



### NATION-WIDE Contest Is Announced

Sponsored by Servel, Inc., and Procter & Gamble, Officers Big Opportunity

Emphasizing the demand for up-to-date household refrigeration existing not only in this community but throughout the nation, E. B. Linkenhoger, sales manager of the Linkenhoger Appliance Co., announced today that the company is collaborating in a nation-wide competition in which 300 modern refrigerators will be awarded to the same number of winners. The period of the contest is from May 30 to July 1.

"The current increased interest among the people in this community in up-to-date refrigeration will be heightened through this competition and our company therefore takes pleasure in announcing its cooperation in the contest," Mr. Linkenhoger stated. "For this reason we are inviting all interested persons to call at our salesrooms where free entry blanks will be available, and where complete information regarding the contest can be obtained.

"The contest is conducted by Procter & Gamble, the well-known soap manufacturing concern, in collaboration with Servel, Inc., makers of Servel Electrolux refrigerators operating on gas and kerosene.

"The terms of the contest are simple. Contestants are invited to submit a statement of twenty-five words or less to complete the sentence: 'I like P. & G. White Naphtha Soap because...' The 300 refrigerators will go to those who are adjudged as the best writers of the twenty-five word sentence. The sentences will be judged on their originality, sincerity and aptness of thought.

"The contest is carried on as part of the soap company's 'Guiding Light' program which is broadcast over an NBC network every afternoon excepting Saturday and Sunday. On each of these days for the six weeks between May 20 and July 1, ten of these refrigerators will be offered as prizes.

"We would like those who feel that they have an aptitude for participating in contests of this kind to try to win a refrigerator. It would be a source of satisfaction to our company to have one or more persons in this vicinity numbered among the winners. Three hundred persons in all will win. Therefore, we say, 'Why not try to be one of the three hundred?'"

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincerest thanks to all those who have assisted us in any way since the death of our parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Martin. We are grateful for your kind deeds and words of sympathy. THE CHILDREN.

### Fairy

By MRS. HOLLIS FORD

The Methodist Young People of Carlton will present "Black Cats", a three act comedy drama at Fairy Saturday night, May 28. The Gustine Ramblers will furnish music for this play. Admission is 10c and 15c. Be sure to come out to see this play.

Last Tuesday night Pottsville presented their Senior play here entitled "Grandma Goes Hollywood." We are sorry such a small crowd was out to see this splendid play, but those who saw it enjoyed it very much.

Miss Ruth Trimmer of San Antonio has been visiting here with friends and relatives. She returned a few days ago, taking with her Miss Marjorie Hutton who will visit with her for awhile.

Mrs. Seago and daughter of Waco have been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison the past week.

Miss Roby Lee Allison is visiting with relatives in Houston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Goynes and baby, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison and family, and Mr. Robert Parks attended the funeral of Mr. Guy Hartgraves' father in Jonesboro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones went to San Angelo Sunday and brought back with them Mrs. Jones' sister, who has been a patient out there.

Church services were conducted at the Baptist church Saturday night, Sunday morning and night by Brother Hayes the pastor. A Bible study has been conducted by Brother Hayes for the past week in the church.

A singing was held in the Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

The Fifth Sunday singing convention will be held in the Fairy Gymnasium Sunday. Lunch will be spread so we urge all you ladies to bring well-filled baskets, and let's enjoy this day of singing. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Ovie Parks is visiting her sister in Currittle this week.

### Altman

By MRS. J. H. McANALLY

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bingham and baby of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goad of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones of Moran.

This community was made sad when the news came that Basil Porter had passed away at the hospital in German Wednesday night. He was one of the bus

drivers of this community and was liked by all. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton and children, Merle and James Horace, attended the bacchanale service at J. T. A. C. at Stephenville last Sunday.

There were 38 present at Sunday school Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Boyd Ballard and children of Lanham visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hyles, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery of Meadow visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery and Earl Wednesday and Thursday.

The Blue Bonnet Club met Wednesday, May 18, with Mrs. Ernest Hyles. A quilt was made by the ladies. There were six members and three visitors present. Jim Glynn visited his mother, Mrs. Britton Glynn, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles Sunday.

Several from here attended the commencement exercises of the Carlton High School Friday night. J. J. McAnally, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bigby and little son of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry and daughter, Glynn, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Partain of Stephenville came home with her mother, Mrs. S. C. Rallsback, Sunday afternoon for a short visit.

Mrs. R. W. Bingham visited her son, James Bingham, and wife in Hamilton from Thursday to Sunday.

#### WEATHER

Report For Past Week Submitted By Local Observer.

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

Date	High	Low	Prece.	Day
May 18	87	73	0.00	pt cldy
May 19	85	63	0.70	cloudy
May 20	90	68	0.00	cloudy
May 21	90	69	0.00	cloudy
May 22	86	70	0.00	cloudy
May 23	86	53	1.37	clear
May 24	84	55	0.00	clear

Total precipitation so far this year, 14.69 inches.

#### MARRIAGE

Of Miss Bullard to Mr. Hamrick Occurred Last Friday

Miss Ersall Bullard, daughter of Mrs. Ella Bullard, and H. D. Hamrick were united in marriage Friday evening, May 20, at 9 o'clock by J. C. Rodgers, justice of the peace, at his home here. There were no attendants.

Miss Bullard was reared here and was graduated in 1936 from Hico School where she was prominent in class activities. They will make their home here where Mr. Hamrick is employed as a mechanic.

## SUBSCRIBERS NEWS AND VIEWS

Mrs. J. W. Crump, in paying for her subscription Friday the 13th stated that she had lived in Hico 48 years and this was her first visit to the News Review office. She promised to come back some time to see the paper printed. We are always glad to have our friends visit the office and see the wheels turn, for a number of them are amazed that there is so much work attached to printing a paper.

When Mrs. Emma Lackey left to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Walker, of Morton, she did not forget the most important part of her vacation, the weekly informant, the Hico News Review. Dropping by the office to bid the force farewell, Mrs. Lackey made the arrangements by having the paper sent to her daughter for a year.

Albert Smith, Route 1, Iredell, doesn't care anything about the paper himself, but wanted his father, T. B. Smith, to have it. Now Mr. Smith has the paper, and we have his dollar.

Bro. M. P. Walker, who lives at Hico but gets his mail on Route 2, Iredell, won't have to worry about his Hico and Dallas papers for a long time yet. Inquiring about the expiration of his time, he found himself paid up some time yet on both, but forked over a dollar and a half with the remark that he thought sometimes the paper didn't amount to much and wanted to pay for it while he was in the notion. It took us a long time to convert Bro. Walker into the News Review fold, but now he is one of our most loyal readers.

Mrs. Opal Hendrix, Route 7, subscribed through Leonard Howard, as did Benn Gleason, Meridian, whose time on a ten-year subscription expired in April.

H. B. Rucker, Route 2, renewed last Saturday and while in the office exhibited a large egg, about twice the size of an ordinary hen fruit, which he said was laid by one of his White Leghorn chickens. Mr. Rucker asked for a large order of news also, subscribing for both the News Review and the Semi-Weekly Farm News.

R. B. Jackson, city, teacher in the public schools, who believes that everybody should take the home paper, fell victim to his own saies talk last week end and admitted that for some time he had been among the lonesome few without their own copy of the paper. But all that has been fixed up now, and his name on our list brings us nearer our goal of having the News Review in every home in this community.

Tom Powers, welder, blacksmith, and auto fixer de luxe, threw three one-dollar bills at the editor the other day, two of them for his advertising bill, and the other for subscription. He's another guy who pays promptly upon receipt of a bill—provided it's something he wants and has ordered. We are glad to be numbered in the list of those who have something to sell that interests him.

Miss Helen Seest, still holding a warm spot for Hico in her heart although Dallas is her present abode, was the victim of a mean trick on the part of the News Review.

#### DON'T SCRATCH

To relieve the itching associated with Minor Skin Irritations, Prick, Heat, Eczema, Joy Poisoning, and Chiggers, get a bottle of LITTELL LIQUID, a sulphurate compound. Used for more than twenty-five years. Price 50c.

CORNER DRUG COMPANY

view force last week. Helen always beats us to the draw by paying for her paper before her time is out, but we framed up with a mutual friend and had her notified through the third party that she'd better send in a renewal pronto. Her check and an apologetic note arrived this week. Now we're embarrassed, for in the first place

her time wasn't quite out, and in the second place we were only joking about stopping her paper. Ottumwa, Iowa, Rotary Club's chorus of 24 business men is giving five radio concerts to raise \$4000 for their trip to San Francisco for the 1939 World's Fair and Rotary National convention.



**TELEPHONE YOUR CONGRATULATIONS**  
If you can't attend an out of town affair, telephone your good wishes. It will be almost like talking face to face. Rates are low.

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HICO, TEXAS

## Notice to Voters of Hico School District

On Thursday, June 2, you will be given the opportunity to vote on a proposition that will have a great influence on the future of the Hico School and community. Before casting your vote please acquaint yourself thoroughly with the three propositions that are to be voted on. For your information the following explanations are given:

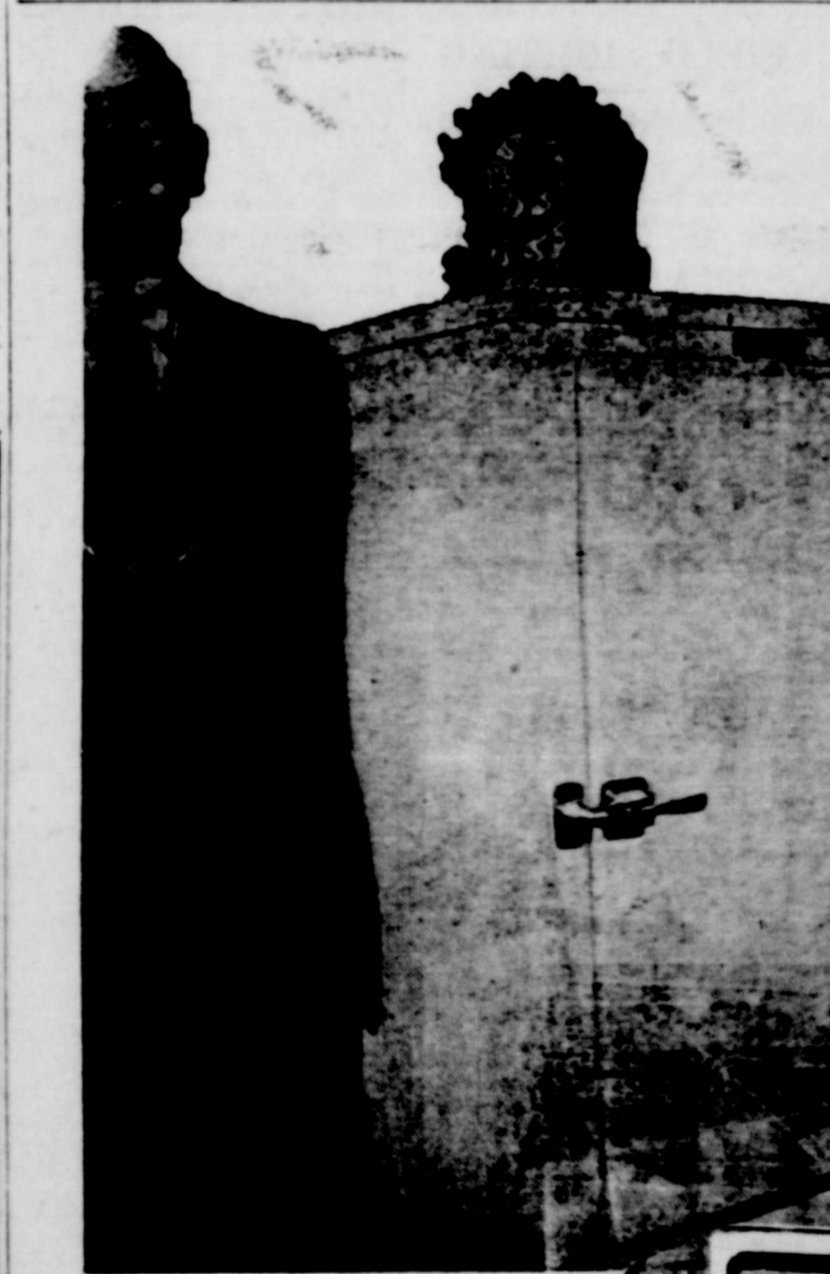
**PROPOSITION NUMBER ONE** to be voted on deals with that part of the Unity Common School District that was given the Hico School district last August by the County Board. In order for the Unity District to pay \$1.00 tax the same as Hico does, it is necessary for the voters to vote for it. This proposition merely equalizes the tax between the old district and the new part that has come in.

**PROPOSITION NUMBER TWO** deals with the Unity District and the Hico District's bonded indebtedness. Since part of Unity is now a part of the Hico School District, it is necessary that the voters have the bonded indebtedness placed on the new part of the Hico district as well as on the older part of Hico's School District.

**PROPOSITION NUMBER THREE** deals with the voting of a \$10,000 bond for the purpose of repairing the grammar school building, erecting a gymnasium and home economics cottage and equipping these buildings. The State Department of Education has made it clear to the school board that the grammar school building must be repaired. The board feels that it is best, since the grammar school MUST BE repaired, to go ahead and vote \$10,000 bonds and ask for \$25,000 federal money through either the WPA or the PWA and get all of these needed buildings at once. The school needs the buildings and Hico and its community needs the \$30,000 or \$35,000 federal project that will put its unemployed to work.

This proposed bond issue **WILL NOT RAISE TAXES A CENT** as the district already has the maximum school tax of one dollar. Renditions **WILL NOT BE RAISED** as property will still be taxed according to state and county renditions. The school board wishes to go forward with its school and its community. If these propositions are still not clear to you—please ask a board member or the school superintendent to explain them to you more clearly.

## HICO SCHOOL BOARD



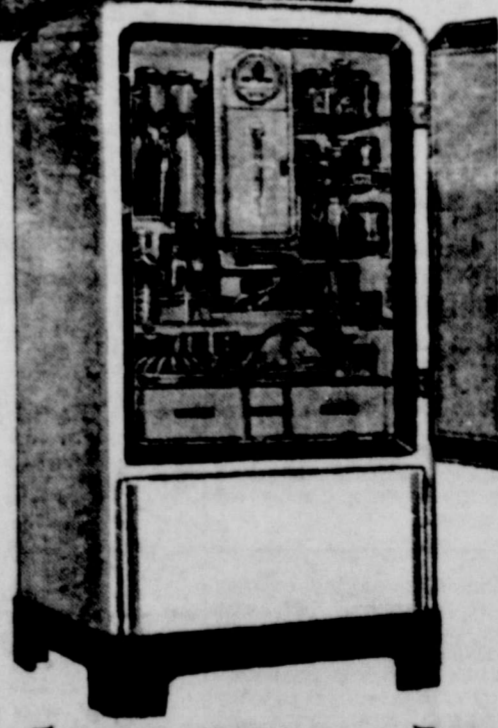
**HOW DO I LIKE MY SERVEL ELECTROLUX?**  
?  
**11 YEARS**  
CONTINUOUS USE  
*Not 1c for Repairs!*

"WE bought our Servel Electrolux—the first in this region—in the spring of 1927. It has been in continuous service ever since. It has averaged about \$1 per month to operate, the entire time. We have never spent one cent for service or repairs! It still makes ice, preserves food, just as well as the day we installed it. We believe Servel Electrolux is a paying investment!"

This is the statement of Mr. James E. Brewer, prominent jeweler in Ballinger, Texas. It speaks for itself.

**ON THE FARM—**  
"I operate a small dairy—9 to 12 cows. My 14c kerosene Servel Electrolux furnishes all the refrigeration I need, plus plenty of ice for home use. It cost \$8.40 for kerosene over 10 1/2 months; until I bought it, our ice bill was \$75 to \$100 per year, not to mention expense of going after it, time lost and wear and tear on the car. Servel Electrolux takes all the country off the farm and puts you right in the city!"—Mrs. G. W. Holman, Megargel, Texas.

**FREE! 300 SERVEL ELECTROLUX REFRIGERATORS**  
Ten Given Away FREE Each Day  
May 20 through July 1  
(except Saturdays, Sundays, and May 29) For Details Tune in the P & G Guiding Light Program  
WRAP-WFAA—1145 P. M.  
Come to our store for contest entry blanks, or get one from your grocer



The 1938 Servel Electrolux provides more worth-while modern improvement—without the time-proven economy of "no moving parts" in the freezing system.

**ANY** automatic refrigerator is pretty **ANY** and shiny when new. Runs quietly. Freezes ice cubes. But before you buy, ask yourself this: "What will it do 10 years from now?"

Mr. Brewer's Servel Electrolux—after 11 years use—is doing as good a job as the day it was installed! Why? Because Servel Electrolux, the Gas (or Kerosene) refrigerator, has no moving parts in its freezing system. Nothing to wear; to cause big repair bills, or replacements. It is silent—the first year and the 11th year and forever.

Do you have the idea "they're all alike"? Then compare Mr. Brewer's Servel Electrolux with any other automatic refrigerator 11 years old—if you can find one! Servel Electrolux is different—entirely different—from all the rest. And hundreds of owners in West Texas will tell you theirs have paid for themselves many times over. Yours will, too. Will you let us prove this to you, in black and white? TODAY?

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HAMILTON, TEXAS  
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THE Gas REFRIGERATOR  
Also Operates on KEROSENE (COAL OIL) ... BOTTLED GAS ... BUTANE ... AS WELL AS NATURAL GAS

# IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS ST'LLA JONES, Local Correspondent

Mrs. A. L. Harris was given a surprise birthday party, May 15, by her children and friends who brought her many beautiful gifts. Refreshments of Ritz sandwiches, punch and cake were served. Mrs. Harris is a fine woman and loved by all, and her friends wish for her many more happy days like the one she just passed on her 80th birthday. Her son, Roy, and wife of Houston, and his sister, Mrs. Maude Appleby of Meridian, came in for the happy occasion.

Mrs. Willie Seales, Mrs. Clem McKen and Wanda, Mrs. C. R. Conley and Charlene and Allen Dawson were in Waco Thursday.

Mrs. Deatherage visited in Cleburne Monday, returning home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Hugh Harris entertained the W. M. U. at her home Friday afternoon. The ladies were dressed as hoboes, were served refreshments at the back door and enjoyed the pimento cheese sandwiches, cookies, and punch. Several games were played and all had a fine time.

Mrs. Walter Sawyer and baby of Fort Worth visited here Monday.

The carpenters finished the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carter recently, and they moved in the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyer and son were in Hico Saturday.

Mrs. T. M. Tidwell and son Ray and wife and son spent the week end in Holliday with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lawrence. Their daughter, Bobbie Lou, graduated and they went for the graduation exercises. She is Mrs. T. M. Tidwell's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Newman were in Bryan Saturday. He is going there to Summer school. He went to find a place for him and his wife to live while he is attending school.

Bobby Tidwell and Rex Mitchell spent Friday in Dallas, where they went to see little Harold Tidwell in the hospital there. He is getting along fine.

Mrs. Dorothy Clepper and Mrs. Fouts took some children to see "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" at Meridian Saturday afternoon. Several went Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elkins of Dallas spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Daves spent the week end in Walnut Springs with his brother, Raymond, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan and children of Grand Prairie spent the week end with her father, Mr. Locker.

Mr. Bob Davis, who has been in Stephenville Hospital for some time, has come home and is getting along fine.

Mrs. Dora Russell, who went to Dallas last week end, will extend her visit for awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Mino Loughlin.

Miss Myrtle McDonel is at home from Dallas.

Mrs. A. L. Harris and daughter, Maggie, accompanied her son Roy to his home in Houston for a visit.

Don Whitmore and Raymond Drew spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woody and son, Mrs. Chancellor, and Marie were in Stephenville Friday.

Mrs. Holt of Slaton visited her brother, Mr. Walt Newman, and other relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Davis of Meridian were here Sunday.

Rev. Jackson has returned from a visit in Fort Worth.

Paul Rhodes returned to the army camps Saturday. He had visited his mother, Mrs. Pylant, for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wiley and son of California and Mrs. F. D. New of Hico visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Hensley Monday.

Mrs. Wiley is Mrs. McAdoo's aunt, whom she hadn't seen for twenty years.

Royce Grimes, age about eight, broke a leg Sunday morning at his home. He was running and playing with some other children. The bone was broken close to his ankle, and was a smooth break. His father and Melvin Hudson took him to Stephenville at once, to the hospital.

The residence where Mr. and Mrs. Hooper Edwards live caught fire Friday afternoon. She was away from home. The fire started from a pasteboard box where she had put the ashes from the wood stove. The floor, walls, and ceiling of the kitchen were damaged. Some men went down and soon had the fire out. The residence is the property of Mr. and Mrs. Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tidwell spent Sunday in Stephenville with her sister, Mrs. Ray.

The singing here Sunday afternoon was well attended. Several visiting singers from the nearby communities were present. The singing was good, and was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. O'Quinn has been brought home from Stephenville Hospital, and is getting along nicely.

Rev. J. A. Steeloff, educational director of the Central Texas Conference, was here Saturday night, Sunday afternoon and Monday night to give lectures on the Sunday school and other works of the church. Also had some slides and films which were shown at all his services, which were well attended and enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith were in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore and daughters were in Brownwood Monday.

Roy Moore, Albert Pike and Ernest Alexander were in Mineral Wells this week.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell visited her son, Rev. D. D. Tidwell, and wife at De Leon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor spent Sunday with his mother. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fuller. They live in Mexa.

Mr. and Mrs. Eulman Montgomery of Eunice, New Mexico, spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. J. L. Davis.

When Mrs. T. M. Tidwell and son Ray and wife and son came home Sunday from Wichita Falls and Holliday, they came through a little town where there had been a cyclone. A big house was blown away and some people were killed. This was very exciting times for Mrs. Tidwell, Ray and family.

A big rain came Sunday night which put the Duffau and Bosque up for a little while Monday.

Mrs. Bennett, mother of Rev. Bennett of Cleburne, was here Sunday night to hear her son preach.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached Sunday morning at the Baptist Church by Rev. Bennett.

Mrs. Estelle Pruitt and children spent the week end in Hico.

Tuesday, May 21, the W. M. S. will have a guest day at the Methodist church in the afternoon. All the Methodist ladies are expected to be there who belong to the W. M. S., and those that are planning to become members are expected to be there too. It will be a social and a fine time for all.

Mr. W. C. Perry has been in the Stephenville Hospital for a few days, suffering with an infected hand caused from the fin of a cat fish. His friends are sorry. We hope he will be well soon.

Jack Brumley of Fort Worth spent Sunday with his friend, Maundane Gosdin.

Mrs. Emma Houston has returned from a visit to her children in East Texas.

Mrs. Walter Pylant spent Monday night with her mother, Mrs. Gann.

Miss Bettie Glover returned to her home in Shreveport, La., Monday after a visit with her aunt, Martha Glover.

### METHODIST CHURCH ITEMS

(Iredell and Walnut Springs)

By R. P. James, Pastor

Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Clem McAden, P. W. Blackwell and wife, Mrs. Theo Randle, Mrs. R. Y. Anderson, and Mrs. R. P. James attended District Conference at Glen Rose May 17-18. Mrs. R. Y. Anderson was elected a delegate from the Cleburne District to annual conference to meet in Waco on Nov. 9.

The pastor will speak on "Wealth at Aldersgate" at Walnut Springs Sunday, May 29, at 11 a. m. Beginning at 2:30 in the afternoon Revs. U. A. Schultz of Morgan and F. M. Suddath of Glen Rose will deliver brief messages. The public is invited to hear those visiting pastors. They will discuss matters of vital importance.

Besides his two churches the pastor is planning to reach four other places regularly with Gospel messages, that is, Flag Branch, Prairie View, Fairview, and Willow Springs.

### Flag Branch

By HAZEL COOPER

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mings visited S. O. Mings and family of Fairly Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Graves visited their daughter and family Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tyn Davis of Dry Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mings and Mrs. Mollie Graves visited Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Knudson Sunday of near Cranfills Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap and sons spent Sunday in the Bud Flannery home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wash Mings and Mrs. R. S. Graves and Mr. Hugh Meadows spent Friday in Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Pruitt entertained friends with a musical entertainment Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCoy spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy and family of Paluxy.

Mrs. Little Craig spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craig. Miss Mary Craig spent Tuesday in Glen Rose.

Mrs. Ola Dotson and two children spent a while in the J. M. Cooper home Wednesday.

Aubrey Pruitt and son were visitors in the Ben Laney home Sunday afternoon.

Frank Craig and family spent Sunday in the Walter Dotson home.

### Gilmore

By DORIS JOHNSON

This community was visited by a terrific wind and rain storm Sunday night, accompanied by some hail, however not enough to do any serious damage.

Frank Johnson was the guest of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tolliver, near Claiborne, Monday.

Mrs. K. R. Jenkins and daughters, Elva and Marietta, attended the baccalaureate sermon at Hico Sunday.

Sammy DeWitt and wife of Oklahoma are here visiting his sister, Mrs. Willie B. Smith, and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McLendon Friday night were Misses Doris and Marcelle Johnson of Waco, Mabel and Hester Jordan and Margaret Thornton of Hico, Messrs. Elton Johnson of Waco, Lorand Hefley of Stephenville, Lawrence Thornton and Harry Bailey of Hico and Frank Johnson of this community.

Miss Marietta Jenkins was a Sunday night guest of Miss Jodie Connally at Hico.

Forest Todd was attending to business matters in Fort Worth Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Charlie Miller of Millerville was a Saturday evening visitor in the W. B. Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson and children of Greyville were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Johnson's brother, Alvin Hicks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boyett spent awhile with Mrs. Aris Denman at Claiborne Tuesday afternoon.

St. Johnson accompanied Mrs. Tullus Randals and daughter Dale to Hamilton Friday afternoon for a visit with their uncle, Kik Johnson, who is still a patient in the sanitarium at that place. They report little change in his condition.

Messrs. Walter Tolliver and son Lawrence and son-in-law, Joe Crow, of near Walnut Springs, were business visitors in the Leonard McLendon home Monday.

Jesse Fairry and son Curtis of Hico were in this community a short time Sunday.

S. S. Johnson and family spent a few hours with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jordan, at Hico Saturday afternoon.

Several persons from this community attended the program and dinner at Greyville Friday. Practically the entire community enjoyed the play, "Small Town Romeo," that was presented Friday night.

Visitors in the S. S. Johnson home Friday night and Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Campbell and son, Billie Douglas, Mrs. W. N. Roberts, Misses Eria, Doris and Marcelle Johnson and Elton Johnson of Waco; also Harold and Gene Johnson of Honey Grove.



## "Wait, Mister! You're aiming at the wrong duck!"

All too often, Beer is just the decoy...

...yet, all too often, Beer gets the blame!

Beer is an honest drink... mild, wholesome, refreshing. There is nothing more promising to combat the evil of too much alcohol than the opportunity of drinking good beer.

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Correspondence is invited from groups and individuals everywhere who are interested in the brewing industry and its social responsibilities.

### To Wed Hitler?



According to confidential reports, Leni Riefenstahl may become the wife of Adolf Hitler. Leni, who received the cinema prize for her Olympic film during the May Day celebrations in Berlin, has been seen with 'Der Fuehrer' during many public functions in recent months. It is rumored the event will take place in August.

## City Stock LAW

IS BEING violated in our city and the "Pound Man" has been instructed to catch any animals roaming at large within the city limits. Please observe.

### THE CITY OF HICO

#### HELP KIDNEYS

To Get Rid of Acid and Poisonous Waste

Your kidneys help to keep you well by constantly filtering waste matter from the blood. If your kidneys are functionally disturbed and fail to remove waste particles, there may be a condition of acidosis which causes kidney disease.

During, study or too frequent urination may be a warning of some kidney or bladder disturbance.

You may suffer exciting headaches, persistent backache, periods of dizziness, putting up acids, swelling, perhaps under the eyes—last week, nervous, all these.

It is much better to better to rely on a medicine that has been scientifically tested. Doan's Pills, a combination of natural, pure, recommended herbs. Ask your doctor.

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## A Limited Number of BRAND NEW 1937 KELVINATORS

We're selling them as we bought them—at BARGAIN PRICES!

Regular Standard 1937 Kelvinators — BRAND NEW! BEAUTIFUL ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS! Covered by all the usual warranties!



### LOW DOWN PAYMENT CONVENIENT TERMS





# Local Happenings

S. J. Cheek has returned to his home here to spend the summer.

Mrs. Dave Howell spent Sunday with Mrs. J. J. Leeth.

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

George Jones was a business visitor in Fort Worth and Dallas Saturday.

See us before you sell your Cream and Eggs—S. T. Hollis Cash Grocery. 44-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis of near Fairy announce the birth of a son, May 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams visited their daughter, Mrs. Paul Gibson, in Stephenville Sunday.

Bred to lay Leghorn Pullets. Priced to sell. Keeney's Hatchery. 53-2c.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack H. Hooker of Dublin spent the week end here visiting her father, H. Smith.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Daniels of Amallo were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. W. B. Page.

Miss Mayo Hollis and Miss Willana Holton spent Tuesday in Hamilton visiting friends.

Baby Pullets. At prices you can afford to pay. Keeney's Hatchery. 53-2c.

Mrs. H. N. Wolfe and daughters, Jean and Jane, spent Tuesday in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Eric Boettcher of Clifton spent several days the first of the week visiting Mrs. C. W. Bates.

Mrs. McKinney of Dublin was here Sunday to visit Mrs. W. D. Gage.

Johnnie Farmer is spending several days here visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Eubanks of Big Spring spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. T. J. Eubanks, and other relatives.

Miss Jewell Shelton returned Monday from a week-end visit with her sister, Mrs. H. O. Driver, and family of Pearsall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. L. Wilson were guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McClatchy, in Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty, Mrs. Harry Hudson, and Mrs. J. W. Fairley spent Tuesday in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Segrest of Monahans are spending several days here as guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Segrest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tracy, Jr., of Dallas were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sellers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Little of Gatesville and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yoss, also of Gatesville, were here Monday visiting Mrs. Little's sister, Mrs. R. B. Jackson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Vick of Hamilton spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. R. B. Jackson, and family.

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Joe Collier spent the week end in Stephenville visiting C. A. Brown and C. B. Brown and families.

Mrs. E. L. Brown of Fort Worth spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Blair spent Saturday and Sunday in Jonesboro visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Goolsby.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Randals and daughter, Dale, were in Waco Tuesday to have Dale's tonsils removed. She was recovering nicely Wednesday.

Miss Oleta Hughes, who has been teaching for the past year near Corpus Christi, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hughes.

Miss Gerlie Lee Oxford, who has been teaching the past year at Calvert, arrived Wednesday morning to visit her mother, Mrs. Linnie Runyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reesing and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sorley and children, all of Cranfill's Gap, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leeth.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bradley and daughter of Fort Worth were Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Lackey, and her sister, Mrs. C. L. Hackett, and family.

Miss Willana Holton of Thornton is spending several days here visiting Miss Mayo Hollis. Miss Holton and Miss Hollis were schoolmates at John Tarleton College.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Giesecke of Washington, D. C., are spending several days here visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Giesecke is with the Internal Revenue Department in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson were in Brownwood Saturday to attend the funeral of Father F. X. Fassbender, who died in Brownwood Thursday night. Father Fassbender, 65, has been priest of St. Mary's Catholic Church of that city for seven years. He was an old friend of the Wieser family, having been stationed on this mission many years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Autrey, who returned Tuesday night from Fort Worth, reported that Mrs. J. W. Autrey who underwent an operation there Tuesday was improving as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McAfee were in Stephenville Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Biggs. Mr. Biggs is recovering from an operation he underwent at the Stephenville Hospital last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Woodruff of Paul's Valley, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Brooks Hall of Carlton spent Sunday and the first of the week in the W. R. Hall home, along with Mrs. Jim D. Wright, Mrs. Tyrus King and other relatives who were also present in the home.

L. A. Powledge was in Glen Rose Tuesday and Wednesday attending the quarterly conference of the Cleburne district, Methodist church. He went from there to Dallas to visit Mr. and Mrs. Russell Powledge and children, Doris Jean and George Russell, who accompanied him home to spend the week end.

Mrs. O. Longbotham, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Gene Jarnell of Garland, returned last week from a trip to West Texas where they visited Mrs. Longbotham's daughters, Mrs. E. N. Schaffner, of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Howard Price, of El Paso, and her son, Dugan Longbotham, of Eunice, New Mexico. Two grandsons, Tommie Longbotham of Eunice and J. T. Longbotham of Big Spring, accompanied them home to spend the summer here with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Johnson and children of Honey Grove spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Driver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Needham and family visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Saunders and family.

Miss Lula Johns spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Murrell Ables.

Floyd Creswell of Elk City, Oklahoma, was a visitor Wednesday in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Mollie Carpenter. This was the first time in twenty years he had seen his cousin, Tullus Carpenter, as they became separated when they were still boys.

Singing At Fairy Sunday The regular fifty Sunday singing convention of the Hamilton County Singing Association will meet at Fairy Sunday, May 29, for an all-day singing with dinner on the grounds.

Ollie McDermott, president, and J. W. Jordan, vice-president, have extended a cordial invitation to everybody to be present.

Invitation to Fairy The Church of Christ at Fairy will meet Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock for regular Bible study and communion service. The hour has been changed in order that all might have an opportunity to attend the 5th Sunday Singing Convention which will be held at Fairy May 29 from 10:00 o'clock A. M. until 4:00 o'clock P. M. A basket lunch will be served on the grounds. People of the Fairy community extend to all a cordial invitation to be present on the above date.

Bridge Club Met, With Miss Frank As Hostess. Miss Irene Frank entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club this week at the home of Mrs. J. N. Russell. The tables were arranged on the terrace, and Mrs. Russell won high score.

Refreshments were served to Meses. H. F. Sellers, H. N. Wolfe, J. B. Ogle, F. M. Mings, Ray D. Brown, H. V. Hodges, Harry Hudson, and J. N. Russell.

Honey Grove H. D. Club Met At Home of Mrs. Dock Couch

The Honey Grove Home Demonstration Club met at 2:00 p. m. May 17, 1938, in the home of Mrs. Dock Couch. The house was called to order by our new president, Mrs. Vergil Battershell. Minutes were read and approved. The roll call was answered by "My Clothing Hobby."

Miss LaGrone gave a very interesting and helpful talk on "Accessories Make the Costume."

In this she stressed: (1) Surprises; (2) Necklines that matter; (3) Belts that fasten differently; and (4) Purse, gloves, hats, etc.

Everyone seemed to take new interest in the club affairs.

Punch and cake were served to Mesdames Anson Vinson, Virgil Battershell, Robert Jackson, W. A. Moss, Fern Jordan, J. W. Jordan, Misses Esta Lee, Wilma Jean Jordan, and Ana Loue Moss. Three visitors, Meses. John Carter, J. S. King and Montie Weston, and the hostess, Mrs. Dock Couch, and daughter, Bonnie Rice, completed the personnel of the party.

REPORTER.

## Salem

By MRS. W. C. ROGERS

We had another fine rain here Sunday night. It was accompanied by a light sprinkle of hail, but there was very little damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Wolfe and sons, Leland and Dwain spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Wolfe's mother, Mrs. H. Koonsman and son Hugh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott and sons, Wendol and Von, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scott and family at Johnsville.

Mr. Doss Nelms and Miss Lela Thomas of Hamilton took dinner with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Nelms, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Albright spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and son, Eldon.

Miss Dorothy Noland celebrated her seventh birthday Saturday with a party at her home. She was presented with many pretty gifts by the guests. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

This community was shocked Monday morning to hear the news of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Martin of Ivan getting killed in a storm that swept through there Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin lived in this section for many years, and they had many friends here who will miss them and extend sympathy to the bereaved children.

Miss Ellen Hassler spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Hassler, near Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Guinn and daughter, Imogene, of Hico spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Giesecke and children spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Ledbetter and family at Duffau.

Mr. and Mrs. Mib Giesecke of Millerville spent Sunday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and family.

Hundreds of pieces of statuary are now being modeled in San Francisco ateliers for the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition.

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By OPAL DRIVER

Mr. Jim Columbus was taken to the hospital at Gorman Saturday morning, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Buford Pittman of Stephenville and Mrs. Buster Duncan of Clarette visited a part of last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seago.

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### TO THE Fashion Wise:

The new Cutex Salon-Type Polish sets new records for wear, lustre, and ease of application. Schiaparelli, Alix, Lanvin, and Lelong all say bright colors are out.

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# News of the World Told In Pictures

## Design Suggested For National Crochet Contest



Competition Calls for Crocheted Blouses

THIS simple crocheted blouse, in an interesting stitch, is made of mercerized crocheted cotton, and will be eligible for competition in the Second National Crochet Contest. County, local, and state fairs will cooperate in the nation-wide competition, which will be open only to women whose crochet takes a first prize at a 1938 Fair. Directions for crocheting this blouse, and details of the National Crochet Contest may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to The National Crochet Bureau, 522 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Specify blouse No. 1141.

## Three Blondes, Three Brunettes--All Beauties

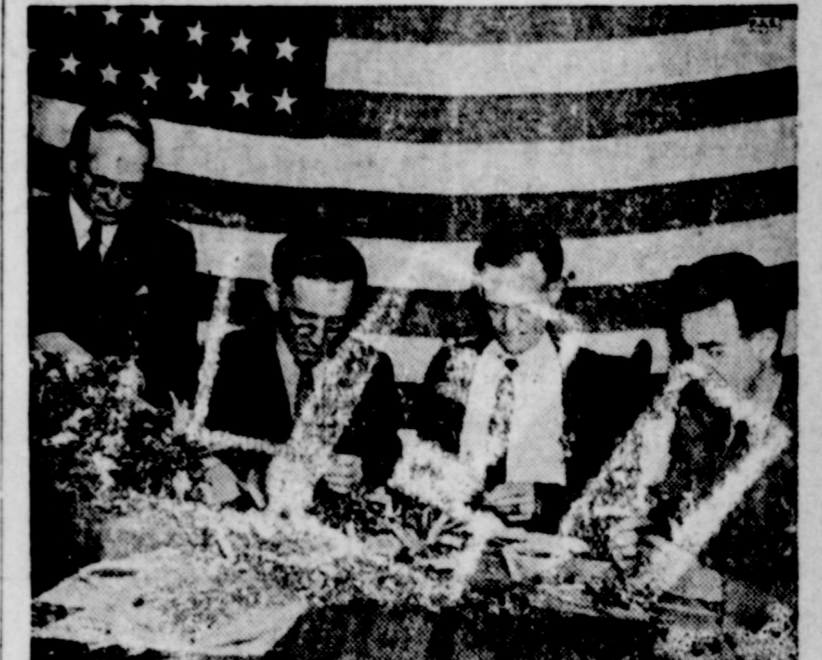


Showing a safe impartiality, Handleader Art Jarrett chose three blondes and three brunettes from the sixteen Texas State College for Women beauties who paraded before him on the stage of the Pan-American Casino last fall. The chosen six are Misses Alice Bryan, Shanghai, China; Lucy Nelle, Dallas; Jeanne Hansen, Plainview; Joan Ladd, Sherman; Ruth Martin, Denton; and Leta Ruth Edison, Stanton. Four nominees from each class were introduced at the event, from which Jarrett selected one of each classification and two at large. His decision has been kept secret all winter in order to enhance the traditional presentation of beauties at the Spring Senior Formal. Each of the girls has a full page picture in the Daedalian yearbook, which was released the day of the senior prom.

## YOUR LIFE INSURANCE

ONE quarter of a million dollars an hour, more than one and one-half times the pay received by every public servant in the United States and nearly three times as much as automobile factory payrolls, was paid out by American life insurance companies to policyholders or their beneficiaries during 1937, according to a statement made today by the National Committee for Life Insurance Education. "Payments of more than one quarter million dollars an hour, every hour of the day and every day during 1937, were made by the 316 life insurance companies, an indication of the influence of insurance in the life of the nation," declared the committee. "These payments to life insurance owners or their beneficiaries were sufficient to pay one and a half times every public servant in this country—every regular employee of federal, state, county, municipal or other governmental units in the United States. Life insurance payments approximated \$2,400,000,000, while payrolls of all types of governmental units were estimated at \$1,572,000,000." Life insurance companies, in paying out \$2,400,000,000 to policyholders, their dependents or beneficiaries, distributed nearly three times as much money as did automobile and automotive parts manufacturers through factory payrolls during 1937. These disbursements by life insurance companies, like the payrolls of governmental units and automobile factories, were shared by the direct recipients with many thousands—families, relatives and friends. "In many instances," the committee explained, "life insurance payments restored to the family something of the value

## Remember The Vets — Buy A Poppy



"Buy a poppy, Buddy?"—of course you will!—and the Buddy Poppy you wear may be one of those that have just been completed by the ex-doughboys of the Menlo Park, New Jersey, Home for Disabled Veterans. Throughout the nation more than six million poppies are sold annually during Memorial Week beginning this year May 21.

## Let Us Have Peace



Here, in the Suresne Cemetery near Paris, a Gold Star Mother weeps beside the grave of her boy twenty years after he left home to make the World safe for Democracy.

## Science Battles Baby's Doom



Darkness—or death! This is the choice confronting seven-week-old Helaine Judith Colan, born a victim of glioma, a malignant tumor which destroys first the optic nerve and then the brain. Unable to decide her fate, the baby's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Herman Colan, allowed a jury of twelve to decide between life and death. They chose life, if medical science could save it. Here is Helaine in the arms of her nurse after the first operation removed the right eye.

## JOE GISH JOE GISH



## LISTEN TO THIS

By TOM FIZDALE

Most colorful radio story of the week is the ride of the Ranch Boys, singing cowboy trio of the "National Barn Dance," who started their horseback trek from the Pacific to the Atlantic just to prove that they can ride and that the American pioneer spirit is not dead.

Their long stretch in the saddle will take them across valley, mountains, deserts and plains, back-riding the early pioneers. They will be picked up each Saturday night, when possible, on the Barn Dance broadcasts and send telegraphic reports of their progress on other Saturday nights. Headed by Jack Ross, they're carrying a white Stearns and chaps to Uncle Ezra which will be autographed by mayors of towns en route. They figure it will take them twelve weeks to ride to Chicago for the first break of their journey—which seems strange in this day of streamlined travel.

Eddie Cantor and his Caravan crew are back in Hollywood with Eddie well on the road to recovery from his recent illness in New York. Took Hattie Noel, sensational colored comedienne he recently discovered, and Edgar Fairchild's orchestra back with him. He'll start work on a new picture in July. Phil Baker's a papa again—rounding out his quartet of two boys and two girls. Judy Starr, Hal Kemp's vocalist, heartbroken over loss of her cherished charm bracelet. Amos 'n' Andy have moved back to Hollywood from their Palm Springs homes. Must be summer.

Big moving day on the networks coming up May 30 when "Betty and Bob," "Arnold Grimm's Daughter," "Valiant Lady," "Betty Crocker" and "Hymns of All Churches" move from CBS to NBC. Will be heard at 12, noon, 6 P. M., then instead of 11 a. m.

Richard Himber, maestro of the CBS "Monday Night Show," brings up the point that handleaders themselves seem to be the big writers of hit tunes. Check him up yourself. Don Ameche and Jack Benny are vacationing together on a desert ranch near Palm Springs. Chet Lauck of "Lum and Abner" taking his family on European jaunt when their show folds for summer. Fanny Brice just had a "Baby Snooks" shock herself when she found that one oak tree transplanted on her new lawn cost \$750. Clark Dennis, Fibber McGee's tenor, has taken up farming in Michigan.

Talent has been discovered in strange places but none more so than the DeVore Sisters of NBC's "Vocalion." They got their break when a visitor heard them harmonizing while doing dishes. Tim and Irene, NBC comedy team, have joined the ranks of amateur farmers. Jan Garber, Burns and Allen maestro, is a number one baseball fan. Connie Osgood, Bret Morrison and Joan Winters latest additions to starful "Attorney at Law" cast.

Being Crosby celebrated his 34th birthday this month. Bob Trout, CBS commentator, saw his first Kentucky Derby this year, although it was the fourth time he had attended. Always did color description before from some spot where he couldn't see the race. Clarence Stroud, of the twins, is keeping dates with the girl who was granted her second divorce from him a few weeks ago. Connie Boswell goes most successful women one better by wearing two wedding rings—the second a good luck piece.

## Fights Wage Cuts



George Harrison, Chairman of the Railway Labor Executives Association, warns President Roosevelt that railway labor will resist any reduction of worker's wages. Recently the Association of American Railroads announced intention of a 15 per cent salary slash to take effect in June unless some workable alternative plan was proposed to rescue the roads from their precarious financial plight.

## Max Iss Back



Max Schmeling, German heavyweight boxer who will meet Joe Louis at Madison Square Garden next month, poses for news cameras on his arrival on the Bremen. Because Der Max is German, Jewish fight fans threaten to boycott the match. To offset this, promoter Joe Jacobs has offered to turn over a percentage of the gate to the President's fund to aid Central European refugees.

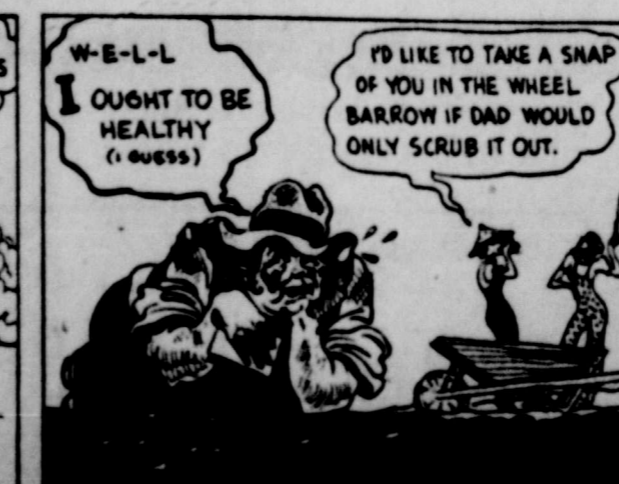
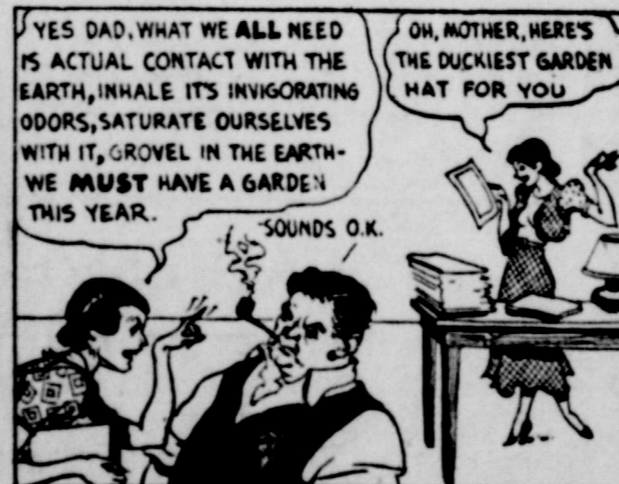
## Thrown Out Twice



"I am the law" is the alleged boast of Frank Hague, "Boss" of New Jersey and of Jersey City. On the moment this would seem the truth for Norman Thomas, national Socialist leader and quadrennial presidential candidate, was ejected from the city twice for attempting to make a speech. Thomas (above) says he will contest Hague's action in suppressing free speech and in hustling him out of town against his will.

## The House of Hazards

By Mac Arthur





# The FEUD at SINGLE SHOT

By Luke Short

**SECOND INSTALLMENT**  
SYNOPSIS  
With his partner, Rosy Rand, Dave Turner is on his way to his ranch at Single Shot. Both are returning from prison where they have served sentences for unjust convictions. On the train, which is carrying a large sum of money, Rosy's quick action and straight shooting holds a hold up while Dave saves the life of Martin Quinn, a gambler, who is being threatened by a desperado. The three become fast friends.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY:**  
They looked up to see Hoagy shuffling down the aisle, intoning to the car, "Single Shot, Five minutes to Single Shot."  
He stopped by their seat and looked judiciously at Rand. I been up to the cab talkin' with the boys. They tell me you pulled 'em out of a tight spot."  
"I'm goin' into Walpals on this run. I'll tell the super. There may be some money in it for you."  
Rand flushed. "They can keep it."

of it, for killin' a horse-thief that deserved killin'. I'm goin' anywhere I please."  
"I reckon not. Not if you aim to come here."  
A new voice broke into the conversation, Quinn's.  
"These two men fought off a train robbery tonight, Sheriff. If that's not law-abidin' enough for you, what is?"  
The sheriff turned on Quinn.  
"If I was you and had business to mind, I'd mind it."  
"That's good advice," Quinn conceded. "It might apply to you, also."  
He turned to Dave. "When I see some of these whistle-stop John Laws, I sometimes wish my old man had been hung for rustlin' long ago," he drawled. "Mark of honor in some cases, I'd call it."  
The sheriff's eyes barely flickered. "You you been in this town two weeks. Mebbe you'd like to ride out with Turner?"  
Quinn slowly placed on his head the black, shapeless Stetson he had been carrying.

"No. Not especially. I—I just didn't know whether you'd have them or not."  
Mary kept up a continual stream of animated talk as they rode through the town, headed north in the direction of the mountains. Everything that had happened that Dave might want to know, she told him.  
Soon he found his opportunity to speak. They were far from town, riding abreast, the night was hot and friendly, a smell of sagebrush was in the thin air.  
"Is there something wrong, Sis? What is it? Why did you bring the guns?"  
"Well, it was a combination of everything, Dave. The sheriff warned me not to meet you in Single Shot because he wouldn't let you off the train there. I thought there might be an argument. If it was a bad one, it would be pretty wise to carry a gun, wouldn't it?"  
"You've got to do better than that, Mary," Dave said quietly.



Dave had forgotten Mary would be a woman now.

But Hoagy was persistent. "Look here. He'll want to do somethin' for you. There was three m'se payrolls in that baggage car safe."  
Rand thought a minute. "All right. If he wants to do somethin' have him write the warden at Yuma and tell him."  
"Warden? Yuma?" Hoagy said slowly.  
"I'm out on parole," Rand told him.  
Turner's nod confirmed him. Quinn shook his head slowly, looking from one to the other.  
"If a gambler's word in a tight place will do you any good, let me know. I'll be at the Free Throw in Single Shot."  
"We'll be neighbors then," Turner said. "My dad's got a spread near there."  
The Sierra Blancos must have looked at the town of Single Shot with a degree of tolerance, since this irregular and shabby cowtown had been allowed to remain at the mouth of its deep valley for more than forty years.

South of the town lay the foothills sloping in three stippled swells to the semi-arid plains a good many miles below.  
Looming up as a mountain in its own right, to the west of the town and a little to the south lay Coahuila Butte, a spur of old Cartridge. To the east more mountains but low, over which the train had labored this night to coast triumphantly and noisily into the station.

When you ran Turner out of town for good, Sheriff, then you can start on me," he said in a low voice. "Very likely, by that time I'll be willing to go."  
He turned and walked slowly off around the corner.  
At this moment the train bell clanged, announced its departure. Hoagy, who had been listening to the argument, laid a hand on Dave's arm.

"Sheriffs don't bushwhack."  
Mary sighed. "All right, I'll tell you." Her voice was grave. "Do you remember those three sections on our south line right against the badlands that dad always did want to ditch for hay?"  
"And never did. Sure."  
"There are five families of nesters on there now," Mary said slowly. "They hate us, Finnegans—one of the hands—went down and they took his gun away from him when he ordered them off. Dave, maybe they think your coming home will mean that they will be kicked off. They might—"

Dave was glued to the window, Rosy behind him.  
"See her?" Rosy asked.  
Dave's answer was long in coming. "No, reckon Mary didn't get my letter after all."  
They were the last two out of the car and as they descended to the station platform, Dave's eyes roved the small crowd for a sign of his sister. She was not there. She, too, then, had been ashamed to be seen in public with a jail-bird brother.

"If she's waitin' in Soledad, you better climb on."  
"Thanks, Hoagy," Dave said, without taking his eyes from the sheriff's fat face. "Hank, I dunno when I'll be in Single Shot, but when I take a notion, I'll be in."  
When the thrashing locomotive had labored its way around Coahuila Butte, the chief physical obstacle separating the two towns, it subsided into the Soledad station, disgorging two lone passengers, cowpunchers, warbags in hand.

"What about the sheriff?"  
"Help our family? He barely speaks to me on the street. You see, he still holds that kid's foolishness against you."  
It was the first reference to Dave's prison term and he was glad Mary was open about it. He began to realize bitterly that the years of prison had been torture for some one besides himself.

"Ain't you Dave Turner?"  
Dave turned, confronting him was a fat, shapeless man, looking like two hundred-odd pounds of soiled clothes topped by a greasy Stetson. He wore ragged, sabel mustaches below a thick-necked necktie, and his eyes were unblinking, red-rimmed. Dave recognized him at once.  
"Sure, I'm Dave Turner, you're Sheriff Lowe—still," Dave said drily.  
"Uh-huh. Still. Come on this train?"  
"Yeah," Dave drawled.  
"Lookin' for your sister?"  
"Uh-huh, I figured she'd meet me here."  
"She won't."  
Dave's eyes narrowed a little. "No? She knew I was comin'?"  
"I reckon she knew. Everybody sees."  
"Then where is she?"  
"Soledad."  
"Soledad? I asked her to meet me here."  
"Ain't Soledad as close to your spread as Single Shot?" The sheriff countered.  
"Sure, What of it?"  
"Nothin'. If I was you I'd go to Soledad and meet her there."  
Dave was quiet a long moment. "You haven't got the guts to say it right out, have you, Hank?"  
A small group of looters had collected.

A small figure ran quickly from the shadows of the station, saying one word: "Dave."  
Dave held her at arm's length, his hands on her shoulders.  
"Mary," he said simply, huskily. "Why, I reckon—why you're beautiful, sis. But where's the corn-colored hair? It's brown and nice and crinkly now."  
A slight flush diffused the girl's face and her wide moist eyes looked at him with affection, with a serenity in their brown depths. She was half a head shorter than Dave, but straight, erect as a cavalryman in her riding breeches and white, open-necked shirt. Her body was slender, yet full and rounded.

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Dave was quiet a long moment. "You haven't got the guts to say it right out, have you, Hank?"  
A small group of looters had collected.  
"I reckon I have. Get out," the sheriff said flatly.

"That's good advice," Quinn conceded. "It might apply to you, also."  
He turned to Dave. "When I see some of these whistle-stop John Laws, I sometimes wish my old man had been hung for rustlin' long ago," he drawled. "Mark of honor in some cases, I'd call it."  
The sheriff's eyes barely flickered. "You you been in this town two weeks. Mebbe you'd like to ride out with Turner?"  
Quinn slowly placed on his head the black, shapeless Stetson he had been carrying.

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"Why?" Dave asked bluntly.  
"I got enough trouble without lettin' more of it walk right into town."  
"I'm out," Dave said slowly. "I didn't escape from prison. I was pardoned."  
"I took my arshippin'. Eight years

"What's this, Sis?" he said very slowly. "Guns?"  
Mary hesitated a moment before answering. "Yes. I didn't know whether you'd have any or not."  
"Is there anything wrong?" Dave asked.

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### Unity

By HAZEL CONNALLY  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. J. Kidd who have been gone on a trip for quite awhile, returned last Wednesday.  
Mrs. Luther Cole has been ill but is reported to be better. Mrs. Frank Griffis, her daughter, came last Tuesday to wait on her.  
Mrs. Jim Word spent Saturday morning with Mrs. William Prater of Hico.  
Mrs. Tom Connally and Miss Lucy Mae Connally visited Mrs. G. W. Hooper and Miss Theta McElroy Saturday afternoon.  
Several from this community enjoyed the nice play given at Millerville, Plays at Greysville and Dry Fork also were enjoyed.  
Mr. Ellis Kirkland returned from Odessa Sunday a week ago.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kirkland and family and Mr. Ellis Kirkland visited relatives at Cranfills Gap Sunday.  
Mrs. Frank Griffis went home Sunday after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cole, while her mother was ill.  
Miss Theta McElroy spent Monday night with Miss Stella Reas.  
Mr. Mark McElroy spent Saturday night and until Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rance McElroy.  
Misses Mary Emma and Margaret Lewis returned Monday morning from New Mexico, where they attended school last term.

put it on the east so as to include the lake. Why doesn't Hammond look it up?"  
"Oh, it's all so stupid, Dave. The maps show that section perfectly square, shows the lake off our land. I've shown him the papers and everything else, but the map is drawn wrong and he won't believe me. He threatens to take it to law if we haven't given in by the time he needs the water."  
"And what does the sheriff think about that?" Dave asked sardonically.  
"He won't have anything to do with it," Mary said.  
"I don't think I like that sheriff," Rosy drawled.  
"He's all right," Dave said. "A good man. He's dumb and patient, but he's honest. When he gets riled, though, watch out. You'd never know it, but that big fat Jasper has got a draw that's as soft and quick as a whisper. He's never been afraid in his life."  
The far yipe of a coyote came to Dave's ears, interrupting his thoughts.  
"What about the courts, Mary?" Dave asked presently, out of a reverie. "Those nesters haven't any right there, have they?"  
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### Greyville

By MRS. J. L. MULLINS  
Mr. Oliver Burnett is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burnett and grandson, Ray D. Wade.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gray D. Wade and daughter of Olney have been visiting in the W. H. Blount home.  
Mr. P. B. Bolton made a business trip to Stephenville Friday.  
Miss Nellie V. Mullins of Millerville has been visiting with her parents a few days, while recuperating from having a wisdom tooth pulled.  
Miss Nadine Seay has been working in Hico for the past three weeks for Mrs. Smith.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Greer of Dry Fork spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins and daughter.  
We are glad to report that Johnnie Ogle is up now, after being sick for three weeks.  
Several from this community enjoyed the play at Dry Fork Friday night.  
Mr. Orville Ogle of Stephenville visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ogle and family Saturday and Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Meador of Hico spent awhile Friday afternoon in the P. B. Bolton home.  
Mr. Arthur Lambert, Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower, and Mrs. E. S. Jackson of Millerville visited a few minutes with Miss Nellie V. Mullins Thursday afternoon.  
"Small Town Home" was staged at Greyville Friday night, and a large crowd attended.  
Mrs. P. B. Bolton and children visited with Mrs. William Hicks of Dry Fork Thursday afternoon.  
Brother Mann, the Methodist minister of Hico, delivered a good sermon at Greyville Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. J. L. Goode of Hico spent Sunday in the J. Z. Bush home.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bell of Dublin spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Burnett and Ray D.  
Mr. Alford Bush went to De Leon Monday to spend a few days in the home of his brother Mr. Floyd Bush.  
Those that visited in the P. B. Bolton home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hartin, John Duffie Baker, Sonnie Massingale, and Mr. Dave Deaton of Hamilton.

### Gordon

By MRS. ELLA NEWTON  
Mrs. Olin Brantley of Iredell and Mrs. Rachel Harris entertained the W. M. U. ladies at the home of Mrs. Harris Friday afternoon May 29 in the form of a hobo party. Eighteen members were present. Outside guest was Mrs. Fannie Sawyer. Refreshments were served at the back door. Games were played and a business was attended to. A nice time was had by all.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lester were in Stephenville the last of the week. The steel plate was removed from Mr. Lester's arm and another put in. We hope he will improve soon. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craig and little son, Bobby Ray, went after them Saturday.

Those that spent Sunday in the Wince Perkins' home were Mrs. Ella Newton, Mrs. Ima Smith and son Lewis, Alice and Geneva Morgan, and Abe Myers.

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