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# The Hico News Review

BUY IT, BEG IT, OR BORROW IT—IT'S STILL YOUR HOME PAPER

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## Here In HICO

Is the younger generation slipping? One moonlight night not long ago a young lady drove up in front of the Corner Drug Co. in a shiny new car and parked for service. The accommodating front man, S. J. Cheek, Jr., promptly went out to see what the supposed customer wanted, returning shortly in a slightly flustered state of mind. "Couldn't you sell her anything?" someone asked. "Naw, she said she wanted Love and Romance," disgruntledly replied S. J. and he thought she wanted a magazine!

Inspection of new model automobiles leads us to remark that fashions, whether women's clothes or what-nots, do come and go.

In the styling of the front end, 1938 cars are a lot alike. Glance at them a block away, and from the front you defy you to tell one from another.

The same rounded radiator shell, and blending of front fender lines with the hood and headlights is followed that was featured in one model of nearly twenty years ago to our certain knowledge.

Back in 1918 (or was it 1919 or 1920?) the old Grant automobile, forerunner of one of the leading makes of today, adopted what was called a half-faced appearance, which was so far ahead of the times that it incurred criticism on its oddity.

Doing yeoman service for an automobile agency at home, instead of staying on the job steadily in Dad's printshop where we drew a salary, this athletically and romantically inclined Good Samaritan made a deal with the car agency for a vehicle which was to transport a mixed crowd of youthful Paavo Nurmis (Not Jesse Owens) to the county meet at Dallas.

Imagine our embarrassment when we called for our conveyance, and found that they had wished off on us "Old Baldy," the laughing-stock of the town.

And you have our word for it that the front-end appearance of that car was a lot similar to today's new models.

On yet another score we are reminded that styles today are not so new, although they may be smart and novel to those who do not look back.

A big department store in Dallas, featuring a sale of Venetian blinds for windows, reprinted a newspaper advertisement from a Boston newspaper published in 1769. The reprint announced the fact that a certain merchant had just received a new stock of the latest invention, Venetian blinds, and set out a few of the salient facts concerning the advantages of using this type of shade for windows in homes and offices. The advantages listed in the aged advertisement were exactly the same as claimed for that type of home and business improvement today.

By the way, we still would like to have some Venetian blinds, even though they might have been invented a thousand years ago.

Now for our weekly gripe: Along with several hundred other local citizens, not to mention an incalculable number of transients, we get peeved at the present time is the disgusting, ridiculous and disconcerting situation travelers find themselves in when Duffau Creek, between Hico and Iredell, goes on a rampage as it does very often during rainy seasons. We're not mad at the little patience with a highway department that will allow a continuation of traffic over a dip, making several hundred thousand dollars worth of highway useless through the fact that at times the stream mentioned cannot be crossed for hours and hours.

We don't expect the Highway department to get everything done at once. But we await with anticipation the day or night when we drive up and find some highway official among those parked disconsolately beside the swollen stream, faced with a delay of several hours through waiting for the waters to recede, or with the necessity of making an eighty-mile detour to continue their travels.

This will be attended to in due time, we are informed. Also the news comes that the Chalk Mountain road will be built at the proper time. But, gentlemen, pray tell us—when is the proper time going to arrive? Our guess is that popular demand from other quarters will within the next several months force action on completion of Highway 67 which has been left in a half-cooked condition for the past five years; at the same time will take care of the Duffau monotony; probably will cause an awakening to the fact that the Chalk Mountain road would save miles in travel and dollars in expense sufficient to pay for its cost in a short

## Quit-Claim Deed to City Streets Is Given by "Katy"

### Wants NLRA Changed



When Senator Arthur Vandenberg, Michigan, proposed amending the National Labor Relations Act to make collective bargaining contracts "mutually dependable and binding," he drew bitter fire from Homer Martin, UAW president. The Senator is outspoken in his belief that labor must be protected from radicals within its ranks.

### DISTRICT MANAGER GULF STATES TELEPHONE CO. HAS RECEIVED MEDAL

District Manager J. N. Hopper of Stephenville has received a bronze medal awarded the drivers of motor vehicles belonging to Gulf States Telephone Company by its Insurance Carrier for having completed a year's operation, ending September 15, 1937, without a single accident or a traffic law violation. This Safe Drivers Club was organized in cooperation with state and local authorities in reducing the terrific toll of traffic accidents.

During the year period 24 employees operating 19 automobiles and trucks, making up the Company's fleet, traveled a total of 210,800 miles, or an average of 11,000 for each motor vehicle, without accident or violation of traffic laws. As suitable testimony of this record, each driver is being presented with a bronze emblem.

### TWO-STATE AGRICULTURAL MEETING IN DALLAS

A two-state agricultural meeting called to discuss recommendations to make to the special session of Congress in regard to farm legislation will be held in Dallas, October 25, at 7 P. M. in the Jefferson Hotel. Farmers and business men interested in farming and allied industries are invited to attend the meeting and join in the discussion. C. P. Emmett, county supervisor, Farm Security Administration, said today.

C. M. Evans, general chairman of this Texas-Oklahoma farm security dinner, said today that he had received assurance that practically all of the congressional delegates from both states would be present. Evans said the dinner will give opportunity for discussing recommendations to make to a senate sub-committee which will hold a meeting in Dallas the following day. This sub-committee is headed by Senator Elmer Thomas.

The object of the meeting is to lay the foundation for general farm legislation which is to be considered during this special session of Congress, and any person interested is invited to attend the dinner. Those who are unable to attend are invited to send their suggestions to the Dallas Agricultural Club, or to C. M. Evans, regional director, Farm Security Administration, Dallas.

Mr. Evans said he is "especially anxious to have farmers from every county send their suggestions," and they will be passed on to the sub-committee for further study.

Sam A. Hough of Rock Springs, Texas, spent the latter part of last week here visiting Dr. H. V. Hedger. Mr. Hough, who is a lawyer in Rock Springs, and Dr. Hedger were classmates at the University of Texas in Austin a few years ago.

While perhaps might induce completion of Highway 66 from Hico through Hamilton county, which county was one of the first to cooperate in getting right-of-way and working for the assurance of this potentially important artery of north-south travel through the State.

We and our needs just haven't been discovered yet. Here's for a period of exploration on the part of highway officials. Then we will be satisfied with action in line with the merits of our contentions.

## Hicoans Describe Beautiful Sights On Recent Trip

Texans are so accustomed to hearing praises of their native State, they pass over lightly its beauties and opportunities.

Recently we drove to Port Arthur via Houston and Beaumont, returning via Galveston, and both the beauties and marvelous development of the area in extreme Southeast Texas so impressed me I thought your readers might like to hear something about it.

Beautiful highways lead out of Houston along the course of the ship canal and through hundreds of stately pine trees, to Beaumont and Port Arthur. Along this canal, millions of dollars have been invested in industrial plants, manufacturing largely "heavy goods" products on account of low water rates to their very doorsteps. But of major importance are the huge refining plants of the Texas Company, Gulf Refining Co. and Magnolia Petroleum Co. Total capital investment in these three concerns approximates 45 million dollars, with 12 to 14 thousand on the pay rolls. One of these companies shipped more than 6 million barrels of petroleum products in September, 1937, requiring shipload after shipload out of Port Arthur.

Many smaller plants, manufacturing other products, ship their wares all over the U. S. and the total of these shipments makes huge tonnage figures and brings extensive wealth to the area; also makes employment for thousands of families and all this is speedily adding to the wealth and population of Houston, Beaumont, and Port Arthur.

The latter city has probably had the most phenomenal growth. Only 37 years old, it claims a population of 55,000 and taxable values in the city of nearly 20 million dollars. Just outside the city limit, taxable values are nearly 40 million dollars. The city schools matriculate 12,000 students. The tax rate is \$2.00.

Just outside the city is Sabine Lake, where they are now draining and reclaiming more than 100 acres of land for an airport and other uses. Fish of many kinds are in the waters everywhere. Roses, oleanders, shrubs, pecans, figs are seen all over and seem to grow to perfection.

The drive from Port Arthur to Galveston, along the shores of the Gulf, is marvelous for nearly 50 miles. White caps on the water, sea shells along the shore, and cooling Gulf breezes make the drive a most enticing one. We just had to take time out and enjoy the surf for a while.

Then across the bay into the city of Galveston—the home of "swimmers" and headquarters for sea food.

All the way from Galveston to Houston there is evidence of development—clean, new towns; all-weather roads, cattle crops, refineries, oil fields, nurseries, etc. And all this in just one small corner of the State. Can you visualize what the picture of the entire State's resources would encompass?

What a privilege to be a Texan! Living in peace, and among thousands of fine opportunities to make money.

J. N. RUSSELL.

### BOSQUE COUNTY WILL VOTE ON BEER SALES

MERIDIAN, Oct. 20.—A county-wide election to determine whether the sale of beer shall be prohibited in Bosque County will be held Oct. 30.

The election was ordered after presentation of a petition bearing more than 800 names.

### COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 5748 bales of cotton were ginned in Hamilton County from the crop of 1937 prior to October 1, as compared with 3534 bales for the crop of 1936.

L. W. KOEN, Special Agent.

Mrs. Mary Brent Ford, 88, of Chapel Hill, is cutting her last wisdom tooth. A dentist discovered the tooth last week. Two wisdom teeth came through when she was 17, a third when she was 71.

## I Met a Man

Who said "it would be a most difficult problem for the United States to keep out of one or the other foreign conflicts."

If we boycott Japan, the Nipponese will accuse us of aiding China, and if we remain neutral the European powers will accuse us of favoring Japan's aggression.

If we continue to ship American goods to Japan there will be the European League of Nations to fuss with, and if we refuse to ship to Japan we are right back where we started.

It looks as though we'll just have to tell to belligerent nations wanting American goods and insist that they come and get them at their own risks. But then—here is Secretary of State Hull and his foreign trade policy to deal with—So? "Where are we going to wind up?"

Yours from, UNCLE JOE.

## Record In Speed Made On Fairy's New Gymnasium

Creating what is thought to be a new record for expediency in bringing a civic enterprise to realization, work started Monday morning, Oct. 18, on erection of a new gymnasium for Fairy School, just a month and a half after the bonds were voted.

On Sept. 4 an election was held at Fairy for the purpose of voting \$8,000 in bonds for the erection of a gymnasium and auditorium. The election carried, 39 voting for the proposition and only two against. Since that time the bonds have been printed, signed and sold; plans for the building drawn up, worked over and accepted, and contract let for the work.

At a board meeting last Thursday night, contract was awarded to Barnes & McCullough of Hico for a sum slightly under the amount called for in the bonds. Imbuing the spirit of speed practiced by the sponsors of the project, H. E. McCullough of the Hico lumber company started the ball rolling at once, and assembled a large crew to start work Monday morning. Construction will be rushed, and while it is impossible to state exactly how soon the building will be ready for occupancy, Fairy basket ball players are assured of a modern gymnasium in which to have their game at the beginning of next year.

The building will be of frame construction, 59x108 feet, with an overall height of approximately 20 feet. There will be two dressing rooms in the basement. The stage will be 20x16 feet, while the basketball playing court will be 60x75. Bleacher seats will be placed down each side of the building with a seating capacity of 340. The playing court will be floored with beach.

The new building will be situated 50 feet west of the main Fairy school building.

A lot of the credit for the accomplishment of this enterprise is given to Superintendent W. M. Horsley of the Fairy Schools, who in turn modestly passes the credit on to the board composed of the following members: J. M. Blacklock, President, C. C. Parks, Secretary, C. W. Russell, J. T. Jackson, Cliff Tinkle, Walter Whitson and Walter Abel.

## Donkey Ball Game Wednesday Night Drew Large Crowd

Leaving Hico firemen and their adversaries recruited from among local baseball players in a bruised and skinned condition, but serene in the knowledge that they had provided entertainment for the natives and enriched the Hico Volunteer Fire Department's treasury by \$15.75, the donkey ball game played at Grimsland Field on the high school grounds Wednesday night passed off without any fatalities.

The game was advertised as a contest between the Stephenville American Legion and the Hico Fire Department, but the Stephenvillians failed to show up. Therefore two teams were organized, composed of "Country Boys" and "Town Boys." The former finally managed to make one run, and after that the scoring was fast, each side running in a tally each before the game wound up. The country boys won by a score of 2 to 1, but the town boys contended that it was not superior baseball ability, but a faculty of being able to whisper sweet nothings in the donkeys' ears that won the game for their adversaries.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

E. E. Dawson, Pastor. "Let us go on!" says the writer of the Hebrews. Splendid motto for life: Go on! Have you done like the Galatians to whom Paul said, "You were running well. Who hindered you?" Always some have let this or that hinder them as they ran the Christian race. There are no promises to those who quit running, except the promise of chastisement—there are plenty of those. Few things are ideal in this world, so purposeful souls must make up their minds to go on in spite of the odds. Some do just that and the world makes progress because of their hardihood. Others alibi and lie down and quit and are lost in the onward march of things. Like one going to a cafeteria and filling his tray as he will, so each soul makes choice as to what he will do—whether to quit or go on. "Let us go on!" "That we will do by the will of God!" answers the apostle to his own admonition.

### BUDDLESTON WORKING ON PASSAGE OF VARIOUS BILLS

I am doing all I can to take care of the things which I think need to be cared for at this session of the Legislature, which I think include Old Age pensions, some school legislation and legislation for unfortunate people. I have taken the position that we should practice economy as much as possible, and then if we have to have some additional revenue to take care of these causes which I have mentioned, the Legislature should provide for the same.

### NOTICE

All those producers who filed Buyer's Receipts in the County Agent's office before the regular Government Forms had arrived, will you please call for these receipts and have the "Cotton Sale Certificates" made out for them.

All the ginners and cotton buyers in the county are now equipped to properly fill out these forms for you.

Thanking you for your cooperation, T. D. CRADDOCK.



Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page of Greensboro, N. C., smiles happily into the news camera after playing the 6,440-yard Memphis (Tenn.) Country Club golf course in 79 strokes, matching the all-time par record in women's golf. Mrs. Page wins the qualifying medal in the National Championship for the second year.

### A WEEK OF EVENING SERVICES TO BE HELD AT HICO METHODIST CHURCH

There will be preaching services at the Hico Methodist Church each evening of the week of October 24 to 31, except Saturday. From Monday evening to Friday evening neighboring pastors will bring messages on the general theme putting the church at the center of our thinking and loyalty as it is at the center of God's plan for the salvation of the world. Each of these pastors has been asked to bring a special musical number if possible. Some have sent word that they would do so. We are anticipating an enjoyable and profitable week.

This week of services is next to the closing week of our conference year. The pastor goes to annual conference at Fort Worth November 10. We have been designating October "Victory Month." We are trusting that this week will be a climax and successful closing of the year's work. All Methodists are urged and expected to be boosters. All of the community are cordially invited to attend, and be boosters too.

### Below is the program and schedule:

Sunday, the pastor. Monday, Rev. S. L. Culwell, First Church, Stephenville. Subject: The Church and God's Plan for the Redemption of Our World. Tuesday, Rev. A. B. English, First Church, Hamilton. Subject: The Church and Christian Stewardship. Wednesday, Rev. W. J. Shelton, Carlton. Subject: Christ's Evaluation of the Purpose of the Church as Exemplified in the Cross. Thursday, Rev. R. M. Studer, Duffau. Subject: Man's Evaluation of the Purpose of the Church Exemplified by His Loyalty and Faithfulness to its Work. Friday, Rev. W. F. Cunningham, Meridian. Subject: Christ's Call to Be Co-Workers With Him in the Redemption of the World.

### EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS ARE ON THE UP AND UP IN TEXAS

The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research this week reported employment in September was 7.2 per cent over a like month last year, with an increase of 19.4 per cent in weekly payroll totals. Basing its reports on statistics from 1,900 establishments, the bureau reported Amarillo, El Paso, Houston and Wichita Falls showed the best gains. Industries in which gains exceeded the state average included foundries, machine shops, millwork, chemicals, cotton textile mills, women's clothing, cotton oil mills, flour mills, meat packing, crude petroleum producing and power and light. The number of business failures declined sharply below those of a like month last year, the bureau reported.

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## Keeping Up With TEXAS

Nineteen farm families last Friday afternoon received from their congressman the keys to new homes on fertile acres near McGregor which they are being enabled to own through aid of the federal government. A thousand of their neighbors, and visiting tenant farmers from adjoining counties, sang "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow," and heard Rev. Glenn Flynn of Dallas pray that "this movement may grow until the open sore of tenancy is healed, and the men who live upon the soil shall have a sufficiency therefrom."

When John Mac Borders, 9-pound son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Borders of Waxahachie, was born at Baylor Hospital in Dallas this week he fell heir to 11 living grandparents, great-grandparents and great-great-grandparents.

### Dedication of Buchanan and Roy Inks dams in Llano and Burnet counties by Secretary Harold L. Ickes at Buchanan dam Saturday morning held the spotlight of interest in that section and attracted a large crowd. The chambers of commerce of Llano, Burnet, Austin and Lampasas joined with the board of the Colorado River Authority in planning the program and sponsored the attendance of representative towns and counties. Governor James V. Allred escorted Secretary Ickes to the dam and took part in the program. The addresses of Governor Allred and Secretary Ickes were broadcast directly from the dam. Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson introduced Secretary Ickes.

Austin's iron lung Sunday had failed to save the life of Miss Sarah Bernice Alsop, 21, Miss Alsop, daughter of Robert B. Alsop, superintendent of Buchanan Dam, and Mrs. Alsop, was the first patient to be placed in the Austin artificial respirator, a victim of infantile paralysis. She is survived by her parents and two brothers. The body was sent to Syracuse, N. Y. Monday morning for burial.

Tallyho! The huntsman's horn sounded at daylight Tuesday at Crockett and a hundred or more hounds bound into the woods. Native gray fox abound in the ed West Texas fox abound in the woods, which is one of the most picturesque in Texas. Fifteen hundred Texans, bivouacked at Camp Jim McClean, near Crockett, were ready for the three-day hunt of the Texas Fox and Wolf hunters Association—the biggest hunt of its kind in the United States.

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# Dink

GOES 'ROUND AND 'ROUND

And It Comes Out Here—

J. C. Rodgers who had two houses to burn last week with no insurance on either of them, donated the fireboys \$10.00 for their efforts in trying to save the dwellings. Fire Chief Will Leeth said they really should have given Mr. Rodgers the donation since he really suffered the loss. Another person said since Mr. Rodgers is an insurance agent that he should sell himself some insurance. Mr. Leeth also said he wished to express the appreciation of the fire department for this splendid donation, and to others who have donated during the past year, some of whose names have never been revealed. He also warns the citizens that danger in using corn cobs to start a fire, or burn in stove or fireplace.

While speaking of fires and firemen, we had one fireman who did not even know the Ragsdale residence was destroyed until the next morning as the siren never did awaken him. The said fireman was Ollie Davis, who has probably never missed a fire when he was in town since being a member of the department. He said he believed he would have to ask the telephone operator to ring his telephone at the time she sounds the siren. He hopes he will not be so sleepy-headed if his own house ever catches on fire.

The Hico school can boast of seven sets of twins, ranging from primary to seniors. These twins are Jean and Jane Wolfe, 16, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe; Charleta and Jeaneta Kirkland, 15, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkland; Rubye and Ruth Lowe, 14, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowe; Odell and Owen Welborn, 13, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Welborn; Allie Dee and Ila Dee Leeth, 7, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leeth; Lois and Lloyd Simon, 6, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. George Simon; and Lois and Lewis Burcham, 6, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burcham.

A Book Review "North-west Passage" sponsored by the Stephenville Methodist Missionary Society, will be given in Stephenville Wednesday afternoon, October 27, at 4 o'clock at the Methodist Educational Building. The admission charge will be only 25c, and citizens from Hico are invited to be present. It is reported that this will be well worth the small admission price, besides helping a worthy cause. Stephenville citizens have always aided every worthy cause in Hico when called upon, and this would be a good time to return the favors.

Several homes have been entered in the Highway Beautification contest at Stephenville and last week the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Mefferd was entered. Mrs. Mefferd is a daughter of Mrs. W. E. Russell of Hico. Mr. and Mrs. Mefferd have recently completed a lovely new modern home of Early American type on Highway 10, two miles west of Stephenville. When they have completed plans for the appropriate landscaping for their new home, it bids fair to be one of the strongest contenders in the contest.

W. R. Lynch has opened a cafe in the building with Fred Leeth's confectionery. He plans to operate his place of business, giving the same efficient service as he did when he was in business on the opposite side of the street. He will serve short orders, chili, and other good things to eat.

A bath room has been added to the east side of the bedroom occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bailey in the rear of the building housing their cafe. J. C. Rodgers owns the building and is making the improvements.

Since this is National Pharmacy Week, citizens should purchase the following for their medicine cabinets: adhesive tape, absorbent cotton, surgical and bandage gauze, iodine, mercurchrome, mouth wash, salves, ointment and vasoline. How many have only half of those needed things in your home?

Friends were glad to see V. F. Dupree in town on Wednesday of this week after being ill at his home for several days. Mr. Dupree when he is able, is in town every day and his presence has been greatly missed since his illness. He also has something pleasant to say to everyone.

**Stomach Gas**

ADLERIKA

PORTER'S DRUG STORE

# IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS ST. LA JONES, Local Correspondent

Miss Vella McIlhenny visited in Walnut Monday of last week.

Miss Jane Adams, who runs the beauty shop here, spent the week end at her home in Hico.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Cooper a 9 1-2 lb. son October 14.

Billy Joe Fouts was brought home from Stephenville hospital Monday, October 11, and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Woff of Tolar spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welborn.

Mrs. Laswell Mrs. J. L. Davis and Mrs. Frankie Dawson attended the Baptist association at Clifton last week.

Bobby Tidwell, who has been working in Fort Worth has returned home.

Doris Cunningham who is in school at Dublin spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tidwell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mitchell were in Stephenville Friday night to see a football game between Sweetwater and Stephenville.

Miss Irene Brantley of Meridian visited her brother, Olin, here Saturday. She was on her way to her home to spend the week end. She is a student in John Tarleton.

Several from here attended the football game at Walnut Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Latham and baby of Fort Worth spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newman and other relatives.

Miss Marie Fouts who is in Denton College, spent the week end at home.

Mr. J. S. Miller left Saturday for a visit to her son, Hayden and wife and young son of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooper Edwards are in Dallas where he is working.

Mrs. Oliver Anderson of Fort Worth visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Charlie Myers and Mrs. Homer Woody visited Mrs. R. A. French at Meridian Sunday afternoon.

Miss Alice Gunn who helps care for Mrs. Dearing spent the week end in Clifton with relatives.

H. A. Simpson returned Sunday from Mineral Wells.

T. M. Tidwell was in Waco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith of Moran came in Monday to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. Gann, who is very ill.

Miss Josie Harris who stays with her parents, Mrs. T. M. Tidwell and Mrs. Harve Sawyer stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Dearing while she and Alice were away.

As Sunday morning was rainy, there were no church services at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. Rev. Baldrige, the presiding elder, preached and held the conference Sunday night. Everyone enjoyed his sermon and the conference was good also.

Mrs. Bryan Smith was very ill at the Stephenville hospital last week. She is some better and was brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell on Sunday.

Saturday night and Sunday another big rain came which will be fine and today Monday is a bright pretty day.

Bro. Hall of Hamlin preached at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd from here went to Meridian Saturday night to see the midnight show.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson, who live on Potter's ranch spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gann. He is very ill and is no better of which his friends are sorry to know.

Lois and Hazel Locker, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Locker, had their tonsils removed at the Stephenville hospital Saturday. They are at home and are getting along fine.

Dr. and Mrs. Pike, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parks and Mrs. John Wyche were in Stephenville Sunday afternoon.

Paul Patterson was on the sick list a few days this week.

Virgil Huckaby who is with the bridge crew at Vanita, Oklahoma, spent the week end with his family.

J. D. Gregory went to Arkansas last week and came in Sunday with a truck load of the famous apples of Arkansas. The apples are fine.

Miss Ellen Prater went to Hico Monday to stay with her grandparents a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bus Evans and children vacated the residence of W. O. Pylant and moved to one of Mr. Kramer's houses, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Huckaby and son.

Misses Freta and Ava Bowman spent the week end with Misses Ellen and Louise Prater.

Mrs. Ellen Harris, who makes her home with Mrs. Vella Harris visited here a few days this week.

The finish quarter. The Dragonettes were soon warmed up and our girls left the Eulogy team behind leading with a score of fifteen to forty.

Dragonette's captain is Virginia Ramage and Co-captain is Tommie Webb. We think we have a better team than ever before. Come and see for yourself.

**Iredell.**

By James Newman

Iredell is a city minus red lights and cops.

Iredell is a town where steamboats never stop.

Twelve or more stores, a church house or two,

A couple of fine schools for me and for you.

**Football.**

The Iredell Dragons lost another hard fought game Friday, Oct. 15. They went to Walnut and played a splendid game, which the Hornets won by a score of 13 to 0.

The Dragons let one of their passes for a score.

Later in the game, the Hornets scored again and made a score of 13 to 0.

The Dragons will play to Kopper next Friday, Oct. 22.

Visitor: "How did this town receive the name of Cowan?"

Native: "It was once called cow and calf, and the calf died."

Two new students were enrolled in the fifth grade Monday morning. They were Marie Stone and Luther Adkison. We have only two students out now.

Four new students were enrolled in the seventh grade room Monday morning. They were Mintie McGuire, Delma Stone, Ada Murel Holley, and Levi Holley. If this increase continues we may have to move over in the gym.

More of the girls have started playing ball now. We should have a real good team.

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**GRAMMAR SCHOOL NEWS**

**Character Training.**

Emerson has said, "Who does not delight in fine manners? Their charm cannot be predicted or overstated. It is even true that grace is more beautiful than beauty."

Another has said, "Politeness and courtesy are outward expressions of inner feelings. It behooves us to begin very early to see that the proper inner feelings are developed."

Let us keep these four words in mind in proper sequential order: thoughts, actions, habits, and character.

A long time ago a very wise person said, "As a man thinketh in his heart so is he." Children develop rapidly and become less and less dependent upon others to do their thinking for them. Our

**Introducing I. H. S. Faculty.**

Miss Frisby, the English teacher, came here from McKinney and is a new member of the faculty.

Miss Frisby chooses reading poetry as her hobby and football as her favorite sport.

She said she enjoyed all radio programs, although Bing Crosby seems her favorite.

She is a strong leader in all helpful organizations. She sponsors the ninth grade, Pep Squad, and the Staff.

She proved her splendid sportsmanship freshman day to the student body in obeying all dictations from the pupils.

We, the student body, are proud of such a grand English teacher, and wish to extend to her our highest respects.

**Home Economics Furniture.**

The Home Economics furniture arrived last Friday. The living room of the cottage is now completely furnished. The furniture includes a studio couch, a dining table and six chairs, a secretary and occasional chair. The studio couch is of corded weave and can be made into a bed.

A play "Fool's Holiday" will be presented by the Home Economics department Friday, October 29, 1937. Everybody is cordially invited to come. Admission 10c and 20c. It is given to help pay for the living room furniture in the cottage.

The Freshman girls are making bread in preparing breakfast. They made biscuits Monday.

The second year girls are canning. About the most interesting food canned was fried chicken.

The third year girls have been studying how to plan meals economically and correctly for the average family.

**Class News.**

The sophomore class has been writing poetry and the two best poems are submitted.

**Carry On.**

By Wayne Herring

It's easy to fight when everything's right.

It's easy to cheer when victory is near.

But the man who will meet despair and defeat,

Can only say: Carry on my soul, carry on.

**Basket Ball.**

The Iredell Dragonettes defeated Eulogy Friday night in a game of basket ball. At the beginning it was a fight for both

part is to help them to learn to think straight and to think right. One of the big factors in determining the thinking they do is the kind of reading they become interested in. Let us surround them with the best of food literature and encourage them to use a part of their leisure time each day in good reading. Another thing that will help to direct their thinking is the type of associates they choose. Try to see to it that they learn early to associate their companions well—both books and friends.

Thoughts lead directly to acts. We say that "Action speaks louder than words," but our words our usually in keeping with our thoughts. If boys and girls are taught to think well, they will be apt to talk well and to act well. With reference to this matter of talking, here's a little adage I learned a long time ago from the best teacher I ever had: "There's so much good in the worst of us and so much had in the best of us, it scarcely behooves any of us to talk about the rest of us." If we can impress that upon our children it will surely improve the trend of their conversation, and one of the most effective ways to impress that upon them is to observe it ourselves. Teachers and parents are living examples at all times for children. Children are great imitators. During early childhood, imitation is one of their chief ways of learning. They imitate those with whom they are associated. Therefore, if we would help them not only to think well, but to act well, we too must act well.

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# Up in the Clouds

By Beulah Earle

**Fifth Installment**  
Monty Wallace has just arrived in California, having broken the East-West cross country airplane record. Natalie Wade, mistaken by him for a newspaper reporter, writes the exclusive account of Monty's arrival, and succeeds in securing a trial job with a paper in exchange for the story. Natalie becomes attached to Monty.

Although she discovers Monty's love for her is not sincere, Natalie admits that she loves him. She is assigned by her paper to report Monty's activities for publication. Jimmy Hale, the newspaper's photographer, becomes Natalie's co-worker.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Mont cracked his palm across that pink and white cheek. The noise of it made a little echo from somewhere and when the others had rushed onto the balcony there was deep silence while Sunny slipped limply into Mont's arms and Jimmy Hale came quickly to stand beside Natalie.

"Cripes Nat," the photographer said in an awed voice, "that kid is wild. A few drinks and she's half nuts. We better get her out of here."

"Now, Jimmy," Natalie said slowly, "she was just hysterical—that's all. She sure came out of it when Monty hit her."

"Yes, and what a mistake that was. She'll never leave him alone now. He's given her the biggest thrill she's had since she was a little punk in rompers. She'll throw herself at his feet from now on."

"I'm afraid you're right, Jimmy," Natalie laughed.

She tried to take Sunny's arm as she began to lead her back into the house but Sunny shook her off.

"You better keep away from her," Jimmy advised. "You only stir her up. Come on out here with me."

She turned back with him to the balcony and stood with him looking across the parapet. Her mind now was a tumult at thought of the tragedy so narrowly averted. The chasm was a great bowl of larkness. It seemed impossible that death lay surely there only a hand's-breadth away from the security of the place where she stood.

That the bright-haired girl had been a witness of the sentimental passage between herself and Monty Wallace, there could be no doubt. It must have been this that had set her to the temporary madness of that climb to the parapet.

How much of that act had been true emotion and how much the prompting of her mild intoxication Natalie could not say, but she knew there must be some instinct of desperation in what Sunny had done near doing. It was not likely she finally decided that Sunny actually contemplated throwing herself from the balcony. More probably she intended merely to frighten the two.

She said as much to Jimmy.

"The blonde is dizzy," he rasped out in his husky voice. "I suppose you were kissing that bird of prey. Or he was kissing you, which amounted to the same thing. She's nuts anyway and a little liquor makes her more so. She took one look and shrieked. Then she had to start her dive to cover up. Anything to get his mind off you, probably."

Natalie sighed "It was a close thing, I'm scared yet."

"And no wonder. But the trouble is she'll throw her arms around his neck and make him talk up. If I know that wren, she's likely to put on her diving clothes now every time he takes a good look at you. Are you still knee-deep about that guy?"

"Well, not at least to the point of wanting to throw myself off anything higher than a chair."

"You wren!" But I'm afraid you'll crack up some other way. Will you promise me something?"

"What, please, Jimmy?"

He took his eyes away from that chasm of death and darkness. With one hand he gripped her wrist until it hurt.

"Give me a chance if you crack up with him."

His gray eyes were searching her face. What she saw there surprised her.

"What—what do you mean, Jimmy?"

"Nothing, kid," he said quickly, "except that I'm on the spot too. I'd just about jump over there—sober—if I thought it would do you any good."

"Jimmy!" the girl cried.

"Now, Nat. Don't get excited. It isn't your fault. And I'm not drunk. It's really better with me when I am. I can laugh at myself easier then."

"Don't laugh, Jimmy," the girl cried. "It isn't any laughing business. Believe me, I know."

"I thought that was about it," the boy said softly. "Oh, well."

"Jimmy!" the girl cried again. "Don't say a word, Nat. Forget about it. But if you ever get to the point where you want to do any high jumping, promise me you'll come—and let me jump with you."

"That's a bet, Jimmy." The girl thrust out her other hand. "We'll do our high jumping together."

He caught her hand and held it closely for an instant and then they laughed together.

They went inside and found that Mont had calmed the beautiful Sunny.

"I'm sorry," she told the other two. "Too much dizzy water. I guess, I'll be all right now. Her eyes went back to the flyer's face."

"But boy, what a wallop you carry in that good right hand. Aren't you ashamed of yourself—striking a helpless woman?"

Mont stammered apologies with a glance at Natalie.

"It was my fault," Natalie explained. "You were hysterical and they tell me that—sooner or later will always help. I told him to do it."

"Thanks a lot. But I wish after

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this, Monty, you'd pull your punches."

They held a conference then on the trip home. Mont insisted that Natalie do the driving down the mountain road. But the girl declared she was still trembling too much to make it safe.

"We're all right now," she said. "If we take it easy, I'd rather you drove. You're used to that sort of thing."

Mont Wallace seemed entirely himself as he toiled the car carefully along the fearsome mountain road. And Natalie, taking her place beside him, found that, for the first time since their first evening together, his presence did not bring that helpless hurt that had come to be so constantly a part of her consciousness.

Her heart seemed to remember that Jimmy Hale was waiting to bind up its wound if the hurt proved too much to bear.

After that night, the four-somes were dropped as though by mutual consent. Natalie saw a great deal of Mont Wallace. Sunny made it a point to keep an eye on her as much out of instinctive liking for the girl reporter as because of her recurrent suspicions.

Jimmy went on as Natalie's guide and mentor with little to say about the secret he had divulged that night. Indeed, Natalie might have taken it as a bit of unsober pretense if it had not

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ing to do so to evade his presence several times.

One afternoon, however, there came a challenge to her professional instincts that ran counter to this determination. Two flyers were reported missing somewhere in Lower California. They had gone for twenty-four hours and it seemed certain that they had cracked up in some inaccessible section of the peninsula.

Scout planes from their home airport were already winging south on the hunt for them. It occurred to Natalie that the one man with the instinct and luck to find them was Mont Wallace. He was already testing a fast plane for a new attempt against his own record. A word from her, she was sure, and he would join the hunt with herself as his passenger.

She was out on an assignment with Jimmy when the idea occurred to her. She stifled the impulse to tell him about it, being certain that he would put up a fight.

"Listen, please Jimmy," she cried. "Drive out to the airport and see if we can pick up any news of the two lost pilots."

"That's a hunch," the boy commented and turned his car toward the port.

They went first to the hangar office to inquire about the fate of the men but nothing could be learned. Then they crossed the field to the big MAC hangar of the Marion Aircraft Corporation.

Mont was swathed in coveralls and elbow-deep in work on the new plane. Natalie knew an instant of alarm lest the ship be out of commission. She greeted him and waved at Sunny who sat nearby.

While Jimmy stopped to talk with the two she slipped into the small office and telephoned the Express. Mack Hanlon answered the phone.

"Listen, Mack," she said. "This is Nat. I'm out at the airport. Don't say anything to anybody till I can get Mont Wallace to take me on the hunt for Conrad and Sturm."

"We already tried the company," he told her. "They said they couldn't do anything right now. Two of their pilots are working out of San Diego trying to find them. The outfit figures that's enough."

"Well, I'm going to try. And if you don't hear from me, that's where I've gone."

She hung up the phone and went out to talk with Mont.

"How's the ship? Got it all apart?" Her first queries went to the important point.

"Just got it back together, Nat," Mont replied. "I could hop off this minute for Mexico City and come close to making it."

"Come here a minute," she told him. "I want to show you something."

Beckoning, she led him into the small office and closed the door.

"Mont," she almost whispered, "will you do something for me?"

"Well, listen, I want to find those two boys that are down the other side of the Border. It will put me on top of the heap in the newspaper business if I can pick them up. I'm going to grab some sandwiches and pop or something. You get set and we'll slip out of here in a couple of minutes."

He stared at her for an instant and then he grabbed her by both arms.

"It's a bet, kid. Make it snappy. I'm ready whenever you are."

"Don't tell them out there, Jimmy and Sunny will put up a ter-

rible holler. Just tell them you're going to take me for a little hop."

She seized the telephone again and ordered a great carton of food and a case of soft drinks. It she found the lost pilots, something to drink would probably be their greatest need, and the fountain liquids were nearest.

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### Millerville

By CHAS. W. GIESECKE

Mrs. Bluff Roberson returned from the Gorman sanitarium. They have moved back to Hico this week until Mrs. Roberson regains her health.

Mrs. Hayden Glover has been quite sick the past two weeks, but is improving fast and is able to sit up some at present.

Lewis Osborne of Waco came up to see his mother, Mrs. W. J. Osborne, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown of Carlton came over one day last week to see Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Ida Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Roberson are moving from the King place to the Bluff Roberson farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix had visiting them recently Ted Nix and wife and little daughter, of Purvis, Tex. Ted is teaching in the Purvis schools.

Uncle Alec Norrod seems to be slowly improving from his recent illness.

Mrs. Gene Freeman and baby of Abilene are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen.

Mrs. W. J. Osborne is visiting her son, Marion Osborne and family, at Mt. Calm.

### Altman

By MRS. J. H. McANELLY

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hyles visited their daughter at Pleasant Valley over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor and children of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lowery recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Adams in Hico Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roach Clifton and children were Hamilton visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rallsback came in from Houston Saturday and spent the day with his mother, Mrs. S. C. Rallsback.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and sons were Stephenville visitors Thursday.

Mary Alice Hyles went home with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hyles Sunday to attend school at Carlton.

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**PRICE PEGGING**

The Miller-Tvdings bill was vigorously opposed by the President. Its passage was obtained in the most reprehensible manner. It was attached in the form of a rider to an important appropriations bill which the President had to sign. It legalizes price fixing by manufacturers of trademarked products, thereby permitting practices in restraint of trade and nullifying the anti-trust laws. Although it has been in effect for only a short time, it has already resulted in alarming price rises through a broad field of commodities. A survey by a large department store showed the following:

**COSMETICS:** 1,124 articles were raised by reason of price fixing, an average of 8.6 per cent over the prices at which they had sold in free competition.

**DRUGS:** 360 articles were raised, by reason of price fixing, an average of 15.7 per cent above the prices at which they had sold in free competition.

**LIQUORS:** 168 articles were raised, by reason of price fixing, an average of 12.4 per cent above the prices at which they had sold in free competition.

So it goes, through a long list. Books, up 17.4 per cent; miscellaneous articles, 20.2 per cent. This is just the beginning. The blight of "price fixing" or more appropriately, "price pegging," is little more than legalized robbery and, unless concerted consumer opposition calls a halt, it will spread until all necessities of life are afflicted.

**BRAKES ON PROGRESS**

According to Robert S. Henry of the Association of American Railroads, progress in freight transportation on the rails has been largely achieved by running longer trains and running them faster. "Because railroads have been able to do that," he says, "they have been able to move America's freight at the lowest average ton-mile rate in the world; to furnish American shippers the most dependable, all-year, continent-wide freight service in the world; and do both while paying the highest railroad wages in the world."

The bill now pending in Congress to force the railroads to split up long trains and to make three or four trains do the work now done by two, threatens this great achievement. Should it become law, Mr. Henry says, the American shipper and consumer will be deprived of the use and benefit of the vast sums spent to reduce grades, to straighten curves, to strengthen track and bridges, to build more powerful and more efficient locomotives and better cars—billions spent to furnish better transportation at lower cost.

In the past 15 years, the average length of freight trains increased one-sixth, and the average speed nearly one-half. Yet, the frequency of accidents to employees has decreased by more than one-half. So far as accidents at grade crossings are concerned, it is apparent that more trains mean a greater accident risk. It is estimated that if the pending bill should pass, the additional freight trains would cause 150 more deaths at grade crossings each year.

Everybody has benefited from the extraordinary progress made by the railroad industry. It has brought about higher wages, not only in the railroad industry itself, but in the related industries which depend on railroads for a large part of their orders. The efficiency and cheapness of transportation has reduced the cost of all types of articles to the consumer. Mr. Henry asks, "Shall we now set the brakes on that sort of progress?"

Why try to camouflage the real purpose of this measure? It is purely an attempt to force the railroads to hire unnecessary employees at the expense of the public or eventual bankruptcy of the railroads.

**UNLESS YOU HELP YOURSELF**

Addressing a group of farmers at the recent New York state fair, State Senator George Rogers said, "Unless you help yourself, no one can do anything for you."

No advice could be simpler, sounder or wiser. The farmer who looks to some outside agency such as government to bring America prosperity and solve all his problems, this type of doomed to disappointment—and he should be. Fortunately for agriculture, this type of farmer is in the minority. During the last few decades farmers have done a great deal to help themselves through cooperative marketing associations. It speaks well for the farmers' foresight and intelligence that during the depression the established cooperatives registered great advances in both their membership and their influence.

Yes, farmers are helping themselves and they are gradually achieving the success they deserve.

**LIBERALIZING DIVORCE**

England has lately "liberalized" its divorce laws, legalizing the breaking of the marriage ties for any one of several causes. The Protestant Episcopal Church in America is considering seriously changing its rule so as to sanction divorce and remarriage after that. New York State, which has had more rigid divorce laws than any other state than South Carolina, which does not legalize divorce for any cause, has enacted legislation making divorce procedure easier.

Those are signs of the times which indicate a profound change in the ideas and outlook of the people of the present generation, from the ideas of their grandparents. A large part of the Christian world still holds marriage to be a holy sacrament, indissoluble except by death. But realistic-minded people are reverting to the ideas about marriage which prevailed in the early days of the American colonies and still form the basis of the divorce laws of most of the states. That concept is that there is nothing more sacred about marriage than about any other civil contract, and that a minister performing a marriage ceremony acts, in that case, merely as an agent of the state, which can prescribe rules under which the contract can be abrogated, if it can also provide for the cancellation of any other contract.

Divorce, from this point of view, is something which is entirely up to the consciences of the man and woman concerned, subject only to the laws which the state may enact to prevent a divorced woman or her children becoming a public charge, by making the husband responsible for her continued support, if she has no other means.

**THE PRICE OF SPEED**

As everyone knows, speed is the great highway killer. The motorist who drives at an excessive rate endangers not only his own life, but those of everyone else on the public streets and roads. He can suffer but one excuse for his conduct—that super-fast driving gets him to his destination sooner.

The truth is, the minutes we save by excessive speed are pitifully few in the light of the risk involved. A short time ago a test was made in Chicago. A radio announcer was told to drive his car on a short-mile trip through heavy traffic, observing not only every traffic regulation, but every rule of courtesy. At the same time, a police officer followed the same route under instructions to take every risk and reach the destination in the shortest possible time. Twenty-three minutes later the reckless driver pulled in at the stopping point. The safe, supposedly slow driver, who had taken no risks at all got there exactly two minutes later.

We have all met the motorist who makes a trip in a length of time that required him to risk a hundred lives, and then spends twice the amount he saved over a normal, safe passage, boasting about it. None of us are so busy, none of us have so great a need or desire for a few minutes or a few hours, that we can afford the "price of speed."

"Save ten minutes—take a life." That should be the motto of the driver who "runs up" on every possible occasion. Speed and speed alone is the dominating factor in the great bulk of the nation's serious traffic accidents. Look at it from your own point of view and from a purely selfish standpoint—is it worth it?

**Registrations Increased.**

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 19.—Registrations of new automobiles in Texas during September increased moderately over the like month last year, but declined sharply from the preceding month, according to the Bureau of Business Research of The University of Texas. Sales in the intermediate price groups made the best relative showing.

Reports to the Bureau from fifteen representative counties give total sales of 1,698 cars, an increase of 4.5 per cent over September last year, but a decrease of 18.1 per cent from the preceding month.

Aggregate sales during the year to date for the fifteen counties were 51,088, a decline of 2.6 per cent from the corresponding period a year ago.

Texas Planning Board engineers have discovered that Texas cedar sawdust, when properly treated and moulded, makes perfect sounding boards for musical instruments.



**THE INDIRECT COST OF FIRE**

"Burned property cannot be replaced," says Paul H. Sommers, President of the National Board of Fire Underwriters. "It is gone forever, and the nation is poorer by that much in tangible wealth. Fire brings unemployment, loss of time, wages and buying power, sometimes checking the growth of communities and reaching out a detaining hand to dependent or allied industries."

It is high time we got rid of the widespread and completely erroneous idea that fire insurance gives complete protection. Fire insurance is essential to individuals and industry alike—but there are risks which no policy can cover. Cases are on record where the destruction of a factory has brought a sudden stop to a town's progress and caused it to start on the down grade. The factory in the case was undoubtedly covered by insurance, but the ultimate loss to the community was infinitely greater than the mere building and materials destroyed. When fire closes a place of business, permanently or temporarily, it means the purchasing power of employees is reduced or eliminated entirely. Mortgages and rents go unpaid. Stores lose patronage. Taxes are lost. Families move away and search for employment elsewhere. Property values decline and the entire life of the community is affected.

The direct annual fire loss in this country can be tabulated—it amounts to several hundreds of millions of dollars. This is a gigantic sum, but the indirect loss which cannot be put down exactly in figures, is many times as great and perhaps runs into the billions. When we prevent a fire through the simple precautions that eliminate most hazards in homes and places of business, we are safeguarding jobs, savings, earnings, security, thus putting dollars in our pockets.

Thomas E. Campbell, former governor of Arizona, is directing the mining industry's exhibit for the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition.



**MODERN WOMEN**  
 by EARLENE WHITE  
 President of The National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc.

The older generation of Albanian women have removed their face veils and no longer do you see women of any age with their faces covered in the medieval fashion. This movement for greater freedom started some time ago among the younger women who refused to hide behind filmy headwear. But the older ones clung to the habit until the Albanian Parliament recently passed a law forbidding the country's Muslim women to veil their faces. It is said that much of the modernization of this country, which is across the Adriatic from Italy, is due to the influence of natives who have lived in America and then returned to their own country. Among the leaders in the new freedom are three princesses, sisters of King Zog.

Millions of men and women are sought as a part of the Three-Fold Cord, a British organization seeking to establish links by correspondence in all countries with world peace as the ultimate end. Miss Elizabeth Calderwood is sponsor of the movement and the propagating center is John Masfield's old home in Oxford.

Having mapped out an original career for herself Miss Jeanne Devo is now recognized as a success in turning out twenty-inch manikins which travel all over the country. Many women were interested in her parade of manikins in the New York Museum of Science and Industry. Miss Devo spends about sixteen hours on

each manikin outfit, and she and her helpers take no end of pains to make the tiny garments, which are copies of advance fashions, perfect in every detail. The figures are designed by Lester Gaba, sculptor, and women everywhere study the poses and costume lines to learn what is to be worn the following season.

The first Englishwomen to ascend in a balloon was Mrs. L. A. Sage from St. George's Fields, Newington Butts, on June 29, 1785. It was considered a very daring escapade.

**HIGHER RAILROAD FARES**

The Eastern railroads have agreed to ask the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to increase their passenger fares from the flat two cents a mile, which went into effect last year, to two-and-a-half cents. The permission will probably be granted, since the one road which insisted upon the lower rate has found that higher wages and increased cost of supplies have run up operating costs to where the two-cent rate no longer pays expenses.

It is doubtful whether the increased fare will make as much difference in the volume of passenger travel as it would have done two or three years ago. The reduction in rates got great numbers of people into the habit of traveling on the railroads, and the railroads found that it paid to make travelling more comfortable by air-conditioning their trains and providing easier seats on new cars. And with bus fares also regulated by the Federal board, the railroads no longer face ruinous competition.

The whole thing is another example of the present tendency to rising prices. That was inevitable once wages in general began to rise. The problem now is how to keep the cost of living within the means of the large part of the people who have not yet had their wages increased. Whoever can discover the answer to that problem deserves at last a medal, if not a monument.

**The House of Hazards** By Mac Arthur



**Sunday School Lesson**  
 by Rev. Charles E. Duane

Christian Renewal Lesson for October 24th. Titus 3:1-11. Golden Text: Titus 2:11. We know little about Titus. Neither his place of birth nor his age is recorded. A convert from heathenism, he was probably won to the cause of Christ by St. Paul. We first hear of him as a companion of Paul on the fateful visit to Jerusalem described in Acts 15 when the question of the circumcision of Gentile Christians was strenuously debated. He was strictly Jewish party within the Church, but Paul and his supporters, who represented Gentile Christianity, hotly resisted, and won a favorable decision.

Titus then drops out of sight for the next few years, but it is reasonable to assume that he traveled with Paul and assisted him in his evangelistic campaigns. We next hear of him in Paul's second letter to the Church at Corinth where he is mentioned 9 times. From these references we learn that Titus visited Corinth more than once as the trusted representative of Paul who delegated him to organize and complete the collection for the poor Christians of Judea which the apostle was so anxious to gather, and also to restore order at a time of disaffection in the Corinthian parish.

There is another gap in the story of Titus until the period covered by Paul's brief letter to him. Here we learn that he had accompanied the Apostle on a visit to Crete, and had been left there by him to "set right the things which still require attention, and appoint Elders in every town." Paul charges him to maintain "wholesome teaching," to assert his authority, and to avoid "foolish controversies." There is a tradition that Titus served long as the Bishop of the Church in Crete.

Titus, like Timothy, was a very reliable, efficient helper to Paul. He was evidently endowed with firmness tempered with tact and common sense. It is a pleasure to get the fleeting glimpses from the New Testament pages of his fine character and devoted service.

FOR **BETTER HEALTH**  
 BY DR. J. ROSSLYN EARP  
 Medical Director, Division of Health Education,  
 New York State Department of Health

**TUBERCULOSIS PETS**  
 The importance of cattle as carriers of tuberculosis has long been recognized. Tuberculosis in domestic pets is a subject that has attracted surprisingly little attention. Yet dogs and cats do get tuberculosis. Routine autopsies carried out in veterinary institutions seem to indicate that in some parts of the world dogs and cats suffer more often than in others. In Berlin the percentage of tuberculous cats is 2; in France 13.

Two Scandinavian investigators named Hjarre and Herlitz have reported six instances in which the pet seems to have been infected by a human friend. Here is one of them:  
 A poodle lived for seven years with a healthy mistress and remained well all that time. A visitor came to the house in the spring of 1932; began to cough in

May, 1932, went away in the fall and died from tuberculosis in February, 1933. She had been very friendly to the poodle and even fed him from her own plate. The dog began to cough in October, 1932, and next month was found by the experts at the veterinary college to have tuberculosis. Sheep dogs, fox terriers and airdales appear to be the most susceptible breeds of dogs. Male dogs, it is said, are more liable to tuberculosis than female dogs and cats more susceptible than dogs. Health seekers will be glad to be told that they should be careful not to infect their pets.

Because dogs and cats may catch the disease from humans, it does not necessarily follow that humans can catch the disease from dogs and cats. But the possibility is worth bearing in mind.

**Yeast Breads**  
 There is something in the air, the gleaming mornings and gold-and-scarlet days, the brilliant evenings hinting frost, the tingling, hungry autumn weather, that gives us new thoughts about foods and cooking and sends us to the kitchens eager to make good things to satisfy reviving appetites.

Of all the good things that come from the kitchen crusty, homemade bread is one of the best. Just to come into the house while bread and rolls are baking makes a body snuff with joyful anticipation of the moment they will come to the table.

Accurate measurements and close attention to temperature make it very easy to bake delicious bread and rolls. Almost any batch of dough can be stored in the refrigerator for several days so that warm rolls will be forthcoming for any meal.

The same foundation recipe is used for Parker House rolls, clover leaf rolls and many sweet rolls, with a few variations.

When dough is taken from the ice-box it takes from two to three hours for the shaped rolls to rise before baking.

**Foundation Recipe**  
 One cup ricied potatoes, 2 cakes compressed yeast, 1-2 cup granulated sugar, 1 tablespoon salt, 1-2 cup shortening (butter and lard mixed), 2 eggs, 8 cups flour, 1-2 cup water in which potatoes were cooked, 2 cups milk.

Scald milk and add shortening. Cool to lukewarm temperature. Cool 1-2 cup water in which potatoes were cooked to lukewarm temperature and add crumbled yeast cakes. Let stand until softened and add to milk with ricied potatoes, sugar, salt and 3 cups bread flour. Add eggs well beaten and stir until thoroughly mixed, beating as hard as possible. Stir in remaining flour, brush the dough lightly with melted fat, cover closely and store in the refrigerator until wanted. Or, let rise in a warm place (85 degrees F.) for an hour, shape in rolls, let rise again until double in bulk and bake fifteen minutes in a hot oven (425 degrees F.). Remove from oven and brush with melted butter.

To shape rolls, roll part of the dough on a lightly floured board into a sheet about 1-2 inch thick. Cut with a biscuit cutter and make a crease slightly to one side of the center of each biscuit, using the dull edge of a case knife. Brush the edge of each biscuit with a little water and fold the bigger side over on the smaller side, pressing the edges firmly together. Arrange about 2 inches apart on a greased baking pan, cover with a towel and let rise.

**WOMEN AND TAXES**  
 When the women-folk of America decide they want something they generally get what they go after. That is one reason why there seems to be a chance that, sooner or later, the taxation racket may give place to a system of raising revenue for Government purposes under which every citizen will know all the time, just what his own contribution is. For a group of ladies calling themselves the League of Women Buyers and Taxayers, with headquarters in Chicago, has started out in a big way to make the people of America tax-conscious.

The League is hunting up the hidden taxes, that everybody pays but few know they are paying, and circulating the facts about them among the people who have to watch the domestic budget; that is to say, the housewives of the nation. They are pointing out that their loaf of bread has to pay 52 taxes out of the price; the housewife pays for it, that there are 116 different taxes on every gallon of gasoline bought for the family car, 172 taxes on medicine bought at the drugstore, or more taxes paid by the consumer than profits to the farmer on wheat, milk and meat.

An old saw says that we can't escape everything but death and taxes. The ladies point out in one of their bulletins that even if death we do not escape taxation, for 157 indirect taxes are hidden in the undertaker's fees.

# Local Happenings

Mrs. J. W. Jones who has been ill is improving.

Clean cotton rags wanted.—Bell Ice & Dairy Products Co. 21-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ogilve were visitors in Waco Tuesday.

ROSS SHOP, Jewelry, Watch and Clock Repairing. 37-tfc

Mrs. G. C. Keeney was a business visitor in Stephenville Monday.

George Christopher and Grady Harrow were business visitors in Rio Vista Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tabor were business visitors in Fort Worth Monday.

J. W. Richbourg was a business visitor in Stephenville Wednesday.

Mrs. R. A. Welch of Stephenville was here Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McFadden.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McFadden were in Stephenville Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Shirley Campbell and Mrs. Katie Black were visitors in Waco Wednesday.

Mrs. C. L. Woodward spent a part of the week in Fort Worth with friends.

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Mann and children and Miss Wilena Furcell were visitors in Stephenville Saturday night.

H. C. Frizzell of Bellville, was in Hico the first of the week on business with the local Southern Union Gas Company office.

Mrs. Nicey Cagle of Stephenville was in Hico Wednesday visiting old friends and attending to business matters.

Mrs. S. E. Blair was in Clifton Tuesday visiting Mrs. C. P. Coston, who is there recovering from an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wieser of Hamilton were in Hico Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson and Miss Nettie Wieser.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kittle of Hamilton were in Hico Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Waldrop were visitors in Hamilton Sunday afternoon, and in Stephenville Sunday night.

John Blackman of Brackettville, Texas, spent several days here this week with his sister, Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson.

Mrs. J. D. Doty has been seriously ill at her home here for several days. Her many friends are deeply interested in her recovery.

R. L. Beaman and family spent Saturday afternoon in Stephenville. Mrs. Beaman remained over and attended services at the Church of Christ there Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Brown and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Grimland and son went to Fort Worth Saturday where the men witnessed the T. C. U.—A. & M. football game, while the ladies went on to Dallas and spent the day.

C. P. Coston was in Clifton Sunday visiting his wife and children at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Coston. Mrs. Coston, who is recovering from a major operation performed at Providence Hospital in Waco, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sellers spent the week end in Dallas, guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tracy. Mr. Sellers returned home the first of the week but Mrs. Sellers remained for a more extended visit.

**Fall Photos . . .**

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**The WISEMAN STUDIO**  
HICO, TEXAS

Mrs. Fred Chandler and Mrs. R. F. Higgs of Stephenville were Hico visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. E. O. Boettcher of Clifton spent the week end here with Mrs. C. W. Bates.

James Brown of Sweetwater was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown.

R. J. Riley, county tax assessor-collector, and his assistant, Ira Moore, both of Hamilton, were business visitors in Hico Monday.

J. D. Gage of Bertram was in Hico the early part of last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gage.

Mrs. Perry Maxwell and daughter, Mrs. Hogue Williams, of Hamilton visited relatives and friends in Hico Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Turner of Copperas Cove stopped in Hico a short while and visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson. Mrs. Turner is Mr. Jackson's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Stewart and son, Howard, of San Angelo, were here over the week end visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Russell and other relatives. Lewis Anderson accompanied them to San Angelo for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Reed of San Antonio came up Sunday and visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Mendor. Mr. Reed returned home the first of the week but Mrs. Reed remained for a more extended visit.

Miss Flossie Randals, who attends T. S. W. C. at Denton spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lusk Randals. She has been suffering from an infected heel but recovered sufficiently to return to Denton the first of the week.

J. E. Arnold of Duffau was in the office last Saturday to renew the subscription of his son, Geo. Arnold, Hico Route 4, and reported having attended a big barbecue eight miles below Stephenville recently. The affair was held at John Oxford's place, and was attended by 140 people, many from around this community. Many old-timers were present, the oldest reporting his age at 88. Mr. Arnold is a long-time reader of the News Review, and has always subscribed for the home paper, ever since the old Hico Courier was established.

D. F. McCarty, Jr. and Mrs. Raymond McCarty of Abilene spent Sunday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty. Little Miss Sylvia Ray McCarty who has been a guest in the home of her grandparents, returned to Abilene with them Sunday afternoon.

**Miss Nell Rose Crist Bride Of C. L. Mahon, Jr. in Ceremony**

An autumn wedding of interest to Waco and out-of-town friends was that of Miss Nell Rose Crist niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNeill of La Vega and C. L. Mahon, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mahon of De Leon, Texas, which was solemnized at the La Vega Baptist Church Sunday morning at 12 o'clock by Rev. Robert Pugh.

The church was decorated with ferns and Tullipian rosebuds, cat-tails also being used to accent the bride's chosen colors of British tan and brown.

Mr. S. E. Anderson sang "Because," accompanied by Mrs. Fred Sherman who also played the wedding march.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, J. H. McNeill, wore a gown of British tan with brown accessories. She wore a corsage of Tullipian rosebuds arranged with the gold and silver leaves in pleasing effect.

Observing the bridal tradition, she wore a lovely lavender of a friend's as something old. Also a harmonizing bracelet of different harmonizing colors, the blue predominating as something blue. She carried a dainty brown handkerchief of her aunt's as something borrowed.

Miss Dortha Dellin, friend of the bride, was her attendant, being dressed in a green frock with brown accessories and wearing a corsage of golden daisies arranged with the orange ribbon in a harmonizing effect.

Mr. Mahon was attended by Mr. Ross Dyers. Immediately following the ceremony, members of the wedding party and close friends and relatives of the couple had luncheon at the bride's home.

Out-of-town guests were, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mahon, Sr. of De Leon, Texas, Mrs. C. M. Broyles of Hamilton.

Mr. C. L. Mahon is a student of Baylor where he has been attending for sometime having graduated from De Leon High School with honors and as valedictorian of his class of 1931.

The couple will be at home at La Vega.

**Marriage of Henry A. Wieser Recently Announced**

The marriage of Henry A. Wieser to Miss Mary Elizabeth Tucker was announced to a small group of friends Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wieser in Hamilton. The marriage took place in Weatherford, Sunday, Sept. 26.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Tucker of Greenville. She received her degree from State Teachers College at Commerce where she studied art, music, and voice.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wieser of Hamilton. Since his graduation from the New Mexico Military Institute he has been with his father in business.

The young couple plan to make their home in Hamilton.

**Miss Sallie Garth Married To Mr. Ray Duckworth Saturday**

Miss Sallie Lucille Garth was married to Mr. Ray Duckworth at Stephenville Saturday morning at 11 o'clock by the pastor of the Stephenville Methodist Church.

The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garth of Hico, is a graduate of Hico High School. She has worked in the public at various stores since that time, and has also had employment with the Gulf States Telephone Company.

Mr. Duckworth is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duckworth of the Duffau community. He is also a graduate of Hico High School, and has attended John Tarleton College at Stephenville.

Immediately following the marriage, the couple left for points in West Texas, returning to the Duffau community Monday, where they are making their home on a farm belonging to the groom.

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**Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson Entertained Mail Carriers**

The Rural Letter Carriers Association and Ladies Auxiliary of Hamilton County gathered for their regular business and social meeting at 6:00 o'clock Tuesday, October 19th at the attractive ranch home of two of the members, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson.

These gracious people honored the group with a goat barbecue, which was supplemented by the ladies bringing pies, cakes and salads. Hot coffee and postum added the final touch of zest to such a delightful and delicious dinner, which was highly enjoyed by all. This was served at a long table on the beautiful spacious arched veranda, and with the moon shining through and upon the landscaping made a picture never to be forgotten.

Following this beautiful repast the carriers and auxiliary transacted the regular business of their respective organizations. Then by request Mrs. Jackson showed the ladies her nice collection of Tufted Bedspreads which brought forth many exclamations of admiration. Now, after many expressions of enjoyment experienced, all said "good night."

Those present besides the host and hostess were Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower, mother of the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Carrie Marshall, mother of Mr. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Jackson and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyer of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lee of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gandy, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beaman and daughter, Roberta.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Patterson and daughter, Imogene, of Greyville visited Mr. and Mrs. Forest Todd Tuesday afternoon.

Delbert Thompson left Tuesday for Brownwood to join a detachment of CCC enrollees. They will be stationed at Trinidad, Colorado.



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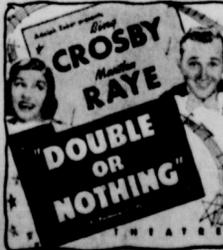


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Eighth Grade—Jean Hutton
Seventh Grade—Joylette Able
Fifth and Sixth—Peggy Ruth Allison
Campus Editor—Tommye Jo Allison
Society—Geraldine Brummett
Sports—J. N. Pitts
Comics—Carroll Akin
Sponsor—Miss Jane White
Sports—Lucille Herricks

Work on Gymnasium Started.
The election to vote bonds to build a gymnasium September 4 were approved and specifications completed by October 13. Contract was let October 14 and construction began October 18. Hugh McCullough set the contract to build the gymnasium. Henry Davis got the contract to move the primary building.

Senior Personality Parade.
J. N. Pitts, the handsome Romeo of the Senior class in first in our personality parade. "Cokie" is 5 feet, 9-1/2 inches tall and weighs 158 pounds. He has black hair, blue eyes, fair complexion. Gee, what a break for his sweetie.
Cokie is one of our best basketball players even though his favorite sport is football. Ginger Rogers and Clark Gable are his favorites on the screen and any good radio program is O. K. with him. His ambition is to be a movie actor. After listening to him croon in history class, we believe he will be another Bing Crosby.
The Senior Class is very proud of Cokie and we wish him a happy and successful life.

Mr. Horsley Married.
Mr. Horsley, principal of Fairy High School, was married Saturday night but does not seem to know anything about it. We wish him much happiness.

Wow! Teacher Takes Dump.
Miss Jane White, English teacher found difficulties in standing on a chair Friday. Her feet seemed to stay in mid air in spite of all she could do. She fell flat and thud went her head.

Seniors.
They're doing it. What? We've not decided but they are doing it. We wonder if its debating on the play.

Juniors.
The Junior class is proud of a new pupil, Onita Evans. She is a swell addition and we say, "Welcome."
J. C. Davis, Charles Burden and John Russell also seem like new pupils. The Juniors are glad they have started back.
We are very depressed over six weeks' test. These tests come this week.
The Juniors didn't know they were such liars until they made a statement in Geometry, and Mr. Grisham barked, "Prove it!" Now we wonder if we will ever get to heaven.

Sophomores.
We have been studying for six weeks test.
Miss Jane White got another letter. We wonder what was in it?
Gene Tinkle has been seen peeling pecans for a Junior girl. Look out Gene!

Freshman News.
We are all glad to be back in school again. We are all studying hard for the first six weeks tests.
Wonder Why—
No! He didn't come to school today?
Oleta is so blue?
Oleta got mad Saturday night?
Mary Elkes Fairy school so well?

Seventh Grade News.
Everyone in the seventh grade is looking forward to examinations this week and everyone is hoping to make good grades. The Junior girls organized them an indoor ball team. The ones who play are as follows: Myrtle Duncan, Joylette Abel, Juanita Simpson, Wilma Dean Mason, Doris Ruth Allison, Connie Mae Robertson, Wendell Parks, Rudell Jackson, Ha Ruth Parks, Jimmie Ruth Thompson and Wanda Lea Carson. Miss Cook is our coach and we think she is going to be a very good one.

Fifth and Sixth.
We are very proud we are getting a new gym.
The Sixth grade entertained the fifth grade last Friday.
We have several new books in our library. Elsie Lee Parks was keeper last week, Peggy Ruth Allison this week, and Elsie Lee Parks will be keeper next week.

Sports.
The boys' basketball team went to Evant Friday night. They played very hard but were de-

feated 27 to 6. After the boys have had more time for practice, the team will be much better. We hope to have another game this week, and we are hoping to do much better after a week of practice.

Girls' Sport News.
The girls' basketball team motored to Evant last Friday, Oct. 15 for the first game of the season.

Both teams played a good game, and everyone seemed to enjoy it. The girls put out all they had but when the final whistle blew they knew it was not enough for the scores were 12 to 14 in Evant's favor. Lucille Herricks was high point with 10 points.
The guards did some real guarding to hold those Evant girls down to only 14 points.
The starting lineup for Fairy was as follows: Forwards, Juanita Parks, Lucille Herricks and Josie Mae Parks; guards, Margie Lee Hutton, Doris Robinson and Mildred Shepherd.
No substitution was made during the game.

Phil Duncan Players.
The Phil Duncan players will present a play each Tuesday night in the Fairy auditorium. Everyone is invited to come. The price is 19c and 15c.

Sense.
Things that have got to stop, Cokie's whistling in the class room.
Some of the Senior boys talking aloud in the English class.
The Senior class forgetting their paper when they start to history class.
Andy's and Sam's going to Hico.
Nonsense.
Here lies the remains of a radio fan
Who's mourned by friends and relations.
He walked in a powder mill smoking his pipe
And was picked up by twenty-one stations.

Flag Branch
By HAZEL COOPER

Mr. and Mrs. Tynn Davis and son of Olin spent the first of the week in the H. C. Graves home.

Jeff Howie spent Tuesday afternoon in the J. M. Cooper home. Alvin Mings and wife spent Thursday in the N. L. Mings home.

Mrs. Bell Hanshaw has been spending the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Stroud.

Mrs. Lotus Gosdin visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gosdin Thursday.

Mrs. Altha Burks spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Carl Stroud.

J. D. Craig and family visited in the F. D. Craig home Wednesday night.

Clarence Moore and family of Oden Chapel spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gosdin.

Ray and Bill Howie and Edwin Laney spent while Sunday evening with Jess McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivis Hanshaw have moved from this place to a farm near Hico.

Bud Flannery and family of near Altman have moved back to his farm. Glad to welcome them back.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Sawyer have moved to the S. A. Dunlap place near Hico.

Miss Mary Katherine Craig spent the week end with J. D. Craig and family.

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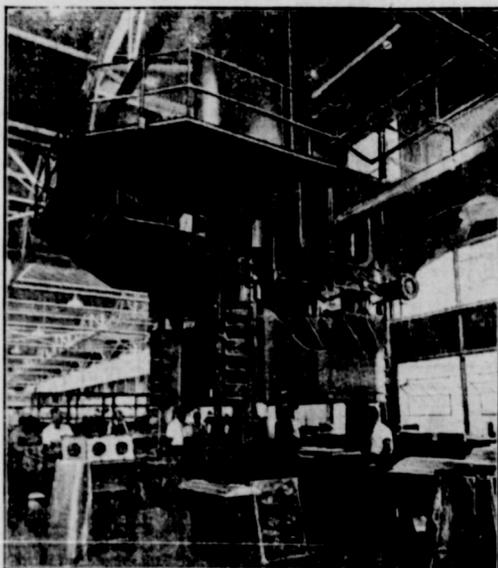
News Of The World Told In Pictures

In Asia — WAR — In Europe



Here are the world's two canker sores, scenes of "undeclared" warfare and possible starting points for an Earth-encompassing conflict. At left is mapped latest Sino-Japanese battle lines in North China and around Shanghai, including details of other important centers. At right is Spain after a year of "civil" war in which practically every major European nation has a hand. A crossfire of diplomatic incidents on both sides of the world finds even the United States, forced to abandon a 20-year-old policy of isolation, aligned with the League of Nations in condemning "outlaws" and urging "quarantine" of aggressors.

Monster Hydraulic Press Speeds Fabrication of Airplane Parts



CONFRONTED with a rapidly expanding demand for its commercial transport planes, the Douglas Aircraft Company has installed the world's largest high-speed hydraulic press in its plant at Santa Monica, California. With a pressing force of 10,000,000 pounds, the huge press is as versatile as it is powerful, being capable of performing a total of several thousand production operations in the shaping and forming of parts for the Douglas planes.
Transportation of the gigantic machine to Santa Monica from the plant of the Hydraulic Press Manufacturing Company at Mount Gilead, Ohio, where it was built, presented a difficult problem. The press stands as high as a four-story building and weighs nearly a million pounds. The head alone weighs 175,400 pounds, the bed nearly 150,000 pounds; the ram more than 40,000 pounds. No single land transportation device ever built or imagined was capable of carrying the full weight of such a load.
The problem was solved by disassembling the press and mounting the parts on nine special flat cars. To move even the disassembled machine into the Douglas plant it was necessary to tear away the front and part of the roof of the building in which it was to be housed. The sandy soil upon which the plant is built had necessitated construction of a special concrete foundation.
The machine's pressing force of 10,000,000 pounds is created by a single hydraulic ram, six feet in diameter and actuated by oil under a pressure of 2500 pounds per square inch. Mounted on top of the press, the oil supply reservoir holds enough oil to fill the crankcases of 2000 motor cars. Pressure is generated by a battery of four radial pumps of the variable reversible delivery type, driven by two 150 horse power electric motors.
When officials of the Douglas Aircraft Company first considered use of a hydraulic press as a means of applying interchangeability, flexibility and greater manufacturing economy to the fabrication of aircraft parts, a miniature press was constructed to test the possibilities. So satisfactory was this test that an initial 2000-ton-pressure press was installed two years ago.
Installation of the new press enables the company to shape 2000 airplane parts—all of aluminum alloy—on its hydraulic presses.

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Young Texan on Broadway



Recognition came to a young Texas actress recently when Miss Gladene Parr of Waelder was chosen from among 300 applicants for a role in the latest production of the Theater Guild of New York. The play, "Madame Bovary," opened in Washington and then in New York. Miss Parr is a graduate of the Speech department of the Texas State College for Women, and won a prominent role in "Cavalcade" last summer. While a student in Denton she was named the most beautiful girl and the most outstanding dramatic student on the campus.

TOUCH-DOWN TACTICS



This is the first in a series of nine outstanding diagram plays by nine leading college coaches from Grantland Rice's Cities Service Football Guide.

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Shoulder To Shoulder



CHICAGO... Alfred M. Landon (left) and Herbert Hoover are "in agreement on every essential problem, both of the country and of the party," declares former Illinois Governor Frank O. Lowden after a conference of all three at Lowden's home recently. A second get-together is rumored to be scheduled for the near future.

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Showdown Sought



WASHINGTON... Warnings to Japan bluntly rejected by Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye (inset). Secretary of State Cordell Hull now awaits an opportune "incident" for stronger protest, possible reprisals for damage to American persons and property during Jap air raids on Chinese cities. This week ends Japan fearful of similar action by Russia.

Attraction



With the opening Oct. 12 of Red Nichols and his famous Pennies orchestra, the Casino at the Pan American Exposition in Dallas is set until its close Oct. 31. Nichols and his band play for dancing between performances of the Casino Revue which features Art Jarrett, Dorrah Minneville's Harmonica Rascals, Stan Kavanagh and Berto and Mann.

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# THE MIRROR

"The Mirror" covers more area and gathers more news than any other school paper in this section.

Published by students of

Hico High School, Hico, Texas

This year—No. 5

## Hico was defeated at De Leon Friday by a

Score of 19 to 0, and will meet Cranfill's Gap Lions here today (Friday).

The last game of the lions resulted in 19 to 0 victory for Cranfill's Gap. Statistics on the game here is that Cranfill's Gap was beaten by Clifton High School 13 to 6; Hamilton beat Clifton 31 to 0; and Hamilton beat Hico 31 to 0. According to statistics the game should be a thriller from start to finish.

"Red" Miller of Cranfill's Gap is another Dalthan Cathey, in Mr. Grimland's estimation, and nothing is taken light in the game for him. He states he has four nephews on the team and also that Cranfill's Gap has one man in particular that needs watching, Chris Hanson, a big fast 220-pound man.

Cranfill's Gap fans will be here in a large number, so come on Hico and be out to greet them. Our team is out to win, so come on and help them. The boys have worked hard this week trying to develop an offense for some scores that have been lacking. Mr. Grimland states that slow-moving "Streaky" backs has been the cause of no scores, and that this will not be the case today. The game starts promptly at 3:00 P. M. Boys on the team today expecting to show the old Hico spirit are Jack Hollis, Derward Polk, Bill Hall on the line as well as big "Jim" Wile and many others; as for the back-field it remains to be seen.

I'm not the bird that you may read about who gets the worm. I'm too lazy. I just sneak around seeking the path of least resistance, and you will have to hand it to me that I am a little crafty; at least enough never to exert myself. I am just filling time and space in school. I am superstitious about doing any kind of work; I sometimes muster up enough energy to throw a few paper wads, but that doesn't hurt me, just annoys others. But what do I care?

## Library books were arranged

In alphabetical order and labeled this week.

The author and title of each book will be written in white ink. The librarian is also erasing all marks, so all students please help her to keep them clean.

Much of the library equipment that has been ordered arrived this week. Paste, index cards, labels, bookbinder's tape, and transparent tape were included in the shipment.

The librarian wishes to announce that volume 27 of the Encyclopedia Americana reference books is missing. Please return this book to the library, because all reference books can be kept only one period.

As yet we haven't any new books and they can not be purchased until more fees are paid. If you haven't paid your fee, do it now.

## Salem

By JAYNE KOONSMAN

(Dear Editor and Staff: I can not express my thanks and tell you how much I enjoyed the paid vacation I have had this Summer. I am not leaving, but I am resigning as correspondent. Also I am helping a new hand get started. I am sure she can supply you with plenty of good news items. \* \* \* So I am wishing you, the paper and the new correspondent lots of luck, and best wishes.—Mrs. W. C. Rogers.)

We have been enjoying lots of rain the past few weeks. With a few clear days the farmers will be through picking cotton.

Mrs. W. E. Koonsman has been quite ill, but was reported better the first of the week.

Mr. H. Koonsman is doing as well as could be expected under the condition he is in.

Nick Driver, a CCC boy from Colorado, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Driver.

Mr. and Mrs. Graften Warren and son Darrell, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Koonsman and children, E. D. and Alma Jean, all of Duffau, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Howerston and son James of Millerville, and Miss Faye Koonsman of Waco visited in the W. E. Koonsman home during the week end.

Mrs. P. H. Mayfield Sr. is visiting in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

## The Mirror

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# EDITORIAL

WE ADOPT A MODERN STYLE OF HEADLINING. "THE MIRROR" IS, SO FAR

as we know, the first school paper in the world to use this modern style of headlining called "Rocket" headlining. The advantage of this style is that there is no break between the headlines and the reading matter. Our first headline of this style appeared in the October 8 issue of "The Hico News Review."

But now a bit of the history of "Rocket" Headlines. There isn't much to tell, because "Rocket" headlines are only a few months old. They first appeared in the "Alamosa (Colo.) Daily Courier" and later in the "Le Center (Minn.) Leader." The third paper that they appeared in was "The Hico News Review" on the aforementioned date in "The Mirror." After sampling this style, we decided to continue it throughout. We hope you like it.

## The P.T.A. did not meet Wednesday of last

week in the auditorium. Because of the rainy weather, only a few could attend and

it was for this reason that the meeting was postponed until the Wednesday of this week.

All the parents who are interested in cooperating with the teachers toward making the Parent Teachers Association organization a success are cordially invited to attend all meetings.

## HERE'S HOW

to keep from growing old

"Always drive fast out of alleys. Always race with locomotives to crossings. Engineers like it; it breaks the monotony of their jobs.

"Always pass the car ahead on curves or turns. Don't use your horn. It may unnerv the other fellow and cause him to turn out too far.

"Demand half the road—the middle half. Insist on your rights.

"Always speed; it shows people you are a man of pep even though an amateur driver.

"Drive confidently. Just as though there were not eighteen million other cars in service.

"Always lock your brakes when skidding. It makes the job more artistic.

"Always pass cars on hills. It shows you have more power; and you can turn out if you meet a car at the top.

"In sloppy weather drive close to pedestrians. Dry cleaners appreciate it.

"Never look around when you back up. There is never anything behind you."

MR. BROWN IS HAVING A hard time finding debaters for the county meet and wishes everyone who is interested would see him.

## The Bursday Therpers met

Monday evening at the home of Carroll Anderson after postponing it to see the football game Thursday.

Mary Brown did the most work in embroidering by finishing four stitches. The least done was by Ruby Lee, Mary Ella, Roberta and Priscilla, which was exactly nothing. Ruby Lee made everyone's sides ache with laughing by carrying on a very unthought-of conversation. Looking at and reading magazines was done until refreshments of iced grape juice with mint, peanut butter sandwiches and cake with whipped cream were brought.

The following members were present: Mary Brown, Carroll Anderson, Louise Blair, Sarah Frances Meador, Golden Ross, Roberta McMillan, Priscilla Rodgers, Ruby Lee, Ellington and Mary Ella McCullough.

Next Thursday, October 21, we will hold our seventh meeting at Mary Ella McCullough's.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Koonsman and children of Duffau.

Herschel Patterson of Millerville spent Saturday night and Sunday with W. H. Koonsman.

Mrs. P. H. Mayfield Sr. returned from Monahans, where she has

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards of Claiborne and Mr. Cap McEntire spent Monday afternoon in the H. Koonsman home.

## The fourth grade

entertained with

assembly program Monday morning under the sponsorship and guidance of Miss

Miltholland, their home room teacher.

The opening number, the 23rd Psalm was read by Sunshine and followed by a song from the class. Ten boys of the class gave a drill, "Sad But True," similar to the well known "Ten Little Indians."

Following the drill, Mary Nell sang three songs, and Norma Jean Wenshuhnt with her jumping rope gave the monologue "Jumping Rope." The program was concluded with a playlet "Hot Dog Stand." The characters were Ted and Mildred.

The program next Monday is to be furnished by the 7th grade and sponsored by Mr. Jackson.

## The annual Hallowe'en Car-

naval will be held on the night of November 1 at the High School. The proceeds from

this carnival will be used to carry on extra-curricula activities and Interscholastic League work.

The carnival will be one of the best in Hico history. There will be ten different booths, various games and a free program for those who pay their five cent entrance fee into the carnival building.

Watch the paper for more detailed information regarding the carnival.

## Mrs. Ellen Holt-

on began teach-

ing Monday giving Mrs. Higgins, former primary teacher,

position of teaching the fifth grade. This position was recently vacated by Miss Berekman who left to teach in Odessa.

Mrs. Holt graduated from North Texas State Teachers College at Denton this summer where she majored in teaching the primary grades.

## Six weeks tests

began Wednes-

day afternoon and continued

until Friday morning so that

everyone could go to the

football game with Cranfills Gap. The exam schedule was as follows:

Wed., Oct. 26—1:00 to 2:30, Civics, General Mathematics I, English II, and Home Economics I.

2:30 to 3:45, History II, Vocational Agriculture III, Plane Geometry.

Thurs., Oct. 27—8:30 to 10:15, Biology, History I, Home Economics II.

10:15 to 12:15, General Math II, Bookkeeping.

1:00 to 2:30, English III, Algebra I.

2:30 to 3:45, History III, Vocational Agriculture I, English IV.

Friday, Oct. 28—8:30 to 10:15, General Science, Home Economics III, Spanish II.

10:15 to 12:15, English I, Spanish I.

All students remained in study halls during those periods that they did not have exams.

An 18 inch trophy, richly en-

ameled in gold finish ar-

rived at the High School as a

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In addition to the trophy, individual medals sent from the Herr-Jones Company will be given to the best students in the following fields: vocational; dramatic; scholarship; art; citizenship; commercial; English; history; mathematics; and science.

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## Carlton

By CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDaniel and grandson, Sonny Boy, were Hamilton shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Everett and daughter, Bobbie Dean, of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett Jr. and son, Barton, of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett Sr. Sunday.

Misses Nevelyn and Ruth Geyer of Dublin spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geyer.

Mrs. Grady Laws and Mrs. Hubert Stucky and sister, Miss Beth Fisher were in Dublin Friday afternoon.

Brooks McPherson and family of Hico spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ray and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Birdsong and daughter of Hamilton visited his mother, Mrs. Rosa Birdsong Sunday.

Miss Fay Overby of Ranger came in Friday as she is one of the teachers here this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Ligard Pines were Dublin shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Clyde Lefever and wife were in Hamilton Saturday attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Prater of Stephenville were here Sunday afternoon visiting his father, John Prater and wife.

Shoppers in Dublin Saturday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilhite, daughter, Vesta Rose, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Allred and son, Oscar and family.

## Gordon

By MRS. ELLA NEWTON

Mrs. Bryan Spith has been in the Stephenville sanitarium the past week and we hope she will be well soon.

Albert Hays who lives south of town was a visitor of Lewis Smith Wednesday night.

Eloise Craig spent Saturday night with J. D. Craig and family. John K. Myers was in Fort Worth Wednesday night. He visited Gillette Newton while there.

Willie Mae Perkins spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Ella Newton and family.

Mrs. Ima Smith spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Lucille Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sawyer visited Mrs. Lucille Smith Sunday afternoon who is ill in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tidwell of Iredell. Mrs. Smith returned from the sanitarium Sunday.

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**STRAYED** from pasture, 1 old brown Jersey cow, with short stub horns. Liberal reward.—G. M. Carlton Bros. & Co. 22-1c

**FOR Sale, Lease or Trade**—My place 1 mile south of Hico on Highway 66.—C. R. Oakley. 22-1p

**FOR SALE**—1 double disc plow.—N. A. Lambert, Hico, R. 2. 21-2p

**\$22.50** oil heater, used one season. Half price. Hico News Review.

**OVERHAUL YOUR MOTOR** for \$125.—Ogle Service Station, Highway 66. 21-2p

**CUSTOM GRINDING** with portable feed mill. Thanks to old customers, welcome new ones.—A. D. Seay, Hico Route 2. 18-6p

**1937 SCHOOL TAXES** for Hico County Line Independent School District are payable along with State and County taxes to R. J. Riley, Hamilton County Tax Assessor-Collector. 20-2c

**WE SELL AND REPAIR** Used Singer Sewing Machines.—Rainwater Furniture Store. 19-1c

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**FOR SALE**—1934 Dodge Truck, dual wheel, good condition. Priced to sell, easy terms. Also some good work mules and horses. See us. Wolfe Truck & Tractor (The Farmall Dealer), Walnut Springs, Texas. 22-1c

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**OUTLOOK FAVORABLE FOR HOG PRODUCERS WHO HAVE HOGS AND FEED**

Slaughter supplies of hogs during the coming fall and winter are expected to be somewhat smaller than those of a year earlier, according to Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports, which have been localized for Texas by E. M. Regenbrecht, swine husbandman of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service.

Regenbrecht pointed out that the relatively small supply of hogs for slaughter, plus a fairly high level of consumer demand for meats, probably will result in hog prices this fall and winter as high as those of a year ago when the average price of hogs at Chicago was \$9.90.

"It now appears fairly certain that the 1937 corn crop will be much larger than in 1936 and at about the 1928-32 average," Regenbrecht said. "With lower corn prices and a relatively high level of hog prices in prospect, the outlook for 1937-38 is very favorable for hog feeding and hog production."

One result of the big corn crop and the small supply of hogs will be that weights of hogs marketed in 1937-38 will probably be considerably heavier than those of a year ago, according to Regenbrecht. A second result will be a larger spring pig crop in 1938 than was the case of 1937.

Texas has a better than average feed crop, Regenbrecht said, but the crop is not evenly distributed. In many cases, localities that hogs have little feed, and sections that enjoyed a good feed crop have few hogs.

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**RED NICHOLS AND ORCHESTRA TO BE AT CASINO LAST THREE WEEKS**

**DALLAS, Oct. 19.**—Texas' most beautiful revue at the Pan American Casino swings into its last three weeks with the opening of Red Nichols and his celebrated international Fenias orchestra to play for dancing.

Called by critics from coast to coast the "most perfect revue," the Casino show headlines such stellar acts as Borrah Munn, Stan Kavanagh, comedy team; Barto and Mann, comedy team; and the sensational singing star of the year, Art Jarrett.

With Nichols' opening, the Casino show will remain unchanged until its close, October 31. During the first seventeen weeks of its run, more than one quarter of million Texans and out-of-state visitors have seen the Casino revue.

Featured with the stellar acts in the revue are the fifty precision dancers, a ballet of fourteen, Lyn Murray's twenty-four singing Gauchos, and Isabelle Kimpal, primera ballerina, and Leon Barthe, maitre de ballet.

**WARNING AGAINST QUACKS JUSTIFIED AS GREAT NUMBER DYING FROM CANCER**

**AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 14.**—"The increasing number of persons in Texas dying from cancer justifies a warning at this time against quacks and so-called cancer cures," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"While newspapers, as a rule, do not carry the cancer type of advertising, there are many other ways for misinformation to reach the public. Undoubtedly there are persons who, being thus deterred from seeking proper advice, unnecessarily become cancer victims, early diagnosis. Every case is an emergency and it is unfortunate that the majority of those with cancer do not seek medical advice until beyond a permanent cure. No hope should be placed in fake cancer prophets and their treatments. Rather, the annual physical examination and an immediate reporting to your physician of any symptoms which may be suspected to be the beginning of cancer, should be relied upon. These symptoms are: any unusual bleeding from any body opening, any lump in the breast or other part of the body; any persistent sore, particularly on the face or mouth, and chronic indigestion. These conditions may not be cancer, but sometimes they are forerunners of the more common types of this disease. Where cancer is suspected, do not delay, but consult your family physician at once," Dr. Cox admonished.

One group of NYA girls in Fort Worth are assisting in clerical work in the Tarrant county health department. In addition to doing this office work, the girls accompany the County Health Nurse into private homes for instruction and demonstration classes. J. C. Keilham, State Youth Director, said.

**AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM FOR 1938 HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED**

**COLLEGE STATION, Oct. 14.**—The 1938 Agricultural Conservation Program will set up acreage goals for cash crops which are smaller than the established bases, according to Geo. Slaughter, chairman of the Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee, who has recently returned from Washington, where representative farmers were called to confer with AAA officials as to the program.

The 1938 program is in most respects quite similar to the 1936 and 1937 programs. Slaughter said. The range program, developed during 1937 will be continued.

Chief difference in the new program from previous plans is the provision for national goals for major soil-depleting crops to provide adequate supplies for consumption and export, but such as to keep down burdensome surpluses, according to Slaughter. He explained that each state will be given its share of the national goal, and each county will be given its share of the state goal. The county goal will be distributed among the farmers of the county.

In 1938, the maximum payment for each producer will be calculated at the beginning of the crop year and the attainments of soil depleting and soil building goals will be set as conditions for full payment.

The new program was hailed by Slaughter as by far the most uniform in application to all regions in that has yet been developed. He stated that it is the plan of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to inform each farmer as to the acreage in each of his crop goals before planting time in the spring of 1938.

**LET'S TALK ABOUT CLOTHES**

**DENTON, Oct. 19.**—Coordination counts! Women who desire that "finished" appearance should keep this as their motto, always remembering that the difference between looking "pretty good" and "stunning" may depend on the shades of fingernail polish they use.

Since nail polish is a universal necessity now rather than a luxury, manufacturers have devoted their time to making it blend in with the modes of the moment. When clothes went flapperish, polish flared into wild reds and even into bright greens and purples.

Now, with fashions going feminine and seductive, a whole new era of polish has been ushered in. One of the best new shades is a flattering blend of a soft, rosy fawn. It has a slight bit of tan left in it, and is good for the stage when your hands are just fading from the summer toasting. For hands that have completely recovered from all traces of sun tan there is a rosy, silver-violet red. The third is a rich, glowing red, flattering to any skin and grand for evening clothes. It is particularly lovely with black, silvery blues and evening pastels.

With the polish problem taken care of, girls at Texas State College for Women point out the importance of keeping your hands soft and white all winter. Complexions this season must be of the peaches-and-cream variety, so hands must correspond.

**WEATHER REPORT FOR PAST SEVEN DAYS GIVES LOCAL OBSERVER'S DATA**

The following report, submitted by L. L. Hudson, gives conditionally as reported to the Chronological Service of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture:

Date	High	Low	Prec.	Day
Oct. 13	75	55	1.45	cloudy
Oct. 14	58	52	0.00	pt cdy
Oct. 15	64	42	0.00	clear
Oct. 16	66	49	0.12	cloudy
Oct. 17	75	49	1.92	pt cdy
Oct. 18	84	59	0.00	clear
Oct. 19	81	45	0.00	clear

Total precipitation so far this year, 27.65 inches.

**GIRL SCOUTS MEET**

The Girl Scouts met Tuesday from 7 until 8 o'clock in the evening. They elected Ruth Lowe as their treasurer and Ruby Lowe as their secretary. New literature was presented and discussed by the leader.

The following girls were there: Mary Ella McCullough, Golden Ross, Elbeene and Maurcene Bills, June Malone, Mildred Bobo, Martha Ann Abel, Louise Blair and Ruth and Ruby Lowe. Each of these girls are going to endeavor to bring three new members.

Rita and Joyce Gandy were visitors.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS**

The City books are now open at the City Hall for the collection of taxes for the year of 1937. All parties are requested to call and pay the city tax.

J. R. McMillan, Collector. 21-3c

**Dunne, Scott Tamed Again In Picture At Stephenville Soon**

Irene Dunne and Randolph Scott, the love team that made a nation-wide hit in "Roberta," have been brought together again on the screen in "High, Wide and Handsome," the musical drama opening Sunday at the Majestic Theatre in Stephenville.

As in "Roberta," their romance is set to the inspired music of Jerome Kern, dean of American composers, who wrote the score for the new picture. Oscar Hammerstein, Kern's collaborator in a score of musical hits, wrote the play and lyrics.

"High, Wide and Handsome" presents Irene Dunne as a carnival singer of 1859, and Scott as a Pennsylvania farmer. Their love tale is told against a backdrop of the roaring days of the oil boom at Titusville, Pa.

The film is played by a fine cast, which includes Dorothy Lamour, Elizabeth Patterson, Raymond Walburn, Charles Bickford, William Frawley, Akim Tamiroff and Ben Blue.

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