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Senior News
The Seniors have returned from their trip with smiling faces (who are we kidding), blistered backs (all except Hefner and Neel) and flat pocketbooks. We really enjoyed ourselves, but we doubt if Galveston will ever completely recover. We want to thank everyone who helped to make our trip possible and especially Mr. Lincoln and Mrs. Angell, who were drug along everywhere including on the Roller Coaster and in the Gulf.

Next week you'll hear from us the last time in the Mirror since the Senior finals begin then.

— H H S —

Attention, All Seniors!
Tuesday, May 7, the Review Club called a meeting to discuss whether or not they should continue plans for the garden party that they present annually for the Seniors. Do you know the reason they had to do this, Seniors? If you don't, I can give you the reason in one simple three-lettered word: YOU! That's right, merely because some of you decided that it would be too great an effort on your part to come and because you didn't think you would like the kind of party they were giving anyway. I suppose you think they didn't exert twice as much effort arranging the party as you would be required to exert in coming! Think back. See if you don't recall Mrs. Angell asking you what sort of party you would like and just what did you do? One of two things. You either said it didn't make any difference to you, or you just sat there looking stupid. The latter is the most likely. At any rate the harm has already been done. The Review Club was kind enough not to call the party off, but instead they will invite the Juniors also.

Even if you decide at the last minute to honor us with your presence, you have established a black mark against the Senior Class of 1946 that won't soon be forgotten.

— H H S —

We Want a Recreation Center!
Tuesday night, April 30, the Chamber of Commerce met at a banquet served at the Home Economics building. One of the subjects they discussed was a recreation center for the young people. Don Griffiths met with them and expressed the viewpoint of students which had been obtained in a general assembly the day before. Now we want to put in our two cents worth.

Stop and think a minute. You older people have quite an advantage over us. When you get ready to go somewhere you don't have to consider the fact of chaperones, distance to be traveled, time, etc. Even if it is at the country club or farther out you can still go and you certainly never think about chaperones. Well, it's certainly different with us. Not that we don't appreciate the interest of our parents to see that we go to the right places, where there are the right people and that we are home by the right time. On the contrary, we do. What we want is some

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place like that provided. So think it over and see if you can help us.

— H H S —

The C. B. Column
The time for the disclosure of the identity of the real Zingara and Zingosa is drawing near. Only two more weeks and you will know who we are. Are you excited or angry? Well, just hold your horses and keep calm.

A vision of Bonnie Haley and Clifton L. and Yvonne Williams and Clyde L. together Friday night.

The Ellis brothers seem to be taking a lot of Patsy M.'s time lately, only now it seems to be Ralph.

I see that Wendall Seago did not lost anytime getting back into circulation after the Senior trip. He was with Betty Dodd Saturday night.

Fairy
— By —
Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We received another rain on Thursday night of last week, accompanied by some hail. No damage has been reported in this immediate vicinity, but there was quite a bit in the Agee and Lanham communities.

Mrs. Sid Dickerson is expected to be conveyed home some time this week from the Meridian Hospital following an operation for goiter there last week. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

The miscellaneous shower given Friday night of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Brummitt for their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Woodard Brummitt, who recently lost their house and most of the contents by fire, was a complete success. An extra large number was present and many sent gifts if they were unable to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Brummitt received a nice collection of useful gifts and are thankful to their many friends for their thoughtfulness of them in their misfortune. Mr. and Mrs. Brummitt are erecting a double garage and wash house combined of cement blocks, on their home site, and will make it their home until lumber can be secured for a dwelling.

Mrs. Emma Lackey returned home last week from Morton, Texas, where she spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover attended the homecoming at John Tarleton College last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sellheimer of Hamilton spent Sunday visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison and Texie Dell.

Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and little daughter, Carolyn, visited last Sunday with her husband's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Sellers of the Pecan community.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Beck and son, Charles, visited with relatives and attended singing at Glen Rose last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joyner and little daughter of McCloud, Okla.,

have been visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lackey and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitson. Mr. Joyner is a cousin of Mrs. Whitson and Mr. Lackey. Mr. Joyner is looking for a location in this section.

We are sorry to report Mr. West, who lives on the Dorsey place, very ill at this writing, of an infected foot. We hope he soon takes a turn for the better.

We are glad to report Mr. H. C. Beck much improved. We failed to mention in last week's news that Mrs. Beck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Howeth and her brother and wife also Mr. Beck's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, all of near Glen Rose, have been recent visitors in the Beck home during Mr. Beck's illness.

Mr. Bill Lackey carried his father-in-law, Mr. J. C. Sills, of Hamilton to Glen Rose for treatment a few days ago. We hope he is soon much better and able to return home. He is suffering from rheumatism.

The skating rink from Carlton comes here each Tuesday night at the school gym.

Duffau
— By —
Elmer Gliesecke

Heavy rains continue to fall and farmers are lagging behind in their farm activities. Green bugs have severely injured part of the small grain. Corn is growing but grass and weeds are really doing nicely.

Mr. Owens and two daughters and one son of Fort Worth attended church here Sunday. Also W. E. Ledbetter and wife and Virginia Sue of Carlton were attending church here. Mr. Ledbetter and Mrs. Owens are children of the late W. W. and Belle Ledbetter, who passed on several years ago and are buried in the Duffau cemetery.

John Howerton and wife of Millerville visited Sam Priest and family Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Cline of Fort Worth arrived Sunday afternoon and will probably spend the spring and summer here.

Geo. Howie and family had several guests Sunday, among whom were Blufe Roberson and wife and their son, Tad, and wife of Hico.

W. A. Jenkins sold the store and his home to T. E. Anderson of Dublin. T. E. Anderson is an overseas veteran of the 29th Field Artillery, having seen service in the Aleutians and the European campaigns as a radio operator. Anderson was born at Purvis. He has a wife and a 9-month-old son. We hate to see the Jenkins family leave, yet we welcome the Andersons.

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Carlton

By — Mrs. Fred Geye

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKey of Amarillo were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cole and sons, Billy Joe and Floyd. They also visited in Hico, Dublin, Carlton, and Stephenville. Earl lived at Carlton before entering the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Rudd and son Kenneth, of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Rudd and children, Pat and Billy, and Mrs. G. Hinson, all of Brownwood, spent the week end with Billy D. and Garland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mitchell and son spent the week fishing at the Buchanan Dam. They reported a good catch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lefevre, their daughter, Mrs. Roedolph Short, and daughter, Lanell, visited last Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Bertha Henderson, who has been a patient in a Temple hospital for ten months suffering from a broken hip she received in a fall in a Hamilton store.

Miss Lorraine Newman, Bruce Marshall of Paducah and Ralph Rice of Lorenzo were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davidson.

Cland Gibson spent Friday and Saturday in Dublin at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. I. Gibson, who is seriously ill following a second stroke of paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell of Dallas visited Sunday afternoon in the Hamilton hospital with Miss Lanell Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moss of Dallas spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Moss and Mrs. Lilla Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead and daughters visited in Brownwood Sunday with their son, Rufus Whitehead, and family and her niece, Mrs. Ray Vanmeter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vick were in Hico Saturday to have the splints removed from her arm that was broken in a fall six weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Englewood, Colo., visited Monday and Tuesday with his uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lefevre.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ledbetter and daughter, Sue, spent Sunday at Duffau with relatives.

Hubert Stuckey left Sunday for Waco where he has employment. His wife and daughter, Helen

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Mr. and Mrs. Dow Self and sons, Connie Mack and Freddie, spent Sunday at Clairette with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self.

Sam Butler returned home Saturday from a Fort Worth hospital where his daughter, Ramona, is a patient. He reports her improving from the serious injuries she received in a car accident two weeks ago.

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Tull and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Tull of Midland, daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Peterson of Clifton and Mr. and Mrs. Wave Walton of Midland spent the week end with Mrs. J. H. Tull and Mrs. Lillie Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stuckey and children of Waco visited over the week end here with relatives. His mother, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey, accompanied them home after a visit at Rosebud following the death of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Hitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Littleton and daughter, Annette, spent the week end in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cox and daughter.

Mrs. J. H. Tull is visiting in Abilene with her son, Dr. Raymond Tull, and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter McKenzie of Waxahachie visited Monday with his sisters, Mrs. Ophelia Upham and Mrs. Lauren Johnson.

Mrs. H. K. Self of Clairette and niece, Mrs. Goldie High of Florence, Colo., visited Tuesday with Mrs. Dow Self and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sharp Sr. spent Sunday with Mrs. Dyer's and Mrs. Sharp's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Callan, at Moshelm.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sharp Sr. had all their children home over the week end for the first time in six years. They were Mrs. J. F. Ormand of Shreveport, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stephens and grandson of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sharp Jr. and daughter of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chick and children, Carlton.

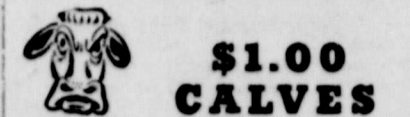
Nolan Geye of Stephenville spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mrs. E. A. Blanchard and Mrs. Gabe Lewis of Stephenville visited here Thursday. Mrs. Blanchard

visited with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Anderson, and Mrs. Gabe visited with her aunt, Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor and daughter, Louella, were Hamilton visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Lillie Anderson left Tuesday afternoon for Stephenville to visit her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blanchard.



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The necessary preliminaries should be out of the way and most, if not all, of the local union contracts signed in the early part of next week. Thereafter we will call employees back to work as rapidly as possible. Naturally, after the long shutdown, there is much maintenance work which must be done, and certain operations involving furnaces which operate at high temperatures will require several days of preparation. I believe it is reasonable to expect that most of the plants will be operating at near capacity within about two weeks of the time they reopen, barring unforeseen contingencies.

Thereafter we will get machines and service parts to you as rapidly as possible. We recognize the importance of providing service parts for machines already in use. Some time, of course, will be required to "fill the pipelines" from the factories to the branches and to you. For awhile, therefore, machines will come in a trickle rather than in a flood, even though production is going ahead at full speed.

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During the strike, there was some indication of a feeling by farmers that the Company was holding back machines which were finished and on hand, in anticipation of higher prices. That was totally untrue. We provided you and, through you, the farmers, with every salable machine in our possession. We held nothing back.

Now, because we will be back in production, it may be expected that such rumors will circulate during the period when we will be "filling the pipelines." We believe it is to your interest as well as ours to explain the situation to your customers. I can assure you that the Company will not hold back any machines in the expectation of price relief. We are too conscious of the farmers' need for machines in this food crisis, and of your need for goods to sell. We will ship machines as rapidly as we can produce them.

On behalf of the Company I want to thank you for your patience, your understanding and your encouragement during the troubled times we have been through. We truly appreciate your support. We will try to show our appreciation by rapid production and the best service possible. We believe better times are ahead for both of us.

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"I AM AN AMERICAN"

In celebrating "National Citizenship Week," the American people once again demonstrate the unity which gives this nation strength. In schools, churches, clubs and community centers from coast to coast, Americans have been giving sober thought to their responsibilities as citizens.

These new citizens are Americans in the truest sense of the word. They cannot be identified by the churches they attend, or the birthplaces of their ancestors. They are Americans by virtue of what is in their hearts and minds. They are Americans because of their service to the ideals of freedom and equality.

Some of our 2,000,000 new citizens have recently returned from battlefronts where they fought to preserve for their country, and for the world, those essential freedoms without which civilized men cannot live. To them, in proclaiming "I Am An American Day," President Truman expresses the nation's gratitude.

Others of our new citizens are the 200,000 men and women of foreign birth who became naturalized during the past year. In his proclamation, the President pays tribute to these men and women who "have shown loyalty and fidelity to their new citizenship in the performance of all the tasks which helped to bring final and complete victory over the enemies of the country, which these citizens have made their own by naturalization."

In defending the Stars and Stripes, the foreign-born citizens whom we welcome today have carried on an old American tradition. These United States were colonized by freedom-loving people from abroad.

"I Am An American Day" reminds us of the great responsibilities borne by each of us—older as well as younger—within the American family.

The unity which won the war is just as necessary to keep the peace. Unity among nations begins with internal unity. In a very real sense, "one world" begins on Main Street, U. S. A. On each of us rests the burden of proof that we are a unified people, standing together against the anti-democratic forces that would sow discord and disunity among the many different groups—racial, religious and ethnic—within our population.

"I Am An American Day" inspires us to reaffirm the ideals of citizenship in the greatest democracy in the world.

If men had no faith in one another we would all have to live within our incomes.

THIS AND THAT By JOE SMITH DYER

COURAGE: No man will go past the point where he thinks he will. When a man thinks he can't, he stops. When he decides he will, he usually goes ahead; and he continues to go ahead until his mind hesitates or halts, and then the distance seems far enough.

American people have plenty of courage — all they require is recognition. YOU like to have your work appreciated and you are but one of one hundred millions. So you see the idea of encouraging courage is a tremendous one.

Before we start out on the trail of life someone should call us back and fortify us with this important thought:

Success is half-brother to a bunch of blunders.

In other words, why should we feel discouraged over some expensive mistake? Until we make mistakes we will never know how to steer clear of them. We do not want to know where the rocks are, but we want to know where the rocks are not. We want to sail in the smooth waters of the channel.

When a responsibility has been great enough, when an emergency has been strong enough and when a motive has been large enough, the best in Americans has always come to the front and history is given another opportunity to record some great result.

Everyone is sure to experience a mental depression, an hour when hope is low and a time when the once bright future looks dark and dismal. We humans must have, at times, some bigger conception, some brighter possibility put before us. Few can carry the extra load of a trying day without looking backward to some stimulating experience, some nice sentiment and none can keep from looking forward to some inspiring hope.

The power of expecting something, or the memory of having had something, is the spark plug that starts us on again after we feel that we cannot go another step.

The point is — when you are blue, get your mind off the present as rapidly as possible. Think of the things worth living for and worth working for.

During an artillery argument with the south, a certain man called at the White House and asked President Lincoln for a pass to Richmond.

Lincoln looked up, smiled and then said: "I should like to help you, but you see, I have been trying for two years to pass two hundred and fifty thousand men to Richmond."

Eventually the man reached Richmond, and you ask me how? He joined the army and marched with his comrades to the city of his ambition.

There is always a neutralizer for discouragement and it is to encourage courage.

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Thousands believe that the road to success is over-crowded with competitors. It is not. It really is a lonesome road but it has a fine advantage — there are so few people to get in your way.

Church News

Methodist Church

Church School 10 a. m. Tyrus King, Superintendent. Preaching 11:00 a. m.—Subject, "Mother." Preaching 8:00 p. m.—Subject, "The Service of An Ox Driver." Worship with us. J. F. ISBELL, Pastor.

Baptist Church

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. by pastor. Training Union, 7:00 p. m. W. M. U. and Sunbeams, Tuesday, 3:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday Evening, 7:30. O. D. CARPENTER, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Preaching service every first and third Sunday morning of each month at 11:00 o'clock. Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. You need your church and the church needs you. Come worship with us, your presence is greatly needed. WILLIAM LE MAY, Pastor.

Church of Christ

Bible Study 10 a. m. Sermon 11 a. m. Communion 11:45 a. m. Evening—Young People's Class 7:00. Sermon 7:30. STANLEY GIESECKE, Minister.

Primitive Baptist

Regular meeting, second Sunday in each month; Saturday morning and Saturday night before in each month. ELDER J. W. WEST, Pastor.

Olin Baptist Church

Welcome to Olin Baptist Church. Sunday school each Sunday at 10:00 o'clock. Preaching second and fourth Sundays of each month at 11:00 o'clock. BROTHER GREENWOOD, Pastor. A. C. ODELL, Sunday School Supt.

Pentecostal Church

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Personals.

J. E. Thompson and S. E. Blair Jr. were in Fort Worth the first of the week on business.

Mrs. R. N. Shirey of San Angelo is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. A. Vickrey.

C. E. Edmiston, District Clerk of Hamilton County, was in Hico Wednesday.

ROSS SHOP, Jeweler. 45-tc.

A little daughter, Melinda Jane, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hagan Jr., in Dallas on April 26. The mother is the former Dorothy Jane Golden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Golden of Dallas.

Tom Coleman and Miss Annie Coleman visited during the week end in Comanche with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blair Jr. spent the week end in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Thomas and attended the JTAC Reunion.

Mrs. A. B. Saunders of San Antonio came in Tuesday for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Malone.

Miss Mattie Greer, who is employed with the telephone company in Fort Worth, visited with friends and relatives here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Berry, former residents, who still own a place northwest of Duffau, were visiting in this section this week.

For Sale — Window Shades in good condition. Call 152. 46-tc.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bommer of Dallas visited here Tuesday night and Wednesday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Roland L. Hofford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Trimmer and little daughter, Sue Kay, of Midland were guests last week of Mrs. Trimmer's mother, Mrs. J. I. Tooley, and other relatives here.

Mrs. D. F. McCarty returned home last Saturday from Abilene after spending several weeks there with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hobbs, and family, and with her son, D. F. McCarty Jr., and family.

Mrs. Sim Everett and Mrs. John Lackey visited the first of the week in College Station with Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Chenuault and Mr. and Mrs. John Otis Chenuault and young daughter, Judy.

Leroy Brooks Jr. visited last week in Las Cruces, New Mexico, and attended the wedding of his cousin, Pat Stovall, who was married to Lt. David L. C. Hover II on May 1.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and daughter, Jane Ann, of Hillsboro and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jenkins and children of Lampasas.

CORSAGES IMPORTANT
Mother will be thrilled to have a corsage to wear to church Sunday. Don't forget to place an early order.
HICO FLORIST 51-tc.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fewell and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McClure and son, Raymond Boyd, were met in Glen Rose Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dohoney of Cleburne. They all spent the day in the resort city.

CUT FLOWERS
A container of Cut Flowers for Mother will be a joy for many days. You will find a lovely assortment at THE HICO FLORIST. 51-tc.

F. K. Tankersley of Fort Worth visited here Wednesday with his sister and mother, Mrs. E. A. Thompson and Mrs. R. F. Tankersley, en route to Boston and New York.

Mrs. C. W. Shelton, who was carried back to San Antonio last week for medical treatment, underwent another major operation Tuesday morning. As the NR goes to press, she was reported to be resting fairly well.

Visitors in the A. J. Jordan home last week end were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harrison and son of Navarro, Eugene East of Stephenville, and Mrs. Fannie Troublefield of San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Troublefield are sisters of Mr. Jordan.

Joan Gollightly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gollightly was carried to the Gorman hospital last Thursday night for an appendectomy.

NOTICE: I have moved my barber shop back to my residence and will appreciate your patronage the same as before. John Itusk. ttc

Mrs. Myrtle Bullard of Electra was here last week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Trantham and to help Mr. Trantham celebrate his 80th birthday.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown and daughter, Betty; W. H. Brown Jr., and James Brown, all of Fort Worth.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellison over the week end were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ellison and son of Waco; her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Trent, Whitney; and her mother, Mrs. T. L. Parks, and Mr. Parks and children, Ranger. All helped to celebrate Mrs. Ellison's birthday Sunday. Mrs. Ellison received many nice gifts including several pot plants from her husband and a beautiful corsage from Mrs. Lawrence Lane.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to use this means of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their kindness during the loss of our home by fire. We also are very grateful for the donation made up and to those who are helping us to rebuild.
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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Chandler of Goldthwaite, former residents of Hico, were here Tuesday to visit her mother's grave in Hico Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Beattie of Riverside, Calif., came in Tuesday for a visit in the homes of Mrs. Beattie's brother, W. M. Grubbs Sr., and her sisters, Miss Mabel Grubbs and Mrs. W. J. Crump. They expect to leave in about two weeks to visit in Fort Worth with Bill Grubbs and family.

MOTHER'S DAY
Think backward—Mother's Day commenced with a boutonniere—look at it now. The day's origin was pure sentiment and nothing else. Flowers are surely the most perfect expression of that mood. To insure best service, place orders early at THE HICO FLORIST.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. T. B. Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Land and little son, Kenneth Ray, of Texas City; Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Perry and children, Sherry and Judy, of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Perry and children, Bobby Jack and Margie Belle, of Meridian, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson and son, Jesse Carroll, of Stephenville.

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Lucy Lockett	Bonnie Pierce
Dancing On the Porch	Betty Jo Hicks
Playing Tag	Dorothy Lewis
Surprise Symphony	Jo Ann Houston
Spinning Song	Paul Allen
Duet	Dorothy Lewis and Wanda Gene McLendon
After the Game	Clarice McLendon
A Birdie With a Yellow Bill	Gertrude Lewis
Duet	Clarice McLendon and Betty Jo Hicks
Minuet In G	Maidee Ash
In May	Kay Jernigan
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"THEY WERE EXPENDABLE"
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TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY—
"MASQUERADE IN MEXICO"
 DOROTHY LAMOUR - ARTURO DE CORDOVA

Coming:—
"THE HARVEY GIRLS"



Viewing with alarm—Lou Costello and Bud Abbott (Thursday night, NBC) seem startled as they view OPA's "It Could Happen Here" sign portraying inflation in action in other countries. China's price of \$96.00 for a ham sandwich disturbed the pair no end.

Dotty Lamour Is At Her Best In Film Musical

Packet with the high octane excitement of a PT boat foray itself, "They Were Expendable" comes to the Hico screen Sunday and Monday from the pages of a best-seller novel.

Robert Montgomery, John Wayne, Donna Reed, Jack Holt and Ward Bond head the army of players. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer mustered for the picturization of W. L. White's action-cramped story. In addition to a brilliant stellar lineup, thrice Academy Award winner Capt. John Ford handled the directorial chore.

Montgomery, fresh from four years naval combat duty, makes a signal screen return as Lieutenant John Brickley, one of the PT boat skippers who helps defend the Philippines from Jap invaders during early stages of the war. A Lieutenant Commander, awarded the bronze star for heroism in action, Montgomery was last seen in the memorable "Here Comes Mr. Jordan."

As Montgomery's fellow commanding officer, John Wayne makes his initial bow under Leo the Lion's star-spangled banner. Wayne has appeared in numerous John Ford pictures, including "Stagecoach" and "The Long Voyage Home."

Story of PT Boat Packed With High Octane Excitement

Gaiety and glamor are the keynotes of Paramount's fun fiesta, "Masquerade in Mexico," which co-stars Dorothy Lamour with Arturo de Cordova and features Patric Knowles, Ann Dvorak, George Rigand and Mikhail Rasumny in the cast. A Mitchell Leisen production outstanding for its beautiful sets and gowns, the film comes to the Hico Theatre next Tuesday and Wednesday, bringing with it loads of musical charm and romance.

The story concerns the playful shenanigans of a beautiful but penniless young woman who finds it worthwhile to masquerade as the titled Spanish singer, the Condesa de Costa Mora. She is hired by handsome Patric Knowles to lure De Cordova, a dashing Matador, away from his sophisticated, blasé and vixenish wife, portrayed by Ann Dvorak. All this provides some hilarious complications that are finally ironed out in a rather unusual fashion.

Dorothy Lamour is at her best in this one. In the first place, she

has an opportunity to display her superb figure (and it's quite a whistle-ful) in some Edith Head creations that would turn any man's head. Also, he dances a bolero with Billy Daniels who, by the way, did the choreography for the entire production. She introduces three popular Mexican songs—"Adios, Mariquita Linda," "Buscandote" (That's Love) and "Noche de Ronda" (And So I Dream). Other melodies are featured by the popular Guadalajara Trio. To top all this off, Dotty sings an operatic duet in high soprano with Mikhail Rasumny, that delightful comedian who always manages to be seen in the best pictures.

Clairette

By Mrs. H. Alexander

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thompson of Arlington visited a few days last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson, here.

Joan Golightly had an attack of acute appendicitis Thursday night and was operated on at the Gorman Hospital. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mayfield and children, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lee and son, all of Fort Worth, visited relatives here over the week end.

Florine Haven of San Antonio spent the week end here with her parents.

Mr. Wylie Johnson's daughter and little son of Tyler visited him last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Condon of Fort Worth spent the week end here in the Bill Head home.

Miss Wilma Louise Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harvey and Horace Roe were married recently. We wish for them much happiness.

Mrs. C. G. Alexander of Waco visited Mrs. May McChristal here and her brother-in-law, Mr. R. M. Alexander, at the Dublin hospital.

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the latter part of the week. Uncle Doc is reported to be slowly improving.

Mr. Ernest Salmon of Carlton visited in the R. W. Sherrard home a while Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Pearl Harvis of Cisco is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lambert of Dallas visited Mrs. May McChristal Saturday.

Mrs. Mollie Cook left Monday for Ranger to visit a sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander spent Sunday at Stephenville in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Denton and with Elizabeth Ann Alexander.

Mrs. Nora Reed of Waco visited Mrs. May McChristal Saturday.

The sad news of Mrs. Arch Mayfield's death, who passed away at the Gorman hospital early Monday morning reached us. Everyone expresses his deepest sympathy.

Little Donna Kay Thompson of Dublin and little Donald Stanford of Brownwood have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

Mrs. Sam Wolfe and son of Dublin visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Fry of Fort Worth spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tidwell of Big Springs visited relatives here last week.

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PATRICIA STOVALL WEDS LIEUTENANT DAVID HOVER

At a candlelight ceremony solemnized in Las Cruces, N. M., at the St. Paul's Methodist Church at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, May 1, Miss Patricia Stovall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Stovall, Las Cruces, N. M., formerly of Hico, became the bride of Lt. David L. C. Hover II, son of Mr. and Mrs. David L. C. Hover, of Cloudford, N. M.

The bride is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Culbreath of Hico and is a cousin of Mrs. L. R. Brooks, Route 7, Hico. Miss Mary Ella McCullough, also of Hico, was maid of honor at the wedding.

The couple will make their home in Cloudford.

CLUBS

HAT-MAKING AND QUILTING BEE AT OLIN CLUB

The Olin H. D. Club met at the home of Mrs. Noble Halle May 2. Quilting began about 10 a. m. Each lady followed the beautiful quilt pattern with her short, dainty, medium and longer stitches.

Special in most dishes were served with other covered plates for lunch. These were enjoyed by all present.

Business session opened at 2:00 p. m. The Committee on Dairy Products gave us much information on the new regulation for those selling milk products in an article from the State Department of Health and Food and Drugs. We learned how we may get our milk cows tested for Tuberculosis and Bang's disease. The Clothing Chairman suggested that we think of buying a button hole attachment for a sewing machine to be used by the club members.

Each one was urged to boost and attend the Amateur Hour to be held in the Courthouse on Saturday night.

Clubs may write what they want to learn to do next year on slips of paper and send in to Program Book Committee to select subjects for 1947.

Nine more hats were made.

Those present were Mrs. James Sparks, Mrs. Richard Tooley, Mrs. Hunter Newman, Mrs. T. J. Hale, Mrs. Noble Halle, Mrs. Olie Halle, Mrs. Johnson Patterson, Mrs. Welton Pierce, Mrs. J. K. Byrd, A new member and four visitors, Mrs. Bill Lackey, Mrs. Elton Sanford, Mrs. Wallace Halle and Mrs. McCanniss of the Fairy Club. We meet at Mrs. Johnson Patterson's May 23rd. Come and learn about freezing food safely.

MRS. T. J. HALE,
REPORTER

Don't let rich land wash away—
save the soil.

PEEK AT the STARS

By LYN CONNELLY,
NEWS Radio-Screen Editor.

IDA LUPINO has been signed for "The Affair of the Diamond Necklace," and negotiations are now on to get Brian



June Allyson

Aherne and Charles Laughlin for the two top male roles. George Murphy owns a hog farm near Medford, Ore., and will head there shortly to put the farm's pork production on a paying basis.

June Allyson, MGM's young hopeful, aspires to the role of Jinny in "Cass Timberlane," and has persuaded her bosses to give her a screen test.

Dinah Shore has won 21 popularity polls during the last four years, 9 of them in 1944 alone. When Mutual's comic band leader, Spike Jones, dropped a sack of cowbells on the floor of the Trocadero recently, everybody got up to dance! The Silver Medal Award for outstanding contributions to the treasury department's wartime efforts, has been presented to CBS' Andre Kostelanetz, who is certainly deserving of it.

Turnabout for Ingrid?

Actresses are scrambling for the lead in "The Snake Pit" with Ingrid Bergman on the inside track. . . if she wins, she'll go from a psychiatrist, in "Spellbound," to a mental patient—a neat turnabout. Incidentally, the choice of la Bergman for "Arch of Triumph" was a tough break for Marlene Dietrich, who is ready-made for the part. . .

Rudy Vallee is planning to open a night club down Rio way.

A copy of the script and a transcription of the Baukhage Talking program March 12 are being presented by ABC to the Hoover library at Stanford university. . . Janet Waldo continues to play the title role in CBS' "Meet Corliss Archer," which recently returned to the air. Says Sam (Almanac) Cowling of ABC's Breakfast Club, "People who ride horses after dark probably have nightmares." Ouch!

BOARD OF STEWARDS OF METHODIST CHURCH ENTERTAINED TUESDAY

Mrs. J. L. Lynch entertained the Board of Stewards of the Hico Methodist Church Tuesday evening in her home 10 miles north of Hico. The main feature of the event was a chicken dinner which was climaxed by home made ice cream. A "shake down" was avoided by a request that all members take off their coats before coming to the table. Ollie Davis had acted wisely by remembering the temptation of coat pockets, and thus, had left his coat at home. All had a jolly good time, and if the character and dignity of those present had not been known you would have thought that a neighboring distillery had been tapped.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynch are members of the Hico Methodist Church and are well-to-do ranchers and good citizens of any community, and the Hico Methodist Church is proud to claim them as members. Mrs. Lynch has spent much of her life as owner and director of the Hotel Crawford Coffee Shop at Big Spring, Texas. She knows how to throw dinners and did a wonderful job of this one.

The following were present: Rev. J. F. Isbell, T. E. Strep, S. O. Elder, J. W. Parsons, J. D. Jones, L. W. Howard, O. L. Davis, Morse Ross, J. L. Lynch, C. M. Hedges and Mr. Marshall as proxy for Grady Barrow. Grady could not attend on account of the sickness of his sister, Mrs. Stella Stringer, Tyrus King, J. C. Prator, and H. N. Wolfe were A.W.O.L. It is not known just what became of them.

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Mother's Day Service



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Mother's Day Service Sunday, May 12, 1946

11 A. M.

At

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