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### Fairy

By Mrs. Eunice Massengale

We are needing rain again. The weather man keeps promising us showers, but so far none have fallen recently.

The P.T.A. "Sell Yourself Auction" held last Friday night, was a great success. A goodly number were present and all enjoyed the new feature program. A little more than forty dollars was taken for the benefit of the P.T.A. Prof. Caraway served as auctioneer.

All were very sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. C. M. Tinkle of near Hamilton. She became suddenly ill last Friday night and was rushed to the Scott and White Hospital in Temple. The extent of her illness was not expected to be determined until Monday of this week and we have had no report on her illness at this time (Tuesday morning). In a telephone conversation with Mrs. Rob Hutton of Hico this morning she stated that Mr. Tinkle had called since her arrival at the hospital and stated she was resting fairly well and that if there was any unsatisfactory change, they would be notified. Since they have had no later report, they feel she is doing fairly well. Mrs. Tinkle, who is the former Miss Lacy Hutton of Fairy, was reared in the Fairy community and has many friends here who wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Scott Blakley and Lera Jane and their niece and cousin, Barbara Lewis spent from Friday until Sunday in Fort Worth. The girls were shopping for graduation attire. While there Mrs. Blakley and daughter visited in the home of their sister and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Licett. Miss Lewis visited in the home of her uncle, Jessie Jameson and family.

We are very glad to report that Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark have returned home from Galveston. According to reports to the writer, they received favorable reports from the physical check up for Mrs. Clark. However, she is still under the care of doctors there.

W. E. Goynes and Carl Ray Sellers attended a laymen's banquet of the Methodist Churches, held at Hamilton Country Club Monday night. All enjoyed the fellowship and good eats.

The writer attended singing at Warren's Creek Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. We were accompanied from Hamilton by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sumnerford. On our return to Hamilton, the writer visited in the W. C. Oglesby home with Mr. and Mrs. Oglesby and her mother, Mrs. Minnie McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Jimmie Don have been going to Dublin daily the past several days. Mr. Sellers is painting the exterior of the D. E. Allison home and garage. Mrs. Allison is a sister of Mrs. Sellers.

Mrs. Gladys Cox and sister, the writer, visited with relatives in Gatesville, Temple and Moody last Friday. In Gatesville we visited with our aunt, Mrs. Betty Jones. In Temple we visited with a niece, Mrs. Evelyn Smith of Brady, who had undergone minor surgery at Scott & White Hospital on Wednesday of last week. Our sister, Mrs. Myrtle Enger, also of Brady and mother of Mrs. Smith, was staying with her daughter. In a message received Tuesday it was learned that Mrs. Smith and mother returned home late Sunday. At Moody we visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Marshall and an aunt and cousin, Mrs. Laura Nelson and Mrs. Myrtle Cannon. Crops look very good in the McGregor to Temple section.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Edwards and Betty of Hico visited a while Monday night in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Williford and daughters. They were accompanied by their house maid, Miss Katie.

Mrs. Leon Springer informs us that the ladies of the V. F. W. Auxiliary club are sponsoring a Stanley Party this Friday afternoon at 2:30. All have a cordial invitation to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Carolyn and Jimmie Don were sight-seeing in Glen Rose Sunday afternoon. While there they visited the Methodist Park and tourist courts, which are owned and sponsored by the Methodist Churches of several surrounding counties.

Dewey Wilson, who has been engaged in burning off the cemetery grounds, has most of this work completed and has it looking very nice. We hope there will be sufficient help tomorrow (Wednesday) to get all lots hood and graves mounded, none of which have much growth on them.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dickerson of near Hico visited last Sunday week afternoon with his sister, Mrs. Brittle Little. Mr. Dickerson also stopped for a short visit last week while passing through Fairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and family and the writer visited a while last Wednesday night in the home of our sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison, Ruby Jean and Darrel.

Visitors in the J. T. Jackson home over the week end were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Abel and Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Vance of Grand Prairie. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vance were also visitors in the Jackson home Sunday afternoon.

### CLAIRETTE H. D. CLUB MET WITH MRS. JORDAN

The Clairette Home Demonstration Club met April 17 at 2 p. m. with Mrs. A. J. Jordan acting as hostess. Mrs. Reno Dunbar acted as president. The club prayer was repeated. Seven members answered roll call. Mrs. Frank Johnson gave the council report. Several subjects were discussed.

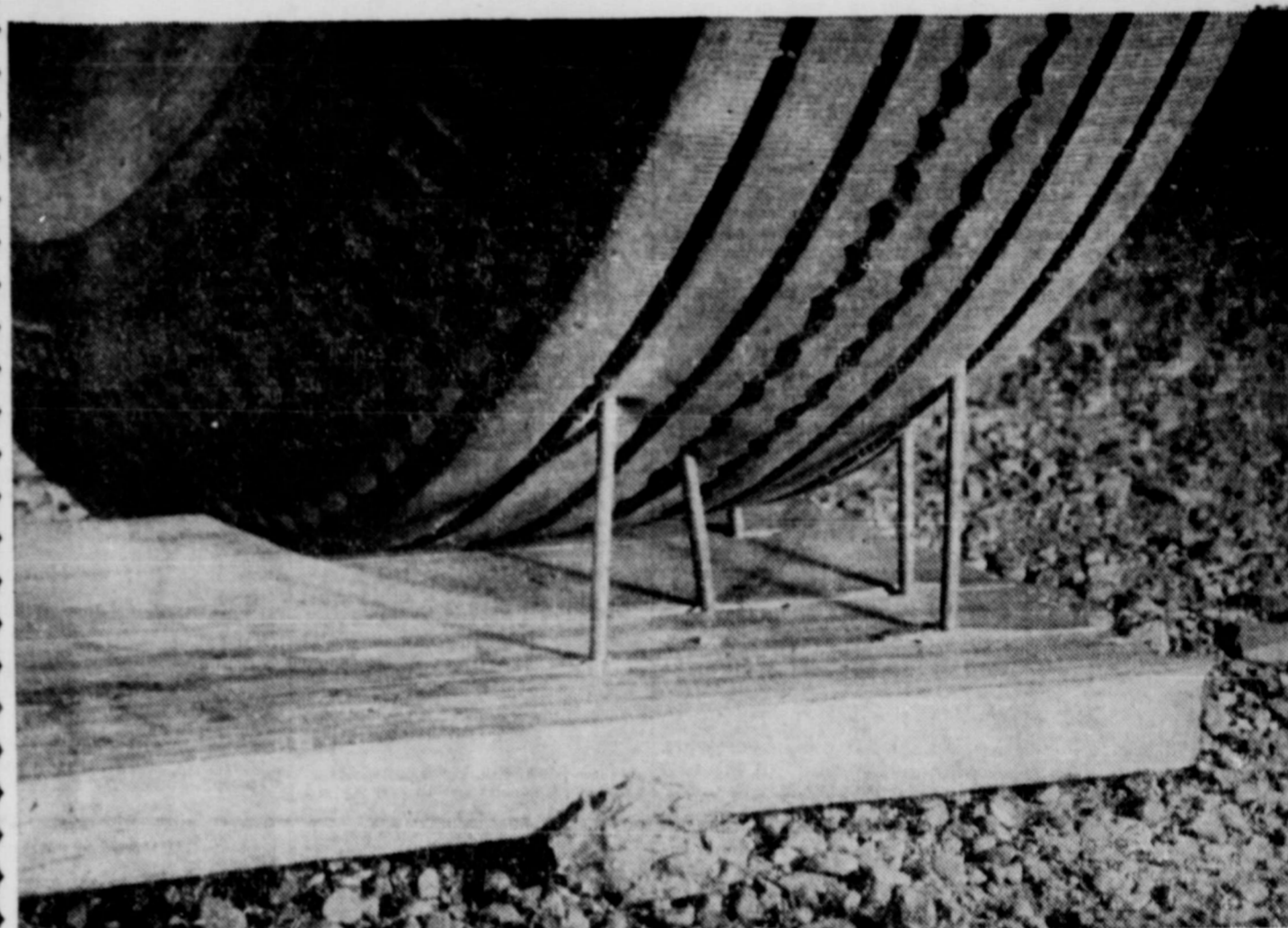
The next meeting will be May 1, with Mrs. Morgan Martin.

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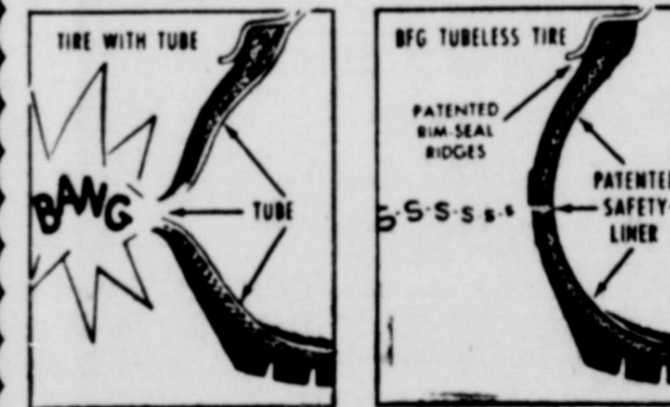
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### Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Geyer  
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moring and daughters, Deborah and Belinda of Cotton Center spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fine.

J. C. Wilson of Stamford visited over the week end with his mother, Mrs. Norma Wilson. He and his mother visited Friday night at Stephenville with their son and brother, Woody Wilson and family.

Mrs. Lilla Byrd is visiting in Stephenville with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baity of Dallas visited Saturday with her grandmother and aunt, Mrs. K. R. Jenkins and Luzelle.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thetford and Theon Dean were his mother, Mrs. C. L. Thetford and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Chambers of Purnela; Mrs. T. N. Edwards, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Morris, McGregor; Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Wallace, Osage; Mrs. Oia Barlow and Mrs. Mildred Brasher, Bowie; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Thetford of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Della Green of Dallas is visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Williams.

Visitors in the home of Miss Ida Fine last week were two of her sisters, Mrs. J. H. Lawson of Comanche and Mrs. Maggie McPherson of Hico, her nephew, Homer Cozby of South Gate, Calif. and a niece, Mrs. Aubrey Duzan from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Walton of Glen Rose visited Wednesday with Edgar Smith and Mrs. J. H. Tull and Mrs. Lillie Anderson.

Mrs. Lorena Stidham was a week end visitor with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham in Stephenville.

Mrs. Edgar Smith returned home Friday afternoon from Lamesa where she visited with friends, Dr. Cutler and family.

T-Sgt. Garland Rudd from Goodfellow Field, San Angelo and sons, Kenneth and Michael spent the week end with his parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rudd and Mrs. Alma Hensley. His grandmother accompanied Garland and Kenneth home for a visit.

Little Michael remained here with his grandparents. Mrs. Rudd is ill and in a hospital in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Upham of West Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vaughan and son and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Partin of Waco spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Ophelia Upham and attended the singing convention in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Main of West Columbia were week end visitors with her sisters, Misses Effie and George Shaffer and with friends, Misses Mattie and Alice Rodgers.

Mrs. Grace Petry and children of Fort Worth were visitors the past week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt.

Mrs. J. H. Tull and daughter, Mrs. Lillie Anderson are visiting in Mineral Wells with her niece, Mrs. Dickson Pickett and husband.

George Williams and family were in Comanche Sunday to attend the funeral of John Welch, father of Mr. William's stepmother.

Miss Mayme Shaw of Fort Worth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. S. B. Shaw and Buster.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Self and sons visited in Clairette Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self and his brother, H. L. Self and family of Madison, Wisconsin, and Melvin Self and family of Shawnee, Okla.

### Fairy High School Senior Class Play Scheduled for April 25

"When a Woman Decides," the Senior class play, will be presented at the Fairy Gymnasium on Saturday evening, April 25, at 7:30 p. m. It is a comedy involving Billy Defoe, who must marry a girl with two million dollars in order to inherit the same amount from his father. The cast is as follows: Billy Defoe—Horace Griffiths; Hilda M. Burl—Cleon Gardner; Bessie Hayden—Shirley Cole; Matilda Petter—Barbara Lewis; Rastus Toll—"Slick" Harley; Mandy Dehaven—Emma Pearl Smith; Maybelle Toney—Shirley Streater; Silas Sawyer—Sidney Sowell. Nominal prices will be charged. The class members and faculty will appreciate your support.

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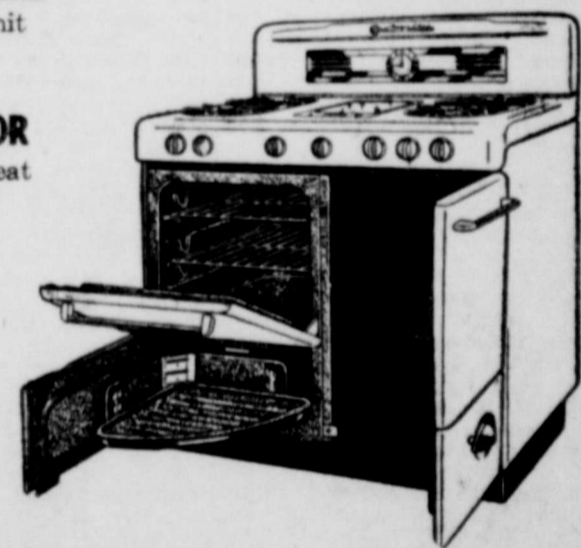
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## The Mirror

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Freshman — Katherine Sparks  
F.H.A. — Peggy Ellis  
Band — Linda Cox

**SENIOR NEWS**  
The fifth six weeks test have come and gone. There were a few sad faces around though. In the Literary Events at Meridian Friday, April 17, Hico placed second in district. I should like to write our points and each one who placed but I don't have that information, but the ones who placed first were: Teams—Typing, Edna Walker and Jean Sherrard. Edna Walker placed first individual typist with 116.9 score.

Spelling, Edna Walker and Thersia Holley, and Hico also placed first in shorthand. The spelling, typing and shorthand will go to Regional meet in Dallas April 25. In the track meet, Saturday, April 18, at Waco, Hico placed fourth. Bruce Slaughter placed second in the 440. The mile relay team, composed of Bruce Slaughter, Steve Garrison, Poncho Ross and Ronald McKenzie, placed second in the broad jump with 18 feet, 5 inches. Jerry Noedham placed second and Pearl Lewis placed fourth in the mile run. Poncho placed first in the 880 run. Congratulations boys and girls. And we wish you best of luck in Dallas at the regional meet.

**SOPHOMORE NEWS**  
The Sophomores that participated in the Inter-scholastic League Meet at Meridian last Friday were Ronald McKenzie and Thomas Hughes, who entered in Ready Writing and Peggy Ellis who entered in Declaration. They didn't win anything but got the experience and may win next year. Ronald McKenzie is also doing quite well in track. He and four other boys from Hico will go to the Regional meet next Saturday.

**FRESHMAN NEWS**  
Thursday night, April 16, the freshmen and band had a combined skating party. The freshmen attending were Bonnie Pierce, Margo Partain, Jean Clark, Jimmy Herrin, Joyce Lowe, Katherine Sparks, Leona Smith, Mary Helen Williams, Deborah Pruitt, and Gay Sandlin. We were sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Remington, Mrs. Pruitt, Mrs. Lowe and Mrs. Pierce. Everyone had a good time skating at the skating rink in Stephenville.

This six weeks there were eight freshmen on the honor roll. This was more than any other class in high school. On the honor roll were Norman Norrod, Shirley Morgan, Joyce Lowe, Betty Booth, Katherine Sparks, Jean Clark, Mary Helen Williams and Wanda Robinson.

**F. H. A. NEWS**  
The freshmen homemakers may think they have been slighted so I shall write about them this week. They seem to be having a pretty

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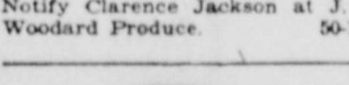
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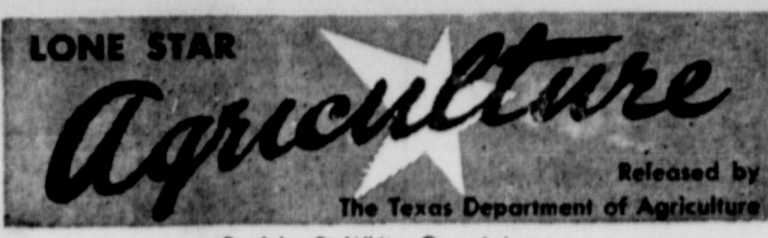
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We know that because of the nature of the animals a lot of bruises will occur even under ideal conditions of equipment and housing. Still we could profit by doing the best we can toward limiting these injuries.

A breakdown of the bruised portions of the steer are as follows: shoulders 19 per cent; backs 12.5 per cent; ribs 9 per cent; plates 3 per cent; hips 35 per cent; rumps 12.5 per cent, and rounds 9 per cent.

On hogs it is: shoulders 13 per cent; backs 25 per cent; bellies 12 per cent; loins .05 per cent, and hams 48 per cent.

How much of this huge loss is due to the human factors of "hurry, hurry—get it done"? Probably a great deal. The old saying, "Haste Makes Waste" is still true.

good time with their cooking and their class is just about the jolliest and most comical one in school. One girl in the freshman class who adds to the fun is Deborah Pruitt.

Debby is just a tiny thing and the measurements I give will probably all be larger than she is. She is about 5 feet tall, weighs about 100 pounds, she has long blond hair, blue eyes and a beautiful disposition.

She is an all-around good sport and has a wonderful personality. She came to Hico just after midterm from Stephenville. Deborah is liked by all, especially by one certain Sophomore boy whose initials are John Haley.

The Hico Chapter of Future Farmers of America will hold their annual Parent-Son Banquet on the twenty-third of April. Every year the chapter elects honorary members from the people that have done the most for the chapter during the year. The honorary members this year are Mr. Howard, Mr. Starnes, Mr. Woodard, Mr. Petrick, Mr. Holford and Mrs. Hedges.

The chapter elected a food committee and an arrangement committee. The people on the food committee are Ray Battershell, Gene Simpson, John Haley, Paul Gillentine and Ross Baldwin. The people on the arrangement committee are Ronald Massey, James Lewis, Donald Mayfield, Dennis Stipe, Eldon Naul, and Jimmy Ables.

The entertainment will be the Rhythmaires from Stephenville. The guest speaker will be Mr. Graves from Stephenville.

**BAND NEWS**  
The band students and the freshmen class went skating in Stephenville last Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Remington, Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Pruitt were sponsors. Everyone had a very nice time, even though some of the kids were pretty sore the next morning. We are all looking forward to another band party about two weeks from now. We haven't decided yet about what kind of party it will be.

**SCHOOL DAZE**  
Edna Walker: "I was out of town the night the class play was given. Did it have a happy ending?"  
Deborah Pruitt: "Sure. Everybody was glad it ended."  
Bruce Slaughter: "Her dad cleaned up a fortune in crooked dough."  
Billy Luckie: "No kiddin'. What was he, anyway, a counterfeiter?"  
Bruce: "Nope, a pretzel manufacturer."  
Jimmy Tooley: "I suppose you have to keep on guard all the time to keep these lunatics from escaping."  
Guard: "You bet. They're all crazy to get out."

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calves and yearlings ranged from \$15 to \$20.

Hogs sold at the highest price since last August, topping at Fort Worth at \$23 and \$23.25. Last August, the highest point reached was \$23.50. Sows were steady at \$17.50 to \$19 on Monday. Pigs sold from \$15 to \$17, and stage sold for \$12 to \$15.

Fat lambs and feeders were steady Monday at Fort Worth, and old sheep ruled weak. Good and choice milk fat lambs sold at \$22 to \$25, and old crop shorn fat lambs sold from \$17 to \$20, some No. 2 pelts at \$20. Old ewes drew \$6.50 to \$8 and some old wethers drew \$10.50 down. Yearlings and two's sold for \$13 to \$16. Feeder lambs cashed at \$18 down. Old bucks sold around \$6.

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## Lem Paschal Honored In C. P. S. Company Meeting at Waco

The first quarterly meeting for employees of the Central Division of Community Public Service Co. was held in the Roosevelt Hotel at Waco on Friday, April 17.

One of the highlights of the occasion was a testimonial dinner at 12:30 in honor of Lem Paschal, power plant engineer, and Miss Belle Stockard, Meridian cashier. Mr. Paschal was retiring after completing 29 years of faithful service. Miss Stockard was presented with a 10-year service pin.

O. T. Clark, from the general office at Fort Worth, was master of ceremonies. O. L. Davis, local manager at Hico, spoke as a fellow worker. C. P. Coston, Clifton, spoke as a Division Manager, and R. L. Bowen of Fort Worth, who is president of the company, spoke for management and presented Mr. Paschal with a severance pay check. Mrs. Paschal was presented with a lovely orchid corsage.

Local employees who attended the meeting were: Mr. and Mrs. Paschal, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunlop, Mrs. W. E. East, and Andrew McFadden.

## Funeral Rites Held In Amherst Sunday For Mrs. W. T. Drury

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Sunday for Mrs. W. T. Drury in the Amherst Church of Christ at Amherst. Burial was in the Amherst cemetery.

Mrs. Drury, who moved to the Dittmore place between Hico and Carlton from Amherst about two years ago, died Friday, April 17, in the Hico Hospital after an illness of several months.

Survivors include her husband, her mother, Mrs. Harriet White, Amherst, four sisters, four brothers and three step-daughters. The step-daughters are: Mrs. Kermit Gregson, Amherst; Mrs. Opal Gregson, Anton and Mrs. Wayne Mahaffey, Lubbock. The sisters are: Mrs. Earl Chapman, Winters; Mrs. Charlie Webb and Misses V. O. and Willie White, all of Amherst. The brothers are: George White, Akerly; M. M. White, Sudan, Larkin White, Espanola, New Mex., and Charlie White, Amherst. Her father preceded her in death in July 1933.

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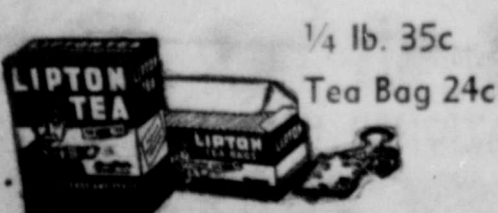
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