

Fans Confident On Eve of Tigers' Battle With Gorman

Predict Upset In Clash With Undefeated 11 In Spite of Dope.

Highlight of the current football season, the game with Gorman here tonight is looked forward to by fans and team alike as an opportunity to avenge their four consecutive defeats sustained at the hands of Dublin, Eastland, Hamilton and De Leon, respectively.

A C. Odell, who sustained a shoulder injury in the first game of the season with Evans, and has been out of the lineup since then, will be back in his backfield position. This alone is expected to provide inspiration for his teammates, in addition to the hard and heavy work for which "Red" has so great a reputation.

Temporary bleachers are being erected on the sidelines of the playing field, and the large crowds expected to be in attendance are assured of a place to sit in comfort and watch the historic struggle under the lights which were installed last year to provide for local people the innovation of night football.

H. P. Sellers this week donated twenty-two natty new Jerseys in red, white and blue, the school colors, which dress the boys up and provide a classy appearance. They say they have never been defeated in these clothes, and if their determination holds out they will be able to say that after the Gorman game.

Not unmindful of what they are up against, the Tigers nevertheless voice a determination to put up a real fight at the local field tonight. They refuse to remain the underdogs, and local fans who have been watching their work-outs this week say their determination is well founded and that the unlockers may be in for an upset of the dope tonight.

Whether they win or lose, the prospects for a fast and furious tussle should bring out a large crowd of local people, many of whom have never witnessed a game on a lighted field. In return for the small price of admission, customers are assured of a color between the halves and a lot of side entertainment thrown in.

Advantage ticket sales will be made by students of the school, and a percentage of the proceeds will go toward equipping the home economics cottage, according to Mr. Henry.

The screen offering for that night will be "Bachelor Mother," starring Ginger Rogers and David Niven.

Keeping Up With Texas

Rep. Cecil Baker of Rosenberg charged in a radio address today that Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel was "trying to pass the buck" in the state old age pension problem.

Dr. Z. T. Huff, academic dean of the college, notified this week that Howard Payne College's application to participate in the pilot training program has been accepted by the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

Thirty-five hundred of the United States' regular cavalrymen Tuesday stubbornly contested the rugged ground of the Davis Mountains foothills with a strongly reinforced "white" enemy.

William Waldo Cameron, 62, millionaire president of William Cameron Lumber Company, died of a heart attack while testifying on the witness stand in district court in Waco Monday morning.

Fort Worth will don its downtown Christmas decorations Nov. 23, William Monning, president of the Retail Merchants' Association, announced Tuesday.

George A. Glenn, 80, of Kirbyville, who never rode on a train or saw an elevator, died Monday of burns received last week when he fell into his fireplace.

Cattle imports of stock weighing 700 pounds or more under the reduced tariff rate provided in the trade agreement with Canada totaled 182,899 head between Jan. 1 and Sept. 30 from all countries, including more than 40,000 head through ports of entry in Texas from Mexico, according to a report which has been received by Harry P. Hornby of Uvalde, collector of customs for the Twenty-third (San Antonio) District.

The cloak of secrecy being thrown around ship movements in the vicinity of Galveston, because of the European war, was drawn tighter Wednesday, when Capt. Charles M. Scrimgeous, secretary of the Galveston-Texas City Pilots, said his office would comply with a request made by shippers and the United States War Department not to issue information to newspapers on the movement of vessels in and out of the port at Galveston.

Census report shows that 5279 bales of cotton were ginned in Hamilton County, Texas, from the crop of 1939 prior to October 1st, as compared with 3034 bales for the crop of 1938 to same date.

TURKEYS Will Begin To Move Here About The First of November

Local produce buyers announce that they will begin to buy turkeys about the first of November for shipment to the Eastern markets on Thanksgiving orders. The season will be a little longer this year, they predict, due to the fact that some cities will observe the Presidential decree setting dates for Thanksgiving a week earlier than it would have been ordinarily.

Raisers and buyers report that this year's crop is in prime condition, and that there are lots of birds to be marketed. Two buyers have already announced their intentions of being in the market, and indications the middle of the week were that another would be opened in the old Hico Poultry & Egg Company location.

Besides the birds that are dressed here, several independent buyers are expected to enter the market as usual, providing plenty of competition for those who like to shop around before selling. All raisers are particularly urged to investigate the prices and deals in Hico before they sell their birds.

SALES MEETING Of Magnolia Station Operators and Employees Held Here

John K. Moore of Waco, manager of the Waco district, and J. C. Mosby of Temple, district sales manager of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, spoke Thursday night at a meeting at the Russell Hotel of station operators and employees in the territory served by H. N. Wolfe, wholesale distributor.

The sales meeting, held after a dinner attended by about twenty operators and their employees, was in connection with the "Winter-Proof" campaign being conducted by the company.

O. R. Williams, county tax assessor-collector, announces that the discounts recently authorized on early tax payments will be recognized at his office, in accordance with the law. He has a display advertisement in this issue of the paper setting these discounts out in detail. This will allow taxpayers a saving of 3 per cent this month, 2 per cent in November, and 1 per cent in December.

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Show Manager



E. H. HENRY Former Hamilton Newspaperman Now in Charge of Palace

E. H. Henry, former newspaperman and recently of Hamilton, has leased the Palace Theatre in Hico from Harold Stroud and assumed management of the show this week.

Mr. Henry moved to Hamilton from Mission, Hidalgo County, and during his residence there was co-publisher of the Hamilton County News, taking an active part in all civic affairs in the city and county.

In regard to the Palace Mr. Henry says: "We have concentrated on what we think are the best pictures for future showing in Hico and we will make every effort to present the best in movie entertainment for the people here."

HAMILTON FIRE Does Considerable Damage At Store Of I. Conner

Fire gutted the inside of the I. Conner feed store in Hamilton last Tuesday night, starting about 8 o'clock from an undetermined origin. The interior of the building was damaged considerable, as well as a new structure that was being erected at the rear of the store.

It is reported that Mr. Conner will move to another location pending rebuilding of his present location, work on which is expected to start immediately.

Pharmacist At Corner Drug

C. S. Bowden, a veteran of 30 years in the drug business, will be at the Corner drug store during the absence of J. B. Ogilve, who left Wednesday morning with Mrs. Ogilve and Mrs. H. V. Hedges for Rochester, Minn.

Flock Owners Meet

Mr. and Mrs. Homer McMurray, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Curry of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Olson of Cranfills Gap, and Mrs. G. C. Keeney attended a flock owners' meeting in Meridian Tuesday night sponsored by Purina Mills, to discuss the U. S.-approved plan of operating hatcheries.

To Dedicate Duffau Gym

The dedication program for the Duffau school gymnasium will be held Monday night, October 23, at 8 o'clock, according to information received from that place Wednesday.

There will be a guest speaker and music furnished by the Glee Club of the school. A basketball game will follow the program. An invitation is extended to everyone to visit the school for the dedication program.

9-YEAR-OLD FAIRY GIRL Provides Example For Others By Feeding Her Own Baby Beef

One example of the work being done in Hamilton County among farm boys and girls is the case of Miss Vera Lee Davis, 9-year-old Fairy school girl, who is feeding her own baby beef.

Vera Lee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Henry Davis, who live on a ranch in the Fairy community owned by Mrs. Ludie Young of Hico. Vera Lee bought the calf she is feeding now for \$50 after selling one she had previously fed for \$79.

Observers have been unanimous in their favorable reports of the progress being made by the little girl, who is gradually laying a foundation which in the future will enable her to branch out into wider fields with the same success she has attained in her present project.

AAA PROVISIONS Called To Attention Of Farmers By Hamilton Co. Secretary

C. W. Hinyard, Secretary of The Hamilton County Agricultural Conservation Association has received the following instructions concerning the payments to be made on the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program:

"Forms SR-314 Covering Farms on Which Total Soil-Building Payment Has Not Been Earned Must Not Be Submitted. There are being submitted to The State Office some few applications for payment. Forms SR-214, covering farms on which the maximum soil-building payment has not been earned, inasmuch as such cases must be suspended, it is requested that all counties carefully review each application for payment to be submitted to the State Office and determine the maximum soil-building payment has been earned.

In this connection the county office urges that all producers intending to carry out soil-building practices such as terracing, ditching, contouring, etc., complete such practices as soon as possible so that credit can be given and the application submitted for payment.

Cara Nome Demonstration

Miss Auline Glenn, special representative of Langlois Co. of New York and Paris, will be at Porter's Drug Store October 30 through noon, November 4, to give free facials and advice to Hico women about their beauty problems.

Miss Glenn will demonstrate the Cara Nome cosmetic line to those who make appointments during the week. She is an authority in her field, having been connected with the Langlois Co. for several years. She was here last year at Porter's doing similar work.

III At Clifton

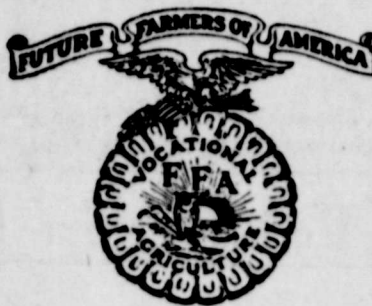
Mrs. C. P. Coston and children spent the week end in Clifton with Mr. Coston, who is ill at the home of his father, Dr. T. C. Coston. Mr. Coston is taking treatments for rheumatism, but was reported greatly improved over the week end and was expected home the latter part of this week.

With Tailor Shop

Mrs. Doris Williamson has announced her association with Everett's Tailor Shop where she will be in charge of alterations and silks.

Mrs. Williamson will also continue to do dressmaking for her individual customers who may contact her at Everett's.

FUTURE FARMER FEATURES



Albert Brown, one of the outstanding Hico Future Farmers, left last Wednesday for Denton to report to Mr. H. G. Rylander, State F. F. A. Band Director, with over fifty other Texas F. F. A. band members to practice and play concerts at North Texas State Teachers College. The Texas band left Denton Sunday, October 16, en route to Kansas City where they will attend the National Convention of Future Farmers of America.

Albert was selected from a group of over two hundred band boys at the State Convention in Temple in July. He has completed three years of work in vocational agriculture, but has retained active membership in the F. F. A., being one of the outstanding leaders in this federation.

SPECIAL SERVICES At The Methodist Church Sunday In Observance of Youth Week

This is childhood and youth week over the Methodist Church. It is for the purpose of emphasizing the place of children and young people in the church, and their part in its work. Every Methodist home should be interested.

In this service the young people will have the leading parts in the singing and special musical numbers. The orchestra, under Mr. Smith's direction, will play. Mr. Smith will sing.

Workman Injured

Wesley Busby, a workman on the new home economics cottage at the school grounds, was painfully injured Friday when he fell from a high wall while at work. His injuries reported as painful although not serious, included gashes on the face and forehead and severe bruises about the face.

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No Roping Sunday

There will be no roping next Sunday at the Simpson Johnson place, several miles west of Hico, according to Mr. Johnson who was in Thursday with a request that the News Review correct the report to that effect that was going around town.

Mr. Johnson stated that he was extremely busy, and that as soon as the necessary arrangements could be made he would stage another exhibition at his place, before which time he would make due announcement, and would be glad to have as many visitors as cared to come out for the event.

When we first heard that E. H. Henry, former newspaperman of Hamilton, was moving to Hico we were a little wary of the circumstances, and greeted him with a not too hearty welcome. At soon thereafter we learned that he had leased the Palace Theatre from Harold Stroud, and was here in the capacity of a theatre manager. So we hastened to bid him welcome, secure in the knowledge that he will not be a competitor.

The worst thing about Mr. Henry is that he formerly was a newspaperman. But the fact that he has reformed by getting out of the racket speaks well for his honesty and integrity. Hico people will welcome him here, and wish him well in his enterprise.

At the same time we wish to speak a word of praise for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stroud and Miss Wilhelmina Petty, who have so efficiently conducted the Palace's business during their management. Mr. Stroud says he is still interested in the show, and that he is more than anxious to see its progress continue. During the time they have been in charge the Palace has been recognized as place of amusement in line with those in larger cities than this, a record which will doubtless be perpetuated by the new manager.

One of our visitors in the office today said he now owned a farm, since the former owner had been in and turned the deed over to him. Thinking we might be interested, we inquired if there were any improvements. He said not at all. He knew of, except taxes.

It had been our intention to step up with the war for our readers, and give a week-by-week summary in condensed form in a column. We know they would be general be grateful, but we find the task a bigger one than we had bargained for, and now return you the studios of the broadcasting stations and the front pages of our daily papers.

If you can find out what's happening, you are a better guesser than we are. Maybe we're better without knowing anyhow.

Another reason we're laying in on our newly-acquired duties is that we are not appreciated. Someone always has to throw water on our best efforts, which makes it hard to continue labors.

Two weeks ago we took over a weather situation, and argued for over an inch of rain. Shortly after the paper was accompanied by a much-anticipated cold spell which the merchants said they wanted. But did get any credit for same? We don't.

In fact, one of our contemporaries said he at first thought we'd get the rain, but that when didn't brag about it in last week's column that proved that it someone else that did it. It's that for ungratefulness?

Another questioner of our information side-swipes us with a comment that we'd better stick to the seat and not go into historical references on a large scale.

A letter to his sister here, he asked us to task for stating that hard Harding Davis was a war correspondent in the last war, and he believed he died before the war.

While we hadn't looked it up previously, we now find that Richard Harding Davis (1874-1916) was a war correspondent in the war. Just like we said he was, or serving as such in the Turkish-Greek, Spanish American, and Russo-Japanese wars. Davis, according to our authority, accepted assignment for New York Herald in the early months of the World War, where he proved himself one of the best of war correspondents.

He hadn't worked in the last war where on earth would we heard about him? We weren't enough to have read newspapers during the previous wars, and our marks in his admittedly always were low.

Some people spend their money on airplane trips; others play horse races and endow institutions with funds to be spent in any way. But there is one way in Hico who spent quite a money a few days ago, and probably been more than repaid by the expressions of gratitude from the recipients of the

Robert Sellers dug down and brought twenty-two new Jerseys the football boys up at Hico School, and donated them for the good of the cause.

He didn't want any public acknowledgment of the gift, and probably didn't like this—but we're telling it anyway.

Some like he always finds someone that needs doing, and does it at the right time.

Subscribers NEWS AND VIEWS

Mrs. Herbert Bircher, the former Miss Gerlie Lee Oxford, of Hyde Park, N. Y., wrote us last week enclosing a check for a year's subscription to her paper which expired the week before. "We missed last week's issue, so please send that one with the one you mail this week," she wrote. "Mother and I enjoy the paper so much and we look forward to receiving it every Monday morning."

Mrs. M. J. Chaney followed instructions from her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Della Williams, of East oforia, Ill., and renewed their subscription last week. Mr. and Mrs. Williams usually make an annual visit to Hico in the summer, at which time they also visit her brother, L. J. Chaney, and family. Mr. Williams reads the home paper thoroughly we know, since one of our advertisers recently reported an inquiry from him.

Mrs. J. H. Priest, Route 4, was in Saturday to renew her two subscriptions, the News Review and the Dallas Semi-Weekly. Mrs. Priest said that after her family read the news she sent the paper on to California to her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Priest, who were married several weeks ago in Clifton. Mrs. Priest is the former Miss Eva Turner.

Joe Guyton, salesman de luxe at the Dook Purdon Motor Co., finds the News Review a necessary since taking over his new responsibilities. Mr. Guyton says he won't forget how good the paper looked every week when he was in the hospital at Legion with a broken leg and, possibly, a few letters from home.

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Mrs. O. G. Pingleton, Route 2, said we might as well mark up her subscription because she just couldn't get along without the Hico paper and didn't expect to. And we believe it. Anyway she doesn't have to worry for a while now since she paid for a renewal.

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	Raby Bruner
Sports	Derrill Elkins	Sixth Grade	Sunshine Mann
Bands	Mary Brown	Fifth Grade	Geneva Thornton

TIGERS BEAT BY BEARCATS

Summary	Tigers	Cats
First downs	3	10
Passes tried	11	14
Passes completed	3	3
Penalties	3 for 15	2 for 15
Yards gained	72	139
Kicks	6 for 201	4 for 143

Score by periods:
Tigers—0 0 0—0.
Bearcats—0 13 6—25.

With Sam Abel playing in the backfield, at center and tackle and everywhere else, the Tigers were still unable to hold the De Leon eleven on their own field last Friday night. It looked as if it were going to be a scoreless first half, but with five minutes still remaining a Bearcat made a 41-yard dash around left end for a touchdown. This started a scoring spree and it took them only a few more minutes to repeat it. The half ended with De Leon leading 13 to 0. The game wasn't over and Captain Wayne Polk came back with a splendid last half fight, stopping all plays from his position. The Tigers did all they could, but it was all in vain.

Oran Massengale, first string center, was sick, but he went in the last half and did his best at that position. Fullback Albert Brown's being out of the lineup was regretted by all Hico fans. So with another game marked up in our profit and loss statements, here's hoping that everyone will be out to see the Tigers tangle with the tough Gorman team next Friday evening at 8 o'clock on our own lighted football field, where a very tricky game is scheduled to be on hand.

KAMPE'S KUT-UPS

Auntie Doodle and Pansy . . . Emegone looking lonesome . . . Bran had the rocking blues Saturday night . . . Sour pickles not made for breakfast . . . Some people's color combinations not so good. For instance, green socks with a band uniform . . . Home Ec. girls showing off new dresses . . . Charles Burden, are you sure you got that black eye playing football? . . . Drum major sporting new boots . . . A certain group of girls ought to leave the bark on the trees instead of rolling it in paper . . . Eh, S? . . . Flute solo in chapel accompanied by trombone. Good excuse to come to her house and practice, eh, G? . . . What's that you said about leaving cats alone, Ruby? . . . Good test grades in Civics but how about the report card grades? . . . Oh, me. Don't brag until you make the highest grade, Frank . . . The coming clash between the Tigers and the unbeaten Gorman team . . . Norma Ruth, how many times have you pressed your dress?

PENMANSHIP CLUB

The Penmanship Club was called to order by Miss Harris. We met with 35 members and elected officers as follows: President, Raby Bruner; vice-president, Margie Lee Simons; secretary, Carolyn Holford; treasurer, Sunshine Mann; and reporter, Mary Nell Ellington.

BROWNWOOD THROUGH A BAND MEMBER'S EYES

All band members were packed in cars and on their way by 10:45 Wednesday morning. Sarah was the only one that was really sure she had her instrument with her—and that was because she wouldn't let the new bass drum out of her sight. The ride to Brownwood was rather uneventful, except for the "I'm freezing to death" 's from A. C. C.

When everyone had sufficiently dined at Eaton's, we adjourned to the meeting place of all the bands, taking with us small souvenirs from the restaurant.

At 1:30 the members met at Howard Payne College to start forming the parade. About fourteen bands marched from H. P. College down the main street to Memorial Hall where we listened to the U. S. Marine Band. During the concert Mary Ella, to my knowledge, never removed her eyes from the flute and piccolo players. The kettle drum players kept Sarah enthralled, although she was a little afraid the bass drummer might burst the drums, sometimes. When the trumpeter played his solos, some of Hico's so-called trumpet players took their signs down. Also, some of them were so awestricken that, had there been any flies in the auditorium, they certainly would have caught them in their open mouths.

About the middle of the concert, the president of the Women's

Club of Brownwood made a talk to the bands present, introducing the director of the Marine Band. He, in turn, presented large pictures of this, the President's band, to the following bands: Bangs, Comanche, Santa Anna, Eastland, Menard, Hico, Cisco, Brady, Albany, De Leon, Mullin, Stephenville, and Coleman.

SENIORS ASKED TO JOIN NEW SOCIETY AND THINK ABOUT AN ANNUAL PUBLICATION

Tests over, trips over, things still unsettled, Seniors come back to school with a still befuddled mind. We do remember that the first and last six weeks of school are the hardest. To contradict the first statement, we have one Senior girl that is seen quite often in the company of a certain Clair-ette boy, that has made 97 on all her tests this six weeks. That, we think, would be the sublimest of sublimes, eh, John?

The class meeting last week ended with class colors and motto as the general theme. Next class meeting will decide whether we have orange and white or green and white for the colors of our class.

Attention, Juniors and Seniors who have been on annual staff or the Mirror any year since you've been in high school: Mr. Brown, with the help of the editor of the Mirror, has spoken to a few of the Mirror staff about organizing a Quill and Scroll Club. This is an honorary fraternity for high school students whose work on one of the two above publications, Annual or Mirror, has been approved by the heads of the Society. We are as far as receiving credit in school for being in this club, there is none. But the honor that goes with being a member is enough to make up for your time and energy.

All of you who would be interested in anything of this kind, see Mr. Brown. We'd like very much to have you.

This talk about publications has led us to another topic closely related to this. It has been, for the past two years, an attempt to build up a tradition very much like the Mirror. That is, that the Senior class should edit and publish the school annual. Interests seem to have died down concerning this work. Talk this over among yourselves. This doesn't mean just the Seniors alone, remember an underclassman editor, an assistant business manager, and a lot of others have to be elected outside the Senior class. Think this over and discuss it among yourselves.

JUNIORS TO DISCUSS ENTERTAINMENT FOR SENIORS

We guess by this time you readers of this news don't think we Juniors ever do anything except study, and we suppose you are about right. However, we are going to have a class meeting Tuesday and discuss a picnic for the Seniors.

SOPHOMORES INTERESTED IN REPORT CARDS

Uppermost in the minds of most of us are our six-weeks grades. Of course we will receive our report cards this week. Some of us may be unpleasantly surprised. We will be able to publish the honor roll next week. Sophs, let's all do better next six weeks.

"MY SKIN WAS FULL OF PIMPLES AND BLEMISHES" says Verna S. "Since using Adlerika the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glows with health." Adlerika helps wash BOTH bowels, and relieves temporary constipation that often aggravates bad complexion.

PORTER'S DRUG STORE

The Sophomores had another class meeting at the regular time last week. We discussed several matters of business that needed to be settled.

FRESHMEN OBSERVE FIRST SIX WEEKS IN HIGH SCHOOL

All "fish" enjoyed the six weeks tests. (Don't you know we did?) This being our first six weeks tests in high school, some of us didn't do so well.

Everyone enjoyed the assembly program Monday morning for we are all proud of our class. Those in the band from our class are Maynard Marshall, George Streller, old members, and Mary Nell Hancock and Marjorie Welborn, new members.

LADY IN THE HALL

"Here, there and you," the Lady has managed to pick up some news.

Q. George Stringer, I hear that you have a new horn. How do you like it?

A. I like it fine and I think I can be noticed more in the band now.

Q. Betty Jo, why don't five men get under an umbrella?

A. Well, it may not be raining and again they may not have an umbrella. Frankly, I don't know.

Q. Mary, did you have a good time coming back on the bus from the football game Friday night?

A. Not bad, but I've had better.

Q. Winfred Weaver, what is your newest nickname?

A. Oh, just a short name that some of the half-wits gave me. It is Water Wiscracking Weaselcup Winifred Weaver.

Q. Who were the girls you carried in your car to the game Friday night, Frank Pierce?

A. It's none of your business, but I had a good time anyway.

Q. Eugene, who broke the beaker?

A. Jo Jo broke the beaker. Oh! Jo Jo broke the beaker.

I stopped Mr. Smith on my way to the band room and asked:

Q. How do you manage to impersonate Hitler with only a comb?

A. Oh, that's a little secret of mine.

You will be hearing from me next week.

PROMISING POETRY By Popular People

There was a young man from the city,
Who met what he thought was a kitty.
He gave it a pat, said, "Nice little cat."
And buried his clothes out of pity.

BURSDAY THURPERS ENJOY OUTING

After their various duties Saturday evening, everyone went to Sarah Frances' for another batch of gabbing and gobbling.

SEVENTH GRADE

The Seventh Grade had six-week tests last week. We had some very good grades. We have corrected all of our papers but Health. We hope we all pass. We turned in our Health book, and will get our Geography books now.

SIXTH GRADE

We welcome Don Griffiths from Hamilton into our room this week. Jane Latham visited in Dublin Sunday.

KILLS TWO BIRDS WITH ONE SHOT

When you go to a Modern Method Chiropractor for his services, you stand a good chance of receiving relief from all of your ills rather than only one as in most other methods.

This is like the old saying: "Killing two or more birds with one stone."

This has actually happened in many cases where the patient came to the chiropractor mentioning only one particular ill, and was surprised, after modern adjustment was administered, that other old symptoms immediately began to clear up.

If your condition is puzzling to you and others, with many complicated symptoms, it will pay you to call at our office and learn more about this great Modern Chiropractic.

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Chiropractor
Office Room 702 N. Graham Ave.
STEPHENVILLE
No Downtown Office Residence Only

Mary Nell Jones and Wilma Hyde celebrated their birthdays Thursday, October 12.

Norma Jean Weisenhant went to Mineral Wells Sunday.

Mr. Brown built a new cabinet in our room over the week end.

Sunshine Mann visited her grandmother, five miles out of Stephenville, Sunday.

Lorene Hyles visited her aunt and uncle in Carlton Sunday.

Daphne Howerton celebrated her birthday Tuesday, Oct. 10.

There are five out of our room in the band. They are Norma Jean Weisenhant, Barton Everett, Billy Keeney, James Ray Bobo, and Thomas Ray Coston.

Mary Nell and J. D. Jones visited their grandparents in Dublin Sunday.

FIFTH GRADE

We took our six-week tests last week and found them all very easy. Fourteen pupils made 100 in Spelling last week.

Alma Ruth Busby took a trip to Morgan Saturday.

Paul Hendrix spent Sunday with his aunt and uncle at Dry Fork.

Waco Eary visited in Stephenville Saturday.

FIFTH GRADE (Miss Ashton)

The Citizenship Club held its regular meeting and program Friday morning. As last week was Fire Prevention Week, we had a fire prevention program. Donald Phillips' mother visited our room during the program.

Billy Jackson brought a black and gold fish for our room.

Coy Pittman went to Hamilton last week end.

Willie Dean Hancock went to Hamilton for the week end.

R. W. French brought a pot plant for our room.

Georgia Lambert went to Stephenville to the Fair Saturday.

Wendell Ray Knight went to Falls Creek Sunday.

THIRD GRADE (Miss Spivey)

We are reading a book called "East of the Sun, West of the Moon" and we are enjoying it very much.

It is nearly time for Hallowe'en and we are making black cats, Jack-o-lanterns, owls and witches.

Several children in our room have been visiting.

Don Otis Eakins went visiting in the country Saturday.

Farris Chaney visited his aunt over the week end.

Joan Golightly has been going to Temple.

Joan Roberson has been visiting her grandmother.

THIRD GRADE (Mrs. Higgins)

Last Saturday James Leeth visited his cousin, Jimmie, and uncle, Clinton Leeth, in Hamilton.

Betty Jean Land spent Sunday with her grandfather, Lem Lambert, of the Millerville community.

Mrs. Myrtle Jackson of Iredell visited Mary Frances Lively Wednesday.

Bobby Ratliff celebrated his seventh birthday October 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan visited their nephew, James Leeth, Sunday. They have lately returned from Egypt.

We are proud of the 17 pupils who made 100 on Spelling. Only 6 pupils of those who took the test failed to make 100. Three of those pupils made one careless mistake.

Those who made 100 are: Billy Ray Ables, J. G. Barbee, Jr., Wendell Houston, Aranna Holley, Raymond Jaggars, Ray Johnson, Betty Jean Land, Dorothy Lewis, Mary Frances Lively, Norma Jean Polette, Marie Ramey, Robert Ramey, Bobby Ratliff, Max Richey, Patsy Ruth Roberts, Wanda Jean Walker, and Billy Rufe Walker.

The following pupils made 100 on Arithmetic tests: Billy Ray Ables, J. G. Barbee, Jr., Wendell Houston, Aranna Holley, Betty Jean Land, and Robert Ramey.

SECOND GRADE (Mrs. Rainwater)

Mildred Gregory moved to Iredell last week end. We were sorry to have her leave.

Robert Smith has been absent for several days. We hope he will soon be back in school.

Billy Joe McGlothlin visited his Grandmother Wright this week end.

Wade and Wayne Jones visited their Grandmother Jones near Carlton.

J. W. Connally and Charles Golightly went to Richard Barnett's birthday party. They had a nice time.

Ward Richey came back to our room in school after having been sick for several days.

Bertha Jean Connally went to Iredell Saturday.

Charles Golightly visited in Temple Sunday.

L. J. Sultis went fishing last week end, but he said they couldn't find a place where the fish were biting real well.

Those making 100 in Spelling are: Dean McLarty, L. J. Sultis, Billy Cotten, J. W. Connally, Glenmaude Russell, Gloria Faye Diltz, Bertha Jean Connally, Charles Golightly, Maidee Ash, Jean McLarty, Wendell Ray Lively, Melvin Jaggars, Patsy Ruth Meador, Donald Ray Davis, Helen Palmer, Clynton Loyd Roberson, and Wayne Jones.

SECOND GRADE (Miss Hollis)

Patricia Ann Roberts spent Saturday in Stephenville.

Elson Holley went to Glen Rose Sunday.

Bobby Louise Roberson visited our room Monday.

Richard Barnette and Jerry Ince had birthdays Wednesday. They were both eight.

Dorothy Grace Mann visited her aunt and grandmother, Mrs. Ogden near Stephenville Sunday.

Kenneth Wren went to see his Grandfather McDowell in Duffau Sunday.

Joan Houston spent Friday night with Lois Burcham.

Paul Bruder and Vernon Hyles were absent Monday.

Richard Barnette spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in Hamilton, guest of his Grandmother Camp.

The following pupils made 100 in Spelling: La Verne Parker, Dale Rinehart, Jimmie Hyde, Patricia Ann Roberts, Lorea Oakley, Elson Holley, Jimmie Lee Barnette, Dolores Roberson, Richard Barnette, Jerry Ince, Dorothy Grace Mann, Nelson Ables, Fred Spinks, Charles Walker, Frances Pruitt, Boyd Ray Phipps, Alton Thornton, Joan Houston, Kenneth Wren, Billy Howerton, Raymond Lane, and Lala Bell Adkison.

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REPORTER.

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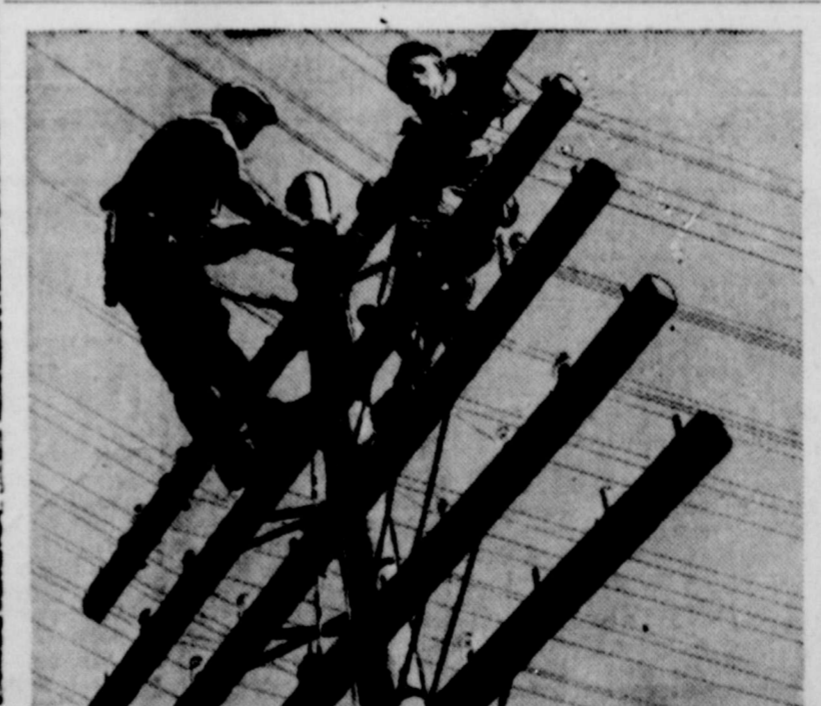
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IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS STULLA JONES, Local Correspondent

ward Myers of Dallas spent days here the past week with his family.

Mr. Echols had his tonsils removed at the Stephenville Hospital Wednesday, and returned Thursday. He is getting nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Ed. Carter, all of Meridian Saturday.

Corra Little and Mrs. Roy Little spent the week end in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. David Rhoades of Worth spent the past Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Lee Hudson, and her relatives.

Cheesie Webb and Mr. Roy were in Hamilton Saturday.

Gann spent the week end in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lander spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Nystell, on White Ranch, near Meridian.

Walter Thompson and son, of Clifton spent the past week end with her son, Edmond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence are working on the highway near Troy, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Young of Dallas spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thompson and daughter, Miss Ila, and their mother, Mrs. D. and wife of Valley spent the past Sunday with Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hanshaw.

Edell High School football team played with the Meridian

team Friday, with the score being 7 to 0 in favor of IredeLL.

Mrs. Otis Oldham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips, of Hico.

Mrs. T. N. Savage of Houston spent a few days with Mrs. Word Main this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Carter, Mrs. Mildred Welborn and baby, and Mr. Al Carter, all of McKinney, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Word Main attended the Fair at Stephenville Thursday of last week.

Harris Tidwell who is in A. & M. College, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newman spent the week end with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Newman, of Lufkin.

Miss Evelyn Koonsman spent the past week in Cranfills Gap with Miss Billie Jones.

Terrell Miller, who is in John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the week end with his parents.

Mrs. Grace Ray and her friend, Mr. Ratliff, of Wichita Falls, visited her mother, Mrs. Cunningham, here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bagley of Glen Rose spent the week end with her brother, Mr. Will Locker, Mrs. Hazel Neely and her friend, Mr. Buttinback, of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Green and son of Midlothian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dearing and also Mr. and Mrs. Laswell.

Mrs. W. D. Oldham is with her

daughter, Mrs. Ed Stephens, of German, who is ill.

Mrs. A. L. Harris and daughter, Miss Maggie, spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. John Appleby, of Meridian.

Mr. Cavness and children, Norma Jean and James, of Walnut Springs visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sadler and son of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bryan.

Mr. Ed Dunlap spent a few days in Cleburne this week with relatives.

Mr. Roy Gosdin was taken very ill Sunday and was taken to the Gorman Hospital Sunday night. His friends are very sorry and hope he will recover soon.

Mrs. Edmond Thompson and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap.

Mrs. Homer Woody returned Saturday from California where she was at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Bingham, who passed away. Mrs. Woody's friends sympathize with her in the loss of her mother.

Mrs. Waldrip's children of Walnut Springs visited her Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Ward of Waco spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Oldham and Miss Kathryn Oldham were in Dublin Sunday.

Miss Sara Jane Chaney left last Thursday for Carlton where she will look after some old people.

Mr. John Chowning spent the week in Dallas with his son, Ellis.

Mrs. Squires spent a few days this week in the Spring Creek community.

On Friday night the skating rink gave a tacky party and a large number of the skaters tried to see which one could dress the tackiest. They were very comical looking. Wilma Rae Burne got the prize for the girls, and Hickey Yoakum for the boys. This is the last week for them to be here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoffner and Mr. John Dawson of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem McAden.

The Sunday school is building up. Some teachers with the exception of two were installed Sunday night at the Methodist Church. Almost everyone is over with annual vacations and should come to Sunday school regularly.

mood of winning, but when the whistle blew at the end of the game, the scores were 18 to 1 in Evant's favor. Jossie Mae Parks was high point man, with 1 point.

Friday, Oct. 13, was very unlucky for all of the basketball teams. We went to Pottsville and played the girls. They won by a score of 18 to 16. Mildred Shepherd was high point man by 2 points.

Mr. Swindle has been teaching all of the girls some new plays, so just wait until we play again. We will really show you we can play ball.

Boys' Sport News

The basket ball boys went to Pottsville last Friday night. They were defeated 13 to 9. The boys have improved since the other game they played with Pottsville. We hope they continue to improve.

Fairy 4-H Club

The Fairy 4-H Club is meeting twice a month. Mrs. O. P. Columbus is our sponsor. We are learning how to make candlewick bedspreads, pillow tops, and other useful things. We are learning how to improve our bedrooms, and how to take care of poultry.

Seniors

We are feeling pretty well this week, because they are studying for six weeks tests. Everyone is hopeful they make good grades.

Don't forget to come to the Halloween Carnival, and don't forget to vote for our duchess, Frances Cable.

Juniors

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Sophomores

We are all looking forward to our first six weeks tests. We have been reviewing for them this last week, and we're all hoping to make good, even if we haven't studied very much.

Halloween is close at hand and we are hoping that everyone may come and see our duchess crowned. Won't you help us?

Freshmen

The eighth graders are looking forward to Halloween. We hope our queen wins. We want everyone to vote for her.

We are all studying hard as this is the last of the six weeks, and we will soon be taking tests. We hope everyone makes splendid grades.

Seventh Grade

This is test week but the "warties" as Mr. Horsley calls us, don't mind very much.

Charlene Richardson was in Waco Tuesday of last week.

Jimmie Ruth Thompson visited the Fair in Dallas the 6th, 7th, and 8th of this month.

You'll hear from us next week if we make it through the tests.

Fifth and Sixth Grades

We are very busy studying for tests that we will take this week. We are all planning to make good grades.

The sixth graders are going to fix a sand table with Dutch people, windmills, canals, and houses.

We are all looking forward to Halloween night. We are planning to have a big time.

Third and Fourth Grades

We have been taking tests, but we have studied hard, therefore we believe we passed them by a high score.

We are looking forward to Halloween, and keeping an eye open for spooks, as we don't want them to catch us off guard.

First and Second Grades

The first and second graders are preparing a chapel program for this week. We are sure it will be interesting, because everything else Miss Broyles had a hand in has been worth watching.

We have decorated our room with pumpkins, cats, witches and so forth. We are getting ready for Halloween in a big way.

Texas-fed beef will be served at the Breeder-Feeder banquet, a feature of that day at the State Fair of Texas on October 19. The heaves were purchased in Ellis and Kaufman counties, and dressed 60 per cent, close to the high mark. Prominent breeders and feeders throughout the Nation will be guests.

Texas Negro school children will be admitted free to the State Fair on October 16 as a part of the Negro Day celebration. The Department of Education has provided contests for them in which the State Fair will make cash awards.

Carlton

By CORRESPONDENT

Mr. Carroll McPherson and Miss Nadine Burnett were united in matrimony Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. S. W. Miller officiating. Having been reared in this community, these young people are both well known, loved and admired by a host of friends.

Mr. McPherson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Martie McPherson and has been engaged in farming and is a splendid young man. The bride is a beautiful and well accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earnie Brunet and possesses many beautiful traits of character which are so essential in the home. We extend our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Burnett and daughter, Nadine, were Dublin shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Charlie Stephens and her daughter, Jacqueline, and Mrs. J. B. Gray were in Hico Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ogle.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wright, Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Cox and daughter spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellison near Purvis.

Derrald Thompson and Brooks Wilhite left Sunday for Denison.

Mrs. W. O. Crider of Austin is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Mae Everett of Stephenville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Howell of near Houston spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carmichael.

Mrs. Hobby Thompson and children were Dublin visitors Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde LeFevre were business visitors in Hamilton Thursday morning.

George Moore was in Denton Saturday.

J. S. Minter, Tull and T. C. Thompson were in Stephenville Friday attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell were Stephenville shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Ed LeFevre and daughter, Estha Lee, and Mrs. Clyde LeFevre were in IredeLL Friday visiting Mrs. LeFevre's mother, Mrs. John Simpson.

Ernest Pruitt of Bay City spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Pruitt.

Harry Stephens, who is attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Charlie Stephens, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Smith of near Gustine spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Dee Smith, and Mrs. Laura Beadles and children.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Dock Finley, and Mrs. Rosa Birdsong spent Friday in the home of Mrs. Gainer Jeffrey near Lamkin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gerald and family of Denton spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Tull, and Mrs. L. A. Anderson.

Salem

By MRS. W. C. ROGERS

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Howerton and son James of Millerville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Koonsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and children of Hico were Sunday guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCleery and son of Chalk Mountain visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McElroy, and sons last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Nelms of Hamilton spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Nelms, and attended church at Duffau.

Mr. Alex Hawkins visited Friday night in the home of his nephew, E. A. Koonsman, and Mrs. Koonsman at IredeLL.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gleeske of Millerville and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Albright and son of Selden visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Barnett and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lu-

ther Barnett, all of Alexander, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Driver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moss of Johnsonville were afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Laney and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Noland and daughter, Dorothy, spent Sunday at Selden in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Noland and children.

We have a new pupil in school, little Miss Maida Pate of San Angelo. We are glad to have her and hope she will like here.

The Salem school children rode on a decorated truck in the parade at the Stephenville Fair Friday. The Salem community was represented with a booth also.

Next Sunday night is singing night at the Salem Church. Everyone has an invitation to come and help sing.

Flag Branch

By HAZEL COOPER

Mrs. Jerine Graves and son, Doyle, spent Wednesday morning with Mrs. Mollie Graves.

Hunter Newman and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Pruitt Wednesday.

Those who were in the Bud Dotson home Tuesday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Craig and two daughters, Mary Katherine and Eloise.

Several from here attended the shower at the home of Mrs. Pearl Simpson Wednesday.

Jess McCoy spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy, at Dunnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Laney and George Edwards and two sons, Buster and Donald, of Rough Creek spent awhile Saturday in the Ben Laney home.

Bob Moore spent Friday morning with Bud Dotson and Will Flanary.

Jess McCoy and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ford Sunday.

F. D. Craig and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Walter Dotson home.

Miss Jeanne Parker visited Mrs. Dora Dunlap of IredeLL Tuesday night.

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A TIME FOR REASON

We don't know whether a world in which all human acts were governed by reason would be a pleasant world to live in or not. We rather suspect that it might lack a great many of the elements which make life, for most people, rather pleasant on the whole. A world governed by pure reason would, perhaps, be rather monotonous.

We haven't any doubt, however, about what the world would be like if reason were thrown overboard and everybody acted upon emotional impulses. The only world which can describe such a state of human affairs is chaos. There could be no government, no common purpose, order and discipline would be gone with the winds.

The only way a nation can get along with its neighbors and the people of the nation get along with each other is by a judicious mixture of reason with emotion. The greatest danger to any nation is to let the collective emotional impulses of its people run away with their reason.

That is something to think about, to keep in mind in times like these. There is no question whatever that the emotional sympathies of the American people are preponderantly with England and France against Hitler and Stalin.

Out of that emotional tendency may come such encouragement to those who hope to profit personally, financially or politically from war, that forces may be set in motion to play upon our sympathies and move us as a people to get into the war ourselves.

Every American needs more than anything else today to bring all the power of reason to the control of thoughts and acts. For nothing is more certain than that, if we let our emotions run away with us and take a hand in the European struggle, beyond selling supplies to any buyer who can pay for them and take them away, we are heading straight for the ruin of ourselves and our children, whether the side with which we sympathize wins or loses.



Six Inch Sermon

REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

The Citizens of the Kingdom. Lesson for October 22: Matthew 5:1-16.

Golden Text: Matthew 5:16. Citizens of the kingdom are those who measure up to the standards of the Sermon on the Mount. They look to God in perfect trust, knowing they cannot live and serve as they should without his help.

They fulfill the laws of the kingdom because they live by the law of love. They are the salt of the earth and the light of the world.

Above all they are happy. Jesus began the Sermon on the Mount with the Beatitudes. Contrary to the usual notion, happiness comes not in having but in being. Men may toil and suffer, be poor in spirit, humble and lowly, but happy because of what they are in Christ.

Sin fills the world with misery but Christ makes men happy even in the midst of pain and toil. The Chinese have a proverb: "Pay the price and take it." If you would claim promises of blessing, you must meet the conditions.

Jesus lays down laws for the kingdom and through their obedience to them we may learn who the citizens of the kingdom are. These are the laws of the heart "Out of the heart are the issues of life." Hatred in the heart is the sin of the man who calls his brother a fool. Lust is the sin of the man who abandons chastity.

Jesus likens citizens of the kingdom to salt and light. Salt is

more than a seasoning; it is a preservative. Christians are a saving influence in any community. They are the light of the world. Jesus is the world's perfect man, his light about them as the silvery and they who follow him reflect moon reflects the light of the sun. Beautiful is the influence of the good in all the relations of life. And their good deeds bring light and joy to men who are shrouded in the gloom of trouble, and they are led to glorify the Father in heaven.

When you share your citizenship in the kingdom with others, you bring happiness to them by your influence and by your good deeds. And the kingdom grows through you into other hearts, and you bring joy to the King himself.

Very Latest



Fall-School

For the slim young creatures who love to wear blouses and skirts, here's a new design (8499) that looks ahead to Fall. It has all the crisp, casual simplicity of strictly tailored things, but it is not too strictly tailored to be becoming.

The blouse is full over the bosom and can be made with short sleeves, or long, romantic bishop sleeves.

The skirt, slender and smooth over the hips, has stitched pleats that flare and ripple at the hem, with the effect of rhythmic fullness very important in the new mode.

PATTERN 8549—Both girls and their mothers will like this dress—it's so simple, and so exactly right with her name on it.

Cut on true princess lines, that childish figures wear so well, this design (8549) is very slim at the waist, and becomingly wide at the shoulders and hem.

It's easy to make—pattern includes a step-by-step sew chart, and contains just a few pieces, simple to put together.

And because it buttons down the front, it's easy to iron, and quick to put on, hurried mornings when you have to rush to beat the last bell.

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The Texas Big Bend Country is famed in song and legend. It's the country of the Lost Mine, Lone Wolf of the Pecos, bandit hide-outs, wild Western adventure. Peaceful, restful now, this picture-perfectly beautiful vacation paradise! But the memories of those during days still thrill the traveler, and lend colorful enchantment to the camper's vacation good times.

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In a World Aflame



THIS WEEK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, Oct. 18.—After the first two or three days of debate in the Senate on the Neutrality bill, Senators began to take off their false mustaches and show their faces.

In other words, the pretense that the purpose of the Congress and the President is to keep the nation neutral in the European war, has been all but abandoned.

The clear purpose, which is being disclosed as the discussions go on, is to be about as un-neutral as a nation can be without actually going to war. It is to help the Allies, Britain and France, by giving them every assistance short of actually taking part in hostilities.

That is the purpose of the lifting of the embargo on the shipment of arms and ammunition to nations at war. In spite of the efforts of Administration opponents to retain the embargo, it is considered here a practical certainty that it will be washed out.

The protests of the vast number of people who have written to their Senators and Congressmen urging the retention of the embargo are not being disregarded, but the attitude of members of both houses, with some exceptions, is that these protests come from people who honestly believe that the embargo is the only way, or the best way, to keep the United States out of war.

There is no let-up in the determination to do everything humanly possible to accomplish that end, but the conviction is gaining strength in Congress that the United States stands back of the Allies with a steady supply of fighting airplanes, guns, ammunition and the other implements of war.

Hoover's Analysis

One thing which has greatly strengthened that conviction is the carefully-prepared analysis of the relative strength and resources of the warring nations, prepared by former President Hoover and given out for publication by him.

Few question Mr. Hoover's accurate knowledge of European affairs, none dispute his ability as an analyst of statistical information. Therefore, when he marshalled all the facts and drew from them the positive conclusion that Hitler cannot win and that the French and British can carry on to victory without the aid of American soldiers and battleships, provided they can obtain the necessary fighting materials from this and other countries, his statement provided ammunition for the proponents of repeal of the embargo of which they are making good use.

Nobody thinks of questioning Mr. Hoover's sincerity when he declares that he wants to keep America out of war. Few non-combatants saw so much of the horrors of war from 1914 to 1918 as did this Quaker whose religious tenets prevented him from bearing arms but whose work on the fighting front of Belgium won him the acclaim of the whole world.

Mr. Hoover is out of politics in the sense of not desiring or seeking further public office, but he is a powerful factor in shaping the policies of his own party, and more than one vote for embargo repeal, when the show-down comes, will be attributed to his influence.

Now that the question of the mis-called "Neutrality" law is being discussed more realistically than emotionally more attention is being paid to the growing demand from business interests for repeal of the arms embargo.

Encourages Business

Once American business is free from legal restrictions upon the production and sale of any kind of supplies to the Allied governments, it is reasonably certain that a considerable increase in business activity in this country will follow.

That does not necessarily mean

"profiteering." It is more than probable that the lifting of the embargo will be accompanied by legislation which will effectively prevent anything more than normal business profits being taken down by anybody from the manufacture and sale of arms.

The benefits which business foresees consist mainly in the probable reduction in unemployment, more people on payrolls and hence a broader purchasing power by which all kinds of business may expect to profit.

The road ahead of the Pittman bill is not, however, entirely clear. It contains "cash-and-carry" provisions which have yet to be fought out after the embargo phase has been disposed of.

Whether the United States would be surrendering one of the nation's inalienable rights by restricting the travel of American ships, their cargoes and passengers, to non-combatant zones, is hotly disputed.

Infringement On Rights

In the World War No. 1, our involvement was chiefly due to the orders of the German government that American ships should stay out of certain sea areas, or run the risk of being sunk by U-boats. That was a flagrant infringement upon our national rights to the freedom of the seas, as non-combatants, which another nation undertook to impose upon us. Whether we ought to impose such restrictions upon ourselves is the question now. If we did, would we increase or diminish our chances of being involved in war? After all, that is the major question before Congress.

There are other points in the Pittman bill which seem likely to prolong debate in the Senate. And after the Senate has said its say, the House of Representatives will have its innings.

This is one instance where local district and state interests are overshadowed by the broad National interests, and something approaching statesmanship is noticeable in many of the comments and conclusions of Representatives as well as of Senators.

TIMELY TOPICS

Twenty per cent of Texas drivers are discourteous about dimming lights for approaching vehicles at night, state police had concluded today. A survey conducted by highway patrolmen over the state revealed that 66 per cent of the motorists dimmed their lights, 11 per cent already had dimmed lights when observed, three per cent of the cars appeared not equipped with dimming controls while 20 per cent failed to lower their lights—even after repeated light dimming signals from the officers. The cross-section survey involved 5000 vehicles. Col. Homer Garrison Jr., state police director, said.

One of the secrets of prolonging the life of cut flowers lies in the method and time of cutting them. First of all the stems should be cut on a slant. This prevents them from resting flatly.

Next, it's most important that flowers should be cut at the correct stage of development. A good general rule to follow is that the single varieties may be cut in tight buds and the double ones cut when they are fully opened.

Also, flowers remain fresh longer when placed in opaque containers rather than transparent vases.

Asters and chrysanthemums will keep fresh much longer if sugar is added to the water. Use four tablespoons sugar to each quart of water for the mums and one teaspoon sugar to a quart of water for asters.

threatens to draw all the remainder of his world into the storm (same old cause—same old remedy). What next? What's the result going to be?

Some persons suspect that civilization is in grave danger of extinction. Mr. Roosevelt fears that European civilization is about to receive its death blow.

So far as Europe is concerned, Mr. Roosevelt suspects that culture will turn back and if the European civilization survives America will have to carry it on. But if America gets into this World War, then what? It will fall with the other combatants of course.

America went into the other World War. At its close the whole world trusted America to stabilize their tottering civilization. Mr. Wilson failed utterly. The next time they'll say, "No, we can't trust you now. You failed us once before." What can we do then?

We can stay out of the war and set our own house in order by fixing our economic plan so that every man and woman shall be guaranteed a chance to labor and enjoy the fruits thereof. (The denial of this fundamental right of a person to work and live thereby is the one and only cause of our wars and depressions).

When we have done this, the shattered nations will follow our lead and rebuild their wrecked civilizations. Beyond a reasonable doubt this is America's only safe way out. War doesn't solve the problem. No, never.

ROY DERRICK.

Hog Jaw

By OMA ROBERSON

Rev. Jess Collins of Abilene filled his appointment here at the church Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Land and children of Duffau and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lambert visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lambert.

Arthur Howerton, who is in a CCC camp at Dallas, spent Sunday in the home of his father, J. G. Howerton.

Miss Carlene Elkins spent the week end with relatives at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. McChristal, Misses Nadine McChristal, Hazel and Delpha Dee Higginbotham were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Higginbotham of Hico.

Mrs. Clarence Flowers and little daughter, Carolyn, of Duffau spent several days this week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roberson.

Several from here attended the Stock Show in Stephenville last week end.

Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower, who has been confined to her bed due to illness for some time, is improving. We hope Mrs. Ridenhower will recover rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Merion Roberson and daughter, Loeta, of Duffau and John Alexander of Clairette spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. J. W. Roberson.

M. C. and O. W. Roberson made a business trip to Dublin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Elkins and daughter, Dolores, R. B. Elkins and son, Ray Dean, visited Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merion Elkins.

Miss Nadine McChristal, who received injuries in an automobile accident Saturday night while she and several other people were on their way to Stephenville, is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Glover of the Millerville community visited in the J. G. Howerton home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Fred Higginbotham and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. McChristal.

Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Warren of Duffau were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Warren, recently.

BAPTIST CHURCH

The subject for next Sunday, according to an announcement by Rev. Alvin Swindell, the pastor, will be "The Second Commandment" in the series of sermons on the Ten Commandments.

The subject of the morning sermon will be, "Walking With God," and Mr. Leonard Smith, the new director of the High School band, will sing a solo.

This week the pastor has been going to Carlton every night where he is teaching a class in the Sunday school study course week of the Carlton Baptist Church. In return for this service Rev. S. W. Miller, the Carlton pastor, will assist in a similar study course period in the Hico Baptist Church, to be held a little later.

Daughter Born to Scudders

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scudder of Grafton have announced the birth of a daughter, Linda Lee, October 13, at Grafton.

The baby, who is a granddaughter of Mrs. J. R. McMillan of Hico, weighed ten pounds. Mrs. Scudder and Linda Lee are doing nicely.

The House of Hazards

By Mac Arthur



LETTERS from Our Readers

RANDOM THOUGHTS

The Hico News Review: These are not ordinary hum-drum times any more. We have a ten-year-old depression which doesn't show the slightest signs of changing for the better until our out-of-date economic arrangement (its cause) is replaced by a plan which is adapted—that can and will more nearly meet the needs of our time. There is a two-year-old war raging in China (same cause). There is a "brand new" war starting in Europe that

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Local Happenings

Mrs. Lawton Blackburn and son, Lawton, Jr., are visiting her father, H. Smith, this week.

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Mrs. J. D. Diltz has returned home after a week's visit with relatives in Clifton and Moshelm.

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Miss Winnie McAnelly, who teaches in the Brady schools, was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. W. E. McAnelly.

Mrs. Anna Driskell left Sunday for Dallas to spend the week with her daughter, Mrs. J. Oliver Rosamond, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mayes of Whitney were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Holford and daughter, Carolyn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Anderson returned last week from Waterloo, Iowa, where they have been visiting relatives.

George Powledge left Sunday for Memphis, Tenn., to visit his aunts, Mrs. Etta Austin and Miss Lena Griffin.

The Helping Hand Class of the Methodist Church will sell pies, cakes and chickens Saturday, Oct. 21, at Barrow Furniture Co.

Mrs. Eva Snider of Waterloo, Iowa, is here visiting her father, G. H. Anderson, and Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. Max Hoffman and son, Kenneth, returned Sunday from Waco where they have been visiting the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Welch of Stephenville stopped in Hico for a short while Sunday to visit with friends.

Mrs. Bob Jenkins and little daughter, Loretta, spent the week end here with Mr. Jenkins' mother, Mrs. Lora Jenkins, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Harrison and daughter, Anne, of Covington were guests Sunday of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Sampley of Lometa spent Sunday with her father, Ike Anderson, and family. Robert Anderson accompanied them home to spend a week.

Mrs. John O. Potts of Gatesville and Miss Frances Powledge of Dallas were Saturday and Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Powledge.

Mrs. H. L. Roddy of Tahoka is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Alford. Mr. Alford has been seriously ill, but is greatly improved.

Emory Gamble, who is attending Draughton's business college in Fort Worth, is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble.

Mrs. J. R. Johnson of Wortham and Mrs. E. H. Campbell of Blooming Grove arrived Sunday to spend the week with their sister, Mrs. O. Longbotham.

O. L. Jackson and sons, Morris, Ben Earl and Lamar, of Brundage were guests last week of Mr. Jackson's father, E. S. Jackson, and Mrs. Jackson.

Mrs. G. B. Golithly of Hamilton visited her son, Rollie Forgy, here Sunday.

J. O. Bodiford left Friday for Breckenridge and Albany to visit relatives for several days.

Guy Willie, who is attending John Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent the week end here.

Dry storage for meats now available at Bell Ice & Dairy Products Company. 29-2c.

R. Lee Roberson and Bernard Ogle spent Monday in Waco on business.

Mrs. Leon Rainwater and daughter, Nancy, and Mrs. Leslie Wall of Brady spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shelton, and other relatives.

Misses Mable and Hester Jordan and Lorand Heffley of Stephenville spent the week end in Waco with Misses Doris and Marcelle Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bursleson and daughters, Miss Elta Lois and Mrs. Inez Wright, and the latter's daughter, Kathleen, all of Coleman, were guests over the week end of Miss Lorene Bursleson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Golithly and children, Mrs. S. O. Durham, and Mr. and Mrs. John East were in Temple Sunday to see Mrs. Durham's son, I. E. Durham, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter B. Brockenbrough, Jr., of Waco, and Miss Jane Wolfe, student in Baylor University, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe.

H. E. Stuart, manager of the Dook Purdom Motor Co., who is now making his home at the Russell Hotel, is spending the week end in Fort Smith, Ark. with his daughter, Jane, who is attending St. Scholastica Academy.

Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Cunningham of Lorena visited old friends here Saturday. The Rev. Cunningham, a former pastor of the Hico Methodist Church, officiated in the Persons-Hellums wedding Saturday night.

F. M. Krewow of Los Angeles, Calif., spent the week end here with his cousins, Miss Mary Gandy and W. F. Gandy. Miss Gandy and Mr. Gandy had not seen their cousin in 17 and 35 years, respectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCullough and son, Paul Michael, of Goldthwaite were here Sunday visiting relatives, and were accompanied home by her father, F. M. Mings. Mr. Mings had been ill for several days from injuries sustained in a fall at his home earlier in the week.

SOCIETY

Miss Persons Becomes Bride of C. M. Hellums of Del Rio

Miss Mildred Persons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Persons of Hico, and Mr. C. M. Hellums of Del Rio were married in a beautiful 6 o'clock ceremony Saturday evening at the Hico Methodist Church with Rev. W. P. Cunningham of Lorena, a former pastor, officiating.

The church decorations were huge white chrysanthemums and ferns, and cathedral tapers burned in floor candelabra. Mrs. Grace R. Woodward, pianist, played the wedding music, and accompanied Mrs. Tessie Shirley of San Angelo, who sang "Because."

Miss Anna Lee Persons, sister of the bride and her only attendant, wore a rust dress with black accessories. Her corsage was of Tailsman roses.

T. K. Persons of Dallas and Jack Miller of Belton were ushers. Paschal Whitney of San Angelo attended Mr. Hellums as best man. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a blue panne velvet afternoon frock with matching velvet hat and rust accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of lilies-of-the-valley and gardenias.

A reception for close friends and relatives of the couple was held immediately after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. Floral decorations of white carnations and greenery carried out the bride's chosen colors, white and green. Miss Pauline Driskell received the guests at the door. Mrs. H. F. Sellers and Mrs. Joe Clark of Mineral Wells, sister of the bride, presided over the wedding cake and at the punch bowl, assisted by Misses Louise

Blair and Mary Ella McCullough, Miss Mildred Hooker of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Lusk Randals had charge of the guest book. Mrs. Grace Woodward and Mrs. Anna Driskell were other members of the house party.

The couple left after the reception for a trip to New Mexico after which they will be at home in San Angelo. For traveling, the bride selected a rust sheer wool dress with brocade accessories.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Persons and daughter, Helen, Dallas; Mrs. Lola Hoyt, Mrs. Margery Bailey, Miss Helen Routh, Mrs. D. M. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Whitney, San Angelo; Mrs. Neva Schneider, Independence, Iowa; Rod Merritt and Mrs. Maude W. Cooze, Brownwood; Mrs. W. F. Hooker, Stephenville; Miss Mildred Hooker, Wichita Falls; Misses Pat, Nell and Maude Carter, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Carter B. Brockenbrough, Jr., Waco; Mrs. Joe, Clark and sons, Joe, Jr., and Edgar, Mineral Wells; Jack Miller, Belton; Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Cunningham, Lorena.

Buffet Supper Feature of Persons Pre-Nuptial Affairs

Mmes. H. F. Sellers, H. N. Wolfe and C. L. Woodward entertained Friday night at the home of Mrs. Woodward with a buffet supper honoring Miss Mildred Persons whose marriage to C. M. Hellums took place Saturday evening at the Methodist Church.

White tapers and lace appointed the refreshment table from which supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. Carter B. Brockenbrough, Jr., and Miss Jane Wolfe, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Persons and daughter, Helen, Dallas; Mrs. Lola Hoyt, Mrs. Margery Bailey, Miss Helen Routh, Mrs. D. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Whitney, and Mrs. Tessie Shirley, San Angelo; Mrs. Neva Schneider, Independence, Iowa; Rod Merritt and Mrs. Maude Cooze, Brownwood; Miss Mildred Hooker, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Joe Clark and sons, Joe, Jr., and Edgar, Mineral Wells; and Jack Miller, Belton.

Miss Nadine Burnett Wed To Carroll McPherson.

Miss Nadine Burnett, daughter of Mr. Ernie Burnett of Carlton, and Carroll McPherson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McPherson, of Carlton were married Sunday afternoon at the Baptist parsonage in Carlton by Rev. Stephen F. Miller.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Duzan, brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom. The bride wore a rust suit with black accessories.

Both Mr. and Mrs. McPherson were reared in Carlton, where they were graduated from the Carlton High School. They will make their home here for the present.

John Latham Celebrates Seventy-Seventh Birthday

A host of relatives, neighbors and friends gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Latham last Sunday, October 15, to help celebrate his seventy-seventh birthday. At the noon hour the crowd went to the creek where a very large and delicious dinner was spread under shade trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Latham, having lived in this community for many years, have many, many friends to help enjoy such a day as this one. The afternoon was spent in talking and discussing old times. The occasion was a complete surprise to Mr. Latham.

Mr. Gran Columbus thanked all of Mr. Latham's relatives, and friends, at his request, for being so thoughtful and invited all back again.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Gran Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Douglas and daughter, Millie Faye; Bifford, Claude and Miss Lula Johns; Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Ables and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver and daughters, Opal and Johnnie; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Tudor, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tudor, Jr., and son, Carlton, and Mrs. J. O. Bodiford, all of the Dry Fork community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Killon, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Killon and children, Shirley Ray and Bonnie Faye; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Mullins and daughter, Nellie V., of Groeville; Mr. and Mrs. George Oxley and daughter, Lucille, and Mrs. Waldrop, of Gum Branch;

Mr. and Mrs. George Greer, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Perry and little daughter, Sherry Roselle, Olin; Mr. and Mrs. George Latham and daughter, Lela, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ables, Mr. and Mrs. Paddock, son E. T., and grandson, Billie, Hico;

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Herrin and grandson, Jimmie, Mr. and Mrs. Short Herrin and little daughter, Huffau; the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. John Latham.

All assured Mr. and Mrs. Latham they had enjoyed the day to the utmost, and departed at a late hour for their homes, wishing Mr. Latham many more happy birthdays such as that one had been.

CONTRIBUTED.

Mrs. Woodward Entertains Tuesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. C. L. Woodward entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club at her home this week.

Cut flowers were used for decorations and a salad course was served to Mmes. Harry Hudson, H. F. Sellers, Ray D. Brown, J. N. Russell, J. W. Fairry, Mrs. Will Newsom of Stephenville, and Miss Irene Frank.

Mrs. Raymond Armstrong of Stephenville was a tea-hour guest.

4-H Club Held Regular Meeting Wednesday, Oct. 10.

The 4-H Club held its regular meeting Wednesday, Oct. 10. Miss LaGrone, Miss Ashton, Mrs. Smith, and all club members were present.

Birth Day Dinner Given At Massingill Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Yarbrough and three children of Carlton were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Massingill, the occasion being in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Yarbrough and Mr. Massingill.

Miss Kathryn Massingill assisted her mother in entertaining.

Miss Myrtle Melton reports a friendly little gesture that the city of San Angelo makes to its visitors. Every afternoon they announce during a program over the radio the names of people who are visiting in the city and whom they are visiting. Soon after the program is over, she says, other friends begin calling in to wish them a pleasant visit, and some even call personally to renew acquaintance. Must make one feel quite at home.

Mr. R. F. Wiseman recalls an incident in which a local druggist once cured him of hiccoughs (hiccup) without benefit of water, medicine, etc. He walked into the drug store and asked the gentleman if he had something he could give him to stop the hiccoughs. "Sure," the druggist said. "Just a minute. Say, did you hear about that train wreck down by my house? Nine cars piled up on the tracks." "Anybody hurt?" inquired Mr. Wiseman. "No, where are your hiccoughs?" and Mr. Wiseman couldn't do it to save his neck. We wonder if the druggist suffered any ill effects from thinking up the wild tale.

A dozen eggs produced by a flock of chickens owned by Mrs. E. S. Jackson of Hico are on display this week in a window at Keeney's Hatchery. Mrs. Jackson won a red ribbon for second place on the eggs at the Erath County Livestock and Poultry Show in Stephenville last week. Mrs. Jackson's eggs were second only to those entered by John Tarleton College. Mrs. Keeney says they go to show what good chickens fed on good feed will do for you.

Right in our very midst lives an inventor and he has the official papers to prove it. F. S. Latham, who recently returned here from

E. H. Persons HICO, TEXAS ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Killoen to take up where he left off in the tailor business, has been issued United States Patent No. 2174827 for an automatic cleaning and pressing light which he has been working on for several years, filing application for the patent in July, 1936. The light turns on with the raising and lowering of the presser head. When the top presser head is in the elevated position, the light will be on, and on the lowering of the head the light is extinguished. This enables the operator to inspect his work and eliminates hand turning on and off of the light. The light can be adjusted to any position on the presser, is simple in construction, thoroughly reliable and effective in operation and inexpensive to manufacture and install. Mr. Latham has been granted exclusive right to make, use and sell the invention. He has already received offers from seven or eight companies wishing to buy the patent. He uses one now at his shop and says it is his for seventeen more years anyway. The patent expires at the end of that time. However, he hopes to have sold it at a great profit before then.

You can't imagine all the nice things Mr. E. H. Randals has been doing for us the past week. He made the mistake of calling our number on the telephone at the unheard-of hour of 7 in the morning (on Sunday morning, too) and asked to speak to our dad. We later learned that Mr. Randals was wanting to collect some money owed him by the afore-mentioned party resulting from some very bad judgment concerning two particular football games the day before. Mr. Randals, who arises early on Sunday morning, could see no particular harm in placing a telephone call at that hour, but it fell to our lot to answer and that makes it very bad. Mr. Randals said the minute he heard our voice he was immediately sorry he had called and wished he had just hung up and forgot the whole matter. We forgave him solely on the grounds that he is not as bad as Jim D. Wright, who makes a practice of calling Dad at 3:30 a.m. We had to answer that morning too. Mr. Wright's masterpiece of an explanation will go down in history as a stately apologetic. And now Mr. Randals is angry with us because we termed the whole deal an inconsequential matter of ten cents. However, the joke's on T. C. U. They lost.

Undergoes Operation Mrs. F. S. Latham received word this week that her nephew, Frank Allen, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, of Beat was recovering from a recent appendicitis operation.

Young Allen is also a grand-nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Allen of Hico.

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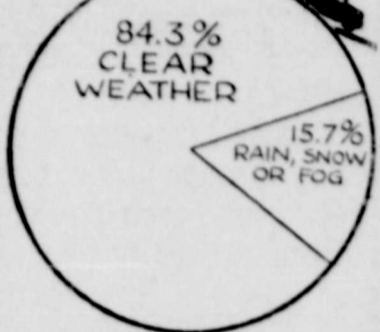


Old Man Weather is blamed for a great many things, but how responsible is he for automobile accidents?

The answer is given in the booklet "Lest We Regret," ninth annual safety booklet published by the Travelers Insurance Company in the interests of safe driving.

Last year there were about seven and a half times as many accidents in clear weather as there were during fog, rain, or snow. Out of a total of 29,300 fatal accidents in 1938, only 500 occurred in snowy weather, only 820 happened in fog and only 3,280 in rain. The remainder, 24,700 or nearly 85% of the total, occurred in clear weather.

Even more interesting is the analysis of actual road conditions prevailing in accidents, which reveals that 77% of all fatal accidents happened on dry roads. When



roads are wet or slippery and driving seems to be dangerous, drivers apparently slow down and increase their alertness. On wet roads only 5,100 fatal accidents occurred, on icy roads only 1,080, and on snowy roads only 500.

The figures indicate that clear weather and dry roads encourage speeding, and speed is known to be the largest single factor in the annual slaughter on our highways.

Refreshments for Hallowe'en Goblins



Janned unsweetened Hawaiian pineapple juice subtly flavored with spice served piping hot with plain and sugar encrusted doughnuts will please the youngsters on Hallowe'en night.

The goblins and witches in your neighborhood won't have the heart to move your gate posts down to the corner this Hallowe'en, if you invite them in for a steaming cup of hot mulled pineapple juice and fat, fluffy doughnuts encrusted with sugar.

First step in preparing the beverage is to get a generous supply of canned unsweetened Hawaiian pineapple juice at your grocery store. The other ingredients will come from your spice closet—stick cinnamon, whole cloves, ground allspice and grated nutmeg. Combine pineapple juice and spices in the

following proportions, heat, add a dash of salt and serve.

Hot Mulled Pineapple Juice

- 1 inch stick cinnamon
- 2 whole cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon ground allspice
- 1/2 teaspoon grated nutmeg
- 1 quart canned unsweetened Hawaiian pineapple juice

Pinch of salt
Tie the spices in a small piece of cheesecloth, add them to the pineapple juice and bring to the boiling point, but do not boil. Add the salt, stir. Serve hot with doughnuts, pretzels or crackers and cheese.
Yield: 4 to 6 servings.

Beauty Pageant Queen



HOLLYWOOD Calif. . . . Miss Vivien Coe, 19, shown above, reigned as Queen of the International Beauty Pageant just ended here.

New Polish President



PARIS Photo shows Wladislaw Backiewicz, president of the new Polish government set up in Paris to take the place of the refugee government interned in Rumania.

23 Ears In One



AUGUSTA, Maine . . . Twin ears of corn are no rarity, but experts had "never seen anything like it" when William B. Hewitt, of Cooper's Mills, Maine, brought in this multiple-eared specimen recently. Emily Kehan of Gardiner, Maine, is shown with Mother Nature's jackpot.

If They Could Only Cook! They Can!



Jills of all trades, these three Texas State College for Women girls can remodel a house, milk a cow, raise prize tomatoes, or make a Sunday dress for 44 cents. In competition with Texas' 32,000 4-H Club girls, Juanita Mills of Euless and Mildred Henrichs of Wharton won State Fair Association scholarships, and Elizabeth Harrison of Alvarado won the college scholarship offered annually by the Texas State Home Demonstration Club. They are the only 4-H Club scholarship winners in the state. All three recently joined the TSCW Home Demonstration Club, sponsored by Fred W. Westcourt, director of rural arts.

One Way to Spend a Weekend



GERMANY . . . German girls from the large cities help with the harvest on weekends in Germany, as shown here. Another kind of harvest calls the men.

Bomb Proof Sitting Rooms



LONDON, ENGLAND . . . Families are shown framed in the entrances to air raid shelters adjoining their homes in Southwest London. Emergency shelters, of brick and concrete, can be converted into comfortable "sitting rooms."

DON'T MIND THE SIGNS IF YOU DON'T WANT TO LIVE
(37 Texas people died last year because 21 drivers ignored signs and signals.)



JOE GISH



A GOOD DRIVER, LIKE A TRULY GREAT MAN, SELDOM HAS TO TOOT HIS OWN HORN!

World Series Action Closeup



WORLD SERIES . . . Joe DiMaggio, slugging outfielder for the Yankees, beats the ball back to first base as Frank McCormick, of the Cincinnati Reds, tries to catch him off. No. 30 is Earle Combs, Yankee coach.

Champion Farm Girl



POMONA, Calif. . . . High scores in milking, churning, corn husking and hay pitching won for Geraldine Beverluis, 19, of Bellflower, Calif., the title of Champion American Farm Girl at the Los Angeles County Fair here.

New Legion Head



CHICAGO . . . Raymond J. Kelly, above, 45-year-old Detroit lawyer, was elected National Commander of the American Legion at the recent convention here. Kelly, graduate of Notre Dame and father of six children, is Corporation Counsel for Detroit.

What's This All About?



PARIS What the dog on the left thinks about this new-fangled muzzle only the dog on the right knows. But if war were left to them, we'd have peace—without the gas masks!

Texas Press Salutes John Garner



Ready to "Go With Garner" in 1940, hundreds of Texas newspapermen participating in Press Day at the Texas State Fair in Dallas visited the Garner-for-President booth and predicted a presidential nomination for Texas' Favorite Son. In the picture above, Walter Buckner, publisher of the San Marcos Record and president of the Texas Press Association, and Joe T. Cook (right), prominent editor of the Mission Times, are examining the Garner record, and Sam Holloway, publisher of the Deport Times and past president of the TPA, is signing the guest register, while Mrs. Dale Miller, hostess at the exhibit, looks on. Holloway's home town is on Blossom Prairie in Northeast Texas where John Garner lived as a boy before going to Uvalde to become a lawyer and country editor.

MOTOR MEMOIRS



19th CENTURY MODERNS
WILLIAM MANN, INVENTOR OF THIS VEHICLE DRIVEN BY AIR UNDER HIGH PRESSURE, ADVOCATED A PUBLIC SUPPLY OF COMPRESSED AIR, AND INDUCED THE CITY OF PARIS TO PURCHSE THIS POWER FOR PUBLIC USE . . .

TOMORROW'S PROMISE

by Temple Bailey



Chapter VII Synopsis

away, nineteen, is on she realizes that David Elliott is her mother. Elinor, both her beautiful father, Francis, and Garry Brooks making coffee over a meadow—a charming who gives his name Charles. After Anne has Charles, through a second window in Anne's house, a diffident woman—not Anne, something from a dressing morning Anne misses and Garry Brooks suggest the stranger took them, to be Charles Patterson, Margot, is bringing divorce charges against him. He tells Vicky, companion, while recuperating an injury at Anne's at he believes he saw the pearls. Accused by Elinor admits her guilt, seems them from a pawnshop and Francis tell they are to be divorced, to stay at Vicky's farm

But she had soon tired of listening while he read to her. "Why should you keep your nose to the grindstone, Carl, when you have enough money?" "But it's a part of me, darling." "I'm a part of you, aren't I? And just having me to play around with should make you happy." "I thought you were proud of my success." "Success?" She had shrugged her shoulders. "Writing a book doesn't mean much in these days, does it?" "Well, God knew, he had been weak enough at first to give in to her but the time had come when he had to write or be maimed mentally. He told Margot that, but she would not believe him. So he had gone to his island and had worked alone, and in due time Margot had brought suit for divorce, with the expectation of full alimony. She would undoubtedly get the alimony for Charles had refused to fight. He could have

table two women, their backs towards him, Anne and Vicky! Charles rose and crossing the intervening space, stood back of Anne's chair. "Here I am," he said. As she whirled around and looked up at him, he was shocked at the change in her. Her face was thin and colorless, her eyes dull, her voice tense as she greeted him: "How nice to see you!" "Don't say it like that." "How should I say it?" "As if you were really glad. Not as if you were a little block of ice." He shook hands with Vicky. "You're glad, aren't you?" "Of course, and so is Anne. Aren't you, darling?" "I don't know. Why should I be glad about anything? And I'm too honest to pretend." Charles waited a moment before he spoke. "So that's it," he said at last. "You've been reading about me in the papers."



"How could he marry a woman like that?"

ON WITH THE STORY
ared not tell Francis she herself missed what left behind in his old games of chess with t, she talks and walks, lences about Anne. Now was away from him she how important was the ad played.
ad heard nothing from Patterson. She had not, expected him to write, it gh to feel that in some as way he was linked life. She re-read his two and at night looked up at s and dreamed.
e time was at hand when forced to face reality. e early one morning to t, dressed and ready for she was the first to get timore paper and there, out from the front page, picture of Charles' wife, very smart and smiling as e to the court the evidence ade of Charles something less than a brute and a

brought countersuit with much damning evidence, but he was glad to be rid of her at any cost, glad to be back again on his island with his old negro, King, who was caretaker in his absence, and cooked and valeted when Charles was in residence. There was also a red setter, Ruff. Charles needed no other company except that of the wild ducks who finding food and shelter, were staying on through the winter. Charles too was staying on. Here in this quiet place he lived with the thought of Anne. It was strange how his mind went back to her. Their time had been so short together. Christmas was two weeks away. Charles, taking it over with King said, "I'll have my oysters and turkey right here, and run up to Baltimore for mince pies and fruit cake." "Well, I hope you eats something," old King told him. "You needs fattenin' up, Mistuh Charles." "Fattening up isn't fashionable." "Humph," King said, and carried out his tray. He came back to the dining room to say, "I might trim us all a tree." Charles shook his head. "We'll have to put things in our stockings," he said, and stared out of the window at the dark waves tumbling up against the horizon. The first Christmas after his marriage he and King had trimmed a tree for Margot. It had been a lovely tree—a young pine-out in the open. He and Margot had lighted it in the dark of the morning and Charles had said, "Perhaps some day, darling, there will be a child to light it for us." And Margot had said, "Don't be silly," and the glow of the candles had seemed to fade.

She flushed. "No, I don't really believe it. Only, after Mother and Daddy and everything, it was a last straw." She broke down and hunted in her bag for her handkerchief. Dabbing her eyes, she heard Charles say, "I refuse to be a last straw." He was smiling straight into her eyes and suddenly she smiled back at him. "I'll be good," she said. He gave the order to the waitress and said to Anne, "Now tell me all about yourself." "You tell him, Vicky." They had come that morning, Vicky informed him, to see a doctor. "He thinks Anne needs a decided change. He is suggesting that I take her to the south of France." "I'm not going," Anne said obstinately. "I'm not going to drag Vicky all over the world just because Daddy and Mother have made fools of themselves." Charles spoke with a touch of sternness: "You must not talk like that. Time marches on, as they say in the movies, and we've got to keep step. We can't stop and say 'things end here for me.'" "There isn't much reason to go on, is there?" "Yes, I am going to tell you about that later." He turned to Vicky. "May I take Anne for a ride? Haven't you an errand or something?" "If I didn't have, I'd invent one," Vicky told him.

So when luncheon was over Charles carried Anne off, with the snow coming down as they drove towards the park. Charles said, "I'm glad it's snowing."

"Why?" "Please don't say such things." "What things? I'm not making love to you, Anne, if that's what you're afraid of."

"I'm not afraid," she said shakily, and there was silence until, when they reached the park, Charles stopped the car in a secluded spot where with the snow drawing its white curtains about them, they were safely hidden from curious eyes.

It was then that he said, "I have brought you here, my dear, because I have something to say to you. I think you know how much you mean to me. My little note told you that. If I were free I should try in every way to win you. But I am not free. Perhaps I never shall be. The courts may say that Margot is not my wife, but in a way I shall always be tied to her. It is a feeling I can't explain. But it exists—like the albatross about the neck of the Ancient Mariner." He waited for a moment, then went on: "However, that is neither here nor there. What I want to know now is how I can help you."

"No one can help," she said. "It is just that I believed in everybody, and now there is no one." "Yes," he said, "there are two of us—Vicky and I. We will never let you down."

(To Be Continued)

Greyville

By NELLIE V. MULLINS

Mr. Jim Killion and Kirby Killion spent Monday with Mrs. Opal Hendrix of near Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bolton and daughter, Betty Jo, spent Tuesday in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Burnett and baby visited awhile Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Driver and family of Dry Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks were in Hamilton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Douglas of Dry Fork spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Killion.

Mrs. Ellen Bush of De Leon is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Lambert.

Mr. J. L. Mullins, accompanied by George Greer of Olin, was a business visitor of Mr. Charlie Miller of Millerville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Lambert spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bush of De Leon.

Mrs. William Hicks of Dry Fork visited Wednesday with Mrs. P. B. Bolton.

Mr. Wilford Bush left Wednesday for the CCC camp at Gatesville.

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CLARENCE KLINE One of the "heart breakers" in "Cheating Husbands" at Brunk's Comedians Friday night.

"CHEATING HUSBANDS" Friday Night Feature At Brunk's Comedians, Here All Week

Friday night of this week is designated as the big feature of the engagement at Brunk's Comedians, at which time the play, "Cheating Husbands," will be presented.

The night club scene, in the private dining room, will be played just as it was on the road tour, and very little of the scene has been eliminated.

Brunk's have been playing here all week end under the auspices of the Fire Department, and the last performance will be presented Saturday night.

King Carol II of Rumania has appointed Maria Popp, fifty-two-year-old suffrage champion to the Senate.

Duffau

By DOROTHY DESKIN

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Love and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Wyson and daughter, Mary Jean, spent Sunday at the Dallas Fair.

Miss Pearl Fouts spent a few days the past week with relatives in Iredell.

Dorothy Deskin attended a football game at Glen Rose Friday.

W. C. Fouts was in Hico on business Tuesday.

Estel Moser, Otto Love, Gene Seago and H. D. Anderson made a trip to Fort Worth Saturday to get chairs for the gym.

The ladies of the P. T. A. are busy making curtains, getting the gym ready for the dedication services Monday night.

Mr. Ed Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Arnold and daughter, Ruby Inez, attended the fair at Stephenville Friday.

Roy Roberts and A. T. Lackey were in Fort Worth Sunday.

Darrell and Lawrence Sikes were Stephenville visitors Sunday afternoon.

Bob Wagner, Gage McAnally and Dorothy Deskin were in Glen Rose Saturday night.

Marie Fouts of Iredell spent Friday night with her parents.

Gilmore

By MRS. RUBY JOHNSON

Leroy Jenkins accompanied some Hico friends to Houston Monday on a business trip. They will remain until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McLendon and daughter, Marlene, spent the week end over in the Clairette community as guests of Mrs. McLendon's sister, Mrs. Charlie Tolliver, and Mr. Tolliver.

Miss Doris Johnson of Waco spent Monday and Tuesday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. St. Johnson and family. Doris is an employee of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Earl Patterson spent the week end in Clifton with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Duke. Mrs. Patterson, who had been visiting there the past week or two, returned home with him.

Sunday guests of Alvin Hicks and family were: Mrs. Keller and daughter, Helen, of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Rainwater and children of Hog Jaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jackson and family of Fairy. Mrs. Keller is Mrs. Hicks' mother and Mrs. Rainwater and Mrs. Jackson are her sisters.

Mrs. Lois McLendon and daughter, Marlene, were guests of Mrs. Lucille McLendon at Hico Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Putnam of Robinson near Waco were visiting her brother, E. B. Thompson, and wife over the week end and looking after their business interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McLendon of Fort Worth spent a while Sunday night with his brother, Leonard, and family.

St. Johnson and family, Leonard McLendon and family, and Mrs. E. B. Thompson were visiting the ladies' Jordan and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jordan at Hico one day last week.

Dry Fork

By OPAL DRIVER

A bountiful picnic dinner was served Sunday in honor of Mr. John Latham's seventy-seventh birthday. A large number of persons were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker and children of Sunshine were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Box.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Burnett and baby, Evelyn Marie, of Greyville visited awhile Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Driver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ables of Hico spent the week end in the home of their son, Murrell Ables, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Saunders and daughter, Mildred, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meisenheimer of near Carlton.

Emmett Gordon and family of Olin and Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cather and baby of Hamilton were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Driver and family.

Several persons from this community attended the ball game at Pottsville Friday night.

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In the Heated Tent FRIDAY NITE— THE MOST DARING AND ENTERTAINING PLAY EVER ATTEMPTED IN HICO!

"CHEATING HUSBANDS" "NAUGHTY BUT NICE" Presented exactly as it was in the larger European cities, and the Private Dining Room Scene in the Nite Club will positively be played intact.

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"PULL UP YOUR PANTS" ALSO "Ye Olde Country Store" AND Real Live Baby Nite

Unity

By MRS. L. A. COLE

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Kidd and son of Waco spent Sunday with his father, J. L. Kidd, and wife.

The H. D. Club met at Mrs. J. J. Seago's Thursday and quitted a quilt. Those present were: Mrs. J. L. Kidd, Mrs. Tom Griffiths and Mrs. L. A. Cole, Mrs. Hipp and Mrs. Grady Adkison came in the afternoon.

Mrs. Buford Pittman and son, Jackie, of Stephenville spent the latter part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seago.

Mrs. W. L. Simpson, who underwent an appendicitis operation at the Stephenville hospital is now at home and doing fine, but will be confined to her bed for several weeks.

Little Stella Lewis has been on the sick list.

Mark McElroy of San Angelo and two of his cousins of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. J. Kidd spent Friday and Saturday in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Kidd. Mr. Kidd and Earnest made a business trip to Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffiths and daughter attended the Church of Christ revival at Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hathcock spent a while Friday night with her aunt, Mrs. Cole, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffiths and Horace Franklin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cole.

Want Ads

Nicely furnished apartment for rent. J. R. Bobo. 19-tfc. FOR SALE OR TRADE: 3 mares. See Mrs. G. M. Scales, Iredell, Tex. 21-tp. FOR ELECTRICAL WORK of all kinds see J. R. Bobo. 14-tfc. FOR SALE: Nice second-hand baby bed. Inquire at Lynch Hardware store. 21-tfc. FOR SALE OR TRADE: F-20 and equipment; Oliver breaking plow. See H. W. Logan. 21-1p-tfc. Highest prices paid for scrap iron, batteries and radiators. L. J. Chaney. 19-2p-tfc. FOR RENT: Modern furnished apartment. For sale, \$350 piano. \$50. 16x12 rug. \$2. Frank Mings. 18-tfc. Highest market prices paid for scrap iron, junk batteries, radiators, and bones. Max Hoffman, Hico. FOR SALE: 1 team work mules, 2 Jersey cows, 1 hog, wt. about 325 lbs. Also good wagon. T. J. Luckie, 3 mi. south Hico, Fairy road. 1p. FOR SALE: F-12 Farmall; 2-row equipment; Avery one-way. Used two years; good condition. S. F. Battershell, Rt. 1, Hico. 21-2p. FOR RENT: Nice apartment, furnished or unfurnished; 3 rooms, private bath, private front and rear entrance. Mrs. T. J. Eubanks. 21-tfc.

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Millerville

By CHAS. W. GIESECKE

These cool nights and leaves turning to gold denotes that October is here and frost may be expected the next three or four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Orao Columbus of Dry Fork spent Saturday night with Mrs. Columbus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix.

Miss Marguerite Thornton of Hico spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thornton.

Mr. Earl Norrod has been suffering with an inflamed leg the past ten days.

C. R. Higginbotham and Roy Caulder are in Stephenville today with cattle for the cow sale.

Press Ludwig, who visited his sister, Mrs. H. J. Howerton, the past week, returned home at Marshall last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land of Stephenville, also Mr. and Mrs. Durward Lane of Hico, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke Sunday, the girls' mother being ill the past few days.

Curtis Burk came up from Iredell Monday and is assisting his brother, J. J., get out his cotton this week.

Stasley Giesecke will preach at the church here Sunday. You have a special invitation to attend.

NOTICE IN PROBATE No. 1631. The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hamilton County—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Hamilton, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof: Notice of Final Account and Application for Discharge.

The State of Texas. To all persons interested in the Estate of Fairy Phelps, Deceased, E. H. Randall, Executor, has filed in the County Court of Hamilton County, a Final account and his application to be discharged as Executor of the Estate of Fairy Phelps, Deceased, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the 5th Monday in October, A. D. 1939, the same being the 30th day of October, A. D. 1939, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Hamilton, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Herein Fail Not, under penalty of the law, and of this writ make due return. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, in the City of Hamilton, this 16th day of October, A. D. 1939. J. T. DEMPSTER, Clerk County Court, Hamilton County, Texas. By J. F. HILL, Deputy.

That Nagging Backache

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TAX INFORMATION

Discount Notice!

The following discount will be allowed on 1939 taxes if paid in—

Table with 2 columns: Month and Discount Percentage. October: 3 per cent; November: 2 per cent; December: 1 per cent; January: Net.

On State tax, county tax, all school with the exception of: Hamilton Ind., Hico Ind., and Pottsville Ind. Poll tax does not carry the discount.

If taxpayer takes advantage of permitting half payments, first half must be paid by November 30, 1939, and last half by June 30, 1940. No discount allowed on first-half payments.

I will be in Hico on the following dates: OCT. 27TH — NOV. 27TH — DEC. 27TH

R. WILLIAMS ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

Shortening SWIFT'S 8 lb. 78c. Large Oxydol Concentrated Cleaner 21c. Vanilla Wafers lb. 10c. P & G Soap Our Special 5 Giant Bars 19c. SWIFT'S JEWEL COOKING OIL 20 Lb. Limit 90c. FINE GRANULATED SUGAR 10 Lb. Bag 55c. Dairy Maid Baking Powder Free Bowl 23c. Arm & Hammer Bkg. Soda 2 Lbs. 15c. Canned Tomatoes 2 No. 2 Cans 15c. Prince Albert can 10c. WE GUARANTEE FOUR ROSES FLOUR TO BAKE AS GOOD BISCUITS, ROLLS AND PASTRIES AS HIGHER PRICED FLOURS. 48 lb. sack \$1.35. Marshmallows Lb. Bag 15c. Fine Salt 25 Lb. Bag 25c. Stock Salt 100 Lb. Bag 65c. FOUR ROSES CREAM MEAL 20 Lb. Sack 40c. MOTHER'S PREMIUM OATMEAL Large Pkge. 25c. Quart Mustard 10c. Frazier's Catsup 11 Oz. Bottle 10c. Vanilla Flavor Reg. 10c 5c. Lamp Chimneys No. 2 Size 2--15c. Market Specials Seven Steak AND ROAST lb. 15c. Veal T-Bone AND LOIN lb. 25c. Veal Loaf MEAT Pork Added lb. 18c. Pure Pork Home-Made Sausage lb. 25c. Fresh Pork Ham lb. 25c. Brookfield LINK SAUSAGE lb. 30c. Pork Chops WELL TRIMMED lb. 25c. Veal Chops ECONOMICALLY CUT lb. 20c. Hudson's Grocery & Market

GOLDEN RIPE Bananas Saturday Special 10c DOZ. FOLGER'S Coffee Drip or Percolator LB. 27c. SMALL STICK Bologna lb. 10c. DRY SALT Jowls lb. 10c. SUNRAY—EXCELL Crackers Fresh Stock 2 Lb. Box 15c. SENORITA Chili Lb. Block 19c. BREAKFAST Bacon Sliced—Sugar Cured 25c lb. NO. 1 DRY SALT Bacon lb. 13c. LILY BRAND Oleo lb. 15c.