

The Hico News Review

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Here In HICO

Hico's visitors on Tuesday of this week were composed of a very select aggregation of Texas personages who had condescended to make a trip from North to South Texas along the route of Highway 66.

As we have had a lot to say about this motorcade, which was sponsored by the American Legion as a dedication ceremony for the American Legion Memorial Highway, it will be unnecessary to elaborate on this phase of the matter. The important part of the whole thing is that Hico people appreciated their responsibilities and opportunities, and turned out almost in a body to welcome their guests. The association seemed to be mutually enjoyed, and although no elaborate program had been prepared, the affair went off without a hitch, with the visitors apparently enjoying their short stop.

Needless to say, they will long remember Hico, those who had not been here before. Whatever money was spent by the Chamber of Commerce and others was well invested, and the directors of the local organization are most appreciative of the cooperation tendered.

To hear State Highway Commissioner D. K. Martin talk of roads is to get a real inspiration.

If we have ever known a man who is "sold on his job," D. K. Martin is that man. He talks roads, thinks roads and sleeps roads. And moreover, during his tenure of office on the Highway Commission, he has built roads, which is the most important thing, after all.

Mr. Martin was detained in Stephenville several minutes after the rest of the party left, and had car trouble before arriving at Hico, so his local speech was necessarily cut short. But all along the line where he had the opportunity he told the people of the plans he and his co-workers had, of his work on the Commission since his first appointment in 1923, and of the handicaps which had to be surmounted before anything could be accomplished.

When Mr. Martin talks of Highway 66 and plans for same, we know he is sincere. He does not hide the fact from anyone, whether located on the road or not, that he is vitally interested in its welfare, and determined to see it brought to the stage of perfection which he and other members of the commission have planned for years.

As his lifelong companion, Pat E. Hooks of Itasca, along with him on the trip put it. "Doc Martin thinks of nothing but high ways, and has his whole heart in his work. Why, he has me dreaming of Highway 66 at night, and I don't even live close to it and perhaps can't use it much even after it is completed."

But that's what we started out to say. Highway 66 seems to come first in Mr. Martin's thoughts, whether he be in East Texas or West Texas, in the Panhandle or in the Valley.

With the advantage of the start already made, and the added program of improvement planned, shouldn't we consider ourselves fortunate in being situated on such an important artery of travel?

Those who heard Mr. Martin's seemingly rash statements about the Here In Hico man at the City Park should take same with a grain of salt, as they doubtless did.

He was merely kidding in a part of his reference to us, and probably thought he would fix us up for coming months by having everyone interested in highway matters come to see us for assistance. But those who know him realize that he does not pay any attention to "pull," personal friendship, or anything else, but to the right and wrong of doing something.

While his flattering compliments to one so undeserving of them were sincerely appreciated for the spirit that inspired same, he would not have talked that way if he had thought his confidence would be betrayed or his friendship imposed on.

What we wanted to say in response was to tell what we really think of Doc Martin as a highway commissioner. Dumb as we are, though, we could not put same in words, and even now cannot start to write what we think about him and his work.

We do know that it is unusual to get such a man in public service, a man who keeps politics out of business and his business out of politics. That he has been able to remain in the office long enough to complete as much of his work and stand as he has is fortunate for the taxpayers.

Legion Motorcade Stopped Here Tuesday

ENTIRE OLIN HOUSEHOLD POISONED

Twelve Eat Bread In Which Flour Had Contained Arsenic.

Twelve members of an Olin household were poisoned, none fatally, last Saturday and Sunday when 4-year-old Odell Tarpley, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tarpley, put arsenic in a sack of flour. The boy climbed onto a shelf, found the poison and thinking it was flour, dumped the contents into the sack.

Young Tarpley first told his mother that he had put the poison in the flour, later changing his story and saying that he had not. Mrs. Tarpley as a safety precaution scraped the flour from the top of the sack Saturday night at the evening meal she served biscuit and those who ate them became ill. However, nothing was suspected because the family did not all become ill at once.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wolfe and son, Dennis, were visitors in the Tarpley home. They along with Tarpley's daughter, Mrs. Lucian Hardin and children, Louise and Von Ray, who had come Friday, Ed Tarpley, and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tarpley and children, Ray and Conrad had another "dose" when biscuits were served again.

When all of the people that were present became ill, a doctor was called. They were immediately treated for poisoning and, although all were painfully ill, none were in a serious condition.

The poison affected members of the family differently. Ed Tarpley, brother of H. T. Tarpley, became sick before he finished eating while others did not become ill until later. Mrs. Lucian Hardin was perhaps the most serious. She has been under doctor's supervision during the week, but was resting well Thursday.

As an aftermath of the poisoning, members of the family who were in the H. T. Tarpley home to wait on the sick Tuesday afternoon started to town for ice. Little Katherine Louise Hardin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Hardin, was standing in front of the car which was in gear when cranked. The car ran over Louise and pinned her against a picket fence breaking her right leg just below the knee and bruising her body. Had not several of the pickets in the fence given way, Louise might have been crushed. Both she and her mother are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hardin.

FORMER BLAIR FIELD FLYING INSTRUCTOR HERE FOR SHORT STAY MONDAY

Roy Taylor, one-time flying instructor at Blair Field, local airport, flew a Stinson plane in Monday afternoon and landed it at the field west of town. He was accompanied by Mrs. Taylor and an associate in his business at Kilgore, where he now resides.

Roy and his brother have been operating the Taylor Brothers Flying Service at Kilgore, and have done right well with the new enterprise since its inception about a year ago. Roy says they have eleven planes on the field, and a class of about 18 students. They make cross-country flights, hop passengers and give flying instruction.

Several of their friends met them at Blair Field, recognizing Roy's style of flying a ship, and greeting him cordially when he had landed. He praised the improvements made on the field since his last visit, expressing the wish that the field could be kept up in better condition since it is so well situated and adapted to accommodating passing planes.

Relief Check-Up to Be Made by Office of State Auditor

The following letter from George B. Simpson, State Auditor, is reprinted by request in order to get the desired information before the public:

Under Acts of the 43rd Legislature, 2nd C. S., ch. 15, sec. 13, the State Auditor's office is charged with the duty of auditing relief expenditures and making quarterly reports to each member of the Legislature and the press. However, adequate provision was not made for auditing expenditures of the various county administrative offices, where most of the relief funds are actually disbursed.

The cooperation of the public is sought in this connection, and we would be pleased to receive suggestions for improvement in the manner of expending relief funds by county organizations. Also, any criticism of past expenditures will be carefully considered and taken into account.

Mark Twain Queen



HANNIBAL, Mo. . . . Miss Marian Rupp (above), high school senior, is crowned one of the town's luckiest girls. She has been selected Queen of the Mark Twain Pageant of the Twain Centennial which is being celebrated here all during 1935.

Soil Conservation Service Explains Terracing Value

The Soil Conservation Service is making every effort to present this program to the farmers and other land owners and it might be well to explain just what is meant when the Soil Conservation Service speaks of terracing farm land.

They are the broad base or "Mangum" type of terrace and not the small "bench" type of terrace which has been used in many parts of our Southeast, and in other countries for years.

The Mangum terrace is a ridge of dirt approximately 24 feet wide at the base and 18 inches high at the middle thus making a gentle slope on either side except when built on steep grades.

These terraces are built with a slight grade to the outlet, varying with the length of terraces and the nature of the soil. With such a gradual grade, the water which accumulates in the channel above the terrace moves off very slowly, carrying off practically no soil in suspension.

This means that on a properly terraced field, loss of soil and plant food from erosion is practically eliminated. Manure, fertilizer and vegetable matter which is added to the soil is retained and utilized by the growing crops.

Since the water moves off the field so slowly, it allows more time for penetrating into the subsoil, which is a great advantage in areas of low rain fall, and even in humid sections during dry seasons.

In order to make such a program possible, the Extension Service and the Texas Relief Commission officials pooled their efforts and worked out a plan whereby this service became active. This service is supposed to be self liquidating—charging the farmers and landowners a minimum price for the services. This rate has not been definitely obtained to determine the exact cost of the operations on each type of soil and the different slopes.

This service consists of:

1. Erosion Control
- (A) Running terrace or contour lines, building terraces or contours, terrace outlets, split ways, gully control, dams, etc.
- (B) Planting legumes, grasses, trees, or other cover and soil improving crops (strip cropping, etc.)
2. Water (wells, dams, ponds, etc.)
3. Crops and livestock (trench silo, storage houses, etc.)
4. Forestry (where work will assist in conserving soil).

The quality of work done must be up to a standard as set up by the Extension Service Engineer who will take into consideration data from records of Extension service, experiment stations, soil conservation service, and other sources.

C. P. EMMETT, Conservation Assistant.

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL STARTED WEDNESDAY NIGHT

A revival meeting started at the Church of Christ in Hico Wednesday night, conducted by Elder Hood Wilkins of Weatherford. Elder Wilkins is a fervent speaker and the public will find it worth their time to hear him.

The meeting opened at 8 o'clock, and the closing at 11:30. All are invited.

Future Farmers of America



To Meet July 13.

Hico Future Farmers will meet Saturday, July 13, at one o'clock. Officers for the new year will be installed.

After the business hour, playground ball will furnish entertainment. All boys that took V. A. the past year and those who are planning to take the course this Fall are urged to be present.

— F F A —

District Meeting.

The local adviser attended a district meeting at Stephenville July 1. Annual Future Farmer reports were summarized and completed. Hico's reports were selected as one of the best department reports on Future Farmer work.

— F F A —

Plans For State Convention.

Plans are being made to attend the State F. F. A. convention at Lubbock. The local adviser and two delegates from each chapter are eligible to attend.

The Hico F. F. A. delegates were chosen before school was out. President Herman Leach and Secretary A. D. Land were elected to attend.

The convention is July 24, 25 and 26.

— F F A —

New Chapter Contest.

Hico Chapter plans to enter the State first year contest at Lubbock during the F. F. A. convention.

This contest is to determine which chapter has planned and carried out the past year's Future Farmer program of work best.

— F F A —

Program For State Convention.

The F. F. A. band and Executive Committee will be expected in Lubbock by 2 p. m. July 24.

Other delegates, official and otherwise, will be expected to be there by 2 p. m. July 24.

Official delegates, two per chapter, will be expected to remain over until the night meeting of July 26.

2:00 P. M. Wednesday, July 24—Executive Session of State Officers—Executive Committee.

(1) Check over Lone Star Farmers' and American Farmers' credentials and select the ones to be taken to State and National Convention.

(2) Examine State Chapter Contest material.

a. National Chapter Contest entries.

b. State Chapter Contest entries.

c. First Year Chapter Contest entries.

(3) Examine Credentials for District and Area Contests.

(4) Appoint committees.

(5) Consider recommendations for 1935-36 program of work.

(6) Other considerations for recommendation to convention delegates.

8:00 P. M. Wednesday, July 24—Continuation of Executive Committee's activities.

8:00 A. M. Thursday, July 25—Continuation of Executive Committee's activities.

2:00 P. M. Thursday, July 25—Opening first general session of State Convention.

(1) Opening convention by State officers (Official Opening).

(2) Seating of delegates.

(3) Welcome address.

(4) Response.

(5) Reports of secretaries and treasurers.

(6) Reports by areas and by districts.

(7) Appointment of committees.

(8) Discussions of work of the special committees.

Favors National Lottery



WASHINGTON . . . We will soon all be discussing national lotteries, pro and con, if Congressman Edward A. Kenney (D.) of New Jersey (above), has his way. Despite shelving of his lottery bill at the last session, Kenney has presented a new bill with three choices of lottery plans, "anyone of which will bring the government \$1,000,000,000 a year in revenues of "painless taxation," he says.

Centennial Plans Moving Forward; Actual Start Made

DALLAS, TEXAS, July 10.—With demolition of scores of old structures already well underway in Fair Park, plans moved forward rapidly today toward actual start of construction of the Texas Centennial Exposition, to open here next June 6, in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of Texas Independence.

Backed by the Federal government, the state, the city and thousands of citizens throughout the country who have subscribed to a Centennial bond issue, the \$20,000,000 World's Fair will portray the glamorous romance of Texas history and the growth of the rich Southwestern empire.

The Exposition, which is expected to attract 15,000,000 visitors to Dallas, will be the climax of a statewide celebration of Centennial year, following historic pageants and events in San Antonio, Houston, Galveston, San Jacinto and other historic shrines of the nation's largest state.

Scores of workmen already are busy in Fair Park, where the State Fair of Texas has annually attracted upwards of 1,000,000 visitors in its sixteen days of operation. Old structures, which have housed State Fair exhibits are being razed to make way for the great exhibit buildings to be built for the 1936 World's Fair. Architectural plans are nearing completion and construction work on the new buildings is expected to start soon.

The State of Texas will spend \$1,200,000 on a great Hall of State. A Petroleum and Gas building will feature the largest exhibition of oil well machinery and equipment ever presented in the United States; the Electrical and Communications Building will graphically depict the modern marvels of science.

The City of Dallas will erect a \$500,000 palace to contain the art works of the old masters. The Negro Building will portray the progress in the arts, industries and sciences of the race. It will be the first Negro Building ever featured in an international exposition. Agriculture, Live Stock, Cotton, Pan American, Mexico, the Medical Arts, Better Homes, Pure Foods and Transportation will have buildings of their own. Already constructed are the \$569,000 auditorium building, with its great pipe organ and the \$375,000 sports stadium, which will seat 45,000 people.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, July 14, 1935.

10 a. m. Church School. Lusk Randall, Supt.

11 a. m. Morning Worship. "Renovation."

7:30 p. m. Young People's Meeting.

8:15 p. m. Evening Worship. Preaching by Rev. J. H. Baldrige. Presiding Elder, and short sessions of Third Quarterly Conference.

Come out and meet Bro. Baldrige Monday to Friday, 8 to 10 a. m. at the Vacation School.

Wednesday, 8 p. m. Midweek Meeting. Subject: "Calcuttans."

SPECIAL—Sunday evening, July 14, "Lovers' Progress."

W. F. LAYNE, Pastor.

Keeping Up With TEXAS

A state-maintained ferry across the Colorado River on Highway 66 was opened Tuesday night near Marble Falls. Heavy trucks, busses and live stock will be transported on 24-hour service as well as private automobiles.

Fort Worth citizens in behalf of the entire Texas livestock industry, Monday applied to the historical board of the Centennial Commission for \$300,000 to be used as a part of a fund of \$1,500,000 to stage an elaborate livestock show and pageant in Fort Worth next year. Fort Worth proposing to raise \$1,200,000. The plan would include permanent buildings. The Fort Worth delegation submitted a brief giving details of the plan under which it is expected the largest livestock show in the United States coupled with history will be ready for thousands of out-of-state visitors in 1936.

Mrs. Bettie Williams Jones, 95, of Dallas, oldest ex-student of Baylor University, died at noon Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Lewis Russell, in University Park, a suburb of Dallas. Mrs. Jones first attended Baylor in 1846, the year it was established by Texas Baptists at Independence, in Washington County. Her father, who came to Texas from Georgia to take the position was the first president of the university. She had lived with her daughter since 1907.

Vacation School Successful.

The Vacation School is getting off to a good start. The enrollment reached above sixty the second day.

A fine balance of study, worship, play and handicraft is had and the boys and girls are very happy, as each period shows the result of the time and effort put in.

HICO COUNTRY CLUB TO BE HOST TO VISITING GOLFERS NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday, July 14, is the time set for Hico golfers to again entertain visitors from Hamilton, Stephenville and Gatesville, in the fifth engagement of the Tri-County Golf League.

The league was organized here in the spring, and Hico entertained first. Since then matches have been played at each of the other towns, the last being held at Gatesville, Sunday, June 29.

Hico maintains a lead of 11 points in total score, but if the visitors make good on their threats, local golfers had better look to their laurels, since each town, especially Stephenville, promises to bring pick and pride of club-knockers.

Scoring is figured on medal play, one point being given for low on each nine, and one point for low on 18 holes. Two or three players from each town compose that club's team.

Total Eclipse of Moon Is Forecast For Next Monday

Many in the United States who have never seen a full eclipse of the moon will be afforded that opportunity next Monday night, provided they are willing to stay up until around midnight.

Our friend, Geo. Campbell, out on route 4, who is a voracious reader of newspapers, almanacs, and in fact most anything else interesting, including the Hico News Review, is authority for the statement that Luna will put on the aforementioned show. The eclipse will start around 10 o'clock, according to Mr. Campbell, and continuing until 1:45, with the greatest degree of totality being attained from 11 p. m. until midnight.

The eclipse will be visible in North and South America. Those who are interested should remember the date, Monday, July 15, and the time, around midnight.

Guests Pleased With Hico's Beauty and Hospitality.

Although preliminary plans for the American Legions motorcade over Highway 66 had not included a stop at Hico on its schedule for Tuesday, July 9, the visitors were prevailed upon through Kal Segrist, native son along with the scout car, and other Legion, Parks Board and Highway Department officials to accept the facilities of the City Park and refreshments here.

The motorcade, which originated Monday near Byers, Texas, at the Texas-Oklahoma line, was composed of prominent highway officials, parks board members and American Legion representatives along with a number of interested citizens and officials from towns along the route. Making the entire trip from Wichita Falls to McAllen were Highway Commissioner D. K. Martin, State Parks Board Chairman D. E. Colp, American Legion State Commander H. Miller Ainsworth, State Adjutant Fred Young, Vice Chairman of General Committee Kal Segrist, and Police Inspector J. M. Welch of Dallas. Others represented in the party when it arrived at Hico were Dr. W. D. Danforth, President of the Legion's State Highway Committee; Mrs. W. D. Danforth, President Dept. of Texas American Legion Auxiliary; Jacques Gubbeles, Landscape architect with the Highway Department; Herman G. Namt, Commander Alamo Post No. 2, San Antonio, Bob Whiteaker, State Park Board Engineer and past State Adjutant of the Legion; Police Sergeant M. W. Stevenson of Dallas; Geo. Barber, Legion Publicity Committee chairman; Mrs. Sorrel of San Antonio, long-time worker for parks and roads; and Pat E. Hooks of Itasca, director of the Federal Reserve Board, President of First National Bank of Itasca, president of Southwestern Orphans Home at Flies Valley, member board of trustees of Austin College and president of Itasca Chamber of Commerce.

Associated with the caravan on its trip through this section were many citizens and officials from Stephenville, Hamilton, Lampasas, San Antonio and other towns. A night stop had been made at Mineral Wells, with breakfast at Stephenville, where the Chamber of Commerce played host.

Upon its arrival at the Hamilton-Erath county line, the motorcade was met by a number of local citizens in cars, augmented by others from Hamilton as well as Division Engineer D. M. Packett of Waco, and Engineers Hart and Wallace from the same office. They were escorted to the City Park, where preparations had been made by the Chamber of Commerce to serve feed drinks. Under the pavilion in the beautiful city park the visitors seemed to relax and showed a willingness to tarry a while after the address of welcome by Mayor M. A. Cole.

Kal Segrist, who was traveling with the scout car, called upon various officials for short talks, and something like an hour was spent in Hico before the caravan departed to resume its southward trek, well over an hour behind schedule time.

While passing through the 18 Texas counties lying along Highway 66, locations were selected for roadside parks, of which 100 are planned. The prospective locations on either side of Hico had been marked off the previous year by Engineers Hart and Mitchell, and Mr. Gubbeles, who was in charge of selecting sites, seemed favorably impressed with those shown, especially the one on the L. A. Powledge place near the county line. An offer of a part of the City Park was rejected on account of location within the city limits.

MOTORCADE SEES PARKS ON LEGION HIGHWAY ROUTE

San Antonio, July 10.—More than 60 wayside parks or turnouts where travelers may relax without trespassing on private property will popularize Highway 66, from the Red River to the Rio Grande, it was declared by J. J. Gubbeles, state highway landscape architect, as the motorcade traveling over the American Legion Memorial Highway, as it also is called, left Wednesday to complete its journey to McAllen.

Many park sites have been accepted, including four south of San Antonio. The motorcade started at Byers. Entertainment announced for end of the trip includes a Beynona, Mexico, barbecue by Joe Pate.

The Motorcade spent Tuesday night here after a dinner. Among those present were State Highway Commissioner D. K. Martin, State Park Board Chairman D. E. Colp, Miller Ainsworth, state commander, American Legion, and Mrs. W. J. Danforth, state secretary, Legion Auxiliary.

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Hico, Tex., Friday, July 12, 1935.

AMERICA CARRIES ON

It would be hard to find a man of intelligence who could undertake with any confidence to point out what goal our social order is heading for, or to foretell the results of the tremendous activities of our Federal Government.

We hear on one hand expressions of dissatisfaction, apprehension, and even of despair. On the other hand, many see steps toward a perfect state, which they believe is being created under the New Deal.

We think both of these points of view are wrong. We don't believe that either catastrophe or the millennium lies in our immediate path. What we do believe is that the United States of America will go on just about as it has been going on for a century and a half.

That is the way the American people have conducted themselves in the past and we think it is the way they will continue to conduct themselves in the future.

SHARING THE WEALTH
We expect to hear a good deal of discussion about the President's proposal to levy inheritance taxes in addition to the present estate taxes, and to increase the percentage of taxation on very large incomes.

There is, of course, a tremendous popular appeal to the man in the street, in this plan to redistribute wealth. We doubt, however, that even if such taxation extended to the point of complete confiscation, it would make very much material difference to the average citizen.

Since practically nobody who has any material amount of wealth keeps any large part of it in cash, the payment of death duties and inheritance taxes often, if not generally, involves the forced selling of property, which usually results in realizing much less than its real value.

J. P. Morgan has lately been selling pictures from the art collection founded by his father, and disposing of considerable real estate holdings for cash. Mr. Morgan is approaching seventy, and seems to be attempting to provide sufficient cash to pay the death duties after he passes on.

We think it is probably right to tax the man with a ten-million-dollar-a-year income—if there is any such man in these days—at a higher percentage than the man with only a million dollar income. But when we get up into those high income figures we touch only a few fortunes, perhaps not as many as a hundred.

Apple skins will not wrinkle when baked if the skin is slit in three or four places with a knife before baking.

A PRAISEWORTHY PROJECT

From what we have read and heard about the President's "Youth Project" it seems to have much to commend it. Mr. Roosevelt has set aside \$50,000,000 out of his Work Relief Fund to help young people between the ages of 16 and 25. The announced objectives are:

- 1. To find employment in private industry for unemployed youth.
- 2. To train and retrain young people for industrial, technical and professional employment opportunities.
- 3. To provide for continuing attendance at high school and college.
- 4. To provide work relief upon projects designed to meet the needs of youth.

Whether or not this project succeeds as in its announced objectives, is at least a commendable attempt. Its success or failure will depend upon a great many factors, but particularly upon the intelligence and ability with which it is administered.

This "Youth Project," as we understand it, has for its main purpose the assistance of young people to develop quantities of mind and character. No such development is possible unless the recipient of the benefits gives as much as he or she takes.

We can imagine no greater disservice to young people in their formative stage of life than to encourage them in the idea that the world owes them a living, or that there is nothing shameful in taking money without giving adequate return for it.

The new "Youth Project," under highly skilled administration, might become the greatest character-building enterprise ever undertaken. But it also might easily become a character destroyer.

Gordon
By
MRS. ELLA NEWTON

John D. Smith was a guest of Lewis Smith Tuesday afternoon. Marie Newman is working for Mrs. Nan Alexander this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tidwell of near Ireddell.

Mrs. Ella Newton and family visited in the W. N. Thompson home while Monday night.

Charlie Myers and family of Ireddell visited Bryan Smith and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Newton and little son, W. J. and Mr. Malone of Mt. Zion, spent Friday with Mrs. Ella Newton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tidwell and daughter, Peggy June, of Ireddell were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and son Friday.

Lewis Smith is spending this week with his uncle, Weston Newton and family of Mt. Zion.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and son on the 4th were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tidwell and daughter, Mrs. Maddene Tidwell and daughter and son all of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Wynson Bowman and son, J. D. John Tidwell and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tidwell and son, Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tidwell and family all of Ireddell, also the threshing crew were there. A good dinner and a nice time was had by all.

We are sorry to know that Mrs. John Hargrave is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Talmadge Barnhill and children were visitors of Mrs. W. D. Perkins and children Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Walter Newman visited Mrs. J. R. Newman Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hugh Harris and Mrs. Fannie Sawyer attended the funeral of Mrs. Jesse Ray at Spring Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sawyer visited Miss Mittle Gordon of Ireddell Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Sawyer spent the past week in Glen Rose visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Hatler.

Harve Sawyer and son, Lewis, visited Bern Sawyer and wife on Monday night.

State School Superintendent L. A. Woods announced Tuesday a \$50 per capita payment of the State available school fund, the final payment on the current apportionment of \$16.50. The apportionment has not been liquidated during the current year since July, 1930.

"I WANNA GO HOME" — by A. B. Chapin



RAMBLING 'ROUND NEW YORK
with HUGH KERN

One of the most magnetic window displays I've ever seen in New York was one that had nothing to do with selling goods. People stood around that window with mouths agape. It was a drug store window in the Grand Central Terminal Building, and the display was alive, quite accidental, and quite upset. It was a mouse.

It looks like prosperity is really on the way back, if we can believe the reports of an insanely lavish wedding recently in which the bridegroom undertook to outfit all of his ushers completely in celebration of the three days of activities prior to the wedding. He sent them all to the same tailor for matching dinner coats, tail coats, morning coats and yachting sports outfits, each with all the accessories!

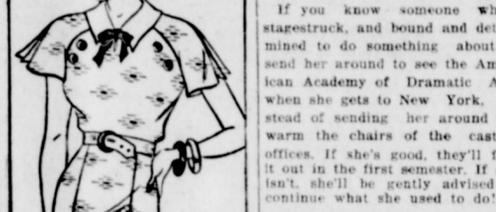
Or again, if you can believe it, the reports say that Long Island, where a substantial majority of New York's Rolls Royces live, is sprouting a new crop of expensive road houses with wheels and double eagles, reds and blacks, dice cages and all the other nick nacks of highstake gambling on the second floor. And the "take" is growing too!

On the sands of the private beach clubs round about New York, it becomes almost a shock, it's so rare, to see a covered male torso. In other words, swim suits tops have gone into the same forgotten gar bag as the two-ton woman's bathing suit of the eight-nineties. All of which gets cheers from this department!

New York movies have put out their air-conditioned signs along Broadway. And the summer-in-somnolence are going in droves to the all-night movies. One of our insomniac friends gets disgusted with trying to go to sleep a couple of times a week, gets out of his restless bed at midnight and trots over to Broadway to while away his time.

Forty-second and Broadway looks strangely bare with the old Rialto theater levelled to the ground. Work on the new theater and buildings should commence soon.

Very Latest TIMELY TOPICS



Designed in Sizes: 11, 13, 15, 17 and 19. (29, 31, 33, 35 and 37 bust). Size 15 requires 3 1/2 yards of 39 inch material with 1 yard of 2 inch ribbon for bow.

SUMMER STREET FROCK
Pattern 8456: The well-dressed girl favors the simple sporting type of frock for street wear in summer—cool, smart and distinctive because of the style and fabric she chooses.

The style sketched makes a very stunning costume when worn with contrasting accessories. It is at home on city streets or on country club grass.

The sleeves, made with raglan shoulders have double pleats to make them interesting and the raglan line is trimmed with buttons. A small rolled collar with small bow tie is effective and becoming. The skirt is slender with panels in front and back. Double pleats, like those in the sleeves, give a nice fullness at the lower edge.

When eggs are properly cooked, even an infant can digest them—omitting fried eggs, and eggs served with highly seasoned sauces. But don't serve a dessert that is rich in eggs in the same meal with the main course of eggs!

How's your posture? If it isn't good, you can't be a really good dancer, for it's the graceful follow through in transferring the weight of the body, the chest and shoulders over the hips that makes the fluid, graceful dancer. Exercises for the stomach and back muscles are of first importance for the prospective dancer.

The origin of the shape of a pretzel was of religious significance, being symbolic of the arms folded in prayer.

When a lobster loses a claw, he grows a new one. He can grow ten sets in a single year!

Sunday School Lesson
by Rev. Charles E. Dunn

NAOMI.
Lesson for July 14th. Ruth 1-14

Golden Text: Proverbs 31:30. Naomi lived with her husband and two sons in Bethlehem-Judah, from where they were driven by famine into Moab. Here, however, they met a worse enemy than famine, namely that of death, which robbed Naomi not only of her yokefellow, but of her two boys as well.

Returning then in sorrow, with Ruth, her daughter-in-law, to her former home at Bethlehem, she was astonished surprise by her old friends. "Is this Naomi?" they cried, scarcely recognizing her because of her changed appearance. "Call me not Naomi (that is, 'My delight')," she replied, plunged in grief, "but call me Mara (or Bitter); for the Almighty hath dealt very bitterly with me."

We are impressed by the brave, large-hearted way in which Naomi faced the sting of adversity. Although her dearest were snatched from her, she still had Ruth, whom she loved tenderly, and about whom she built fond hopes. "Her heart," says Dr. Stalker, was still capable of sending out new blossoms.

That she was a woman of unusual attractiveness is proven by the affection she inspired in her two daughters-in-law. They were aliens, and it must have been difficult for Naomi to adjust herself to their habit of mind and mode of life. She won their devotion.

And how tactful it was of her to suggest to Ruth and Orpah that they return to their old homes rather than continue their journey toward Judah. Of course she wanted them to remain with her, but she realized full well how hard it would be for them to begin life anew in a strange land.

Best of all, Naomi was thoroughly religious. All through the sad years of her exile in Moab she remained true to her God and accepted the first opportunity of returning to the sacred land of her fathers.

THE BOOK
the last line of which reads, "The Holy Bible,"
and which contains Four Great Treasures
by BRUCE BARTON

THE WIDOW WHO GAVE THE MITE
Reckoning up the great givers of the world, the Carnegies with their libraries, the Rockefellers with their universities, the Smithsons with their gifts to learning and research, the builders of hospitals, and the doers of great deeds of mercy, whose name stands as the one whose gift has produced more hard cash than any other? Without question it is the widow who gave the mite.

The scene took place on Tuesday in Holy Week, and rather late in the afternoon. It had been a day of controversy, and Jesus, weary and rejected, was leaving the temple. He and His disciples had been within the third court. The first was the court of the Gentiles, where any well-behaved person might go unhindered. The next was the court of the women so called not because it was exclusively for women, but because it was as far as women were permitted to go. The next was the inner court, the Court of Israel, as far as a layman could approach. Beyond that was the Holy Place, where only the priests had admission, and still beyond, the Holy of Holies, where the High Priest went once a year.

Jesus and His disciples were all laymen. They went to the inner court but not into the Holy Place, much less into the Holy of Holies. And as they withdrew they passed through the court of the women. There were then ten courts around the walls with gold plated trumpets into which contributions were dropped.

There came a poor widow, slipping silently to a trumpet-throat receptacle near a corner, and cast in two copper coins so small in value that we have to reckon in mills to get an approach to an equivalent.

Obligation is commensurate with ability. From the throne of God down to the depth of the lowest hell there is one rule—every moral being is under bond to do his best. God being perfect in goodness is no better than a good God ought to be. Christ's gift of Himself on the cross was not more than Christ ought to have done. Even Christ did no more than the Son of God ought to have done. In some way we must do our best or fall below God's measure. The poor widow gave her all.

And she has inspired millions and millions of people who, except for her, would have thought their gift too small or have measured it by too unworthy a unit of devotion. If we were to reckon up the sums that have been given for charitable causes by reason of her gift we should know that she was first among all philanthropists. We do not need to reduce the words of Jesus to cold arithmetical prose, but if we insist on that still is true.

This poor widow hath cast in more than they all.

ICED DRINKS
In the heated season, our people, especially those living comfortably, are inclined to eat and drink up to the limitations of capacity, rather than within bounds of good judgment. It is not by any means wise to overload on iced drinks. Chilling the stomach cripples very seriously its protective power against microscopic impurities that are always ready to invade the body.

I know a farmer, a "good liver," who sits down to a sumptuous dinner and washes down a hearty meal of all kinds of substantial food with six or seven glasses of heavily-sweetened iced tea! He laughingly admits being a teahound. He is right; but it is necessary for him to indulge like that, far beyond the limit of temperature need? He should remember that we pay for every excess as sur as time goes on. If not certain, Moderate cool drinking in hot

The House Of Hazards By MAC ARTHUR



IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS STELLA JONES, Local Correspondent

Miss Irene Huckabee was a recent visitor in Fort Worth with Mrs. Oliver Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McAdoo visited his brother, J. N. McAdoo from Saturday until Thursday. Had not seen him in seven years. They live in Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Weaver of Sweetwater spent July 4th with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brashear.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Pike of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Cart and children of Cleburne and Mrs. Nannie Bowen of Dallas spent July 4th with their son and brother, Dr. Pike and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Tidwell and baby and Mrs. Madge Tidwell and children of Dallas spent July 4th here with relatives.

Mrs. H. S. Kidd of Electra and Mrs. Sallie Frazier of Petrolia are visiting their brother, J. N. McAdoo and wife, Mrs. Frazier is Mrs. McAdoo's twin sister. The ladies are also visiting another brother, J. W. Mugg of Morgan who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chester and daughter, Charlene of Coosa Creek visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson and other relatives this week. Everett is on his vacation.

Elizabeth Woodal has returned from Sweetwater where she visited for a few weeks.

Misses Elizabeth and Marie Fouts, Lillie Turner and Opal Laurence spent the week end here. They are in summer school in John Tarleton College.

Miss Ruth Hamilton who teaches in the summer school in Hillsboro, spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chester of Cleburne spent a few days here this week visiting relatives.

Miss Peggy June Tidwell spent Tuesday in Fort Worth. Willie Chaffin and his sisters, Myrtle and Era all of Dallas visited their parents here this week.

Miss Evelyn Koonsman has recovered from her operation and is able to come to town of which her friends are glad to know and to see her looking so well.

Mrs. J. T. Wilson and children and her sister, Mrs. R. O. Gillies and son, Ray, returned Wednesday from Anson where they visited a week.

Mrs. O. L. Tidwell has returned from a visit to California. Several of the Iredell people celebrated July 4th by going on the river and having a fish fry and some went to Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Loader of Dallas spent July 4th with his parents.

Mrs. Whitley visited her sister, Mrs. D. A. Rogers of Meridian this last week.

Valeta Mae Dennis is visiting her father, Robert Dennis of Morgan.

Mr. Ostein of Abilene is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Robert Hooper.

Mr. Newsom and son and wife of Littlefield visited his brother, J. L. Newsom here this week.

Mrs. Albert Hensley received a telephone message Friday that her brother, Paul Scott, was very ill. He is in Denton.

Mr. Vickrey of Lanes Chappel is visiting his sister, Mrs. Tom Lundberg.

Mrs. Dora Russell of Meridian is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. no Laughlin.

Mrs. Cora Little, who is in summer school in Denton, spent the week end here.

Emmett Harris of Walnut was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Young spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis. They are in summer school in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Henderson of Mathis are here visiting.

Mrs. Lon Buckham of De Leon is visiting her sister, Mrs. Main.

J. L. Goodman of Big Spring spent the week end here.

Mrs. Dick Appleby and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Proffitt and son spent Sunday in Meridian with Mr. and Mrs. Rube Iley.

Mrs. C. C. Forgy of Georgetown is visiting Mrs. Laswell.

to go to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Houston's home out on the mountain close to Spring Creek. The object of the visit was for her to buy some chickens. Mrs. Walter Satter also went. We looked at the White Leghorn chickens and they are five or six hundred of them and they are beauties. They are well taken care of. We enjoyed looking at them and being with Mr. and Mrs. Houston.

Bobbie Tidwell is visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Mino Laughlin are the proud parents of a daughter, born July 6th, weighed 8 1/2 lbs. and has been named Mildred Jean. Their friends extend to them and the little Miss their best wishes. There will be an old-time singing on the 3rd Sunday and Saturday before at Rural Grove. All singers of the Sacred Harp are invited to be there on July 21.

Mrs. Annie Goodman in company with her sister, Mrs. Sue Segrest, and daughters, Misses Locille and Lorraine Schrest, and Mrs. Satter's grandson, Rudy Segrest, all of Hico, left Friday of last week for a trip to California. They will also visit Colorado and other points of interest. The party went in Misses Locille and Lorraine's new car.

Mrs. E. R. Turner spent the week in Stamford with her sister, Mrs. Rene Turner. Mrs. Willie Schreder and daughter, and Meridian came over and stayed with Mr. Turner while she was gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Davis and sons and Dewey Davis of Alabama came in Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends.

July 6th, R. W. Royal celebrated his 74th birthday at his home. All had a fine time. The tables were placed out in the yard under the shade trees, and the dinner was fine and plenty of it. This event in Mr. Royal's life is observed every year with a dinner. The afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation and some music was also enjoyed. Those enjoying the day were: Mrs. R. B. Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moore, Misses Lavonne and Wynell Jones and Morell Jones, Mrs. Raymond Proffitt and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Keller Dennis and children of Waco, Mrs. J. C. Jordan of Cooke County, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Porson and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Martin, Mrs. Ina Sowell and son of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Dewett Royal and children, John Beavers of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Appleby, Mrs. Tom Strange, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Patterson and son, Cecil, Mrs. Nola Freeman and children, Billie Bryan and Miss Stella Jones. The many friends of Mr. Royal wish for him many more happy birthdays.

Rev. Nation started his meeting in Walnut Sunday. The meeting here will be the second Sunday in August.

Mrs. Berns and children spent the week end in Cleburne.

Mrs. Whitley who will make her home with her son, Homer and family out on Spring Creek, spent the week with her son, Horace and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Milam were presented with a nice miscellaneous shower Tuesday night at their home. The friends knew the couple was not at home and the many and beautiful gifts were taken down there in their absence. After the show, the crowd went back and pretty soon the couple came home and inspected their gifts. It was a complete surprise to them. They are very proud of the gifts.

Miss Eula Lee McGee was born March 19, 1901 at Krum, Texas, and departed this life at her home in the Spring Creek community.

July 6 at 11 p. m. She was married to Jessie R. Ray June 16, 1929. To this union two children were born, Earl and Glenn. She was converted and joined the church in her youth and lived a consecrated christian life through out the years. It was not my privilege to know Mrs. Ray, but have been told by those who know her that she was a good woman, a true and loving wife to her lonely husband, and a true mother to her children. The youngest one will never know anything about its mother as it is very young. Mrs. Ray was a good neighbor and a friend to all and would help everyone she could. She will be greatly missed in the home and in her community. Everything that doctors and friends and loved ones could do was done for her where there will be no more pain nor sorrow. Her leaving this world was very peaceful. She was conscious until the last breath went out of her pain-racked body. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large host of relatives and friends. The floral offerings were beautiful. Besides her husband and children, she leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace McGee, two brothers, Marian and Howard of Decatur, and a large number of other relatives. The services were in charge of Rev. Jackson and R. Lester. The deceased was well known there as she had lived there for sometime and all loved her and will be lonely without her. She is gone but not forgotten. The lonely husband and the two children have the sympathy of their many friends in this great sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lynch received an announcement of the arrival of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pessnell who live in East Texas. The youngster arrived July 3 and weighed 9 lbs. and has been named Sampson, Jr.

Miss Cathryn Oldham was in Waco Friday.

Miss Irene Huckabee was in Waco Wednesday.

Mrs. Lena Loader and Mr. and Mrs. Robertson of Walnut were here Monday.

Mrs. T. Mitchell and son, Rex were in Fort Worth this week.

Mt. Zion

By MRS. ALJIE ADKISON

There have been several around here on the sick list, but all seem to be better at present.

Albert Polnack of Dallas spent the 4th of July with his father and mother. He also carried his wife and children back with him. Mrs. Ruth Polnack has been here for the past two weeks canning corn and fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Pate Bowman and Grady Adkison and mother visited in the Iris Montgomery home Friday night.

Joe Harris and son made a business trip to Meridian Saturday.

Mrs. A. F. Polnack, Mrs. T. C. Freedman and Mrs. Albert Polnack and daughter were in Hico Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris and sons and daughters spent the 4th in Glen Rose.

Bud Westerman and wife have moved to the Pike place.

Iris Montgomery and family visited in the home of Grady Adkison Saturday night.

When you are serving eggs as the main course of a meal, don't fail to serve some bulky foods, too for eggs are so concentrated that they require a considerable amount of bulky food to balance the meal properly.

Salem

By MRS. W. C. ROGERS

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Laney celebrated their golden wedding anniversary and Mr. Laney's 74th birthday Sunday. Many beautiful cakes were brought and dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Phelps and family, Mr. and Mrs. McAdams, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pointexter of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hilton of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burnett of Olin, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Ferguson and family of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stevens and family of Hillsboro, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cunningham and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cunningham of Iredell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ripley and daughter, Misses Hazel Jo English and Marie Wright of Johnsville, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Roberson of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Laney and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberson and daughters, Jessie and Loda, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Miller and family, Mrs. Lou Wolfe, Mrs. C. J. Lambert, Mrs. W. E. Lambert and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Canady, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Canady and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Canady, Mrs. A. H. Childress and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roberson and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Littleton and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farrell and family, T. M. Noland and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee King and sons, Mrs. Grace Driver and daughters, Bud Driver, Mrs. S. P. Saffell and daughter, Marie, all of Salem and Neva Vincent of Jayton, Mr. Wise-man was called upon to take a picture of the group.

Miss Manda Driver of Stephenville is visiting her brothers, Henry, Joe and Hilary for a few weeks.

Mrs. Tom Laney spent Monday with Mrs. Albert McEntire.

Blanche Driver spent Saturday night with Martelle Koonsman.

Little Messrs. Weldon and Clinton Roberson of Penitlon are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Roberts and son, Max, and H. R. and Billy Hyde of Hico spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hyde.

Mrs. Seal of Morgan is visiting a few days with her daughter, Mrs. F. M. McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Trimble of Duffau and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and family of Hico spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Geisecke of Millerville and Babe Lambert spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and family.

Mrs. Tephia Russell is on the sick list this week. We hope she will soon be up again.

Misses Willie and La Verne, Lessie and Dessie Dean Saffell attended Sunday school at Duffau.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and family spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Geisecke.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Driver and children spent Sunday with Mrs. B. L. Hollis and daughter, Shiny.

Mrs. S. P. Saffell and daughter accompanied Mrs. Velma Whiteside to Stephenville Tuesday afternoon to the Home Demonstration Meeting.

Altman

By MRS. J. H. MCANALLY

Visitors in the H. G. Cozby home the 4th were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Koonsman and children, Alma Jean and Ray Dean of Duffau, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cozby of Hico, Mrs. P. M. Sharp and daughter, Lollida, of Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Railsback and baby of Kilgore are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Partain.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Springer

of Dallas are visiting his sister, Mrs. Walter Bingham and family. Mrs. C. E. Wilhite, Miss Eleanor and Vasta Rose Wilhite visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hinson and Miss Fayne Monday.

Earl C. Montgomery, Willard Young and Henry McAnelly fished on the Bosque the 4th.

Wayne and Milton Cozby came home from California Thursday. Wade Graves of Carlton visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson and children Sunday.

Whitley Hinson and Willard Young were fairly visitors Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting in the J. H. McAnelly home Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Waldrop and baby of Hico, Mrs. Eloise Reed of Hamilton, Mrs. J. F. Piere and Mrs. Memry Hawkins and son of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lowery and children of Hamilton, and Mrs. J. W. Waldrop of this community.

H. G. Cozby is ill but better at this writing.

Miss Ruth Waldrop of Fort Worth visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waldrop Monday.

Hog Jaw

By OMA ROBERSON

(Intended for last week)

Mrs. Archie Leitaker and children returned to their home in Susanville, Calif. Sunday, after a two week's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Howerton.

Mrs. Marvin Elkins returned home from the Stephenville Hospital Tuesday where she had been for treatment and is doing nicely.

Charles Parton of Duffau was a guest of Miss Nadine McChrystal Sunday night.

Miss Mildred Borgan of Duffau is here spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Roberson.

Clayton Lambert and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Prater of near Iredell.

Mrs. D. Little and daughter of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lambert Tuesday night.

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Fairy

By MRS. FRANK ALLISON

Rev. D. Graves and family of Fort Worth were visitors of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hedgepath and children Thursday.

Mrs. Oscar Jacobs of Breckenridge visited relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Laura Newton of Fort Worth visited her mother, Mrs. B. A. Grimes the past week.

Mrs. H. S. Pitts visited in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Abel and children of Mt. Pleasant Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Wright of Fort Worth spent from Thursday until Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Herricks.

Mrs. Cora Shannon and children Jerrybeth and Harold Dennis of Mt. Pleasant were guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. Hedgepath and children Sunday.

Miss Freda Clayton was the guest of relatives and friends of Hico over the week end.

Dan Fulbright of Stephenville and Mrs. Ora Mae Blackwell of this place were quietly married on Saturday, June 29. Mr. Fulbright is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Fulbright of Stephenville and Mrs. Blackwell the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks. They are away for their honeymoon at various places in South Texas. We wish them much happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Parks and son, Alton, and mother, Mrs. Robt. Parks, were in Cleburne Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Jordan and children.

Mrs. O. C. Jordan and children of Cleburne are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks.

Mrs. A. R. Hoover is on the sick list this week.

Misses Loucille Herricks and Cora Wright are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Wright, also Mr. and Mrs. Presley Herricks of Fort Worth.

Mrs. B. A. Grimes and son, Henry, visited in the home of Johnnie Grimes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyno visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seago Tuesday night.

LITTLE MOTHER OF MINE
In Memory of Mrs. W. T. McLarty
Little Mother of Mine.
With your sweet smile divine
You have gone to that fair shore
To live forever more.

You will be missed Mother dear,
We will miss your cheer
Though you are gone,
Still you are here.

You are here in our hearts
You are here in our lives
And some sweet day
We will meet you in paradise.

You were always loving, kind and true,
Always willing your work to do
Always ready to heal our childish woes
And kiss our little sore fingers and toes.

You are gone little Mother
From your earthly home
But your good deeds
Will forever live on.
—Composed by her niece, Miss Hassler Nookes.

Wins Presidency



DETROIT... Mrs. Roberts Campbell Lawson (above), of Tulsa, Okla., is the new president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs with a membership of over 2,000,000 active members. She won in a close election here.

First for Fall



NEW YORK... Above is pictured an authentic tip-off of the trend in women's fall hats. It is the velvet-lined, pointed hat with a slight curve and a decorative band.

HEALTH OFFICER SHOWS IMPORTANCE OF GUARDING AGAINST FLIES

Austin, Texas, July 10.—Flies spread disease. They are reared in filth and through life make frequent trips from filth to food. Germs causing dysentery and other intestinal disorders are transported on the hairy feet of flies. These insect pests are regarded as having played a leading part in causing food-borne epidemics of typhoid fever, stated Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

Flies multiply rapidly as soon as warm weather comes to stay. A female deposits more than a hundred eggs at a time in organic material such as manure or in an insanitary outdoor toilet. The life cycle from egg to larva (maggot), to pupa, to adult male or female fly requires but ten days. A week later, fifty females, under favorable conditions, are ready to deposit a total of 50,000 eggs. During the summer season, nine generations of flies may result from one female that laid the first batch of eggs in the spring. It is estimated that if the offspring of a single overwintering female were to survive through nine generations, descendants in the fall would number over five and a half trillion.

Fortunately, modern sanitation and knowledge regarding the life history and habits of the house fly render possible complete control over the fly nuisance. Proper disposal of human and animal wastes in urban areas and on farms will prevent the breeding and multiplication of flies. Practical suggestions relative to methods of fly control may be obtained from the State Department of Health and U. S. Department of Agriculture.

JOE GISH



WHAT WE REALLY NEED HERE IN THE U.S. IS AT LEAST TWO FELLERS WHO CAN ACTUALLY AGREE ON WHAT THIS COUNTRY NEEDS...IF ANYTHING.

Heart Oked Again



CHARDON, O.—Joseph Krehmar (above), 48, is alive and home today, the first patient in the world to survive an operation and be cured of angina pectoris (heart). Dr. Claude R. Beck of Cleveland performed the operation last February.

Swims and Sings



NEW YORK... Virginia Verrill, 19-year-old radio star from Oak Ridge, is not only a good swimmer but also a singer. She will be featured in the summer season at the beach.

Would Deport Aliens



WASHINGTON... Congressman Martin Dies (D) of Texas (above), would bar all immigration for 50 years and compel admitted aliens to seek citizenship within 12 months, thus purging the country of 6,000,000 deportables. He claims there are 3,500,000 illegally entered aliens now here and wresting jobs from our own unemployed.

JOE GISH



GRANNY HETTON SAYS MEN HAVE GOTTA HAVE A LOT UV EXPERIENCE 'FORE THEY CAN DO ANYTHING WELL. THAT IS, EXCEPT MAKIN' A FOOLS UV THEMSELVES.

Awaiting Detroit Trial



DETROIT... William Schweitzer (above), small-time manager of girl dance acts, must stand trial for the shooting of H. C. Dickinson, prominent N. Y. attorney and nephew of Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, following a drinking party here.

Heads Women's Relief



JACKSON, Miss.—Above is Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward of this city who has been appointed assistant Works Progress and assistant Emergency Relief Administrator by Harry L. Hopkins. She is to have charge of needy women relief problems throughout the country.

Face Lifted Slightly in Final Beauty Treatment



WASHINGTON... The massive figures adorning the entrance to the new Federal Archives Building here have been placed and are receiving their final beauty treatments by sculptors. "Philosopher," representing learning, is shown in the photo having a sagging cheek lifted slightly.

Governs "Youth" Funds



WASHINGTON... Aubrey Williams (above), newly appointed Executive Director of the "National Youth Administration," with \$50,000,000 from the four billion work relief funds, is the man to whom some 500,000 needy youths will turn this summer for help in carrying on school work and vocational training this Fall.

SISTER AND BROTHER SEE EACH OTHER FOR FIRST TIME WITHIN 20 YEARS

Mrs. William Harris of Louisville, Ky., arrived in the home of her brother, T. E. Streeby, near Black Stump Valley recently for a visit with the Streeby family. She will be there for a week or so longer.

Mr. Streeby says this is the first time he and his sister have met in 20 years, this being Mrs. Harris' first visit to Texas. Mrs. Streeby left Kentucky several years ago, and has not been back to visit with his sister since that time.

Needless to say, the visit is being mutually enjoyed. Mr. Streeby says Mrs. Harris is impressed with the beauty and general conditions found in Texas, and especially in the Black Stump Valley.

It looks like prosperity is really on the way back, if we can believe the reports of an insanely lavish wedding recently in which the bridegroom undertook to outfit all of his ushers completely in celebration of the three days of activities prior to the wedding. He sent them all to the same tailor for matching dinner coats, tall coats, morning coats and yachting sports outfits, each with all the accessories!

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In Pacific Kidnapping



TACOMA... The court appointed a former mayor as trial lawyer for Mrs. Margaret Waley (above), 19 year old wife of Harmon Waley who was given 45 years for his part in the recent Weyerhaeuser kidnapping. Early evidence indicated she had small part in the abduction.

Wins—But No Highbrow



NEW YORK... Miss Beatrice Ann Frear, 16, (above), of Evanston (Ill.) Township High School, has just set sail for a tour of Europe, maintaining she is no "highbrow" despite the fact that she won the trip over 10,000 competing students in a League of Nations essay contest. Her ambition is to be a reporter.

National Cherry Queen



TRAVERSE CITY, Mich.—Miss Genevieve Pepra (above), Queen of the National Cherry Festival this month, is home from Washington where she went to present a fifty-pound cherry pie to President Roosevelt.

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SOCIETY CLUBS & PERSONALS

John Jeffus of Lordsburg, New Mexico, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. John Y. Waldrop and family.

Mrs. Annie B. Currie spent the week end in Stephenville with her sister and other relatives.

Lloyd Kenner Burleson, Ray Cheek and Jack Hollis were in Glen Rose the 4th.

ICE COLD WATERMELONS for sale at Bell Ice & Dairy Co.

Miss Vletta McAnally left the latter part of last week for points in Arkansas for an extended visit.

ROSS SHOP, Jewelry, Watch and Clock Repairing. 23-17c

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold and Miss Mavis Hardy spent the 4th in Glen Rose.

Jack Wren returned home Saturday from Abilene where he has been sometime for treatment.

Mrs. E. F. Porter and daughter, Martha, spent Sunday in Hamilton with relatives.

WANTED—25 Suit Club members. Inquire at City Cleaners. (5-2c)

Miss Sallie Alford left Monday for Dallas after spending several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Alford.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Mings attended the Old Settlers' Reunion between Clifton and Valley Mills July 4th.

Hector Hollis who is employed at San Angelo spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Hollis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Welborn, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Golden and Mr. and Mrs. Dellis Seago spent the 4th in Glen Rose.

Mrs. Johnnie Farmer spent the week end at Walnut Springs, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Strong and son.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wiseman and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown and family spent the 4th in Glen Rose where the men played golf.

Mrs. E. A. Bailey of Winters is here on an extended visit with her sons, J. L. and Roger Bailey and families. Roger Bailey went to Winters after her the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gamble left the first of the week for Sweetwater and Abilene where they will spend two or three weeks with relatives. Arthur Phillips is operating the blacksmith shop during Mr. Gamble's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Phillips and family of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Phillips and daughter of Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips and children of Hico were dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Phillips on the 4th of July.

PALACE

FRIDAY—
Joan Crawford, Robert Montgomery and Clark Gable
in
"FORSAKING ALL OTHERS"
COMEDY.
SATURDAY MAT. & NIGHT—
Buck Jones
in
"WHITE EAGLE"
COMEDY.
SUN. MAT. & MON. NIGHT—
BUCK NITE
Neal Coward
in
"THE SCOUNDREL"
FOX MAVIETONE NEWS
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY—
BARGAIN NIGHT
10c and 15c
"RUGGLES OF RED GAP"
With
Charles Raglies, Charles Laughlin and Zani Pitts
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THURSDAY-FRIDAY—
Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey
in
"THE HITWITS"

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crowover of Marble Falls were business visitors in Hico the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Earle Harrison spent the week end in Osceola, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Harrison.

Miss Katherine Massinill joined a party from Hamilton the first of the week and is spending several days in Glen Rose.

Miss Nell Koonce of Rising Star is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hattie Norton, and uncles, T. A. Lusk and E. H. Randalls and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bell and twin daughters, Ann and Jan of Groesbeck spent the week end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mark Waldrop, and with relatives at Carlton.

Miss Ona Hodges left Wednesday for her home in Crawford after spending several days here with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCarty and daughter, Sylvia Ray, of Abilene spent the latter part of last week here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Russell left Tuesday for San Angelo to spend a few days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stewart and son, Howard Russell.

ICE COLD WATERMELONS for sale at Bell Ice & Dairy Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCullough of Goldthwaite spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Mings, and Mr. McCullough's brother, H. E. McCullough and family.

Mrs. Towns and daughter, Mrs. Steve Scales, of Breckenridge were in Hico July 4th visiting old friends. They formerly resided in this city, when Mrs. Scales was Miss Wilma Towns.

Miss Marguerite Fairry and Harry Hudson were in Lometa Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Sampley, Robert, Betty Jo and Carol Anderson who had been there for the past two weeks, accompanied them back to Hico Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Lackey and Miss Florence Chenault spent Saturday night in Fort Worth with relatives. Mr. Lackey, who had been in that city for the past two weeks for treatment, accompanied them home Sunday afternoon and is getting along nicely at his home here.

Mrs. Anna Driskell, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McFadden and son, Mrs. A. Rierson, Mrs. Weisenbunt, Bob Lewis and F. E. Ragdale were among those from Hico to attend the homecoming of former citizens from the community of Clifton July 4th. The entire day was enjoyed by all the Hico-ans.

Mrs. Cecil Aycock and children left last Saturday for their home in Amarillo after a visit here with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aycock, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. C. Burney at Fairly. They were accompanied to Amarillo by Mr. Aycock's father who returned home the first of the week.

Mrs. Sue Segrist and grandson, Rudy Segrist, her sister, Mrs. Annie Goodman of Iredell, and her twin daughters, Misses Locielle and Loraine Segrist of Dallas left the latter part of last week for a motor trip to points in Colorado and California for a stay of two or three weeks, enjoying the scenery of those states.

Charley and Mark Welch formerly of Hico but now of Dallas, dropped in to say hello to a few old time friends Tuesday. They had been to El Paso and were en route home. The farm on Honey Creek known as the Welch place, is the old home place of this family, now scattered throughout the state. The mother still lives in Dallas.

Mrs. R. E. Bass and daughter, Glendine, are enjoying a visit in Sweetwater with her sister, Mrs. John M. Alton and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moffitt and little son, Johnny, of Los Angeles, California, are here for a visit with Mrs. Moffitt's sister, Mrs. T. A. Randalls and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry H. Barrow of Houston are here for a few days' visit with his brother, Grady, and sisters, Mrs. Annie Waggoner, Mrs. George Stringer and Mrs. John Haines and families.

Mrs. Lawrence N. Lane spent from Monday until Friday in Galveston attending the Florist Convention, also the school of designing, specializing in wedding decorations and funeral designs.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall, Miss Mary Helen Hall and their guests, Dr. Wendell Hall and Dr. Grady Mitchell of Philadelphia, Pa., spent the first of the week in Glen Rose.

Mrs. John Y. Waldrop and little daughter, Alice, returned home the first of the week from Lordsburg, New Mexico, where they spent two weeks with Mrs. Waldrop's parents who reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Fiedler of Dallas were week end guests of her mother, Mrs. W. E. McAnally. Mrs. Fiedler was the former Miss Zora McAnally, her marriage to Mr. Fiedler having occurred in Fort Worth June 1.

Mrs. Louise Baldwin spent the week end in Fort Worth with her brothers, Herbert and Everett Smith and families, Mrs. Herbert Smith and little daughter, Jo Ellen, accompanied her home to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Campbell, Miss Ona Hodges and Mrs. T. J. Banks and son spent Sunday in Glen Rose. Mrs. Campbell and Miss Hodges remained for two more days and the remainder of the party returned home Sunday afternoon.

C. B. Nolan left the first of the week for Moran where he has accepted a position at Garland Shelton's Barber Shop. Mr. Nolan has been employed for several years at Johnson's Barber Shop. His family plan to join him there at an early date.

F. M. Richbourg who spent the past week in Eldorado, Arkansas, employed by a loan company, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Richbourg, enroute to Galveston where he has been transferred and where he will make his headquarters while working for that company.

J. A. Bullard of Fort Bliss, Texas, is here visiting his brother, Lemuel Bullard and family and other relatives. J. A. had not been back to Hico in fifteen years, and said the entire town seemed to have undergone a complete change. He had not seen his brother in eight years. He enlisted in the army two and one-half years ago, and since that time has been living at Fort Bliss.

The annual reunion of the Purdon family was held at the Bob Purdon ranch in the Duffau community Thursday, July 4th. The family gathered early in the day and after the bountiful lunch served at noon, the party went to Glen Rose and enjoyed the remainder of the day. Those present were Mrs. R. W. Purdon and Mr. and Mrs. Roy French and four children of Hico; Mrs. Madge Simons and son and Mrs. Fields of Memphis; Mrs. Zack Barrow of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Callan; Roscoe Purdon and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Callan of Kaufman; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Purdon and two children of Amarillo; and Bob Purdon and daughter of Stephenville. This reunion is held annually and is always looked forward with great anticipation especially from the mother, Mrs. R. W. Purdon, who would like to be with all of her children all of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Harris and two daughters, Misses Lula Faye and Imogene, of Albany, accompanied by Mrs. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Patrick of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who had been their guests for sometime, came to Hico Sunday and were met at the city park by Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chandler and son, Pat, of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Connelly and Mrs. Mayfield of Dublin, Mrs. Anna Driskell and daughter, Pauline, and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McFadden and son and Miss Sallie Cunningham all of Hico, where lunch was enjoyed. In the afternoon a number of their other Hico friends called, and pleasant conversation was enjoyed throughout the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Chandler and son on to Goldthwaite for a brief visit before returning to their home in Oklahoma. The remainder of the party returned to their homes Sunday afternoon.

Young People of M. F. Church Entertained by Pastor and Wife
The Young People of the Methodist Church and their friends had a good time on the parsonage lawn last Friday night, as the guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Cunningham.

Games were led by Mrs. Cunningham and there was not an idle moment from the beginning of the evening through the refreshment period.
About twenty were present.

Birthday Celebrations Held At Barbee Home July 4th
There was another happy occasion at Jess Barbee's home July 4th in the way of two birthday dinners. One was Jess Jr.'s and the other was Roy Glover's.

Mrs. Barbee and Mrs. Glover know how to prepare for such occasions as they sure had a fine dinner. The afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation and pictures taken of the group.
Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fouts and grandson of Palls Creek, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Barbee and children of Fairly, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Owens and Sherman Roberson, Bobbie Deskins of Millerville, Jack Dankers, Tullus Carpenter and family and Mrs. Mollie Carpenter all of Hico, and Fate Farramore.

Everybody left wishing Jess Jr. and Roy Glover many more happy birthdays.

Roby Girl Became Bride of Bernard Ogle Sunday Morning
The marriage of Miss Arvella McWhirter of Roby and Mr. J. Bernard Ogle of Hico occurred in Roby, Texas, at the home of the bride Sunday morning, July 7, at 9 o'clock. The sacred rites were read by Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Spur, who used the ring ceremony. Only the immediate family of the bride and a few close friends witnessed the marriage.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Hutton McWhirter of Roby. She is a graduate of the Roby High School, attended Hardin Simmons University at Abilene, and North Texas State Teachers' College at Denton. She has taught in the Roby schools for the past seven years.

The groom was reared in Hico, being a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ogle. He is a graduate of the Hico High School, and completed a course in a school of pharmacy in Fort Worth, and is now a registered pharmacist. He has had employment in drug stores in Clifton and Meridian, and was manager of a store in Walnut Springs for sometime. At present he is manager and one of the owners of the Corner Drug Co. in Hico.

Immediately following the marriage, a breakfast was served in the bride's home after which the newlyweds left for Del Rio and points in Old Mexico for a brief honeymoon trip, returning to Hico Wednesday afternoon.

The couple are receiving congratulations and best wishes from their many friends at the Ogle residence in the east part of town where they are making their home.

NOTICE TO SCHOOL PATRONS
Patrons of schools who intend to transfer to Hico Independent School District for next year have until August 1st to make application for transfer. Application blanks may be had by applying to the County Superintendent of the County in which the patron resides or by applying to Mr. G. Masterson, Superintendent of Hico Public Schools.

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OPAL DRIVER

Rev. O. O. Newton of Pottsville, is conducting a ten days' meeting here, having started last Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend each of the remaining services.

Bob Webb of near Hamilton is teaching a singing school here.

Mr. and Mrs. McKandassi and family of the Gum Branch community spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver visited awhile Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables and son, and Miss Johnny Driver attended church at Hico Sunday night.

Oran Columbus left last week for Abilene.

G. C. Driver has begun measuring the cotton acreage.

Died at Farm Home Wednesday.
Dan Blue, who had been in ill health for sometime, passed away at the family home four miles northeast of Hico Wednesday morning. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Hico Cemetery by Rev. W. P. Cunningham, pastor of the Hico Methodist Church, and interment made in the Hico Cemetery. Grady Barrow, undertaker, was in charge of the funeral.

Mr. Blue is survived by his mother, one brother and two sisters.

COMMISSIONERS COURT MAKES APPROPRIATION FOR COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT

An appropriation for a County Home Demonstration Agent has been made by the Hamilton County Commissioners Court, according to announcement by Miss Kate Adele Hill, District Home Demonstration Agent for District 3, of the Extension Service of A. & M. College.

The appropriation is effective August 1, and an agent will be selected by Miss Hill by that date.

Iredell Lady Commended.
Stephenville, Texas, July 10.—Mrs. Nan (E. W.) Alexander of Iredell was commended today by A. H. Wilcox, professor of education at John Tarleton College.

Mrs. Alexander is doing senior work at Tarleton this summer. Mr. Wilcox reports that she excels markedly in a course in primary education.

Her observation of the demonstration school conducted at Tarleton under the supervision of Miss Caroline Tuning, guest professor from Fort Worth, evinces insight and understanding, Mr. Wilcox said. Her general class work stands above the average standard.

HIGHWAY 66 NOW OPEN FOR TRAVEL

Marble Falls, Texas, July 10.—Transportation across the Colorado River, on highway 66, for automobiles, busses, trucks, livestock, freight and passengers was reestablished this afternoon when a state constructed and maintained ferry was put into operation. The ferry service across the Colorado will be maintained 24 hours per day until a permanent bridge is constructed.

The ferry is 12 by 50 feet and accommodates three automobiles on each trip. Round trips are completed in fifteen minutes, it taking five minutes to complete the crossing. The ferry is operated on the natural lake formed by the dam at this place.

The maintaining of this ferry opens highway 66 to motor traffic for the first time since the Marble Falls bridge was swept away on June 14 by the rampage Colorado river. Highway 66 furnishes the shortest motor route between San Antonio and Fort Worth, and was recently dedicated as the American Legion Memorial highway.

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Coffee, best grade, Pea Berry, lb.	20c
Tea, high grade, bulk, lb.	35c
Soy, Lifebuoy, 3 bars	20c
Rinso, Two 10c pkgs.	15c
Laundry Soap, large white 7 bars	25c
Syrup, Dreamland, gal.	45c
Prunes, nice size, 3 lb.	20c
Vinegar, pure apple cider Gallon	35c

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Rubber Hose, 50 ft.	\$2.65	Goblets, extra large, set of 6 for	65c
Rubber Hose, 25 feet	\$1.45	Cups and Saucers, decorated or plain white, set of 6	65c
Syrup Pepsin, 60c size	39c	2 Qt. Ice Cream Freezer	95c
Reading Glass, big value Pair	25c to \$1.95	25 qt. Pressure Cooker	\$9.95
Fly Spray, qt. size	50c	Window Shades, asst. pat.	10c
Bayers Aspirin, 2 boxes	25c	Men's Tennis Shoes, best grade, pair	85c
Plate Glass Mirrors, 11x17 inches, each	69c	Men's Summer Suits, a big value	\$3.95
Rugs, 16x27 in., fancy pat. 100 to sell at	9c	Ladies Rayon Hose, 35c value, pair	19c
Rugs, 3x6 feet, fancy pat. Each	69c	Ladies Full Fashion Silk Hose, pair	59c, 69c and 79c
Rugs, 9x12 feet, fancy pat. each	\$5.25		

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News Of The World Told In Pictures.

Drought Days Are Forgotten



DES MOINES, Ia. . . . Generous rains and abundant sunshine throughout America's food belt, Texas to Minnesota, now indicate bumper crops this year with drought weeks and dust storms of last year forgotten. Photo show June Caldwell, former Iowa 4-H Club queen, waist deep in a heavily filled wheat field near here.

Mid-Western Terror



YORK, Neb. . . . The above awesome photo, showing the "funnel" of a tornado which lashed down near here, was taken at a distance of a little more than a mile. Buildings on three large farms were carried away. The photo is copyrighted by Wright Gale.

First for Fall



NEW YORK . . . Above is pictured an authentic tip-off of the trend in women's fall hats. It is the velvet beret, glorified with a forward movement and emphasized by clever fan-like inverted tufts. The simple band, knotted on the left, is of black belting ribbon.

Disney On Parade



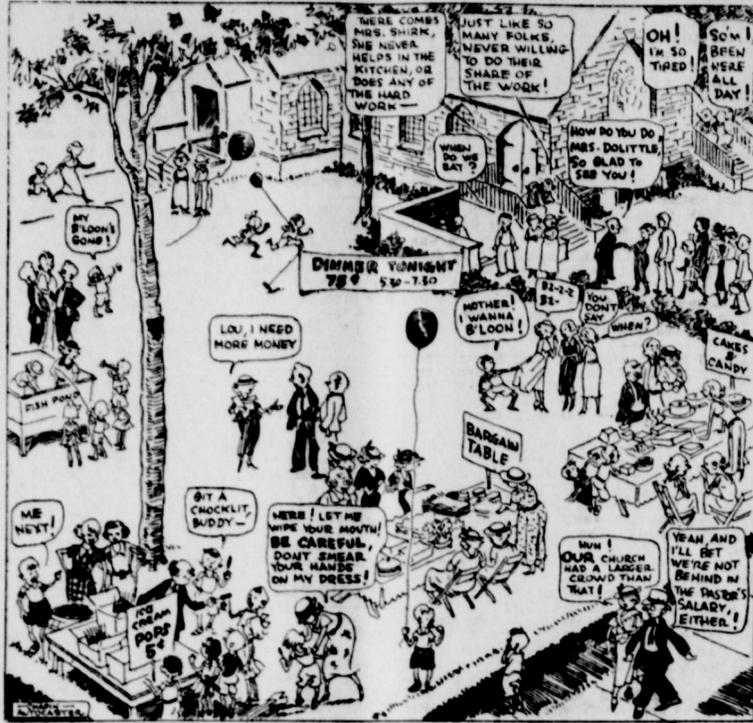
NEW YORK . . . Above is Walter Disney, creator of the famed "Mickey Mouse, Three Little Pigs and other immortal animated picture characters" who finds penguins droll chaps as he strolls with them in a London zoo.

726-Carat Diamond



NEW YORK . . . The Jonker diamond is here, the huge 726-carat uncut stone being valued at \$1,000,000. Its size is demonstrated by Glad's Hannaford, Jacobs Jonker, its finder in South Africa last year, sold it in London for \$350,000.

THE LAWN FETE — by A. B. Chapin



After "Chain" Fortune



TRENTON, N. J. . . . A "common informer" gets one-half the penalties when the accused is found guilty in this state. Above is W. F. Zwirner who has brought suit against the Western Union Telegraph Co., for \$3,600,000 on the ground it violated gambling laws by sending chain telegrams.

Mrs. "Bill" Bonthron



PRINCETON, N. J. . . . Above is Mrs. Wm. M. "Bill" Bonthron, bride of the noted Princeton track captain and one of the great milers of all time. Bonthron announces his retirement from track competition.

Loses Commerce Job



WASHINGTON . . . Ewing Mitchell (above), Missouri lawyer and Assistant Secretary of Commerce since 1933, has been ousted by President Roosevelt, upon recommendation of Secretary R. J. M. Johnson of S. C. gets the

Virginian Heads Rotary



ROANOKE, Va. . . . Above is Mr. Edward R. Johnson, of this city, newly elected President of the International Rotary Club at its annual convention, held in Mexico City this year.

Wins Presidency



DETROIT . . . Mrs. Roberta Campbell Lawson (above), of Tulsa, Okla., is the new president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs with a membership of over 2,000,000 active members. She won in a close election here.



4-H Club Winners in Washington



WASHINGTON . . . Above are the 4-H Club winners of the Payne Fund Fellowship for 1935-36, consisting of \$1,000 each with which to study for 9 months in the Department of Agriculture. The award is made each year to one young woman and one young man for outstanding farm club achievements. On the left is James J. Potts of Aspermont, Tex., and right, Miss Ruth Lohmann of Zumbrota, Minn.

New NRA Top Men



WASHINGTON . . . Above are the two men who will head the skeletonized NRA until April, 1936, under the appointment of President Roosevelt. They are: (above), James L. O'Neill, Vice-president of the Guaranty Trust Co., N. Y., named acting NRA Administrator. Below, George L. Berry, President of the International Pressmen's Union, as assistant to O'Neill representing labor.

Heart Okeh Again



CHARDON, O. . . . Joseph Krehmar (above), 48, is alive and home today, the first patient in the world to survive an operation and be cured of angina pectoris (heart). Dr. Claude H. Beck of Cleveland performed the operation last February.

Swims and Sings



NEW YORK . . . Virginia Verrill, 18-year-old radio star from California, is not only a good swimmer but has a voice so lovely that she landed the feature-star contract on the new "Boosy Sketchbook" program for her first Eastern appearance over the air.

"Tiger Woman" Free



LOS ANGELES . . . Above is Clara Phillipps, "Tiger Woman" slayer of a rival, as she appeared when released from prison this month after having served twelve years.

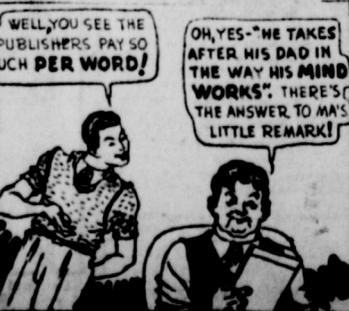
Achieve Sensational "Artificial Heart"



NEW YORK . . . The development of an "artificial heart" and a man-made "blood stream" which enables science to keep vital organs of man alive and functioning outside the body, is hailed as the most sensational in the annals of medicine. The two men who achieved this triumph are Col. Charles L. Lindbergh, America's ace aviator, above left, who invented the pump and Dr. Alexis Carrel, above right, Nobel Prize winner, the medical expert.



Mr. Harvey S. Firestone congratulating Roger, his fifth and youngest son, who was graduated from Princeton University June 14.



The DIVORCE COURT MURDER

By MILTON PROPPER



Fifth installment.

SYNOPSIS: Six persons are in an inner office of the law firm of Dawson, McQuire and Locke at Philadelphia. A master hearing in the divorce case of Rowland vs. Rowland is under way. Mrs. Rowland, represented by her lawyer brother, Mr. Willard; Mr. Rowland, the defendant and his attorney, Mr. Trumbull; the court clerk and Mr. Dawson, the master, are the six persons. There is a new development in the case. After failing to defend himself against the charge of adultery in earlier hearings, Mr. Rowland digs up evidence and asks the court's permission to produce witnesses and resist the suit. Judge Dawson overrules the heated objections of Mr. Willard and orders Mr. Trumbull to bring in the first witness. Rowland's lawyer goes to get the witness but finds her dead—chloroformed. She is Mrs. Barbara Keith, wife of a prominent Philadelphia business man. Judge Dawson phoned for the police. Detective Tommy Rankin is assigned to the case. He is now questioning all of the parties involved in the case.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"If you don't mind, Mr. Trumbull," said the detective, "I'd first like to straighten out what occurred this afternoon. I understand you also summoned Mrs. Rowland's companion, the man with whom you claim she is involved?"

"Chiefly because the law requires he receive due notice of the libel, so he may be represented if he desires to defend himself. I don't need his evidence and hardly intended to call on him. Naturally, he'd be a hostile, difficult witness; he'd never willingly confirm Mrs. Keith's story and admit an illicit affair with my client's wife."

"Is he here? Did he answer the summons or disregard it?" Rankin asked.

"I noticed him in the outside office, after Allen and I both arrived," Mr. Trumbull stated. "But I've had no reason to speak with him. If he didn't leave before I . . . before the tragedy was discovered, he should still be there."

The detective absent-mindedly drew lines on a sheet of paper. "And who is he, Mr. Trumbull?"

"I know little more about him than that his name is Hugh Campbell. He isn't a Philadelphian; he comes from New York and has some sort of connection with night clubs. I believe he supplies talent and produces entertainment for them."

Had he been watching Rankin carefully, he might have observed that he gave an abrupt start.

"Hugh Campbell?" Abruptly he changed the subject. "With regard to Mr. Willard and his sister," he queried: "as far as you're aware, did either of them enter fifteen or five minutes before the meeting, if only for a minute?"

Mr. Trumbull pondered. "Not while Mr. Rowland and I remained with Mrs. Keith. I'm certain. Of course, I can't say what happened after we left the library and Allen went below. As I recall, Mrs. Rowland preceded us into the main office and talked briefly to Mr. Campbell. Then she returned to this room for about ten minutes. I suppose to rejoin her brother. And while I was phoning my own office out there, she came out again and rather hurriedly left the suit altogether, by the center door."

"She went into the corridor? Have you any idea how long she stayed away?"

"More than five minutes, certainly—closer, perhaps, to eight," the lawyer replied slowly. "Mr. Rowland had rejoined me over three minutes before she came back. Then she spoke to Mr. Campbell again and re-entered the library. Mr. Willard stayed in here throughout and did not come out."

Rankin pushed back his chair as a signal to conclude the interview.

"Thank you, Mr. Trumbull, that will be all now. You dismissed him. Will you please ask Mr. Rowland to come in next?"

A brief space after Mr. Trumbull

departed, his client dropped into the chair he had vacated. A bronzed giant, still under thirty, Allen Rowland laid the broad shoulders and stalwart physique of an athlete. He had silky and blond curly hair, a broad nose and full lips, which with a twist might easily relapse into silliness. Attractive though his virility was, thick hands and a heavy neck betrayed a natural crudeness and unsmoothness. He was fully cognizant of his pleasant appearance. He carried himself with perfect ease, yet Rankin sensed that his poise was acquired. It was not to the manner born. Mr. Dawson introduced them; and appreciating the gravity of the situation, he acknowledged the detective's greeting sullenly. Then, his face pale and anxious, he lit a cigarette, and waited for the first question.

Rankin opened sympathetically. "I realize this is a most regrettable affair to you, Mr. Rowland. But I must ask you to bear with a few inquiries, mainly about Mrs. Keith's movements this afternoon. You accompanied her to the meeting, didn't you?"

"Yes, I called for her at the Aldwich Apartments at two o'clock," Allen Rowland answered. "We drove to town in her car with Mr. Keith's chauffeur; the trip took us about half an hour."



"That's none of your affair, Rankin," she replied, her mouth curled scornfully.

"Did Mrs. Keith ever say anything, either then or before, to suggest she anticipated any danger to herself? Or that she had reason to fear some one?"

"No, I had no warning anything so terrible might happen. Naturally, she was a bit anxious about the hearing; but otherwise she seemed perfectly normal."

"And after you arrived," Rankin queried casually, "did you remain with her the entire time until the hearing started at three o'clock?"

Mr. Rowland's answer accorded with that of the lawyer. "Oh, no. Mr. Trumbull and I both left her in that empty office next door, after about ten minutes. She wanted to be alone and preferred not to wait outside. Then I went below to dismiss her chauffeur, since Mr. Trumbull had consented to escort her home in his car; I didn't return to her again."

Rankin was satisfied at this check, through Rowland, of Mr. Trumbull's account and movements.

"I think that covers the points I'm interested in at present," he said. He turned to Mr. Simpkins: "Be good enough to request Mrs. Rowland to come in."

With a nod, the court clerk rose to do his bidding. Adele Row-

land followed him from Mr. Dawson's chamber. She was a large woman in both body and features, yet perfectly proportioned; and, without being beautiful, was extremely handsome and striking. Willful and dominating, Rankin clearly perceived she was accustomed to command.

"I only wished to ask, Mrs. Rowland, if you entered the office where Mrs. Keith met her death, after Mr. Trumbull and your husband left her there?" asked Rankin.

Taken unawares, at the abrupt query, as though to gain time to recover her poise, she repeated it slowly.

"Did I enter that room? No, I never went near Mrs. Keith; they had closed this door between, and I stayed in here with my brother, waiting for Mr. Dawson."

"How about the outside door in the corridor, when you quit the suite altogether? That was unlocked; why did you go out?"

Mrs. Rowland caught her breath nervously. "I went below to the stand in the lobby to purchase . . . a newspaper," she answered.

"That was the only place you went?" the detective asked incredulously. "That little errand took you the eight minutes or more you were gone?"

"No, on the way back, I stopped in the lady's retiring room on this floor."

Though the reply came too glibly to be convincing, Rankin appreciated her self-possession in producing an excuse he could neither investigate nor disprove.

"I believe you are acquainted with Mr. Hugh Campbell. Before you left these offices, you spoke to him and then returned to the library. Could you tell me what you talked about?"

Haughtily and disdainfully, the woman drew herself to her full height.

"That is none of your affair, Rankin," she replied scornfully, her mouth curled. "I don't care to discuss my connection with Mr. Campbell, which is wholly private and has nothing to do with Mrs. Keith's unhappy death."

Rankin nodded unabashed. "As you wish, of course," he agreed, unpleasantly amiable. "Then I may as well have Mr. Campbell in next and question; perhaps he will be less reticent."

He observed a sudden flash of alarm and fury illumine her eyes. They hardened and she had to bite her lip to restrain a resentful retort, as Rankin stepped to the office entrance, still smiling provocatively.

"Jenks!" he called, and when the detective approached, he said, "I think there is a Mr. Hugh Campbell waiting out there; ask him to join us, please."

For a moment, his assistant's features puckered in a puzzled, reflective frown.

"Hugh Campbell?" he repeated. "There's no one . . ." Abruptly, his eyes lighted. "Oh, yes, the phone clerk did say a Mr. Campbell arrived for the hearing just around two-forty. But he isn't here any more. A few minutes before three he got a phone call; he left the point right away and hasn't come back."

Tommy Rankin was more than ordinarily interested in Hugh Campbell. For he was a power to be reckoned with in the bootlegging business, commanding an organization to import liquor from Canada to a chain of roadhouses and "joints" in Connecticut and Long Island. Though he had never met him, Rankin knew he was no gangster, on the contrary, urbane, shrewd and well-bred, he traveled in good society, a picturesque and somewhat mysterious individual. He had influence in political circles and never personally participated in the aggressive activities of his agents. But it was his audacity and ambitious management that developed an effective and profitable smuggling ring, controlled the racketeers in his employ, arranged for the acceptance of his wares and paid the necessary protection.

Then this was the man Adele Rowland had chosen her husband claimed, to be her lover. If she contemplated a fresh martial venture, her new choice, the detective reflected in grim amusement, was certainly more romantic and exciting than either the late Tom Marshall or her present incubus.

He received quietly enough Jenks' announcement of Campbell's departure.

"Did he leave any message to explain the call," he inquired, "or indicate where he was going?"

"No, he didn't," Jenks replied. "All I learned is that some chap rang the office and inquired for him; and the phone clerk summoned him to the desk, where there was a connected instrument, to take the call."

Rankin's interest quickened. "At her desk? Then she might have caught some of the conversation."

"Yes, she could hardly help hearing several things this Campbell said, he spoke so loudly and well, violently. First he shouted, 'What?' and then, very much alarmed, 'Oh, my God!' Next he cried, 'You fool!' and said he'd join him; he hung up, greatly upset, and hurried out without a word."

"Perhaps, Mrs. Rowland," Rankin turned inquiringly toward the woman, "can, offer a reason for his disturbance or has an idea where he went?"

He could not judge, from her diffident manner, whether she was relieved or troubled by Campbell's absence.

"I don't know anything about it, Mr. Rankin," she returned brusquely.

Rankin drew his assistant into the central office, but beyond the hearing of both the staff and those concerned in the divorce.

Continued Next Week.

Reducing the diets always include many suggestions for the use of lettuce, for while lettuce supplies much mineral and large vitamin content, the fuel is relatively limited.

Carlton By CORRESPONDENT

J. F. Eary and family from Alameda were here Friday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eary and family.

J. O. Pollard and wife returned home last week from Lubbock where they had been visiting their son, Dee Pollard and family. They also went on to Sedan to visit Mrs. Pollard's brother, W. O. Wright and family. Mrs. Pollard's sister, Mrs. R. E. Turley of Abilene, returned home with them for an extended visit.

Miss Irene Stephens was in Hamilton Saturday afternoon shopping also attending to business.

Mrs. Claude Everett and children of Tulsa, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett.

Miss Jerry Grey and Mr. Wellington Chambers visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberson and family near Edna Hill Friday.

R. L. McDaniel and Brooks McPherson were in Hamilton Saturday afternoon attending to business.

C. C. Dyer and wife spent Thursday in Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cook and children were in Hico Saturday visiting Mrs. Cook's parents, John Howerton and wife.

Misses Beatrice Gibson and Lolla B. Lackey who are attending school in John Tarleton College, spent the week end here with relatives.

Harry Stephens who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Prentice Tackett and husband near Dublin returned to his home Saturday.

The Baptist Revival meeting will begin here July 19th. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. C. T. Aly. Singing will be conducted by J. C. Stringer. Everyone who can is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cantrell and Mrs. Lee Reeves spent Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stockham.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cannifax and daughter, Peggy Jane from Tulsa, Okla., are here visiting Mrs. Roy Montgomery and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe King spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Clyde Adams and family.

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Greyville By DOROTHY JOE PARRISH

Several from this community visited in Glen Rose the 4th of July.

W. J. Parrish is doing a carpenter job for Mr. Seago of Fairy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Niece of Los Angeles, California, spent awhile Wednesday in the home of J. H. Hicks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Patterson and daughters, Alice, James and Gladys Hicks, went to Glen Rose the 4th of July.

Miss Eira Johnson spent Saturday night with Doris and Marcel Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alexander Sunday.

Little Kenneth Gale Killion who has been in the Gorman Hospital, is improving.

F. S. Crafton and Jim D. Wright were business visitors in Fort Worth and Dallas Tuesday.

Those who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Killion Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parrish and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Heck Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Furker.

Mrs. F. S. Crafton has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Mrs. Herbert Gregory and Mrs. Buck Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parrish and family Monday.

NOTICE TO SCHOOL PATRONS
Patrons of schools who intend to transfer to Hico Independent School District for next year have until August 1st to make application for transfer. Application blanks may be had by applying to the County Superintendent of the County in which the patron resides or by applying to C. G. Masterson, Superintendent of Hico Public Schools.

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THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, July 10.—As if Congress did not have enough to worry about already, President Roosevelt has given the boys on Capitol Hill something real to think about in his proposal that they ought to draw up and enact some new tax bills before they go home. Specifically, he proposes that in addition to the present estate taxes, Congress should put a tax upon inheritance as well. The estate tax is taken out before anything goes to the heirs. It is the President's idea, in the case of large estates, to further redistribute wealth by taxing the heirs on whatever they get. And, for good measure, he suggested that it would be desirable to stick on some higher taxes on the incomes of big corporations. The Federal Corporation Tax now is 13 1/2 percent, the President's idea is that this might run up to 16 1/2 percent on corporate earnings above some unspecified but large annual figure.

Many people are professing to be surprised at what they regard as a swing toward the left on the part of Mr. Roosevelt. Anybody who has studied his political past and read his speeches during the Presidential campaign, including his inaugural address, has no real ground for surprise; for the idea that wealth is concentrated in a few hands and that the great pools of wealth ought to be broken up for the benefit of everybody, is one that he has frequently and emphatically expressed.

Capitol Hill Questions
Up on Capitol Hill the Senators and members of Congress are asking three questions. Can we or should we try to pass it at this session? What would be the practical effect upon the national income if we did enact such laws? And third, but paramount in the minds of the members of both Houses, what will be the political effect?

The strong inclination of all but a few extremists in Congress is to let the matter lie until the next session, which will begin in January, 1936. The boys want to go home. The children are out of school now, and their wives want to get back to their home towns, besides, the Washington weather is getting hotter and hotter. They still have an awful lot of business to clean up before adjournment. To work out anything that will meet the President's idea of taxes seemingly will lead to endless debate and discussion and maybe keep them here until Fall. So, for that and other reasons, it does not seem likely that they will do much on tax plans except to talk about them.

The answer to the second question, as to what the practical effect of the new taxes will be, is generally that they will not go very far in making up the budget deficit. At all times the great bulk of taxation is carried by the middle class, and this middle class, the practical economists in Congress and Administration circles say, would still continue to carry that load. Very wealthy men who have accumulated large fortunes can afford to hire very expert lawyers to show them how to distribute their wealth where they want it to go. It is pointed out.

Good Political Move
The paramount question in the minds of everybody in Washington is, really, as to the political effect of the President's proposal. That, in the view of the smartest political observers, should be very good for Mr. Roosevelt and his chances for re-election. In effect, it cuts a good deal of the ground out from under the feet of Huey Long, the LaFollette Progressives, and other radical elements whose slogan is "soak the rich." These radical Democrats and Progressives seized upon the new proposal, and their threats to "show up" the President as insincere unless he demanded immediate action are believed to have influenced him in his insistence upon tacking the new taxes to the bill extending the "nuisance taxes."

As a bit of political strategy, it does not make much difference whether laws to carry out the President's plan are adopted at this session or not.

G. O. P. Going Conservative
It is becoming more clear from day to day that the cleavage between the two parties in 1936 will be sharply defined, with the Republican Party distinctly on the Conservative side. Following the action of the "Grass Roots" convention in Springfield, Illinois, the recent meeting of the "Young Republicans" of New York went on record for a distinctively Conservative platform.

In the meantime, Congress has passed the biggest tax bill ever enacted in the United States, the Social Security Act, which taxes the payroll of every employer and the pay envelope of every wage earner, to provide a fund for unemployment insurance and for old age pensions. Instead of the Townsend Plan of \$200 a month for everybody over 65, the Government has embarked upon an old age pension plan for persons over 65 who have no resources of their own, beginning at \$30 a month, half to be paid by the Government and half by the respective states. States can contribute more if they want to.

Under pressure of the Labor Lobby, the Wagner Labor Disputes Bill slips through in spite of the fact that nearly everyone in Washington believes it is unconstitutional. There is a suggestion that here again is good political strategy, as it may line up organized labor behind a movement to amend the Constitution, a movement which looms up stronger from week to week as a probable issue in the 1936 campaign.

The outlook for the Public Utilities Holding Companies Bill now is that while it will be generally drastic it will not contain the "death sentence" which President Roosevelt has asked for. This is one of the few instances in which the lower House has taken a definite and apparently firm stand against the President's desires. Likewise, material modifications are expected to be made in the Administration's Banking Bill before it is finally enacted, although its general purpose and effect will not be materially impaired.

Sandwich Shop To Open
"Wimpie's Paradise" will be open for business Monday, according to Doris and Emory Gamble who will operate the shop. The lunch room is located just north of the News Review office and will feature hamburgers, sandwiches, drinks and cold watermelons in season.

State School Superintendent L. A. Woods announced Tuesday a \$50 per capita payment of the State available school fund, the final payment on the current apportionment of \$16.50. The apportionment has not been liquidated during the current year since July, 1930.



RAPID CITY, S. D. . . . Captain Albert W. Stevens (left), commander, and Captain Orvil A. Anderson, pilot, in the instrument-filled gondola of the National Geographic-U. S. Army Stratosphere balloon as they awaited favorable weather for the planned 18-mile-high flight from the Black Hills natural bowl, near here.

TODAY and TOMORROW

FRANK PARKER
BOOKBRIDGE

CHANGE constant
My friends fall into two distinct classes, which seem to me to typify the rather sharp division of all of the people of the United States, these days.

I have many friends who are so conservative that any suggestion of a change from the old order practically stuns them. They can't do anything about it except to froth at the mouth in the violence of their denunciation of everybody who wants anything to be done differently from the way it always has been done.

The other group consists of those—not always the very young—who think that there are a great many things wrong with the world and that many established methods and principles in both economic and social life ought to be changed.

I find these last usually the more interesting, and am frequent quite stimulated by their discussions as to what needs changing and how.

Personally, I think almost all of our manners, customs, economic and social relationships need changing. I have lived a good many years and I have seen innumerable chances, nearly all for the better by dictatorial or coercive methods. I have never seen any change that was made hastily that did not cause more evil than good.

HONOR one man
When four great universities rush to confer honorary degrees on four successive days to one American citizen, it is a pretty high tribute to that man's qualifications.

That is what has just happened to Senator Carter Glass of Virginia. Yale, Princeton, Wesleyan and Tufts Universities all conferred upon him the Degree of Doctor of Law. That is going some for a man who started in life selling newspapers and working as a printer's apprentice. But Senator Glass, I think, deserves all the honors that can be heaped upon him.

I was struck by one expression in his address at Tufts. "Everything new is not right, whether it be a New Deal or anything else." That is sound and timely advice to young people who are inclined to think that all the ancient truths and principles are out of date.

PHRASE Grass roots
A lot of discussion is going on in print and by word of mouth, as to where the phrases "Grass Roots" originated. It has become current on the popular tongue since the "Grass Roots" convention of the Republicans last month.

The current meaning is to imply that something, like the Springfield Convention, has nothing but the firm solid earth under it; that it is not founded upon clouds. But another meaning of the expression is to signify something lying very close to the surface. Grass roots do not go down very deep.

I remember in my boyhood, nearly 60 years ago, hearing a traveler who had returned from California telling about a new gold strike, in which he said "there is gold right at the grass roots."

Like other popular phrases it is a useful expression.

LINDSEY two birds
It is not often that one man wins fame in two different fields.

of activities. No two things could be farther apart than aviation and biological research, but Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, the world's most famous aviator, has just astonished the world of science by his original work, in collaboration with Dr. Alexis Carrel, in inventing machinery by which living organs of the body can be kept alive for an indefinite time after the death of the body from which they were taken.

By the use of this device the heart, kidneys and other organs of animals and fowls have been kept alive and functioning for long periods. The importance of this is that it will make possible the study of the functions and diseases of various parts of the body much more minutely than previously.

It is never safe to assume that because a man is an expert authority in one field he cannot qualify as an expert in any other field. Of course, the contrary is also true; it is never safe to assume that because a man is a great mathematician, for example, he is competent to advise on questions of political economy.

CANDIDATES Col. Knox
I cannot guess any closer than anyone else who will be the Republican candidate for President next year, but I'm always interested in the personalities of men who are under consideration for that honor. Just now there is a good deal of talk about my friend Colonel Frank Knox, Editor and Publisher of The Chicago Daily News.

Colonel Knox is a New Englander transplanted to the Middle West. He still owns a New England daily paper, The Manchester Union and Leader, as well as his great Chicago daily. He was running a newspaper in Northern Michigan when he was Chairman of the Michigan State Republican Committee more than twenty years ago. Everybody calls him Volone!, but the highest actual military rank he ever gained was that of Major. He served with Theodore Roosevelt with the Rough Riders in Cuba in the Spanish War and went overseas with the 153rd Artillery Brigade, as Major, in 1918.

One thing is certain, that if Frank Knox should get the Republican nomination in 1936 he would put up a strong fight. That's the sort of man he is.

Fairy Wins One, And Loses Two In Last Three Games

BY GULLIVER
On July 10, Skipper Goyno explored the wild regions of the Leon River in search of George White, pulling him off of Stockham's threshing. After having visited eight more threshers and having induced the managers to let eight more ball players off, the notorious nine set out to try to subdue the obdurate Whitneys.

Arriving on schedule time, and with "Dizzy Dean" Trantham hurling the Fairy lads mopped up on the Whitneys to the tune of 3 to 1. This made three wins for Fairy over Whitney in a row. Trantham having worked in all three games, allowing only one run in the three encounters.

In the first game, Whitney accomplished a good start, as Robbins took first on a slow roller to third, stole second, and then scored on two infield outs. In the third inning, Fairy put across two runs. Old Peruna, across the accommodative gentleman that he is, took hold of one of Malor's first ones for a home run over the right field fence. After Allison went out, White staged, and the redoubtable "Squid" Patterson decided to center field, scoring White. The final run came with a double hitting, when Trantham got

his second hit of the game. Allison sacrificed him to second, and the above named Patterson pushed Proffitt across the plate, with a single to right, sewing the old ball game up for Fairy, and leaving the Whitney boys stranded with helpless hands and hopeless faces, as the Fairy boys thought until the second game started.

"School Boy Baby Ray Letty" Miller started for Fairy, but the old curve ball was working in a shapotic manner, and the Whitney squad ran the score up to 5 to 0 at the end of the second inning. Trantham went back in, just for "Old time sake" and pitched two innings, allowing one hit and one score. Then White took up the duty for the remaining two frames and got by with a three-bagger and no runs. The final score was 5 to 1. Patterson, White, Proffitt and Clayton accounted for Fairy's four hits of this game. Patterson and Clayton hit doubles. Oh, yeah! Bucky Bridges pulled one of his usual acrobatic stunts in the first game, possibly saving the day. With runners on first and third, the vivacious fellow sprang on the ground, grabbed Patten's hot grounder too late to get loose with a throw, and as the old bean was working systematically, he gently tapped second base for the third out. "Half Pint" Hess, the Iron man from Alabama, was in there, during both games with barrels of enthusiasm, and after the "Skipper" had allowed the boys time out to take a plunge in the Meridian Lake, and delivered them to their respective habitats around the thresher at about 11 o'clock P. M. Hess' old battle cry, "Hey, where is the chatter out there?" was still being heard in a faint whisper.

Big Malor, one of the pitching aces of the league, was on the mound for Whitney Sunday and beat the locals out for his first victory over Fairy this season. Fairy scored in the first inning. White took first on Short's error. Herrieks walked, Pitts singled sharply to right, scoring White. Whitney's three runs came in the fourth when Allison pulled White off the bag with a wide throw. Allen singled, Trantham three triplets' roller to right field and Stewart scored. Allen was caught in a chase, and Parvin scored Bryan and tripled with a drive to right.

The sunny little "Crab Apple" Hess lead Fairy's batting attack with three clean singles in a row. Maybe it's long working hours and sleepless nights that is pulling the Fairyites baseball fame down on the level with other teams and maybe it isn't. But whatever it is, something must be done. This "rip-snorting, battling team of tigers" must not be permitted to sojourn in the same wagon with other teams. They must rise above the level. Come on boys! What are you hung on?

Fairy goes to Cranfill's Gap next Sunday, and as Trantham has signed up with one of the city teams of Fort Worth, either Miller or Patterson will be on the mound for Fairy.

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