

Larger centers of population have certain advantages. Along with these, they also have increased problems and responsibilities.

Fort Worth is having trouble with teen-agers playing cowboy with chains, with embarrassing complications. Dallas has been decivilized during a terrorizing ordeal precipitated by a nude negro. Houston, San Antonio, and other large Texas cities have had their troubles with crime, which so far in our county has been held in check to a very commendable degree.

Not having any native negro population, and fortunately possessing respect from the sons of Ham passing through to the extent that they apparently keep their pants on, we have escaped this phase of current capers.

Civic problems, however, develop in the country as well as in the city, it seems.

Dallas has been having a big hullabaloo over whether to sell city library property to a big hotel and where to move the building. Also parking worries continue to vex Mayor Bob Thornton (born at Hico) and his colleagues.

Our own county seat is occupied with a plan that before it is finally settled will probably shed a lot of grief. The highway department tentatively agreed to make improvements after certain changes in parking regulations. These changes, among other things, call for reducing the size of the courthouse square to permit additional parking space.

Echoes of opposition have already been heard, even up in this end of the county. The committee appointed to present a petition to the Commissioners Court next Monday will not have easy sledding, it is predicted.

County Judge Herbert E. Gordon and our commissioner, Fern Jordan, would like to hear from their constituents as to their views on this matter.

Chief objection to the plan for reducing the courthouse yard heard so far is the sacrifice of a number of beautiful trees there, in which would have to be cut down.

A similar situation, we are informed, came up in the early days of the county when a stalwart county surveyor mixed poetry and profanity in a very convincing manner to rout some would-be woodsmen. There is something sacred about a tree, as our civic-progress-minded neighbors are due to learn.

In case the chopping and shrinking program fails, perhaps we would be permitted a suggestion. Hico, several years ago was confronted with a similar problem whereby everyone wanted the highways to come smack dab through the middle of town. Suppression of this desire by forward-looking officials resulted in having the main street arteries of travel skirt the main business section, and so far as we can see this has worked no hardship on businessmen, but has been an advantage to traffic control.

In a lighter vein, overpasses and underpasses have been suggested as a means of getting through Hamilton. Another suggestion was that the entire town be transplanted to another location.

Then of course there comes the thought that if our neighbors would rather have the highway room than the courthouse, we might move over up here and make room for the latter. In this connection we also have been informed that Hico barely missed being made a county seat about forty years ago when a plan was on foot to create a separate county with Hico as its capitol.

Since we are a little far up-country for the present set-up, why doesn't Judge Gordon consider moving the courthouse to his native town of Olin? Those people down there are neighborly, big-hearted and civic-minded. And it is possible that they can still find room for an adequate building and spacious premises. But you'll have to hurry, gentlemen, to beat the boom that has been threatening at the midway point during war and post-war years.

Shotguns have been much in evidence around Hico since the first of last month. But they will probably go back into temporary hiding after Saturday, which is the last day of dove-hunting season.

A local businessman affronted the editor's prowess as a nimrod by inserting with last month's bill a note: "Doves, 50¢ per bird." They didn't cost a bit over two bits, for our percentage of hits to misses was higher than in the past.

Our luck wasn't as good as that of some friends over in Bosque and Hill Counties, however. The Meridian Tribune reported a joint meeting of sportsmen where Jake Burch, Cecil Coston, Game Warden Louis Clymer and a few others served 450 doves along with 150 pounds of fish and 50 pounds of fried potatoes. Wow!

Then there was the dove story from Gregg County telling about two hunters claiming they were shooting at bats instead of doves when accosted after sundown by the game warden. They changed their story when they were advised that the fine would be the same, not lower than \$25 and not over \$200, plus court costs.

## Agricultural, Industrial Opportunities Told by Lions Club Speaker

J. Doyle Love of Dallas, former vocational agriculture instructor at Hico, gave an inspiring talk at the Wednesday noon meeting of Hico Lions Club, on the possibilities of agricultural and industrial expansion in Hico and throughout this area.

Love was introduced by his successor at the local school, Harold D. Walker, who is also president of the Lions Club, as a Hicoan at heart although he had left here to teach at Dublin, later engaging in radio broadcasting with Murray Cox over WFAA, and presently employed as agricultural agent for the M-K-T Railway Company.

Engaging in a few pleasantries before launching his constructive and interesting explanation of his duties, Love explained that his work carried him over 3200 miles of the railroad's lines in four states, and that as a novice in promotional and public relations work he was merely "trying to stay out of everybody's way" until he finds out what it is all about. Then he proceeded with such authority and interest that his listeners were held at strict attention.

His work, he explained, lies in the marketing end of farm products and trying to help farmers—especially groups of farmers—realize a greater profit from their efforts and investment. One example of this was explained in detail, dealing with the success registered in organizing growers and marketing of watermelons in East Texas. Others dealt with experiments with sesame and other grains, with no particular recommendation as to any specific crop until a survey and study of the problem have been made.

"I feel sure that some crop will show up that is adapted to the soil and climate around Hico," Doyle said. "Then I hope that the community can get together and promote the interests of all the citizens through organized effort."

In closing he said that he had always had a high regard for Hico and pledged his cooperation in any way possible. "I am willing to do anything I can," he declared, "to assist in keeping Hico from becoming one of those ghost towns we hear so much about these days and times. At the slightest whimper of a need I'll be glad to come down and work with you on any agricultural or industrial problem or plan."

After Love's talk, the possibility of securing a garment factory in Hico was presented by Weldon Pierce, who said that he and others had been greatly encouraged by reaction to recent investigations along this line. This specific proposal, he stated, had been presented to the Council in its meeting this week, and was looked upon with favor.

Recommendation of the committee on arrangements for a barbecue to be given to the Hamilton County Registered Beef Cattle Breeders Association and their guests here on the night of Nov. 6 were adopted, and referred to the committee from the Chamber of Commerce. It was suggested that the affair was strictly for the entertainment of the cattlemen and their guests, therefore representatives of the two local organizations were urged to be present only in a working and greeting capacity.

President Walker called attention to the final conservation meeting to be held at school next Tuesday night, Oct. 13, at 8 p. m., when "Grassland Management" will be the subject. He urged attendance of Lions, other businessmen and citizens in general, in addition to all farmers and ranchers of this territory.

Cliff Brogdon, the only other guest among the 23 in attendance at the luncheon and meeting at Loudermilk's cafe, by unanimous vote was "hoodwinked" into membership since he has recently moved from Lampasas to the Frost Ranch east of Hico.

## Three Arrested For Cattle Theft In This Vicinity

Meridian Oct. 7.—Charges of cattle theft were filed against three men here Wednesday ending a search which began May 1, Sheriff Clark Royals said.

James G. Herrin, 21, of Dublin, was charged with the theft of four cattle from the R. E. Lynch Ranch near Hico May 1. He was released on \$1,500 bond.

Tommy Walker, 20, and Billy Wesson, 19, both of Cleburne, were charged with the theft of two cattle from the M. A. McCarty farm near Eulogy Sept. 22 and the theft of two more from the same farm Oct. 5. They were in jail under \$1,500 bond each.

Royals said Walker and Wesson were arrested when their pickup truck broke down about a mile out of Cleburne. He said Herrin was arrested in Erath County.

## TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE



## Past and Present Students Expected at Homecoming

Gala plans have been made for a homecoming of ex-students of Hico Public Schools, when they gather here Saturday for the third annual event. Members of all classes are expected, and recognition is to be given to the largest representation from any one class. Mention of this class and other individual exes' distinction will be noted at the dinner and program to be held at the new school cafeteria. Mrs. J. E. Slaughter will be in charge of planning and serving the meal for which there will be a charge of \$1.00 per plate. The banquet begins at 8:00 p. m., to be followed by the program and business meeting. Afterward the group will have an opportunity to attend a high school football game between Hico and the Gatesville "B" team. This game begins at 8:00 p. m. at Tiger Stadium.

In honor of homecoming day, there will be a section reserved in the stadium for ex-students, who have come to participate in the event.

Dr. B. E. Masters, now president of Kilgore Junior College, will be guest speaker at the program. He comes back to Hico as a former principal of the local school.

## Local Group Named To Solicit Members for Erath Farm Bureau

The Erath County Farm Bureau is beginning its annual membership drive this week, in conjunction with the state Farm Bureau week proclaimed by Gov. Allan Shivers for Oct. 5-10.

Local men on the committee for membership are John Golightly, George Holladay and Reno Dunbar. These men will be working on the drive Saturday, October 10, and will be in Hico to accept members. "Anybody can be a member," said John Golightly, "but only the farmers can hold office."

In Texas there are over 50,000 farm bureau members in 183 counties. Farm Bureau in the past has done an outstanding job of representing farmers in the state and national legislative bodies. Last year the Texas farm bureau did an outstanding job of securing 20 bills for the benefit of farmers according to reports.

Included among the agricultural bills passed by the Texas legislature were seed law amendment, grain elevator laws, bonding livestock auctions, improved cooperative telephone act and many other laws which aided farmers.

Among the many services provided by the Bureau is an insurance agency for farmers needs. L. G. Kiker, county chapter president, announced in addition to the booths to be opened in Stephenville, Dublin and Hico, a team of chapter members will be out to contact individual farmers.

## Local Doctor Is Guest Speaker at Tri-County Meet

The League of Vocational Nurses held their regular monthly session in the Stephenville State Bank building Thursday evening, October 1, with Dr. H. V. Hedges from Hico Clinic as principal speaker.

The meeting was called to order by the president Wilma Reed, who introduced Dr. Hedges as the speaker of the evening. Following the line of study set up by the nurses' organization, Dr. Hedges gave a very interesting and educational study on the female reproductive system.

A short business meeting was held, in which a nominating committee was elected to serve in preparation to install new officers for the coming year. Mrs. Guy of Dublin, Mrs. Fowler of Stephenville and Mrs. Morrison of Hico were the three appointed to serve on this committee. Members also discussed extending an invitation to have the annual state meeting of the association at Stephenville, since the Tri-County Chapter is next to the largest one in the state.

Shortly after the meeting adjourned, refreshments of doughnuts, coffee and cakes were served to Dr. Hedges, Dr. Terrell, approximately 37 girls, including members and a several student nurses who were visitors.

Those attending from Hico City Hospital were Mrs. Jimmie Morrison, Mrs. Estelle Moore, Mrs. Alice Tudor, Mrs. Louise Duncan, Mrs. Elvena Hicks and Mrs. Oleia Roberson.

## Altar Service Gift Was From Persons Family at Methodist Homecoming

Complete and accurate information concerning a news article carried last week, which was unavailable at the time the item was prepared, has been submitted. The report concerned a presentation made at the homecoming of that church held Sunday, Sept. 27.

The Persons children presented to the Hico Methodist Church a solid brass highly lacquered altar service in memory of their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Turner Persons, who loved the church and what it stands for.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Persons of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Persons of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. David H. Persons of Haskell were present for the presentation. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Persons of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Marshall, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Butterfield of Houston and Mrs. E. H. Persons of San Antonio were unable to attend.

The gift was accepted and dedicated by the pastor, Rev. D. R. McCauley in the name of the church.

SINGERS TO MEET AT CARLTON SUNDAY  
The Shiloh Convention will meet Sunday, October 11, for a singing at the Carlton Baptist Church. The public is invited to attend the singing, which will begin at 2:00 p. m.

## Victory Spurs Tigers For Saturday's Game

WITH THE COLORS

### ARMY PRIVATE FROM CLAIRETTE PARTICIPATING IN POST-TRUCE PROGRAM

With the 45th Infantry Div. in Korea—Army Pvt. Benny D. Dowdy, 18, son of Mrs. Dulis D. Dowdy of Clairette is taking part in the intensive post-truce training program of the 45th Infantry Division in Korea.

Private Dowdy, who arrived in Korea this August, is serving as a rifleman in Company B of the division's 179th Regiment.

Soldiers of the "Thunderbird" division work constantly to maintain and improve the peak combat readiness and efficiency which marked the former Oklahoma National Guard unit during the Korean fighting.

### Fans Have to Wait Till Sunday to See Hico-Iredell Scrap

The final game to decide the winner of the Bosque Valley Baseball League will be played Sunday at Iredell, weather permitting. Last Sunday's game was rained out, but a large crowd is expected to witness this play-off between Hico and Iredell teams.

The two teams have been evenly matched up to this time, and are both evenly favored. The play-off will close a season of exciting games, which have drawn the largest crowds in the history of the Bosque Valley League.

Fans are invited to come out and back their favorite team. Game time is 2:30 p. m.

### Attending Tarleton on Barnes & McCullough's Scholarship Award

Bruce Slaughter, 1953 graduate of Hico High School, was the recipient of the Barnes & McCullough scholarship to be used during his first year at Tarleton State College.

The plan to award a scholarship was announced last March by the late H. E. McCullough, manager of the Hico general office. It was his hope that some young person would be encouraged to complete a college course after receiving the benefit of this scholarship. Specification was made that the award would go to a Hico student.

Selection was made by a faculty committee from Hico High School.

### Arrangements Made For Hico to Have Peanut Warehouse

Announcement was made this week by Luther F. Knox that a warehouse in Hico had been secured for growers in this area who wish to place their peanuts under government loan. Arrangements for same, Mr. Knox said, were completed after certain provisions instituted this year were conformed with, and with the assistance of peanut growers who had been contacted, the Durham Peanut Company, the First National Bank, and "other good people of Hico."

"We hope you will use this warehouse," Mr. Knox added, "in order that peanut growers of this area may come here with their peanuts. The more we store here, the easier it will be to get our warehouse from year to year."

### Careless Smokers Blamed for Fires in Five Texas Churches

Austin, Oct. 6.—Smokers were blamed today by Acting State Fire Marshall Eugene Sanders for fires that burned five Texas churches last year.

Careless smoking habits ranked third in the causes of 85 major church fires in the state in 1952, Sanders' report said. Defective wiring and other misuse of electricity caused another 12.

Lightning started three church fires, the causes of seven were unknown and the rest resulted from miscellaneous causes. Church fires resulted in an insured fire loss of \$429,907, Sanders reported.

By BUCK MEADOR  
The roaring Tigers from Hico High, led by Poncho Ross and Ronald McKenzie, stamped the Elks of Evant to the tune of 27-13 Friday night to taste victory for the first time this season. It was a whale of a ball game which was never in doubt after the first quarter in which Hico scored 14 points. The Elks pulled to within eight points of the Tigers a couple of times and every time they did, Hico would storm back for a touchdown to extend their lead.

Poncho Ross was the big gun for Hico, scoring three touchdowns and kicking three extra points. Ronald McKenzie scored the other TD in the final period. Ross' markers came on runs of 9, 23 and 39 yards and McKenzie made his on a two-yarder. Scoring for Evant was Sawyer who ran 4 yards and the other on a pass combination from Mittie to Warren.

Ray Battershell, Tommy Leeth, Sherrel Kirk, Buddy Teague, Pearl Lewis, John Haley and all the other Tigers played some outstanding defensive ball. Battershell was a demon from his line-backing post, consistently bottling up the Elks runners. Kirk and Teague were real ball hawks, each intercepting an Evant pass. Tommy Leeth broke through to block Evant's first conversion attempt. These three freshman boys are going to play a lot of football before they get out of high school. They have what it takes and really like to play the game.

The team as a whole has shown marked improvement from their season opener and are going to win some ball games before the season ends.

Hico's scoring started on the game-opening kick off. The ball was put in play on their own 25, from where they worked down to the Evant 1. A play that lost 3 yards and a 5-yard penalty set the Tigers back to the nine, and it looked as if the Elks might stop this first scoring threat. But on the next play, Poncho stepped back to pass, couldn't find a receiver open, and scampered over for the first touchdown. The play capped a 75-yard drive. The conversion was good and Hico led 7-0 with only a few minutes of play gone.

After two series of downs where both Evant and Hico had to kick, Sherrel Kirk raced under an Elks pass on the Hico 32 and ran it back to the 42. From there the Tigers worked to the Elks 23, with the big gainers being a 12-yarder by Ross and a run by McKenzie for 15. On the first play from the 23, Ross broke over his right tackle for the 23 yards, and his second TD. Try for point was good and Hico had a 14-0 lead to end the first period of play.

Five series of downs after the kick-off found Evant in possession of the ball on their own 36, from where they worked down to the fourth yard line. Sawyer bulled his way over from there, and Tommy Leeth blocked the conversion try to leave the score at 14-6. The half ended shortly after with Hico on the Elks 26 yard line.

After the half-time kick-off, Evant couldn't get a drive started and had to kick. Hico took over on their own 37 and with two 4th down gambles which paid off, the ball was on the Elks 39. Poncho again took off around his own right end and went the distance to the double stripe. The play covered 39 yards and put the score at 21-6 after Poncho's successful conversion. That was all in the third period of play.

The fourth period of play began with Hico in possession on the Elks 42. Several plays later, the Elks had possession on the Tiger 39. From there Mittie tossed a pass to Warren, who gathered it in on the 30 and raced the rest of the way for the score. The same combination got together to make the conversion.

Hico came right back, taking the kick-off on their own 38 and after a 62 yard sustained drive, McKenzie scored the final TD of the evening from the two. Ross missed his first conversion try for the night to end the scoring at 27-13 in favor of Hico.

The Tigers next game will be played Saturday night, October 10 in Tiger Stadium. This is the annual homecoming game and one of the largest crowds of the season is expected to see the game between Hico and Gatesville "B". Starting time is 8:00 p. m.

GAME AT GLANCE

HICO	EVANT		
13	First Downs	4	
245	Yds. Gained Rushing	60	
31	Yds. Gained Passing	74	
2	7	Passes Comp.	4 of 17
5	for 51	Punts, Ave. Yds.	5 for 21
2	2	Passes Intercepted	by 6
3	for 15	Penalties	6 for 40

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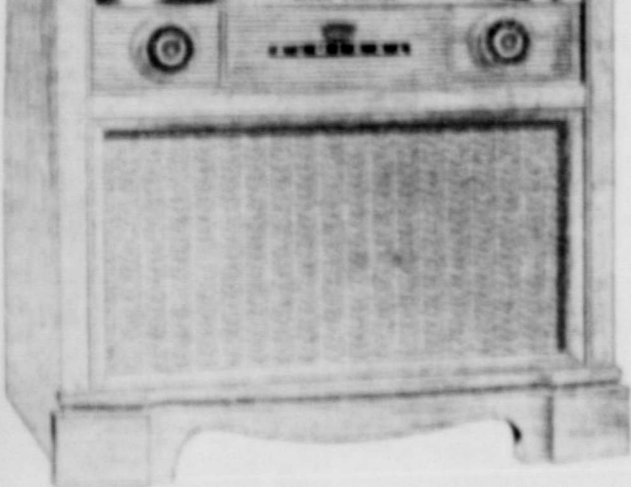
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### Clairette

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MRS. EFFIE D. BOYETT  
Funeral services were held Friday at 4 p. m. at the Methodist Church for Mrs. Effie Dora Boyett of Lubbock, long-time resident of Erath County, who passed away Oct. 1, at her home in Lubbock, in her sleep. Rev. Hugh Blair of Cisco conducted the services, assisted by Rev. Cox of Clairette. The eulogies were read by Mrs. Mayfield and other members of the church. Mrs. Boyett lived here for some time several years ago, rearing their children here before moving away. Mr. Boyett preceded her in death several years ago. Mrs. Boyett has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Mayfield, for 9 years. She is survived by their children, Miss Ella Boyett of Lubbock, Mrs. Thomas Ballwin and H. L. Boyett, and two grandchildren of Stephenville; also one brother, Gus Miller of Hico. Burial was made in the family lot at the Clairette Cemetery. Relatives and friends from different places attended. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Mrs. John Goltightly attended a Home Demonstration Meeting in Galveston last week.

James Roberson of Seymour visited a while Saturday night in the Herman Roberson home. He is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jessie Roberson and Leota, and other nieces and nephews in Stephenville. He accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Lee to Clairette Saturday night. The Lee's visited Misses Eunice and Nola Lee.

We are very thankful for the good rain that fell Saturday night and Sunday. Over 2 inches "d."

Mrs. Maude Dunbar was in Stephenville Thursday afternoon on business.

Farmers were busy in the cotton and peanut fields last week.

Sgt. Dal and Mrs. Wheeler and son of California visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Havens. Sgt. Wheeler has been transferred to San Antonio.

Mrs. Myrtle Cox is visiting their daughter, Mrs. D. A. Aerle and children of Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones of Fort Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson of Colorado City attended the funeral services of Mrs. Effie Boyett Friday afternoon and spent Friday night with Misses Eunice and Nola Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander visited recently with their son, W. B. and family at West Columbia.

Mrs. Dwan Wolfe and baby visited in Hico Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Q. B. Millican of Robert Lee visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Talmon Millican and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwan Wolfe and baby were in Brownwood and San Angelo Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucile Mayfield spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. E. T. Salomon and family of Stephenville. Mrs. Grady Wolfe was hostess to the Busy Bee Club Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee visited a while Thursday afternoon with Misses Eunice and Nola Lee.

### IN MEMORY

On September 11th, 1953, Addie Ann Montgomery passed from earth. Angela paused and whispered eternal soul come home.

She was called from suffering to ease, weakness to strength, and from labor to rest.

Her christian life was a light-house, lighting the highway to Heaven in her home, in the church, in the community sending their rays through her sympathetic understanding into the hearts of all who knew her.

She had confident faith, assured hope and unquestioned love always giving herself, her means and exhibiting in her character the strength of the Almighty where right was challenged.

We give thanks to God for her life, her words, her influence which can never, never die. She was an Angel of mercy and a beacon of light to us.

Yes, we miss her sweet smile and the sound of her gentle voice but we know where to find her because the ear of faith can hear the Master's welcome: "Thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things. Enter Thou into the joy of Thy Lord."

ELMER C. SHAPPER (Bro-in-law)

### Heart O' Texas Council Reports Most Successful Camping in History

The Heart O' Texas Council, Boy Scouts of America has just completed the most successful and largest session of camping in the history of the Council, announced Clyde C. Hays, Chairman of Camping Committee. Over 800 Scouts and Explorers from 38 different Boy Scout Troops and Explorer Posts spent a full week or more at Camp Tabuaya, the Heart O' Texas Council's camp, which is located six miles south of Bolton. Camp was in operation ten weeks.

During the time Scouts and Explorers were at Camp Tabuaya, they took part in varied programs including water-front program, scouting skills, games, hiking, canoeing and other activities. They learned to care for themselves in the out of doors, which gives a boy much self confidence.

Besides the Boy Scout Troop and Explorer Posts that went to Camp Tabuaya, many of the Council Cub Scout Packs took advantage of the ten days set aside for Cub Packs to hold outings at Camp Tabuaya. Over 800 Cubs and parents participated.

Camp Tabuaya was not the only opportunity offered by the Heart O' Texas Council for the Scouts and Explorers.

In July, 104 Scouts and leaders went to the Third National Jamboree at Irvine Ranch, California.

In August, over one hundred Explorers and their leaders participated in the Explorer Rendezvous at Connally Air Base, Waco.

The Heart O' Texas Council is made up of ten Districts and in each district there was an Explorer and a Boy Scout Swim Meet with the District winners participating in Council Meets.

Besides the District and Council opportunities many Troops and Posts went out on their own camp or expedition including one group that went to the National Scout Ranch of Philmont, located at Cimarron, New Mexico.

Camping and activities are a part of the program of the Heart O' Texas Council. Funds for the Operating Budget of the Council are obtained in Hico through the Scout Budget Campaign.

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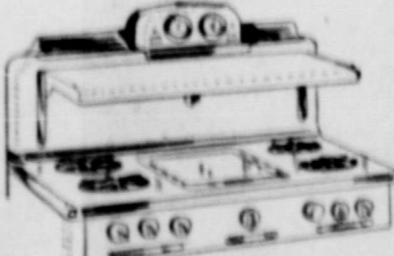

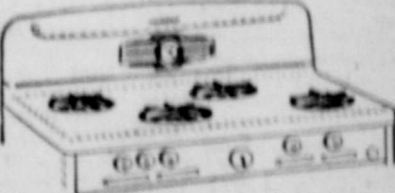
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**THE CIRCUS OF 1954**—World famous skating spectacle featuring brilliant production of "Rhapsody." See Circus nightly 8:30 p.m. (except Oct. 25). Matinee 2:30 p.m. Saturdays, Sundays and Oct. 14. Royal Youth show 10:30 a.m. Oct. 17. Ten-yearly matinee Oct. 23.

**ROY SWEETSON TOURISTEENS**—Supercharged outside stars by Astoria. Grandstand nightly 8 p.m. (except Oct. 14, 15, 21). Matinee 2:30 p.m. Oct. 16, 18, 23, 24, 25. Two matinees Oct. 17 at 1 and 5 p.m.

**MELISSA-ELLEN MOWERY**—Gypsy, grandeur, biggest, brightest fun show in America. Scenes of rife and show. Seasonal new "WITCH" thrill ride. Evening serenade in leaf Magnolia Sky Room, 1 and 7:30 p.m. daily.

**FRANCIS WELLES**—Colorful fountain paper theatrically in elaborate aquatic ballet. "Lovers' European" section. Direct from Radio City Music Hall in New York. Continuous on Midway.

**SERVICEMEN SINGERS**—Popular western music stars from WFAA. Grandstand 8 p.m. Oct. 18, 17, 24.

**COTTON BOWL FOOTBALL**  
 Oct. 10, Texas vs. Oklahoma, 7 p.m.  
 Oct. 12, Mississippi vs. State's College of Mexico, 8 p.m.  
 Oct. 17, SMU vs. Rice, 8 p.m.  
 Oct. 19, Louisiana vs. Texas Tech, 8 p.m.  
 Oct. 19, Wiley vs. Baylor, 8 p.m.  
 Oct. 22, Kansas vs. Penn., 8 p.m.  
 Oct. 23, Arkansas vs. So. Cal, 8 p.m.  
 Oct. 24, Missouri vs. Texas, 8 p.m.

**LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY RIDING**  
 Oct. 10, Quarter horses, Jr. market turkeys. Oct. 11, Quarter horses, Oct. 12, sheep, Brahman and Santa Gertrudis cattle. Oct. 13, sheep, Hereford and Holstein cattle. Oct. 14, sheep, Quarter horses, Aberdeen-Angus and Guernsey cattle. Oct. 15, Angus, guineas, chickens, Jersey and Shorthorn cattle. Field of Champions. Oct. 16, Quarter horses, cutting horse contest, breeding turkeys. Oct. 17, Quarter horses, cutting horse contest, turkey page show. Oct. 18, Quarter horses, cutting horse trials. Oct. 19, Jr. Deers Show (1500 steers, goats, turkeys). Oct. 20, Milkling Showdown (1500 steers, goats, turkeys). Oct. 21, Jr. weans and commercial weans. Oct. 22, Fatstock show, Shorthorn ponies. Oct. 24 and 25, Fatstock and Shorthorn.

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## TEXAS FLAVOR



Blue ribbon winner in the "Texas Flavor" category of Texas-created fashions to be exhibited at the 1953 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 10-25, is his black frontier suit of rayon acetate by Donovan of Dallas. A jury of nationally known fashion experts picked 25 winners to be paraded before State Fair visitors in two free shows daily during the fair. For an added western touch, Rosemary Gowen of Dallas also wears the winner in the man's boot division, made by the Nocona Boot Company.

## Carlton

George Thetford and family and Fay Thetford and family attended the funeral at Purnella Sunday for their aged mother, Mrs. C. L. Thetford, who passed away Friday night in the home of a daughter at Purnella, after a long illness. She and her husband made Carlton their home for eight years and everyone who came to know her loved her for her motherly love and her great Christian character. Her husband passed away in Carlton in September, 1952. Since his death, she had made her home with her daughter at Purnella. Surviving their mother are four sons, George and Fay, Carlton; Dee, Fort Worth and Gran Thetford of Lubbock. One son, Lee Thetford of Gatesville passed away the past summer. Two daughters, Mrs. Bob Myers and Mrs. Monroe Chambers of Purnella, also survive. Also many other relatives and a host of friends. Deepest sympathy is extended to the children in the loss of their dear mother.

The Shiloh singing convention will meet at Carlton Sunday afternoon, Oct. 11, in the Baptist Church. A number of good singers are expected and a welcome invitation is extended to the public to attend.

About four and one-half inches of rain fell here Saturday night and Sunday morning. It rained all night Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellison and daughters, Sandra and Kathy of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Welch of Dublin were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Mrs. Jet Maloney and daughter, Mrs. Tom Jaggars and three children from Las Vegas, Nev. were visitors the past week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Geyer and Patricia spent the week end with their parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geyer and Mrs. Dow Self and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Sowell returned home Friday from Fort Worth where they had been with their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Dove, who underwent an operation recently in Fort Worth. Their little son, Freddie Dove, came home with his grandparents for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery went to Waco Friday night where he will receive medical aid.

Mrs. J. T. Dean and son Vic, of Carrollton visited the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead spent Sunday in Stephenville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Mrs. J. H. Tull and daughter, Mrs. Lillie Anderson returned home Friday after a visit of several weeks in Abilene with her son, Dr. Raymond Tull and family.

Mrs. Dow Self and sons, Freddie and Jack Henry and her mother, Mrs. Fred Geyer spent Wednesday at Dublin with Mrs. Paul Warren and family.

Mick Hobbs, a recent visitor with his cousin, Mrs. W. H. Vick. It was the first time they had met in forty years.

Miss Pattie Lynch returned home Monday night from San Angelo where she had been with her nephew, Wayne Stidham, who had suffered a second severe heart attack. She reported him a little better.

Mrs. W. H. Vick returned home Friday after a week's visit in Lamesa with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blanchard of Stephenville visited Sunday with her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Anderson and Mrs. J. H. Tull.

Mrs. Mary Cox has been a patient in the Hico Hospital since Friday.

## Fairy

By Mrs. Eunice Massengale

We have been wonderfully blessed with about six and one-half inches of rainfall which fell last Saturday night and Sunday.

Most farmers had been on the job gathering their corn and cotton and heading and preparing land for sowing, and a few had sown a little grain.

We are glad to report that work on the cemetery has been under way and our caretaker reports that he thought he would be able to resume his work in a day or so, since the rain retarded the work the first of the week. We are still in need of funds to complete the work and hope others will see fit to contribute in a donation which will be greatly appreciated.

Mrs. M. E. Parks enjoyed a visit from all of her children and their families Sunday, with the exception of Mrs. Raymond Driver and family of Texas City. Their son, Kenneth, who is attending Tarleton State College was present, however. Others who visited in the home over the week end and on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Milford Miller and Ronald Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Parks, all of Fort Worth, Miss Olive Parks and Kenneth Driver, Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fullbright and family of Kerrville and Audie and Elsie of the home.

Mrs. Gladys Cox is expected to undergo major surgery at the Hico Hospital today (Friday).

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Carolyn and Jimmie Don visited a while late Sunday afternoon in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Sellers of near Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison of Dublin visited a while last Wednesday night in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison and the writer. A report from them early last Sunday stated that they had 3 inches of rain at Dublin. They were very dry in that section and we are glad that they received a good rain. However, it may have caught some of those farmers with their peanuts plowed up.

We are very sorry to report that Carl (Jack) Luckey is still a patient in the Hico Hospital and his condition is reported serious at this writing. We hope he will soon begin to show more improvement and recover sufficiently to be returned home. We understand he suffered a paralytic stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Blakley and Lera Jane and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blakley and granddaughter, Carolyn Ann Hutton of Hico visited Sunday in the home of the men's sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bridges of McGregor. Other guests in the Bridges home were their three sons, Buck, Jack and Billie O. of Beaumont, who brought along a feast of sea food, shrimp and crab which all enjoyed for lunch.

We have a very cool morning today (Tuesday) and a fire feels quite comfortable. In fact your scribe kept a fire Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dickerson of near Hico visited Sunday afternoon

in the home of his sister, Mrs. Bettie Little.

The W. R. Trigg family moved recently to the Edd Craig farm, better known to our readers as the Joe Rodgers place. We welcome them.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Betts and little daughter, Nonna Jean, returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Betts, following a trip back to Searcy, Ark., looking after business interests there concerning his schooling at Harding College before continuing their journey on to Reedley, Calif., where they expect to spend the winter months. They have been assisting their parents in gathering their cotton crop as help is very scarce here. They left Tuesday morning for Reedley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Pitts of Hamilton visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benn Cunningham.

Our school took up classes early last week in order to disburse earlier so that school children could assist their parents and others in picking and pulling cotton and gathering corn.

An agriculture room is under construction at this writing. The concrete floor was run a few weeks ago and the remainder of the work is well under way. It is adjacent to the new leachage building which was built some 12 or more years ago.

Mrs. W. E. Goyne and daughters, Wilma Grace and Lynda of Dublin spent the week end at their home here.

There has been some illness in the community the past week due to colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver visited last Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cox.

**First Methodist Church**  
 Hico, Texas  
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 Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
 Youth Fellowship, 8:45 p. m. Linda Cox, President.  
 Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.  
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Hico, Texas, Friday, Oct. 9, 1933.

LISTEN As the Red Bird Rambles By Carolyn Holford

IN THE OLD DAYS... they used to say the radio would never replace the Montgomery Ward catalogue, and this was always the final consolation of the newspaper, in view of the fact that folks would find a need for paper.

Nowadays, there is a similar need for the paper in the cities, where people find a reference of latest TV and radio schedules as well as a report of what movies are showing. In this case, they need the paper to show them where they can be entertained.

THIS AIN'T NEWS... to many of you, who have probably already considered the value of newspaper advertising. Every so often, however, we have to pause and re-consider what makes advertising valuable. And like the story of the reason people eat more chicken eggs instead of duck eggs—it still pays to cackle about your product.

We're falling into this idea ourselves when we spend so much of this column in a form of advertising our own product. Now if you'd like a little more concrete evidence, we'll tell you a story which wasn't told to us for publication, but which we believe well illustrates our point.

Hester East, Milton Dunlop and Manager Ollie Davis have sold during the past three weeks a total of 19 ranges distributed through Community Public Service Company. This was during a 6-week campaign of newspaper advertising put on by the general offices of the company, and Ollie says it was advertising that sold the product.

I LIKE RADIO... because it helps me with my housework better than any other form of entertainment... or because I don't have to go out of the house for entertainment... or because I can listen to my favorite program while doing some of my chores.

Such are the answers, some whimsical, some meaningless, and some of which conform to our own ideas (after all that is usually the criterion on which we base our opinion of what is good or bad, isn't it?). These various answers, or some similar ones, have been given lately in response to a contest sponsored by radio broadcasting stations. The contest evidently was initiated in order to prove that radio is the most popular method of communication. We'll bet that some of the answers are to be used in telling advertisers how much better it would be for them to use radio, than to advertise on television or in newspapers. Which is, after all, fair competition.

WHAT THE SURVEY... doesn't show, however, is more revealing than what it does show. Let's give this media the benefit of the doubt and note first what it does show. Obviously, radio is attempting to hear its listeners say that it is a more popular media than television, in view of the latter's rise to fame—especially during the last year since the use of the co-axial cable.

The arguments that may be advanced in favor of radio as derived from this survey are more often to be used against television as a similar form of communication and one which is more popular because of its novelty. Already it has proved to be stiff competition for radio. Its impact has not been felt so clearly by the newspapers of the land; however, it is to be observed that they were just as healthy when radio appeared on the scene to compete with newspapers. Having thus withstood one jolt and lived over it, the staid and sturdy newspapers have very few trembles as a result of the advent of television.

IN A SENSE, THEN... we

don't look at radio as a competitor, even though as they say, people do spend more time with radio than with any other media. It is not to be discounted as a competitor, certainly not! We wouldn't be talking this up if it were—just as radio would not be tooting its own horn so loudly if it were not just a bit afraid of TV.

The first answer in favor of radio is, as mentioned, that people spend more time with radio than with television or newspapers or any form of communication (which would include magazines, printed folders, movies, direct-mail advertising, letters or personal contact from the selling angle).

So they spend more time with it. What do they learn? Radios don't use much electricity, so folks just don't bother to turn them off a lot of times. Then sometimes if a person is by himself, the radio seems to provide company for him. Does this mean the person is listening? When a noise or sound becomes a habit, it can easily be ignored.

People who live in cities spend lots of time with streetcars, but do they always hear the sound of wheels on the track?

ONE OF THE BEST... of the things that have been said in favor of radio is that a person can be entertained while going on with other work, or without getting dressed to go out of the house.

This is a fine argument against going to turn on the TV set, or against going to the movies for an evening's show. Certainly there are lots of times when a person would prefer to listen to a radio for entertainment.

The word, "entertainment" is the key to our argument. In being the best argument advanced by radio, it is also the best one for us. Obviously when people go to a radio, they go merely for entertainment. Sometimes they turn on a news report, but over a continued period of time, they want to be entertained with music, humor, murder or intrigue stories.

NOT SO... with the newspaper. Whenever a person picks up a paper, it is to be informed (excluding of course, the times when he picks it up to wrap his lunch, cover his head from the rain, or to start a fire). His sole reason for reading the newspaper is to be informed, either about sports, weather, club news, current elections, or just plain who's-done-what.

For this reason, an advertisement in a paper carries more weight. It did not just edge its way there between the cartoons and the crossword puzzle and pop up unexpectedly. It has a legitimate excuse for being there, and is both looked for and welcome.

An ad can be ignored in a newspaper, but generally is not, because it too carries a message to inform or instruct, and that was the reason for the reader's opening the pages of the paper. On the other hand, a commercial on the radio or on TV or in the movies is often welcomed as a good chance to get up and go after a drink of water before getting back to be entertained with the rest of the program.

SOME LAZY READERS might just glance over the ad and not really read all of it. In fact, statisticians have attempted to prove at various times that a reader will not spend much time with the newspaper and in this day and age, he will be attracted to other things—there are too many things to read, etc.

For this reason an advertisement must be attractive. It should be something the reader would be interested in. Lots of times it is something that he might not know he is interested in until he reads about it.

But when an ad does reach this goal of being attractive, and when it conveys a meaning to the reader and he learns something he wants to know, then it becomes a valuable service he will appreciate, rather than something bothersome that he resents. And he is not limited in the amount of time he can spend becoming acquainted with this subject. It is entirely up to this reader if he likes to look at the ad for a long period of time, and if he wants to repeat the reading of a line, whereas another form of advertising may be squeezed into a limited amount of time.

ACTION IN BUYING... is what the advertiser wants primarily, and just the satisfaction of knowing that his ad was read is not enough to justify spending his money. Therefore, the merchant would like some sort of guarantee that this expense will do him some good.

We have an answer for that from the newspaper's point of view, which like the answers given by radio, might be contested. Nevertheless, science has proven that the power of the printed word is greater on the human mind than the influence of what he hears. And if a person has seen the imprint of a brand, he likely will be reminded of that when he starts to buy a product. It's only human nature to believe in something you have heard of rather than an unfamiliar name—sorta like meeting a friend who knows someone you know.

THANKS IS DUE... to those who have helped us keep up with the news during the past few weeks. After our "sermonette" on cooperation from organizations, we were well pleased and grateful to those who submitted news of their activities. Promise not to preach next time, maybe.

And now we invite you to turn through these pages and read the messages from our advertisers.

MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis



Iredell Dragons to Entertain Carlton Thursday Night

The Iredell Dragons, fresh from a victory over Fairy in conference play, will take on the heavier and more experienced Carlton team on the Iredell field Thursday night of this week. This promises to be an excellent game, with the clubs both playing wide open football.

Last week Fairy and Iredell played on even terms for most of the first three quarters. Playing without the services of both quarterbacks, Iredell overcame a Fairy lead to win 20 to 12. Quarterback Jimmie McCroskey was injured early in the first quarter and in a short time David Ward also was forced to leave the game on account of injuries. Gene Blakley, fast stepping Iredell back, scored the first touchdown from about the 10 yard line. Freddie Massengale of the Fairy team scored twice in the second quarter to put Fairy in the lead. Just before the half ended Blakley ran 45 yards for a touchdown to tie the game at 12-12.

Late in the fourth quarter, Kenneth Hudson, who was outstanding on defense, brought down Fairy back Kenneth Knapp for a safety deep in the Fairy end zone. McCroskey returned to the game in the last 2 minutes to lead the team to another touchdown and clinch the victory with the final score at 20 to 12.

This was the first conference game for either team. Carlton took an early conference lead also by downing Pottsville 38-31.

State Fair of Texas Offers Entertainment Program for Everybody

Big "Tex," the 52-foot cowboy figure symbolic of the great State of Texas, will speak for himself at the 1933 fair, Oct. 10 thru 25. The giant statue has been equipped with an electronic voice that will enable him to outtalk anybody, General Manager James H. Stewart has revealed.

It required months of research, over 300 pounds of equipment and weeks of work to make the big man talk. His jaw will waggle in synchronization with his talk as he announces the daily fair program. And he'll have plenty to talk about, for the 1933 edition of America's greatest and grandest annual fair looms as the whoppiest one of 'em all.

The array of new exhibits will include a three-bedroom home specially designed for Texas living, landscaped and fully furnished. The Navy's new Regulus guided missile, top secret until a few months ago, will be unveiled. The Science Show will include a miniature tornado with all the characteristics of the big twister that caused so much damage this year. It'll be in action in a big tank with glass windows.

The Automobile Show will feature futuristic "dream car" models that almost drive themselves. The mammoth Agriculturama will have every county in Texas represented. Farm implement exhibits will include tractors that do tumbling tricks, talk and square dance.

The Pan-American Livestock Exposition shapes up as the most successful livestock show the fair has ever had. Beef cattle entries of Herefords, Shorthorns, Brahmans, Aberdeen-Angus and Santa Gertrudis have been particularly heavy. Dairy breeds to be shown include Jerseys, Holsteins, Milking Shorthorns and Guernseys. Horse show events each of the three week-ends include classes for Quarter horses, Palominos and Shetland Ponies and a big open cutting horse contest.

The volume of entries indicate the best show yet for the Women's Department. Duplicates of Mrs. Eisenhower's Inauguration jewelry will be exhibited. The Great Christie, master magician, will perform in free shows daily. The entertainment program offers something for everybody, with the Ethel Merman Show, Ice Cycles of 1934 and the Aut Swenson Thrillcade topping the list of daily attractions.



FAIR QUEEN... Jolene Bufkin, 19, of Baldwin Park, Cal., ruled as queen over 26th annual Los Angeles county fair at Pomona.

Texas-Oklahoma Game Will Highlight Humble's Weekend Broadcasts

Exciting play-by-play accounts of six Southwest Conference games this week and will be broadcast for Texas football fans by Humble Oil & Refining Co. On Friday night starting at 8 o'clock, the SMU-Missouri game will be broadcast direct from the Cotton Bowl in Dallas. Bob Walker and Jerry Doggett will describe all the action over radio stations WFAA-WBAP-820, Dallas-Fort Worth; KPRC, Houston; and WOAI, San Antonio.

The TCU-Michigan State game will be broadcast direct from East Lansing, Mich., by Ves Box and Joe Cullinane. Radio time will be 12:50 p. m. over KRLD, Dallas. Kern Tips and Alec Chesser will be in the Cotton Bowl, Dallas, Saturday to give a play-by-play account of the Texas-Oklahoma game. Broadcast time will be 1:50 p. m. over WFAA-WBAP-570, Dallas-Fort Worth.

The Baylor-Arkansas game will be broadcast from Baylor Stadium beginning at 1:50 p. m. Dave Russell and Eddie Hill will be calling the action over radio stations WACO, Waco; KFJZ, Fort Worth, and WRR, Dallas. A play-by-play description of the Texas A & M-Texas Tech game will start at 8 p. m. John Ferguson and Jack Dale will announce the game over KRLD, Dallas. The broadcast will be from Jones Stadium, Lubbock.

The Rice-Hardin-Simmons game will be broadcast from Rice Stadium by Eddie Barker and Dave Smith. Radio time will be 8 p. m. over KFJZ, Fort Worth and WRR, Dallas.

Lynn Wade Malone Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Jack Malone was hostess at a party Sunday honoring her son Lynn Wade on his sixth birthday. Games were played, and the honoree opened his gifts. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, punch and candy were served to the following little guests: Jimmie Luskie, Janie and Johnny Denton, Kay and Judy Jameson, Maxadine Luckie, Janet Lane, Danny Jenkins, Robbie Robinson, Travis and Linda Randals, Larry Cremean, Wayland and Joe Lynn Wolfe, Mickey Davis, Barbara and James Hord Randals. Mothers present for the occasion were Mrs. Edna Randals, Mrs. J. C. Robinson, Mrs. Lelon Wolfe and Mrs. Luskie Randals of Dublin.

Report of THDA Meeting Given to South Hico Club

The South Hico Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. R. Churchill, Mrs. J. B. Carman presided, and Mrs. A. D. Simons acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Cyrus King. Highlight of the meeting was a report given by Mrs. Simons on the trip to the Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting at Galveston last week.

Council report was given by Mrs. Churchill, Mrs. L. J. Simpson, education and experience chairman, discussed the exhibit in which the club will participate at Hamilton October 24.

The hostess served coffee and cake to eight members, including a new member, Mrs. Loyal Carr, and Mrs. L. E. Pittman, home-making teacher in Hico, and her son Dwight, Miss Emma Lou Knox, Miss Mariletha Churchill and three other small children.

Members of the club who had attended the state convention were Mrs. Simons and Mrs. Lenard Weaver. They went with other delegates on a tour of the city of Galveston. Other items discussed at the meeting were told by Mrs. Simons to the South Hico club members.

There were 516 delegates, 24 board members and 228 visitors at the meeting. Of special interest to Mrs. Simons was the report given on Bolivia (where club members have been sending pennies). The natives are illiterate and the mothers wear capes or shawls in which they carry their young as they go about their work. One of the members at the convention modeled a native costume of Bolivia, which was very interesting. Mr. Wimpole of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics from Dallas was one of the speakers.

Among the important resolutions read and adopted by the T. H. D. A. were (1) develop mental needs of children, and (2) appoint civil defence chairmen. Both of these should be foremost in the minds of every adult Texan at the present. It was stressed, with so many mental patients, child delinquency and war conditions.

The Association reported 91,910 books read (from the selected lists); 14,000 members sent gifts to state institutions; 6774 club members had spoken or attended lectures on "Effects of Alcohol and Narcotics on Youth"; 1019 programs had been given in "Family Life Problems."

REPORTER.

Fred R. Jones Jr., student at Texas Tech, was a week-end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Jones, Harvey and Jerry. He was accompanied by Miss Ann Witty and John Morgan, both of Hamilton.

October Meeting of Hico BGPW Club Is Wiener Roast at Park

Mrs. W. H. Greenslit was hostess to the October meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club, as they met Tuesday evening at City Park for a wiener roast.

After leaving the park, they went to the home of Mrs. Greenslit for a business meeting. Year-books for the new club year were presented.

Attending were Mrs. W. E. East, Mrs. L. S. Chandler, Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. J. W. R. Chibourg, Mrs. Greenslit and Miss Louise Blair.

Couple to Observe Golden Anniversary At Home Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fewell will observe their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, October 11, which date marks the occasion of their 50th anniversary. The couple were married October 11, 1903 in Greysville.

Having spent all of their married life in the vicinity of Hico, they have many friends who will join with them in congratulation of this event. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McClure will be hosts for the occasion, and invite all friends to call at the Fewell home between 2 and 5 o'clock.

Parent-Teacher Group To Be New Sponsors of Halloween Carnival

Following a recent meeting of the newly organized Parent-Teachers Association in Hico, members announced that the group will take charge of plans for the annual Halloween Carnival, to be held at the school gymnasium.

Mrs. W. F. Hafer and Mrs. D. E. Bulloch were appointed to be in charge of the program. They have announced that there will be the usual king and queen presentation, booths and general entertainment for all.

Date for the event has been set for Thursday, October 29.

Too Late to Classify

FOR LEASE: Hatchery and Feed Store. Best location in Hico. See Luther Knox. 22-1tc.

STRAYED, from Mrs. Joe Abel's home near Fairy, sable-and-white female Collie. Please notify Mrs. Ruby Lee Byrd. 22-1tc.

Former Hamilton County Couple to Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Lard, Dallas, Miss Mildred Blair, McKnight State Sanatorium and Mr. Wyman D. Blair of Cisco, will honor their parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Blair with an open house at the family residence in Cisco on Sunday afternoon, October 11. The occasion is the fiftieth wedding anniversary of the couple.

Arrangements of yellow gladioli, bronze chrysanthemums and purple asters will be used throughout the reception rooms. The table will be covered with a lace cloth over gold satin and will be centered with a gold candelabra holding white tapers. Yellow roses will be used on the table.

Mrs. A. H. Smith, Denver, Colorado, sister of Rev. Blair and Mrs. Jane Allen, Dallas, sister of Mrs. Blair will preside at the punch bowl. Mesdames: Odell Arnold, San Antonio, O. S. Johnson, O'Brien and Mrs. Paul Hukill of Littlefield will cut the three tiered wedding cake. All are nieces of the honored couple.

Rev. and Mrs. Blair were married at the home of the bride's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bingham who resided near Carlton. She is the former Laura Rebekah Bingham. Rev. Blair is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John F. Blair. The late Rev. R. H. Gipson of Carlton performed the ceremony.

The couple has resided in Eastland County for the past twenty-six years where Rev. Blair has held the position of Associational Missionary for the Cisco Baptist Association. He has held pastorates at Duffau, Clairette, Cranfills Gap, Iredell, Archer City, Megargel, Moran, Texas and Devol and Oklahe, Oklahoma. Prior to his retirement during the past week, he had been actively engaged in the ministry for forty-one years.

Mrs. Howard S. Lard is the former Delpha Mae Blair and has visited in Hico at intervals. Miss Mildred Blair is the Assistant Director of Nurses at the McKnight State Sanatorium, Mr. Wyman D. Blair operates a poultry business at Cisco. The honored couple has one granddaughter, Miss Janis Kay Lard of Dallas. Mrs. Blair is the sister of Mrs. H. E. Jones and F. W. Bingham of Carlton and is the sister of the late Mrs. J. H. Good of Hico.

Approximately five hundred guests are expected to call during the reception hours. Funeral services were held last Thursday afternoon in Denton for Mrs. John A. Chandler, 58, mother of A. A. Chandler, high school principal in Hico. He left immediately after receiving the message of her death last Tuesday night at her home in Pilot Point.

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# Personals.

Brad Corrigan of Hamilton was in Hico Monday.

Mrs. Nora Thompson of McGreer is spending the week with Mrs. Iolite Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goolbsy of an Antonio spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ienn Blair.

Mrs. Etta Hampton returned Saturday from Perryton after a two-week visit with her sister, Mrs. Mary Kile.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Merrett of Annis visited Friday with his aunt, Mrs. J. A. Garth and with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richbourg.

Mrs. Doris Williamson of Arlington spent the week end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Strong.

Tip Horsley of Arlington, representing Scott Bros. Grain Co. of Fort Worth, was in Hico on business last Friday.

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Irb Range, Jeff James and Sheridan Manning, of Garland, old friends of the News Review editor's family, stopped in Hico Tuesday on their way to the Leon River to do some squirrel hunting.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. W. L. Teel visited Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hawthorne over the week end. They were accompanied home by their little daughter, Marilyn, who had been visiting her grandparents.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Jones were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Walden of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lee and daughters of Cedar Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Curry of Mills and Mrs. Don Jackson of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ladyman and Karen of Dallas and Le Roy Bobo of Fort Worth arrived here Friday to accompany their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo to San Antonio Saturday, where they attended the wedding of their son and brother, James Ray, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bass and E. Rhoades visited in Lampasas Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips. Mrs. Phillips is reported to be recovering from a fall in which she received several broken ribs.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Mulcahy of Salt Lake City, Utah, have spent the past week with Mrs. Mulcahy's sister, Mrs. N. A. Leeth, and family. They have been in the East visiting a daughter in Davenport, Iowa, and another daughter in Buffalo, New York. They left here Monday to return home by way of Carlsbad Caverns.

Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Conerly Jr. and daughters, Sandra and Cathy, arrived here from Santa Ana, Calif., Sunday for a few days' visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Thensault, and Miss Florence Chenault and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Everett. They have been in Hawaii for the past three months, where he has been on duty with the Marines. He received his honorable discharge from service, effective Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aiton of Dallas visited Friday with E. S. and Herman Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Norrod and Pat of Muleshoe are visiting here this week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lennard of Oklahoma City visited last Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Wright were in Lampasas last Thursday morning to attend funeral services for his aunt, Mrs. Carrie Sconce.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Grimes and Deborah of Tulsa, Oklahoma, were visitors this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grimes.

Visitors last Wednesday and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackburn were Mr. and Mrs. McVickers of Abee and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dozier of Waco and Mrs. Belle Perry of Hico.

Mrs. Vivian Maloney and daughter, Mrs. Tom Jaggars and children of Las Vegas, Nevada visited the past week with her sisters, Mrs. Jim D. Wright and Mrs. Tyrus King and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths and daughter, Judy and Mrs. Lennie Trimmer spent the week end in San Antonio with relatives and to be with Mrs. K. D. McCormack and Mrs. Ray Trimmer, who were ill in the hospital.

Mrs. Ardis Cole and daughter, Sally and friend, Twala Coan of Waco visited here Saturday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. M. A. Cole, who will visit with them for several weeks.

R. A. Roberts returned home Monday from Robert Lee, where he had been called on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. R. C. Roberts. He reported her to be slightly improved when he left.

J. P. Rodgers left Saturday morning for a brief visit with his sisters, Mrs. T. J. Christopher and Mrs. A. S. Cupp, who are both seriously ill in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Macy of Killen were in Hico Saturday visiting friends they knew when they lived here. Mrs. Macy is continuing her music teaching while in Killen.

Truett Blackburn, who recently moved to Abbott, was a business visitor in Hico Thursday. He and Mrs. Blackburn moved there when she accepted a position as home-making teacher in Abbott Public Schools; however, he has maintained his business in Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Persons of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Dave H. Persons of Haskell enjoyed greeting friends at the Methodist Church homecoming Sunday of last week.

Adolph Leeth and his uncle, P. H. Mulcahy of Salt Lake City, Utah, who visited here last week, were in Waco Sunday afternoon. With the assistance of Ben Loden they were shown the path of May's tornado in that city. Since Mr. Mulcahy is a native of Nevada, he enjoyed seeing his first cotton gins in operation, and also viewing the black-land belt en route to Waco.

## Baptist Couples Class Holds Installation for New Group of Officers

The Baptist Couples Class enjoyed an installation banquet last Thursday night, October 1, at the Baptist Church annex.

The menu consisted of baked chicken, dressing, giblet gravy, English peas, candied yams, cranberry sauce, combination salad, hot rolls, pie, coffee and tea.

The program following the banquet was opened with an invocation by Fred Jaggars. The class song was led by Bill Rhodes, accompanied by Mrs. Milton Dunlop. Devotional was given by Mrs. Moody Smith, and J. B. Wootton introduced the installation program, which was conducted by Moody Smith.

Mrs. L. H. Davis gave appropriate remarks in the absence of the pastor, and Doyle Cain dismissed the group with a benediction.

The following officers were installed: Fred Jaggars, president; J. D. Brush, first vice-president; Mrs. Fred Jaggars, second vice-president; Mrs. Doyle Cain, third vice-president; Mrs. Milton Dunlop, secretary-treasurer; F. E. Stone, Marvin Turner, Mrs. J. D. Brush and Oliver Sowell, all group captains.

The class song is "Lead Me to Some Soul Today." The class flower is a rose, and colors are red and white. The dining rooms were appropriately decorated with red and white.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wootton, teacher Mrs. L. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brush, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sowell, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Elvise Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cain, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jaggars, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mason, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner.

The nursery was kept open for the children during this program. Bonnie Pierce, Bobbie Price, Carol Akin, Regie Ellis, Valeria McFadden and Edith Johnson served. Moody Smith was presented with a gift in appreciation of his services.

REPORTER.

## Glenn Hutton of Hico Takes Bride Recently, To Live in Beaumont

Miss Hazel Eugenia West became the bride of Richard Glenn Hutton Saturday night, September 26, at 7:30 o'clock in a ceremony at the Amelia Methodist Church, Amelia, Texas.

Mrs. Hutton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd West, Sr., of Amelia. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swanson Hutton, Sr. of Hico.

This church was decorated with a Hawaiian fern tree background, white gladioli and chrysanthemums. Rev. John Windham officiated at the ceremony, and Mrs. W. F. Oxford, Jr., organist, and Paul Bohmfalk, singer, provided the wedding music.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Donald M. Campbell, sister of the bride. She was gowned in celestial blue nylon taffeta, ballerina length similar to the bride's gown in styling, with a matching hat. Pink roses were carried in a princess bouquet.

Robert Swanson Hutton, Jr., of Alice served his brother as best man.

Ushers were William Boyd West, Jr., brother of the bride, and Robert Mann.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a ballerina dress of chantilly lace over white satin fashioned with long sleeves and sweetheart neckline. A fingerlength veil of illusion was attached to a Juliet cap of chantilly lace, embroidered with seed pearls. Only jewelry worn by the bride was a string of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried an open Bible, marked with a white orchid and stephanotis bouquet.

Immediately after the ceremony, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. West, entertained with a reception at their home in Amelia. Assisting at the reception were Miss Ruby Lee Turner and Miss Peggy Stewart of Beaumont and Mrs. Robert S. Hutton, Jr., of Alice.

After a wedding trip to Mexico City and Acapulco, Mexico, the couple will be at home at 2440 Laurel St., Beaumont. The bride traveled in a pearl grey gabardine weskit suit, with poodle cloth jacket, and matching hat. Mrs. Hutton was graduated from Beaumont high school and attended Lamar State College of Technology in Beaumont. She is a member of the Coterie club and Desk and Derrick club of Beaumont.

After attending schools at Fairly and Hico, Mr. Hutton was graduated from Texas A. & M. College, where he received his bachelor of science degree. He is a member of the Beaumont Bachelor club. Mr. Hutton is employed in the technical department of Magnolia Petroleum Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Hutton Sr. of Hico were among those attending the wedding.—The Beaumont Enterprise.

Miss Saralee Hudson of Austin was a week-end visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hudson. Returning to Austin with her were Mrs. May Bates and Mrs. L. N. Lane and Mrs. Will Newsom of Stephenville. Mrs. Bates went to spend the week in Austin with Mr. and Mrs. Webb McEver. Mrs. Lane and Mrs. Newsom went to be with their sister, Mrs. Addie Seales, who was to undergo a serious operation Wednesday.



MRS. R. W. FRENCH

## Hampton-French Vows Pledged Monday Night At Methodist Church

Before a beautifully decorated altar of bronze mums, Miss Margaret Lee Hampton became the bride of Robert Washington French Monday at 7:30 p. m. at First Methodist Church in Hico. Rev. D. B. McCaulley, pastor, officiated in the double ring ceremony. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton and Mr. and Mrs. Roy French, all of Hico.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-length gown of white satin, with a white veil of net caught in a tiara by tiny seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. William J. Denny, aunt of the bride from Stephenville, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Karon Higginbotham and Linda Cox. Misses Ann Askey of San Saba and Judy Griffiths were candlelighters. They all wore identical dresses of iridescent taffeta, and the bridesmaids and matron of honor carried bouquets of bronze mums. They were head-dresses of bronze mums.

Charles French of Midland was his brother's best man, Ushers were Donald Ross and Bruce Slaughter of Stephenville.

Miss Martha Helen Hanes of Fairly was accompanied by Mrs. Wayne Rutledge, organist, as she sang "Because," "With this Ring," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Mrs. Hampton was hostess following the wedding at a reception in the church annex. Mrs. S. W. Everett served the four-tiered wedding cake, which was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Miss Louise Blair served punch.

Guests were invited to inspect the gifts in the adjoining room, where Mrs. Wallace Edwards presided at the bride's book.

The couple are both graduates of Hico High School. The bridegroom received his discharge from the Army in January after spending more than a year with the searchlight crews in Korea. The bride is employed at Howard Drug Company. They plan to make their home in Hico for the time being.

## Review Club Votes To Collect Books For School Library

The Review Club held their October 1 meeting in the home of Mrs. Morse Ross. Main business of the club was the decision to solicit books from the citizens in town to be used at the school library.

Mrs. S. E. Blair Jr. and Mrs. B. J. Jernigan had a very interesting program on Americanism.

Any books which are suitable for use at the school are welcome by the club. The public is asked to leave books with Mrs. O. C. Cook at school or at the office of W. M. Horsley.

Twenty members and two visitors enjoyed a delicious salad plate served at this meeting.

## Couple Has Dinner Saturday to Mark Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Howerton observed their 11th wedding anniversary Saturday, October 3, with a dinner given at their home for friends and relatives. The couple were married October 3, 1952. John Howerton is 77 years old, and Mrs. Della Howerton is 64 years old.

Among those present to help them celebrate were the preacher who married them, his wife and five children. They had ice cream and cake and "all the food they could eat." Among the others present were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Brooks, who were visiting here on their vacation. They returned to their home in Wichita Falls after attending the celebration.

The couple entertained a big crowd, and all enjoyed the day and the good rain too.

## Diffenderfer-Bobo Rites Read Sunday In Candlelight Ceremony

Miss Theclyn Diffenderfer, San Antonio, became the bride of James Ray Bobo, also of San Antonio, on Sunday, October 4, at 2:00 p. m. in the Travis Park Methodist Church in San Antonio. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. E. Brooks, Jacksonville, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo of Hico are parents of the bridegroom.

Herbert L. Newman, minister of West Avenue Church of Christ in San Antonio, read a very impressive double ring ceremony by candlelight. The Youth Chapel of the church, scene of the wedding, was beautifully decorated, using the bride's chosen colors of grey and pink.

The bride wore a street length dress of grey nylon lace over taffeta, with white lace gloves and white satin shell cap studded with seed pearls. Her flowers were white carnations. She wore grey satin shoes.

Mrs. La Verne Reynolds, organist, played pre-nuptial music and the traditional wedding marches. "I Love You Truly" was played softly throughout the ceremony.

Miss Billie Little of San Antonio, close friend of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore a pink faille sheath dress, with matching cap and gloves of pink net. LeRoy Bobo of Fort Worth served his brother as best man.

The bride and groom received their families and guests in their new home for a reception immediately after the ceremony. The reception table, overlaid with white lace, bore the two-tiered wedding cake and punch. The cake was beautifully decorated with one large heart set in the midst of pink flowers and bells. A white satin streamer draped across the cake bore the names, "Theo and Bo."

In the house party were Mrs. Leon Ladyman, sister of the bridegroom, of Dallas serving the cake, and Miss Billie Little, who poured.

The couple boarded a plane Sunday night for a wedding trip to Mexico City. The bride chose navy blue with red and blue accessories for traveling. After a week's honeymoon they will be at home on 354 Addax Drive San Antonio.

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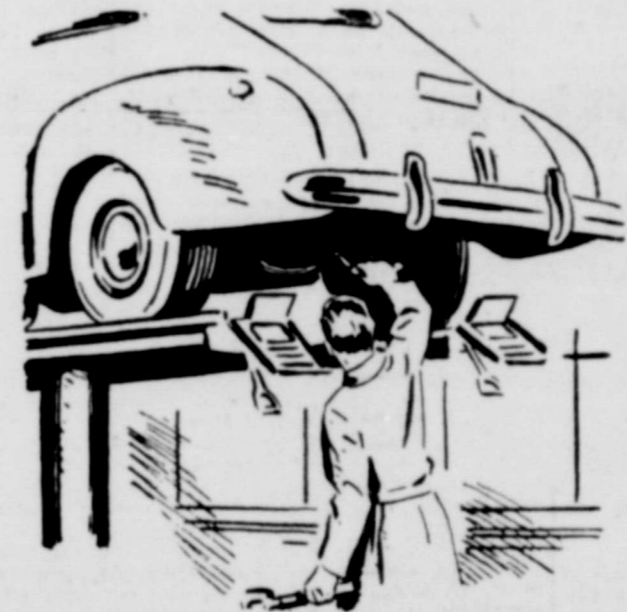
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# CONGRESSIONAL



Q—What is the current rate of U. S. deliveries of military aid to our allies?  
A—During the first half of 1953, deliveries totaled \$2,363,000,000 in value, according to Harold E. Stassen, Director of the Foreign Operations Administration. Deliveries reached \$1,447,000,000 during the second six months of 1952, and \$680 million during the first half of 1953.

Q—When he announced the \$2 billion cut in estimated federal expenditures during fiscal 1954, did Secretary of the Treasury George M. Humphrey predict a balanced budget?  
A—No. He estimated that the fiscal 1954 deficit will be \$3.8 billion. Humphrey said, however, that the Administration will be "well under way" toward balancing the cash budget before next June 30, barring "unexpected" developments.

Q—Which three matters do members of Congress consider the key issues of the second session, which will convene in January, and of the 1954 election campaign?  
A—A large majority of the 223 members who voted in a Congressional Quarterly poll tabulated Sept. 4 called Korea the top issue, followed in order by tax reduction and economy in government.

Q—How much legislation was introduced during the first session of the 83rd Congress?  
A—Senators and Representatives introduced 10,895 measures, of which 9,900 were bills (public and private) and Joint resolutions, which have the force of law when passed by both houses and signed by the President. Five hundred and fifteen became law. The all-time record for introduction of legislation was set during the two years of the 61st Congress (1909-11), when 44,363 measures bulged the hoppers. So far, the pace of the 83rd Congress is less than half that of the 61st.

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## IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

The farmers are busy picking cotton. Some are pulling and several of the ladies are helping.

Mrs. Mamie Barrow of Waco visited her niece, Mrs. Pike this week. She also visited relatives in Hico.

Mrs. Wayne Allison of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goodin.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCoy are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. "Red" McCoy. They are going to San Antonio. He is in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hines of Fort Worth are visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. D. Ford.

Miss Betty Bradley, who teaches in a Fort Worth school, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Dean of Fort Worth spent the past Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Myers of Fort Worth visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horrace Klett are visiting his aunt, Mrs. Cavett. He just came from Korea.

Bobby Jack Wilson of Wickett spent the weekend with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mrs. Ida Lois Gidson and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Chaffin and young daughter of Levelland spent the week end with his father, Lee Chaffin and wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Johnson and sons of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Loader.

Mrs. Falls who is with her daughter, Mrs. Welch of Waco, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. James Oliver Wilson and son of Fort Worth spent the week end with his mother.

Mrs. Allen Dawson has returned from the Stephenville hospital and is much better.

Mrs. Donald McCoy was honored with a blue and pink shower on Friday afternoon at the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goodin. Mrs. Roy Moore and Mrs. Wesley Goodin were co-hostesses. Some games were played. The many and beautiful gifts were brought in to the honoree and all the ladies had the pleasure of seeing the gifts. Refreshments of iced punch and home baked cakes were served and they were fine. All enjoyed the shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Phinis Davis of Sanatorium spent the week end with his parents and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap.

Mr. Mack, the son-in-law of Mrs. R. D. Ford is on his way to Alaska. His wife is with her mother, Mrs. Ford and Mr. Ford.

Iredell and surrounding country got a fine rain this week end. Will be fine on the fall gardens.

Mrs. Viola Loader is with her son, Marcus, who is ill at Camp Hood.

Roy Thompson, who works in the Herrington Store is taking his vacation. Mrs. Gilbreath is working in his place.

Bryan Smith of Adicks spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Nora Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pike of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Coon Pike of Dallas, Mrs. Cooter Barnett and Bonnie Ray of Fort Worth were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Pike Sunday.

The WSCS had an interesting program Monday afternoon, "Faith of Our Father's". All enjoyed it.

Mrs. Lulu Klett of Waco spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Cavett. She left Sunday for Stephenville to work in the hospital.

### STATEMENT

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1953.  
(Seal) J. C. BARROW,  
Notary Public, Hamilton, Co., Tex.  
(My commission expires June 1st, 1954).

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Saturday, Oct. 10—  
9:00 a. m. Confirmation classes.  
October 10-11: Luther League Convention at Fort Worth.  
Sunday, Oct. 11—  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School Session.  
11:00 a. m. Divine Services with offering for missions.  
7:30 p. m. Meeting of the Junior Luther League, entertained by the Marion Sorenson and Lonnie Wiese families.  
Wednesday, Oct. 14—  
7:30 p. m. Meeting of the church brotherhood.  
A sincere welcome to all services and meetings.  
CORRESPONDENT.

### DUFFAU

By  
Mrs. Pascal Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Chenault and Mrs. Hazel Calvert and daughter, Marcia Ann, of Mineral Wells spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hutson and family and attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Evans of Dallas spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson and Brenda.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Solsbery and family of Brownfield spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Solsbery and sons, Alan and Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Reagan and daughter Yvonne of Morgan Mill spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash spent Sunday evening in Deademona in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ash.

Marvin Solsbery returned home from Temple Friday, where he had been a patient there for the past several days, having undergone surgery. He still has to remain in bed for a while. We are very proud to have him home again.

A. B. Naul and P. D. Ash of Snyder returned to their homes here Friday and will now be stationed at Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentis Newman and Mrs. A. L. Newman had as their guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover of Fairy, Mrs. Ralph Spencer and little son Don of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carey and little grandson Carey Miles of Stephenville visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lindsey and son, Eugene and Miss Imogene Lindsey of Stephenville spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Samford and boys of Sunshine visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Solsbery and family recently.

Mrs. S. A. Simpson of Llano is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Seaxom.

Bro. Gerald Freesia preached at the Church of Christ Sunday and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Seaxom.

Mrs. Ruth Brown of Stephenville spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gillentine and family.

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### ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$554,404.44
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	726,202.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,031.58
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$556.43 overdrafts)	580,840.94
Furniture and fixtures	317.84
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>1,867,796.80</b>

### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,614,380.89
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	6,596.07
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	41,048.19
Deposits of banks	16,872.06
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,678,897.21</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>1,678,897.21</b>

### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	88,899.59
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>188,899.59</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>1,867,796.80</b>

State of Texas, County of Hamilton, ss:

I, Ellis Randals, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELLIS RANDALS, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of October, 1953.

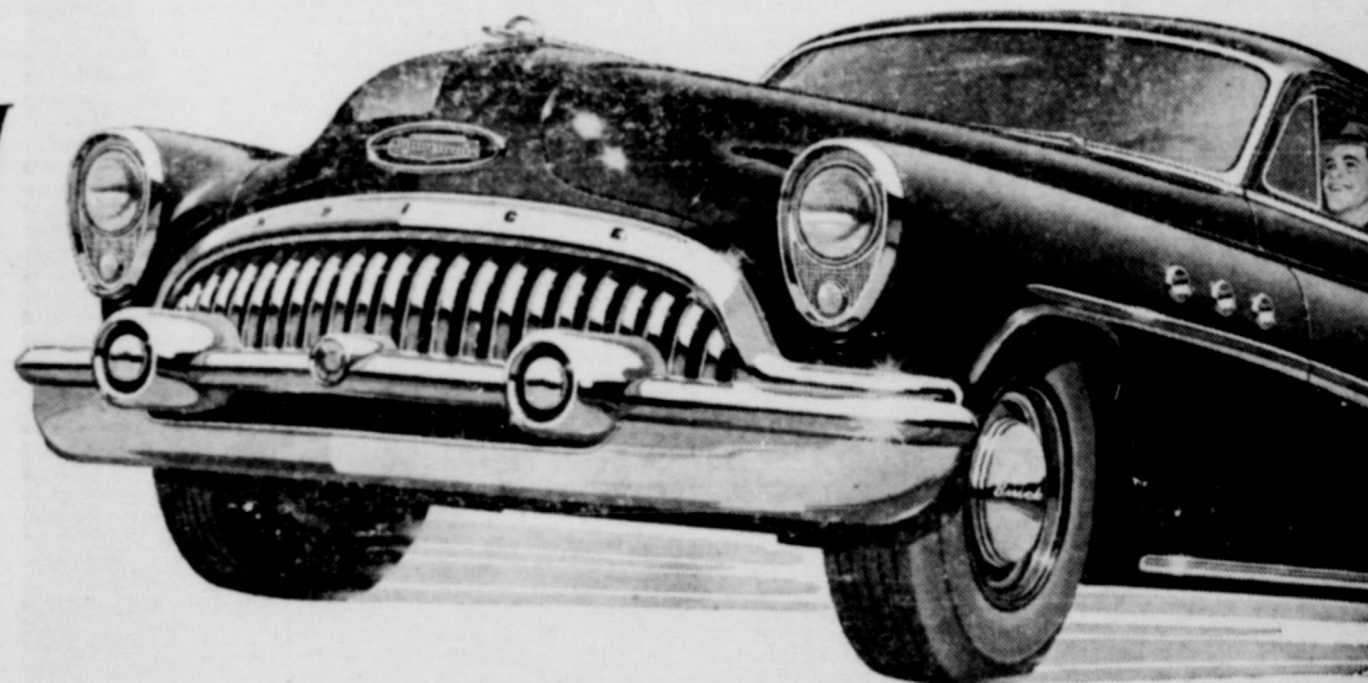
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# YOUR brain budget

1. Approximately how many elementary and high school students in the U. S.? (a) 28 million; (b) 32 million; (c) 25 million.
2. The highest lake in the United States is Tulainyo. It is located in (a) Nevada; (b) California; (c) Washington?

## ANSWERS

1. 28 million.  
2. California.

# LONE STAR Agriculture

Released by The Texas Department of Agriculture

By John C. White, Commissioner

## New Grassland Seeding Method

The problem of how to establish a good grassland crop may now be close to a solution due to experiments conducted during the past year.

The farmer has long been troubled by the puzzle of how to give grass seeds a good footing in the soil. In most cases, he still relies upon the "broadcast" method—a system prevalent during Biblical times. Now, a new type of "precision planting" is showing excellent results.

Precision planting calls for drilling of grass and clover seed at a depth of one-fourth inch. One inch below these seeds has been placed a band of fertilizer. Soil is then packed over the seed.

The advantage of fertilizer placement in a band below the grass seed became evident soon after the plantings were made in September of last year. Although seedlings in all test plots were up within a few days, those in which fertilizer had been "banded" one inch below the seed, developed most rapidly. Weeds also were less prominent in the "banded" plots than they were when the fertilizer was broadcast.

Plants in banded drill rows eight inches apart grew rapidly and made growth enough to survive the winter. Plots where the plants were between fertilizer rows developed slowly and many were killed during the winter.

Further tests showed that if a high rate of fertilizer, 750 pounds per acre of 3-12-6, were placed in contact with the grass and clover seed at planting time, then the stands of clover was suppressed. Growth was also slow if the bands of fertilizer were one inch below and one inch to the side of the seed. Therefore, the method of placing fertilizer one inch directly below the seed proved superior to all other tests.

There was apparently very little advantage in broadcasting the seed and banding the fertilizer. However drilling the seed showed

considerable advantage even when the fertilizer was broadcast.

Examination of the weed content in harvested forage showed that where both seed and fertilizer were drilled, practically no weeds were in evidence. But where seed or fertilizer were broadcast, weeds were a real problem, especially at low rates of seeding and fertilization.



Fort Worth, Oct. 6.—Movement of livestock to market at the start of the week was moderate at Southwestern markets, but heavy at Midwest and Western Centers. Denver reported a huge sheep run, and Omaha had almost 30,000 cattle on Monday.

Prices were stable at Fort Worth Monday. Some interests bid easier prices on cows and bulls, but were unable to get many bought that way. Steers, yearlings and stockers were firm. Some top-py fat calves sold up to \$15 to \$15.50, and a few to \$16 were definitely higher.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings sold from \$17 to \$22, and choice to prime cattle are quotable to \$25 or better, some club steers late last week selling to \$26. Common and medium grassers sold for \$10 to \$15, and cutter grades sold from \$7 to \$9.

Fat cows cleared at \$9 to \$11, with some heiferish kinds to \$12. Canners and cutters drew \$5.50 to \$9, some old shells down to \$5. Bulls drew \$8 to \$12, odd head above and below that range.

Fat calves of good and choice kinds sold mainly from \$12.50 to \$15, with some around 500 pounds and over strictly fat kinds to \$15.50 and \$16. Common and medium sorts sold from \$9 to \$12, with culls from \$6 to \$9.

Good and choice stocker steer calves sold from \$12 to \$16.50, and plainer kinds sold around \$9 to \$11. Stocker and feeder steers and steer yearlings cashed at \$9 to \$15.50. Stocker cows were slow at \$8 to \$12.

Many financial backers of stock men are dropping broad hints at this time to the effect that feed bills of the size of those paid last year can not be financed by them this year.

This situation may result in heavier than planned liquidation of herds in many cases. It will surely result in increased pressure for cheap feed through a government program.

The financiers take the stand that a cow or a ewe that already is carrying a heavy feed bill from the past two or three years of dry weather can very easily "eat her entire value up between now and Spring."

Hog prices were 25 cents higher to 25 cents lower at Fort Worth Monday. Shippers and small packers paid the higher prices, while major packers followed the Northern trend into a lower market.

Top hogs sold for \$24 to \$25 at Fort Worth, this compares with a top of \$23 to \$23.60 at Chicago the same day. Sows at Fort Worth drew \$20 to \$22, and were 50 cents off.

Lambs climbed 50 cents again at Fort Worth Monday and topped at \$19. These lambs came from Brewster County and weighed 82 pounds.

Good and choice lambs sold from \$17 to \$19, cull, common to medium kinds drew \$10 to \$16. Feeders sold around \$12, and are quotable to \$13.50. Old ewes drew \$4.25 to \$6. Old wethers and two's sold from \$7 to \$9. Fat yearlings drew \$11 to \$12.

By the way, last week some lambs from Brewster County (Big Bend Country) and a long way from Fort Worth, came in and sale weight was within a pound and a half of the weight when they left home. They really took to the alfalfa hay and water to make a remarkable small shrink like that.

## Citation by Publication—

No. 4583

### THE STATE OF TEXAS.

TO: Aubrey Bryan, if he is living, or if he is dead, his unknown heirs and/or legal representatives, and Mrs. Irene Bennett and her husband, Clifford, whose place of residence is unknown, if she is living, and if she is not living, then to her unknown heirs and/or legal representatives, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1953, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Hamilton County, at the Court House in Hamilton, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 16th day of September, 1953. The file number of said suit being No. 4583.

The names of the parties in said suit are: E. H. Bryan of Bosque county, Texas; C. H. Bryan and R. C. Bryan of Grant county, New Mexico; B. F. Bryan of Pike county, Arkansas, and Mrs. Morine Lee and her husband, Aubrey Lee, of Hamilton county, Texas, as Plaintiff, and Aubrey Bryan, whose residence is unknown, if he is living, but if not living, his unknown heirs and/or legal representatives; Mrs. Annie Fergusson and husband, L. G. Fergusson; Mrs. Ora Spivey and husband, W. C. Spivey; Mrs. Alice Cox and husband, Neal Cox; Robert Fergusson, J. C. Fergusson, Irene Bennett and husband, Clifford Bennett, and Mrs. Eunice Roberts and husband, Clyde Roberts as defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for the partition and division of 160 acres of land out of the G. C. McWhorter survey in Hamilton county, Texas, south of the Oliver Gorman survey, and being fully described in plaintiff's original petition on file in the office of the District Clerk of Hamilton county, Texas, said plaintiffs praying that if said land cannot be divided in kind, that a Receiver be appointed and said land sold and the proceeds be divided according to law. Reference is hereby made to said plaintiff's petition for further particulars of the plaintiff's cause of action.

Issued this the 16th day of September, 1953.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hamilton, Texas, this the 16th day of September, A. D. 1953.

C. E. EDMISTON, Clerk District Court, Hamilton County, (19-4tc) Texas.

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**INTERSECTION TRAFFIC  
LAWS EXPLAINED**

Texas laws regulating traffic laws are quite simple, yet they are misunderstood by many people. This is one factor which places Texans right at the top in number of traffic deaths. Possibly the most mystifying of all traffic rules to the average driver are those relating to "Right of Way" at an intersection.

In trying to understand the laws regulating intersection traffic, it is best to start off with the premise that all streets are of equal dignity, legally speaking. Traffic signs and signals may vary this rule somewhat, but when in doubt it is safest to assume that all drivers crossing your path have a claim to the right of way equal to your own.

Obviously, however, in many cases one driver or the other will be legally entitled to the right of way. When it becomes necessary to determine right of way in a particular situation, the driver who reaches the intersection first, or who is going to get there first, is ordinarily favored.

But when two automobiles are an equal distance from the intersection, that one approaching from the other driver's right normally has the right of way.

Some intersections are known as "courtesy corners," having a stop sign or a flashing red signal facing each direction of approach. The first driver reaching the corner and coming to a complete stop will normally have the right of way over vehicles not already in the intersection.

However, this last rule must be qualified by saying that you should not proceed, cross or turn onto the street until you can do so without interfering with oncoming traffic. In other words, if an approaching car will arrive within the intersection before you are completely clear, wait just a little longer. The same rules apply to entering a highway from a side road containing a stop sign.

Many drivers violate the rules of right of way covering left-hand turns at intersections. When turning left, you should always be on the inside (or center) lane, displaying the proper hand signal. You must allow all cars coming from the opposite direction, already in the intersection, to pass through before completing your turn. Even when the intersection is cleared, do not proceed unless other oncoming traffic is far enough away to be able to see your signal and slow down to allow you to turn with safety to all concerned.

Stay in the inside lane until your left-hand turn is entirely completed and only then move gradually over to the right-hand lane if you wish. When turning right, stay in the right-hand lane at all times. Do not swing wide into the center lane, as to do so is unnecessary, unlawful and dangerous.

Many detailed rules and suggestions for safe driving are included in the official "Texas Driving Handbook" which is available to any person requesting same from the Texas Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, Austin, Texas.

**First Meeting of  
Iredell P.-T.A Group  
Held Monday Night**

The Iredell P.-T.A. met in their first meeting of the year Monday night, Oct. 5, at 7:30 p. m. A large crowd came for this "Get Acquainted Night." Refreshments were served.

The officers of the year are: president, Mrs. Jack Blakley; vice-president, Mrs. Tom Strange; secretary, Mrs. J. M. McCroskey; treasurer, Mrs. Roy Moore. The following committees with their chairmen have been appointed and are very active: Membership, Mrs. Weldon Phillips; Finance, Mrs. B. J. Fouts; Program, Mrs. Hayden Sadler; Publicity, Hospitality and Refreshment, Mrs. W. J. Cunningham and Mrs. Roy Moore.

The finance committee recommended the projects for the year, buying stage furniture and floor covering for the lunch room, which were accepted by the P.-T.A. and funds raised will be used for these projects. A card of thanks and appreciation will be sent Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clanton for the nice coffee urn presented to the P.-T.A.

Much interest is being shown in the school and it was decided that the P.-T.A. sponsor a homecoming of all ex-students of Iredell High School. A date will be set which probably will be Nov. 2, the last game of the season for the Dragons' 6-man football team. If any of the ex-students or teachers are interested, write to a member of your class at Iredell or P.-T.A. president.

Everyone is invited to the next meeting on Monday night, Nov. 2. Program will be sponsored by Mr. Barton and his agriculture boys. A room prize of \$3.00 is given each time for the room with highest score. The seniors won the first.

CONTRIBUTED.

**Control of Fire Urged  
To Lower the Annual  
Death Toll in Homes**

Austin, Oct. 6.—Texas' annual death toll from fire could be cut in half if home could be made the safe haven it's supposed to be.

At least 350 of the 542 Texans who died in Texas fires in 1962 were trapped inside their homes by the blaze, Norris W. Parker, manager of the Texas Insurance Advisory Association said today. More than 150 of the victims were children who either couldn't escape because proper exits weren't available, or else had been left alone and were unable to escape without adult aid.

Clothing becoming ignited from too close contact with open fires was listed as the second major cause of fire deaths by the insurance trade association. Many of these deaths also involved small children whose clothing was ignited by open gas heaters and other heating devices.

Improper use of gasoline was third on the list, and the improper use of kerosene was fourth. Improper installation and maintenance of gas heaters, stoves and appliances was the fifth major cause of fire deaths.

Mr. Parker urged a careful inspection of homes by Texas householders as a part of National Fire Prevention Week, October 4-10. To help reduce Texas fire death toll, he said that at least two means of exit should be available to every bedroom the house should be ventilated properly both day and night and children and old people never left in the home alone.

He also urged that all open heaters be protected by screen guards, that gasoline never be used for any purpose except as a fuel and that kerosene be stored outside the house in approved containers. Only approved heating devices should be used, and these should be properly installed and vented. As a further precaution, he urged an annual inspection of gas lines and appliances by an expert.

**Kiddies May Need to  
Watch Out for Danger  
As Well As Drivers**

"Being careful in traffic is good citizenship," Col. E. B. Tilley, President of the Texas Safety Association, and Services Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation told the boys and girls of Texas today.

Col. Tilley was speaking in connection with the September child traffic safety program being sponsored by the Texas Safety Association in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

"A driver who has to dodge a careless child may hit another car or a building, and cause a bad accident," he said.

And sometimes a motorist can't avoid hitting a child who runs into the street without looking, he pointed out.

"Boys and girls are being good citizens when they do their best to prevent such accidents by observing all traffic safety rules themselves, and by helping their friends to remember to do the same," he explained.

He reminded children that, to be safe in traffic, they always should follow five basic safety rules, which are:

1. Obey all traffic officers, school patrols, traffic signs and signals and pavement markings.
2. Use roller skates, tricycles, wagons and scooters on the sidewalk only.
3. Practice the rules they learn in school about crossing streets and playing in unsafe places.
4. Always take the safest route between school and home.
5. Walk on the left side of the road, facing traffic, if there are no sidewalks.

**Washington**

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Congressman  
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Washington, Oct. 8.—There is considerable interest and a great deal of discussion on the matter of support prices on cattle. It certainly is understandable that many livestock raisers would favor such a program since they must buy feed which has a support price on it.

The big question arises as to how controls on cattle will be applied. It is practically a foregone conclusion now that when supports are provided for any commodity, controls must be applied. Otherwise, there is no way in the world to estimate how much it may cost the Government. Without such controls it could conceivably wreck the entire farm program.

An investigation is to be made of retail meat prices. This is to find out why meat prices over the counter remain so high when cattle are cheap. I asked for such an inquiry more than a year ago. The Agriculture Department and the big packers of meat made an explanation, but it was far from satisfactory and was no answer at all.

The following are pertinent parts of a letter written by Congressman Poage of Waco to a ginner at Afton regarding cotton acreage quotas for next year, and the inclusion of acreage prepared but not planted because of the drought:

"There is no justice in imposing a double and a continuing penalty upon the unfortunate people who have been the victims of two to three years of drought. The Congress had no intention that you should suffer. In 1960 we carefully wrote into the cotton law the proviso that allotments should be based on County and State history alone, but upon this history 'with adjustments for unusual weather conditions.' This was intended to give the Agriculture Department the authority to make the needed adjustments. It did give them the authority, but apparently they are not planning to exercise it.

When the Administrator of the PMA and the Solicitor of the Department were before our Committee (The Committee on Agriculture), I asked them in so many words whether they considered the present law gave the Department the authority to make these adjustments. Both of them stood for the record that the existing authority was adequate, that the Department could make these adjustments, that it did consider the Texas drought as being an 'unusual weather condition', and that it would make adjustments.

There can be no question but what the representatives of the present Department of Agriculture told the Congress in no uncertain terms that they could and would make the adjustments needed as a result of the Texas drought. Mr. McCann, Chairman of the State PMA Committee, expressed himself as thoroughly sympathetic with this position. He did ask his Cotton Specialist Assistant, Mr. Marshall, to meet with me and with Congressman Burleson of the 17th District, in Temple. This meeting was held. Mr. Marshall, too expressed his desire to cooperate but suggested no practical means of doing so. He indicated that the State Office had no plans of instructing the local PMA Committees to include these acres. He did promise he would submit the matter to the State PMA Committee.

I am advised that the State Committee called on the Department of Agriculture to take some kind of action, but so far as I know, there has been no response to this request. I feel that the State Committee should have acted. They have the law and the public record of the interpretation by officials of the Department of Agriculture to back them up. However, failing in this—and so far they have apparently failed—it seems to me that each County Committee should accept responsibility and make such adjustments in their own County figures before reporting them to College Station. Cotton allotments are going to be made in a few weeks. If Texas does not get this credit which the law intended us to get, we are going to be hurt for years to come. There is no further legislative action to take. Congress has acted. It has made relief possible. You can now be helpful if you will urge your own County Committee to certify its cotton history with adjustments for unusual weather conditions."

Each County PMA Committee in my Congressional District has been furnished a copy of Mr. Poage's letter. Mr. Poage is a ranking member of the Committee on Agriculture of the Congress.

**WEATHER REPORT**

The following weather report is submitted by L. I. Hudson local observer for the Climatological Service of the United States Weather Bureau:

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Sept. 30	97	59	0.00
Oct. 1	98	58	0.00
Oct. 2	92	60	
Oct. 3	88	72	T
Oct. 4	83	60	2.45
Oct. 5	72	50	0.02
Oct. 6	79	45	

Total precipitation so far this year, 19.27 inches.



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BY... HELEN HALE

ARE you getting the most out of your vacuum cleaner?

The slower you operate the upright type of cleaner over the rugs in your home, the better the cleaning job it will do. Tank-type cleaners should be operated rapidly, about twice as fast.

Keep the bag clean if you have this type of cleaner or you may find that the suction of the cleaner is impaired. When you empty the

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**

Glazed Squash

(Serves 6)

- 1/2 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
- 2 cups mashed squash
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup pineapple juice

Spread half of brown sugar over bottom of greased 1-quart casserole. Spread squash over sugar. Dot with butter. Mix remaining ingredients and pour over top of squash. Bake in a moderately hot (375°) oven for 30 minutes. Mix well before serving.

bag, and this should be done after each cleaning, make certain no dirt clings on the inside of the bag.

Belts on upright cleaners make the brushes revolve. If too loose or not in the pulley, the brush will not move. Check to see if the brush is in place, as well as to see if it has sufficient tension.

Brushes in vacuum cleaners wear down after usage and cannot do a proper job of sweeping. Lay the edge of a playing card across the nozzle of the cleaner. If the tufts protrude slightly over the edge of the card, no adjustment is needed.

Keep the brush roll on your cleaner free of matted hair, lint and thread. This can be done by clipping the matting with scissors every so often.

If tank cleaners do not pick up properly, always check to see that the hose is clear. Pass a broom handle or a thin stick through the hose to remove obstruction.

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