral Monday of Mrs. A. A. Dodd's father, Mr. Warren, in Putman, Tex. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

Mrs. Beth Cunyus and Nell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunyus and son of Lockney spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sum-

mers and Debra.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Preston, Gennell, and Mr. and Mrs. Cyde Renfro went to Galveston Saturday after Patricia. She will get to spend a week at home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burch attended church in Floydada Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gladman and children of Amarillo spent the week-end with relatives in Dimmitt.

Mrs. Weldon Bradley entertained the G. A. of the Baptist Church in her home Thursday.

Miss Alice Waggoner spent Thursday and Friday with Miss Charlotte Mears.

Mr. and Mrs. Lilburn Arnold and girls spent Easter with his

folks, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Arnold, in Truth or Consequences, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burch, Mrs. Shive and Ometa and Mr. and Mrs. John Turner attended the funeral of Mrs. J. B. Denton in Lubbock Sunday. She was the mother of Mrs. Ruth Burch of Odessa. They visited Mrs. Helen Slover in the hospital at Lubbock while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wooten spent the Easter holidays in Afton, Okla. They visited the Tyson Eubanks and family.

Friday night a group of young folks had a party in the Weldon Bradley home.

Mrs. Shorty Oldham and children visited over the week-end in Odessa with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Trellis Summers and son, Lee, returned home last week after a visit with her folks. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whitcomb, in Little Compton, Rhode Island. During their trip they visited Mr. and Mrs. Barber Eubanks and sons of Afton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Troyer in Champaign, Ill.; also relatives in Tulsa, Okla. and Barton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Dodd and girls spent the Easter holidays in Tulsa, Okla. visiting relatives and friends.

Several from the community attended the funeral Tuesday of Grandma Nash. Our sympathy is extended the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Summers of Roscoe, Texas spent Wednesday morning visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Dixon, Grandmother Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dixon visited Sunday afternoon in the Weldon Bradley home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Houtchens and Charles visited relatives in Canyon Tuesday.

door by Mrs. E. C. Caudle and presented to the receiving line. Mrs. Hays, Miss Dennis, Mrs. Morgan Dennis, Mrs. Roy Cluck, Sr., Miss Billie Cluck and Mrs. Rodney Smith.

The house was decorated with yellow gladiolus. The serving ta-

ble was laid with a white madeira cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow daisies. Orchid tapers were used, carrying out the bride's colors of yellow and orchid. Miss Mary Ann Davila presided at the tea service and Mrs. Donald Wright served the

cake.

Mrs. Jack Hodges presided at the guest book where over 100 registered. Other members of the house party were Mesdames Ivor Bagwell, Dilmond Neumayer, Cecil Curry, E. H. Youts, Raymond Hance, Lester Dowell, J. L. Coke,

Deroy Cates, Lester Gladden, Ernest Jones, D. L. Wright, R. E. Hendrix, R. S. Vestal and Otis Hastings.

Mrs. Lois Ruther of Hereford visited her sister, Mrs. Howard Henshey Monday afternoon.

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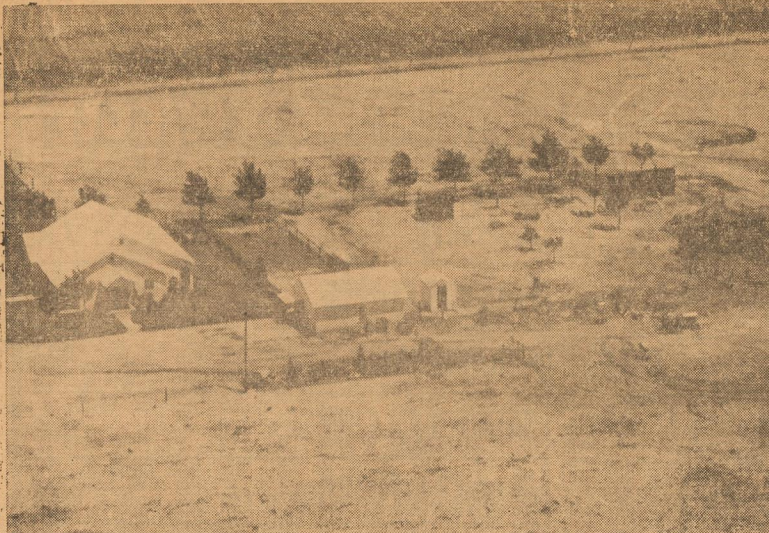
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Through error the News carried a picture of the Dowell farm last week, identifying it as the J. C. Williams place. The Williams farm appears elsewhere in the News this week.

The Dowells first moved to their present location in 1931. They rented their farm, located one and one-half miles south of Dimmitt, until 1942 when they purchased it from Dr. Mayes Miller.

Recent improvements include two irrigation wells and a four-room farm hand house.

A diversified farming program is carried out on the Dowell farm. A total of 700 acres of the farm are in crops; 14 is designated for cotton; 400 in wheat and the rest is in row crops. As for methods of tillage, Dowell believes in deep breaking and does a little terracing.

Herefords are the favorite cattle on the Dowell farm. They have 35 head at the present time.

The Dowells have one hired hand. They believe in conservation and good soil building practices.

Married in 1924, the Dowells have two sons and one daughter. They are Royce, age 24, who is currently serving as director of music and education at the Ballinger First Baptist Church; Bryce, age 18, a senior in the local high school; and Jeri, age 14, in the eighth grade.

The Dowells belong to the Baptist Church. He is a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge, Farm Bureau and chairman of the board of directors of Dimmitt Consumers, Inc. Mrs. Dowell is a member of the Rebekahs.

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his attorney a will which had been prepared for him about a year previously. He said that he had made a few changes in it and wanted to know whether his attorney thought the changes were all right. Mr. S. was attempting to change two items of his will by drawing lines through certain words in these items and interlining in his own handwriting, the changes he wanted. He was not attempting to revoke his entire will but merely trying to change these two items. If Mr. S. were to die with his will in that condition, the probate court would not recognize the changes that he made, but probably probate the will as it was originally written. Mr. S. was surprised to learn this and immediately requested that a new will be prepared. After the will has been once executed, changes cannot be made legally by crossing out parts of a will and interlining corrections or additions. To change a will, an entirely new will must be written and properly executed or an addition by way of a codicil should be executed. Since a will does not take effect until the death of the person making it, the provisions of the will should be reviewed by the maker at least once a year to be sure that changing conditions and circumstances have not been such as to require a modification of the will. It is very easy to postpone doing a thing of this kind, but failure to do so may result in the intentions of the maker of the will being thwarted to a certain extent. There are many changing circumstances which would be brought to his attention if a person should review his will at least once a year in the light of circumstances at the time. Such things as deaths among the legatees or devisees named in his will, births, marriages or di-

voices in the family, accidents or sickness among the close relatives which make it desirable to increase or decrease the amount given certain ones, substantial increase or decrease in the value of the estate of the person making the will and many other factors may cause a person to want to execute a new will or add a codicil to his old one. A free pamphlet containing useful information on wills and related matters may be obtained by sending your name and address on a postcard to State Bar of Texas, Colorado at Fifteenth, Austin 1, Texas. (This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ivey attended the Easter cantata at the First Baptist Church in Plainview Sunday night. Raneal, their daughter, is a member of the church choir and a student at Wayland College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bright went to Melrose, N. M., Sunday, to hear Rev. Ebb Randall of Mulcshoe preach. Mr. Bright's brothers, E. A. Bright of Carlbad, and I. A. Bright of Las Vegas, N. M., were also there with their families. Following services, the group went to the Clovis zoo and park for an Easter Egg hunt. The Brights also attended church services at Farwell Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hop Robertson of Floydada visited their daughter Mrs. Rex Sheffy and Mr. Sheffy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hastings have returned home from a visit with their son, Joe Richard, at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Renfro and O. C. and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Preston, Pat and Janell spent their Easter holidays in Houston and Galveston.

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### BETHEL NEWS

Bethel W. S. C. S. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Harry Rothwell. We are studying our Bible Study which is very interesting. Those enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames Kay Roberts, Vern Lust, Brown, Wes Anthony, Earl Lust, J. C. Williams, Bobby Warren and the hostess, Mrs. Rothwell. The circle will meet with Mrs. Kay Roberts Monday, April 25th.

Mrs. Jim Givan, Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Mrs. Bobby Warren and son were Wednesday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Bryan Sinclair.

The young people of the Baptist Church met in the Byran Sinclair home Sunday night for a Sing-Song.

Lowell Neumayer spent Monday night with his sister, Mrs. Milton Bagwell, and Milton.

Mrs. Bobby Warren and Gary Keith were Wednesday afternoon callers of Mrs. Doyle Underwood and girls.

Belva Jean Warren spent Wednesday night with her brother, Bobby, and family.

Mrs. Fred Bruegel was in Lubbock Monday on business and vis-

ited her son, Carl and wife, Gail. Mrs. Ary Timmons of Corpus Christi visited with the Harry Rothwells and Bobby Warrens Thursday morning. She returned to Corpus Christi with her nephew, Doyle Thomas, and family, as they spent the holidays there with relatives.

Mrs. Houston Lust, Mrs. Fate Shannon and Mrs. Bobby Warren were callers of Mrs. Jack Flynt Tuesday morning.

Carolyn Bagwell from Austin, Lloyd Lust from Littlefield, Glenn Lust from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bruegel from Lubbock, were all home over the week-end to spend the Easter holidays with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boothe were Saturday afternoon callers of the Harry Rothwells. The Bootes, with their two daughters, have recently moved from Whittier, Calif., to Stephenville, Texas to make their home on a dairy farm.

Bob Ford of Lubbock spent the week-end with Glenn Lust.

Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Mrs. Bobby Warren and J. L. Rothwell attended the Dairy Show in Plainview Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell, Carolyn and Sue.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lust and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Finck of Tullia.

Mrs. Fate Shannon and children, Mrs. Doyle Underwood and girls, Mrs. Ira Brown and granddaughter, Rosira Pollock, and Sharon Flynt, attended a Easter egg hunt for the children at the Houston Lust home Saturday afternoon.

Bob Bradford spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust.

Harry Rothwell and Bobby Warren have their cattle at Plainview for the Dairy Show this week.

Mrs. Ira Brown, Mrs. Carl Byrd and Mrs. Pollock and daughter, Rosira, were Friday afternoon visitors of Mrs. J. C. Williams.

boys of Santa Fe, N. M. spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown.

Mrs. Houston Lust and children visited her sister, Mrs. Boll Ament of Canyon Friday. Joe and Sue stayed to spend the week-end with their aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lust and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust attended the funeral of Keith Haberer Thursday afternoon at Ralls, who was in a car-pickup accident earlier in the week. He leaves his wife and two children and his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Art Haberer.

Mrs. Prebble Berryman and sons Dale and Gary and Jimmie Tate spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Green and Neil Russett in Wellington.

### BIG SQUARE NEWS

4-Club met with Karon Dutton Tuesday, April 5, with 4 members present and two new members. Mrs. J. O. Carpenter gave some very good points on fire prevention. It was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Miller and family of Roswell, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Howard of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Jackie Copeland of Abilene spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Copeland.

Mrs. Bill McLeod, Jackie and Butch spent last week with her parents at Laverne, Tex. Her sister from Temple returned home with her.

Raybern Ott is in the Dimmitt Hospital recuperating from a gun shot wound he received when he was loading his 22 while holding it against his foot. When he released the safety his three-year old brother, Terry, pulled the trigger.

Bob Anthony, Claudia Carpenter and David Behrends of Texas Tech spent Easter holidays at home.

Jerry Koester arrived Thursday from San Francisco, where he received his discharge from the navy. His wife, Dalva Howard Koester, has been making her home with her parents, the M. L. Howards.

The Big Square community enjoyed another 42 and shuffleboard party at the community house on Friday night. It was decided to clean the building and grounds.

Mesdames Woodrow Nelson, J. D. Murray and A. L. Behrends left Monday afternoon to attend a District 1 THDA meeting in Spearman.

### Nazareth News

Visitors in Nazareth for the Easter holidays included Harold Pohlmeier of Corpus Christi; Jane Albracht and Grace Acker of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. John Dea, Lubbock; Grace Schacher, Iona Heiman, Estelle Hoelting, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hyland and family, Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gidden and family, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schoenenberger, Portales; Mr. and Mrs. John Warren, Here-

ford; Mary Arma Acker, Canyon. A Wilhelm family reunion was held on Easter Sunday in the Henry Wilhelm home, honoring the Charles Wilhelm family of

Vinita, Okla., who visited during the holidays with relatives in Nazareth and Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hershey

took their daughter, Mrs. Roy Dean Henderson to her home in Levelland Saturday. Mrs. Henderson had spent last week with her parents.

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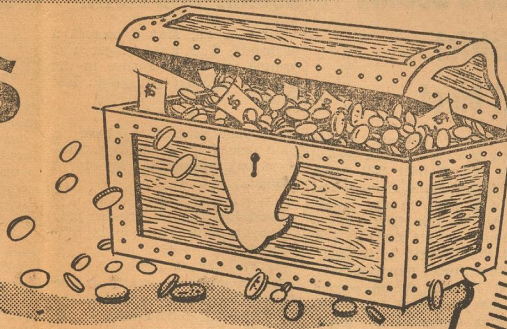
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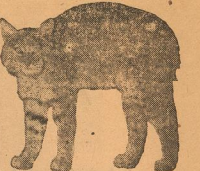
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Last Performance  
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**Song Hits and Who They Hit**

"That's All I Want From You"  
Pat to Bobby  
Tweedly Dee—Wilton to Clayton Ray  
Melody of Love—Belva to Alton  
Sincerely—Darlene to Bryce  
Davie Crockett—David Honea  
Shake Rattle and Roll—Bud to Tommie  
Earth Angel—Jimmy Jack to Sharon  
Anything You Can Do We Can Do Better—Sassy Six to Fine Nine  
We're in the Jailhouse Now—Curry to Chisney  
Going Steady—Myrna and Joe  
I Need You Now—Jeane M. to Ted  
A Little Love—Silvia to Mickey  
If I Give My Heart To You—Sonya to Ted  
I'm Yours—Mr. Bates to Junior Class  
I Need Some Lovin'—Mary C. to Alton  
A Lover's Quarrel—Chisney to Bill K.  
I Want You All To Myself—Barbara R. to Jerry N.  
Let Me Go Devil—D. H. S. to Faculty  
Let Me Go Lover—Monette to George  
Live Fast, Love Hard and Die Young—Joe Ber  
Are You Mine—Myrtle to Jimmie  
That's All Right Mama—Clinton to Jimmie Carol  
Make Yourself Comfortable—

**F. T. A. Installs Officers**

The F. T. A. met March 27th at 3:30 P. M. for installation of officers. The T. A. of Tulia presented a very appropriate skit entitled "Why I Chose Teaching." Miss Mildred Halsey from Tulia was our installing officer. Those who were installed were: Thurman Morris, President; Keith Lowe, Vice-President; Keith Taylor, Sec.; Barbara Rogers, Reporter; Sara Oakley, Parliamentarian; Judy Fields, Historian; Vela Oakley, Librarian; Rita Holcomb, Song Leader; Mrs. Newman as our Grade School Sponsor and Miss McMinn and Mr. McCarty are our High School Sponsors. The sponsors were presented with a corsage of red roses.  
Reporter.

**CALENDAR**

**APRIL**  
14-15—Senior Play  
18—FHA  
20-21—Vocal Contest  
22—FTA Stunt Night  
22-23—State FHA Meeting  
25—H-H  
26—TSTA Meeting  
28-29—Band Contest  
30—Area FFA Contest  
Mary Ann to Dee  
Good Good Whiskey—Jimmy M.  
Let Me Call You Sweetheart—Shirley S. to Danny Bruton  
I'm A Lonesome Polecat—Beverly Johnson.

**Bobcats Second In District Tract Meet**

The Dimmitt Bobcats, guided by Coach Leo Fields, took second place in the District 5-B track meet held in Hale Center last Thursday. Placing in the meet were Ivan Sinclair first in 440 dash, Monty Boozer third in 220, Troy Stafford fourth in 880-yard run, Wilmer Studer fourth in Mile run, and Richard Wood second in the 100-yard dash. The 440 relay team composed of Robb, Sinclair, Boozer and Wood placed third. The mile relay team composed of Bates, Robb, Sinclair and Wood placed first. Ronald Curtis won the pole vault. Sinclair placed third in the broad jump and Jimmy Cole placed fourth in the shot put.  
The Dimmitt Freshmen, coached by Alvis Fuquay, took third place in the Freshman Division. Zay Gilbreath placed first in the 100-yard dash and second in the 75. The 440 relay team placed fourth. Keith Lowe and Buzz Field tied for first place with five other boys in the high jump. Fields also placed fourth in the broad jump.

**Marvin Anderson's Ideal Girl**

Most Beautiful—Sharon Wesson  
Cutest—Deane Morgan  
Sweetest—Barbara Kitchens  
Friendliest—Ann Gollehon  
Figure—Belva Warren  
Best Personality—Melba Chism  
Best Dressed—Karen Bell  
Neatest—Gail Cooper  
Hair—Melba Curry  
Athletic—Darlene Cates  
Best All Around—Wilton Ivey.

**Lookin' and Listin'**

First of all, May I correct a misprint? The word finger was printed instead of Figure in the next to the last paragraph last week.  
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Everyone seemed to have a good time over the holidays. Most of us enjoyed sleeping late for a change.  
\*\*\*\*  
Good luck to the one-act play which performs at Lubbock Saturday.

The track boys made a fine showing by placing second at the track meet last Thursday.  
Ah, when you whisper, "George, I love you."  
How my heart begins to thrill,  
And when you snuggle close and say it—  
I forget my name is Bill.  
\*\*\*\*  
Mr. McCarty—Have you read Webster's dictionary any?  
Bobby Brock: No, I'll wait until they make it into a movie, too.

If you haven't seen the Senior Play yet, be sure to go tonight. It certainly proves to be different. Here's something to give you an idea about it.  
The story begins as Mr. Burgess, Jerry Noble, is found dead by Harvey, the butler, Mickey Brock, and Anna the housekeeper, Regene Reynolds. Things become more complicated after all of his children, Ralph, Ivan Sinclair, Mary, Monette Kemore, Charles, Richard Wood, and John Jr., Edgar Dennis, find their father shot, especially since the door was locked from the inside. Josephine, Charlie's wife, is played by Louise Simpson. Her personal maid, Alice is played by Gwen Smith. There is an insurance investigator, Ned Parker, Lefty Curtis, who works on the case with

**Grade School News**

**Seventh Grade News**  
The Seventh Grade had a wonderful time at their Easter Party Wednesday night. We want to thank the Room Mothers for their time and for making the party an enjoyable one.  
Our class have enjoyed the holidays but are ready to settle down to work again.  
Reporter: Thenia Smith

**Mr. Damron's 6-A**  
At our Easter Party, we had a track meet. In the 50 yard dash Bernita Fortner of 6-A won first. Kay Carpenter of 6B won second. Third was Betty Westberry of the girls.  
The boys that won were: 1st Morris Boothe, 2nd Marcelo Estrado of 6B, Stanley Nelson of 6B won third.  
Of the girls in the 100 yard dash Linda Renfro won first, Second Kay Carpenter, and third Janice Wesson.  
In the 100 yard dash of the boys Wilbert English won first. He is in the 6B room. Morris Boothe of 6A won second. Stanley Wilcox won third.  
On the relay race the 6B girls won. In the boys there were 4 teams. The 6B room won 1st and a second. We won third.  
The 220 yard dash of the girls, Linda Lee Renfro won first, Second Janice Wesson.  
In the boys Donnie Smith won first in the 220 yard dash. Wilbert English won second, and Morris Boothe won third.  
In our broad jumping Jimmy Pingleton of 6A won first. Wilbert English won second. Third Marcelo Estrado. Both of 6B.  
Our refreshments consisted of Sandwiches, pop and candy bars.  
Reporters

**5A**  
Ruby Mae Clingsmith with her parents visited Carlsbad Caverns during the Easter holidays.  
Jimmy Griffin has returned from Phoenix, Arizona.  
Jerry McAfee visited in Sayre, Okla., over the holidays.  
Milton Cowell with his parents visited relatives in Oklahoma City.  
Room 5A enjoyed an egg hunt and games afterward. Room Mothers who were hosts were: Mrs. W. H. Fuller, Mrs. B. E. Goodwin, Mrs. W. E. Beacher, and Mrs. Roy Lilley.  
Other visitors at school Thursday were Mrs. M. V. Cowell, Mrs. T. S. Buckmaster, and Mrs. E. C. Rogers.  
Reporters: James Stevens

**5A**  
In the Arithmetic race the boys are trailing the girls by one point. The two keeks average gave the girls 75 and the boys 74. The losers of the contest will give the courtesy party for our room at the close of school.  
Last week all but two made 100 on spelling and those two made 90. We're very proud of our spelling achievements.  
Those persons with no C's on their report card this time are: Sue Moore, Sharon Ann Morrison, Ruth Nelson, and Earnestine Waggoner.  
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Mrs. Barton's First Grade  
We are sorry to lose two girls from our room. Anzie Yarbrough moved to Midland and Kathy Graham to Oklahoma. We will miss them.  
\*\*\*\*  
Several of the children in Mrs. Howe's first grade are absent because they have the mumps. Twelve children had perfect attendance last six weeks.  
\*\*\*\*  
Mrs. Rutledge's Room  
Jerry Smithson visited in the fourth grade. He is from Fullerton, Calif. They were happy to have him.  
\*\*\*\*  
6B Class  
We had a wonderful Easter Party Thursday afternoon at the football field.  
We had games and races. In the races we had the 50 yard dash, the 100 yd. dash and also the 440 along with the relay.  
There were also boys from both 6 grade classes which competed in broad and high jumping. After these activities we had our refreshments. They were good too. We had an assortment of sandwiches, varieties of cookies and coolade which was brought by our wonderful teacher, Mrs. Richardson. Then we all went home and had a wonderful Easter vacation.  
We are happy to say that Leta

Detective Sargent Ryan, George Ray. Others in the cast are the policeman, Tommy by Ted Robb and Dr. Morrison by Bobby Brock.  
They find that Mr. Burgess was not killed by a shot but stabbed in the back. After a couple of confessions they are surprised beyond words to receive the reports from the doctor saying he was poisoned. The plot grows deeper and they do not actually find out whether he was killed by the shot, stabbed, or poisoned—and by whom until the last scene. For plenty of excitement and suspense don't miss this show.

**Classified Ads**

Wanted—One high school diploma to give to my mama. Ted Godfrey  
For Sale—One pack of combination rabbit and polar bear dogs Mickey and Joe.  
For Sale Cheap—One complete set of weight lifting equipment. Melba Curry.  
Lost—One steady boy friend. If found please return to Melba Chism.  
Wanted—One high school diploma complete with MRS degree. Pat Wilson.  
Lost—Sleep. Return to Sharon if found.  
Wanted—A wet country (Rain) Jimmy Manning.  
Lost—A million dollars. If found return to Myrtle Trimble.  
Wanted—A new motor for my wrecked up car. Jimmy Fowler.  
Lost—Judy Dyer. If found return to Gaylon Moore.  
Wanted—Coach Fuquay to move the little dumb one from across the study hall table. Don Mobley.  
Wanted—Ditto to the above. Don Sheffy.  
Wanted—Both of them away from me. Van Conard.  
Wanted—Don Page to quit kicking me in the fourth period study hall. Winston Waggoner.  
For Sale—One pest in study hall. Jim Cole.  
Wanted—Coach to forget about track and let us play volley ball or pass tag. Coyce Wilkinson.  
Will Swap—One study hall for one credit. Ne algebra PLEASE. Eldon Mandrell—Me too—Ray Newton.

**Senior Boy of the Week**

On July the 28, 1937, a bouncing baby boy was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stafford of Dimmitt. Troy spent the first three years of his life in Dimmitt. He lived in New Mexico four years and California one. When he was in the fourth grade he returned to Dimmitt and has lived here ever since. Troy is 6 feet tall and weighs 167 pounds. He is a two year letterman in football, and a three year letterman in track. He is on the annual staff and the BOBCAT TALES Staff.  
Some of his favorites are:  
Food—Shrimp  
Color—Blue  
Subject—Chemistry  
Teacher—Mr. McCarty  
Actor—William Holden  
Actress—Grace Kelly  
Movie—Bridges of Toko-Ri  
Song—Sincerely  
Pet Peeve—Hateful Girls  
Favorite Past Time—Courtin'!

**Senior Girl of the Week**

On December 16, 1936, a girl by the name of Rose Louise LaGrone came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. LaGrone.

**Seniors Present Last Performance**

Did you come to see the senior play Thursday night? If you did I hope you enjoyed it as much as we enjoy performing for you. If you did not see it Thursday night, be sure to see it Friday night. This is the last performance, and the curtain will fall on the high school acting career of the 1955 Seniors. Performance starts at 8:15 in the High School Auditorium.  
She moved here at the mid-term this year from Floydada and is a member of the senior class. These are a few of her choices:  
Color—Blue  
Food—Steak  
Subject—Home Making  
Teacher—Miss Potts  
Song—Earth Angel  
Actor—Rock Hudson  
Actress—Jane Wyman  
Movie—The Robe  
Pet Peeve—Stuck-up people  
Ambition—To get married  
Hobby—Writing letters

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**Hospital News**

**Patients in the Hospital:**  
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 Nora Conard  
 Mrs. Ester Mandrell  
 Mrs. C. J. Mapes  
 Roy Leo Ruble  
 Rayburn Litel  
 Felix Sanchez  
 Sixto Romero  
 Mrs. J. B. Traylor

**Patients Dismissed From The Hospital**

Mrs. L. B. Bowden  
 Charlene Bandy  
 C. W. George, Jr.  
 Soylia Rodriguez  
 Fred Mitchell  
 Billy Welch  
 Berta Davila  
 Mrs. Marquerite Ledesma and babies  
 Mrs. Don Hargrove and baby girl.

**Easter Holiday News**

**From Hart**

Bake Sale is to be held in the Gilmore Store Saturday, April 16, by the Assembly of God Church. Every one needing bakery get over to Gilmores and help these good women out because they are to use the money to a very good cause.

There is to be a change in the Assembly of God Church schedule: Sunday Morning Service 10:00 A. M.; Sunday night Service 7:30 P. M.; and Thursday Night Service 8:00 P. M. Rev. Larry Godfrey, Pastor of Hart Church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman are the lucky ones who have a three week vacation awarded them by the Fort Worth and Denver Railroad. They will visit relatives in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Newman, Illinois and several other towns around Chicago.

The W. A. Hawkins, Sr., are visiting their son, Theron, and family in Houston. They have been very anxious to see the new baby.

Rev. Dale West took the R. A. Boys for a tour of Boys Ranch and had supper with all the boys visiting Buddy Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Garrison, Harvey and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Jo Percy Hart and Gary attended a family reunion at Lubbock in the home of the S. H. Garrisons.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Phillips had all their children home for the holidays except one. The ones there for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wakefield and Marsha from Denver, Bill and wife from Quail, Jerry from Wayland College, Dean and wife and Doug from Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Higgins from Amarillo, Mrs. Phillips parents.

Mrs. Kate Jagers from Tulsa, Oklahoma, Roy Pyeatt's aunt has been visiting in his home this week. Royce Lynn Pyeatt is visiting in Chillicothe during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Towry had relatives from Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Jo Arp, Mrs. Towry's parents from Brownfield, during the holidays.

William D. Bell and family attended a Family Reunion of Mrs. Bell's family held in the home of Blue Shower.

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The Methodist Church is fully paid for and the shrubbery has been set and the grass planted so we will be ready for the dedication some time after the Annual Northwest Conference. Rev. E. H. Costen has been holding a series of sermons to enlighten our faith in God and it surely did just that. Two of the babies were dedicated Sunday morning, Jeton Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Jones and Randy Scott Rice, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Rice.

Earnest Lee Brooks and family spent the night and Sunday with Mrs. Brook's mother, Mrs. A. L. Aver, and Maurice. Other visitors for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Houston Carson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Brown and Sunnye Enright from Dimmitt and Joe Ed Carson from Olton.

The 4-H Girls are to have a Safety Meeting Wednesday, April 13th.

Mrs. Loy Pyeatt and Mrs. Ray Pyeatt visited Tuesday with the Roy Pyeatts.

Mrs. Dewey Smith visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Reed in Amarillo Saturday and stayed and visited with Buddy Gibson, her son, at Boys Ranch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bennett had all her sons, Byron from Plainview, Bob and Ed from Hart, their families and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence McClain and family and the Bob Hills for dinner Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Costen had two of their daughters and families home for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wall visited in the home of Mr. Wall's brother, Mr. T. C. Wall and family, who lives in Ropesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Aven and Melvin visited Mrs. Aven's father, Mr. W. H. Williams over the Easter holiday.

Bobby Ed and Nell Brooks and daughter, Teresa, from Dimmitt and the Robert Brooks went to Plainview to visit the A. T. Matlers, parents of Mrs. Robert Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Easton Wall and baby entertained a sister of Mrs. Wall's and husband over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Shirley Garrison and Mrs. Aubrey Smith were thoroughly surprised Thursday at the regular meeting of the Womens Society of Christian Service when all the women in the Methodist Church

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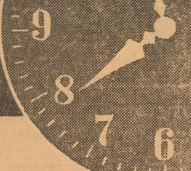
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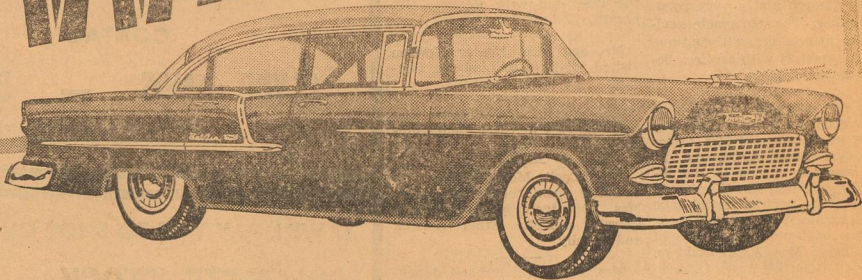
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**Thompson-Harbert Wedding Revealed**

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Thompson announce the recent marriage of their daughter, Lelda Ann, to a 2-c Donald Wayne Harbert of Sacramento, California. Wedding vows were pledged in Clovis April 11.  
Their only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith, Mrs. Smith is a sister of the bride.  
Mrs. Harbert is a graduate of Dimmitt High School and has been attending West Texas State College in Canyon this year. Mr. Harbert finished high school and attended college in California. He is presently stationed at Dow Air Force Base at Bangor, Maine.  
The couple will be at her parent's home this month after a short honeymoon in New Mexico.

**PTA Members to Hear Dimmitt Band Perform**

The 70-piece Dimmitt High School Band, under the direction of Ralph Smith, will give a concert in the local high school auditorium Tuesday night before members of the Dimmitt Parent Teachers Association. The concert will begin at 7:30 p. m.

**FLAGG NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Coke and girls spent the Easter holidays in Mineral Wells visiting Mrs. Coke's parents.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Gossett visited in Dimmitt Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louise Coke.  
James Bradford and sons, Kent and Jack are confined at home with the mumps. James also has the flu.  
Mrs. Douglas Damron and daughter, Roxie, have returned from California. They saw Lieut. Damron off on his ship before coming home.  
Mrs. John Scamahorne and two daughters visited her mother, Mrs. R. L. Montgomery, Sunday and Monday at the Flagg Ranch.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams and Mrs. Madelyr Myers spent Easter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith.  
The Flagg H. D. Club will meet Friday in the home of Mrs. Clyde Damron, Jr. in Dimmitt.

**GA'S MEET**

The Ann Bagby G. A.'s met at the First Baptist Church Wednesday, April 6, for a social meeting. We had hamburgers and tea. At 7:30 we had our regular meeting. The program was called to order by the president, Janice Curry. We sang two songs: "We've A Story to Tell" and "What A Friend We Have in Jesus." There were 14 members present. Lawanda Youts gave the minutes of the last meeting. We had a program of "Let's Visit Hong Kong." Janice Curry had the first part. The second part was given by Sue Moore. Beth Beecher is the program chairman. Ethel Thomas gave the closing prayer.  
Reporter—Sue Moore.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Alta Gladman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gladman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gladman and children of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gladman and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lay and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Burt Huggins.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Reynolds of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson, Jr. and children and Mitzi of W.T.S.C. Canyon, were Sunday visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson.

**Rites Conducted For Jack Haberer**

Funeral services for Jack Keith Haberer, 27-year-old Ralls farmer and civic leader who was killed in a head-on collision near Ralls, were conducted Tuesday at 3 p. m. at the First Methodist Church in Ralls. Interment was in the Ralls cemetery.

Included among Mr. Haberer's survivors are two uncles, one brother and two cousins from this county. The uncles are Roy Haberer of Dimmitt and Johnny Haberer of the Big Square Community. Gerald Haberer, a brother, also lives in the Big Square Community.  
Also killed in the wreck with Mr. Haberer was Mrs. Bill Kimbrough, deputy Crosby County Clerk. Three others were injured but not seriously.

The wreck occurred about four miles south of Ralls at the intersection of the Ralls-Post road and Farm Road 1309. A car driven by Mr. Haberer and another car occupied by Mrs. Kimbrough collided head-on.  
Mr. Haberer lived with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haberer, in the Big Square Community until he was 15 years old. He attended school at Lazbuddie and Springlake until his parents moved to Lubbock and later to Ralls. He is a graduate of Lubbock High and attended Texas Tech College.

Besides relatives in this county and his parents who live at Ralls, Mr. Haberer leaves his widow, Lela Faye, and two daughters.  
The theme of the meeting was "God and Home—the Source of Freedom." The group emphasized such phases of work as Civil Defense citizenship, 4-H work and mental health, all part of their 1955 program of work.

**RNP Club Judging To Start in County**

District judging committees for the Texas Rural Neighborhood Progress Club Contest will be in Dimmitt Monday morning to make a tour of Castro county communities entered in the contest.  
The committee will visit the Jumbo Community at 9:30 a. m. and the other three communities, Bethel, Flagg and Sunnyside, during the remainder of the day.  
Only two other counties have entries in the district. They are Ochiltree and Armstrong counties.  
Winners in the district will compete in the state judging.

**Pan-American Road Race Film to Be Shown**

The first public showing locally of the 1½ hour color sound movie of the 1954 Pan-American Road race is scheduled for the High School Auditorium Friday, April 29 at 8 p. m., according to Kenneth McGee, manager of Dimmitt Parts and Supply Company.  
The movie, covering the entire 5-day race, was made by K & W Products, Inc., automotive chemical manufacturers. K & W sent a 9-man crew to Mexico to cover the race from start to finish. Included in the film are starts, finishes, dangerous intermediate points, aerial views and a number of thrilling spins, skids and accidents. Cameras mounted in several of the race cars afford the audience the opportunity of "riding" in a race car at speeds up to 150 miles per hour.  
The 1954 race was run over a distance of 1,908 miles, starting at Tuxia Gutierrez, near the Guatemala border, and finishing at Ciudad Juarez, across the Rio Grande River from El Paso, Texas. In its fifth running, the race has truly become an international classic, with 154 entries representing 14 countries.

Admission will be free, but due to the limited seating capacity, it will be necessary to have an invitation. These are obtainable from one of the local automobile dealers, garages and service stations who are making this local showing possible. A list of the co-sponsoring dealers will be published in next week's paper.

**Broadstreet Hired As Courthouse Custodian**

Castro County Commissioners, in session Monday, hired John Broadstreet to replace Dan Curtis as courthouse custodian. Curtis, after some ten years service, is retiring.  
Broadstreet, longtime Dimmitt resident, will assume his new duties May 1. He is a carpenter by trade.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all our many friends and loved ones who offered their services in any way and who sent flowers, food and messages of sympathy during the illness and death of our dear mother, May God's richest blessings be with you.  
The children of Mrs. C. J. Nash

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roman of Sudan visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Boling Sunday.

**Miss Lippard is Shower Honoree**

A shower honoring Miss Charlotte Lippard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moore, was held Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bice.

Mrs. Bice and Mrs. Jackson Dodd presided at the table which was covered with a cutlance table cloth. Colors of yellow and white were carried out in the reception room.

Miss Lippard will be married to David Lee of Roswell, N. M. April 16. The wedding will be at Roswell.  
Hostesses besides Mrs. Bice and Mrs. Jackson were Mesdames C. W. George, Olen Rice, Clarence Hance, Lawrence Buckmaster, Elvis Burch, Swain Burkett and Finis Hunter.

**Four From County Attend THDA Meet**

Mrs. J. D. Murray, Castro county THDA chairman; Mrs. Andy Behrends, Mrs. Woodrow Nelson and Mrs. Sybil Stringer, Castro County THDA, were among representatives from over the Panhandle attending the District One Texas Home Demonstration Association spring meeting at Spearman Tuesday. Some 356 women from the 20 counties of the district were in attendance.  
The theme of the meeting was "God and Home—the Source of Freedom." The group emphasized such phases of work as Civil Defense citizenship, 4-H work and mental health, all part of their 1955 program of work.

Voting delegates, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Behrends and Mrs. Nelson, will give a report of the Spearman meeting to each of the county home demonstration clubs in May.



REV. ORVILLE COLEMAN is the visiting evangelist for the Sunnyside Baptist Church revival. He is pastor of Cleburn's Northside Baptist Church and a very popular speaker. The Sunnyside revival, now in progress, will continue through April 24 with services being held twice daily.

**CLEO CLUB NEWS**

The Cleo Club met Thursday April 7 in the home of Mrs. Copeland. Our president, Mrs. A. A. Dodd was absent due to the illness of her father, Mr. Warren, in Abilene. The hostess served cake and ice cream. There were 6 present. Our next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. A. A. Dodd on Thursday April 21.

Irlie, Terri and Tommye Rothwell of Plainview spent the week end with their grandmother, Mrs. Leona Bagwell.

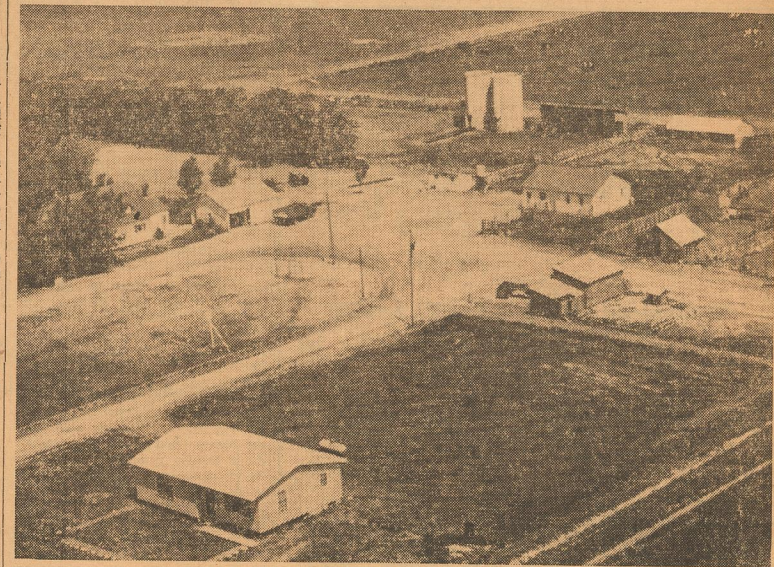
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sims and son, Jean, visited Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Johnston.

Mrs. Cecil Montgomery and daughter, Joan, visited in the home of Mrs. J. C. Montgomery Saturday and Sunday.

Carol Gregory, medical student in Dallas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gregory, last week end.

Mrs. N. D. Carter of Fort Worth has been visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Leland Boling, and Mr. Boling. The Bolings are now living in their new home on South 5th Street. They came here from Sudan.

Miss Cora York is visiting friends in Denton this week. She taught English in the Denton schools for many years before coming to Dimmitt.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crick of Hart returned home Thursday from a trip to Kansas and Oklahoma where they visited relatives and friends.  
Mrs. Nettie Graham has returned from a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.



HERE IS AN AERIAL PHOTO of mystery farm number 14. Who is the owner of this farm? If you can guess the identity of the farm you may receive a subscription to the News for one year. However, before a winner can be declared the owner of the farm must come by the News or call and identify the farm to make the identification official. A mounted photo of the above picture will be presented the farm owner upon proper identification. Sponsoring the mystery farm series is Blanton Butane, Inc.

**Postal Receipts Register Gain**

Gross postal receipts at the Dimmitt Post Office for the first quarter of 1955 (January, February and March) amounted to \$5,610.03 or an increase of \$435.69 over the corresponding quarter of 1954 when receipts totaled \$5,174.34, according to figures compiled by Postmaster Tom Bice.  
The above increase represents a sizeable gain and is indicative of the growth and prosperity of the area. It also explains the need for a new post office building, which will soon be constructed on Jones Street in west Dimmitt. The new building is to be ready for occupancy by the first of June.  
A breakdown of first quarter receipts for 1955 follows: envelopes—\$673.15; second class mail—\$49.21; metered—\$198; third class—\$175.67; third class appl.—\$40; box rent—\$490.45; and stamps—\$4,083.55.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Leona Rothwell Sunday were Mrs. Billy Joe Rothwell and girls of Plainview and Jimmie Lee Restell and family from Bethel. After lunch they enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.  
Mr. and Mrs. Junior Rothwell, Carolyn and Sharon visited in Dimmitt Monday. Sharon spent the week-end with Peggy Gilbreath.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newton visited relatives in Lubbock, Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edd McLeroy visited relatives in Brownfield, Sunday.  
Mrs. Cecil Montgomery and daughter spent the holidays with Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Jack Cowsett and Mrs. Ethel Womack and family.  
Mrs. Byran Blivins and daughter of Peecos are visiting in the Tom Davis home this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chubby Aldridge of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Booher, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grant of Littlefield were also guests in the Booher home Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Golding have returned from a trip to Monterey, Mexico.  
Byron Perrod of Fort Worth is visiting his sister, Mrs. Spence, and Dr. J. W. Spence this week.

**County Tag Sales Set New Record**

Tag sales in Castro County this year set a new record, according to Deputy Tax Assessor-Collector Kent Birdwell. As of April 1 the total was the highest in the history of the local office and, according to Birdwell, can be attributed to a good increase in population.  
A total of 200 more car licenses were sold this year in comparison to last year and 100 more pickup tags were sold. A total of 3,500 vehicles were registered through the local office this year.  
A breakdown of tag sales follows: Passenger cars—\$26,837.73; Commercial—\$12,469.93; Farm Trucks—\$16,174.07; and Trailers—\$5,671.30.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Smith and son, Franklin and wife and daughter visited relatives in Friona Sunday.  
Miss Katherine Turner spent the weekend with friends in Wellington.



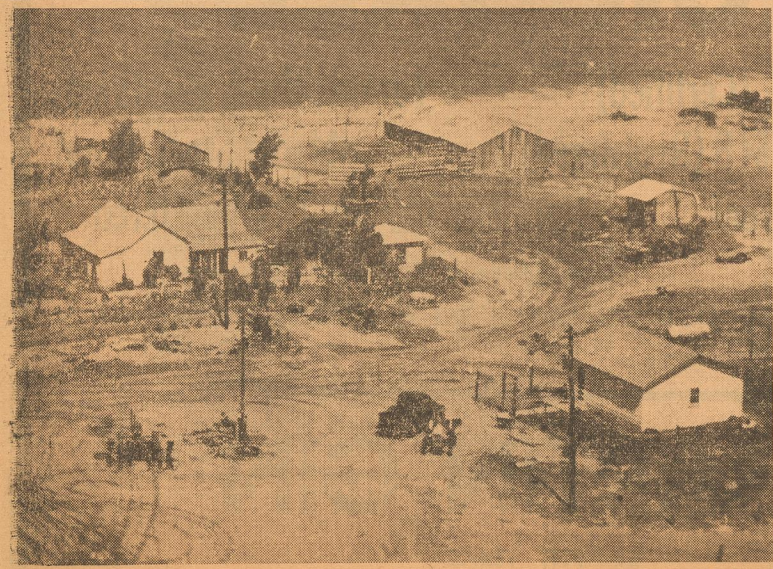
**Decimae Dennis and Roy Cluck, Jr., are Wed in Colorful Double-Ring Ceremony**

Miss Decimae Dennis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Dennis, and Roy Cluck, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cluck, were married Saturday, April 9, in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt.  
The Rev. Earl Landtroop of Plainview, Texas, read the double-ring service.  
The ceremony was performed before an arch of green jade with baskets of yellow gladioli, jonquils, and orchid stock, the bride's chosen colors, and flanked by candelabras of yellow cathedral tapers banked with jade.  
Traditional wedding music was played by organist Gwynneth Curtis of Amarillo. Solo selections by Dr. Charles Vandiver included "At Dawning," "With This Ring," and "The Wedding Prayer."  
Matron of honor was Mrs. Jack Hodges and Miss Billie Cluck, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Their dresses were styled identically with fitted bodices and gathered ballerina length skirts in colors of orchid and yellow. They wore single strands of pearls. They carried net and satin umbrellas topped with garlands of orchid stock and statice to match their dresses.  
Jimmie Cluck was his brothers' best man. Douglas Dennis, brother of the bride, was groomsmen. The ushers, Edgar Dennis and Jerry Cluck also lit the candles.  
Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a bridal satin gown. The fitted bodice was fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, beaded with crystal and seed pearls and was buttoned up the back with satin covered buttons. The long sleeves pointed over her hands. The full-gathered, floor-length skirt fell in soft folds. Her finger tip veil of nylon tulle was attached to a

tulle and lace bonnet trimmed with seed pearls, and her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls. She carried a bouquet of stephanotis centered with orchid colored tied with satin streamers with love knots.  
Mrs. Dennis, mother of the bride, wore a two piece navy crepe dress with navy and white accessories and a white carnation corsage. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Cluck, wore a pink faille dress with pink and white accessories and a pink carnation corsage.  
Following the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The bride table was covered with a white linen outwork cloth, and centered with a mirror on which the brides flowers rested; on either side it was flanked by a candelabra with yellow candles. Miss Mary Ann Davis served the teared wedding cake and Mrs. Donald Wright poured punch. The guests were registered by Miss Darlene Cates. Miss Nell Bagwell and Miss Margaret Curtis, pianists, played soft music during the reception.  
For a wedding trip the bride chose a three piece linen suit of toast and beige. Her hat, gloves, and orchid corsage were avocado, and she chose brown lizard shoes and bag.

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HERE IS A PICTURE of mystery farm number 12, the J. C. Williams farm. Last week the News erred in publishing a picture of the Lester Dowell farm and identifying it as the Williams place due to a picture mix-up. Mr. Williams has made a number of improvements on his farm, which is located ten miles southwest of Dimmitt.

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