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Father and Son Sign Up for Navy Service Together

A. F. Poinack, who for a long time has made his residence between Hico and Iredell, was in town last Saturday afternoon...

LOOKED LIKE CHRISTMAS IN AUGUST AT POST OFFICE

It wasn't Christmas here last Saturday at the Hico post office, but the holiday rush had started...

Marine Recruiting Officer to Visit in Gatesville, Hamilton

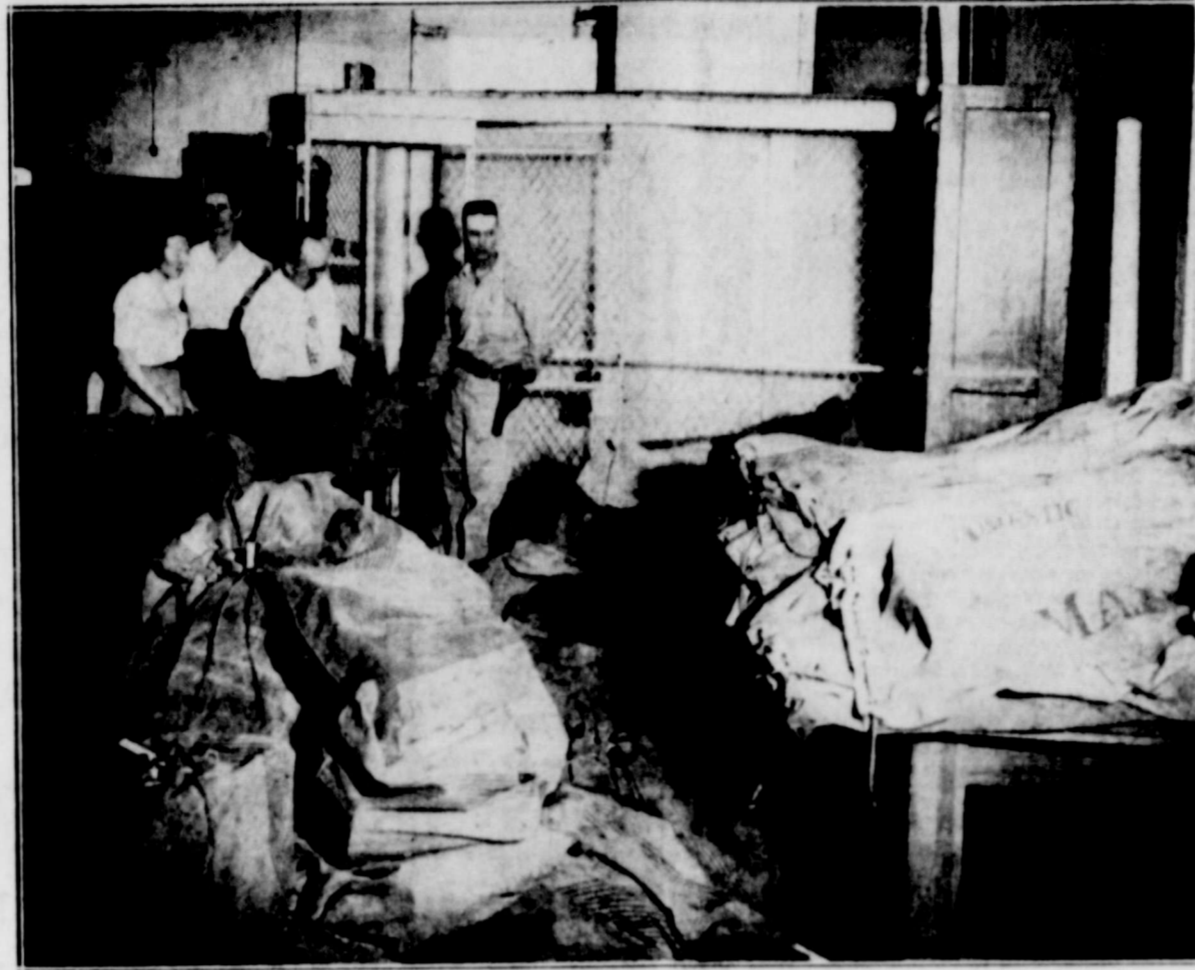


Photo By Wiseman.

Building High Line

Walnut Springs has been selected as headquarters for the Taylor Construction Company during the construction of 320 miles of high line for the Brazos River Transmission Lines...

Keeping Up With TEXAS

Wasp Sting Fatal to Man: Thirty minutes after he was stung on the cheek by a wasp while at work on his farm south-east of Celina...

Will Study Dam Protection: Two hundred men and officers of the 6th Battalion, Texas Defense Guard, will receive actual experience in methods of protecting Buchanan and Inks Dams...

British Funeral For Texan: Mr. and Mrs. E.H. King of Grandfather, parents of Capt. W.M. King of Little Rock, who was one of the seven pilot officers in the British service killed in a transport plane crash in England last Saturday...

Road Bond Session Delayed: A conference of county judges and Governor Stevenson on a compromise solution of the road bond serving program was postponed Friday by mutual agreement...

Jury Goes to Hospital: Justice did his duty Friday in the foothills of the blue Davis mountains. A son was born to Mrs. Fox Parker in a Marfa hospital...

Flood Did a Good Deed: J. W. (Dock) Smith sat under the shade of a pecan tree on the slopes of his bottomland farm near Italy, and watched his neighbors hard at work dusting cotton...

THE WEATHER

Table with columns: Date, High, Low, Prec., Day. Shows weather forecast for August 13-19, 1941.

Emmett to Explain Farm Security Loans At C. of C. Meeting

Carl P. Emmett of Hamilton, county supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, will attend the next meeting of the Hico Chamber of Commerce...

Baseball Cup Race District Tournament Set For Meridian

Four teams are left in Class A cup race competition—Henderson Grill, Cooper Grocers, Meridian Maulers, and Mexia Millers...

DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q. Can my children buy Defense Savings Stamps? A. Yes. Hundreds of thousands of American children are buying Stamps regularly as their share in the national savings program...

Defense Training Center At Carlton Has Been Approved

Carlton has been approved as a center for a defense training school, announced Roy B. Mefford, Vocational Agriculture teacher and local supervisor of the defense training program...

No Drivers Licenses To Be Issued Until After Next Week

Austin, Aug. 21.—Issuance of drivers' licenses throughout the State will be suspended the week of Aug. 25, State Police Director Homer Garrison Jr., announced Thursday...

All Possessors of Counterfeit Coins Subject to Penalty

Quite a number of spurious coins made their appearance here during and following the Reunion, which resulted in the visit this week of a representative of the secret service branch of the treasury department...

Drive For U.S.O. Funds In Hamilton County Is Set For Friday, Sept. 5

L. Brann of Hamilton has been appointed Hamilton County Chairman of a drive to raise \$300.00 in the drive for funds for United Service Organizations...

Warrens Injured In Car Accident Sunday Afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Warren of Hico were injured Sunday afternoon when they were driving back from Iredell and were in a collision with another car...

Connally of Texas To Head Powerful Senate Committee

Washington, D. C.—Texas' Senator Connally, Tom Connally, has been elevated by the Senate of the United States to head the powerful Foreign Relations Committee...

Hico Voters Favor Consolidation With Millerville School

Thirty-four voters of Hico Independent School District Thursday registered their willingness to accept Millerville Common School District of Erath County by consolidation...

Olin

By — Mrs. Wilmon Rich

Little Walter Gene Davis of Fort Worth is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cox and son, Verald. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Williams and daughters left last Thursday to meet her relatives at Lake Camp. They returned Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie New and daughter spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kinser and children. Mrs. R. J. Sowell Jr. of Houston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. King, and sons, Damon and Travis. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendricks of near Hico spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and daughter. Mrs. Drummond Garner was honored with a miscellaneous shower last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Herman Ferguson. Mrs. Garner received many nice and useful gifts. Mrs. Bernice Hubbard was a dinner guest Sunday of her mother, Mrs. Kinser. Leroy and Truett New spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. New. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Shirley are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tooley, and children. Billy and Jerry Jackson spent Thursday afternoon as guests of little Walter Gene Davis.

Clairette

By — Nila Marie Alexander

The Clairette Homecoming will be held Saturday night and Sunday night, August 30 and 31. We invite everyone to attend. The Baptist meeting now in progress will continue through Sunday night, August 24. Mrs. W. H. McChristial and Mrs. Erman McChristial and children spent Friday with Mrs. L. V. Fenley. Mr. J. R. Alexander of Laredo spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives. He returned home Monday, accompanied by his father, R. M. Alexander, and niece, Zelma Fenley. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Truman Fenley. Mrs. John East is in the Gorman

COMING EVENTS

- August 24—Veterans of Foreign Wars encampment in Philadelphia, Pa.
- August 29—F. C. T. U. Temperance Forum, Grand Rapids, Mich.
- August 30—National Model Plane Contest, Cleveland, O.

Hospital recovering from an appendectomy. Mrs. Bonnie Alexander and Nila Marie Alexander visited Mrs. S. O. Durham Friday night. Miss Jo Elliott of De Leon spent the week end with Zelma Fenley. Florine Havens of Fort Worth is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Havens. Lela Sherrard of Mineral Wells spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stipes and daughter of Duffau spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin. Lucille Little of Oklahoma City is visiting relatives here this week. Reta and Vita Roberson are visiting Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Rippeotte of Stephenville this week. Joyce Lynn Moore and Noland Grey of Carlton spent Sunday with Florine Havens. Henry Turner is visiting various points in Arkansas this week. Mr. and Mrs. Deliah Baldwin and son, Otho, of Sedwick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baldwin of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewie Harvey of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Mrs. Parlee Harvey. Mrs. S. O. Durham and daughter, Miss Baylor, and Mrs. Lara Hollingsworth visited Mrs. John East in the Gorman Hospital Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoard of Alpine visited friends and relatives here last week.

Carlton

By — Mrs. T. C. Thompson

Mrs. J. C. Barbee of Quanah is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ernie Burnett, and husband. Mrs. R. J. Sowell Jr. of Marshall is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King, and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Sowell. Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and daughter of Kilgore are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Montgomery of Amarillo are spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery, and family. Hobdy Thompson and Onie Weaver were business visitors in Fort Worth Monday. Mrs. L. A. Anderson is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Blanchard, and husband at Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowe and daughter, Mary Lee, left for Austin Sunday to visit relatives. Hobdy Thompson, Mrs. N. A. Turney and daughter, Mrs. Sid Pines, were in Comanche Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Smith of Sentinel came in Sunday for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. T. C. Thompson, and husband, also her brother, Oscar Allred, and family. Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Clark

and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell and son left Monday morning on a vacation trip to Galveston. Mrs. J. H. Tull left for Austin Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Walton, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Reeves and children of Vernon have been visiting his brother, Lee Reeves, and wife. They all left Saturday afternoon for Marble Falls on a fishing trip. They returned Sunday afternoon, reporting a wonderful time. Miss Bell Cox of Abilene spent last week with her brother, Carl Cox, and family.

Duffau

By — Mrs. W. A. Deskin

The Baptist Revival beginning this week end will be held by Rev. Carl Grissom, assisted by Rev. Dean Elkins. Eugene Anderson, who has been visiting homefolks, returned to San Angelo Tuesday, where he has employment. R. O. Wysong made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Boodie Lawrence of Iredeil spent Sunday in the W. C. Fouts home. Mr. and Mrs. Tootsie Starnes spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Starnes, of Smith Springs. Mrs. W. C. Fouts and daughter, Pearl, visited a while Friday with Mrs. Carl Cox and family of Carlton. They were accompanied home by Miss Belle Cox. Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Howard of Fairly have moved back into our community. Earl Moore, who is attending school in Arlington, returned the week end with his wife and baby. Frank Stipes spent the week end with homefolks. Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. Lois Tomlin, Maxie Juan Deskin, and Mrs. Evie Stone. Mr. and Mrs. Crinty Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Anderson and son, Jackie, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Roberson and children of Pendleton. Billy Joe Roberson, who had been visiting for some time, accompanied his parents home. Mrs. Dale Elkins and daughter, Earline, of Clifton are visiting relatives in this community. Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Smart and son, Harrison, of Bluffdale, and

Mr. and Mrs. John Smart and children of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Arnold and daughter. Mr. Carl Cox and son, Donald Wayne, of Fort Worth spent a while Monday in the W. C. Fouts home. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Seago and daughter, Shirley Jean, and Pat Duzan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hood Howerton of Carlton. Son Starnes of Hamilton spent a while Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tootsie Starnes. Mrs. Ed Arnold and Mr. Dave Deaton spent Sunday with Bill Deaton and family of Liberty. Mr. Mose Cole, who has been confined to his bed for some time, is reported a little better. Mr. Burt Dougherty and sister, Mrs. Clifford Haynes, who have been visiting relatives in Illinois, returned home recently. Mrs. W. O. Moore and son, Billy Ray, have returned from a pleasant visit in the West with her parents and other relatives. The work on the fencing of the right-of-way for Highway 220, the Hico-Chalk Mountain Road, is progressing nicely. Rev. and Mrs. Douglas and daughter, Caroline of Shreveport, La. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Wysong and daughter this week.

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Millerville
— By —
Chas. W. Giesecke

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conner made a trip to Pineland last week, returning this week and working on a dairy farm near Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer and children of near Hico visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shaffer, and his sister, Miss Lovolla, recently.

Several from here had business in Stephenville Monday. Among those we remember were C. W. Giesecke, W. J. Nix and son, Bill, E. B. Conner, Stacy Conner, Mrs. Charlie Conner and daughter, Sybil.

Martin McCollum was in Dallas last week to see a daughter who had been very ill, but she had left the hospital and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Land and daughter, Carman Odell, of Texas City visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, and other relatives last week end. They left Tuesday morning for the Ozarks and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Conner and daughter of Seymour visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Conner, Sunday and Monday. They left Tuesday for Dallas to visit other relatives.

Mrs. Abb Glover has returned home after being in a Dallas hospital for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Norrod of Pilot Point visited his brother, Earl, and family, and his sisters, Misses Era and Myrl Norrod last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Nix and daughter spent last week with Roy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix, and boys, Bill and Travis. They returned home Sunday morning.

The leaf worms have made their appearance in some fields in this section.

C. H. Miller is home after sojourning in the city of Waco for a week.

Greyville
— By —
Nellie V. Mullens

Those visiting in the P. B. Bolton home were Mr. Walter Perdue, Oklahoma City, Arthur Perdue, Berryville, Ark., and Mrs. Cate Whitten, Sylvester, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jaggars and baby visited a while Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Bales and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Graves and children of near Valley Mills were Sunday visitors in the J. L. Mullens home.

Sunday guests in the Tom Johnson home were S. S. Johnson and family, Gilmore; Hubert Johnson and family; Greyville; Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Curtis and son, Miss Dean Smith, Mrs. Whittie, Mrs. Irene Ables and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bolton and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Johnson and family. They spread dinner under the shade trees and all remained for supper.

Mr. Raymond Johnson is visiting in Lubbock.

Mrs. P. B. Bolton visited in the Tooley home at Hico Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Bales and son visited in the Fred Jaggars home one day last week.

Mrs. George Greer and son and Delpha Dee and Dorothea Higginbotham of near Duffau spent Thursday in the J. L. Mullens home.

Buck Springs
— By —
Lorene Hyles

Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson and family are attending the meeting at Carlton.

Marlene McLendon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Len McLendon, visited in Fort Worth Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Grant and daughter visited relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Lorene Hyles visited Betty Ruth Johnson Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles attended the meeting at Hico some this week.

Mattie Lou Pace visited Lorene Hyles Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McLendon visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Houser and daughter, Mildred, Sunday.

Mildred Kirkland of Hico visited Elizabeth Slaughter Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths, of Falls Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol McLendon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Chaney, Thursday.

Mrs. C. F. Hyles and daughter, Lorene, visited her mother, Mrs. G. S. Massingale of Carlton Sunday.

Gordon
— By —
Mrs. Ella Newton

Those that spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Sawyer were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and son, John D. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sawyer and little son, Maurice Arnold, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bullock and father.

Lefty Holland visited his brother, Harrison, and wife this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Murphy of Mineral Wells are visiting their uncle, W. D. Perkins, and family. Ray Howell, who is in the Army stationed at Brownwood, visited homefolks Friday night.

Mrs. Fannie Sawyer of Iredell was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Sawyer Saturday.

Carl Junior Jacobs was a visitor of Lewis Smith Sunday.

Those who visited in the Harrison Holland home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harper and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and son, Mrs. Ima Smith and son, Lewis, and Reba Nell Perkins.

Visitors in the Wince Perkins home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd from Iredell, Mr. and Mrs. Will Morgan and children, Marlene Flannery, and Mrs. Hugh Harris and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Tidwell visited in the Bryan Smith home Sunday; also Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tidwell, Mrs. Fannie Tidwell, and several other relatives from De Leon visited there in the afternoon.

Salem
— By —
Mrs. W. C. Rogers

This section was visited by a fine rain last week.

Misses Voreece McDowell and Norma Lee Everett of Duffau visited Misses Oleta, Hunter, Tina Rodgers, and Mary Alice Crist Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dora Lambert is spending this week with Mrs. J. D. Lambert and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips and children, Donald, Jimmie, and Ar-

retta of Duffau were guests in the home of Mrs. W. D. Nelms Sunday after church.

Mrs. W. C. Rogers is visiting this week in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Sikes and son Cecil at Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Albright and children of Selden spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers and children.

Mrs. Clark, who has been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McEntire, returned to her home in Vernon, Texas, after spending a month here. Mrs. Elmore Dunn of Oklahoma City also visited in the McEntire home on her way to Fort Sam Houston to visit her husband, Mr. Elmore Dunn before he left for Louisiana.

Mr. W. E. Koonsman was on the sick list last week. We hope he is much improved by now.

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Hico, Tex., Friday, Aug. 22, 1941.

SPANKING STILL POPULAR

We learned the other day that 71 per cent of the children of the United States get spanked.

When statistical studies reach the stage where even such subjects as spankings are covered, it would seem as though about everything in the world must have been polled.

But the spanking survey, made by the Reed Children's poll, was actually a very interesting study—the first ever made, so far as we know, to find out how youngsters of eight to thirteen are thinking about it.

For the poll wasn't just concerned with spanking. It covered even more serious subjects than that—ones that are any more serious ones to a child of the spanking age.

One of the subjects it covered, in questioning 10,000 children, was their attitude toward war. It was found that 27 per cent of these children think the United States should go to war against Germany, which is a higher percentage than shown in most polls of adults.

War, it was found, is definitely influencing the ambitions and the thinking of a large number of youngsters. Twenty per cent of the boys want to be airplane pilots, 10 per cent want to be soldiers, 5 per cent want to be sailors, and 19 per cent of the girls want to be nurses.

Another interesting revelation was the air-mindedness of the youth of today, 40 per cent of the boys and girls questioned saying that they prefer air travel to any other means of transportation.

The idea of analyzing the opinion of children should prove interesting and the Reed poll intends to continue its venture in this field. Strangely enough, even though the poll is conducted by the Reed candy company, there wasn't a single question in it about whether they liked candy.

A HEALTHY GENERATION

When we hear about the number of young men who are rejected by the Army because of their health, it would appear as though the coming generation was a pretty feeble group. Heart trouble, tooth defects, and other maladies usually associated with old age, have been the cause of many rejections.

But the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, which has good reason to make exhaustive studies of the health of the nation, says that the health of the American people, including the young men of selective service age, is better than ever before in history.

Based on a study made of rejections for poor health, the Metropolitan company points out that the chief reason for rejections is the drastic standards of selection. "In 1917-18," says the report, "both the methods of selection and the organization of the draft were essentially emergency procedures, developed after we were already at war and committed to raising, arming and transporting a huge army in the shortest possible time. This situation tended to discourage too rigid standards of selection. Yet, despite the immediate urgency of the situation in 1917-18, approximately one-quarter of the draftees were rejected altogether and nearly one-third were unavailable for general military service."

"In contrast, administration of the present Selective Service Act was begun in peacetime, and only the best and healthiest of America's young men are being selected for service. Greater emphasis is being placed on weeding out those men who are unlikely to withstand the mental as well as the physical stress of modern war. Moreover, medical examinations are more complete and accurate, owing to the better training of physicians, and to the improvement and wider use of physical and laboratory facilities for diagnosis."



Washington

Dear panic among small businessmen of the nation is apparent as more and more of them contact their congressmen and the Office of Production Management to find out what they can do to get the raw materials on which their businesses depend.

Complaining that priorities for defense make it impossible for them to get materials for civilian products, they say they are being forced out of business. They also point out that they are forced to let their employees go and refer to "priority unemployment" as being a serious threat to the welfare of the people.

Several branches of the government are trying to solve this problem, but in many cases no solution is expected to be forthcoming. Either these small manufacturing plants will have to find some defense product they can make or will have to close up their shops. The small business men and their employees will be the first to suffer from this state of affairs, but it will soon be felt by the consumers when they find they can no longer buy many products which they want.

The sacrifice of which President Roosevelt spoke last March is now closing in on us, it is apparent here. Last March, the President said:

"Whether you are a steel worker or a stevedore, a machinist or a housewife, a farmer or a banker, a storekeeper or a manufacturer—to all of you it will mean sacrifice in behalf of your country and your liberties. Yes, you will feel the impact of this gigantic effort in your daily lives. You will feel in a way that will cause you many inconveniences."

To make our sacrifices as painless as possible is the aim of all government departments, but it is going to call for co-operation on the part of the people and of business by showing their willingness to go into new kinds of work, move their homes and take steps which involve risk rather than stability.

Legislation is being pushed to control the domestic situation, with price fixing constituting the spearhead of this drive. When the President is given full power to fix prices he will undoubtedly delegate that power to Leon Henderson's Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply. Mr. Henderson is expected to call for volunteer fair price and fair rent committees in all communities and will fix ceilings on prices of all goods which would otherwise go on a price spree.

The price fixing measure, under the present plan, will be enforced largely by the people, who will be given the right to sue for \$50 or a \$1000 fine if they use higher than the fixed price. If the purchaser doesn't take legal action, the government itself will have the right to take action and impose a heavy fine.

The administration has not asked for wage-freezing legislation, but many congressmen believe this is tied up so closely with price fixing that it will have to be enacted soon. Still the leading question, from the civilian and business standpoint, is the question of the taxes which we will pay next year. It is quite certain that the man of small income will pay about three times what he paid last year, but the chief subject of debate now is whether to tax those six million tax payers who were not taxed this year—who earn \$750 to \$900 if they are single and \$1,500 to \$2,000 if married.

Over-shadowing all of our emergency legislation is the question of the true peril faced by this nation and the need for acting as if we are in the verge of war. Debate over extension of the service of selectees and National Guardsmen, beyond their required year of training, shows there is still a lot of anti-war sentiment in congress and a good deal of pressure by the people in many sections to keep out of any involvement in the war. Debate also shows the question of our war peril is still guided by party lines, the majority of Democrats holding to the policies of the administration and the majority of Republicans questioning all moves that seem to get us nearer to war.

The people in the Eastern states are showing less interest in the next move of Secretary Ickes to curb their use of gasoline. Preliminary studies of the curfew on the sale of gasoline, under which motorists cannot buy gasoline after 7 p. m. show it to be rather ineffective. Advertising in big city newspapers, urging the people not to waste gasoline, also has not had the effect it would have in smaller towns. In the cities, where people see taxis continuing to cruise on every street, the motoring public doesn't seem to take such appeals seriously.

It is expected that after Labor day rationing of gasoline may begin. Meanwhile, many of those dealing with the problem feel that the curfew is at least being helpful in making motorists aware of the shortage of gasoline in the East. The hot weather in this city is putting government officials under a severe strain, but there are few who are taking any time off. Members of congress, who used to enjoy long summer vacations, are now thankful for several three-day recesses which they have been able to take this month.

Judging from this report, a young man needn't feel that he isn't in good health just because the army doesn't pass him. It just means that he isn't a physical superman.

"Hico Boy Makes Good" As Shown by Skyscraper Plans

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 19.—Dallas Mercantile National Bank is erecting a 30-story bank and office building at Main, Commerce and Ervay Streets here, and the whole town is talking and watching.

The Sidewalk Superintendents' Club membership is growing daily. More than 17,000 persons have watched the excavating from the gaily colored stand, in its first three weeks of operation. A uniformed attendant presides over the guest register, passes out membership cards and answers questions about the skyscraper. There are seats and a telephone for the convenience of the observers. In the language of the street, members might be called kibitzers—but not by President R. L. Thornton of the bank.

"Their interest is more than appreciated," he said, almost as soon as the first dig into the hard blue limestone underlying the building site was made by a titanic steam shovel. "If they want to watch, they'll watch in comfort," was his conclusion.

Result was a 50-foot "upper deck" provided with seats and a canopy against Texas' summer sun. The deck is very much like that atop a Gulf Coast fishing boat, and it is sheltering hundreds of people every day.

It was soon found that the 50-foot covering wasn't sufficient, so 26 feet more was added and the Sidewalk Superintendents' Club continues to grow.

Membership cards have been issued to more visiting foremen than you'd imagine, and by now they're being exhibited in many points throughout the United States and some foreign countries.

Mercantile Bank officials do not claim originality in the Sidewalk Superintendents' Club—but it does seem that the quarters of the Dallas Chapter are more spacious than have been provided heretofore and a number of new features have been added.

Des Moines, Iowa, had the first one, at the site of the Bankers Life Building, New York's Rockefeller Center had a spectators' stand. So did Boston, with the famed Milk Street financial district the gathering place, when the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company erected its new building.

The lot fronts 200 feet on Ervay Street, by 120 each on Main and Commerce—24,000 square feet in all. Height of the completed building is to be 431 feet from ground-level to top corner. It will have 30 floors and two basements. It is scheduled for completion by December, 1942.

At the present time, the Sidewalk Superintendents are engaged in watching blasting activities, and operations of the drag-line, or steam shovel. It is difficult to determine which is the more fascinating.

The modern use of dynamite in blasting can hardly be compared with former methods. The steam shovel, weighing a mere 50,000 pounds, goes into action and with a raking bite scoops up one-and-one-quarter cubic yards of blasted rock, turns nimbly and accurately deposits its load into a waiting truck. This performance is repeated 60 times an hour.

The average depth of excavation is to be 35 feet which will require the removal of 33,000 cubic yards of rock. Thus, it requires no figuring to determine that the members of the Sidewalk Superintendents' Club have many hours of constructive watching in store for them.

Site of the new bank structure is an historic one from the local standpoint. Upon it, for 50 years, the Dallas Post Office stood. With completion of the New Federal Building and removal of the Post Office thereto, the old structure stood for some time, pending sale of the lot by the Government.

Several bids were submitted, but that of the Mercantile National—\$697,000 according to the deed—was finally accepted. W. Bruce Linn, postmaster up to 1938, recalls that the Government paid \$11,000 for the lot back in the '80's.

And so there's the prospect that the Dallas Sidewalk Superintendents' Club, an outstanding example of Southern hospitality, will be in session for some time yet to come—until, perhaps it may be necessary to provide members with telescopes with which to pick out topmost details of "A City in the Sky"—431 feet above the street level.

Crowds Expected At Opera Under Stars During Final Weeks

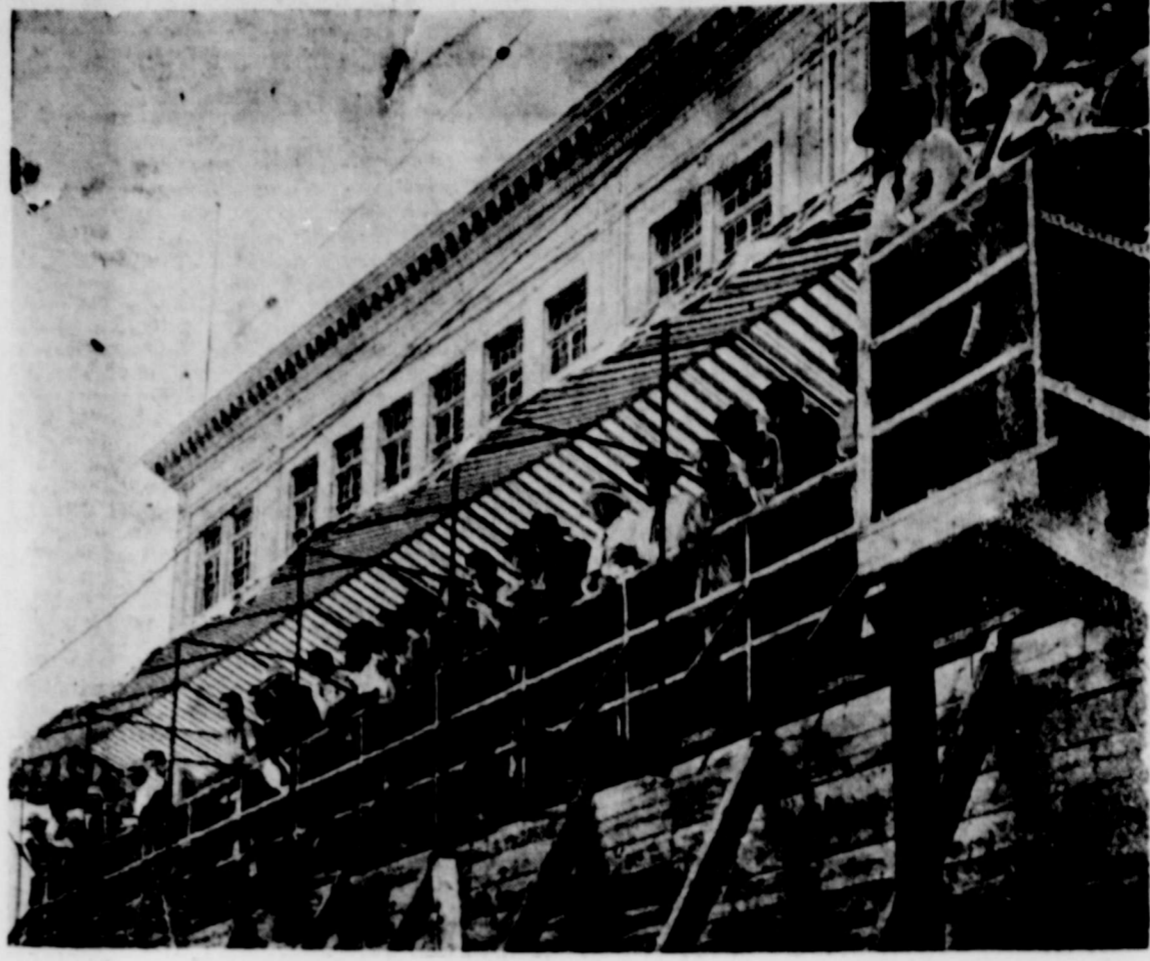
Dallas, Aug. 19.—Going into the final two weeks of its 12-week season of Opera Under the Stars at Fair Park Casino, State Fair officials and J. J. Shubert are elated over increasing popularity of the shows.

"Firefly," which has just closed, set a new record for the season, and "Irene," the current production, is expected to be one of the most popular productions of the entire season.

Miss Bernice Claire who sings "Alice Blue Gown" and "Irene" has proved to be one of the most popular prima donnas of the entire season.

The final production of the season, which opens on Thursday, August 28, will be "The Chocolate Soldier," with Miss Martha Errolle singing the leading role, and supported by Alexander Gray.

"SIDEWALK SUPERINTENDENTS" AT BUILDING SITE



R. L. Thornton, who in his early youth made his home at Hico with his family, is now president of the Mercantile National Bank at Dallas. The bank is erecting a huge skyscraper, and has formed, as an innovation, the "Sidewalk Superintendents' Club", membership in which entitles kibitzers to a comfortable place from which to watch the operations.

Lessons in HEALTH by ARTIE M'GOVERN

Man's Appearance Business Asset

Whenever you see a man who walks along with a firm, brisk stride, erect carriage, and a self-confident air you probably think: "There goes a prosperous looking fellow." He may not be an outstanding figure in the community but his attitude of well being gives the impression of success. In these days of keen competition, a man's appearance is his best business asset. By no means is this confined to expensively cut clothing nor even to good grooming. It is much more intimately connected with physical condition and general good health.

Take a man of 25 or 30 who shuffles along with shoulders hunched over, hands in his pockets, eyes full from loss of sleep, muscles soft from overindulgence or lack of exercise, and I'll guarantee you would not give him one chance in a hundred to make good. But the man of 40—yes, and 50 or over—whose very appearance bespeaks careful attention to a regular life is quite another story. You cannot tell his age, and I'll guarantee anything to do with his ability to get a job or hold the old one. I have seen too many young men of careless habits lose out when older ones of a more conservative strain advance steadily. It is not because they have had a better education nor wider experience but simply because they are physically fit, because they rarely take a morning off to get over a "night before" and because their looks deny their actual age.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

The Writer of Hebrews Explains the New Covenant.

Lesson for August 24: Hebrews 9: 11-12.

Golden Text: Hebrews 9: 9.

The author of Hebrews wrote to show the people of his own race that Jesus completes the transitory and earthly temple and ushers men into the heavenly temple.

This Jesus does as the great High Priest of all mankind. When he died on the cross the temple veil was rent in twain, showing that a mediatory priesthood was no longer needed, that through Jesus every man might venture through the river veil and stand redeemed in the presence of God.

The fact that the temple sacrifices had been repeated through long ages stamped them as transitory and imperfect. Jesus made on the cross, as an old ritual has it, "a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice" for the sins of the whole world. If there was virtue in the oft-repeated sacrifices of the temple, great was the final sacrifice which Jesus made.

Jesus is the mediator of the new covenant which God makes with his people—to forgive their sin and give them power to overcome. As in the case of an earthly inheritance, this covenant is made operative by the great Testator's death. "Almost all things are by the law purged with blood." It is amazing how much the world has gained by the shedding of blood—the blood of sacrifice. Grace itself has brought men the sacrifice of the perfect One—that men might be saved from stain of sin today and all the days. Let us look to Him, preach Him and exemplify Him with greater sincerity and zeal as the great High Priest whom all the world needs.

U. S. Marine Corps Now Wide Open to Young Men, 17 to 30

The United States Marine Corps is now wide open for every young man between the ages of 17 and 30, who has completed grammar school.

Qualifications have been lowered due to the rapid increase of the U. S. Marine Corps. The U. S. Marine Corps offers you two different branches to pick from, Regular Marine Corps or the U. S. Marine Reserve for the "Duration of the National Emergency Only." The Regular Marine Corps is still the four year period for enlistment. The Marine Reserve is the way for young men in the draft age to avoid the draft.

The U. S. Marines offer every man who enlists a chance to better his education by going to the Marine Corps Institute and they also have seventeen different trade schools for the young men who desire a trade of their own upon the completion of their term of enlistment. The Marine Corps Institute gives the men of the Marine Corps one hundred and seventy-three different courses to pick from.

For further information don't fail to come and see the Marine Recruiting Officer at the Waco, Texas Post Office Building, or write and he will send you all the information that you desire.

In a postscript to the above news release from the United States Marine Corps recruiting station at Waco, Earl S. Wade, officer in charge, added the following postscript: "The Waco, Texas recruiting station has been leading all other stations in the Texas District and has been the third leading in the country."

The reason we are leading is due to the publicity that we receive from your paper and the cooperation from the postmasters in our district.

Health Department Warns Public About "Cure-All" Salesmen

Austin, Aug. 19.—"Beware of house-to-house agents who would sell you merchandise under some high-sounding name and claiming that it will cure all diseases known to affect man or beast," warns Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "By patronizing such people the general public is not only wasting its money but is often purchasing an article that may be dangerous to the safety of persons or livestock."

One of the more recent frauds uncovered by field inspectors of the State Department of Health concerns so-called "radio-active Cones." Agents for this company have been covering certain sections of the State zealously, and have been selling a product that is not only worthless, but if used according to directions would be very dangerous to the public health.

False claims have been made by salesmen peddling this product that it will cure not only all diseases, but if used continuously will definitely prolong life.

Laboratory analysis reveals that this product contains radon in sufficient quantities and potency to be unsafe for children and if used by adults frequently and in high dosage would be dangerous to their health.

Personnel of the State Department of Health are constantly on guard to protect the general public against such fraudulent practices but to gain a greater degree of success every citizen should be extremely careful in purchasing any treatment concoction or device from persons who claim marvelous results from their fraudulent product.

"If you or your family need medical attention, play safe, see a competent physician and leave the quacks alone," concluded Dr. Cox.

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Local Happenings

Mrs. W. E. Petty visited in Austin this week with her sister, Mrs. Truman Holiday, and family.

FOR SALE: 300 White Leghorn Pullets, 35c. Mrs. G. C. Keeney, 13-1p.

L. A. Powledge and daughters, Misses Frances and Irene, spent the week end in Houston and Galveston visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chaney and son, Rollie, spent last week visiting in El Campo and Newgulf with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Latham and children visited in Dublin with her father, R. P. Holmes, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheek and children of Brice spent Monday and Tuesday here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cheek.

Mrs. W. L. Ishill and her niece, Miss Docia Lackey, visited a few days this week in Carlton with Miss Lackey's mother, Mrs. Lola Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rierson and little daughter, Sonja Ann, of Kermit spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Ross, and sister, Miss Golden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garth of Bay City spent the week end here with Mrs. J. A. Garth and daughter, Jessie, and with Ray Duckworth and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Duzan, accompanied by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McPherson of Dallas, spent the first of the week in Corpus Christi.

Auburn T. McFadden, accompanied by Taylor Russell, both of Brady, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McFadden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rodgers and son, Billy, of Tyler are here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rodgers, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bowles.

Miss Jessie Garth left Thursday of last week for Stamford where she joined a party of friends in touring Carlsbad Caverns. She returned Monday.

Arthur Walker spent the first of the week here with friends. Mr. Walker resided in Hico until about three months ago when he moved to Hillsboro.

Mrs. Iola Boettcher and daughter, Carolyn, of Dallas spent the week end here as guests of Mrs. Mae Bates. Carolyn returned home Sunday and Mrs. Boettcher remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Forgy returned home Monday night after a honeymoon trip to the Gulf Coast, including stops at Galveston, New Orleans, La., and intermediate points.

Miss Mildred Ross of Colorado City and Miss Elizabeth Ross, who is studying nursing at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, are here spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Ross, and sister, Miss Golden Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Leach returned Friday from a four-day trip to Buchanan Dam, Inks Dam, and Longhorn Caverns. They met her sister, Mrs. M. W. Whigham, and family there and all reported an enjoyable visit together.

Mrs. W. H. Greenslit and her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McKimney of Kansas City, Mo., accompanied Mrs. R. H. Kunds of Fort Worth to San Antonio last week end sight-seeing. Mrs. Kunds returned to her home in Fort Worth Monday.

Miss Frances Powledge returned to her home in Dallas Tuesday after spending the summer holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Powledge. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Irene, who will visit several weeks before returning home.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Hall of Hartford, Conn., came in Tuesday for a visit with his father, Dr. C. M. Hall, Mrs. Hall, his sisters, Mary Helen Hall and Mrs. H. V. Hodges. They will remain over for the Hall-Morrill wedding which will take place here August 31.

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Mrs. Mattie Bumgarner of Gustine spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss, Ana Loue, and Madge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murray and children of Loving, Texas, were visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffiths and daughter, Joy Ann.

Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr., Mrs. W. A. Moss and Ana Loue attended the Hamilton County H. D. Council at Hamilton Saturday. Ana Loue gave a talk about her trip to College Station to the council.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Luckie and son, T. J. Jr., of Brownfield came in Tuesday to spend a week here with Mrs. Luckie's mother, Mrs. W. O. Holton, and her sister, Mrs. C. C. Christopher, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Guyton and little daughter, Bebe, of Andrews, Texas and Hobbs, New Mexico are spending their vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Guyton.

John Blackman of Brackettville, who had been in Lampasas attending to his ranch interests there, spent Tuesday and Wednesday here visiting his sister, Mrs. E. K. Hidenhower.

Mrs. Ed Tarver Sr. and Mrs. Ed Tarver Jr. of Dallas, and Miss Gladys Mae Johnson of Ennis spent Monday here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. M. J. Pierson, and sister, Miss Ann Pierson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Adams spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Adams. They were returning to their home in Ozona after spending their vacation in Pensacola, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Davis and children, who recently moved to Whitney where Ollie is manager of Community Public Service Co. in that city, stopped over in Hico Wednesday night and Thursday on their way to South Texas for a vacation. They visited his father, John Davis, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haines, and family.

Friends are receiving cards from Mrs. Roy B. Mefferd and Mrs. John Clark of Stephenville, Mrs. Berry Winn of Waco, and Mrs. Bernard Stewart and son, Howard, of Abilene, all former Hicoans, who are vacationing in the East. They visited with their brother, Brig. Gen. Clinton Russell, and family in Washington, D. C. They plan to visit in New York and other points of interest before returning home.

Joe E. Moss and Earl Gathright of Corsicana spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss, Ana Loue and Madge. They with Russell Lee Anderson of Fairy and Harvey Shaw of Crowder, Miss., who have just completed a course at the Southwest Aeronautical Institute at Dallas, were en route to San Diego, California, where they are employed at the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation where Carl K. Moss has been employed the past few weeks.

Mrs. Tom Griffiths and little daughter, Joy Ann, were in Fort Worth recently to be with Gerald Griffiths who on August 6th underwent a major operation at the Methodist Hospital. Gerald is reported to be recovering nicely, but will remain at the hospital until the 20th. After a few days he will be brought to the home of his parents to recuperate before returning to his work at Fort Worth. Mrs. Griffiths and Joy Ann visited in the home of Bill Griffiths and family and other relatives while they were gone.

Mrs. Frances Powledge returned to her home in Dallas Tuesday after spending the summer holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Powledge. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Irene, who will visit several weeks before returning home.



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Guest List

Names of those who have visited the News Review office and registered since the list printed in last week's paper appear below. (Unless otherwise indicated, the parties are from Hico.)

Miss Ann Pierson, Miss Fannie Wood, Mrs. Bryan Carl, Mrs. Joe T. Brown, Hamilton, Mrs. W. T. Williams, Carlton, Ed White, Calipatria, California, Ira Tabor, Mrs. H. C. Turner, Mrs. George Norwood, Junior Foust, Grace McCarthy, Mrs. Orval Bell, Geary Cheek, San Diego, California.

Clarence Busby, Dallas, Mrs. W. C. Rogers, Mrs. G. E. Holladay Jr., Margie Lee Simons, Vella Mae Davis, Betty Carlton, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. McCollum, Fort Worth.

L. A. Powledge, F. S. Crafton, Mrs. W. L. Ishill, Mrs. Rollie Forgy, Mrs. Iola J. Boettcher, Dallas, Ollie L. Davis, Whitney, "Dink", Hamilton.

J. N. Hopper of Stephenville was a business visitor in Hico Thursday.

Mrs. L. L. Hudson and daughter, Miss Saralee, were visitors in Waco Tuesday.

Mrs. Leslie Wall of Brownwood spent the week here with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fiedler of Dallas spent the week end here with their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fiedler.

Mrs. Elbert Phillips went to Wichita Falls this week to spend several days with her husband, who has employment there.

Miss Mary Helen Hall and her sister, Mrs. W. C. Hall, who is visiting here from Hartford, Conn., were visitors in Waco Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Pinson and daughter, Patsy, went to Farmersville last week end for a visit with her parents, Mr. Pinson returned home Tuesday and Mrs. Pinson and Patsy remained for a week's visit.

Miss Elizabeth Hughes returned to Hico Wednesday from Abilene where she spent last week visiting her mother, Mrs. William Hughes. She will visit here several weeks with Mrs. Mae Bates before returning to her home in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Jewell and Bill D. Smith, and Mrs. J. H. McNeill of Waco visited here last week end with J. J. Smith. Sunday they all went out to Starleys and enjoyed a real dinner, with ice cream, watermelon and all kinds of good eats.

Geary Cheek, who is a machinist's mate in the U. S. Navy, came home last Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cheek, and to spend the major part of his 20-day furlough. Geary is attached to the aircraft carrier "Saratoga" and has made a trip to the Hawaiian Islands as well as a number of other voyages.

J. J. Smith last week received a letter from a niece of his late wife that her mother, Mrs. Josie Harwell Hogan, had died August 6 at Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Mrs. Hogan, the last of the Harwell family, was reared in the Dry Fork community but had made her home away from here for a number of years. She visited in Hico four years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barrow were in Alpine the first of last week visiting their son, Gordon Barrow, and family. They were accompanied by J. B. Russell, and also by their grandchildren, Selette, Jimmie Gail and Gerdine Barrow, whom Mr. Russell had brought here several weeks before for a summer visit. "Daddy Jim" entertained the grandchildren highly, especially during the Reunion, although he admits that he may have spoiled them just a little bit during their stay.

Mrs. C. B. Segrest and her mother, Mrs. A. L. Ford, were in Comanche last Sunday for the reunion of the Auvenshine family at Lake Games, when 157 were present, counting visitors and all. They accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dick Auvenshine and daughter of Stephenville to the reunion, where some of the visitors were in attendance from distances as far as 400 miles. Mrs. Ford and her sister, Mrs. Laura E. Vanmeter of Decatur, are the only members of the older set of Auvenshines still living. Also present were Mrs. Vanmeter's two sons, John D. and Glen, also of Decatur.

MARY HELEN HALL, BRIDE-ELECT, FETED WITH PARTY

Miss Mary Helen Hall, bride-elect of J. H. Morrill, was complimented at a bridge party Wednesday afternoon given by Mrs. H. N. Wolfe, Mrs. H. E. McCullough, and Mrs. H. F. Sellers at the home of the latter.

Perennial sweet peas and other cut flowers were used throughout the open rooms.

A handpainted set of kitchen accessories was presented to the honoree.

A salad plate was served to the following guests: Mrs. J. B. Ogil, Mrs. Earle Harrison, Mrs. W. C. Hall of Hartford, Conn., Mrs. H. V. Hodges, Miss Quata Woods, Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. Grady Hooper, Mrs. Grover Jackson of Stephenville, Mrs. Sidney Wieser of Hamilton, Mrs. C. L. Woodward, Mrs. J. W. Fairley, Mrs. C. M. Hall, Mrs. J. N. Russell, Mrs. Robert Spearman of Midlothian, Mrs. E. H. Persons, Misses Saralee Hudson, Mettie Rodgers, Irene Frank, Mary Ella McCullough, and Mary Helen Hall.

Summer flowers decorated the house. Mrs. Yarbrough presided at the punch bowl.

Games were played in which Mrs. Dee Arms of Proctor won first prize.

The cakes were presented to the honorees by candlelight. Miss Earline Crawford of Hico presented Mr. Yarbrough with his cake, and Miss Sylvia Lee Lowery of Carlton presented the cake to Mr. Phillips.

The girls sang "Happy Birthday to You." The honorees had to travel for their gifts, following a string that led them to a traveling case which held their gifts.

Ice cream and angel food cake were served in colors of pink and white to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Dee Arms, Proctor; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris and children, Garland and Barbara, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Massingill, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Crawford and daughter, Earline, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lowery and son, Gerald Lee, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowery and daughter, Sylvia Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips and sons, C. W. and Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Yarbrough, Wilson; Mrs. A. B. Yarbrough, Gorman; Miss Nelda Reed, Hamilton; Mrs. G. S. Massingill and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Yarbrough and sons, Rolene, Joy and Ferrell, Carlton.

FORMER HICOANS CELEBRATE 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Palmer of Fort Worth, formerly of Hico, were honored by their children on their 50th wedding anniversary, August 17, at Forest Park in Fort Worth.

Among those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Koipf and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lillian Palmer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Palmer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer Palmer and family, and Mrs. Jima Parnell, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith and family of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. William McEwen and family of Houston; and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kemo and family of Sweetwater. The invited guests were Mrs. W. G. Smith of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Benton of Fort Worth, Mrs. Margaret Gray and children and Mrs. Fred Heuton of Valley Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Smitz and family and Mrs. Jimmie Smitz Sr., all of Fort Worth.

Home Ec. Girls To Hold Open House Next Wednesday

August 27 is to be the big round up of the summer course of home economics. All the projects will be on exhibit; that is, all that can be brought up there. Such things as papering walls and ceiling, building clothes closets, planting gardens, and remodeling rooms can't easily be carried around as our readers will understand, I'm sure.

Falls Creek

By —
Lula Mae Coston

Mrs. Frank Allen and children, Frank Coit, James, and Margaret, and Miss Constance Allen spent last Tuesday in Gatesville with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown and daughter, Mrs. A. O. Allen, who had been visiting for the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Bob Brown, returned home with them.

James Allen stayed for a few days visit, and Mrs. Brown and daughter, Martha Claire, brought him home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coston and daughter, Lula Mae, spent Friday in Stephenville visiting Mrs. Coston's sister, Mrs. O. A. Cook, and family. Virginia Coston and Grandmother Chumney, who had been visiting in the Cook home, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ryan and son, John Turner, and Elfleda Turner spent Tuesday afternoon in Stephenville.

Lula Mae Coston spent a while Saturday afternoon with Hazel Russell of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Neill Terrell and Mrs. Terrell's mother, Mrs. Frixie, of Clifton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ryan and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. New of Pampa, Texas, and Mrs. Chester Polk of Hico spent Friday with Mrs. W. W. Foust.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight and children of Greyville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths.

Unity

By —
Mrs. L. A. Cole

The ten-day revival meeting at Unity held by Rev. M. O. Cheek and the pastor, Rev. Frank McClure, has come to a successful close. Mrs. McClure played the piano. Everybody seemed to enjoy the meeting. There were 4 additions to the church. The baptism was in Honey Creek Sunday evening, and the meeting closed out Sunday night.

Mark McElroy visited his father and mother and sister Sunday. He is in an Army camp at San Antonio.

Mrs. Bob Lewis is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Warren were in a car wreck late Sunday afternoon on Highway 67 near the Fellers place. Mrs. Warren went through the windshield and was badly cut on the throat. They were taken to Hico for treatment by Dr. Hodges, and later were transferred to Stephenville Hospital.

Latest news from Mrs. W. L. Simpson was that she was getting along nicely at the Stephenville Hospital.

J. N. Tolliver spent the week end with his daughter, Mrs. L. A. Cole.

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HICO CONFECTIONERY—DRUGS

IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Boyett of Carbon and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman of German spent Sunday afternoon here with relatives. John, Joe, and Charlie Tidwell are the ladies' cousins.

Miss Pauline Allen, who works in San Antonio, spent Friday night and part of Saturday with her parents.

The Iredell telephone was taken out Friday. A telephone booth for long distance was put in the Patterson Hotel.

Ray Harper, who works in Brownwood, spent the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thompson of San Antonio spent Friday night and part of Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Gregory.

Mrs. Della Phillips of Crystal City came in Wednesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Squires.

Miss Mildred Lassiter and her nephew, Charlie Joe Cooper, both of Cisco spent two days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Henrietta Lassiter. They also visited in Hico.

Mr. Jerry Phillips is ill with pneumonia in the Stephenville hospital. He is some better now.

Mrs. Ada Cole and daughter, Peggy, of Houston spent the week end with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gregory.

The Flag Branch community was visited by a five-inch rain Wednesday, accompanied by a high wind, which blew a house off the foundation and tore it apart. It also blew some trees down. Mr. and Mrs. Ford had a cow killed by a falling tree.

Peggy June Tidwell was sick the past week with the flu, but is up and around now.

Mrs. Thelma Anderson of Freer is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Davis, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whitley and son spent the week in McCamey with his brother, Ogden, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schultz of Houston visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jaehne, from Tuesday till Thursday.

Miss Georgella Harris is visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Bernice Ray Pylant, after a visit of a week with his cousins, Byron and Marcus Leader, has returned to his home in Dallas.

Mrs. Ona Miller Hewett of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Arthur Bob and his sister, Billie Joe Schenck of Shamrock are visiting their grandfather, Mr. Schenck.

John Davis Jr. is in San Antonio.

Calvin and Billy Joe Pylant of San Antonio spent the week end with their parents.

Mrs. W. A. Yeats of Alice spent the week with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Newman and Mrs. B. Sims, of Black Stump Valley community.

Travis Huckaby went to the hospital in Denison Sunday for treatment.

Mrs. Loughlin and her granddaughter, Mildred Jean, visited a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Bradford, of Gorman.

Mrs. Clanton and her daughter, Mrs. Hayden Sadler and daughter Anne were brought home Sunday from Waco. Hayden and Mr. Clanton went after them.

Mr. Virgil Huckaby, who is in Vanita, Oklahoma, spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Sims of Pinnell visited his mother, Mrs. B. Sims, and his aunt, Mrs. Gatewood.

His mother accompanied them home Friday.

All remember next Sunday afternoon is our singing. Our new books have come, and all are invited to the singing.

Miss Joyce Faye Freeman returned to her home in Burnet Saturday after a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Parrish of Cranfill's Gap spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pylant.

Mrs. Viola Leader returned Sunday from Killeen where she visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pylant.

A miscellaneous shower was given to Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thompson Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. C. R. Conley. Refreshments of ice punch were served to the guests as they arrived. Some young ladies presented the gifts to Mrs. Thompson, piled high in a large basket, and some more. The gifts were many, and all nice. Johnny was very proud of her many useful gifts.

The Methodist meeting came to a close Sunday at the evening worship. We had at least three conversions and four joined by letter. The three that were converted joined the church. No doubt there was a large number of others that should have come out on the right side and joined the church. Rev. Morphis did some fine preaching, and no doubt good seed were sown. All church members got good out of the meeting. The sermon he preached Sunday morning was on the crucifixion of Christ, enough to have caused any sinner to turn from his way and accept Christ. A nice purse was made up for Rev. Morphis.

Mrs. James Wyche and children are here visiting.

Last, but not least, the Methodist Sunday School has a new superintendent. He is Mr. C. M. Tidwell, better known as "Murph". He seems to know how to take hold and he will do fine, but he has to have our help. All those that don't

attend the Baptist Sunday school are invited to the Methodist Sunday school next Sunday.

Mrs. Leslie McBeath of El Paso is visiting her father-in-law, Mr. C. C. McBeath, and his sister, Mrs. Goodman. She had been to Alabama to see her father, Rev. Holliday.

Mrs. Henry Newsom worked at the telephone office 31 years, 9 months and 16 days, and was a good telephone operator before her marriage. She was Miss Essie Barefoot. Mrs. Sally French also worked there for 16 years. She worked from 6 p. m. until 7 a. m. She also was a good operator.

The W. S. C. S. met Monday afternoon and we had an interesting meeting. All the ladies of the Methodist Church should attend these meetings every Monday afternoon at 3 p. m.

We have a picture show here. Comes every Monday night. The pictures are good and plain, and all enjoy them.

Mrs. Scales and Allen Dawson were in Clifton and Meridian Monday on business.

Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cozby of De Leon spent Friday night visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ballard and children.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Manning who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton, Myrl and James Horace, returned to their home in Austin Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockett Bolton of Blanket were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Upham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Upham entertained a number of their friends with a fish fry in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnett in Carlton Thursday afternoon. One hundred pounds of fish was fried, which each and everyone present enjoyed very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gibson and children and Mrs. J. E. Hyles attended the funeral of their cousin, Dorsey Graves, in Carlton Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Johnson

and family of Evergreen spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ballard and children. Boyd accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osburn and son, Frankie, of Hearne spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Upham.

Those attending the Cozby family reunion at the City Park in Hico Aug. 17 were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cozby and family, Mr. K. M. Cozby, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Kilgore and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cozby, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham and grandson, Jessie Bingham, Mrs. Lottie Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pylant and grandson, Mrs. Emmie Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilburn, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pylant, Mrs. J. P. Jarrard and sons, Mrs. R. Frankstine, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cozby, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pruitt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Cozby and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bingham and son, Leland Ross, and Jimmie Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cozby and son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Simpson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kilgore, Mrs. Etta Wright, Nell Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cozby and baby, R. B. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Key Livingston and family, Joe Kindler, W. M. Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Nettie Phillips and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Box and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Box and family, Ana Loue and Madge Moss, Muriel Kilpatrick, Lillie Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kilgore, W. A. Moss, Mrs. R. F. Jenkins, Alvis Suggs, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert White and children, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Pruitt and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jennie Pruitt and sons, Mrs. J. W. Bingham, Grandmother White, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cozby and daughter.

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Dry Fork

By Johnnie Ruth Driver

Mr. and Mrs. Chilcote of Fort Worth visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clonch and family.

Miss Leona Simpson of Greyville spent the week end with Miss Mildred Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Ables and family spent Sunday in Hico with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Ables.

Miss Ella Faye Douglas, who has been in Denver City visiting her sister, Mrs. Ray D. Burnett, and family, returned home Saturday.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Driver were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buckingham of Walnut Springs, Emmett Gordon and family of Hamilton, and J. E. Gordon Jr. of Claiborne, La.

Miss Eloise Clonch returned home recently from Waco, where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

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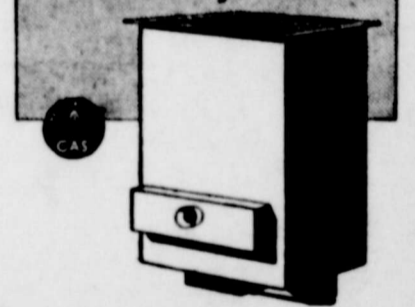
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PIGS for sale at the Copeland (old Dudley) Ranch. J. H. Whitlock, Rt. 1, Hico, Tex. 13-1p.

FOR SALE: Old Methodist parsonage house. Buyer to remove from site. See H. E. McCullough. 13-1c.

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The ROAD to BAGDAD

by **GEORGE GIBBS**

CHAPTER XIII

SYNOPSIS
Camilla Dean tours the East and becomes greatly interested in Ronald Barker—El Kerak—mysterious leader of tribes in Palestine. In order to obtain information helpful to Barker, she accepts the attentions of Hassan Isar, but refuses his proposal of marriage. Motoring across the Syrian desert Camilla is carried off by followers of Hassan and taken to a Bedouin encampment. Ronald's tribesmen attack, and Hassan is killed.

Camilla rode in silence beside Ronnie for a way. As he had said, there was no time for sentiment—only a brief touch of fingers, a glance of eyes as they rode toward the moon. "You know the Saied Ahmal?" she asked, as they gave their weary horses a walk.

"I've seen him—as I said, another descendant of the Prophet I wonder why I never thought of him before. I've got to pay him a visit."

"We," she corrected. "I'm going with you, Ronnie."

He smiled with a fondness she had begun to understand. "You're simply incorrigible."

"But how are we going to get there?"

"A plane, my dear, the one I flew from Jerusalem. This is a land of great distances. Barring mishaps we should be in Bagdad this afternoon."

"Wonderful man! The magic carpet of Ronnie al-Rashid."

From time to time, as they reached an elevated position, he would turn back to look backward. But there were no signs of immediate pursuit. Evidently the death of Hassan Isar had put a temporary damper on their warlike operations.

"But if they are so many, aren't you men at all?"

"The Anazeh don't often cross the line of the Jebel Hauran. We have already taught them several lessons."

Rosy signals had already been sent up from the horizon before Jebel Hauran showed its exact proportions—a great hill aspiring to be a mountain rising out of a grove of palm trees. Men came reconnoitering. El Kerak's men, she found, and in half an hour they were in an encampment very like Hassan's but much larger and set in a cleft of the mountain which had grown bigger as they approached it and commanded a view in all directions. Here, she realized at once, were the headquarters of El Kerak, Ronald Barker's home in the desert, for there seemed to be a permanence in the setup of the tents.

He made her lie in a hammock outside his tent while he saw to the preparation of the plane for immediate departure. And then breakfast—a solid breakfast of eggs, native bread and a little honey and fat. "Are you still game?" he asked her. "Or hadn't I better send you back to Beirut with some of my men?"

She grinned at him. "If I wouldn't go before when you asked me, why should I go now? As a good sportsman—"

"You want to be in at the death? Right! It's your hunt now as well as mine."

Ronnie had decided to take Yusuf with them and he entered the cockpit full of joy in the venture.

Camilla realized as they climbed the air that she had been less with Ronnie than with Hassan, and that here at last was Ronnie as she had always thought of him, whether she was with him or not, sure, determined, cool, commanding, no longer the fantastic creature of the many disguises but a real individual of flesh and blood, to whom, in spirit as well as fact she had given all her friendship and all her affection. There had never been any other. With Ronnie beside her, that purposeful look in his eyes, it was Hassan who was now fantastic and unreal. She had wept a tear or two as she remembered his many kindnesses, but had dried them quickly when she remembered what had happened last night.

One event followed another so quickly that the remainder of her pilgrimage to Bagdad, beginning with the exaltation of her swift flight in Ronnie's plane was more like fancy than reality. And as she tried to remember what had happened, she saw a series of pictures, recalled a series of conversations, like the shifting colors of a kaleidoscope. The Syrian desert, unrolling like a tapestry beneath them, thrilling her with an alarming sense of the spaciousness of the earth, an infinite variety of patches of green that were oases; other patches, like inkspots, that were the tents of the Bedouins; crawling worms of caravans that twisted and turned among the hills.

It seemed only a moment before the four tall minarets and the dome of the Kazemian came into sight against the distant background of the city, a shorter while again, before the nose of the plane tilted down and the earth seemed to come up to meet them with alarming rapidity.

"There's Kufah near-by, Camilla,



There wasn't much time to spare and having discovered that the two ancient men were alone in the house, Ronnie quickly pushed Osman shall down upon the divan . . .

and here is where we land."

He did it skillfully in a flat place alongside the river which seemed to be a landing field. A few thank-you-ma-ams rather joyous than dangerous, and the plane rocked to a stop. Then, after one deep breath, as if in relief, it was silent.

The pictures became very definite now—mud houses and a plane or two under a roof of thatch, Yusuf getting out with Ronnie and talking to a man who seemed to be in charge of the place.

She remembered that Ronnie said something that made the keeper of the airport begin salaaming at once, and then, when Ronnie gave him money, led them around the huts to a dilapidated car of an early vintage in which Ronnie presently drove them along a good road toward a grove of orange trees which surrounded a house on a hill.

There was a pretty little garden at the side where a man in white was sitting in a wicker chair under the trees. When Ronnie came up the path with Camilla, mentioning the name of Gertrude Bell, the man in the camp chair seemed to uncoil himself and attain a great height, making salutations like a dancing cobra. He was well over six feet and his face was black with age, his beard scarlet with the stains of henna, while on his head a great green turban framed his head majestically like a crown. With the name of Gertrude Bell still upon his lips, he gave Camilla a toothless smile and, his little pointed hooked nose, another man sat reading and smoking a narghile.

He was a little man with a round pot-belly, a scraggly gray beard, and watery eyes set in pouches of purplish flesh, partially concealed by spectacles which rested lightly on his little hooked nose. He relinquished his water pipe with evident regret and rose salaaming to Camilla while Ahmal made the introductions.

This insignificant person, she found, was Osman Khali, the man whom all the trouble was about, the only true descendant of the Prophet with a pure line, the mufti of Jerusalem, the symbol of the Moslem faith, and the leader of modern thought throughout the eastern world.

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of the Prophet to the car. No one was in sight at the moment and Osman was so terrified at the sight of Yusuf's gun poking at his ribs that he sat quite peacefully while Ronnie drove away.

"I'm not much used to—to hijacking," Camilla gasped feebly. "What will happen when we get to the landing field?"

"That," Ronnie said, "is in the lap of the gods."

"But suppose," she insisted, "that the man there tries to prevent our flying away?"

"That might create a difficult situation," he replied calmly. "But there's always a way out."

As the spot back toward the landing field they were aware of a commotion from the garden where Ahmal, who had succeeded in releasing himself, was yelling and waving his arms so that his robes flapped in the air like the wings of some gigantic bird. The noise that he made was extraordinary and they saw people come running out of the fields from all directions.

Ronnie drove out on the flying field near his plane and helped Osman and Camilla up into the cabin. By this time the cries of Ahmal and his friends had reached the flyer and its keeper came running out to see what the noise was all about. As the plane began to move, a suspicion of what was happening seemed to come to him, for he rushed out and took hold of the wing of the plane. But when Yusuf lifted his head, he relinquished his hold, stumbled, and fell into the sand. The plane gathered momentum and before Ahmal could reach them they were already off the ground and clearing the huts and palm trees. Shots were fired but Ronnie only laughed while he gave his plane the "gun," soared over the minarets of Kazemian, and squared away for the West.

He was afraid to stop at Hit for he knew the wireless would soon be busy and Moslem planes searching the sky. So after a satisfactory glance at his gauges, he made directly west for Jebel Hauran. According to Ronnie, the party was not to be a complete success until the descendant of the Prophet could be securely placed behind bars in a British prison where no one would know his identity.

And so Camilla's pilgrimage successfully ended. They stopped at the camp of Jebel Hauran for a short rest and sleep and then they took off again for the distant mountains to the West where, in a few hours she would be in touch with Josie and her friends in America. "Is it to be Jerusalem?" she asked.

He nodded. "Jerusalem and then perhaps the fortress at Acre. My job's done. The camp at Jebel Hauran is to be broken up before the Anazeh can sweep down upon it. Elek Kerak, the sheik and robber baron, passes out of the picture and becomes again the name of a village. Syria will see me no more. I'll fold my tent like the Arabs and silently steal away."

"The death of Hassan Isar will make a commotion?"

"Naturally. I won't be coming east of the Lebanon for a while unless I find another identity. I'm afraid my usefulness for England in the East is gone."

"I suppose you'll think I'm selfish when I say I'm glad."

His glance questioned. "Just that there are other purposes, other utilities for a man of your talents, I might say another identity—"

"What?"

"Why not your own? Hasn't it occurred to you that you've taken enough risks for England—that you've a right to become Ronald Barker himself, a man with two countries instead of a man without one?"

"It would be safer for a while," he said quietly, as he watched the saw-tooth peaks of the mountains of Moab come out of the haze and beyond them the sea that showed the way to his country and to hers.

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Stockmen in Hamilton County recently have been warned of the spreading of anthrax in this part of the state, and stockmen in Erath and other counties have been forced to quarantine their livestock.

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John Tarleton's Faculty Increased By Four Members

Stephenville, Aug. 20.—The faculty of John Tarleton Agricultural College has been increased this week by the addition of four new members. Their names and the positions they will occupy are as follows: T. G. Field, coach of football and Associate Professor of Physical Education for Men; Sergeant W. M. Staggs, Associate Professor of Military Science and Tactics; John S. Williams, Associate Professor of Agronomy; and T. V. Laird, Associate Professor of Economics and Sociology.

Field comes to Tarleton from Weatherford College, where his coaching record was a successful one. Besides directing athletics at Weatherford, he also taught courses in health and physical education. Field holds the B. S. and M. A. degrees.

Sergeant Staggs, new Associate Professor of Military Science and Tactics, was stationed at an R. O. T. C. unit in the San Antonio public schools before being ordered to John Tarleton.

John S. Williams, who was recently chosen Professor of Agronomy, holds both the B. S. and M. A. degrees. He received his Bachelor of Science from Texas A. & M. College in 1910 and his M. A. from the University of Missouri in 1911.

J. V. Laird who has been named Associate Professor of Economics and Sociology received his M. A. degree from Texas A. & M. in 1910 and has done additional work at that institution towards the Ph. D. degree. For the past two years, he has held a graduate assistantship in Agricultural Economics at A. & M.

Registrants Urged To Offer Service to Defense Agencies

All Selective Service registrants in Texas who have been deferred from military service were urged today by General J. Watt Page, State Director, to offer their full assistance to State and local civilian defense agencies.

Many young men have been granted deferments because of their occupations, because they have dependents, or because they are not physically capable of undergoing service in the armed forces, General Page said. Nevertheless, he added, they are qualified to perform some work in connection with civilian defense activities and should offer their services to existing agencies or those which are being organized.

By granting certain men deferment, Congress, when it adopted the Selective Training and Service Act of 1916, gave no indication that it intended to excuse these men from the obligation which rests upon every young man—that of helping his country in times of emergency, General Page pointed out. Every man is expected to do his share, in one way or another, when a crisis threatens the national security, he said.

"Many of our young men have entered the armed forces, leaving at home others who for one reason or another have had their military training deferred. Those who remain owe it to those who have been called and owe it to their country to help in its defense when and wherever they are needed."

They can do their part by offering their services in the interests of civilian defense. In the very near future almost every community will be engaged in civilian defense activities. Such activities, of course, cover a range and should include tasks for all young men who are deferred from military training.

No young man should shirk his responsibility if it is humanly possible for him to take part in the increasing civilian defense activities, General Page said.

Duff Cooper's En Route to Far East



Alfred Duff Cooper, Britain's ex-minister of information, with his wife, Lady Diana, and their son, John, are pictured here upon their arrival by clipper plane from England. Cooper was enroute to Singapore as special envoy of the British government to study the Far Eastern situation.

Come on In... the Water's Fine!



U. S. soldiers of the First Medical Unit at Ft. Devens, Mass., get lesson in swimming with full army pack. They are shown here jumping off a dock as part of their new training to avoid drownings in landing maneuvers. It's no cinch carrying 50 lbs. of pack, uniform, helmet as they wade through the water.

Gin Manager, Well Known In Community Died At Alexander

Mr. J. F. Miller was born in Erath County June 25th, 1880, on the old Tindell place down the creek below Charley Deisher's home. He was married to Miss Lucy Baldwin in the year 1909. No children were born to this union.

One of his sisters preceded him in death a good many years ago, and her children lived with this couple most of their childhood. One nephew lived with them until he was grown and married. We all remember Jim Tom Funches and the very sad accident of his death. Mr. Miller never entirely recovered from the shock of Jim Tom's death.

Mr. Miller was working in the Dublin garden a short while ago and had a sunstroke and his heart was in bad condition and he could not overcome both ailments. He passed away Sunday morning, Aug. 19, at 11 o'clock. He never united with any church, but was a Primitive Baptist in belief. He was planning on attending the association at Atwell this week. He was not a man to talk and boast of his beliefs, as he has told several of his neighbors he did his best to follow our dear Saviour's example and live it. If you dear good people who read this will consult your Bibles, you will find there that the little children all loved Jesus, and every child in this community loved Mr. Jasper and he dearly loved them.

He was a well known gin man, having worked for H. L. Kight as gin manager for 21 years.

Surviving Mr. Miller are his wife, two brothers, Mr. Newt Miller of Colorado, Texas, and Mr. Bert Weatherly, Berkeley, California; two sisters, Mrs. Josie Massey and Mrs. Lonnie Winkle; also several nieces and one uncle.

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Safe Driving Is Aid to National Defense Program

Every motorist can contribute a part to the nation's defense effort merely by putting into practice some of the safe and sane driving precautions which have been urged by the automotive industry for years, according to N. N. Akin, operator of Hico Service Station, local Goodyear tire dealer.

"Threat of a rubber shortage has been emphasized by the placing of a government restriction on its consumption, but motorists can get many more miles out of their tires and thereby help reduce waste of this valuable commodity," says Mr. Akin.

"Moderate top speeds for long distance driving are particularly important to long tire mileage and increased safety is an additional dividend. Tires will wear out twice as quickly driven at 60 miles per hour, as when driven at 35 miles per hour. If the driver accustomed to making 55 miles an hour reduces his speed to 50, he will gain 12 per cent in tire wear and also increase his miles per gallon of gasoline."

"Next to speed, quick starts and stops take a heavy toll on rubber. A little less hurry on the takeoff at the change of a traffic light, or a more gradual stop habit, may mean more than 1,000 miles to a set of tires."

"In all of these examples, it is assumed that the tires are properly inflated. If they are not, the cost in useless waste of rubber will be much higher. Underinflation will result in uneven wear and possible destruction of the sidewalls while trends are still good. Overinflation makes the car ride hard and causes the center of the tread to wear out quickly."

"Today it's not only patriotic but plain common sense to give reasonable care to automobile tires," Mr. Akin says.

Suggestions For Treating, Preventing Anthrax In Cattle

J. B. Ogle, proprietor of the Corner Drug Company, has secured from a prominent veterinary the following information about the occurrence, symptoms, cause and treatment of anthrax in cattle.

For the information of our readers, many of whom are intensely interested in this situation since the outbreak of the disease in Erath County and subsequent quarantine, we are reprinting the prepared information:

- Anthrax**
- A. OCCURRENCE**
1. A disease affecting cattle, hogs, horses, sheep, and man.
 2. May take any of three forms:
 - a) Peracute. Animals die within a few hours after contracting disease.
 - b) Acute. Usually dead within 48 hours.
 - c) Chronic (lingering). Commonly found in hogs.
- B. SYMPTOMS**
1. In the peracute forms animals usually die before any symptoms are noticed.
 2. Animals contracting anthrax usually lag behind the others, breathing will probably be rapid and labored, and often swellings which pit on pressure appear on one or more places on the body. Temperature is high and goes to as high as 103 degrees, but may fall below normal just before death. A bloody urine is occasionally found.
- C. ALL ANIMALS DEAD OF ANTHRAX** should either be burned thoroughly on the spot or placed in a deep hole covered with lime and sufficient dirt so that erosion will not uncover germs.
- D. CAUSES**
1. The anthrax bacillus which is a spore former and as such is incapsulated in a shell-like covering which enables it to live for years in the soil until favorable conditions are found.
 2. When taken into the body of an animal either through the mouth by ingestion of the spores, through eating or drinking them, or directly into the blood stream through wounds or biting insects. The spore finds ideal growing conditions and will multiply very rapidly.
- E. PREVENTION**
1. Prevention is through vaccination. Although this is not 100 per cent, it is very reliable and in the great majority of cases will confer an immunity which will last satisfactorily for one year.
 2. It should be remembered, however, that like all vaccines, it takes several weeks for the animal to develop this immunity. Accordingly, vaccination should take place before the disease has actually hit the herd. Otherwise occasional losses might be incurred before the vaccine has time to take effect.
- F. TREATMENT**
1. Large doses of anti-anthrax serum is the only cure known. If the animal is in the advanced stages, even this will often not save it.

Hamilton County Local Board Will Meet Each Tuesday

The Hamilton County Local Board has passed an order to meet every Tuesday at 10 a. m. and anyone wishing to meet with the local board should make ap-

plication at least three days in advance. This announcement came last week from the board members, who are R. C. Carter, John R. Eldson, and A. J. Collier.

The average Texas oil well has to produce nearly three months out of the year to pay its owner's taxes and the land-owner's royalty.

Texaco Sound Truck Provided Assistance During 59th Reunion

W. M. Landsdell, connected with the sales department of the Texas Company, brought the company's modern, well-equipped sound truck to Hico for the 59th Reunion which closed August 9 after a successful 4-day run. Mr. Landsdell was praised highly by S. J. Cheek, Reunion manager, for his cooperation and the assistance he rendered in making audible the programs under the pavilion and in various other ways. The committee has been authorized to extend a vote of thanks both to him and to Mark Waldrop, local agent, and the company they represent, for having provided this feature without any cost to the sponsors of the celebration.

Not only did the sound truck provide means of properly broadcasting the programs, but many of the attendants enjoyed looking over the outfit and having it explained by its attendant. The equipment is the most modern to be had, embracing everything needed in the one unit, and was built and equipped especially for this kind of use at an expense of several thousand dollars.

Mr. Cheek felt that he was fortunate that Mr. Waldrop was able to secure the services of the truck and operator here, for the territory covered by the company with this equipment covers all the Southern part of the United States and requests have to be made far in advance of the date it is to be used.

Hamilton Firm Putting In Feed Store And Hatchery Here

Quince Davidson of Hamilton announced this week that he would open a feed house and hatchery in Hico Saturday, Aug. 30, at which a complete line of poultry supplies and remedies would be handled, along with a popular line of feed. The business will be housed in the building on Railroad Avenue formerly occupied by Bag and Wag Grocery, which is being remodeled and fitted up especially for this use.

Mrs. G. C. Keeney has been engaged to take charge of feed sales and the service department at the new store, it is announced. She says that baby chicks will be available every day in the year, and that they will pay highest market prices for eggs.

Both Mr. Davidson and Mrs. Keeney are well known throughout this section through past experience with poultry raising, and they say they will be glad to meet their many friends at the store after it is opened Saturday of next week.

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BLUE GOOSE TEA Free Glass 15c Reg. Pkg.	DECKER'S SLICED BACON lb. 27c	NO. 7 VEAL STEAK lb. 20c
LARGE SIZE OXYDOL Reg. 25c 21c pkg.	SMALL STICK BOLOGNA lb. 15c	SUGAR CURED SQUARES BACON lb. 19c
LARGE SIZE RINSO Reg. 25c 21c pkg.	HUDSON'S GROCERY	ALL SWEET OLEO Margarine Free Glass 20c lb.