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Here In HICO

MILLION DOLLAR RAIN FALLS

This is the headline we look forward to seeing in some of our exchanges this week-end.

While we feel that they are right in placing a high valuation on the much-needed downpour of precipitation, we have always wondered why Harry Schwenker referred to each of those needed rains as being a million dollar type, and how an inch would be valued at a million, just the same as three or four inches.

It's kinda like the puzzle Eb Porter was telling us about the other day. A customer of his drug store had been trying to learn how the Liggett company could accurately refer to a certain product as \$50,000 chocolate. Mr. Porter said there was some doubt in his own mind, as it stood to reason that they might miss the estimate a few cents at least, and that instead of being lumped off in round figures, it might be better to refer to same in exact numbers, like \$49,381.81, or \$51,001.01.

War news as we get it through the newspapers, magazines, and over the radio is varied and interesting, although admittedly not accurate in all details if we are expected to believe both sides of conflicting reports. It makes it appear that reporting, like war-making, had become streamlined, and suggests that the duties of a war correspondent these days consists of sitting in a leather-bound chair in some sandbag-protected office, sipping British tea, French wine, German beer or Russian vodka—as the location of his office might suggest—and looking over official releases from the war departments of those countries trying to find out what to tell the folks back in the United States.

While Richard Harding Davis didn't do it this way in the last war, during which we still maintain we got a better brand of stories, and a more dependable set of facts, still that kind of reporting has its advantages. It's a lot safer, and should raise the average age of the writing tribe by several years, to say nothing of the wear and tear on their clothes that it averts.

For the benefit of our readers, and whether they appreciate it or not, we are making a report (in the same safe manner) on what we think has happened during the past week of the war.

Hitler made a speech to the Reichstag last Friday, showing his disrespect for the United States by doing so at a time before we should have been up otherwise—5 a. m. During his talk he made faces at France and England, patted Stalin and Russia on the back, doubled his fists and gnashed his teeth at those who opposed him, and said that he loved peace so well that he was going to fight for it if they wouldn't let him have it otherwise.

Stalin proceeded to make a monkey of the Fuehrer by continuing his march into conquered Poland and grabbing off what he wanted after the Germans had done the dirty work.

Smaller Baltic and Balkan countries continued to answer each summons to appear in Moscow and turn their pockets inside out. Latvia and Estonia submitted to fortification by Russia, and gave access through their countries at any time.

Turkey made strange noises and acted like it wanted the war to progress a little further before choosing sides. Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg sat back in fear of aggression, while Switzerland oiled up its rifles and awaited developments.

Finland, for whom we saved the world for democracy, judging by the fact that it is the only country that has paid in full as they became due its war debts to the United States, prepared to fight, saying "We'd rather die than be slaves of the Reds."

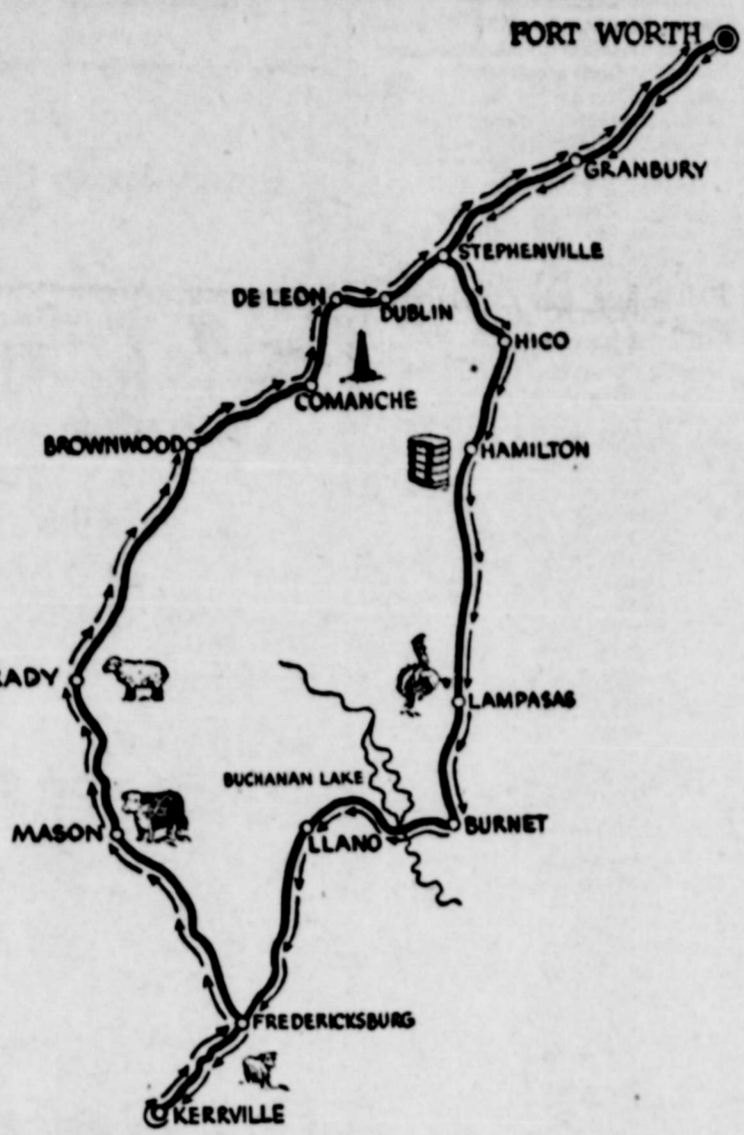
Edouard Daladier, premier of France, intimated that Hitler's peace terms were not satisfactory, and went ahead planning for a long war.

Chamberlain, England's prime minister, Thursday definitely replied to the farcical peace offer in terms that were unmistakably summed up as no. He said the honor of England was involved, and that the British would hear to no plan for peace that involved further aggression. Which made us wonder how the British ever built up their empire.

The U. S. Ironclad, convoyed into New York harbor Wednesday night by destroyers, coast guard cutters and seaplanes, safely docked in spite of a fantastic warning from the German admiralty that the vessel would be sunk in mid-Atlantic. The passengers, busy being seasick, had no time to worry about being torpedoed on the voyage.

Radio announcements continued in their interminable, guessing with wild ideas on what is hap-

Route of Boosters



Subscribers NEWS AND VIEWS

L. O. Perdue of Iredell, Route 1, thinks the Hico paper is good enough to come back to after an absence of several months. Mr. Perdue comes to Hico often to do his trading and said he had been intending to come in, but something always came up to make him forget. He says he will be back next October, however, if he still thinks by that time that the paper is worth a dollar a year.

John Clark, whose daughter, Mary Jane, is attending school at Denton, had to come around himself this year to renew his subscription. Which won't hurt him any, for he ought to check in at

opening, each broadcast contradicting the other.

And the norther made us remember our old army overcoat purchased from a soldier returning from the last war. It was a real garment, after we got it dyed blue and had a fur collar installed. Remember?

Another crisis in our personal war of words has arisen. A pair of erstwhile sportswriters, with two years' service in column conducting under their belts, continue their aspersions and insinuations against a veteran of ten hot summers and an equal number of hard winters in one place.

The northernmost of the pair, feeling cocky over the transposition of his brainchild from the sport section to the society section of the Star-Telegram, calls us smarty and claims personal gains in the affections of one Dink since last August. Says we don't know what's going on.

The second imposter, who bought an interest in the paper to get his stuff moved from the sport page to Column 1, Page 1, tries to embarrass us publicly by saying that same Dink is trying to let us down painlessly, and is bored with the whole thing.

They may both be right. But we're showing our authority around the dump we haunt by running this thing over into another column just so we can get something off our mind. The young lady toward whom they both are making impudent gestures may let them, too, down some day. It's the truth that hurts, and they seem to know what they're talking about for no later than last Friday she told us that she wasn't going to do something, and then went ahead and did it Saturday.

We have long since quit trying to understand or explain the frailties of femininity. It's no business of ours where Dink parks her car. She was always careless about where she parked, else how would she ever have parked in Hamilton? And in parking her palaverings she has chosen three different papers in about that many years. As for whom she chooses for her pseudo allies, that's also her business. But there'll come a time when the glamour of the limelight wears off, and she will be glad to get three lines in the personal column of the old home paper. At least we hope she will.

the office now and then and show his pleasant countenance.

Dr. V. Hawes, City, came around to see us early Friday morning after missing his copy of the paper and said he guessed his time was out. We didn't argue, as we treat him better than do his friends around town. They are continually trying to coax him into an argument, but his good nature refuses to get riled up. And sure enough, his subscription had expired.

R. E. Bass, City, always knows about when to come in and step up his time for another hitch of the Hico paper. Last Saturday he paid us one of his regular visits.

Guy S. Ellis, Route 1, Iredell, said he put a note in his pocket to remind him to see about the paper, since he's so forgetful. He says he likes to read the stories in the paper, although they seem to come a long way apart. He tendered us a five-dollar bill, handsomely complimenting our financial status, and then apologized when we had to go after change.

Mrs. J. H. McNeill, Route 4, Waco, will receive the paper each week since a personal visit to the office made by her father, J. J. Smith. Mr. Smith has a very nice hobby of sending the News Review to all his friends and relatives. He told us last week he took a bus over to Jack's house in Waco on Friday to read the Hico paper, and was so mad when he got over there and found that the paper hadn't come that he wouldn't even stay for dinner. We believe he's been making a sort of racket about this business of going over there to read the paper anyway, because they always ask him to dinner. Mr. Smith has also renewed for the paper to be sent to him on Route 4. Says he can't always depend on the kids.

W. E. Alexander, Route 7, who keeps us informed about church services in his community and various sorts of news, proves himself an all-around friend as usual last week by dropping in with his annual renewal of subscriptions to the News Review and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

C. R. Higginbotham, Route 5, whose only fault so far as we can find is being careless about the kind of company he keeps when he comes to town Saturdays and sometimes during the week, paid off like a little man when he met the editor out on the street early in his week. Clarence had already been in to check up on his subscription, and had left strict orders to keep the paper coming.

Clarence Spaulding, while helping to get things around at the city hall ready for the big fire meeting Tuesday night, pulled out a dollar and handed it to the editor with instructions to start his paper again. He said he had promised his wife several weeks ago he was going to do so, but his own failure to do so on our stating out of sight so well. Clarence will have to make the rounds often-

FORT WORTHIANS

Pay Scheduled Visit to Hico in Two Large Buses

Fort Worth, through 50 of its leading business executives, paid respects to Hico and its citizenship here Tuesday, Oct. 10, and promised cooperation in any move for closer relationship between the two cities.

The Fort Worth executives arrived at Hico aboard two day chartered buses on a two day goodwill swing into southwest Texas. The trippers will visit 15 cities and towns over the 600 mile route. Other stops on the itinerary, sketch of which is shown elsewhere in this edition, include Granbury, Hamilton, Lampasas, Burnet, Llano, Fredericksburg, Kerrville, Mason, Brady, Brownwood, Comanche, De Leon, Dublin and Stephenville.

"The purpose of this trip is to establish closer relations between Fort Worth and the towns and cities in its southwest trade territory," said H. G. Parr, one of the tour speakers.

"By establishing these closer relations we can better work toward the solving of problems which will prove of mutual benefit. Fort Worth business executives want you to know that we stand ready to aid you in any worthwhile project which would prove beneficial to southwest Texas."

Mr. Parr paid tribute to the spirit of co-operation that has always existed between Fort Worth and Hico, and pledged for the visitors' part a continuance of this neighborly spirit. He called particular attention to the project for a cut-off road through the Chalk Mountain country, and said that Fort Worth would not be satisfied until this road is built.

The visiting executives were welcomed by the Hico Band and reception committee from the Chamber of Commerce, composed of Max Hoffman and J. N. Russell. The official address of welcome was made by Mayor Lawrence Lane, who pointed out the similarity of interests of Fort Worth and Hico, and tendered the congratulations of the citizenship on such a good representation of business executives from the city to the north.

A. A. Lutz, general manager of Armour & Company, in Texas, is chairman of the tour. Champ Clark, vice-president of the First National Bank, is vice-chairman. Complete personnel of the trip follows:

A. A. Lutz, Armour & Company; J. B. Armstrong, Axtell Company; Ed Baty, Blackstone Hotel; Howard Beers, State Reserve Life Ins. Co.; Lorin Boswell, Boswell Dairies; A. B. Chambers, Fort Worth Paint Company; Champ Clark, First National Bank; Grover C. Cole, Harveson & Cole Funeral Home; Howard Collins, Hotel Texas; Chas. G. Cotten, Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce; R. E. Cox, R. E. Cox Dry Goods Co.; J. D. Davis, Stonestreet & Davis; E. E. Dickie, Williamson-Dickie Mfg. Co.; J. R. Edwards, Western Feeders Supply Co.; James M. Ellis, James M. Ellis & Son; John H. Eriksen, Continental National Bank.

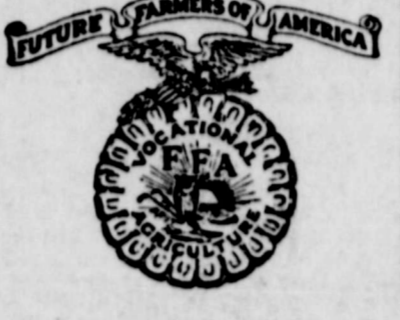
Ed Ernest, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.; Jerry Fite, Stafford London Co.; A. D. Gillespie, Mrs. Baird's Bakery; V. G. Griffing, Armour & Company; W. A. (Bill) Grimes, Moning Dry Goods Company; John Hendrix, Southwestern Exp. & Fat Stock Shop; Max Highfill, Lawrence, Highfill & Terry; Tom Hogle, Coffey Clinic; William Holden, executive vice-president, Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce; Geo. McKenna, Real Estate Operator; Jim McMullen, Fort Worth Star-Telegram; John H. Maxwell, Maxwell Steel Co.; Sam Milstead, Burton-Lingo Lumber Co.; James P. Mitchell, Texas Employers Ins. Assn.; Roy Naugle, Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Co.; C. L. Oden, Continental Oil Co.; H. G. Parr, Well Machinery & Supply Co.; Normand K. Patton, Montgomery Ward & Co.; Geo. W. Putnam, Westbrook Hotel; E. D. Rutledge, DuBois, Rutledge & Miller; A. B. Sammons, Sloan Lumber Co.; W. C. Schutt, Burrus Mills; James M. Scott, Scott Bros. Grain Co.; J. W. Shugart, Waples-Platter Co.; F. W. Stuckert, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc.; Dave Tandy, Hinekey-Tandy Leather Co.; Curtis Walker, Mrs. Baird's Bakery; E. C. Walsh, Fort Worth Stockyards Co.; Chas. T. Wilhoite, Universal Mills; Douglas Wolsley, Wm. Cameron Lumber Co.; Sam Wright, Williamson-Dickie Mfg. Co.; W. L. Pier, Fort Worth National Bank; J. R. Plummer, Commercial Standard Ins. Co.

Doctor Leaves for Mayo's
Dr. H. V. Hodges left last Friday for Rochester, Minn., to take a post-graduate course at the Mayo Foundation.

Mrs. Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Orle will leave Wednesday to join him for a two weeks' trip through the northern states.

Preaching in Hico
Wider Collins will preach Saturday night in Hico at the Christian Church on the hill, according to announcement last week. Everyone is invited.

FUTURE FARMER FEATURES



Last Saturday, October 7, Mr. Fox and Mr. Grimland took several vocational agriculture boys to the State Fair at Dallas to celebrate F. F. A. Day at the Fair. The boys who attended the fair were Albert Brown, Raymond Hefner, Harold Todd, Harold Leeth, Bob Smith, George Stringer and Steve Lewis. Others accompanying the group were Carroll Anderson, the F. F. A. Sweetwater, and also Mr. Clapp and Mrs. Fox. Everyone enjoyed the exhibits and celebration.

The vocational agriculture boys are making rapid progress with their projects, in preparation for the local livestock show which is to be held in February. Among the recent projects started, J. C. Hubbard has purchased two feeder calves from Mr. Ike Malone, and O. D. Cunningham has purchased one from Mr. L. A. Hicks at the Hill Ranch. J. C.'s calves average about 425 pounds, each, and O. D.'s calf weighed 465 when it was delivered. Those boys feeding lambs report rapid gains and improvement with their spring lambs.

Thursday night, the Hico Chapter of the Future Farmers of America held their first regular chapter meeting since the opening of school and reorganization of the chapter. The new officers for the current year are Steve Lewis, president; Winford Pruitt, vice-president; Harold Todd, secretary; Junior McKenzie, treasurer; Sam Abel, reporter; Johnnie Ogles, parliamentarian; Elton Russell, farm-watch-dog; and Carroll Anderson, Chapter Sweetwater. After the opening ceremony the chapter voted to do our part, 100 per cent, in carrying out the objectives set up by the State Association, Area Association, and District and Federation Chapters of the F. F. A. President Steve Lewis appointed a committee to set up additional local objectives for our local chapter to accomplish. An interesting program was rendered by the F. F. A. band, assisted by Mr. Grimland, Mr. Clapp and Mr. Smith, who were visitors for the meeting. Following the meeting everyone enjoyed the delicious home-made ice cream, made by the V. A. boys. Five groups of six to eight boys each, entered a contest for making the best ice cream. Raymond Leeth, with his group of freshmen boys making pineapple cream, won the prize, according to the official judges, Mr. Grimland, Mr. Smith and A. C. Odell. The forty-five boys present were well filled with the nine gallons of delicious home-made ice cream, and you can guess there was none to waste.

SAM ABEL, Reporter.

CHILDHOOD

And Youth Week to Be Observed in Methodist Church

Next week, October 15 to 22, is Childhood and Youth Week in the Methodist Church. Its purpose is to emphasize this phase of the work of the church and the importance of keeping children and young people under the influence of the church, and also of cultivating a closer relationship between the church and the home.

These objectives are greatly facilitated and devoted its workers may be, can not do for children and young people what it would and what is needed unless there is sympathetic cooperation on the part of parents in the home. May we not then as workers and parents cooperate in this week of special effort. Remember the dates.

Next Sunday, October 15, the pastor will preach at both services. At 11 o'clock the subject will be "Made Rich Through Poverty." At 7:30 p. m. the topic will be "The Drudgery of Church Attendance."

There will be special music at both services. All whose duty doesn't call them elsewhere are cordially invited to all services.

J. C. MANN

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	Prec.	Day
Oct. 4	89	70	0.00	cloudy
Oct. 5	94	73	0.00	clear
Oct. 6	98	74	0.00	clear
Oct. 7	94	70	0.00	clear
Oct. 8	90	70	0.00	cloudy
Oct. 9	95	73	0.33	cloudy
Oct. 10	74	56	0.82	cloudy

Total precipitation so far this year, 21.16 inches.

RIGHT-OF-WAY DEEDS

For Highway 281 Between Hico and Hamilton Being Obtained

Deeds for the additional acreage demanded by the widening of Highway 281 between Hico and Hamilton are now in the hands of County Judge J. B. Pool, and the judge and commissioners have started work on getting them signed. This information came this week from Lawrence Lane of Hico, who holds a piece of property along the highway near Olin.

The road is to be widened from 100 feet to 120 feet, and new concrete drainage structures are to replace the old wooden bridges, according to the plans of the highway department as worked up by J. B. Brown, resident engineer at Hamilton. The road also will be straightened in places.

The contemplated work is to start at Hamilton and extend to a point about a mile and a half north of Olin. The remainder of the section awaits further orders from the highway department, it is said.

MEETINGS CONTINUE

At Hico Church of Christ; Will Come to Close Sunday Night

Meetings now in progress at the Church of Christ will come to a close Sunday night. Evangelist M. Lloyd Smith has been attracting large crowds with his soul-stirring messages.

In a statement to the News Review, the evangelist this week said: "People are being made to realize that the time for laying up treasure in heaven shall soon be ended. Yes, before long you and I shall be gone. Some of us are considerably beyond the middle of our life span; some are away down on the western slope and may soon cross the silent stream. Before long we all shall know just what awaits us beyond the present life."

You are invited to hear the remainder of the sermons which begin each evening at 7:30. Bible classes Sunday morning at 10. Evangelist Smith will deliver his last message during this meeting Sunday night.

N. Y. A. PROJECT

To Provide Hico Boys Employment On State Highway Project

Hico boys eligible for NYA employment will be used on a project by the National Youth Administration which is co-sponsoring with the State Highway Department a program in the beautification and landscaping of highways in this section of the state.

E. Terrell Coleman of Stephenville, who is area NYA supervisor, expects the project to get under way in about ten days or two weeks.

"All boys eligible for NYA in Hico and neighboring communities will be used on the project," he stated.

Young men between 18 and 24, inclusive, who have made proper application for NYA work are eligible under the Administration's requirements.

Attends Banquet in Dallas

Roy Ridenhower of Junction stopped here a short while Tuesday to visit his mother, Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower, and sister, Mrs. E. S. Jackson.

Mr. Ridenhower was en route to Dallas to attend the Texas Breeder-Feeder Association banquet given by the State Fair of Texas Tuesday night at the Adolphus Hotel. He was a guest of the fair association, receiving his tickets from Dallas Tuesday by air mail special delivery.

Improvements At Nursery

Ola Duran of Fair is drilling a new water well at the J. W. Waldrop Nursery. A 10-foot windmill and a 104-barrel storage tank will provide water for the nursery, the residences and for other buildings on the place. Mr. Waldrop is planning a new concrete ground tank to be constructed soon.

Bill Loden is furnishing the supplies for the new well and tank and material for piping the water around the place.

Women's Class Has Program

The Business and Professional Women's Class of the Hico Baptist Church had charge of the opening program Sunday at the Sunday school services.

Miss Ann Pierson gave the devotional and Miss Frances Vickery sang, "An Evening Prayer," accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Woodward.

Mrs. J. W. Dohoney teaches the class.

Attend Aunt's Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman and son, Kenneth, were in Waco Sunday attending funeral services for Mrs. Hoffman's aunt, Mrs. William Bell, who died at 10:30 p. m. Friday in a Waco hospital.

Mrs. Bell, who was 28, is survived by her husband; one son, Calvin; her infant daughter; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Levy, of Chicago.

Attend Board Meeting

Rev. and Mrs. Swindell went to Brownwood Thursday where they attended the annual meeting of the executive board of district 16.

Keeping Up With Texas

Texas thugs dealt a hard blow to a 19-year-old New Jersey businessman within two hours of his arrival in Dallas Tuesday night, when they jimmied open a window of his automobile parked at Akard and Pacific and stole all his clothes and his means of livelihood. Max Itzkowitz of Newark, engraver and maker of wire jewelry, had intended opening up a stand Wednesday at the State Fair. In one missing handbag he had his entire stock in trade, \$60 worth of wire pins and \$100 in rings. Itzkowitz, who is staying at the Worth Hotel, offered a reward with no questions asked.

William Rowan of Birkenhead, England, breathed relief when he reached Houston safely Tuesday aboard the British freighter New-ton Pine, on which he was a fireman, after surviving attacks from U-boats on the westward crossing. During the trip, he saw two submarines and a British tanker sunk. A few hours later he was dead—fatally injured in an automobile accident.

W. Lee O'Daniel was second in a contest Tuesday at the State Fair. He is a steer calf, named for the governor and entered in the National Hereford show at the Fair.

The whirling disc of an oil tank top, spun into the air by an explosion, sheared 75 telephone and telegraph wires Tuesday after sailing across a crowded State Highway and the Texas-Mexican Railroad tracks near Robstown. No one was injured in the Clark-wood field explosion. The storage tank, practically empty, was demolished.

Governor O'Daniel told it to the Marines on Tuesday. Welcoming the United States Marine Corps' Band for a benefit concert, the Governor explained to the musicians: "This is the Capitol. It's a nice building for the Legislature to meet in and pass legislation. Some day maybe they will pass some." A good crowd gathered for the ceremony, leading the Chief Executive to quip: "Maybe some of you believe this ceremony is the beginning of a special session." "No," belted a single unidentified citizen. The Governor, something of a bandsman himself, said he was glad to see so many "hillbillies" in the Marine organization. Every member of the band is an honorary citizen of Texas by designation of Former Governor Alfred, who honored the musicians when they appeared at a Confederate veterans' convention at Amarillo. The Marines' concerts there were sponsored by the University of Texas Band.

Texas has at least a trace of six strategic war materials besides oil and cotton of which it has most quantities, but the extent to which they exist will not be known until surveys are completed. Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the University of Texas bureau of economic geology, lists the materials and locations which have yielded traces as follows: chromite, Gillespie county; nickel, Blanco and Gillespie counties; manganese, Spiller ranch in Mason county, central Texas; locations, and Valverde county; tin, Mason county; tungsten, central Texas. Surveys to determine the extent of deposits are being made. The materials were listed among 17 which the war department last June asked congress to buy in large quantities for a war stockpile.

"Decision Week," an experiment in Chamber of Commerce publicity will be observed at Big Spring Nov. 6-10. Chamber directors approved the plan as the basis for formulating their 1940 program of work. During the week every member of the organization will be urged to call at the office and personally submit suggestions for inclusion in the next year's program. "We have tried to get them to write suggestions," said Cal Boykin, president, "so now we are going to sit down and talk with each one of our members if possible. We hope to arrive at a better balanced and more representative program through this means."

Circulation on the Hale Center American, a weekly newspaper, jumped 10 today after O. E. "Mick" Smith, cafe owner, ordered that number of papers for six months. The 10 prominent persons scheduled to receive this week's edition are Adolf Hitler, "Pepper" Martin, Bing Crosby, Bob Burns, Guy W. Lee O'Daniel, Walter Winchell, Postmaster James Farley, Amos 'n' Andy, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek and cartoonist Bud Fisher. Smith said he ordered the 10 subscriptions to publicize Hale Center, Vic Lamb, editor of the American, said the wife of the generalissimo, Madame Chiang Kai-Shek would be put on the mailing list "if he can find her address."

Japanese army in China also like to have that ad-

The Mirror

PUBLISHED BY STUDENTS OF HICO HIGH SCHOOL

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF SARAH FRANCES MEADOR
ASSISTANT EDITOR PRISCILLA RODGERS

Seniors	Roberta McMillan	Pep Squad	Muriel Phillips
Juniors	Priscilla Rodgers	Society	Mary Brown
Sophomores	Allan Knight	Home Ec.	Roberta McMillan
Freshmen	Lola Mae Hendricks	Seventh Grade	Ruby Bruner
Sports	Derrill Elkins	Sixth Grade	Sunshine Mann
Band	Mary Brown	Fifth Grade	Geneva Thornton

GRUDGE GAME PLAYED FRIDAY NIGHT

Tigers 0; Bulldogs 12.

Summary	Tigers	Dogs
First downs	5	12
Passes tried	13	11
Passes completed	3	6
Passes intercepted	1	6
Kicks	6 for 255	4 for 177
Penalties	3 for 15	9 for 75
Yds. G'ned rushing	93	187

The Hico Tigers clashed with the Hamilton Bulldogs at the Fair Park in Hamilton, playing the first two quarters as a scoreless tie, making a very interesting football game for the large crowd out to help their team win. Kicks were filling the air, keeping the opposition back to their own goal line. People with cameras were wanting touchdowns so they could take pictures. In the third quarter they got their chance. Hamilton succeeded twice in that period, this being the only scoring of the game. Passes were attempted, plunges tried, but still the only touchdowns that could be made were those of Hamilton's in the unlucky third.

Co-captain Wayne Poik stopped many plays around right end, in fact all over the field. They just couldn't stop him—even when he got knocked out in the fourth quarter. Never slanting up any time, outside of his injury. We think there were no more football players on each side that felt like they had a rough time.

Next Friday the Tigers play De Leon there. They are showing splendid form lately, and hope to turn the tables over against opponent number 5.

Score by periods:
Tigers—0 0 0—0.
Bulldogs—0 12 0—12.

KAMPUS KUT-UPS

School emblems everywhere... Band practicing marching every day... "Politician" Brown at work again... New instruments in band... Alexander Pep Squad formation Thursday night very good... Charles disappointed because rock was brought instead of limestone for Physics class... Frank Pierce, did you enjoy the Junior picnic Wednesday night? Juanita hasn't forgotten anything about the drum... New addition to the Mirror staff in the form of "Droopy" Ellington as copy writer... Ball game Friday night very interesting... "Hom" again elected to an honorary position... Nearly everyone in Dallas at the Fair Saturday... Mr. Smith still in charge after his visit over the week end... Wayne still loco after being knocked out at Hamilton... Band on another rampage... Mr. Smith blushing at assembly.

Closing with the remark overheard in Physics: If a centipede had the toe ache, he'd ache all over.

ASSEMBLY

Upon order of Mr. Fox, the high school student body gathered in the auditorium Monday morning for a combination program. After announcements, we were honored with a short talk by Brother Smith, the noted evangelist now holding a meeting at the Church of Christ. Having twenty minutes to spare, Professor I. I. Brown conducted a class in thinking ability for four talented scholars. The president of each class selected his representative, and as usual, the Sophs won again, being represented by Allan Knight, their brain specialist. After the questions were all answered, a special meeting was called for the band, after the adjournment of assembly.

LADY IN THE HALL

The lady takes it upon herself to pry into family affairs and find out what each one's chores are after school.
Q. Louise Blair, what is your daily duty?
A. Oh nothing much. Just leading a half-wit down the highway

so she won't get run over by cars.
Q. Roberta McMillan, what are you paid to do?
A. Attending to Grannie's personal hygiene.

Q. Joseph Rodgers, what is your weekly task that you hate most?
A. Bringing in the clothes pins on wash day, by gosh.

Q. Mary Ella McCullough, what task do you dearly love to do?
A. Picking up Fran's paper dolls which have been scattered all over the house.

Q. Winfred Weaver, what do you do?
A. Well, I carry Carroll's books home for one thing.

Q. Ina Norton, come on and tell us what's yours.
A. Feeding a bunch of chickens that are already to fat to eat.

Q. Mildred Bobo, what is your task?
A. After I study I practice my clarinet and then go get the cow.

Q. Jack Todd, do you have a task?
A. Do I? And how! I have to shuck corn for ten hogs.

Q. Rubye Lee, what do you and Sarah do?
A. Oh, nothing much. Just go to town, gossip and eat.

Here's closing and hoping no one is "totting" a rotten egg for me.

THURSDAY THURPERS

The Thursday Thurpers met with "Doodle" McMillan Thursday afternoon.
Some odd happenings during the evening were: Gabby and Hon arriving breathless to exclaim they had met a new boy and spending the rest of the evening fussing over whom he talked to the most; Sulla reading detective stories; Droopy and Slats arriving just in time for refreshments; and Slats declaiming she had eaten enough after her sixteenth sandwich.

The club will meet next week with Slats.

PEP SQUAD

The girls practiced a formation with the band every day at noon, then practiced yells and songs in the afternoon after school to be ready for the Hamilton game.

The band helped us yell at the game Friday night and it was especially appreciated.

Our next game will be with De Leon, so everyone be prepared to go with us.

HOUSEWIVES' COLUMN

Since color week is over and no more schemes were in order, Miss Wagstaff, after much serious thinking, has at last found another scheme. The homemaking classes are to collect all the coupons out of Post products. All of you who eat Post cereals or products are requested to save the coupons inside each bag and give them to the Home Ec. Department.

In this way we can collect most of the silver we are going to need for our cottages.

Attention to the high school! We are expecting another shipment of lolly-pops pretty soon. You can save that extra trip to grammar school and buy from us.

PROMISING POETRY

By Popular People
Mary swallowed her wrist watch. And now it is gone. But every time she takes a step Time marches on.

SENIORS

Six weeks' tests have greatly slowed up this thinker's ability to think up anything exciting to put down. These six weeks' tests not only test our ability to think, to remember and to forget, but also test what we have remembered from years past. That in itself is an impossibility as far as the Seniors are concerned.

The main thing discussed in last week's meeting was a "swap-out" with the Juniors. That is, we will entertain them if they'll entertain

us in return. This is a formal acceptance of the Seniors' acceptance of the Juniors' above plan.
The band's trip to Brownwood Wednesday is one of the greatest opportunities ever offered to students of high schools and bands. Not only do we get to see the greatest band on earth play, but we'll also get to see them march. To see a band of as high rank as this on march ought to make us at least want to keep in step and keep our lines a little straighter.

The old saying about miracles never happening is bunk. When dared to do the impossible, the Civics class actually did it. All thirty of the Civics class appeared last Thursday wearing school colors, thus avoiding a test. What is so wonderful about this? Just imagining not one of thirty people not forgetting to do what they are told to do.

Everyone is busy digging in for the six weeks' tests and hoping all the time that we can get hold of the questions, but no such luck. No one is dreading them much and know they will be easy as pie. (Yeah, ain't we fooled?)

The Junior class is very unlucky as we don't seem to be getting any new members while all the other classes are getting them galore.

After the tests are over the Juniors are planning to celebrate with a picnic.

Last Wednesday we held our second class meeting. Our president, Steve Lewis, called the meeting to order and we set our regular, monthly meeting date on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. We discussed other business matters, including ways of earning money for the class treasury and at 9 o'clock the meeting was adjourned.

Of course, we are having our usual six weeks' tests this week, and are they hard? For instance: What are the three kinds of bacteria, when was Rome founded, what is an infinitive, and solve x plus 4 equals 3x minus 6.

We had our Professor Quiz program Monday and for once we won it. For this you can't blame the Soph's representative, yours truly, but Bob Smith, our class wizard. He will be our next representative, I'm sure.

The biology class has started its study of "Biology." We are killing and mounting all kinds of insects. Some of the girls have voiced their dislike for this function but proceed we must.

Next week we will find out our grades for the first six weeks. Let's just hope they aren't too low.

The Freshman Class welcomed Chester and Earl Beaumont Tuesday.

Thursday the Homemaking girls (some from the Freshman Class) went down to Mrs. Welborn's beauty shop to see a manicure given to Miss Wagstaff.

The girls from the Freshman class that are in Homemaking sold articles for the color week.

Next week we hope we have more news for you.

The seventh grade had a test in Language Arts. There was about five that failed. Ruby Bruner went to Hamilton last Friday afternoon and stayed until Sunday afternoon.

We are going to have six weeks tests this week. We are all studying very hard for them.

The grammar school is going to play Alexander in football Thursday afternoon at Alexander.

Mr. Jackson was just a little bit angry this morning because the hall to the first grade room was not swept.

There were about twenty-seven hundreds in spelling last Thursday.

We have a new pupil in our room. He is Anthony Burcham.

SIXTH GRADE
James Ray Bobo, Thomas Ray Coston and Miss Harris went to the circus in Waco Wednesday.
The sixth grade are selling pencils to make money to buy equipment for the room.
Milton Rainwater went to Austin to visit his sister who is in the Texas School for the Deaf.
Miss Harris bought a ball for our room over the week end.

FOURTH GRADE (Miss Ashton)
Each Friday morning the fourth grade Citizenship Club has its regular meeting and program. This morning R. W. French, our president, presided over the meeting. The following pupils were on the program, Nadine Glover, Wendell Ray Knight, Nelda F. Hulsey, James D. Karels, Jake Lane, Louise Higginbotham, Junior Bird, Ray Keller, Charles Lowery, James Barnett, Margie Nell Land, Mildred Trammel, Willadean Hancock and Donald Phillips. The play presented was a "Mother Goose" health play.

After the Citizenship program, the children played games. Willadean Hancock brought a pot plant for our room.
Dorothy Brewer went to Stephenville Sunday.

Billy Jackson went to the circus at Waco last Wednesday.
Coy Pittman went to Pioneer for the week end.

Francis Angell and Willadean Hancock went to the Hico-Hamilton football game Friday night.

THIRD GRADE (Mrs. Higgins)
We have 25 pupils in our section, but only 12 made 100 in spelling. Six pupils missed only one word. The pupils who made 100 are: Billy Ray Ables, Patsy Ruth Roberts, Windell Houston, Aranna Holley, Mary Frances Lively, James Leeth, Max Richey, Ray Johnson, Bobby Ratliff, Billy Jones, Norma Jean Poteet, Betty Jean Land.

Billy Ray Ables visited his grandmother Hillhouse near Gustonia Friday and Saturday.
Lucius Brewer visited Mrs. L. P. Wakefield, who lives near Johnsonville, Sunday.

Billy Jones visited his cousin, H. P. Jones, who lives near Alexander Sunday.

Saturday afternoon James Atkinson visited Charlie McCullough in Kimbell.

Betty Jean Land visited her Aunt Hettie Lambert of the Miller-ville community.

Mary Frances Lively enjoyed a visit from her Grandmother Doty Sunday.

Bobbie and Marie Ramey enjoyed a week's visit from their sister, Mrs. David Stone, of Mosheim.

FIRST GRADE (Mrs. R. B. Jackson)
Herman Sowell was out of school three days on account of illness.

Grace Adkinson was absent Friday because she was ill.
Fred Ray Nolan visited his Grandmother Russell Sunday.

Garlin Herrin visited his uncle, Ben Herrin, Sunday.
Bobby Joe Kirkland visited his aunt, Essie Green, Sunday.

Minnie Louise Barnett's Grandmother and Grandfather Cheney visited her Sunday.

THIRD GRADE (Miss Spivey)
Naomi and Rufus Strader started to school today. We have 25 children in our room now.

Joan Gollightly went to Fort Worth to see the circus.
Colleen Higgins went to Waco to see the circus.

Jimmie Phillips brought two pot flowers to school for us.
We have our new workbook and we all enjoy working in them.

There were eleven people in our room who made a grade of 100 on their spelling test last Friday.

Betty Fern Pruitt, Don Otis Eakins, Farris Chaney and Bobby Jack Rainwater went visiting during the week end.

Martha Jo Simmons had company the past week end.

SECOND GRADE (Mrs. Rainwater)
Maidie Ash had a birthday party Thursday. Several from our room

attended. They all had a nice time.
Robert Smith has been absent for some time. We hope he will soon be back.

Bertha Jean Connally was ill Monday and was out of school.
Betty Jean Gollightly and Thelma Dean Seay visited in our room Friday.

Maidie Ash visited her Grandmother and Grandfather Chapman in Hamilton Saturday.
Patsy Ruth Meador visited her grandmother Saturday and Sunday.

Mildred Jack Gregory visited her cousins in Iredell the week end.
Billy Gene Paddock visited his grandmother, who lives in Stephenville, last week end.

Glenna Maude Russell visited her Grandmother Russell near Stephenville last week end.

Those who made 100 in Spelling last week were: Wendell Ray Lively, Dean McLarty, Jean McLarty, L. J. Suttis, Billy Cotten, J. W. Connally, Glenna Maude Russell, Bertha Jean Connally, Melvin Jaggars, Patsy Ruth Meador, Donald Ray Davis, Betty June Knight, Helen Palmer, Clynton Loyd Roberson, and Mildred Jack Gregory.

SECOND GRADE (Miss Hollis)
Dorothy Grace Mann visited her Grandmother Ogden near Stephenville Saturday.

Kenneth Wren went to the picnic in Iredell Saturday.
Patricia Ann Roberts was in Stephenville Saturday and Sunday.

Clarice Walker went to the rodeo in Iredell Saturday.
La Verne Parker was out of school two days last week due to the death of her aunt.

Paul Strader started to school Monday, making our total enrollment 29.
Lula Bell Adkison was in Iredell Friday night.

The following pupils made 100 in spelling: Lorea Oakley, Jimmie Hyde, Elson Holley, Jimmie Lee Barnett, Dolores Roberson, Richard Barnett, Dorothy Grace Mann, Jerry Ince, Joan Houston, Billy Howerton, Boyd Ray Phipps, Francene Pruitt, Nelson Ables, Lula Bell Adkison, Clarice Walker, Alton Thornton, Henry Edward Hyles, Fred Spinks and Patricia Ann Roberts.

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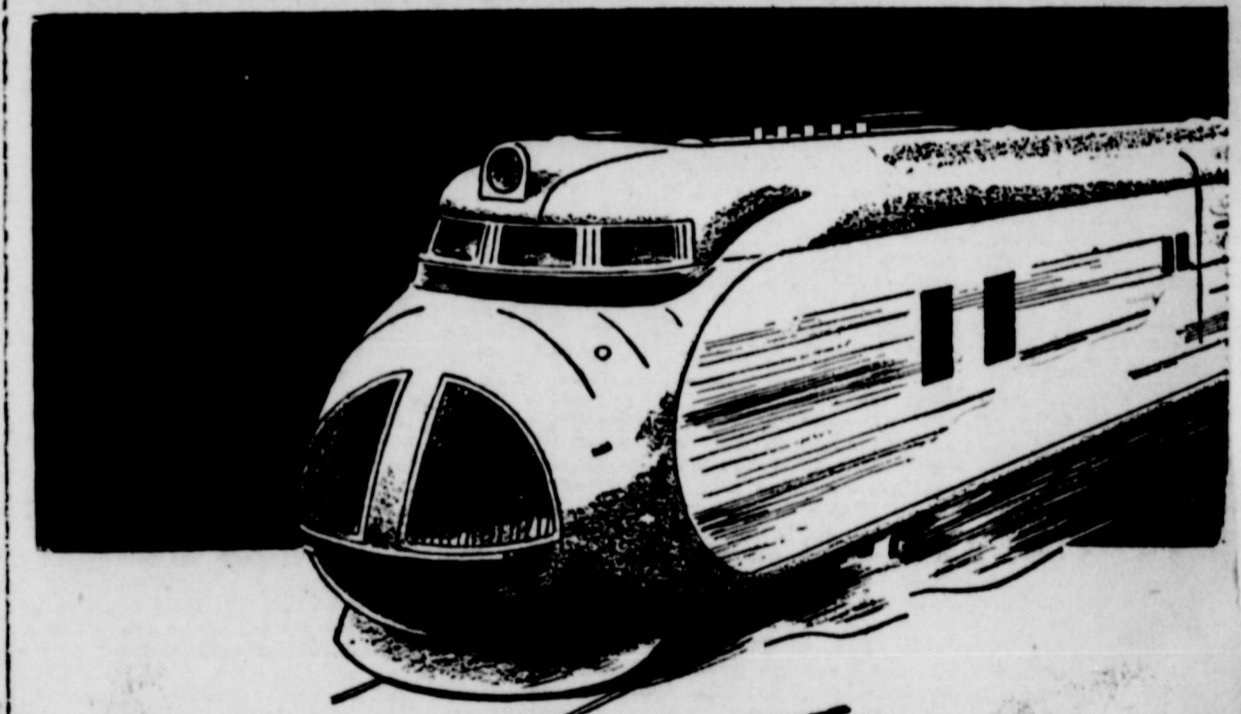
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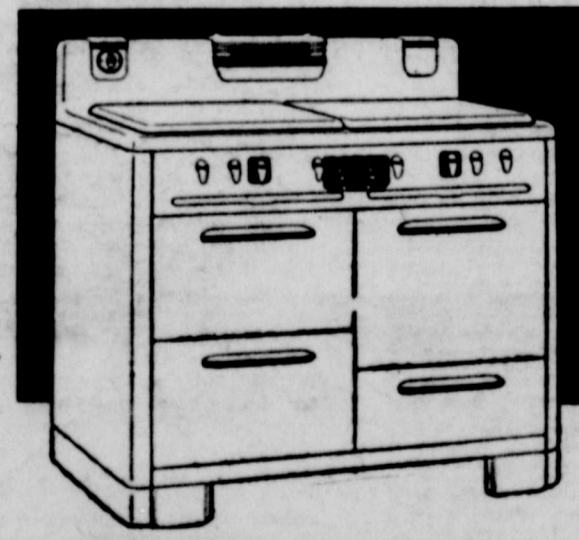
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SCHOOL NEWS

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Always Reach Your Goal
Whatever you may start out in there's always a goal somewhere for you to reach. Never back always struggle for something just a little higher. Sometimes, dear friends, the roads rocky and up-hill, but the best is always the hardest. It seems to be just what the boys of Fairy High are trying to do this year. Here's luck to them. I hope they succeed.

Senior News
The Seniors are looking forward to Halloween very much. We have elected our duke and duchess, and our attendants. Hazel Russell elected duchess. Marvis Simpson duke. Man attendant, Gene Riddle; lady attendant, Estell Edmondson.
We firmly believe that lovely Hazel Russell will be crowned. It just costs one penny to go for her, so if you think the Fairy's beauty, vote for her. Feel quite certain Marvis Simpson will not have any trouble getting votes, as most of the Fairy's think he is the only boy up here.

Junior News
The Junior class has elected its duchess, duke, and two attendants. Frances Cole, duchess; Darwin Hoover, man attendant; Elton Massengale, lady attendant; Nellie B. Brummett.
We hope everyone comes and has a big time that night.

Sophomore News
Halloween is nearly here and most time for spooks and ghosts have elected Morris Russell duke, Joyette Abel as duchess. Mae Coston as lady attendant and Ralph Hedgepeth as man attendant.
You can vote for them for a day or two.

Eighth Grade News
The eighth grade had a meeting Wednesday, Oct. 4, 1932. We elected Peggy Ruth Allison for duchess and Eugene Washam for duke. We also elected Ila Parks for our lady attendant. David Battershell for the man attendant.
The eighth grade have been busy. We have learned twenty poems of poetry, and have thirty more to learn.

Seventh Grade News
Last Friday we were to hand in Geography notebooks. There were three handed in. The others will be in Monday. We elected Pamie Ruth Thompson went to Has Friday to spend the week end. She hasn't gotten back yet. Andrew Loyd is back with us in school again.
Mrs. Dutton got our books to read. That will help make up our points in book reports for English.

Fifth and Sixth Grade News
School is now going on in a big way and everyone is working hard. We are looking forward to our picnic next Spring, although it is a long time off.
We will have our chapel program every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. We would be glad to have some extra attendance.

Third and Fourth Grade News
The third and fourth grades are going to sing "John Jacob Jingle Hammer Stick" on the chapel program Wednesday. The fifth and sixth grades are singing "Turkey on the Straw," with a little dance to it. These songs are under the direction of Miss Bushy, the music teacher.
The first and second grades will perform next Wednesday.

First and Second Grades
The first grade have a new member "The Pet Pony." This is the first book they have taken home. They are reading the "Spot" series at school now. When they read it through then it can be taken home.
The second grade are studying health reading book. They are giving a big interest in keeping the rules. They are planning to see some health posters this week.
Attie Lee Davis has been out of school for a week because of illness.
Porton Parks attended the circus at Waco last week.

Girls' Sport News
The girls had just a little hard work the past week, but we will have a better next time. Last Tuesday night we played Pottsville and were defeated seven to five. The scores were 8 and 15. At Thursday night we went to Pottsville and were defeated again. Tuesday night, Oct. 10, we hope to defeat Evans on our home court. Today (tonight) we plan to go to Pottsville, so everybody be sure to go and yell for Fairy.

Boys' Sport News
The Fairy boys played a Pottsville game on their home court, and defeated 23 to 4, on Tuesday last week. On Thursday we went to Evans and won a game 22 points. The scores were 16 and 12.
Some boys—we'll win county championship yet!

Millerville

By CHAS. W. GIESECKE

A fine rain fell here yesterday. Delayed turnip sowing will begin at once.
Slim Beckett and family spent Sunday in Gatesville visiting his parents and looking for work.
John A. Thornton and sons, Lawrence and J. T., returned from Roscoe last week. The cotton was practically all out.
H. J. Howerton, J. J. Burks, M. E. Giesecke were in Stephentown Tuesday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Teddie Nix and daughter of Bryan were here a short time Sunday. Teddie is attending A. M. this year. He expects to get his degree next spring.
Preston Ludwig of Marshall is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. H. J. Howerton. Press formerly lived here.
J. J. Burks and little daughter has been on the sick list the past few days.
Edward Williams and family were in Gatesville Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives.
Curtis Burks spent Friday night with his brother, Juan. He left Saturday morning for Iredell to visit his brother, Henry, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Austin Giesecke and little daughter of Glen Rose visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, and his brother, C. A. Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land of Stephentown was in our midst Saturday night and Sunday.
C. R. Higginbotham was in Hico Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Higginbotham.

Falls Creek

By LULA MAE COSTON

Mrs. Grimes and daughters and Imogene Jameson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Allen and Mrs. H. G. Coston attended the workers' conference at Olin Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Washam and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Piper and children of Iredell.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark and family of Red Hill visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Morrison and daughter.
Orval Washam of Dallas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Washam.
Andrew Loyd of Dry Fork visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. Bullard.
Miss Lena Mae Jameson of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jameson, and sister, Imogene.
A. O. Allen and David Foust made a business trip to Hamilton Wednesday.
Miss June Malone of Hico and Miss Lela Morgan spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ike Malone of Old Hico.
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jameson were in Glen Rose Sunday.
Mr. Lloyd Bullard came home Saturday from West Texas.
Joe T. Abel of Fairy spent Wednesday night with David Battershell.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Coston and children, Mary Ann and Thomas Ray, of Hico visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Coston and family.
Several from this community attended the rodeo at Iredell last week.
Grady Coston visited in the home of Uncle Ed Coston of West Point Thursday night.
Those who visited in the home of Mrs. W. W. Foust Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. Foust of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lawrence of Gum Branch, Mr. and Mrs. H. Walker of Duffau, Mr. and Mrs. W. Williamson and son, L. E., of Hico, and Mrs. Jim Rainwater of Old Hico.
Mrs. Bob Brown and daughter, Martha Clara, of Gatesville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Allen, last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coston and daughter, Virginia, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Russell and daughter, Mary Frances, of Fairy Tuesday night.

Carlton

By CORRESPONDENT

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roberson of New Mexico are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dock Morgan and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Caudle and daughter, Imogene, of Edgewood and Rosser Caudle of Evoka, and Mrs. Fred Askew of Alexander are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Caudle, Uncle Beryl, as most people call him, is very sick at this writing. We are hoping Uncle Beryl will soon recover.
Mr. and Mrs. Walker Curry were Hamilton visitors Saturday afternoon.
Mrs. Truman Smith and daughter of Hamilton spent Friday night with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. John Henry Clark and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wright of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wright and family.
Mrs. Page Barnett is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leon Rainwater, and family of Brady.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curry and children of Blanket spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Dock Morgan and family.
Mrs. N. A. Turney and daughter, Mrs. Dale Finney, were Dublin shoppers Friday afternoon.
Wilford Hickman has been visiting in the Kunkel home the past week in Marlin.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roach visited their daughter, Mrs. Bert Chastaine and husband of Stephentown last week.
Mrs. E. G. Thompson and son, Deard, and family visited a while Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Thompson of near Lamkin.
Miss Virginia Muncy of Hamilton is visiting Misses Lola B. and Ruby Lackey the past few days.
Mr. and Mrs. George Williamson and daughters, Isaline, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Morgan were Hamilton visitors Saturday afternoon.
Mrs. Jim Pierce and Mrs. Luther Caudle and daughter, Imogene, and Mrs. Bill Williams were in Hamilton Friday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hickman and daughter were in Stephentown last week visiting Mrs. Hickman's sister, Mrs. W. L. Appley, and husband.
Mrs. Hobdy Thompson and children and Misses Vonceil and Margaret Wright were Dublin shoppers Friday afternoon.
Milton Askew of Fort Worth spent Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Caudle.
Harold Beadles of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Beadles of Dallas spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Laura Beadles, and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thomas of Grand Prairie spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie White and family.
Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett Jr. and son, Barton, of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Styles and baby of Silvertown; and Miss Fay Overby, with several other members of the McLendon family, were in Hamilton transacting business.
K. R. Jenkins and family are attending the Christian meeting at Hico this week.
We are glad to welcome some new neighbors. A Mr. Lively and family of Hog Jaw have moved to the Bryant place.
Mrs. Forrest Todd and son, Jack, were afternoon guests of Mrs. Walter Pruitt and son, Winfred, near Prairie Springs Sunday.
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Gilmore

By MRS. RUBY JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McLendon and daughter, Mariene, were dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. Dade Houser, and Mr. Houser near Hico Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Clepper and children returned to their home at Gatesville Sunday after a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Seay, and other relatives.
Ole Pingleton and family were visiting their son, Arthur, and family at Stephentown Sunday.
Earl Patterson carried his wife to Clifton Sunday for a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Duke.
Lee Roy Hathcock and wife, accompanied by Charlie Tolliver and wife, were attending the Iredell Fair Saturday night.
St. Johnson accompanied I. E. Johnson and wife and Hubert Johnson and wife to Hamilton Monday on business.
Mrs. W. A. McLendon of Fort Worth spent Sunday night with her son, Leonard, and wife. On Monday Leonard and his mother, with several other members of the McLendon family, were in Hamilton transacting business.
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Mrs. Newell Russell who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Seay, for several days, returned to her home on Honey Creek last week.

IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS STULLA JONES, Local Correspondent

Mrs. Ralph Wingren and Susie of Burnet came in Wednesday night for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. Mr. Wingren and Bobbie came after them Sunday.
Born to Rev. and Mrs. Paxton Smith in the Cleburne hospital, a daughter on Oct. 3. The baby weighed 9 3/4 pounds and is named Sylvia. They came home Sunday.
Mrs. Farmer, who lives north of town, spent Wednesday here.
Mr. Sam Henderson of Mathis is here.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones and grandson, Ed Vernon Jones, of Fort Worth spent the week end here with relatives.
Mrs. Kimmings and son of Meridian visited here with friends Thursday night.
Mr. and Mrs. McCombs of Kiowa, Kansas, spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Simpson. Mrs. McCombs is the former Miss Mollie Stacy. Her many friends were glad to see her.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Poinac and children of Dallas spent the week end here. His mother, who spent the week with them, returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williamson and two small children of Womack visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, this week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Lundberg of Moshem spent the week end here.
Miss Wilna Blue spent a few days in Walnut Springs the past week and Wednesday she accompanied some friends to Waco where she took the circus in.
Miss Dorothy Nell Tillinghast of near Carlton spent the week end here with friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Golden of near Valley Mills spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Golden.
Mrs. Berns and children spent the week end in Cleburne with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conner.
Mrs. Deatherage is visiting relatives in Cleburne.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Oakley and daughter have returned from a trip to Denver, Colo.
Allen Dawson returned Saturday from Glen Rose where he took treatment for two weeks. His sisters, Mrs. Scales and Mrs. McAden went after him.
Mrs. M. Little and daughter, Wanda, were in Waco Saturday.

The rodeo and amusement company that was here all week had large crowds every night. On Saturday the stock was judged and some were given the blue ribbons and red ribbons. The best were given money. The horses and mules were brought on the streets Saturday afternoon were led by the Iredell Band. All enjoyed the parade of the beautiful stock. They went from here to Glen Rose.
Mr. Tymer, who was sent here to be station agent, got very ill and returned home Tuesday night. Mr. Brooks of Moran was ordered to return and he returned Wednesday afternoon.
Mrs. Savage of Granbury came in Monday night, Oct. 2, and will be supervisor at the sewing room here.
Mrs. Levisay, the second grade teacher, spent the week end at her home in Blanket.
Mrs. Elijah Jackson of Carlton was here Monday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Call, also of Carlton.
A fine rain fell here Monday afternoon, which will be a great deal of help.

Altman

By MRS. J. H. MCANELLY

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Partain of Possum Kingdom Dam visited her mother, Mrs. S. C. Railroad, Saturday night and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson of Valley Mills were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and children and Miss Creola McPherson visited Mr. and Mrs. Lovell McPherson and sons near Carlton a while Tuesday evening.
Mrs. S. C. Railroad and son, Sam, were Dublin visitors Wednesday afternoon.
The Blue Bonnet Club met Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 4, with Mrs. J. H. McAnnelly, with eight members present. The ladies pieced on a quilt, Grapejuice and devil's food cake were served.
Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McPherson and daughter, Creola, and R. W. Bingham were Hico visitors Friday afternoon.
Mrs. Pearly Sharp and daughter, Letilda, of Carlton visited her brother, H. G. Cozby, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maribel Phillips of Hico spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Otis Oldham.
Misses Mary Wright and Muriel Martin of Meridian spent Sunday night here.
Mrs. Dorothy Clepper and Dorothy Rae and Harold spent the week end in Dallas.
Mrs. James Wyche spent Monday in Dallas.
Mrs. Walter Newman and son, Travis, spent the week end in Dallas with her daughter, Mrs. Tom Bryan.
Jim Davis is reported to be ill. Mr. Perry drove the school bus for him Monday.
Ray Tidwell and John L. Tidwell served on the jury in court at Meridian this week.
Mr. Mayfield and Miss Glover of Louisiana came in Monday for a visit to Miss Martha Glover.
Miss Mittie Gordon had one of her eyes operated on Sunday at the Stephentown Hospital.
Mr. Joel Hudson visited his brother, William Hudson, at Waco Friday, who is ill. He was accompanied by his brother, George, of Walnut Springs.
Mr. and Mrs. Laswell spent Sunday in Stephentown with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cavett.
Mr. and Mrs. Woffard of Yorktown spent a few days here with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woffard.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Copeland and family of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. G. McDonel.
Mrs. William Oldham, Mrs. Rilla Tidwell and Miss Kathryn Oldham were in Stephentown Friday.
Mrs. R. S. Echols and son, Billy, were in Stephentown Sunday.

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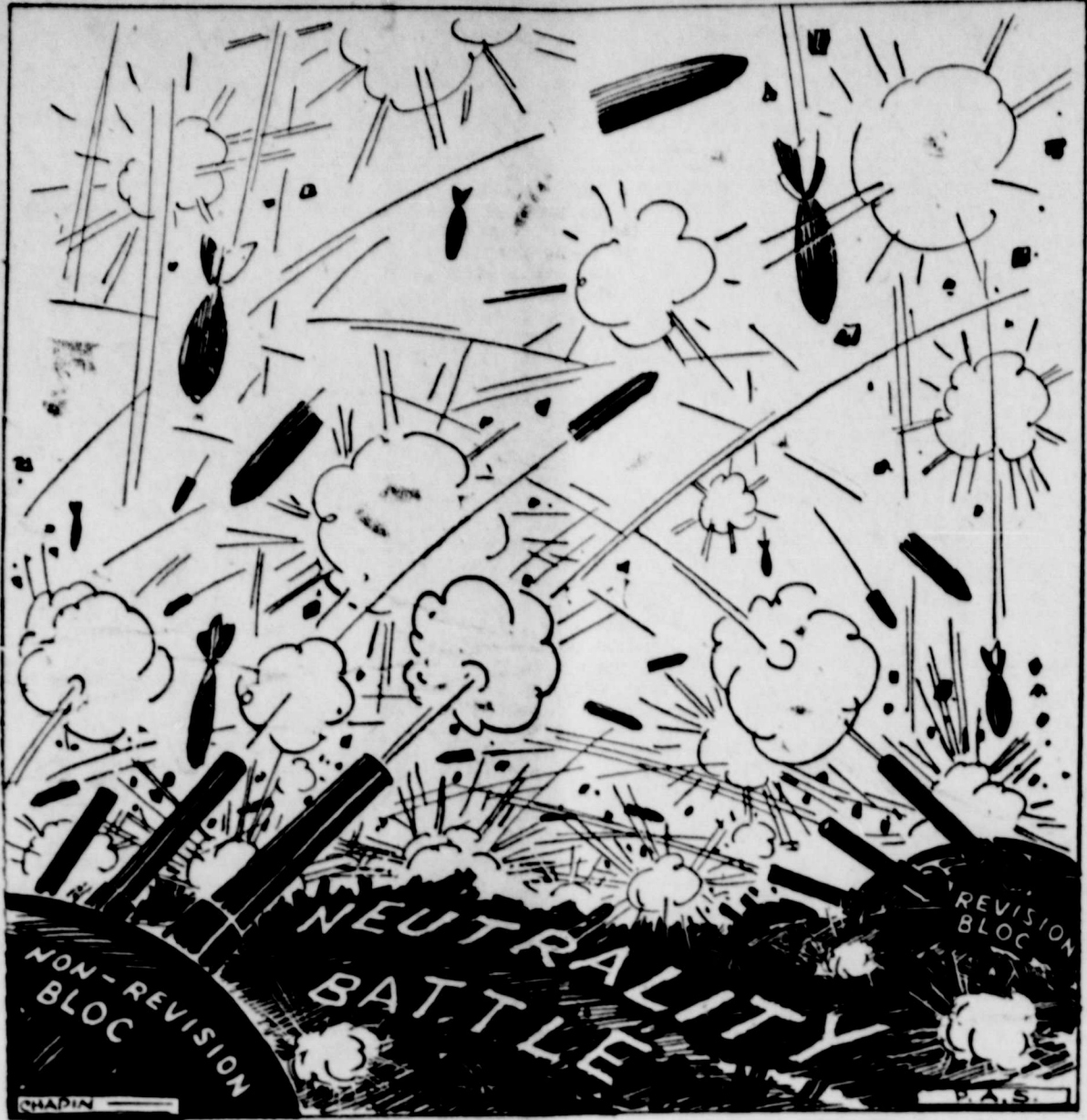
The Temptation of Jesus. Lesson for October 15. Matthew 4:1-11. Golden Text: Hebrews 4:15.

The several temptations of Jesus were similar to those that come to us. Material things tempt men now. There are men who compromise to get on in the world.

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War On The Home Front



THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, Oct. 9.—President Roosevelt, in his address at the opening of the special session of Congress which is considering his proposal to repeal the embargo against the sale of weapons and ammunition to any nation at war, appealed to the Senators and Representatives, and inferentially to the people of the nation, to approach the subject in a non-partisan spirit.

heed to the President's appeal for "the adjournment of partisanship" so long as the present European crisis lasts.

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Local Happenings

Little of Sweetwater visitors here Tuesday.

Parks of Temple was a visitor here Tuesday.

SHOP, Jewelry, Watch, Clock Repairing. 14-tc.

Phillips, mayor of Iredell, business visitor in Hico.

Willie Platt is spending week in Waco with her son, Platt, and family.

Gorman of Brownwood business visitor here Monday Tuesday.

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Herbert Tidwell and son, of Hamilton were guests of Mrs. George Tabor and Mr. Lois, Sunday.

Helping Hand Class of the Church will have a food at 14 at Barrow Furniture

John Rusk left Sunday for to spend the week with her daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rusk.

John L. Moore of Gatesville here visiting her parents, Mrs. C. C. Christopher, other, Claud.

Mrs. Fred Leeth and Mrs. Ila Dee and Allie Dee, several days here this week relatives.

Carl, and Miss Ana Loué and Anson Vinson are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. Handy and daughter, W.

Hopper of Stephenville, manager of the Gulf Telephone Company, was Monday on business at the office.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor announces his purpose to begin a series of sermons on the Ten Commandments. The commandment, "Thou shalt not have other gods before me," discussed next Sunday evening, Oct. 15th, at 7:30. Arrangement of the topics in the series will be made from time to time on account of the convention at San Antonio. Place will be announced later.

Rev. Swindell also stated good session of the monthly meeting of Hamilton was held at Olin Monday. Annual minutes of the association will be off the press this afternoon, according to a statement of the association clerk. The Nominating Workers' Meeting will be on Monday after the third one week later than the time on account of the convention at San Antonio. Place will be announced later.

Miss Mayo and Jack Hollis and Mrs. J. C. Loney were visitors in Gorman Sunday.

Dry storage for meats now available at Bell Ice & Dairy Products Company. 20-2c.

Howard Jordan of Cranfills Gap and Adrian Burden left Tuesday for Waco, from where they will go to California to enter service in the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shelton and little daughter, Sue, of Pecos, spent from Friday until Sunday here with Mrs. Shelton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Randals.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCarty and daughter, Sylvia, Mrs. J. Frank Hobbs and son, John, and D. F. McCarty, Jr., all of Abilene were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty, Sr.

SOCIETY
Three Gandy Brothers Honored At Celebration.
The three Gandy brothers were honored with a birthday dinner at the Coleman Park when members of the family from various points over the State met for the occasion. A beautiful two-tiered birthday cake was served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wilcox and daughter, Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wilcox and son, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hammett and Bruce Gandy, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Swinson and daughter, Avoca; Mrs. Katherine McClasland, Paris; Mrs. Jimmie Jamison, T. M. Gandy and children, Sonny, Billy Jack and Edna Ruth, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gandy and daughters, Rita and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Gandy and son, and Miss Mary Gandy, Hico.

Helping Hand Class Met With Mrs. B. B. Gamble
The Helping Hand Class met at the home of Mrs. B. B. Gamble Tuesday, October 10, in a regular social and business meeting. At the business hours new officers for the year were elected.

The new officers are: President, Mrs. Gamble; vice president, Mrs. A. T. McFadden; secretary, Mrs. J. B. Russell; treasurer, Mrs. Bess Warren.

A delightful social hour was spent with Mrs. J. C. Barrow as co-hostess with Mrs. Gamble. Present were the following: Mmes. Annie Waggoner, H. B. Smith, Carrie Malone, John Lackey, Sim Everett, A. T. McFadden, A. L. Ford, Mae Hollis, John Haines, Bess Warren, J. B. Russell, Julius Jones, and Miss Dora Lackey.

HICO TIGERS
Meet Eleven From De Leon High Tonight At De Leon
The Hico High School Tigers emerged from a 12-0 defeat dealt by the Hamilton Bulldogs Friday night and plunged into stiff practice to prepare for their game with De Leon tonight (Friday) at De Leon.

The probable starting line-up includes: Needham, 140 pounds, at left end; Beckett, 190 pounds, at left tackle; French, 150 pounds, at left guard; Massengale, 165 pounds, at center; Marshall, 145 pounds, at right guard; Ables, 196 pounds, at right tackle; Polk, 150 pounds, at right end; Pontremoli, 145 pounds, at quarterback; Lynch, 140 pounds, at left half; Bradford, 140 pounds, at right half; and Brown, 172 pounds, at fullback.

De Leon lost to Dublin last week 20-7 in her first conference game. Hico previously dropped a conference game to Dublin 60-0. The band, which now boasts 68 members, is making rapid progress under the directorship of Leonard Smith, recently elected to fill a vacancy resulting from the resignation of R. J. Kluge, and preparations are being made for that entire organization to accompany the team to De Leon to provide additional thrills and color to the game.

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JENNIE MAE

Judge Shelton is looking for a chauffeur. One ride with a client has proved too much for his customary composure. Judge was a bit wary in the first place about riding with the gentleman, but finally consented in the interests of business and good fellowship. When they reached the crest of a hill on some country lane, killed the engine and started rolling back. Judge wished he had taken out more life insurance of the kind which he sells. He said he took the first two posts they hit on the way down sort of matter-of-factly, but decided that was enough. He wouldn't go a third, so he got out and wouldn't re-enter until he had walked back up the hill.

Mrs. Willie Platt decided a long time ago that she never intended to grow old. And she has kept that promise to herself. Only last week she planned a visit to Waco to the home of her son, D. A. Platt, but wouldn't let him come after her because she was afraid the trip would be too hard on him or that some accident might befall him. So she took the bus. Although Mrs. Platt had thirteen children, six of whom are living, she has only nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Louisiana, where she was reared is a fine place, she says, but nothing compares with Hico.

Forgetting our cares for the week end we hied over to Dallas to help the big shots open their State Fair. We graciously added the vokal atmosphere by gaping at the wonders in the true hill-billy manner, although we did refrain from pointing. Saturday was opening day—and Press Day. We reported about mid-morning at the press headquarters and received tickets for the luncheon for newspaper people—along with about 700 others who crowded the Hico Ritz gardens at noon. After a hurried tour of the grounds we were guests of the Fair association for the North Dallas-Sunset High football game, with the added attraction of between-half maneuvers by the snappy band and pep aggregations of the two schools. Came night with the beautiful lighting effects flooding the buildings and grounds and the curtain rising on the main Fair attraction in the State Fair Auditorium, the "Folies Bergere."

Beautiful dancers, good vaudeville acts, gorgeous costumes and elaborate stage setting all make the "Folies" a very entertaining show. There's Mlle. Corinne, the apple dancer of the 1936 Centennial, very artistic and Frenchy even though some smart alek did dig up the fact that she was born in or near Kaufman, Texas. Mlle. Corinne does a little number with her lately-acquired partner, Senor Tito Valdez, that the critics say was inspired by some part of the Bible. Other Folies acts feature three cyclists who do a neat job of trick bicycle riding; a xylophone Sanborn who besides knowing all the answers can really tap off tunes; a man of incredible strength who makes a pansy out of Pop Eye; and Emile Boreo, a dialect song-and-dance man, who gets his share of applause with the "Dance of the Wooden Soldier." One little artistic endeavor which we believed was not appreciated as it should have been was the dance of the snake and her flute-playing charmer. Although eerie, the whole idea and execution of the dance was perfect. The curtain is drawn on a stage, dark except for a dim spotlight, revealing the scaly outline of the snake entwined around the shadowy form of the flute player. While he charms with his shrill high notes, the huge reptile glides around his body from head to foot with apparently no effort at all, then slides along the floor as if both were greased. The climax is reached when the charm is broken and the snake coils around her prey, crushing him to death, and they fall in a ghastly heap. Maybe we ARE warped, but what artistic sense we have goes for snakes.

La VERNE SAVAGE
To Be Heard With Tarleton Group Saturday Morning Over Radio

La Verne Savage of Hico will be heard in a radio program over WBAF Saturday morning, Oct. 14, at 9 a. m. At this time the Tarleton Singers, a mixed choral group of sixty voices, will broadcast the first of a series of programs from the stage of the Tarleton College Auditorium in Stephenville.

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News of the World Told In Pictures

War Games



LONDON... This British family is shown playing a game of dominoes in their air raid shelter during a recent air raid drill alarm.

New REA Administrator Takes Office



WASHINGTON, D. C. . . . Former Undersecretary of the Interior Harry Slattery, recently appointed Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration, shown receiving the congratulations of Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace (left), and Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes (right).

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JOE GISH



IF WE ALL DRESSED TO MATCH OUR MENTALITIES, A LOT OF US WOULD LOOK LIKE TRAMPS...

New Legion Queen



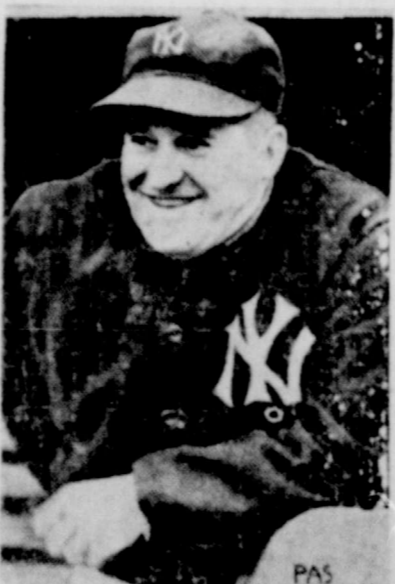
CHICAGO . . . As the new queen of American Legion Drum Major-ettes, Miss Helen Warden, 16, of Bluefield, West Va., selected from sixty-four contestants, was a headliner in the big parade during the convention here.

Leads French Forces



FRANCE . . . Here is the man who commands the French Army in the war against Nazi Germany. He is General Maurice - Gustave Gamelin, 67, who served on the staff with General Joffre in the last war.

Behind the Yanks



NEW YORK . . . The McCarthy victory smile. Marce Joe, Yankee manager, is shown in the Yankee dugout during the world series here.

Belgium Mans Her Frontiers



BELGIUM-GERMAN FRONTIER . . . Belgian troops at a border post manning a machine-gun screened by trees. Belgian border forces are reported keeping alert watch following rumors that Germany was massing troops near the juncture of the German, Netherland, and Belgian frontiers.

German Troops Cross A River



SOMEWHERE IN EUROPE . . . Nazi troops shown using a collapsible boat to cross a river during recent advances. This photo was received by way of London, after being passed by the British censor.

England's Women Do Their Bit



LONDON, England . . . These mannishly garbed English women are members of the Auxiliary Fire Service, seen parading.

Part of the Record Neutrality Mail



WASHINGTON . . . Senator Guy M. Gillette of Iowa, shown with part of his mail which has been averaging 10,000 letters daily. On the left is Charles Bender, a clerk, helping open the mail. Ninety per cent of the letters are against altering the present Neutrality Act, Senator Gillette stated.

Before Machine Guns



NEW YORK CITY . . . Richard Archbold, research associate of the American Museum of Natural History, holding a war-club, part of a collection of Stone Age relics gathered during a recent expedition in New Guinea.

The Winnah!



"Mr. Junior America" was the title that went to fifteen-month-old Jimmie Giegerich, of Atlantic City, at the annual Ventnor City, N. J., baby pageant. He weighs 38 pounds and his diet is mostly milk and chopped spinach.

Home From Europe



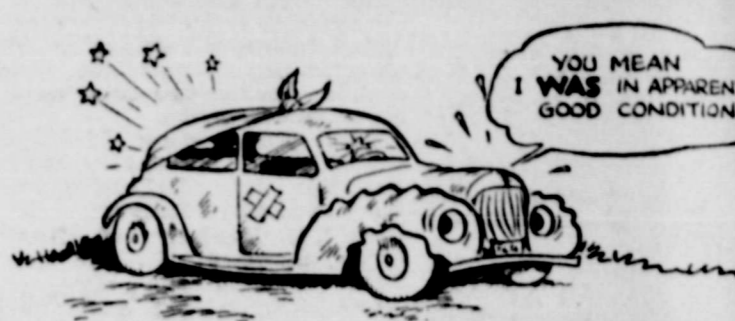
NEW YORK, N. Y. . . . J. Marshall Gaffney, Jr., age nine months, is shown aboard the United States liner Washington, in the bureau drawer in which he made the trip from war-torn Europe, recently.

Landon and Knox Discuss Neutrality Problem



CHICAGO, Ill. . . . Former Governor Alfred M. Landon discussed with Frank Knox, Chicago publisher, his idea that Congress should remain in session for the duration of the war crisis. Landon, left, and Knox, right, are shown with Hill Blackett, Illinois National Republican Committeeman.

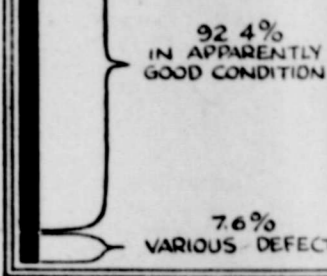
Mental, Not Mechanical Defects Cause Accidents



Of all automobiles involved in fatal accidents in 1938, only 1.9% were found to have defective brakes; in fact, only 7.6% were found to have any mechanical defects at all. These astounding figures are found in an analysis of the automobile accident experience of 1938 just issued by the Travelers Insurance Company.

Many drivers, if they will be honest, can usually trace the cause of an accident to some failure of their own mental or temperamental equipment rather than in their mechanical equipment, the analysis states. They will insist that the steering wheel locked, or that the gas pedal stuck, or that the brakes failed; but figures indicate that more than 80% of all vehicles involved in fatal and non-fatal smashups are in apparently good mechanical condition with none of the numerous defects that drivers claim.

Of a total of 37,250 motor vehicles involved in fatal accidents in



1938, only 2,820 were found to have any mechanical defects at all. Out of more than a million involved in non-fatal smashups, only about 58,000 were found to have defects.

Defective conditions that were found, in the order of their importance, were: defective brake puncture or blowout, one or both headlights out, faulty steering mechanism, tail-light out or obscured, and glaring headlights.

"Safety with Light" Awards Made



Members of the Long Beach Junior Chamber of Commerce which won highest award in the national "Safety with Light" Program, plot survey of their city's night traffic accidents. Survey disclosed that nine fat streets in Long Beach accounted for 70% of all night accidents.

Surveys Stress Darkness Hazard: Lighting for Safety Urged

CHICAGO—First place in the national "Safety with Light" Program, launched in March, 1939 by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, has been awarded to Long Beach, California, it has just been officially announced. Other national award winners were Denver, Colorado, and Dallas, Texas, which tied for second place, with San Francisco and Chicago at their heels. Des Moines, Iowa, Gary, Indiana, and Greeley, Colorado, also received recognition for outstanding activities.

The program conducted among its 600 member organizations throughout the country, already actively participated in by Junior Chambers of Commerce in 43 cities, is designed to eliminate the increasing traffic deaths due to inadequate visibility after dark and to the fact that street lighting in most cities today is 20 years out of date and not adapted to modern traffic.

The eight cities winning awards and the other 35 cities which conducted "Safety with Light" programs all made extensive use of the free material supplied by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, including educational literature, car cards, films, billboards, etc.

Important in the "Safety with Light" programs were the Fatal Street Surveys which revealed thousands of individual accident records in the competing cities. So revealing were these surveys that Junior Chambers of Commerce were able to make recommendations for the installation of safety lighting on the specific basis of local records. In many cases, city officials requested that such a survey be made part of the Chamber annual program.

For example, Junior Chamber surveys showed excess night accidents and fatalities cost Long Beach, California a total of \$9,875,000 per year, or an average of \$4,880 per mile of streets. Nine thousand eight hundred and seventy-five accidents accounted for 70% of all night accidents. Twice as many night fatalities as day fatalities occurred on Long Beach Streets, despite the fact that only one-quarter of the traffic moves on them after dark.

The survey of the Denver Junior Chamber of Commerce revealed two particularly fatal streets representing only 14% of the total street mileage but accounting for more than 13% of all night accidents in Denver. In sixteen months on one street alone, five people were killed at night—none were killed in the daytime. Fifteen streets in Dallas, Texas, accounted for 35% of all of the city's night accidents. And so, in the case of each of the cities conducting surveys, the imposing hazard of after-dark traffic was uncovered.

The national "Safety with Light" program has received such high praise from safety organization governmental bureaus, and individuals, that it will be intensified during the year 1939-1940. It is expected that at least 200 Junior Chambers of Commerce will undertake active programs.

TOMORROW'S PROMISE

by Temple Bailey



Chapter VI

Synopsis
Orday, nineteen, is when she realizes that with her mother, Elinor, and both her beautiful and her father, Francis, she and Garry Brooks are making coffee over a meadow—a charming who gives his name Charles. After Anne has Charles, through a second window in Anne's house, something from a dressing room morning Anne misses in and Garry Brooks suggest the stranger took them, to be Charles Patterman, Margot, is bringing divorce charges him. He tells Vicky, companion, while recuperating an injury at Anne's hat he believes he saw Elinor admits her guilt, promises to get the pearls pawnbroker where Elinor taken them and persuades not to investigate.

ON WITH THE STORY had written: "I am going tonight—with David. I Francis, so I'm not com- The pawn tickets and are in my desk. Some day you the money. You will er Anne, Vicky? I'm not cept about Anne. I love

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ill you explain it all to you'd do it. Tell her them in an unexpected was grim. "It was unex- ight, so I shan't be Vicky played out the lit- with Charles aiding and her. She found Anne in average of \$4- ayed the length of glim- hteness Anne said, "Oh, ere in the world did you unexpected place." n happens that way." es. "One looks and looks suddenly things turn up evilly spirit had whisked ay and put them back

Anne was philosophical. "Well, anyhow, I'm glad they weren't stolen."
And Charles, with a vision upon him of that thief in rose-color, changed the subject. "I'm leaving tomorrow," he told Vicky.
"Oh, surely not!"
"Yes, I must not impose too long on your hospitality."
Anne said, "You're not imposing, is he, Vicky?"
"No. There's a perfectly good week end ahead of you, Mr. Patterman. Why not spend it with us?"
His smiling eyes went from Vicky to Anne. "I'm afraid."
"Of course."
"Of you."
"Of me?"
"Yes. When you came to me in that moonlit meadow, it did something to me."
Color flamed in her cheeks. "If you really meant that, it would be nice."
"Nice? Isn't there a bigger word for it than that?"

It's this way, Anne. I've found someone else. What has happened has happened. But I won't take all the blame. Your father is no better than I—venomously—"only he has not been quite honest about it."
"It's true, my darling," Francis said hastily. "Our world isn't your world. But we love you."
Anne, frozen with horror, managed to say, "I thought when people married it was—forever."
Out of a dead silence Francis said, "Don't judge us too harshly."
"I'm not judging." He was standing close to her and she turned and hid her face against his shoulder. When at last she raised her head it was to ask with a note of desperation, "What are you going to do about me?"
Elinor hesitated. "We had thought you might like to go away with Vicky for a time and make up your mind about us."
"Make up my mind?"
"Yes. Whether you will live



"I thought when people married it was—forever."

"What word?"
"Heavenly."
Vicky interposed. "Am I supposed to be listening?"
"Of course."
"Then I might suggest that this is rather strong wine for Anne's little head."
Charles laughed and Anne laughed with him. It was all very lighthearted and on the surface but Anne, dressing that night for her mirror. Did he, she wondered, mean it? But he couldn't. He was married.
She did not see him alone again, but when the next morning he had gone she found a note on her dresser:
"This is my real good-bye, my dear. I shall not see you again. I am tarred with a brush which must not smudge you. But at night when I sleep under the stars I shall look up and see you shining, too far away for me to reach, but giving always a lovely light."
With her heart beating wildly she went to bed. What did it matter, she asked herself, if he were married? He would worship afar off. Like Dante and Beatrice. It would be wonderful to think of Charles as Dante.

To Anne, dressing for a ride on the morning after Charles' departure, was brought a message from her mother. She was to come at once to the library.
Hurrying down, she found both of her parents waiting. She kissed her father, then her mother. "Why did you get up so early, darling?"
"I've been up all night." Elinor was lighting a cigarette and her hand trembled. "Anne, we have something to tell you."
The fears that had assailed Anne in the garden swept back upon her. She looked from her mother to her father. "What is it, Daddy?"
When Francis had spoken Anne stood very still, the color drained from her face. For the thing that her father told her was this—that he and his wife would no longer live together.
"Do you mean there's to be a divorce, Daddy?"
"Yes."
Elinor interposed. "We may as well tell her the truth, Francis." He lifted his hand impatiently. "Why weigh her down with it?"
"She'll have to know sometime."

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with me until I get my divorce? Or go with your father? He insists upon my staying here until everything is settled."
To Anne it seemed in that moment as if her father and mother had receded from the foreground of her life where she had always placed them, to some dark region where her mind could not follow.
She murmured unsteadily, "I love you both and now I've got to give you up."
Her father said sharply, "Give us up?"
"Yes. When I go with Vicky I shan't come back. I shan't come back—ever."
As she went away Elinor and Francis stared at each other. This was what they had done! This was their punishment: that the daughter whom they adored would have none of them.
Yet when the moment of separation came, Anne wept in Francis' arms and clung to her mother. "Can't we all go back," she wailed. "Just as we were? Can't we?"
And Francis said, "Can't we, Elinor?"
"No. Not even for her sake."
So Anne said farewell to all the happy things which had belonged to her girlhood and went by motor to the Eastern shore. There, in a low rambling farmhouse, lived Vicky's parents with their three daughters. There were two sons, older than Vicky, married, with farms of their own and with children growing up about them. When they were all assembled at the Hewitt homestead, John Hewitt, the father, seemed a patriarch among them.

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The contrast between life on the farm—so warm, so flowing, so flexible—and the artificialities from which she had come, seemed to Anne amazing. Why couldn't all families be like this? Elinor's tension, Francis' surface composure with a volcano boiling beneath, David's surrender of his ideals, the glitter and brittleness of people like the Dorays. Were they not all puppets pulled by a string?
"What makes the difference?" she demanded of Vicky.
"Well, perhaps it's because my family believes in things," Vicky said. "Your people don't. They live for sensations. For excitements." "I shall never go back," Anne declared.
Vicky wrote to Francis: "Let her alone for a time. You are a part of something that has hurt her dreadfully. But she loves you and misses you. Be very sure of that. It was her love that made the truth so painful."
(To Be Continued)

Greyville
By NELLIE V. MULLINS
Miss Imogene Patterson was a recent visitor of Miss Estelle Herring of Hico.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins and daughter, Nellie, visited a while Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Greer of Olin.
Mr. Haskell Lambert visited a few days in Lubbock this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hicks of Dry Fork.
Mrs. Curtis Hartin of Hamilton was a week-end visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bolton, and children.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wilson, a daughter, Tuesday, October 2. She has been given the name Wilma Kay. Mrs. Wilson was the former Miss Bana Clepper.
We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Beene into our community. They have moved to the place vacated by Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks.
Mrs. Leland Johnson and children and Mrs. Tom Johnson visited awhile Saturday with Mrs. Irene Ables of Hico.
Mrs. William Hicks of Dry Fork spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bolton.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and daughter, Donnie Nell, of Olin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks.
Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lambert and daughter, Dorothy Joy, of near Fairly and Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Lambert of this community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Lambert.
"Contact Your Aggie Day" is Friday at Texas State College for Women. The maintenance this fall of a regular amateur radio station for the purpose of handling "free of charge" messages makes communication with boys at Texas A. & M. a simple process for girls at the sister school. Not limited to nearby collegiate stations, however, the TSCW amateur set has a power span which reaches to Australia, Hawaii, and even the Orient.

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By MRS. W. C. ROGERS
A nice rain fell in this section Monday evening, ending a drought of about six weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Ewin Sumrall and son, Jimmy Ray, of Indian Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Warren and daughter of Fort Worth were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McElroy.
Mrs. Hugh Koonsman visited her mother and sister, Mrs. Nat Connolly and Miss Edna, of Hico Friday night and Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Carlie Trimble of Duffau and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis and daughter, Vera Lee, of Greyville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vincent.
Miss Mayo Hollis of Hico and Mrs. J. C. Laney made a business trip to Gorman Sunday.
Miss Margarette Lewis of Hico spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vincent.
Master Duane Wolfe of Clairette spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. H. Koonsman.
Mr. Hugh Koonsman was in Fort Worth on business Monday.

Driver Reunion
Several of the Driver children, nieces and nephews met at the Wolfe roadside park Sunday, October 8, to celebrate birthdays of all who were born in October, of which there were about ten. Well filled baskets were brought and dinner was served picnic style. The following children and families and friends were present: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Driver and children, Helen, Doris, Morris, Lynn and Gladys, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Driver and son, Winfred, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hinton and daughter, Ruth and Ruby, and friend, Pruitt Jackson, of Marthal Gap; Mr. and Mrs. Norval Robertson and daughters, June and Joan, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Driver and son, Buddle, of Johnsonville; Miss Amanda Driver and friend, Mr. John Chisholm, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bramblett and children, Juanita, Billie Wayne and Elvis, and friend, Miss Winnie Moore, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Burnett, Evergreen; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Driver and children, Nick, Donald and Nora Mae, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bright and son, Keith, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Driver and daughters, Willadean and Erlene, Stephenville.
Everyone had a good time and the honorees received many good wishes for many more happy occasions like this one.

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By HAZEL COOPER

Mrs. Joe Shoup spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Laney, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCoy and Will Flanary, John Cooper and Bud Dotson were in Stephenville Thursday.

Almost everyone around here has been attending the rodeo at Iredell the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Campbell of Cottonwood spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Arthur Phillips and family.

Walter Foster and Edwin Laney of Rough Creek visited Jess McCoy and John Cooper Thursday.

Mrs. Lillie Craig visited in the J. M. Cooper home Tuesday.

Mrs. Charlie Knutson is here on an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Mingus.

Mrs. Ola Mingus and daughter, Mrs. Charline Knutson, spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Mollie Graves.

Misses Mary Katherine and Eloise Craig spent awhile with Flora McCoy Saturday morning.

Robert Graves visited Roy Henry Burks Saturday afternoon.

Misses Iva and Viola Hanshaw, who work at Stephenville, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hanshaw.

Rev. Dehart filled his regular appointment at this place. Several attended services.

To Attend Convention

Denton, Oct. 12.—Albert Brown of Hico is a member of the 50-piece Texas Future Farmers of America Band which will visit on the campus of the North Texas State Teachers College Oct. 12-15 before boarding a special train for the National PFA Convention, to be held in Kansas City.

According to H. G. Rylander, instructor in vocational agriculture in the Teachers College Demonstration School and state director of the band, PFA bandmen from 42 towns over the state will be assembled at Denton. They will be entertained in Denton homes, through the courtesy of the Denton Chamber of Commerce and will hold rehearsals on the Denton campus.

Because Japan is busy fighting China she doesn't have time to make Japanese lanterns anymore, so the traditional Lantern Parade at Texas State College for Women was held this year for the first time in college history with only a sprinkling of lights to show new students around the campus and into the life of the school.

Lost: One horse and wagon. John Sparks of Waco told police Tuesday night his horse and wagon disappeared from its hitching post. Officers were searching the neighborhood for the animal.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness and many kind deeds at the death of our wife and mother. These kindnesses will never be forgotten by us. Bertice Barnett and Children.

Here Next Week



BRUNK'S COMEDIANS

Announce Hico Engagement, To Start Next Monday Night

The fascinating dancer pictured is Maxine Mertens, a highlight performer with Henry L. Brunk's Comedians, who will fill an engagement here next week for the first time in a period of four years. The show will open on Monday night, October 16, under a big canvas on the show lot. The players will remain through Saturday night with a different program every night.

"She Knew What She Wanted" will be the play for the opening night according to bills advertising the famous favorite players of the South. Henry L. Brunk announces on the cast such other feature players as Mercedes Ray, leading lady; Herbert Clark, leading man; and Joyce Lee Brunk, singer and dancer. A varied type of vaudeville numbers are promised between acts.

Charlie Brunk, advance publicity man for the Comedians, was in Hico this week making arrangements for their appearance. Mr. Brunk, who was injured in an automobile accident near Waco last year several weeks after the Glenn D. Brunk troupe with which he was connected played here, has completely recovered.

Preaching at Unity

Rev. Alvin Swindell announces that he will preach at Unity school house Sunday, Oct. 15 at 12:15. The people of the community are urged to be present.

Want Ads

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FOR SALE: 4-room house, bargain. Mrs. A. L. Newman, Fairly. 29-1p.

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WANTED: Woman to keep house. One in family. Mrs. S. C. Raliback, Hico, Tex., Rt. 2. 20-1p.

FOR RENT: Modern furnished apartment. For sale, \$350 piano. \$50. 10x12 rug, \$2. Frank Mingus. 18-1c.

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Want woman to help with household and care for invalid. Write Mrs. Terry Thompson, Rt. 3, Hico. 19-1c.

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