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**NOTICE**

Isn't this a Super-Duper issue of The Mirror. Know why? The brilliant Juniors are publishing it.

**SENIOR NEWS**

At 3:00 A. M. Thursday morning twelve Seniors, our sponsor, Mrs. Angell, Mr. Lincoln, and our bus driver, Donald Hefner, left Hico with Galveston as our destination. Several were still sleepy, especially those that had stayed awake all night.

We went by Texas City before we went on to Galveston. We could not go down to where the blasts occurred, as the roads were closed.

Galveston was honored by our presence about 11:30 A. M. We were very lucky in getting rooms at the very first place we tried. It was a very nice location as we were only a short distance from the beach.

Everyone went to the beach as soon as possible and got the most beautiful blister. After eating supper we went down to a show. As the evening was still young, the majority of the Seniors went to the amusement park. The main attraction there was the roller coaster.

Friday morning, we took a short ride on a boat to see the harbor. We came back by the San Jacinto Monument, and the State Prison at Huntsville.

Our annuals finally arrived today. Everyone seemed to be well pleased with the annuals.

**JUNIOR NEWS**

Last Wednesday the Juniors went on a picnic at Bluff Hole. We all had a nice time swimming, blistering, eating and playing games. Each of us carried our lunch and cold drinks. Just think, we got to miss a whole day of school.

At last we have received our annuals, although we still have to put some of them together. On the whole we think the annuals were very good.

Only a few more days of school left, and gee—are we glad!

**SOPHOMORE NEWS**

There is something good about school—picnics. Our class went on a picnic at Terry's last Thursday. The water was slightly cool, but we had a really nice day.

Only one more week until they give us life or death. Our tests, in other words, then we shall be free to wait for September.

The Homemaking Girls are giving the F. F. A. boys a hayride Thursday night. Did you ever see a hayride without any hay, horses, or wagons?

**FRESHMAN NEWS**

We were very glad to receive our annuals today and everyone is

running around getting everyone else to autograph everyone's picture.

This week Clinton Spotts will be interviewed. Clinton has blonde hair, brown eyes, and he is five feet seven inches in height. His favorites are as follows: Food, turkey; dessert, strawberry shortcake; subject, Algebra; teacher, Mrs. Segrest; sport, basketball; actor, Fred Allen, and his favorite actress is Jane Russell.

**REFLECTIONS**

As the school days draw near to closing time, some of us are sad, but most of us are glad. All this year we have worked hard, we hope, trying to get enough credits to go on with the group to the next room. We are all looking forward to a summer of freedom from books. So this next week we will have to work hard so that our parents will think we are good kids, when they see our report cards.

**BAND**

We played last Friday night for Mrs. Macy's program. And then Saturday afternoon for the opening of the auction ring here in Hico.

We all worked hard getting ready to play with the Hamilton Band and most of us were frightened when we played our first numbers.

We were very sorry because some of our members were unable to be there. We all enjoyed the free show. The band has been asked to the opening at Glen Rose Saturday, and we are looking forward to it.

The band has a new member, Bud Norrod. Bud is going to play the bass horn. We are very happy to have him, and also Joan Johnson is a new member on Bell Lyre.

**WORM'S EYE VIEW**

Nilly is jumping with joy, not wiggling slowly down the hall, but really jumping. Know why? The Queen of the Math room, Mrs. Segrest, has just told Nilly that there has been a blessed event in

his life. Now don't get the wrong impression!

Mrs. Segrest has just informed him that he had received a credit in Math.

All kidding aside, Mrs. Segrest is really a true friend. She is always ready to help you and to advise you, and ready to scold you into good behavior. Everyone who ever leaves Hico High School has memories of her and a lot of them return to give her their thanks for trying to teach them some Algebra and Geometry.

I sincerely hope that Mrs. Segrest will keep up the good work.

Have you a problem in Algebra or Geometry that you cannot solve? Take my advice and go to Mrs. Segrest, she'll know how to work it!

**CRYSTAL BALL**

Gazing deeply into my crystal ball I see many interesting things. I see Barbara R. running around with her head cut off. I heard that it was sent to Austin.

I now see some dark objects swimming around in the C. P.—oh, pardon me—it's some Juniors on their picnic. Everyone seems to be enjoying themselves, but who's the new barefooted girl? Oh, another mistake—it's Miss Rohne.

Friday night I see the following together at the program at the school house: Pat Duzan and Wendell E. Myrna S. and Boyd Reed, Joan G. and Ray K. Jeanette D. and Fred Spinks.

Now I see Willa Dean and Donald H. having a wonderful time in Galveston, and I also see some more very interesting things taking place but if certain people are going to be friends, I had better omit this.

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## IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Seward were in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Mr. Patterson left Thursday for Marlin for treatment.

Iredell had a big rain this week, and it has been much cooler.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Medlin of Temple were here Wednesday visiting friends. They had been to Stamford to visit their son, Weaver.

Mrs. Ralph Echols, Mrs. Clem McAden, Mrs. Bill Helm and children were in Waco Thursday.

Danny Wilson, who works in Pyote, spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Turner of Dallas spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stroud and daughter of Flat Top Ranch and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stroud and daughter, Barbara Lee, of Fort Worth spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hudson. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Weeks of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Weldon Golden and two daughters of Electra also spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hudson. Mrs. Weeks is her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyer and son of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

Miss Virginia Jones, a student in John Tarleton College, spent the week end with her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. George Turner of El Paso visited his mother this week end.

The operetta put on by the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades on Friday night sure was fine. All the children did fine. All of them sure can sing. The teachers that were teaching them are to be complimented for the children did fine and spoke loud and plain. Before the play started, Mr. Allen and his band played several pieces and also played between the acts. The band also does fine. All enjoyed the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powers of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brunnell and daughter of College Station spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gosdin.

Miss Mary Johnson, who is in college at Denton, spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davis and daughter, Mary Lou, and Miss Ola Sparks of Miles are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. T. M. Davis and son, Nelson, spent the past Sunday in Fort Worth.

Y. W. Sanders Jr., who has been in the Navy in Maryland, is on a furlough of ten days to his parents. Then he will go to Corpus Christi to a school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tidwell of Joshua spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lela Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDonald of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Offham were in Dallas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Trimmier and son of San Antonio spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pryor of Stephenville spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Self Jr. and children of Stephenville spent the week end here.

Mrs. Cora Mitchell and Rex, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mitchell attended the funeral of Mrs. Fanny Flanagan in Oklahoma. They left Saturday. She is the sister of Bud, Charlie, and the late T. Mitchell. She was well known here.

Miss Joyce Deane Myers of Dallas spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Echols of San Antonio spent the week end with his parents, and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

Paul Patterson of Dallas visited his mother on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Dennis attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Ross, at Knox City. They went Thursday and returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. Emma Savage of Granbury visited Mrs. Patterson on Sunday afternoon.

Bob Harris of San Antonio spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. Wright Dennis left Sunday afternoon for Waco to be at the bedside of his brother, R. Q. Dennis, who is very ill.

A miscellaneous shower was given to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Wilson on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Patterson. It was sponsored by Mrs. J. E. Lawrence, Mrs. Tom Strange, Mrs. McAden, Mrs. Roy Moore, Mrs. R. S. Echols, and Mrs. Ralph Echols. As the guests arrived they were served ice cream and cookies. When Susie came in, the gifts were brought in and she carefully unwrapped each gift and all inspected them. All were sure nice. They are very proud of the nice gifts and thanked all for them.

Mr. Russell Armstrong of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Press Williams and Mrs. S. W. Williams of Granbury visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson Sunday afternoon. They are relatives of Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Goodman and Gay of Hico spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Pike, and his mother, Mrs. Annie Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wilson of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents.

The Mother's Day programs were nice and well attended at both churches. Rev. Norris preached a fine Mother's Day sermon at the morning service.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble McPeck and children and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Davis of Sanatorium and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Dunlap of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Thompson and daughters of Waco spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap. The ladies are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seward spent the week end with his parents in Brownwood.

Abe Myers returned Sunday night from Fort Worth, where he visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roberts of Stephenville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Rev. and Mrs. Norris and son visited her grandmother in Dublin Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents. She passed away at 4:00 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tidwell, Mrs. Lasswell and Mrs. J. L. Davis attended the funeral Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Vella Harris and daughter, Helen, of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

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As Mayor of the City of Hico, Texas and by virtue of the authority vested in me as such, I hereby proclaim the week beginning May 19th as CLEAN-UP WEEK, and call upon every citizen to render all the aid and cooperation possible during the campaign.

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**New Edition of  
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Just Off the Press**

Austin, May 13.—A new edition of the official State Highway Map is just off the press to aid Texas travelers in finding their way over the state's rapidly expanding road system.

Color photographs of things to see and do in the Lone Star State are featured on the map to help lure tourists from other States and inspire Texans to "See Texas First."

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer announced free copies of the new map are available to the traveling public upon request. They will be distributed through the Highway Department's main office at Austin, the 25 district offices, and at the Department's information bureaus located at points of entry into Texas.

Progress on the postwar building program is graphically indicated on the new map which carries more than 1,100 miles of new paved road which were not shown on the former edition.

**Clairette**

By  
Mrs. H. Alexander

School will close here May 23.

A good singing was enjoyed last Sunday night. Visitors from Stephenville and other places were here and took part. We certainly appreciate their coming, and extend a welcome to everyone to come next second Sunday night, which is our regular singing time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Salmon made a business trip to Dallas one day last week. They came back by Fort Worth and spent the night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lee and son.

Mrs. C. G. Alexander and Mrs. Hill of Waco visited in the home of Mr. H. M. Alexander last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Fenley, who has been living in Fort Worth the past few years, moved back to her home here last week.

Mrs. Myrtle Thompson and Mrs. Ruth Salmon visited the Methodist Christian Social Society in Dublin one night last week, and also enjoyed a nice supper served by the Society.

Mr. T. D. Stephens and a son, "Prentis" Stephens, and wife of Fair visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Johnson the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Laura Fillingsworth of Odessa and Mr. I. E. Durham of Belton spent the week end in the home of Mrs. S. O. Durham. Mrs. Fillingsworth remained for a longer visit.

Corkey Dowdy and an aunt of Fort Worth visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dowdy and family, the first part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Denton and baby son and Elizabeth Alexander of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Alexander were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eberidge Sherrard of Fort Worth, Miss Lila Sherrard of Mineral Wells spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard, and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Little of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Haley during the week end.

**LOCAL STUDENTS AT  
TARLETON ELIGIBLE FOR  
GRADUATION MAY 26**

Stephenville, May 12.—Mary Jane Barrow and Jack Weeks of Hico, and Bobbie Ray Hensley of Iredell are among the 52 Seniors at Tarleton Agricultural College eligible for graduation, according to a list released by L. S. Moore, Registrar.

Mary Jane is majoring in Pre-Med and has attended Tarleton for four semesters.

Jack is majoring in Business Administration.

Bobbie is majoring in agriculture and is an active member of several social groups of the college.

The graduation Seniors will be exempt from all final exams as has been announced by the Registrar's office.

On Senior Day a reception will be held for the graduates, faculty, and parents at the home of Dean E. J. Howell.

The Commencement exercises will be held May 26 in the Auditorium with Col. Ike Ashburn, Secretary of the Texas Good Roads Association, of Austin, as guest speaker.

**Elizabeth A. Conner,  
Octogenarian, Buried  
At Millerville Monday**

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Conner, age 89 years and 9 months, died at the home of her son, A. L. Conner of Stamford, Saturday, May 10, 1947 at 10:30 p. m.

She had been living in the home of E. B. Conner of Seymour for the past two years. She had been visiting in Stamford a week when she became ill and died three days later.

Kinney Funeral Home of Stamford and Barrow Funeral Home of Hico were in charge of all arrangements.

Services were held Monday afternoon at the Church of Christ in Hico, where she had attended services for many years. She was laid to rest beside the grave of her husband, who preceded her in death in 1938, in the Millerville community.

Elizabeth Ann Stanley was born August 27, 1857, in Cincinnati, Ohio. At the age of three months the family went by wagon train to Kentucky. After residing there about a year, they went to Bates County, Missouri. Living there until she was 17 years old, the family moved again by wagon train, this time to Austin County, Texas, where she was married to E. J. Conner.

They continued their residence there for another year, then took their infant son and went horse-back to Lynn County, Kansas, where they purchased a farm and lived until 1899, when they moved to Erath County, Texas, near Hico.

At the age of 15, she obeyed the Gospel, and was united with the Church of Christ. She lived a devout Christian life until her death.

She led an active life, doing most of her own work until a few weeks ago. Three days before her death she was attended by a Stamford physician, making the second time in her life a doctor had ever been called in for her.

She is survived by five children: Mrs. Dora Starley of Fort Worth, A. L. Conner of Stamford, E. B. Conner of Seymour, C. L. Conner of Buna, and Mrs. L. F. Nix of Meagargel, Texas. Also surviving are one sister, Mrs. O. W. Baleman of Littlefield, and one half-brother, C. A. Ramfield; 27 grandchildren, 29 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Last rites were said by Elder Stanley Glessecke, a nephew of the deceased and a minister of the Church of Christ.

Pallbearers were W. B. Conner, L. E. Wofford, J. A. Manley, O. F. Richeson, and S. H. Conner.

Flower girls were Bettye Wofford, Lucille Conner, Nannie Livefy, and Sylvia Conner.

**LEVELLAND BOXING CHAMPS  
RELATED TO LOCAL FAMILIES**

Bill Henderson and Dale Whatley, Levelland Golden Gloves boxers, won decisions in two fights in Abilene Monday night in a benefit affair for the Boys Ranch there, under the sponsorship of the Optimist Club. The latter is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Whatley of Hico Route 1, and both lads are grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Funk of Hico Route 6.

Henderson won his three-round bout over Clell Whetzel of Abilene, who had fought more than 200 bouts.

Whatley defeated Hugh Whiteside of Abilene also by a three-round decision. Henderson is a featherweight and Whatley is a middleweight.

Fourteen bouts were on the Monday night program that packed the Fair Park Auditorium in Abilene.

The Levelland mittmen were guests of the Abilene Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday at noon.—Exchange.

C. G. Little, Chief Aviation Machinist's Mate, USN, has been visiting friends in Hico this week while on leave.

**Altman**

By  
Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Thursday, May 22, has been set to work the Altman cemetery. The weather was threatening on the annual date, the second Thursday in May, and there was not any work done. Everyone who is interested is urged to come and help with the much-needed work.

Mr. and Mrs. Truette Jones visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, in Moran Monday.

John Allen Moore was a Dublin visitor Monday.

Several from this community attended the auction sale at Hico Saturday on the opening day.

Emmitt Lemley, Mrs. Victor Gillis and Miss Trula Land of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Melton McGeehee of Wayside spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Land.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. May, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Busby and son, Jerry, of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Corby and children from Friday until Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. McPherson and their daughter, Miss Creola, visited Mrs. Annie McPherson and son, Stanley, in Carlton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moore and children of Goose Creek spent the week end in the John Moore home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Varette and sons of Ralls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham last Thursday night.

**Typhus Fever Is  
A Serious Health  
Menace to Texas**

Austin, May 13.—In recent years typhus fever has developed into a serious health menace in Texas, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who today issued an appeal for every Texan to cooperate in rodent control measures which will prevent the spread of this disease.

"Last year, 1147 cases of typhus were reported in Texas, and in the first 18 weeks of this year, the State Health Department has been notified of 185 cases," Dr. Cox stated. "With the peak of this disease usually occurring in August, if the present trend is continued, we may expect this total to be greatly increased by the end of summer."

The type of typhus fever occurring in Texas is known as epidemic or Brill's disease, and is transmitted to human beings from infected rats, by means of the rat flea. The eradication of rats, is the only way to reduce this health hazard, and a consistent program will materially aid in the control of typhus in Texas.

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that it is the duty of every individual to cooperate in strict rodent control measures since the eradication of rats is the only possible way typhus fever can be controlled.

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# Personals.

Miss Ira Cunningham is spending the week in Cleburne with her sister, Mrs. O. M. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ballard of Dallas spent a white Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and family of Hillsboro spent the week end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dodd and little Linda Jean Bradford spent Sunday in Strawn with Mrs. Dodds mother, Mrs. W. L. Cole.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wille and Bobby Jones of Austin, and Jewel Jones of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted J. D. Roberson of Norman, Okla., spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rounsaville of Antelope, Texas, visited in Hico Wednesday with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Rounsaville.

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon T. Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perkins of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rierson and daughter, Sonja Ann, of Dallas.

Mrs. J. H. McNeill came up from Waco Saturday afternoon and was accompanied by her father, J. J. Smith, to the home of their sister and daughter, Mrs. L. W. Weeks, in Black Stump Valley, where they spent the week end.

Mrs. W. M. Emmons left last week for Wichita Falls for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Emma Holt. Week-end and Tuesday guests of Mr. Emmons were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emmons of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Emmons and son, Jimmie, of Matador.

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mosmann and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson and baby of Fort Worth, Roy Davis and family of Hamilton, Pitt Pittman and family of Stephenville and J. W. Pittman of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duckworth and daughter, Latrelle, returned Monday to their home in Goldthwaite after having been called here last Friday on account of the illness of his father, R. L. Duckworth. They also visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Richbourg.

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A little girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown in Fort Worth on May 13. Grandparents in Hico are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown Sr.

Miss Thelma Brown of Pochontas, Ark., visited her niece, Mrs. W. H. Brown Jr., for the past week. She returned home Tuesday.

Staff Sergeant and Mrs. Douglas Helvey came in Tuesday from Lockhart for a visit with their parents, W. H. Helvey and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Verdusco and children, Rosalind, Bobbie and Gleason, of Sulphur, La., arrived here last Saturday for a week's visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lusk Randaal. Week-end visitors in the Randaal home were another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Castles, and son, Vance, of Odessa.

Miss Rosemary Tunnell and Ted Tunnell of Fort Worth spent Sunday here in the home of their aunts, Miss Nettie Wieser, Mrs. Geo. Anderson, and Mrs. Harry Gleason. They were accompanied home Sunday night by their mother, Mrs. Ida Tunnell, who had been visiting for the past two weeks with her sisters.

Mother's Day visitors with Mrs. Sallie Purdom were Mrs. Maggie Simmons and son of Memphis, Mrs. Birdie Barrow, Jesse Purdom, Mrs. Mary Keeney and son, Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Purdom, Mr. and Mrs. Pitt Pittman and son, Doyle, all of Stephenville; Mrs. Jesse Askey and daughter, Ann, of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy French, Joe Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Keeney and son, Butch, of Hico.

The following children have been here on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. C. W. Shelton: Mrs. Leon Rainwater and son, Larry, Cuero; Mrs. Leslie Wall and son, Richard Lynn, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Shelton, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Shelton and family, Sabinal; Mr. and Mrs. Garland Shelton and family, Moran, and Buster Shelton of San Angelo. Three other daughters, who have been here for the past two weeks and are still with their mother, are Mrs. H. O. Driver and Mrs. Bill Rider of Clarkwood, and Mrs. George Kornegay of Hamilton.

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## BOXING BOUTS SLATED AT STEPHENVILLE MAY 23-24

Stephenville, May 13.—Climaxing their regular schedule of fight rights in Stephenville, the Wm. E. Dyess Campus American Legion Post of John Tarleton College will sponsor the first Annual Central Texas Boxing Tournament May 23 and 24.

Teams from Abilene, Big Spring, Brownwood, Cisco, Eastland, Fort Worth, Mineral Wells, San Angelo, Stephenville and Weatherford will participate.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Wieser of Hamilton visited in Hico Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Rainwater spent last week in Cuero with her son and granddaughter, Leon Rainwater, and Nancy Jane Rainwater, while Mrs. Leon Rainwater was in Hico with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Shelton.

Mrs. J. T. Jackson and daughter, Mary, Mrs. Elma Keller and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. Alvin Hicks attended the annual cemetery association meeting at Live Oak Wednesday, May 7. They were met there by a host of relatives and friends. After a short program a bountiful feast was spread under the huge oaks, and was enjoyed by all.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams on Mother's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Masie and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Workman and daughter, of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Adams, Ozona; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gibson and son, Lingleville; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Balize and baby, Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richbourg of Hico.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Malone were Mrs. Douglas Burden and children, Rebecca and Buddy, and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce McBride of Dallas; and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Malone and daughter, Mary Jane, of Waco. The Clifford Malones remained for a longer visit here with his parents and at Carlton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan.

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We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness, sympathy and help since the loss of our home by fire.

May God bless you all.  
**MR. & MRS. FRED GROMATZKY AND CHILDREN.**

All the Tudor children spent Mother's Day with their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Tudor. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tudor and Carlton, Mrs. Willie Mae Baisden and son, Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gensler of Waco, also Mr. Gensler's mother, Mrs. Minnie Lee Harris of Waco, accompanied them up for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coston and daughters, Miss Virginia of Frederick, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Currier of Vernon, were week-end visitors of their son and wife, and friends of Hico; also with relatives at Hamilton and Stephenville. Mrs. Currier, the former Miss Lula Mae Coston, remained in Hico with Mr. and Mrs. Grady T. Coston for a longer visit.

## Too Late to Classify—

FOR SALE: Easy Electric Washing machine in good condition. Mrs. Blanche Haynes, Duffan 52-1tp.

## MRS. BEN J. BARROW DIED IN HOUSTON LAST WEEK

Mrs. Edna Barrow, 69, died at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday, May 8, at her home in Houston, where she had lived for 48 years. She was active in the Texas Avenue Baptist Church, where she was a member, and also was a devoted civic worker.

Survivors are her husband, Ben J. Barrow, retired lumberman; a son, Norris Barrow, both of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Harry Swain of El Paso and Mrs. Wallace Branch of Wichita, Kansas; a grandson, Bennie Barrow of Houston.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Thursday at the Fugle-West Company, with Rev. Everett Martin officiating. Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Frank W. Murphy, Emmett R. Anderson, Sam Bassett, Tom P. Wier, W. J. Buham, and George M. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Autrey of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Barrow of Fort Worth were in Houston last week to be with their sister-in-law. All returned home Wednesday morning but Mrs. Autrey, who remained through Friday.

Jack Hollis and daughter, Judy, of Midland spent the week end here with his mother and sister, Mrs. Maye Hollis, and Mary Helen.

## FAREWELL PARTY GIVEN THE HAROLD HANSSONS

The charter members of the "Old Hico Club" entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanson and children, Bobbie, Danny and Martha Lou, with a farewell party last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater.

Games of forty-two were played and the honorees were presented with a hammered silver tray as a parting gift.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rainwater and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jenkins, the honorees, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson and children left the latter part of the week for Elvaston, Ill., to make their new home.

Jake Lane of Newkirk, Okla., came in Monday night for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lane.

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### Carlton

By —  
Mrs. Fred Geye

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moore and two daughters of Baytown spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Jim Moore and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore. His mother accompanied them home Sunday for a visit.

Mrs. Norma Wilson returned home Friday after a visit with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, and daughter, Diane, in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and Helen Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stuckey and children of Waco were Sunday visitors with their mother, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey.

Mrs. Nettie Warren of Wells, Texas, is visiting her sisters, Miss Pattie Lynch and Mrs. Rena Stillham, and her brother, Joe Lynch.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ogie and daughter and her sister, Jackie, of San Antonio were week-end visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Stephens.

Miss Annie Finlin of Dallas visited over the week end with her cousin, Mrs. Lizzie Stapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Vaughan and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt and Melba Jean.

Mrs. J. D. Ephem is visiting in West Columbia with her son, Ernest Ephem, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cozy and children of Stephenville spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd.

J. G. Finley of Fort Worth and G. L. Finley of Walnut Springs visited Saturday afternoon and night with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Clark and children of Cleburne and her sister, Mrs. Gladys Smith and daughter, Martha, of Dallas, and Mrs. Luther Burden and daughter, Mary Louise, of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell Jr. and children of Agee visited Sunday with Mrs. Sid Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Nell Clark. Mrs. Smith and daughter also visited Mrs. R. A. Smith.

Eddie Welch and Miss Modesta Ellison of Dublin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Mrs. Paul Warren and daughter, La Jauna Kaye, of Dublin and Nolan Geye of Stephenville spent Mother's Day with their parents

and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye and Mrs. Dow Self and family.

Miss Marilyn Pierce of John Tarleton College spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Carroll Walton of Merkel visited the past week with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Montie Walton and son, John Wayne.

At a meeting held last Monday night of the Homecoming Committees, Jess Reeves was elected to take the place of Bobby Moring, who resigned as president. Invitations will be sent out soon and each one is asked to invite all their old-time friends and relatives and especially all former Carlton residents to attend the Homecoming. Mr. Reeves has invited the Hamilton Band to furnish music for the day. The band is under the leadership of Mr. Leo Rendessy, a former resident of Carlton. Watt Sharp was elected president to replace R. L. McDaniel, who resigned.

Mrs. Hattie Sowell returned to Carlton Tuesday after a visit in Marshall and Tyler with her sons, Hal and R. J., and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rudd attended the cemetery working at Energy Saturday and visited with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Dry of May, Texas visited over the week end with his mother, Mrs. McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Baird of Dublin visited Sunday afternoon with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short.

Mrs. Norman Swanson and son of Graham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp Sr.

Mrs. Jake Carbon of Gustine was a Carlton visitor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith, their two sons and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holloway and baby of Fort Worth visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce and Marilyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Malone and daughter of Waco spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Jordan. Mrs. Malone and baby remained for a longer visit with her parents.

Mrs. Will Walker of Floydada is visiting her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, J. B. Curry Sr. and Miss Mittie Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Lowery and daughter of Hamilton visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery.

Mrs. Viola Waldrop of Fort Worth, Ross Morgan and children of Waco, George Morgan and family of Brady visited Sunday with their mother, Mrs. J. W. Morgan and their brother, Alfonso Morgan and family.

Mrs. James Fine and son, Michael, accompanied her parents to their home in Roscoe Wednesday for a visit.

John Lee Dove of Fort Worth visited the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dove.

Mrs. Milton Whitehead and daughters spent Saturday night at Purves with her daughter, Mrs. Lois Landes, and family. They all visited Sunday in Stephenville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright, who recently moved there from Duffan.

"Sonny Boy" McDaniel, who is with the Marines in Honolulu, arrived home Sunday to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bollier and her aunt, Mrs. Fannie Cantrell of Hamilton, visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. R. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burden and children of Hico visited Thursday night with his sister, Mrs. Charley Proffitt, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Allen of Chattanooga, Okla., visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lancaster and baby of Fort Worth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Clyde Thompson.

Mrs. Clyde Adams was a patient in the Hico Hospital the past week with pneumonia.

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thetford were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Chambers of Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Chambers and children of Pirmela, Lee



## From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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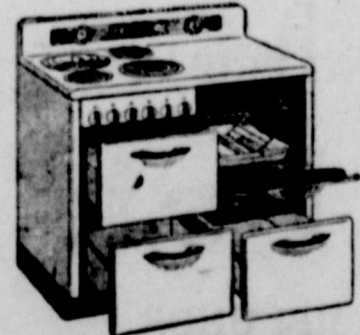
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### CLEAN SHOWING AT SAN JUAN



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### Local Citizens Help In Shrub Planting At County Court House

The planting of shrubs around the Court House at Hamilton, which was sponsored by the Hamilton County Home Demonstration Clubs, has been completed. However, more work will be done on the lawn next year.

Actual cost of the shrubs for this project was \$159.09. The following is a list of donations which have been made for the purchase of same to date:

Mrs. Bill Lackey, \$1.00.  
Mrs. Harold Hanson, \$1.00.  
Mrs. G. C. McAnelly, \$1.00.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elton Sanford, \$1.00.  
Mrs. Charlie Cole, \$2.00.  
Mrs. John N. Wright, \$2.00.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holford, \$2.00.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Courtney, \$2.00.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Humphries, \$1.00.  
Bob Riley, \$1.00.  
Liberty H. D. Club, \$16.85.  
Mrs. Bertha L. Standifer, 50c.  
Mrs. A. G. Livingston, 60c.  
Mrs. Randall Campbell, 60c.  
Mrs. Harry Voss, 60c.  
Mrs. A. W. Christopher, 60c.  
Mrs. Hazel Satche, 60c.  
Mrs. Emma Williams, 60c.  
Mrs. Childress Phears, 60c.  
Total, \$35.55.

Other donations will be appreciated. Watch this fund grow.

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### Church News

#### Baptist Church

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 6:45 p. m.  
W. M. U. and Sunbeams, Monday, 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday Evening, 7:30.

PULPIT COMMITTEE.

#### Methodist Church

Church School 10 a. m. Tyrus King, Superintendent. A class and a place for all.  
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J. L. RAY, Pastor.

#### Church of Christ

Bible study, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.  
Worship with us.  
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.

#### First Christian Church

We invite you to hear Brother William Le May of Dallas preach each Sunday.  
Sunday School begins at 10 o'clock, and preaching at 11.  
Everyone is welcome, and especially do we invite each person who has no church home.

#### Pentecostal Church

Study School Service at 10:00 o'clock each Sunday morning.  
Preaching services each Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock.  
Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.  
Everybody has a welcome to worship with us.  
DOLLIE LINCH, Pastor.

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### Millerville

— By —  
Chas. W. Giesecke

We had a big rain Saturday night. Fields are wet and farming is retarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Columbus and daughter of Fairy, also Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nix of Stephenville were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie and son spent Monday in Gorman visiting relatives.

C. H. Miller of Waco came up Tuesday looking after his interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Giesecke had visiting in their home Sunday Mrs. H. J. Howerton, Mrs. Leota Jacobs of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hicks and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Giesecke and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Noonkester of Bakersfield, Texas, came in last week. They are fencing their entire farm sheep-proof and goat-proof. They may move on it some day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke had the following children visiting in their home Monday: Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Lambert and two daughters of Kamay, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Giesecke and son of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land and daughter of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lane of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilkes and nephew of Wheeler. All returned to their homes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Lively and children of Hico spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lively.

Aunt Liza Conner was buried here Monday. She died at Stamford at the home of her son, Albert Conner, where she was visiting. She would have been ninety years old in August. Her home was at Seymour with her son, E. B. Conner, and wife, E. B. Conner and Mrs. Fred Starley of Fort Worth were present for the funeral services.

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