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Medames Harry Rothwell, J. G. Davis, Sr., Vern Last and Earl Lant attended the Zone meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service in Hereford Wednesday, March 7.

VICTORY GARDEN WEEK SET

March 11-17 has been designated as Victory Garden Week in Texas. These are the same dates as for the observance, says J. F. Hosen-

HART NEWS

Mr. Guy Austin of Fort Worth has returned to town to resume work on the Farmer's Grain Co. Elevator.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

WHEREAS, We, the County Board of School Trustees of Castro County, Texas, after full and complete consideration, have concluded that it is for the best interest of the School System of Castro County, Texas, and to the best interest of the scholars and patrons of such school system that the Cleo Independent School District of Castro County, Texas, be annexed to the Dimmitt Independent School District of Castro County, Texas, as provided for in Article 2922-A, et seq., of the Revised Statutes of 1925, of the State of Texas, now in force and effect.

Promoted

Relatives of John C. Fulfer received word here recently that he had been promoted to Second Class Petty Officer. He is stationed at Bremerton, Washington.

\$10,000 War Bond Prizes Tune in Radio's most sensational Half-hour Show "THE GENTLEMEN TALK OF PEACE" Announcing National Peace Treaty Contest SUNDAY, MARCH 18 KVOP - 5 P.M. Sponsored in Radio Station KVOP

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I HAVE PURCHASED COFFEE SHOP from Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jowell and will appreciate your business. I am an experienced cafe operator, having operated the Limit Cafe in Tahoka for 14 years. Come In and let's get acquainted BART COWAN

Horses And Mules 200 Wanted 200 Our Buyers Will Be At DIMMITT, TEXAS Saturday, March 17 At the railroad stock pens to buy all the HORSES and MULES you have to sell from 500 pounds to as big as they grow, in good flesh. No thin or poor horses wanted. They can have blends of any kind but must be able to stand a shipment. These horses are for immediate slaughter.

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LEGAL NOTICE

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION Sealed proposals for constructing 25,250 miles of Asphalt Concrete Pavement and Double Asphalt Surf. Treat. from 1.65 mi. West of Priona to Castro County Line; From Farmer County Line to Leaf Smith County Line; From Dimmitt to 5.000 miles Southeast on Highway No. U. S. 60 and S. 194, covered by C 108-2-4, C 108-4-3, C 480-1-4, in Farmer and Castro Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin until 10:00 A. M. March 29, 1945, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

HAZARETH HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Freshman Class Report We wish to let you know, Joel the girls from the basketball game Sunday afternoon. Maybe that was why a lot of Freshies were hoarse Monday morning.

FLAGG NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruegel made a business trip to Clovis Friday. Mr. Ralph Simmons plowed Mrs. Simmons' garden Saturday.

CLEO NEWS

Elmer Dixon shipped his sheep to Ft. Worth Monday. Mrs. Dixon and Peggy went with him and they attended the Fat Stock Show. They will return by Burkumett where they will visit their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harris.

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# Castro County's March War Bond Quota

## \$11,300

Castro County Subscribed Approximately One-Third of its February Quota

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This might be an excellent use for some of the barbed wire left over from the beachheads and barricades.

Placed between a man and the War Bonds he's safely tucked away, it would give him pause : : : in case he was tempted to cash in a single Bond.

It would make him stop and think : : :

Stop and think that those Bonds will mean income : : : security : : : perhaps even a good measure of financial independence in the unpredictable postwar world.

Stop and think that every Bond will bring back - not just its purchase price - but \$4 for every \$3 at maturity.

Stop and think that holding War Bonds is vital to Victory as buying them : : : and as vital to a secure future for the individual, a secure future for his country.

Put your War Bonds in a safe place. And keep them there : : : as you keep on buying more.

Ten years from now, you'll thank your lucky stars you did.



We consider it a good reminder

**THE BOBCAT TALES**  
The Official Publication of Dimmitt High School  
Published Each Thursday March 15, 1945  
STAFF  
Editor-in-chief—Dorothy Clinging  
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**WANT ADS**  
Lost—Two sailors somewhere in the Pacific. If found with any "Hula" girls please notify Norma and Marilyn.  
Lost—Four Senior boys in Fort Worth. I found in the jug please send to the senior girls C. D. W. (Can't Do Without).  
Wanted—One fifteen day furlough. If granted to Gene McMillan to rush to Barbara Anne.  
Wanted to borrow—Raymond's car one night after play practice—See Dorothy Mobley.  
Found—A new interest in a girl. Reported today at noon by Don Hargrove.  
Lost—Irene Koehns voice.  
Wanted—One date with Don Hargrove. If available see the senior girls one by one.  
Wanted—One donkey tamer for Virgil Lamb.  
For Trade—One date with Carl Jewell—See Wanda immediately.

**THEY'RE SINGING**  
"Don't Sweetheart Me"—Don to Lyla.  
"I'll Wait For You"—Dorothy Dee to Billy Wayne.  
"I Dream of You"—Barbara to Gene.  
"Don't Fence Me In"—Don to Senior girls.  
"I'm Beginning to See the Light"—Billy Simpson to Delma Anderson.  
"I'm Making Believe"—Bill Gladman to Wanda Whitford.  
"You Always Hurt the One You Love"—Odell to (girl from Littlefield).  
"Together"—Jimmy to Patricia.  
"Sunday, Monday, or Always"—Genevia to Billy T.  
"It's Love, Love, Love"—Glenn Godfrey to Wanda Dixon.  
If it is in good condition popcorn will expand to 20 times its original size when popped.  
Round silos are estimated to be rectangular type because silage may spoil in the corners.

**SCIENCE DEPARTMENT**  
Two sections of Elementary science have been experimenting with white rats. They gave "Mickie" and "Minnie" the Texas food standard and "Frankie" and "Johnny" were given the same except all articles containing milk were taken out.  
Mickie gained 70 1/2 grams to Frankie's 43 1/2 and Mickey gained 62 1/2 to Johnny's 25. This shows what milk will do in a diet in two weeks.

**CAN YOU IMAGINE**  
Dorothy Dee being soluble in water?  
The Seniors putting on their play Friday night?  
F. F. A. boys going to Fort Worth?  
Marilyn and Norma getting ditched?  
Dorothy Ziegler cutting off her hair?  
Mr. Strother showing Norma how to make love to Billy?  
Journalism class being Negroes? Dorothy Rhodes chewing gum in History?  
Sue Burdine getting the Purple Heart?  
Bill Simpson being six feet tall? Joyce Sherrill weighing 200 lbs? Virgil being quiet for five minutes?  
The Press Club paying their dues?  
The Seniors ordering their Caps and Gowns?  
Marilyn and Norma hiding from a boy?  
HALF OUR TROUBLES ARE OVER  
Saturday was a big event in the lives of the Annual Staff when 50 percent of the "dummy" was sent to the printer. We must have the next 25 per cent in by March 20.  
The staff has put out a lot of work on the annual, but we realize it won't be perfect, as this is the first experience any of the staff has had on a year book.

**BOBCATS DEFEAT WHITEFACE**  
The Bobcats of next year defeated the Herford Whiteface team last year by a score of 24 to 16. They showed up very good and a good team is expected next year. The boys who will be back next year are: Bob Mooney, Carl Jewell, Charles Howell, Joe Harrison, Joel Ziegler, Norton Barron, Lonnie Rice, Junior Fuller, Bill Stevenson, Earl Greenhouse, Royce Dowell, Dub Parks, and Bascom Nelson. Only one boy, Don Hargrove, will not be back.

**HONOR SOCIETY PRESENTS PROGRAM**  
The Honor Society gave the chapel program Thursday, March 8. The Society consists of Dorothy Clingingsmith, Carolyn Rawlings and Norma Thompson.  
Miss Merritt, the sponsor, gave the history of the society and the characteristics for membership. The four main points are, character, service, leadership and scholarship.  
The members each explained the meaning of the characteristics: Norma Thompson—Leadership. Carolyn Rawlings—Character. Dorothy Clingingsmith—Service.  
The pledge of the new members was given by the society after which Mr. Blaine presented each a shingle.  
Honorary members of the society are Mary Jane Kirkpatrick, Peggy Maps, Tommy Fowles and Mary Jean Webb.  
Students eligible next year are: Lloyd Last, Gerry Simon, Joe Harrison, Genevieve Cooper, Jewel Hackleman, Doris Belknap, Leland Lee, Glenn Hickman, and Cylene English.

**ARMY INSECT PROBLEM**  
The man from Louisiana was telling about the big mosquitoes in South Texas. The flyer just back from the South Pacific interposed, "That's nothing. One day a ship glided to a stop on our jungle airstrip, and we pumped 40 gallons of 100-Octane gas into it before we Smith, Bill Stephenson."  
"That waiter is either a fool or a humorist."  
"What's the matter?"  
"I ordered extract of beef and he brought me a glass of milk."  
"Everyone has someone higher up to give him orders," said Riggs.  
"How about a Commander-in-Chief?" asked Wiggs.  
"As a rule they are married too," replied Riggs.

**BOYS ATTEND FAT STOCK SHOW**  
The F. F. A. boys left Dimmitt Friday, morning at 7:30 for Fort Worth and arrived there at 6:15 Friday night. All of the boys lodged their rooms as they were to stay in private homes which were arranged by the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.  
They all met at 8:00 o'clock Saturday morning and went to the Fair Grounds where they looked over the show cattle, sheep, swine and horses.  
They went to see the sights at the circus and spent most of the day at the circus although a few of the boys were lucky enough to get a rodeo ticket and went to the rodeo in the Will Rogers Coliseum. Sunday morning all the boys got together and left Fort Worth and arrived home about 9:30 Sunday night.  
The boys that went were: Frank Martin, Odell Arnold, Bill Simpson, Billy Jones, Virgil Lamb, John Cryer, Glenn Godfrey, Jackie Brannan, James Autry, Jimmie Sparkman, Oren Eubanks, Orrin Howe, Charles Howell, Herbert Howell, Leland Lee, Joe Harrison, Billy Welch, Billy Cline, Leonard Cline, Luther Smithson, Cecil Taylor, Jack Ziegler, Eugene Reynolds, Bobby Warren, Waymond Birchfield, Douglas Dunton, Carl Jones, Neil Conventry, Dub Parks, Royce Dowell, Jackie Miller, Charles Wilder, C. H. Lane, Ivan Koehns, John Hix, Virgil Herring, Bob Mooney, Wayne Davis, Elbert Smith, Bill Stephenson.  
The sponsors that went along were Mr. Seale, Mr. Smithson, Mr. Birdwell and Mr. Hight.  
The Byrd Expedition to the South Pole sailed in a fleet of four ships, and was the most elaborately equipped expedition that has ever undertaken polar research. More than a million dollars was spent in outfitting. Besides the ships' crews, there were 82 scientists, engineers, aviators and radio experts, plus 79 dogs.

**FOR SALE -- 6 Volt Windcharger Battery and Tower 6 Volt -- 7 Tube General Electric Cabinet Radio RCA Battery table model no battery COOPER ELECTRIC CO.**

**ayon Blouse Is Boos for Bonds**

These having "under" dinner in Embree Sadler home were Mrs. M. H. Fowles, and Miss Sarah Tech, Mr. and Mrs. John and Mrs. T. E. Harrison of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. John Arledge and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ferguson.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cade visited the sick of this community in the Amherst hospital Sunday afternoon.  
Saturday night and Sunday March 17 and 18 the Wayland College Volunteer Mission Band will render a program here at the church. Everyone is invited to come out and hear them. There will be lunch served at the church Sunday at noon.  
Mrs. Mitchell of Tucumcari, N. M., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Armstrong, and son, Harry Mitchell.  
Mrs. Adolph Ebeling returned home Saturday after a 2 weeks visit with her brother near Houston and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jack Ebeling of Louise, Texas.  
 Pvt. Weldon Bradley of Fort Sill, Okla., spent the week end with his wife and children and attended church here Sunday. We are always glad to have our service men back with us.  
Cpl. Billie King spent a 3 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving King, last week.  
Several boys of this community who attend school at Spring Lake, went with the F.F.A. boys to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Duke and Wynona have moved to Circle.  
Homer Newton visited his sister at Seminole Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ashcraft visited in Plainview Sunday.  
Seaman 2/c Rayford Ginn, who is stationed in Norfolk, Va., arrived here Wednesday last week for a 21-day furlough visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ginn.

**Tailored Ensemble Saves for Bonds**

New rayon blouse, notable for its black and white on pastel. The new pattern books show many similar styles. Any woman can make them and have extra money from her clothes budget for War Bonds.

**Housedress Saves Money for Bonds**

Tailored clothes are going soft, and with most becoming rayon. Typical of this trend is a slim, trim outfit of wendit, blouse and skirt. Its feminine touch comes from the little bow tie, blouse sleeves and skirt with unpressed pleats. Select the pattern in a local store, and buy War Bonds for Victory.

**THANKS FOLKS**

We take this method of expressing our appreciation to our many friends and customers for the liberal patronage accorded us during the time we have operated the Coffee Shop. We also wish to bespeak your continued patronage for our successors, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Cowan.

**Mom and Pop Jowell**

**See Us For Your BABY CHICKS WE SELL ICE Griffith Grocery**

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Whitefield visited her sister, Mrs. R. E. Lowery in Muleshoe and also received medical treatments.  
Mr. W. O. Hendrick, Sr. of Springlake was a business visitor in Dimmitt Wednesday.  
Mrs. Floyd Ashcraft visited her husband at Lubbock last week end.

**1945 Car Tags Are Now On Sale At the SAME PRICE as last year Tags must be on cars by April 1**

I WILL APPRECIATE TAXPAYERS BUYING THEIR CAR TAGS AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE TIME, IN ORDER TO AVOID A LAST WEEK, OR LAST DAY RUSH. THANK YOU ONLY ONE LARGE TAG TO BE ATTACHED TO THE REAR OF THE VEHICLE.

**Garland Brown Tax Assessor and Collector**

**Health Officer Urge Care of Health**

Austin, Texas, Feb. 27.—With the tremendous drain on the medical profession in response to the needs of the armed forces there exists now a greater necessity than ever before for maintaining good health and avoiding any risks which might result in needless calls on the time and services of civilian doctors.  
Daily more and more doctors and nurses are going into the armed services or into full-time employment into industries so that industrial and defense plants may be kept at peak production. This situation of course develops a problem for civilian doctors and the solution of this problem will be to some extent in the hands of the general public according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.  
"Without imposing on the family doctor's time for needless calls and attention there is a real necessity for every individual to seek before he gets into the armed forces or into full-time employment in industries or in defense plants, regular medical advice on living habits and for thorough physical checkups, and it is important to have any illnesses treated properly," Dr. Cox said, "because if disregarded they may cause more serious trouble with resultant necessity for medical attention. The point I want to emphasize is that no one should thoughtlessly consume a doctor's time by insisting on his making a home call when an office visit or telephoned suggestions might suffice."  
Dr. Cox stated that lack of medical service has not reached an acute state in most cities but said that in some rural sections there is already a much greater shortage than is absolutely safe. It follows that everyone, both for his own and his country's sake should live sensibly to the end that maximum health should be maintained and avoidable home medical service be eliminated.  
Dr. Cox suggested the following rules for maintaining good health: eat nutritious foods; obtain sufficient rest and sleep at night; avoid debilitating and exhausting activities; keep the use of stimulants within sensible bounds; exercise daily; and avoid worry to the greatest extent possible.

# BEES NEED BUMBERSHOOTS?



They say that "bees never get caught in the rain." Maybe you claim you've seen different. But the changed natural light as a storm approaches is supposed to make bees get busy and fly home. They may be weather-wise or not. But you've simply got to be—for Spring weather demands an oil change in the car you cannot replace, and Conoco Nth motor oil will OIL-PLATE your engine for extreme resistance to wear—

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Then both worst causes of wear are curbed. And you're safer from lay-ups—junking—walking! Surely Conoco Nth is worth its slight extra cost. OIL-PLATE today. Continental Oil Company



## FRIO NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. Truett Allen and sons came and conducted a Sunday School Study Course beginning Thursday night and finishing Sunday night. They visited the Mobleys, Robbins, Littrell and Owen Andrews homes besides visiting others while taking religious census.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Sparkman were in Plainview on business on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Springer and Charles Ralph were in Silverton Monday and Tuesday visiting a brother, J. R. Steele of the U. S. Navy, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones and children of Dawn took dinner Sunday in the W. A. Springer home.

Those taking Sunday dinner with the J. C. Andrews were Mrs. Mobley and daughters and Don, Veradelle, Frances and Joe Edd Andrews.

Those taking dinner Sunday with W. S. Littrell's were Rev. and Mrs. Allen and sons Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobbs, and family, Leo Bednorz took supper there.

The community extends sympathy to the W. C. Towns family on the death of his mother last Sunday at Chillicothe. Mr. Towns had been at her bedside for a week. He was accompanied home Wednesday by his twin sister who lives in California. She stayed over a few hours here before continuing her journey home. The Towns also enjoyed visits from two of his brothers and families the latter part of the week.

The Lindleys spent Sunday visiting her parents, the Greensons, near Friona. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Bush and their son who is stationed with the army at Fort Sill, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Warrick and children. They all took supper with the Lindleys before the Bush and Warrick families went to the Bush home at Dalhart.

Club met with 18 present, with Mrs. Henry Dobbs on Wednesday. Those present were Mesdames Barnett, Burnett, Lindley, W. A. Springer, J. M. Dixon, Warrick, Lowery, Welch, Littrell, Wesley Brown, Honea, S. W. Anderson, Robbins, A. H. Brown, Yandell, Owen Andrews Miss Olevier and the hostess.

More than \$217 was given to the Red Cross at the Box Supper on Friday night. Other contributions are in addition. The quota was \$100.

Don't forget the school program next Friday night, March 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kimbro and children visited the George Springers on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mobley and son visited the Mobleys one day last week.

George Bowers, was home at the same time on a 7 day furlough. Pve. Bowers has been stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark, but is to report at Fort Ord after his visit.

Pvt. Leroy and Virgil Pohlmeier recently visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pohlmeier on 7 day furloughs. Leroy has been stationed at Camp Howse, Texas, and Virgil at Camp Robinson, Ark.

Pvt. Matt Gerber recently spent a 7 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Gerber. Pvt. Gerber has been stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark.

Joseph Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Hoelting, was baptised recently. His sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Florence Albracht.

The seniors sponsored a skating party Monday evening, March 12. A large crowd attended, and the class reported that it was a very successful party.

## WANT ADS

See E. D. Woodlee for Real Estate Loans. Loans of Six Thousand and under rate 4 1/2%. All over \$6,000.00 only 4%, no stock to be taken.

**NOTICE—LAND OWNERS**  
If you want to sell your land, we have the buyers. Write us a full description and the price, we will do the rest. We also have some good farms we can sell worth the money.

Wright and Moore  
Real Estate  
Bank Building  
Muleshoe, Texas

**FOR SALE—2200** good cane bundles, priced reasonable.  
5tp John Lilley  
9 miles Southwest of Hart

**FOR SALE—16x16 ft.** granary, good condition.  
W. A. Senter  
Flagg, Texas

**FOR SALE—I have a few more** Aberdeen Angus Bull calves for sale, weight 500 to 800 lbs. good ones.  
W. F. Mayfield

**FOR SALE OR TRADE—1** feather bed, mixed feathers, one pair springs, one coal brooder, 42 inch canopy, oil burner for wood stove and fruit and potato sieve.  
2tp C. C. Chance

**WANTED—5 or 6** good turkey hens for foundation stock.  
2tp J. C. Henderson  
Happy, Texas, Rt. 2

**FOR SALE—1/2 ton International** pickup, 4 new tires and tubes, rear tires 750-16, 8-ply, grain bed, motor fair condition. See  
4tp Virgil Cummings  
11 miles southwest of Dimmitt

**STRAYED—Spotted, dehorned,** young cow, half Jersey and half Guernsey.  
2tp B. J. Brannan

**FOR SALE—Good RCA cabinet** type radio. Inquire at  
2tp Dimmitt Drug Store

**FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk** cow. See  
Mrs. Cordye Birdwell  
at Higginbotham-Bartlett Co.

**WANTED—Wet wash** done in my home, 5 cents a pound and you furnish the soap.  
3tc Mrs. W. C. Johnston

**FOR SALE—3** good saddle horses, and one kid saddle.  
3tc Deroey Cates

**FOR SALE—One** Wheatland model L Tractor, one Ten ft. Angel One-way, One 38 Dodge Truck, good rubber.  
2tc Mrs. John Tate

**STRAYED—Brindle** bull, wt. about 550 lbs, strayed from my place Friday.  
1tc L. O. Waggoner  
8 mi south of Dimmitt

**STRAYED—A Red Mottled** faced heifer, tip of left ear cut off, has been at my farm for the past two months. Owner may recover heifer by paying for this ad and feed bill.  
3tp Mrs. Lizzie Birkenfeld  
7 1/2 miles southeast of Nazareth

**FOR SALE—32-volt Deleo** Light Plant, complete with engine and batteries. See,  
4tp Dick EMis  
at Burdine Farm, 9 mi south of Hereford.

**FOR SALE—Two Jersey Milk** cows giving 4 1/2 gallons each.  
1tp Joe Gollehon

**FOR SALE—Simmons** Bed with innerspring mattress, and steel slat springs. Also dressing table and piano. See,  
Mrs. Tom Bice

**LOST—On Highway** from Springlake, 1 cotton mattress, 4 feather pillows, 1 endgate off of Stock Trailer.  
1tp Bart Cowan,  
at the Coffee Shop

**FOR SALE—No. 10 International** Corn Sheller, a good one. Also 12 ft. Baldwin Combine with new motor.  
3tp Troy Maxwell

**FOR SALE—A good used** player piano.  
3tp Mrs. H. H. Houtchens

**FOR SALE—Good saddle** horse.  
1tp G. W. Bussey

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham returned home from Marlow, Okla., where they visited her sister, Miss Henry McMurry, and their son, Billy, who is stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

Mr. Jess Wright flew to House, N. M., Monday afternoon for a brief visit with his brother, Mr. S. N. Wright and family.

## CLEO H. D. CLUB NEWS

The Cleo Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. A. A. Dodd Wednesday afternoon, March 7, at 3 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by our president, Mrs. A. A. Dodd. The ladies of the Flagg Club met with us.

A short get-acquainted game was played after which the afternoon was turned over to Mrs. Goodwin Miller who had agreed to give us a book review. She gave us a beautiful review of an Englishman's view of the United States, its lands, peoples, and customs. We all enjoyed it very much.

## After the review the Club presented Mrs. Miller with a handkerchief and a lovely compact in appreciation.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, cookies and spiced tea was served to the following, Mrs. Goodwin Miller and Mrs. Marion Benton as special guests, Mrs. Andy Thompson, Mrs. Bradford, Mrs. Ginn, Mrs. Ott, Mrs. Vernon Simmons of the Flagg Club, Mrs. Ross Summers, Mrs. H. H. Houtchens, Mrs. Dick Greathouse and the hostess, Mrs. A. A. Dodd.

Our next Club meeting will be with Mrs. Dick Greathouse.  
Reporter

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## HAZARETH

Word was received March 12 by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kleman that their son, Pvt. Bob Kleman, was wounded in action in German on February 27.

**Successful Red Cross Drive**  
Andrew Acker, Community Chairman of the Red Cross Drive, has announced that the Nazareth Fund went over the quota shortly after the drive opened. The quota for the community was \$275, and the amount collected so far is \$348.50. Those collecting are Bona Kern, Ruth Ann Fehr, Myrtle

Acker, and Julia Birkenfeld.

Very Rev. G. A. Boeckman was given a food shower by the school children for his feast day on Monday, March 12. Father was called to the gym by the principal where the shower was arranged on the stage. Best wishes were presented in the name of the school by the vice-president of the Senior class. Father replied by giving the entire school a free day on Easter Monday.

**Army Nurse Gets Promotion**  
The relatives of Lt. Rita Miller have been notified that she has been promoted from second to

first Lieutenant. Lt. Miller is stationed in France serving as an Army nurse. She is a sister of 1st Lt. Viola Miller who is at present in Belgium. The latter has also been stationed in Northern Ireland, England, and France since going overseas in Aug., 1943. Her sister went over in Nov. 1944.

The NHS girls won over St. Mary's in a basketball game Sunday, March 11, in the school gym. The score was 45-23. The high scorers on the NHS team were Martnia Heck who scored 27 points and Julia Birkenfeld who scored 14.

Mrs. George Schacker, Sr. underwent a major operation in Lub. She returned home Tuesday, Feb. 13.

Mr. Tom Bowers visited at his home last week. He is employed on a government job. His son, Pvt.

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