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Here In HICO

NATURALLY we do not expect formal thanks for slight favors extended, neither do we always remember to thank our benefactors. But when on rare occasions we run across a person who is thoughtful enough to remember a good deed and give flowers to the living, we believe this worthy of telling to our readers.

In our mail last week was a letter from a newly married couple who live away from Hico now, but who are Hicoans nevertheless. They said in part:

"It was quite a surprise for us to start receiving the Hico News Review and not knowing the cause of the event, but after finding out the details we wish to show our appreciation by writing a letter of thanks.

"We have been receiving the paper regularly for the past six weeks, and have enjoyed reading it very much.

"Knowing your motive in this act, and to express our thanks more thoroughly, will do our best to help carry out your plan by subscribing for the paper about the time our subscription expires."

The expression of thanks is appreciated, and we assure the young folks that we had no motive in the act other than seeing that they got started off in married life right. There are no strings to the offer, and no one is expected to subscribe after the first year unless they really want the paper. Of course if they get used to reading it and can't do without it, we can't help that.

HERE'S the way the Valier (Mont.) Valerian looks upon the slogan of one of its exchanges, "All the news that's fit to print."

Well, the Valerian prints all the news whether it's fit to print or not. When we get our eye on a news item, does anyone imagine for a moment that we start looking it over for fallen arches, rheumatism or bone spavin, to determine whether or not it's fit? Not we. We put it in cold type and send it broadcast to an eager, anxious world.

When an item comes in by mail or telephone, do we start thumping our chest, sticking spoons six or eight inches down his throat and then command it to say "ah"? Far from it. We leap upon it with avidity of a squirrel scaling a nutmeg tree, and it is as good as printed right there.

When a country editor starts lying awake nights, or even just lying, trying to determine whether or not an item about Flick or Jones or an extra big rutabaga is "fit to print," he soon wears himself down to a mere skeleton and the undertaker begins greeting him with a hearty handclasp. There are plenty of other things an editor can take strychnine over without worrying himself sick over the split tenth of a degree of fitness any news item may contain.

So, if you have a news item, bring it in, phone it in or send it in, and if it isn't "fit to print" we will find a place where it will fit and print it anyway.

Here the old rule is reversed: Any news is good news.

THEN there's the article that appeared in a recent issue of Jack Hawkins' Groesbeck Journal, entitled "Tips to Correspondents" which contains a lot of good advice to those faithful workers who send in the news from various communities each week.

"Occasionally we get word that a community correspondent is showing discrimination in sending in community news. This is not the purpose of community letters, correspondents. Their purpose is to give us the real news of your community.

If we have correspondents who cannot get along well enough with the other folks in their communities to send in the whole community news, the fairest thing they could do is to resign and let someone else send in the news. Accidentally falling to report a piece of news and purposely falling are two different things.

Not a week passes that this editor doesn't miss some items that should be in the paper, but never purposely. Though it is our good fortune to love everybody and dislike nobody, we would include the dislikes in impartial news reports regardless of likes or dislikes.

We must request the same of our correspondents, for if there is someone you dislike, don't expect it to join you in your opinion of others. We had rather form our own. The real news about everybody is what this newspaper is after—no one person's particular set of friends."

JACK, after giving the above instructions to his correspondents, gives the following tips to readers:

"Readers in the various communities, as well as in Groesbeck, can be of assistance to the gatherers of news. Those representing

They Rule Supreme In Agriculture



Henry Morgenthau, Jr., (left) and Secretary of Agriculture, Henry A. Wallace, (right) are the two men who will rule supreme in federal activities to give relief to agriculture, as provided in President Roosevelt's farm measure. All farm and agriculture bureaus have been consolidated under the direction of one board with Mr. Morgenthau at its head, who will work directly with Secretary Wallace.

Hico Garden Club Organized Here In Meeting Wednesday

County Agent Nelson with Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Brentz Witte and Mrs. D. Bratton of the Hamilton Garden Club, met at the city hall in Hico Wednesday afternoon and organized a Garden Club, and the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. James Carmean; Vice-President, Mrs. Lawrence N. Lane; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. P. G. Hays; and Reporter, Mrs. E. F. Porter.

Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Mrs. Herbert Wolfe and Mrs. E. F. Porter were appointed to select a constitution for the club. A meeting will be held Wednesday, April 26, at the City Hall to make definite plans for the procedure of study to be carried out by the club.

Hico Contestants Off For District Meet at Brownw'd

Members of the Hico High School's track team, who made a good showing at the County meet at Hamilton a few weeks ago, will go to Brownwood today (Friday), to participate in the district meet, according to local sportsmen making up a fund Thursday to defray expenses, provided said fund is made up which seemed assured at the time.

The literary events will be held at the auditorium at Howard Payne College Friday night, and the track events on the athletic field at the college Saturday.

The Hico entrants last year made a good record, and were entitled to participate in the state meet held at Austin. It is hoped that the boys can do equally this year, and further add to the reputation Hico High School has for taking the lead in athletics.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, April 23.
9:45 a. m. Sunday School, Lusk Randall, Supt. Attendance last Sunday, 177. Goal for next Sunday, 225.

11 a. m. Morning worship: After Easter, What?

6:45 Senior Epworth League. Topic: "100 Percent American." Leader, Hector Hollis. Intermediate Epworth League. Topic: "Tools of Mind," a memory hour. Leader, Aeneas Alexander.

7:45 p. m. Evening Worship, "Back to Gallilee."

Monday, April 24—3 p. m. W. M. S. 4 p. m. Boys' and Girls' Club.

Wednesday, April 26, 7:45 p. m. Bible Study, "Judges."
W. P. CUNNINGHAM, Pastor.

The various communities as correspondents are doing so free of charge. They do it as a matter of pride in reporting the affairs of their community.

Other Journal readers are urged to assist with this news. Tell your correspondent the news. Remember, we do not regard community visitations as real news—but neighbor with another—but when some one visits you from outside the community, or you visit outside the community that is news.

Births, deaths, parties, fires, severe illness, church and school functions—all should be reported in the news of any community. If the correspondent of your community is failing to do this—instruct upon it."

Exchanging beef for rubber, a Pecos county home demonstration club family has re-shod its auto without employing cash. The family furnished the beef and did the canning, and the tire dealer furnished the cans. Both are pleased.

Demand For Coffee With Subscriptions Keeps Force Busy

The offer made by the News Review three weeks ago, to give a free can of coffee, worth 32c of anyone's money, with each yearly subscription taken in over the counter at the office has resulted in whole-hearted response on the part of the public.

The first allotment of 50 cans has been distributed to people of this territory according to the terms of the offer, and the News Review, in response to the demand, has completed arrangements for another 50 cans. Indications are that this will be the last lot that will be offered on the above basis, so those who are interested would do well to come in at once and get in on the bargain.

J. H. Latham, the sage of Dry Fork community, well known to Hico citizens for his habitual good humor and friendliness, thought he had the laugh on the News Review editor. Not long ago he stated in our presence that he had been in the dairy business for 15 years, and had nothing to show for his effort except a lot of empty sacks. He said he wanted to renew for the paper, but had nothing but sacks to pay for his subscription (anyone who knows him and has seen his bankroll knows that he was joking there). However, in order to be a sport, we told him to bring in some of his sacks, and we would give him credit for a year's subscription. Lo and behold, he drove up in front of the office last Thursday with two big bundles which he represented as enough sacks to pay for a dollar's worth of reading, and demanded a receipt. Here's where we got to him; it wasn't two hours until one of our office visitors saw the sacks and offered us two dollars for them. So everybody is happy now.

Mrs. C. A. Walton, city, subscriber for the News Review last week through the Hico News Stand for a period of six months. H. Smith, local agent for the Katy Railroad at Hico for the past hundred and fifty years, and subscriber to his home paper for a corresponding period, brought in his annual dollar last Friday and got a receipt.

Y. G. Stanley, Route 1, Hico, came in last Saturday to renew for the News Review for another year, also the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News. He got a prize in the form of a can of coffee for renewing under the rules of our free offer.

D. Booth, Route 1, was an office visitor Saturday, at which time he had his time marked up one year each on the News Review and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, and also received a free can of coffee.

While getting some news from Mrs. I. M. Hutchens Monday on the telephone, the society editor was requested to place their name on our subscription list. They have a sign of coffee waiting for them upon visiting the office.

J. R. McMillan, city tax assessor and collector, has so many things on his mind about this time of the year that he neglected a very important matter last week and consequently missed a copy of the paper. (We'll have to raise the salary of our circulation manager, for she's sure on the job.)

Anyhow, Mr. Mac wasn't going to let us get by with that, so brought in his check Saturday to pay for another year.

Dr. C. M. Hall came in Tuesday and handed us a new dollar bill to pay for a year's subscription to the News Review. He thanked us heartily for the can of coffee he received free with it.

R. S. Graves, Fredell, Route 2, who has been a reader of the News Review for a long time, didn't have occasion to come to Hico recently so sent his subscription in by a neighbor. We sent him out a can of coffee by the messenger, but thought afterward that we wouldn't mention it for we should have given them both a can, so they wouldn't get into an argument.

Joe W. Pittman, Stephenville, has been credited for another year's subscription since we received the order from Miss Jonnie Hutchinson this week.

S. F. Newsome, Fairy, and J. M. Blacklock of the same place have had their subscriptions extended through the postmaster, baseball reporter and general flunky of that village, W. E. Goyne.

J. W. Waldrop, Carlton, while in the office paying a small account for advertising, took advantage of our offer of a free can of coffee and renewed his subscription at the same time.

Dr. J. C. Terrell, Stephenville, who has many friends in and around Hico and Fredell whom he likes to hear from through the News Review, ordered his subscription entered while in Hico Tuesday evening.

M. Land, Hico Route 5, subscriber for the News Review for a year Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Land is a new reader of this paper, and we hope he is well pleased with his purchase.

E. M. Cavitt, will receive the News Review for six months as a gift from his niece, Miss Jessie Stegall, who also renewed the subscription of her mother at the same time.

Jobless Enlisting in Reforestation Service Army



Herewith is pictured the launching of the recruiting drive to enlist 250,000 unemployed for President Roosevelt's Reforestation Service plan. The enlistments are for 6 months duration for jobless between the ages of 18 and 25 years. They receive \$1 per day and the applications are passed upon by relief committees in the respective territories. One provision is that those given jobs shall assign at least three-fourths of their pay to dependents. Enlistments are made at army enlistment quarters following which those accepted are sent to army camps for conditioning after which they receive assignments by the Department of Labor. Photo No. 1 shows jobless making applications. No. 2 shows meals being served recruits from rolling army kitchens and No. 3 shows recruits off for conditioning camp.

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Crowds Expected At Glen Rose Friday For Annual Opening

J. E. Prendergast, editor of the Glen Rose Reporter, was in Hico last Friday afternoon, distributing literature advertising the annual opening to be held at Glen Rose San Jacinto Day, Friday, April 21st. He stated that elaborate plans were being made for this year's entertainment, and promised a full day and evening's entertainment to all those who might attend.

In another part of the paper will be found a display advertisement setting forth a part of the big day's program. In this connection it is announced that the day's events will open at 11 a. m. with a big street parade.

At 1:00 p. m. there will be music by the various bands, followed at 2:00 p. m. with speaking by state officials. From 3 to 4 p. m. there will be stazed a free horse show, with contenders for the title of the best equine numbers.

The Light Crust Doughboys, famous radio entertainers on the Burrus Mill & Elevator Co. hour over station WBAF, Fort Worth, will be on hand and give a concert starting at 4 p. m. From 4:30 to 5 Milton Brown and his Brownies will furnish jazz music.

Swimming, horseback riding and golfing will be offered at the parks for those who care to participate in these sports.

At night there will be dances at three of the parks. Out-of-town entries for the horse show are invited. Prizes will be given.

The Chamber of Commerce and individual merchants of Glen Rose have joined together in conducting an immense advertising campaign, and at this time the success of the opening day, which has been handicapped in the past by bad weather, seems assured.

Ancient Landmark Destroyed by Fire Saturday Morning

If the history of the structure known as the Carpenter Hotel, directly east of the Hico Poultry & Egg Co., could be obtained, the details would doubtless furnish interesting reading in connection with the account of the fire which destroyed this old landmark early Saturday morning. But at this time no one has been found who remembers the date it was built or other surrounding details.

Shortly before 4 o'clock last Saturday morning the fire sirens began their mournful wailing, which continued until the blaze was at its height. The firemen and equipment were called to the Carpenter House, owned and operated by Mrs. Mollie Carpenter, where it was found that a conflagration had made such headway that efforts to extinguish it were to no avail, and it was considered fortunate that surrounding property was saved from destruction.

Mrs. Carpenter carried insurance on the building to the extent of \$1,000, and on her furniture to the sum of \$250, according to a statement by the local agent who carried her policies.

OATES & SON LOW BIDDERS ON NEW FEDERAL BUILDING FOR ERATH COUNTY SEAT

(Stephenville Empire-Tribune) C. S. Oates & Son, building contractors with headquarters at Abilene, was notified Wednesday that the bid submitted by them was low on the construction of the federal postoffice building in Stephenville. The figures submitted by Oates were not learned. A large number of builders and contractors from all parts of the country were bidders on the project.

Mr. Oates, well known in Stephenville and this area, was here Thursday conferring with laboring people, supply houses and expressing the hope that he would be able to get construction on the project started about the 15th of May or not later than June 1. The contract will have to be submitted to him and signed, bonds executed and many other details completed before work can begin.

So far as is known here Oates was the only local contractor bidding on the job. There may be several sub-contracts awarded, such as plumbing, wiring, excavation, etc., yet the general contract will be under the supervision of Oates. Incidentally, people in Stephenville are more than pleased to see him awarded the job, not alone for the fact that he at one time lived here, but because of his ability as a builder. Many of the most imposing structures in this section of Texas were erected under his supervision. The first large building constructed at Tarleton College was under the contract of Oates & Sullivan.

As quickly as the contract is executed Mr. Oates says that no time will be lost in starting work.

Interest Increasing In Carlton Stock And Poultry Show

Plans are rapidly being made for Carlton's 51st. Annual Stock and Poultry Show, to be held May 6th, according to advice coming from that thriving center. The officers of the association seem greatly pleased over the prospects of having the biggest show this year they have ever had despite adverse financial conditions.

Requests for information continue to come from other places, which is a good indication that an unusually large number of entries will be made.

People of this section are requested to plan how to bring their prize cattle, poultry and other entries, and reminded that never was there a more opportune time to express confidence in the future growth of the town and community.

The officers of the association and the people of Carlton in general are to be commended on the progressiveness and industry, as evidenced by the announcement that the show will go on as usual this year, and that plans are being made to stage a show that will be bigger and better than ever. They deserve the united support of every individual who believes in progress and who still thinks there is an incentive for sticking around on this old earth.

Keeping Up With TEXAS

Hunter Farrell has been found guilty of sowing Johnson grass on the farm of his former wife, Mrs. Mary Alice Farrell, west of Plano. He was fined the maximum penalty of \$1,000. The Farrells were divorced in District Court at McKinney in 1928.

Double funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. C. E. Johnson, 40, and her mother, Mrs. Ellen Sandifer, 70, who were killed Sunday at their home in Mexia when Mrs. Johnson struck a match to light a heater and accumulated gas exploded. Mrs. Johnson is survived by her husband and three daughters.

Agricultural loans made by the regional agricultural credit corporation at Fort Worth since January 1 have aggregated \$246,992, figures released Monday showed. The average of the 1456 loans for farm purposes was \$169. The figures do not include \$1,496,507 in loans for live stock purposes since last fall, nor agricultural loans made by the Houston and San Angelo branches.

A joint resolution calling for issuance of \$20,000,000 in State bonds for relief work was introduced in the Texas Senate Monday. It provides for an election on July 15, this year, for an amendment to the Constitution authorizing issuance of the bonds, and bears interest at not more than 4-1-2 per cent a year.

Representative and Mrs. O. E. Cross of Waco have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Augusta Cross, to Midshipman Clinton J. Heath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Heath of Napoleon, N. D., who will graduate this June from the United States Naval Academy. Born at Waco, Miss Cross attended the Hockaday School at Dallas and the Ogoutz School in Philadelphia. Last year she studied art at the Corcoran School of Art in Washington, D. C. No date has been set for the wedding.

At least 25 camp sites have been picked in Texas for reclamation to the Washington Government to carry out the conservation act recently passed by Congress and plans for selection and establishment of 60 camps for so-called reforestation workers in this State are being rapidly pushed, with state and national officials and citizens' committees co-operating. It constitutes the most extensive reclamation job ever undertaken in Texas and at the start will put to work 12,000 men.

Caution of a taxicab driver averted an impetuous attempt to a young woman to commit suicide late Saturday night in Dallas. W. R. Cook, 4236 Keating, the driver, answered a call to an East Dallas apartment about midnight. His fare was a well-dressed young woman. She directed him to drive to the east shore of White Rock Lake near a little bridge. Arriving at the spot, the cab driver was ordered by his passenger to forget when and where he had picked her up or dropped her. His curiosity aroused, Cook drove his car a short distance down the road, parked and walked back. He found the woman removing her clothing. He ran forward and grabbed her just as she was about to leap from the bridge railing. The driver then persuaded the young woman to put her clothes on, and drove her to police headquarters. Police called her parents and took her home.

On orders from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, H. T. Odneal, Ranger Captain, and Bert Whisman, Ranger Sergeant, spent last week in Panhandle rounding up cattle thieves who had been victimizing ranchers.

A new baby was coming to an Amarillo home. Pennies had to be counted—and saved. The baby arrived Monday and the attending physician was paid with 3,500 pennies. They were wrapped in rolls of 100 each and were handed to the physician in a covered lead can in which they had been kept. They weighed 24 pounds; the baby, a girl, weighed nine.

With the aid of X-ray pictures, doctors Tuesday were following the progress of a safety pin moving through the stomach of six-months-old David Ray Follis. They planned to operate if it becomes lodged. The baby, after swallowing one pin, was in the act of gulping down another when his mother found him. They live at San Marcos.

A blinding dust storm late Wednesday caused a highway accident in which W. D. Shelton of Littlefield, was killed. Dust prevented the driver of the truck in which he and two other men were riding from seeing a turn in the road near Silverton and the vehicle turned over.

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Cards of thanks, obituaries and resolutions of respect will be shared at the rate of one cent per word. Display advertising rates will be given upon request.

Hico, Tex., Friday, April 21, 1923.

GOVERNMENT BY GRANDMOTHERS

Every nation is governed by its leisure class. That is to say, by the people who have nothing else to do but govern. If the United States and its governmental units are governed by politicians, that is because we have got the habit of paying better salaries to professional politicians than men of equal ability can earn in private business, and so we have created a leisure class which rules us.

But we have another and larger leisure class, which is beginning to come into its own. That is the grandmotherly class of the nation. Time was when a grandmother was thought of as having fulfilled her earthly duties and as having no occupation left but to prepare for the next world. But that time is long past. Grandmothers today are among the most active classes in public life and affairs; not actually grandmothers, all of them, to be sure, but women of the maturity and experience of life which distinguishes the grandmother type.

We are thinking at the moment of the announcement from Washington that Mrs. Nellie Ross, formerly Member of Congress from Wyoming, is to be appointed treasurer of the United States, which capacity, among other things, she will have her name on all United States money. We are thinking of Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the famous "Commoner," an actual grandmothers, who is to be, we hear, Assistant Secretary of State. We think, too, of Mrs. Wilson, who goes by her maiden name of Frances Perkins and is Secretary of Labor in the President's Cabinet. These ladies, and many others in public life, are symptoms of an approaching government by grandmothers.

It may be objected that we have had experience with plenty of "old women" in the Senate and elsewhere, although not of the feminine sex. But, seriously, who that knows anything about grandmothers could object to having them run the Government. The great thing about grandmothers, as we see it, is that they know so much more about the real things of life, about human nature and how it works, than the rest of us do. It's hard to fool a grandmother; she has had too much experience with men and women and children to be imposed upon easily. And when it comes down to thrift, to keeping the house in order and saving every available penny, we would rather trust a Congress of grandmothers than a Congress of young men, any time.

Some rest one-third of the votes at the last election. We would be willing to give the women—the grandmothers especially—two-thirds of the offices.

PUTTING CITY MEN OUTDOORS The great value of President Roosevelt's plan for putting a quarter of a million young men at work in outdoor labor, of a kind which is somewhat vaguely referred to as "forestry," seems to us to be that it will probably save most of these men from becoming bums.

As we understand the plan only these between 18 and 25 years old and having some dependent relatives were accepted at first. They applied at an Army recruiting station, armed with a letter from some recognized local relief or welfare association, testifying to their worthiness as objects of relief. They were then put through a physical examination at the recruiting station.

Those who passed these preliminary tests were required to enlist for six months, signing an agreement to perform whatever duties they might be assigned to and not to destroy any Government property. They then went at once on the payroll, at the rate of one dollar a day with food, clothing and shelter included. Each recruit, however, was required to sign an assignment of part of his pay, approximately three-quarters of it, to the dependent wife, mother, sister or brother, to be paid direct to the beneficiary.

The recruits of this Army of Peace were then sent to the nearest military post for a period of "conditioning," which includes regular exercise and drill, instruction in taking care of their bodies while living in the open, amenability to discipline and the building up of their physical stamina. This conditioning was expected to take from four to six weeks. When completed the men are sent in squads to the places where they are to labor on public works.

Presumably it will be in the various National Forests, though there is talk of the Government buying a million acres or so of unclaimed land and putting these men to work on that.

It seems to us that the actual work accomplished is of less importance than the building up of the men who do it, getting them into the habit of hard work, enabling them to contribute something however slight, to the support of others, and taking them off the city streets into the wholesome outdoors.

We shall watch this experiment with interest.

RACIAL HATREDS

"We are a white race and a Negro race here together—we are here to live together. The world at this time and in many lands is showing intolerance and showing hate. It seems sometimes that love has almost deserted the human bosom. It seems that hate has taken its place. It is only for a time, gentlemen because in the great things in life no matter what they are, it is God's great principles, matters of eternal right, that alone live. Wrong dies and truth forever lasts, and we should have faith in that."

It was an Alabama judge who said that, a white man, a gentleman of the oldest American stock. Judge Horton, in charging the jury, was speaking only of the exhibitions of race prejudice in the course of the trial of the unfortunate Negroes who were convicted of assaulting two white women at Scottsboro, but he might have been speaking for and to all the world.

Not in many years perhaps not in centuries, have there been such violent outbreaks of racial hatreds as have been manifesting themselves in these troublous times. In Germany the Nazi government has proclaimed its hatred of the Jews to the point of barring them from almost every phase of the national life. Between the Germans and the Poles hatred is so intense that when the shadow of a German flag, on the Polish border, fell upon Polish soil, there was an indignant protest by the Polish government! The Italian people are developing a new national pride which has racial intolerance as its foundation. And we do not need to point to the racial hatreds which have barred the Orientals from Australia and the United States.

We do not by any means advocate opening the doors to all sorts and conditions of men, but we do believe that these racial hatreds are a step backward and not forward in the world's progress. We believe that it is possible for all the peoples of the world to get along amicably, since we are all in the world and can't get out of it. It is impossible, because of the stirring up of racial hatreds by prejudiced or malicious interests, then we can see nothing ahead but a complete collapse of return to the Dark Ages when civilization as we know it and a very man's hand was turned against his brother.

WHAT GRANDDAD DIDN'T HAVE

(Farm and Ranch) Two opinions are held concerning the mechanical development of the past half century—one that machinery is a curse because it robs men of jobs; the other that it is a blessing because it brings its products down within the reach of a greater number of people. Maybe within another fifty years we can resolve this dispute and get a categorical answer; now all we know for certain is that thousands of "things" undreamed of by our granddads are necessities of everyday life. His tallow candles and kerosene lamps, his rambling wagon, his fleet horses, his muzzle-loading cap-and-ball gun, and a thousand other accessories of life have acquired competitors and substitutes that are so much more efficient that the former are either obsolete or obsolescent.

Despite the poets who sing of the simple life none of them wish to practice; there are no Thoreaus contemplating Nature by Walden Pond; John Burroughs was the last of his type, who loved the winds in the trees and the songs of birds, better than steam heat, electric lights, a telephone and a corner grocery within five minutes walk. Human nature has not changed, but human desires are never satisfied. Nobody wanted a phonograph before Edison invented one, for nobody had ever seen or perhaps ever imagined one, except Edison himself.

It was the wonder of his generation, although the telephone and

The Modern Miracle

By Albert T. Reid



ation, although the telephone and the incandescent light came within a brief period, none of them until the late 1870's. Their development to present standards of perfection is the work of our contemporaries. The first satisfactory long-distance telephone connection from St. Louis to Texas is only a score of years behind us. Long-distance transmission of electric light and power is even younger, and the individual farm light plant is about the same age.

Invention and manufacture serve to create new wants as well as to supply them. The want may be ages old or it may spring out of supplying other wants. When automobiles began to ramble with a degree of success, the horseless carriage of a hundred years ago dreaming became a reality. But shortly the owner, who maybe had never thought of evading the little task of cranking the motor, found a self-starter offered by the inventor, and the said owner immediately found a new "want"—his car must be equipped with a self-starter.

And the farmer, plodding heavily behind the plow, began to have visions of a plow that would hold and guide itself, besides furnishing him a seat to ride on. Tedding the hay with a pitchfork bred a desire for a more rapid and less laborious method. The threshing machine which separated the grain from straw and chaff was a wonderful machine for a time, but those who choked on the dust at the feeding end and got chaff and beads down their necks taking the straw from the elevator-stack were yet to have their relief through self-feeding apparatus and the pneumatic blower, so flexible that it could be made to stack the straw itself.

Let us take a cursory view of the past half century, and see what it has yielded in social and economic innovations. The list may be far from complete, and the items included are listed with out reference to their intrinsic values, if any.

The cream separator, and the Babcock test for butter fat, which made possible the marketing and manufacture of dairy products on a large scale. Innumerable improved farm implements from cultivation to cotton pickers.

Gasoline engines and all their progeny—automobiles, tractors, trucks, home light and power plants, water pressure systems, home refrigeration, electric irons, vacuum cleaners, milking machines and many others.

Crude oil burners for heating and cooking. Kerosene and gas stoves, compressed gas. All these came as a result of the great discovery of supplies of petroleum and natural gas, and the development of refining processes by which we get gasoline, kerosene, lubricating oils, petroleum jelly (vaseline), paraffine wax, and asphalt.

The repeating rifle is little more than fifty years old, but the pump shotgun, the automatic pistol and the machine gun are comparatively new.

The discovery that a certain species of tick is the intermediate carrier of splenic fever in cattle led to the discovery that malaria and yellow fever are carried by certain kinds of mosquitoes, that typhoid is carried along with bubonic plague by fleas, etc. Science then showed the way to the conquest of many diseases which had taken toll of mankind almost with no hindrance for ages past.

Vaccines are now used to prevent diphtheria, typhoid and various other diseases besides smallpox, for which vaccination was first used in 1796.

Fifty years ago "consumption" (tuberculosis) was regarded as incurable and was usually fatal in a few months, or at most a few years. Today its presence may be detected before it secures a deep hold, and the patient is frequently entirely cured by natural methods, mainly by diet, rest and sunshine.

The radio, the moving picture and television grew out of our mastery of electricity, light and sound. Beginning with the magnetic telegraph, the incandescent electric light, the phonograph and the telephone. The telegraph dates from 1844, but the three last achievements are all less than sixty years old.

The development of Pasteur's and Koch's discoveries in the origin and nature of disease has revolutionized the practice of medicine, within the half century, and with Roentgen's X-ray, Mme. Curie's radium and other new discoveries too numerous to mention, the physician is better armed for the fight with disease than Old Doc Saddlebag ever dreamed.

corn breeder puts the yellow and its vitamins in a white corn with out changing its other characters, or adds "sugar to taste" to ordinary field corn.

Fifty years ago insects and plant diseases took heavy toll of crops, and little could be done about it. The grasshopper plagues which like the locusts of Egypt were looked upon as a visitation of God, are now controlled by simple poisons and the co-operation of the people who are threatened. Other pests and most foliage diseases are now controllable by spraying and dusting, or in some cases by the use of other insects to eat up the destroyers.

The cotton boll weevil and the pink boll worm had never been heard of by our granddads. The former has been with us only forty years, and the latter only fifteen. The boll weevil has been brought into a high degree of control, but the pink boll worm, the most dangerous and destructive of all cotton pests, stands as a perennial threat along our borders. It has been driven back to the borders, only by the most intensive organization and at great expense, and is being held there only by unrelenting watchfulness.

Invasions of other diseases and pests—Mediterranean fruit fly in Florida, Mexican or Morelos fruit fly in Texas, citrus canker in both States, have all been successfully combated by State and Federal organizations and the co-operation of the people. Fifty years ago the fever tick had not been recognized in carrying splenic fever; forty years ago his way extended over two-thirds of Texas and nearly half of Oklahoma, all Louisiana, and more than half of Arkansas. Science and co-operation have driven him entirely out of several States, while in Texas and Oklahoma only a few counties still harbor this deadly menace to the whole cattle industry.

The principles of sanitation, the purification of water supplies, the screening of homes against mosquito and fly disease carriers, and the discovery of the causes and treatment of pellagra, hookworm, and many other diseases; the discovery of vitamins, their functions, and their sources; all these and much else bearing upon health and happiness have been made available to country and city alike; infant mortality has been greatly decreased, and the average life expectancy has been raised.

The past half century has been an age of progress whose history could be compressed in no less than a library. With the new understanding and the new implements at his hand, the individual of today is as far in advance of his grandfather as his grandfather was of Louis XIV.

BRUCE BARTON

Writes of "THE MASTER EXECUTIVE"

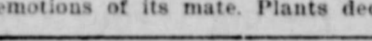
Supplying a week-to-week inspiration for the busy business man who will find every human trial paralleled in the experience of "The Man Nobody Knows."

A "MANY-SIDED" MAN

Jesus was, as we say, "many-sided," and every man sees the side of his nature which appeals most to himself.

The doctor thinks of the great physician whose tongue never failed, who by some mystery pre-coded modern science in its still imperfect knowledge of the relation of the spirit to health. The preacher studies the Sermon on the Mount and marvels that truths so profound should be expressed in words so clear and simple. The agitator remembers only that he denounced the rich; and the communist that his disciples carried a common purse. Lawyers have written in praise of his pleading at his trial; and the literary critics of every age have cheerfully acknowledged his mastery.

I am not a doctor, or lawyer or critic but an advertising man. As a profession advertising is young; as a force it is as old as the world. The first four words ever uttered, "Let there be light," constitute its charter. All Nature is vibrant with its impulse. The brilliant plumage of the bird is color advertising addressed to the emotions of its mate. Plants deck themselves with blossoms, not for beauty only, but to attract the patronage of the bee and so by spreading pollen on its wings, to insure the perpetuation of their kind.



Bruce Barton

The spacious finement on high, And all the blue ethereal sky, And spangled Heavens a shining frame.

Their great Original proclaim. It has been remarked that "no astronomer can be an atheist," which is only another way of saying that no man can look up at the first and greatest electric sign—the evening stars—and refuse to believe its message: "There is a Cause: A God." I propose in the next few articles to speak of the advertisements of Jesus which have survived for twenty centuries and are still the most potent influence in the world.

Let us begin by asking why he was so successful in mastering public attention and why, in contrast, his churches are less so? The answer is twofold. In the first place he recognized the basic principles that all good advertising is news. He was never trite or commonplace; he had no routine. If there had been newspapers in those days, no city editor could have said, "No need to visit him to-day; he will be doing just what he did last Sunday." Reporters would have followed him every single hour, for it was impossible to predict what he would say or do; every action and word were news. I repeat, Jesus had no routine. He was never trite or commonplace.

Sunday School Lesson

by Rev. Charles E. Dunn

Jesus Rebukes Self-Seeking Lesson for April 23rd. Mark 9:30-50 Golden Text: Romans 13:10

All of us crave popularity. It is human to seek recognition. But it is foolish to scramble for it. The disciples, in their quarrel as to who was the greatest, and therefore entitled to the honors of rank and precedence, form a sorry picture.

Jesus, with characteristic directness, at once plunged to the root of the whole issue. Greatness, he insisted, is not the fruit of the aggressive seizure of power, but of its renunciation. "If anyone wishes to be first, he must be last of all and servant of all."

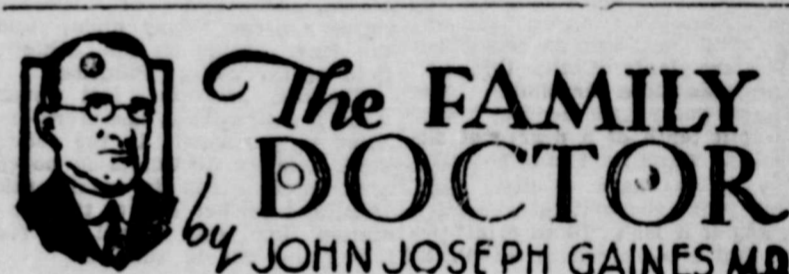
This means that the humble, obscure workman behind the scenes, an unheralded hero never in the limelight, never responding to a certain call with its ringing applause, may be, by God's standard, first in value and esteem.

He it is who, when the kingdom of heaven is established, will be called from his inconspicuous position to a post of leadership.

Then the Master gave a concrete demonstration of this principle. Taking a little child, he placed him in their midst, embraced him, and then uttered those memorable words, "Whoever for my sake receives one such young child as this, receives me." That child, with its trustful eyes so full of wonder, its innocence, its beauty, its simple faith, unspooled by the sordid, selfish brutalities of our blighted world, both rebuked the grasping disciples, and gave them a needed lesson.

Was Jesus mistaken in His glorification of the child? No! Indeed, Havelock Ellis maintains that the average man of genius, both in physique and temperament is childlike. "The progress of our race," he says, "has been a progress in youthfulness."

One other saying of the Master in this lesson deserves careful study. It is the declaration, "He who is not against us is for us." How large-hearted! How generous! How we find the secret of the Master's superb tolerance and magnanimity.



The FAMILY DOCTOR

by JOHN JOSEPH GAINES M.D.

YOUR PHYSICIAN

"Doctor, what's the matter with me?"

"Can you cure it?"

These two questions make the "horns" of the dilemma in every case treated or applying for treatment. Both questions are of the highest importance for the doctor and patient.

A doctor may know exactly what the trouble is—he may be the best of diagnosticians—yet he may be sadly deficient in his knowledge of the best remedies for the disease; so broad and deep is the science of medicine! I believe there are hundreds—thousands of patients treated and cured—when the diagnosis was absolutely a mistaken one. How? Well, the skillful doctor treated the important SYMPTOMS.

The best doctor strives to be equal to the answer to both of

the questions at the head of this letter; happy the physician that can truthfully answer both.

Suppose the doctor cannot accurately diagnose the case—yet believes he has done so; I'd trust that doctor anywhere. Why? Just because he knows what remedy to apply for the symptoms.

I would be perfectly willing for a doctor to treat me who knows well the action of the medicine he uses; he knows the cause that will bring about the effect. A good physiologist is a good doctor; the man who knows healthy life is quick to recognize any departure from it. Physiology is the science of life.

I am not so devilish particular about a technical diagnosis; I do not care how many red cells a man has, just so I know he is anemic. Now laugh, if you want to!

Bud 'n' Bub ODDS AND ENDS By Ed Kressy



Local Happenings

Vaden Miles spent the past few days at Decatur with friends.

H. B. Gordon of Hamilton was a Hico visitor last Friday.

Morris Harelik spent Sunday in Hamilton with relatives.

A. T. McFadden and Leon Rainwater were business visitors in Waco Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verdie W. Miles were week end guests of her parents at Rockwall.

B. D. Corrigan of Hamilton was a business visitor here last Friday.

Douglas Standifer of Clifton was a visitor with friends here Monday.

Miss Mary Beth Norwood was a week end guest of her mother and brother in Marlin.

P. G. Anderson and I. O. Scott of Gatesville were business visitors in Hico Thursday.

J. W. Waldrop of Carlton was here Tuesday visiting his son and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Duzan Blackburn of Lampasas were here Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Harry Alexander of Wichita Falls is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aycock.

Misses Loraine and Lucille Segrist of Dallas were Easter holiday guests of their mother, Mrs. Sue Segrist.

Hemstitching at the Ross Shop. (43-tf)

Parke, Davis & Co's. genuine Kresco Dip No. 1 can now be bought at Porter's Drug Store for only \$1.25 per gallon.

Kal and Cecil Segrist of Dallas were in Hico Wednesday on business and visiting their mother, Mrs. Sue Segrist.

Mrs. C. P. Coston and little son, Thomas Ray, spent a few days this week in Clifton with relatives.

Miss Virginia Evans, a student of Baylor College at Belton, was a week end guest of Miss Marie Pirtle.

Miss Maurine Rushing returned to her home in Dallas Saturday after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hutchens.

Mrs. Lillian Taylor spent the latter part of last week in Waco with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meador.

Roy Meador and wife of Waco spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. L. Taylor, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vine Meador.

Mrs. C. T. Steussy of Austin was here the first of the week visiting her brother, John M. Aft, Sr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rhoades have returned home from a visit with relatives at Mexia and Groesbeck.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. (Skinney) Tidwell at their home here Tuesday night, weighing 8 3/4 lbs. Both mother and son are doing nicely. Mrs. Tidwell was formerly Miss Opal Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leeth and children of Hamilton were here Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leeth and her mother, Mrs. James M. Phillips.

Mrs. E. F. Porter and daughter Martha spent the week end in Fort Worth with Mrs. Porter's mother, Mrs. J. A. Shannon, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Copeland of Mineral Wells came over Wednesday after their daughter, Miss Johnnie Copeland, who spent the past ten days here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Boyd of Dallas were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Hutchens. They are an uncle and aunt of Mrs. Hutchens.

G. L. Phillips returned the latter part of last week from Sweetwater where he spent several days. He is a brother of Mrs. Elmer Horton.

LET'S SWAP
I will take in exchange for first class Dental work, any kind of livestock, feed stuff or anything of value. What have you?—DR. V. HAWES, the home dentist, Hico. 43-tf.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen and son of Fort Worth spent a part of last week here visiting in the A. A. Fewell home. Mrs. Allen's mother resides with Mr. and Mrs. Fewell.

Mrs. C. C. Cleveland and Mrs. Clyde Stapleton of Hamilton were here last Friday for a short visit with Mrs. Forsy. enroute home from Fort Worth where they visited relatives.

C. L. Lynch Jr. left Saturday morning for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where he is employed by an automobile agency. Bill Johnson, formerly of Hico, is employed by the same concern.

Mrs. C. M. Langham and children and Mr. and Mrs. Will Autrey spent the week end in San Antonio visiting Mr. Langham who is in a hospital for treatment. They reported that he is improving.

Mrs. C. Carpenter has returned home from points in Oklahoma where she visited relatives. She was called back upon receipt of a message stating that her home was destroyed by fire here Friday night.

Mrs. Lawrence Adams and little daughter of Carlton spent the latter part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Cashon, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Poteet, coming over Saturday night and returning home Sunday.

Miss Mary Smith, a student of John Tarleton College at Stephenville, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith. She was accompanied by Miss Inez Sellers of Big Spring, who is also a student of Tarleton, and who was her guest here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clepper, two daughters, and son, Alvin, of the Honey Grove community, were week end guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Paul Rexroat at Gordon. Mr. and Mrs. Rexroat are the proud parents of a little daughter, Eleanor Sue, who arrived in their home last Friday, April 14, weighing 6 1/2 lbs. Mrs. Rexroat was formerly Miss Bettie Clepper of the Honey Grove community.

PALACE THEATRE Friday and Saturday

Another sensational headliner, it's facts, not fiction, and deals with the political machine of our Nation's Business. Don't miss it. "THE BILLION DOLLAR SCANDAL" with Robert Armstrong and Constance Cummings.

Paramount Comedy Just 10c-15c

Coming next week—THE WILD HORSE MESA.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Sanders and children of Waco spent Saturday night here visiting her mother, Mrs. James M. Phillips and other relatives.

Miss Doris Sellers and Miss Mary Louise Wadley, students of T. C. U., Fort Worth, and Mrs. H. L. Barber also of Fort Worth were week end guests of Miss Sellers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sellers. Miss Wadley's home is in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Strong and son of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Dine Farmer and son of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Faris and Cheate Webb of Waco were here Sunday visiting their mother, Mrs. R. J. Farmer, and sister and brother, Mrs. Hurschel Williamson and Johnnie Farmer and families.

Dry Fork
By
OPAL DRIVER

A nice crowd of young folks spent Sunday afternoon hunting Easter eggs at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver. Those who won prizes for finding the three hidden prize eggs were, Miss Opal Driver, Sam Tudor and Oran Columbus.

Several persons of this community enjoyed the play at Greyville Monday night.

Miss Alene Stark is spending a few days with Miss Chestena Gordon of the Olin community.

Miss Dorothy Box was a guest of Miss Artie Columbus Sunday.

Rev. L. P. Thomas preached here Sunday afternoon. There was a nice attendance.

Those who were dinner guests in the G. C. Driver home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gordon and family, Orval Bell, Edward Hillhouse and Eldredge Robinson.

Uncle Jim Driver of Fort Worth has been visiting here with relatives and friends.

A party was given Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Box.

Miss Alma Douglas and brother Erwin, were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Si Johnson and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables and son spent Sunday in the G. H. Ables' home.

Miss Rosa Lee Lambert and Herman Driver attended the singing at Dublin Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver and family, Grandmother Columbus and Uncle Jim Driver visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables and son.

Fairy By FAIRY CORRESPONDENTS

Seems from all indications now we might receive rain in the near future which would be very beneficial to gardens and crops after so much high winds for the past week.

Due to the Easter cold snap last Friday we did not get to have our cemetery working. Some twenty or thirty men met and worked a few hours and decided it would be best to postpone the working two weeks which will be Friday, April 28th. Tell your friends and neighbors and come be with us on this occasion.

Rev. McCaleb and wife of Clifton were visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russ Brummitt. Rev. McCaleb delivered a fine Easter sermon at the Church of Christ Sunday at 11 and also another sermon Sunday night. He is a former pastor of the Church here and of course we just had to have him preach for us while here. In his sermon Sunday at 11, he took up the life of Christ from a babe in a manger to His death on the cross and resurrection which was very interesting. We surely appreciated his visit and hope to have him and his wife with us again in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Grimes and children, Edward and Norma Ruth of Falls Creek were guests Sunday in the home of his mother, Mrs. B. A. Grimes.

Uncle Sam Clark and his men have been doing some much needed work on the Fairy and Hamilton road just west of town. This road is one of the three leading into our little village which becomes almost impassable during bad weather. We hope they will see fit to gravel bad places in the other two in the near future for the work is much needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams and little daughter, Francis Marlene, of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Poteet and Mrs. Minnie Cashon of Hico were guests Sunday afternoon in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Heral Richardson.

Miss Velma Sills spent the week end in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lackey.

Mrs. A. J. Miller of the Agee community was visiting with Mrs. B. A. Grimes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Della Seago of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hartgraves were guests Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison.

Messrs. Henry Grimes, W. F. Clayton, John Ables and Herbert Pitts attended the singing convention at Dublin last Sunday. They report hearing some fine singing.

Messlames Russ Brummitt and J. O. Richardson entertained their Sunday school classes with an Easter Egg hunt Sunday afternoon at the hospitable home of Mrs. Brummitt. After all the guests had arrived, Miss Maggie Brummitt assisted by Messlames G. E. McCaleb and J. O. Richardson, slipped quietly away from the kiddies to the foot of a hillside near the home where bunches of soft prairie grass made ideal places for hiding of the Easter candies.

The children, numbering about twenty had their baskets and hats ready when the summons came for their appearance on the ground, and at the signal, "ready" all were soon scattered and all the Easter candies were soon in their baskets and other containers. After returning to the house, the youngsters were demanded to form a line, turn from the crowd

and put one hand behind them, the hostesses passing along and placing a candy sucker in each little hand. They were then allowed to go on their way rejoicing. Later the ladies served home-baked cake and lemonade to the following: Rev. and Mrs. G. E. McCaleb, Mrs. Byrd Slater and little son, Thomas of Slaton, who are visiting relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Brummitt, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Anderson and two children, Russell Lee and Thelma, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Anderson and little daughter, Barbara. Mrs. Vernard Campbell of Fort Worth, who is also visiting here and was before her marriage Miss Vera Kavanaugh, Mrs. E. M. Hoover and three children, Daphne, Darwin and Patsy Ann, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson and children, James Dudley and Charlene, little Jack Anderson and Joe Betts, Billie D. Blakley and two brothers, Misses Johnnie and Wynell Backlock, Katherine and Hazel Slater, Lorene Pitts, Pauline Anderson, Maggie, Geraldine and Nellie B. Brummitt, Mr. and Mrs. Brummitt and son, Woodward and Oscar Graves all spent a most enjoyable afternoon.

We were very sorry to learn Tuesday of this week of the critical condition of Horace Rowe who was seriously injured in Waco. He is in a Waco hospital suffering from a fractured skull and other injuries. We have not learned how he was injured, but presumed it was while he was riding his motorcycle. His mother and sister Miss Geraldine left immediately for his bedside. It is reported he will have to undergo an operation in a few days if he survives. We sincerely hope he isn't as seriously injured as thought, and that he will soon be able to return home.

Our regular P.-T. A. meeting will be held tonight (Friday). All are invited to attend.

Mrs. A. R. Hoover visited Mrs. Jake Ogle Monday afternoon.

Home Economics Entertainment.
The Home Economics Class of Fairy High School entertained the Seniors and a number of their fellow students and the faculty with a forty-two party at the Home Economics Building last Wednesday evening, April 12th.

Every guest was given his number as he entered, and soon the room was full of happy voices. The games continued until almost ten o'clock when delicious ice cream and cake were served by the girls. Soon all went away saying that they had had a most delightful evening. High score was won by Mr. Loy Jones and Dalton Akin, while C. G. Hartgraves and W. E. Goynes tied for the booby prize.

Those present were Misses Leona Mae Jameson, Geraldine Burden, Annie Lillian Shipman and Roby Lee Allison; Messrs. Truman Akin, Dalton Akin, Arnold Gleason, Harold Jones, E. C. Allison, Calvin Anderson, J. W. Blakley, Loy Trimmier, Wendell Wolf, and Louis Abel; Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Hartgraves, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Jones and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goynes.

The class who so graciously entertained are Mildred Russell, Audell Russell, Lorene Pitts, Pauline Anderson, Ada Mae Blakley and Cleoyne Parks.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the many friends for their kind help and sympathy during our recent bereavement in the loss of our dear wife and mother.

J. W. LAND and FAMILY.

A MARVELOUS HOME
Another fine home has been added to the number of modern residences in Hico. We wish to add our congratulations and best wishes for health, happiness and contentment to others being received by Dr. and Mrs. Hall and family. Their new home is truly a credit to a town the size of Hico, and we rejoice with them in its completion.

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

- Swift's Jewel Shortening, 8 lb. pail 58c
- Mrs. Tucker's Shortening, 8 lb. pail 58c
- 1 lb. Pink Salmon, 3 cans 25c
- 1-4 lb. Potted Meat, 8 cans 25c
- No. 1 Sliced Peaches, heavy syrup, can 10c

PINEAPPLE—DOLE NO. 1
Crushed or Sliced, per can 5c
Limit 6 cans

- No. 2 Kuner very small pea, per can 15c
- Pure Sorghum Syrup, gallon 40c
- Blue Plate Mustard, jar 8c
- 14 oz. Catsup, bottle 10c
- Bologna Sausage, lb. 10c
- Bran Flakes, 10 oz. pkg. 5c
- Wheaties, 1 Skippy bowl free, 2 pkgs. 23c
- 2 lb. Saxet Crackers, box 21c

FLOUR AND FEED
New car just received. Figure with us on quantity. Can save you money.

- Lemons, ea. 1c
- Oranges, ea. 1c
- Apples, ea. 1c
- Green Beans, lb 5c
- New Potatoes, lb. 4c

All Seasonable Fresh Vegetables

No. 2 Cans, per 100 \$2.60

Campbell's Grocery

A Few of Our PRICES:

- TENNIS SHOES
Brown, sizes 3 and 3 1-2 only
Per pair 35c
- GOOD GRADE DOMESTIC
Per yard 3c
- 14x26 TURKISH TOWELS
5c
- MEN'S WHITE DRESS CAPS
25c
- MEN'S UNION SUITS
25c
- MEN'S TWO-TONE SPORT SHOES
\$1.49

Extra Special
ANGORA CREPE
The regular \$1.00 yard grade, only 29c Yard

Our ladies' dress, hat and shoe departments are complete. It will pay you to look them over. We have bargains in all departments.

H. & D. Harelik DRY GOODS CO.

A New Line of IL COSMET TOILET ARTICLES Now In Stock
—and each will be sold at only 10c each. You never saw such values, all worth much more. When in town Saturday be sure and see our other bargains in goods, some specially priced for that day.

WE CONGRATULATE DR. AND MRS. HALL ON THE ERECTION OF THEIR NEW HOME

Porter's Drug Store

WE ARE NOW ON A NEW DEAL
Prosperity is not around the corner, it is here in Hico.
Come to this store, inspect our merchandise, and see the astoundingly low prices on high quality foods.
J. E. BURLESON

Straw Hat Week

THIS WEEK IS—
Get under a new Rothschild Hat Sunday, April 23.

- Sennitt Straw \$1.49 to \$1.95
- Panama \$1.95 to \$2.95
- Legornette \$1.00 to \$1.25

FASHION Says SPORTS
Hamilton Brown and Friendly Five Sport Oxfords
Hamilton Brown in black and white \$2.95
Friendly Five in tan and beige \$5.00

WE CONGRATULATE DR. AND MRS. HALL
Upon the beautiful residence they have erected in Hico. We admire their spirit of progressiveness.

G. M. Carlton Bros. & Co.

"THE PEOPLE'S STORE"



A Home

Is Judged by Its Furniture,
As Well as by Its Outward
Appearance. . . .

We are glad to know that Dr. and Mrs. Hall, in making their home complete, have given special attention to its furniture and furnishings.

Along with other citizens of Hico, we are proud of this marvelous new residence, and hope it will serve as an example for other prospective home-builders and home-owners in general.

HICO FURNITURE CO.

YOUR— TELEPHONE



Serves You
Night and
Day
—Rain or
Shine—
At Low
Cost

Of the many modern conveniences to be found in a present-day home, the telephone is considered most important.

Telephone service is something anyone can afford—something no thinking home-maker can afford to be without.

WE CONGRATULATE

Dr. and Mrs. Hall upon the completion of their handsome new home, in which the telephone plays a part in making it completely equipped.

Gulf States Telephone Co.
HICO, TEXAS

Miss Fannie Wood, Local Manager



Add
another room
with Red Top Insulating Board

No need to continue in cramped quarters when you can add another room at present costs. Now is the most economical time to remodel and modernize.

Let us show you how you can add another room with Red Top Insulating Board. You will like its clean, light cream color, its close-knit surface and its superior strength. Red Top Insulating Board is easy to decorate or attractive when left undecorated. Its superior insulation value and moisture resistance will add value and comfort to your home. Ask us for prices.



Do You
Want a Hot
Pad?

This pad to
keep hot
dishes from
marring table
free on request

**RED TOP
INSULATING BOARD**

Barnes & McCullough
HICO, TEXAS



AGE-OLD INSTINCT: HOME

Caveman, nomad, primitive, noble—all established shelter first—and then went about conquering their world. It is an age-old instinct, this home-building—and a wise one.

Throughout its long career this National Bank has grown with the community it serves. Any evidence of growth, such as the new home of Dr. and Mrs. Hall, is naturally a source of pride for us.

Hico National Bank

"There is No Substitute for Safety"

PROTECT THE VITAL SPOTS

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WITH DU PONT PAINT

DON'T neglect your home this spring! Look it over carefully. If it needs paint, call on us. We'll gladly recommend a reliable painter and the correct Du Pont Paint.

At least, check the vital spots—the places where decay starts

unnoticed—under the eaves . . . around spouting . . . at the base of porch pillars . . . under window sills. Protect these weak spots now. Make the protection permanent by using Du Pont House Paint. It is pre-tested for durability. Its colors are lasting.

Barnes & McCullough

PAINTS VARNISHES **DU PONT** ENAMELS DU CO

Congratulations

To Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall
Upon the Completion of
Their Elegant Home

We are proud to have had a part in the decoration of this fine home, and hope that they will derive the pleasure from it which they so richly deserve.

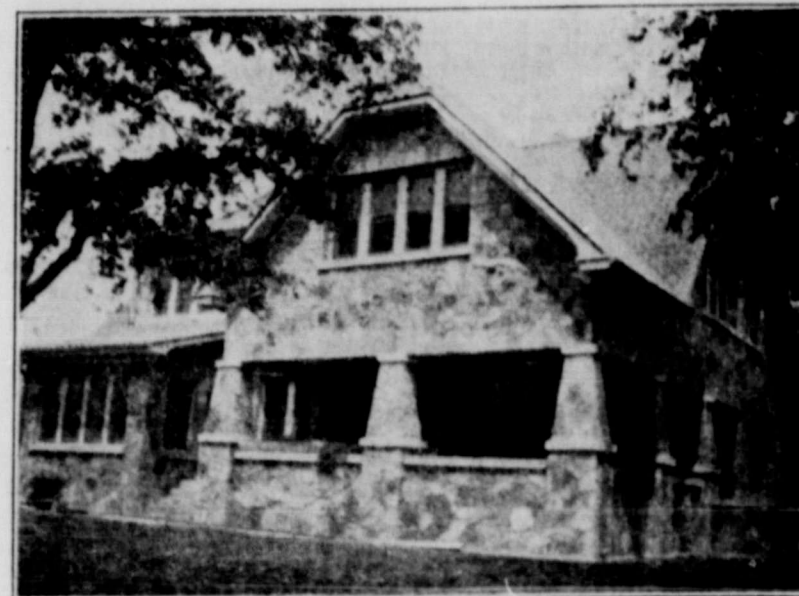
SHADES AWNINGS
LINOLEUMS CARPETS
SLIP COVERING
UPHOLSTERING

Others who would emulate the example set by these real citizens will find our stock and service a great aid toward "making a house a home indeed."

Mallory & Gradel

1305 AUSTIN AVENUE
Waco, Tex. Phone 1366

Completion of Hall Hico Another Fine



Southeast Corner of Home, Showing Part of Front

STANDS AS MONUMENT TO OWNER, BUILDER AND WORKMEN EMPLOYED

From the top of the handsome metal-tile roof, down through the Sheetrock and Red Top Insulated walls enclosing the elegantly fitted rooms with hard-wood floors, to the basement containing an automatic oil-heating system, the new home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall reflects comfort, stability, convenience and luxurious appearance.

Few homes anywhere have been built on the principle employed in this new residence, which is rapidly nearing completion and into which the family will move about the first of May.

When Dr. Hall, after years of planning and research, decided that this particular time was opportune for effecting the greatest savings in materials and labor, he began to cast about for a contractor who would take a genuine interest in the work—a master artisan who not only possessed knowledge and experience in his line, but one who displayed a determination to have things ship-shape and who could be depended upon to take the same pride in his undertaking shared by its owner.

Claud Huddleston, a master workman, who has served his apprenticeship in two branches of the building profession, that of carpenter and millwright, was selected for the job, and one familiar with the progress made in construction, the way details were worked out and the harmony prevailing between the workmen themselves and the builder and owner, could say that Dr. Hall made a mistake in his selection.

More Than a Home.

The structure is more than a home—even more than a home. It stands as a monument to the builder and to each individual workman, who had a pride in his work and labored toward a common goal—to make this the best job of his career.

It would be hard to place the credit entirely on any one individual. Dr. Hall of course "footed the bills" and showed a commendable spirit in being satisfied with only the best of everything. He started out to build a good house out of his old one which stood on the same lot, but doubtless he himself is surprised with the results.

As the work progressed and questions came up as to whether to take off something to reduce the cost, or add something to increase the comfort and beauty of the home, without a single exception the latter course was followed.

Many men in the carpenter, building and allied professions, have worked on the structure and they are all given due credit by Dr. Hall and Mr. Huddleston for their efforts and conscientious labor.

Owner "Made a Hand."

Local people cannot help but wonder at the enthusiasm, vigor and vitality displayed on the part of Dr. Hall.

Having caught the spirit of building last Fall while assisting in the construction of a three-car garage and a large granary on his home lot, he apparently has not found a stopping place since that time.

Last September work began on razing that portion of the old home which would not be needed in the new one, and from that time to this Dr. Hall has been on the job from daylight until dark and after, lending a helping hand where possible, and watching after details. Not a rock, a piece of lumber or a nail has gone into the house but that he was within hearing distance, and the manner in which he has stayed on the site has been a real assistance to the workmen, according to their statements.

Mrs. Hall and the children have also done their part until they must feel that their home is partly a product of their own energy.

NOW'S THE

(With Apologies to Eddie Cantor and Other Notable)

Labor is cheaper, material is cheaper, Now's the time to show the carpenter, the plumber, the roofer, the painter.

Gave their price a down, Get someone to sod the lawn, You'll keep the wolf away from the door, grant it,

'Cause material is cheaper, Now's the time to have the mother's are weeping as they see the new home.

Now's the time to hire a painter, You'll find he is willing to do the work, Just to lend a helping hand, Get someone to roof your house, paint it,

You can build a house, lament it, For material is cheaper, la

Now's the time to have

Jig-Saw Puzzle Motif.

A decidedly modern appearance, and one of the most attractive features of the outside finish is the manner in which native stone was employed in the walls. The rock work shows up to advantage, and furnishes an atmosphere that would be difficult to attain in any other manner.

Dr. Hall secured all the stone used in the house at his farm near Hico, and owning a truck, employed day labor to haul it in.

Close-Up

View

of

Large

Triple

Window

at Front.

Showing

Nature of

Construction



Everything to Build Any

We Wish for Dr. and
Mrs. Hall
Happiness and
Contentment
Commensurate With Their
Home's Magnificent Beauty

Quality Building
Materials
This Beautiful
Home Was
Supplied by

BARNES & McCULLOUGH

Hico, Texas

All Residence Gives Fine, Modern Home

IT'S THE TIME

to Eddie Cantor, Harry Schwenker and Other Notables.)
 paper, material is cheaper, time to show your love. er, the roofer, the laborer amber price a downward shove. to sod the lawn and plant it, p the wolf away if you just it, rial is cheaper, labor is er, time to have it done. weeping as kids go hungry, time to hire a man. e is willing and it is thrilling d a helping hand. e to roof your home and t, build a house and ne'er t it, is cheaper, labor is cheaper, time to have it done.



View Taken From North Side of House

MANY INNOVATIONS, INDIVIDUAL PLANNING MAKE FOR COMPLETENESS

To attempt a detailed description of this elegant home would be futile, unless one had days and days to spend in inspecting its every nook and cranny, and then an unlimited time in which to do justice to his findings with descriptive words and adequate language. Suffice it to say that from an inspection of the outside one gets an impression that the interior is most modern, convenient and liveable, and upon entering finds that even his greatest expectations are surpassed.

Let's Go Inside.
 Entering through an elegant oak-finished door at the front, one finds himself in a hall where the staircase with its rounded base, its harmonious newel posts and railing takes the eye toward the upper rooms—but first we must see the front living room with its adequate lighting effects. The triple window in this room, topped with beveled leaded glass, is augmented by others in the north side, and makes spacious quarters for guests of the day or evening.

Through the luxurious dining room one gets a glimpse of the modern, well-appointed kitchen with its many built-in features including a breakfast nook which—so help us—is not crowded, and has plenty of light. Through the hall to the left and into a bed-room into which opens a solarium and breathes comfort and restfulness. Back toward the front of the house is found the spacious library. Turning to the left again, we find ourselves back at the staircase, after having been decidedly impressed with our findings on the lower floor.

Up the Stairs.
 Three bed-rooms and a sewing room upstairs are supplemented by a large sitting room around the staircase. A maze of closets, which by the way, are finished in the

same way as the other rooms, provide ample storage space and serve to keep things not needed out of sight. Upstairs, as well as downstairs, we find an elegant bath room with corresponding fixtures, finished with a tile floor and tile walls half way up, topped with harmonizing water-proof paper. The two bed-rooms on the east upstairs, will be occupied by Mary Helen and Emma Doe, and they contain many built-in features in addition to the spacious clothes closets. Each has a built-in writing desk with individual electric light, a book-case and a built-in chest of drawers for storage. One wonders what other furniture will be needed, except a bed, upon finding the rooms so fully equipped by the carpenters.

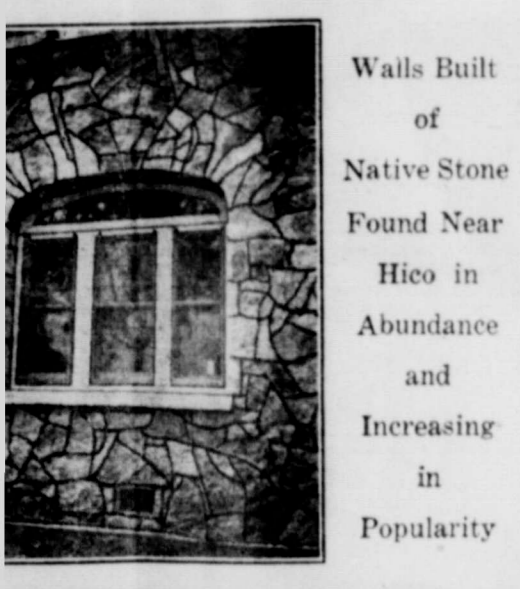
The guest room on the southwest is well supplied with windows, and we venture to say that their guests will find the quarters so comfortable that it will doubtless be hard for the host and hostess to get rid of visitors.

Painting and Decorating.
 In every room of the house, which by our count numbered eleven with two baths, the painting and decorating work is a marvel of beauty. Rare combinations of colors in wall paper are made to carry out the dignified yet modern atmosphere, and good taste and careful selection are reflected in each room.

The woodwork upstairs is painted in harmonizing shades of cafe au lait and old ivory, while the doors and facings downstairs are finished in dark oak.

See It Yourself.
 As stated before, the home defies proper description on paper. One must see it first-hand to really appreciate its magnificence and beauty. If there was a single detail overlooked—a place where a change could be made for the better—it escaped this writer's eye.

Each piece had to bear his inspection, and the general scheme of fitting them was worked out to perfection. There is a blending of colors and shades that is pleasant to the eye, and the "jig-saw puzzle" effect gives the home a distinctly individual appearance, at the same time retaining the dignity so necessary to avoiding monotony. This home will stand through the years as a show place, and a source of pride to the citizenship.



Walls Built of Native Stone Found Near Hico in Abundance and Increasing in Popularity

We Congratulate DR. AND MRS. HALL UPON THEIR LUXURIOUS NEW HOME

We are glad to have had a part in making this modern home the show place that it is, and hope that it will prove to be just what Dr. and Mrs. Hall and family have wished and planned for.



PAINTING

In the home, painting is an art, and must be exactly right in order to get best results. We call special attention to the quality of our work as exemplified in the Hall home.

PAPERING

Hanging paper calls for experience and careful workmanship. Those who have had occasion to inspect the Hall home have been lavish with their praise of the way in which the walls are finished.



MAYFLOWER WALL PAPER

Selected from our large line of samples, was used throughout this home.

FIGURE WITH US

We strive to give the best service possible, and welcome any opportunity to figure with homeowners. All materials and workmanship guaranteed, and we live right here in Hico to back up any guarantee or promise we may make.

Spaulding & Graves

Painters, Paperers and Decorators

APPRECIATION

Having about completed my work on the finest home I have ever been privileged to supervise, I would feel ungrateful if I failed to express my appreciation of the cooperation received at the hands of all concerned.

TO DR. HALL:

It is a real pleasure to work with one who shows the consideration, the industry, the interest and foresight that Dr. Hall has displayed throughout the task. May he and his family enjoy their new home in the degree they so richly deserve.

TO MY FELLOW-WORKMEN:

Every man who has had a part in the work has cooperated faithfully toward making the residence complete in every respect. This has been a source of pride to me and I trust they feel equal pride in their accomplishment.

Others of Hico and vicinity who plan to build, remodel, refinish floors or renovate their homes will find my equipment and experience at their service at reasonable rates.

Claud Huddleston

GENERAL CONTRACTOR
 — And —
 BUILDER

I AM PROUD

—To have been called in on the electric wiring and installation of fixtures in the new home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall.

NO JOB TOO SMALL

Electric Repair and Installation

If you have appliances that need repairing, wiring or any kind of installation, you will find my work satisfactory and charges reasonable.

O. L. DAVIS

HICO, TEXAS



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YOUR BANK Is Your Guard

Nothing provides the comfort and pleasure afforded by a home of your own, which is such an encouragement for saving money.

We congratulate Dr. and Mrs. Hall upon the completion of their elegant new home. May they derive from it the pleasure their efforts deserve.

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HICO, TEXAS

Anything Building Materials for Beautiful Home Were Applied by Us ALLOUGH

ELECTRICITY PLAYS AN IMPORTANT PART IN THE NEW HALL HOME

This company is proud to have had a hand in making the new home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall the modern dwelling place that it is. For here, as in many other present-day homes, electricity is daily saving steps and lightening the duties of housekeeping. At the touch of a button or the turn of a switch, miracles in comfort and convenience are performed.

Dr. and Mrs. Hall have also joined the host of home-lovers who realize the advantages offered by the—

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 — AND THE —
 ELECTRIC RANGE

Call at our office and let us tell you about Electric Refrigeration and Electric Cookery, and demonstrate some of the appliances we have for your selection.



The Mirror

Published Weekly by Students of the HICO HIGH SCHOOL

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A Parting Word

By Mary Beth Norwood
The appearance of the "Mirror" brings suggestions that thrill us with joy, tempered with a note of regret. It is no light incident to bid farewell to the High School which has been such a factor in the lives of the students for so long. The Mirror is a partial record of this school year. To the Seniors, it will be a treasurable copy, because it speaks over and over again the experiences of a year crowded with happy memories. To all other students but little less will the paper be valuable, because it records something of the happenings of freshman, sophomore and junior activities and interests.

The school year of 1932-33, which is now closing has been a memorable one. In our athletic contests, we claim a great success. We have also been winners, in that we have been able to show ourselves sportsmen in defeat. We have learned that to be winners indeed, we must pay the price of thorough training. In literary activities this school year marks the beginning of a new day in the Hico High School. In this field we have been winners. Our debating team composed of Seniors, will win for district honors. Renewed interests is shown among the students in all literary and track events. Much good is certain to come to the High School because of this Dramatics in the dorm of our oncoming Senior Play will feature our efforts. Boys and girls have derived valuable training in these activities.

These are things boys and girls of the Senior class will love and remember longest about Hico High. We wish you a cup of joy to be full at every turn of the way when you leave halls, class rooms, study hall, teachers and students no longer to be students with us. Remember you still belong to us as you join the long list of graduates who have gone before you.

Senior Play.

The Senior Class will present its play the first Tuesday or Thursday in May. It is called the "Hoodoo and defined that means Jinx" according to Webster Jinx means to cast a spell. Miss Hudson, instructor of English, is very enthusiastic as to the probabilities of the play, according to her it is well written with all the essentials that make up a good play. Another reason why we expect this to be a good play is because of the dramatic talent found in the senior class.

Practice will be started this week and the students hope to be able to put on one of the best plays possible.

Who's Who in the Senior Class.
Oda Davis, one of the "red-haired" Seniors, is a very sweet girl. She talks constantly and sometimes she talks so fast we cannot understand her, but that's what we like about her. Oda has many friends in High School.

Welcome home, Dortha! Although she is not able to be back in school, we are very glad Dortha is at home, and we sincerely hope it won't be long before she will be able to be back in school with us.

Juniors

J ust to let
U know we are
N ot napping
I n any phase of
O ur prodigious
R idiculous
S cramble to pass.

Soph Week News.

S helton has a part interest in the skating rink.
O gle only has a few at her parties—about 50.
P —aul's going to give us a little ditty next Wednesday.
H —orton (Maggie) has a Jigs at Clairette.
W —ade must go to all school closings for example, Greyville, and miss six weeks.
E —izabeth has got every senior boy wrapped around her little finger.
E —nergetic Mrs. Segrest does show no sympathy in Plane Geometry.
K —illing the hours until final exams, is a bad policy, so all the Sophs will tell you.

Initiation of Members Planned by H-Y Club.

F. S. Little entertained the H-Y Club at his home Sunday afternoon. The charter members made plans for the initiation of new members when the club meets Sunday afternoon, April 22, at J. W. Dohoney's.
The program as follows was given:
Lord's prayer in unison.
What the H-Y club has meant to me, Jack Vickrey.
Meaning of Easter, F. S. Little.
Songs: Into my heart, and In the Garden.
Prayer, C. G. Masterson.
At the close of the program, home made fudge and divinity

District Meet Entrees.

Coach Miles will take five boys to Brownwood April 22, to compete in the track and field events of the district league.

Horace will enter the 100 yard dash, 222 yard dash, 229 yard low hurdles and the hi-jump.

Jack will compete in the high jump and be a member of the one mile relay.

Eugene goes out for the 880 yard run, the 229 yard dash and the mile relay.

Billy Hays, dashing Dizzy, will offer competition in the 440 yard run, the 100 yard dash, and the mile relay.

Carroll will enter the 440 yard run and be member of the mile relay.

Swap Column.

Bring your "swap" articles to us. Will swap a voucher for a good grading machine, V. W. M.

I wish to trade a slightly used appendix for a good set of six week's grades.—D. Hackett.

Could use anything in exchange for a good skating form.—D. Meador.

Am interested in blond girls and will trade my history for one.—Bob Aiton.

Any new material for argumentative purposes will be received for one hundredth an enormous appetite.—E. Horton.

Come-up in Honor of Guest.

Marie Pirtle entertained with a come-up at her home Saturday night in honor of her week-end guest, Virginia Evans, of Baylor College, Belton.

The following enjoyed themselves until a late hour: Alma Ragdale, Elizabeth Bonstead, Mildred Thomas, Inez Sellers of John Tarleton College, Mary Smith, Flossie Randals, Mayo Hollis, Charlyne Malone, Howard Pierson Billy Hays, F. S. Little, Norman Johnson, Ismael Pirtle, Buster Shelton, Leighton Guyton, Geary Cheek, Emory Gamble, Kelly Thomas, Jack Vickrey, W. L. McDowell, Eugene Horton, Hector Hollis and Ralph Boone.

Literary Activities.

M. B. Norwood.
As C. G. Masterson of the Hico High School on Monday morning, Feb. 13th, the burden fell upon his shoulders that of developing a boys' debating team.

For weeks he labored with his shoulder to the wheel steadily pushing the debaters forward. To the debaters of 1933, we wish to say: Mr. Masterson has only one requirement to make of his boys, always bring up your work and he will never fail to do his share.

Hard study on the part of Kelly Thomas and Eugene Horton, together with Mr. Masterson's excellent coaching, will enable Hico Hi to produce the best debating team in not only the district meet, but also State Meet.

Jokes.

Horace to Sue:
Roses are red,
And violets are blue—
Garlic is strong
I'm garlic for you.

In Mildred Thomas walked,
Down she sat,
Looked at the questions
And up she got.

Ralph: You know every time I kiss my girl, she closes her eyes, and sighs.
Kelly: I'll say she do.
Ralph: What's that?
Kelly: I said, "Do she?"

Lost 40 Pounds On Doctor's Advice

"I'm a user of Kruschen Salts as a reducing remedy and can say they are fine. Have lost more than 40 lbs. in the past year. Am gradually reducing as my doctor advises." Miss Bertha Waldo, Haman, N. Dak. (Oct. 30, '32.)
Once a day take Kruschen Salts—one half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water first thing every morning. Besides losing ugly fat SAFELY you'll gain in health and physical attractiveness—constipation, gas and acidity will cease to bother—you'll feel younger—more active—full of ambition—clear skin—sparkling eyes.
A jar that lasts 4 weeks costs but a trifle at any drugstore in the world—but demand and get Kruschen and if one bottle doesn't joyfully please you—money back.

NEWS FROM IREDELL COMMUNITY

By MISS STELLA JONES

Misses Welna Blue, Aleen Appleby and Francis Phillips spent the week end in Hico with the Misses Jameson.

John L. Tidwell was in Waco Wednesday.

I. D. Hurt was in San Antonio Sunday and Monday, returning home Tuesday. He was accompanied by Dr. Baker of Hamilton.

Misses Vella McIlheney and Inez Newsom visited in Big Spring and Sweetwater this past week.

W. D. Schenck and Mr. Echols were in Dallas Wednesday to attend the pecan growers' association.

Weaver Thomas was here Thursday from Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. French and Mrs. Mary Squires and her granddaughter, Miss Florence Squires, were in Hamilton Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. French went on business and Mrs. Squires and Florence went visiting.

Mrs. I. D. Hurt and two children and Miss Louise Cornwell, Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. McDonel and Misses Minnie Dunlap and Evelyn Wyche were in Hico and Hamilton Thursday.

Mrs. Laswell, Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Conley were in Stephenville Saturday.

W. R. Newsom and son, Billy Royce, J. O. Newsom and son, Donald, Elmer Newsom and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, Mrs. Ada Mitchell and baby, Mrs. Rutledge and Mrs. Essie Bryan, and baby all of Big Spring spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newsom. Their father has been very ill but is reported better now.

Mrs. R. A. French was in Fort Worth this week.

Ralph Worrel returned Saturday from Fort Worth.

Mrs. T. M. Davis left Sunday for Wichita Falls where she will visit for some time and have her eyes treated.

Mrs. John Prater visited in Hico this last week.

Mrs. Blalock of Walnut visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Woody here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rhodes and son of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

Little Miss Pauline Holder spent the week end in Meridian with her cousin, Inez Warren.

Mrs. R. B. Shannon returned Saturday from Fort Worth where she has been visiting.

Oran Sparks spent the week end in Waco with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ina Dawson and daughter, Miss Willie Mae Sparks.

Opal Laurence has returned from Tahoka where she has been teaching school.

Mrs. Ernest Holder and children visited her mother, Mrs. Fred Lundberg in the Pikerille community one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Belcher Jr. and son, and Miss Wilma Robertson and Eugene Belcher all of Morgan spent Sunday with Rev. McCauley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Noel of Dublin spent the week end here.

Misses Vera Hinton and Annabel Tidwell, teachers of the Cove Springs school, spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Laurance and children of Holliday spent the week end here. Mrs. Laurence went on to Dublin Sunday where she will visit her mother, Mrs. Ware.

Claude Weeks of Arlington spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Estein of Walnut spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Word Main.

Mrs. Aubrey Hutchens returned to her home in Orange Sunday after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. R. S. Echols.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Strong and son of Sweetwater visited here this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gregory and son spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Dave Higginbotham of Duffau. Herbert returned home but his wife and son extended their visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lundberg and children of Waco visited his brother, Fred Lundberg on Sunday.

Miss Louise Cornwell left Sunday for her home in Ralls, Texas, after visiting her uncle, I. D. Hurt and family during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Watkins and children and her mother, Mrs. M. D. Haddock all of Dallas visited his uncle, Mr. McDonel and family here Sunday.

The jig saw puzzles seem to be taking the day. Everyone who can do so, has one. These are very entertaining and when finished, are very beautiful, requiring time and practice to put them together.

Several of the Sunday School pupils of both Sunday Schools enjoyed Easter egg hunts Sunday afternoon.

Misses Thelma and Louise McCauley visited in Walnut Thursday and were in Meridian Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Barefoot and children of De Leon spent Sunday here with his sister, Miss Essie.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Tidwell and baby of Dallas spent Sunday here with relatives.

W. H. Brashear came in Saturday from Sweetwater and will help to run the store.

Misses Lois and Wilda Hensley were in Carlton Friday.

Mrs. Cleo Keith and baby of Walnut were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore left Sunday for Parker County where they will visit relatives.

Miss Minnie Dunlap is taking care of the children of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Hurt.

The Senior play Saturday evening was sure fine. Each one acted their parts well. Mr. and Mrs. Rose and daughters and Mrs. Whiteley and Mr. McNeill of Walnut and Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Harris and Charles Roper furnished music between the acts which were fine. The crowd was large and \$26.00 was taken in.

Lois Hensley and Travis Hucksby were in Whitney Friday evening.

Miss Thelma McCauley and her mother, G. L., were in Morgan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Appleby of Meridian were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woody entertained some of their friends Friday evening with a 42 party. All had a fine time.

Mr. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Harris and Charlie Roper are here with a vaudeville. Large crowds go every evening. The music and singing are fine.

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Duffau

By ELMER GIESECKE

With continued high winds, we are badly in need of a light rain just now.

T. E. Arnold was in Stephenville Monday on business.

Miss Ruby Ledbetter, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ledbetter, who has been suffering for several days with severe tonsillitis, was taken to a throat specialist at Gorman Tuesday. We hope Ruby will be greatly improved when she returns.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart and son, Emmett and wife, of near Stephenville visited relatives and friends in Duffau community Saturday night and Sunday.

Elder L. A. Douglas filled his appointment at the M. E. Church Sunday and Sunday night with a nice Easter program at the morning services.

Mrs. J. W. Land passed away at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Bill Loden, Monday morning. Mrs. Land had been in ill health for several months. She was the mother of several children and lived in this community for several years. Her husband, J. W. Land, also survive her. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening with Elder Thomas of Hico Baptist Church officiating.

Hog Jaw

By OMA ROBERSON

Misses Nadine McChristial and Oleta Warren spent Sunday with Miss Velma Jordan, and attended the Easter egg hunt that was given at her home Sunday afternoon.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Bug Stringer Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burkan and children, Miss Mollye Burkan all of Duffau, and Herman Leach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberson spent Sunday with Fred Higginbotham and family of Duffau.

Mrs. O. C. Lambert and children and Mrs. Inace Lambert spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Stringer.

Alex Hawkins of Salem visited Skeet Roberson Saturday night.

Willard Leach attended singing at Duffau Sunday.

Clarence Whitesides and family of Clairette spent Sunday in the home of his mother, Mrs. Whitesides.

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3:00 P. M.-4:00 P. M. Free Horse Show
4:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M. Light Crust Doughboys
4:30 P. M.-5:00 P. M. Jazz music by Brownies

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AWAKENED WOMAN

by ELINORE BARRY



Sixth Installment.
Before the stranger reached her, she had time to see that he was a thin, unimpressive type with reddish face and tiny sandy mustache, neatly clipped. His features were small and his blue eyes twinkled. His plain gray business suit, which lacked all trace of style, was in need of pressing and his wide common-sense shoes were dusty and scratched.

"Well, Frills, how's the beautiful bean feeling today? Golly, you women are lucky, the way you can get thrown around and not get hurt! Now a man, who has to use his head, would have been just the fellow to get a crack that would put him out of business completely."

Joyce smiled up at him easily. This man was not in love with her, she knew instinctively. He was friendly enough, but impersonal.

"Oh, is that so?" she retorted. "Well, the Lord must have thought women's brains more important than men's, if he protected them so much better."

"Ha! Well, I haven't time for any arguments on the equality of the sexes now, just dropped in to see what you looked like so I can send Neil a wire that everything is O. K."

Of course! This was the doctor!
"Well, I'm alright," she replied and then it occurred to her that she had better not be too well if she wished to stave off the hordes of friends who were trying to draw her back into their activities. "But it shook me up and I'm going to cut out some of the jazz for this week anyhow. You might tell people it's by your orders."

"Ha! You don't expect anybody would believe that you were obeying any orders of mine, do you? When have you ever taken my advice, young lady?"

He stared at her with such a sudden keen searching look in his blue eyes that Joyce blushed deeper than ever.

"Advice comes natural to a doctor, Frills," he went on. "If you are going to take advice, I wish you'd take some I've given you long ago. Quit this excessive smoking! Look at the way you fidget."

"But I haven't smoked since day before yesterday," retorted Joyce triumphantly. "So it can't be that."

"It can't? Whew! No wonder you're nervous! Don't you know you can't cut it out all at once? Not a girl with your highly strung nervous system, who's been smoking at the terrific rate you have! Use a little commonsense. Here, take this. If you want to cut out smoking, do it gradually. He handed her a cigarette with a decisive gesture which made refusal impossible."

Joyce took it, her hand shaking. But before she had even raised it to her mouth, they were interrupted by the arrival of Roxie. "Dr. Ellison, the Gates Hospital wants to speak to you, sir."

The doctor jumped to his feet. "Thanks, Roxie, just tell them I'll be right there. Good-bye, Frills, I'll drop in again later," and he was off without a backward glance.

Joyce drew a breath of relief. "Another one killed off! That message was sheer luck. I couldn't light this cigarette with him looking on," she murmured.

She successfully lighted the cigarette and puffed at it daintily. After a few moments, however, her attention was suddenly distracted by the approach of a woman. In her renewed agitation, Joyce swallowed a mouthful of smoke, which to her surprise she found herself expelling through her nostrils and mouth without any sensation of strangeness. Automatically her breathing apparatus was performing a familiar operation!

Fortified to meet another visitor, she rose to her feet and smiled greeting at the newcomer. "Well, my dear Frills, what a fortunate child you are!"

you would consult him. I feel certain he would think a thorough internal examination the only safe thing to do after such an accident as yours. A stitch in time saves nine."

Joyce wanted to add, "And an apple a day keeps the doctor away," but she kept quiet, wondering how much longer Laurine would stick to this particular subject.

Laurine changed the subject. "Delphine sent her love to you and hopes you're feeling quite recovered from the accident, and Paul said to tell you he'd probably run in sometime today. He's having lunch at the club with Otis Clark and a business friend from the city, and they're going to play golf all afternoon, with



Maitland has two separate apartments in the city, not just the one where the men have their stag parties.

Art Belmain to make up a foursome."

It was nearly an hour later when Mrs. Paul Packard rose from the marble bench. She had touched on a multitude of subjects, ranging from the newest cold cream and its wonderful effects, to the details of the recent confinement of a Mrs. Wellman.

The effect of this call on Joyce was a wearily annoyed feeling that she had suffered more than the net results in the way of enlightening facts were worth.

"By the way, Delphine told me that she saw Arthur Maitland one night having dinner at the Palace with what she called a 'jazz baby' in a vermilion evening dress. And I heard from somebody else, though I won't repeat the name because it there's one thing I pride myself on, it's not spreading scandal or gossip—but it's a woman who spend a lot of her time in the city, and you know her almost as well as I do—that Maitland has two separate apartments in the city, not just the one where the men have their stag parties. I think you ought to know those things because you're so careless about appearances and it's a crying shame the way you run around with a man like Arthur Maitland."

In the midst of the resentful fury that seized Joyce at the nerve of the woman for mixing into her private affairs she could not help feeling admiration for Laurine's courage. She had thought of Frills as a dynamic being who would not for a moment have tolerated the rebuke or advice of such a complacent upholder of middle-aged conventionalities. She herself was speechless and wholly unprepared, and no match for Laurine's methods of attack. It occurred to her, however, that this information of the second apartment might be used later in her handling of Maitland, and she could not help being a little grateful to Laurine for furnishing her with any weapon.

Laurine, not waiting for the scarlet-faced Joyce to reply, went on calmly. "When you're a little older, my dear, and have had as much experience as I have of the world, you'll realize it's foolish to put any trust in a man who is so lacking in principle that he can deliberately compromise a mar-

ried woman nine times out of ten, and when she's been made a fool of she'll find that she was only one of a number of other silly women. Arthur Maitland is no different from the rest. Well, I must run along now. And do come over soon, my dear. Paul and I are always glad to welcome you, and feel you have a refuge in our simple home."

Joyce was left alone again, plunged into another whirl of emotions. "I'm getting so many new things to think about, so many angles all at once to this business of being Frills Packard, that it makes me dizzy trying to fit them together. Whew, but Mrs. Paul Packard is a fearful and wonderful female! I'll bet all I

have that she's telling every one she knows about Arthur Maitland's other apartment. If it weren't that it helped me find out more about life here, I should have been bored to death by Laurine."

She picked up the letters again and re-read the one from Sophie with a growing longing to see the baby. Fired by this feeling she went inside the house to hunt for Sophie's address. But there was no Sophie in the little pig-skin book.

She had wandered out onto the sunny sleeping porch still pondering Laurine's conversation, when she heard the rattle of a machine which sounded like a Ford driving into the grounds. She ran downstairs, out across the terrace and around to the garage. Yes, there was Sam just getting down from the machine, and in his arms was a little black and white dog.

"Here you are, Mrs. Packard, the Marches were glad to get a home for Dickie," and he set the wriggling bunch down on the ground, and laughed as it strained at its leash.

asked Joyce, mystified by this behavior.

"He's looking for a stick," explained Sam. "That's what you want, isn't it, Dickie?"

Sam picked up a smooth round piece of wood, showed it to Dickie, who jumped frantically for it, and then threw it as far as he could. Dickie dashed over to it, and then he came romping back to Sam, who commanded, "Go take it to Mrs. Packard, Dickie, that's your lady now. Go on, give it to Mrs. Packard."

Dickie, his wide pink-lipped mouth clamped tightly over his precious stick, rolled his expressive brown eyes up at Sam in a speculative sort of way. Then he turned and trotted over to Joyce.

"There, that's enough stick for a while. You're all out of breath. Come with me, darling, and get acquainted with your new home," said Joyce finally. "Thank you, Sam, I'm ever so grateful to you for getting me such a perfectly sweet dog as Dickie."

There was a look of puzzled surprise in Sam's face as he answered. "Oh, that's all right, I'm sure glad you like him, Mrs. Packard."

When Joyce sat down in a comfortable lounge chair on the terrace, Dickie came to her side and resting his blunt chin with his queer, soft drooping lips on the edge of it, looked up at her pleadingly. She was delighted that he accepted her so promptly, and her spirits rose when she thought of having his companion-ship. She felt less alone in an incredible world. With Dickie she need never pretend to be Frills Packard.

When Roxie came to find her and announce that her luncheon was ready, Joyce was amused to

see the distrust with which she eyed the sleeping Dickie. She did not look surprised, and Joyce knew she had probably, with Marcia, been watching the game of stick out in the garden.

Just as Joyce left the dining-room she heard the whirl of a motor outside the door, and before she could decide whether to retreat through the kitchen or make a dash for the stairs, two young women entered the house and greeted her loudly.

"Hello, Frills, how are you?" "Say you don't look so bad!"

Continued Next Week.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT DUFFAU FOR MRS. J. W. LAND

Funeral services were held at Duffau Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for Mrs. J. W. Land who died Monday morning, April 17th. Mrs. Land passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bill Loden in the Duffau community.

Easter Effie Harris was born April 28, 1881, in the State of Georgia. She came with her people to Texas at the age of 15 years. During this same year she was converted and joined the Baptist Church. Dec. 25, 1898, she was married to J. W. Land in the Duffau Church. She had numbers of friends in this community as she won an unusually large amount of friends and new acquaintances by her kindness. She lived a consecrated Christian life since she was converted in early girlhood.

She is survived by her husband; eleven children, Merl, Luell, Nadine, Milton, Henry, Luther and Viola Land of Hico; Mrs. Beatrice Campbell of Texas City, Mrs. Ethel Franks of Arcadia and Mrs. Ruth Smith of McAlester. All the children were present with the exception of Mrs. Franks.

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FOR SALE—Tomato plants.—Winfrey Griffiths, Rt. 1, Hico. 46-3tc.

THE HARELIKS WERE IN THE MARKETS LAST WEEK
 (Hamilton County News)

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Harelik and David Harelik of Hamilton, accompanied by Morris Harelik of Hico, spent a portion of this past week in the markets in Dallas.

They were on a heavy buying trip and each made heavy purchases. In an interview with a News correspondent Haskell Harelik had the following to say: "I talked with a number of big wholesale merchants. From the smaller merchants who come to Dallas on buying trips, these wholesale merchants learn that things are picking up much faster than was anticipated. The wholesaler takes an optimistic viewpoint and all are of the opinion that fall will see things at a pretty keen level."

The Hareliks have been identified with business in Hamilton for many years. David and Haskell are competitors in the same line of business, each vying with the other in price, quality and service, and each being a civic asset to the community. Their brother, Morris, conducts a business at Hico in which both David and Haskell own an interest. All the brothers made the marketing trips together and all of them are fair competitors of each other.

Service.

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So load up your Kodak and snap a roll while all outdoors looks so nice and fresh and green.

THE WISEMAN STUDIO
 Hico, Texas

Bridge and Forty-two Tournament Staged Here Tuesday Night

A bridge and forty-two tournament was held at the Barrow & Rainwater Funeral Home Tuesday evening, sponsored by the Hico Review Club. The home was beautifully decorated in pot plants, and miniature pansy corsages were used as favors.

Prizes in bridge went to H. F. Sellers for high, and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe for consolation. In forty-two, prizes were given to Mrs. Grady Barrow and Mrs. T. A. Randalls for winning high score, and Grady Barrow and Mrs. E. F. Porter for low score. The highest prize went to R. F. Higgs of Stephenville.

At the conclusion of the games, melo moon ice cream, donated by the Bell Ice & Dairy Products Co., and light and dark cake were served to those present.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Higgs and Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Terrell of Stephenville.

Gordon
 By
 MRS. G. W. CHAFFIN

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanshaw and Ernest visited in the home Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Davis of near Morgan.

Luther Hart and family of near Rotan visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lester a few days last week.

Wence Perkins and son and daughter spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincannon of near Duffau.

Mrs. Ima Smith spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. Chaffin.

Fred Flannary and family were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Hanshaw and Ernest.

Several attended the party at the Dave Bullock home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stroud spent a while Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hames Lester.


Mr. and Mrs. Sowell spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Newton and family.

Several of this community attended the play at Flag Branch Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chaffin Sunday afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Hanshaw of Flag Branch spent this week end with Miss Virginia Lester.

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VERY LATEST
 • By Patricia Dow •

For Spring there is no material more attractive than brightly colored printed crepes, so to those planning new frocks we suggest the choice of a slenderizing frock like the one above, which has smart lines but is very simply and inexpensively made.

Buttons and pointed details on the blouse are repeated on the



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modish sleeves, while a softly draped collar in white or some other contrasting color is a smart fashion note.

Size 16 of this simple and attractive Kay Boyd model requires 2 1/2 yards of 54-inch material. Collar and the requires 1-3 yard, 35 inches wide.

MAKING OUR DREAMS COME TRUE
 By Ida Mings Clay

If we want to make our fondest dreams come true, We should put our soul and hand in all we do;

With auspicious hope to guide Through life's ever changing tide Of recurrent happiness and poignant rue.

We must have determination if we win. With a certain goal in view when we begin; And be patient in our race Yet keep up a steady pace With abundant stock of courage stored within.

By persistent striving we will surely gain. If we only vision right in sun or rain; But our faith we must keep strong Even though some plans go wrong We must persevere, or else our zeal will wane.

If we want to realize our cherished dreams, We must tolerate and sacrifice it seems; With a will to work and wait For rewards that satiate When success upon our efforts brightly gleams.

Grandson Wins Honors.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rodgers received a letter from their son Claude at Tyler last week, which read in part as follows:

"Dear Papa, Mama and Ernest: Just a note to let you know that Billy Boy can bring home the bacon. He has just returned from the district meet at Jacksonville and for Tyler, Smith County and Bonner School he won first place, winning over some eight or ten counties and contesting with boys as high as the eighth grade. One of the judges who happens to be one of the faculty of Lon Morris College, Jacksonville, and teaching speaking, congratulated Billy and assured him of the fact that he was an easy winner and predicted a bright future for him.—Claude."

To cut feed costs and increase milk flow Guadalupe county dairymen have pooled orders for 18,000 pounds of sudan grass seed and are preparing for one acre of sudan pasture per cow, as recommended by the county agent.

Every time Roy Gambin of Yan tis, Wood county, feeds a sack and one-half of cottonseed meal, which cost him \$1, as supplement to home grown feed, he sells \$10 worth of milk, so he tells the county agent. This is all the feed he buys. He has a trench silo, a barn full of pea vine and sorghum hay, and crushes whole ear corn to feed his cows.

Carlton
 By
 MRS. ARTHUR REDDEN

Plans are rapidly being made for Carlton's Stock and Poultry Show, Saturday, May 6th. The officers of the Association are very well pleased over the prospects of having the biggest show this year Carlton has ever had, despite the financial conditions. Requests for information continue to come in from other places which is a good indication that an unusually large number of entries will be made. Everybody plan now to bring your prize cattle, poultry and other entries. Never was there a more opportune time to express our confidence in the future growth and prosperity of our town and community. Only one day, lay aside your work if you have any planned for that day, and come here to spend the day. The larger the crowd, the better the day.

There have been large crowds attending the skating rink since opening some two weeks ago by manager Johnny Tillinghast. A large crowd of spectators have been present nightly to witness the antics of skaters. Johnny is well pleased with the orderliness of the crowds.

Mrs. Allie Poe, age 96 years, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. T. C. White, near Carlton, on Friday, April 17th. Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. T. Sanders, at Cedar Grove near Granbury. Interment was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Mrs. Poe had only lived at Carlton a short time. Her loved ones have the sympathy of a host of friends.

C. S. Oats of Abilene visited relatives and friends here Tuesday night and Wednesday. Mr. Oats has bid on the new Federal building at Stephenville.

Mr. Tom Fine of Kansas spent last week here with his parents, S. T. Fine Sr. and wife, and other relatives.

Rev. Wallace Pittman of Temple is visiting his parents, R. K. Pittman and wife, this week.

Mrs. June Woodsand Miss Marguerite Griffin were Cranfill's Gap visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. A. McKenzie and daughter Miss Lila were Dublin visitors last Friday. Little Miss Elaine Phillips returned with them for a visit.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Omar Graves, a fine baby boy. Congratulations to the proud parents.

Miss Nadine Pittman went to Gorman Wednesday for medical treatment, returning that day.

Claud Phillips and wife of Dublin visited relatives here Sunday.

C. P. White and wife are visiting their son, Horace, at May, Texas, this week.

Miss Cleo Wright returned from Dallas Friday after a visit with relatives there.

Alex Tompkins spent last week end with homefolks at Denton.

Misses Wayne and Novice Dyer, students of C. I. A. at Denton, visited their parents, C. C. Dyer and wife here last week end.

Mrs. J. D. Upham and granddaughter, Martha Pansy Bolton, visited Burl McKenzie and family at Denton last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Edwards and Leona Chambers were Ireland, visitors Friday.

E. A. Blanchard and wife of Stephenville visited her mother here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gilmore of Eastland, Miss Gena Boone of Dublin were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thompson last Sunday.

Miss Ethel Roach returned home from Stephenville Monday where she has been visiting for several days.

Mrs. Charlie Proffitt spent last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. S. Minter.

C. L. Baird and daughter of Mineral Wells visited in the homes of J. H. Baird and J. W. Short last week. They went from here to Gorman Saturday morning for a visit there.

O. B. Smith and family of Fort Worth visited his parents here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Geve, Mrs. Emory Upham and daughter, Miss Alta, Arthur and Miss Willie Johnson attended the singing convention in Dublin Sunday.

MASSEUR TALKS, EXPOSES "BILLION DOLLAR SCANDAL"

"The Billion Dollar Scandal," a new melodrama dealing with the expose of a nation-wide swindle, directed by Harry Joe Brown, will begin an engagement at the Palace Theatre (Friday, today) and will run through Saturday of this week.

Robert Armstrong heads the cast in the role of Fingers Partos, who, from an humble masseur suddenly becomes the man of the hour and the "saviour of 120 millions" when he tells, through the columns of a newspaper, the details of a gigantic swindle, the plotting of which he has overheard in his gym class for business men.

Greyville
 By
 ALICE HICKS

Our school closed Friday, April 14. Talks were made by Judge J. C. Barrow and Mr. Williams, our County Superintendent, of Hamilton. Dinner on the ground and ball games were enjoyed in the afternoon. The play was changed until Monday night, on account of rather cool weather. Monday night was a more suitable night and a large crowd attended.

Mr. Segrest and Miss Thomas have taught a very successful school term. We feel we were fortunate in having two such teachers. Teachers are a build-up or a break-down to any community, and we can truthfully say that Mr. Segrest's and Miss Thomas' influence and services have been a great help to this community by the "Jolly People's Club" meeting and many other happy gatherings, and we are very glad to say that we will have these teachers with us another term.

Alice Hicks won the scholarship at Clifton College for being the one to make the best grades in the graduating class this term.

A large crowd attended a party given by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Tolliver Saturday night. Everyone enjoyed themselves.

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Lawrence Glover of Millerville spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Earl Land, and husband.

Hoyle Perry visited Chester Land awhile Sunday morning.

We are sorry to hear that Grandma Perry is on the sick list again. She is 94 years old.

The young people of this community enjoyed an Easter egg hunt with Mr. and Mrs. Waddell and son, Warren.

Miss Eddie Mae Walton of Hico spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. L. Thompson.

J. Roy Cooper visited Billie and Clay Collier a while Sunday evening.

Earl Land and family spent Sunday in the Lee King and Jim Land homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackburn and little daughters, Grace, and Evelyn, and son, Truett, spent Sunday afternoon in Hico visiting with relatives who met in the park there, and had a most enjoyable occasion. They were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Blackburn and little granddaughter, Evelyn Louise Johnson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Elam of Evant, Mr. and Mrs. Duzan Blackburn of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Stamford of Claiborne, Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Perry and little son, Bobby Jack of Black Stump, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry.

We are very sorry indeed to hear of the death of Mrs. Effie Land. She was an aunt of Ernest Harris and J. D. Land of this community.

Henry Nix and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nix of Fairy.

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 By
 ALICE HICKS

Our school closed Friday, April 14. Talks were made by Judge J. C. Barrow and Mr. Williams, our County Superintendent, of Hamilton. Dinner on the ground and ball games were enjoyed in the afternoon. The play was changed until Monday night, on account of rather cool weather. Monday night was a more suitable night and a large crowd attended.

Mr. Segrest and Miss Thomas have taught a very successful school term. We feel we were fortunate in having two such teachers. Teachers are a build-up or a break-down to any community, and we can truthfully say that Mr. Segrest's and Miss Thomas' influence and services have been a great help to this community by the "Jolly People's Club" meeting and many other happy gatherings, and we are very glad to say that we will have these teachers with us another term.

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