rain proved this true. Smiles were evident everywhere Thursday morning, in spite of the fact that the needed moisture was accompanied by some unwanted hail and scholastic League Meet is being followed by an unwelcome dust held in Meridian. Several students panied by some unwanted hail and

At least we were reminded of and encouraged by the opening chapter of what is hoped to develop into that wetter cycle of weather conditions that has been forecast.

The One Act Plays were set for Thursday night, March 25, starting at 6:30 p. m. The One Act Play entered by Hico is called "As Young as You Look" and be "As Increase."

of an apparent awakening over the town and countryside is seen on every hand this Spring.

and Wayne Duncan.

The Hico High School entries for Friday, April 2, are as follows:

Finishing touches are being ap-plied to a new church, which will Number Sense, Betty Booth, Peggy soon be ready for occupancy, and Ronald McKenzie. also is a credit to any town.

New residences have been completed in Hico and throughout the follows: area, and more are under con- Gail Christian; Alternate, Harlon A survey is being made on the Jones; Alternate April March 19 Jones Alternate April March 20 Jones April possibility of improvements in the grew. Spelling and Plain Writing.

cludes a new building. At every hand signs of progress are apparent, which discount to some extent the melancholy predictions of self-styled authorities the melancholy predictions on the national economy. Maybe ler, Sheila Partain, Bobby Boone,

There's something about Hico like to trade here.

have seen the town in various stages of well-being. Even in the roughest years, there remained a determination on the part of most Service to Be Added local merchants to keep plugging in good times and bad.

That the home newspaper has Hico to Stephenville been privileged to reflect this determination has been a source of constant pride. Naturally we necessary in past decades.

rived from the support received morning to Stephenville.

is the frequent remark that Hico He had also received. sure has some live merchants, tion from Congressman Omar judging from the way they keep Burleson that this mail service regular messages in the paper. will begin April 1.

This is not vanity, for the compil
This route will carry only let
FFA Chapter President ments concern our advertisers more ters and small sealed packages than they are designed to flatter marked first class, and is a rethe newspaper's management.

business is appreciated, the Hico lease was prepared for publication the Hico Chapter, Future Farm-

served and appreciated. paying his own good money to see south from Stephenville, and con- also all businessmen and the ger sample copies of this issue.

Such confidence in the home paper's service is appreciated, and

Healthy competition exists in Hico to the extent that homefolks the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the "an outstanding student, a good long ago decided it was the best dispatch, on week days by 10:15 athlete, and a conscientious FFA aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the office by 9:30 a. m. to catch the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, after is given to any worthwhile enterprise, which makes things better.

By now the Seventh Annual Livestock Show and Sale of the Hico Chapter of Future Farmers is Gulf States Begins over. Indications at press time Survey on Proposal were that it would be an outstanding success.

And it should be that way. The

ed the support they have received.

One of the most encouraging Gulf States Telephone Co. in order phases of this undertaking, to our to determine the wishes of their way of thinking, is that the project is financed entirely by the stallation of a new and modern boys themselves. They have work-dial system in the Hico offices. ed hard on side projects to earn The action follows a plan agreed the money for prizes and other ex- by the Hico City Council in a meetpenses attached to the show.

They have not begged for funds among the businessmen and citi-Rolla L. Johnson, general man-zens—they have offered something ager, from the Tyler offices of in return for money provided to the telephone company, have been boys' efforts, they deserve an en-

They are to be congratulated, along with their adviser, for the commendable way they have handl-ed their business affairs as a unit, son stated, "and we want to exed their business affairs as a unit. as well as for their individual efforts with their main projects.

town from a job out on Spring stated that they want to explain Creek Tuesday with a rattlesnake's fully the dial system and accomptail assembly, finally admitted that anying rate change involved in a anying rate change involved in anying rate change involved in some. They reported that Pal, like shch a system. the guy in a recent movie, had encountered the snake under a WEATHER REPORT house and chased it away with tobacco juice-"just two spits."

A certain fellow around here
used to say he spent half his time
telling people how smart he was,
and the other half telling them
how bad coffee hurt him.
Wonder how he feels now, with
coffee selling at a dollar-plus per
Total

# The Mico News Review

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#### Hico Schools to Send Students to Meridian in Interscholastic Meet

On Friday, April 2, the Interfrom Hico High School and Grade School will compete.

its cast, Peggy Goodloe, Carol Harris, Linda Cox, Harvey Jones, In spite of the drouth, evidence Ronald Massey, Connie Meador,

on every hand this Spring.

New businesses are opening.
established firms are replenishing their wares and enlarging their Pruett. Typewriting, Karon Hig-The new grade school building ginbotham, Linda Cox, Pat Little is serving its purpose well, and Phyllis Jones. Spelling, Karon provides citizens with a source of Higginbotham, Georgia Holladay, pride when they point it out to Alternates, Carey McKenzie and Julia Hedges. Ready Writers, Ju-Warren. Extemporaneous Speech,

The Grade School entries are as Declamation, Jr. Koonsman; Junior Girls, Virginia possibility of improvements in the telephone system, which also interpreted a new building. Bobby Boone. Ready Writers, Joe we can pull out of our rut, after Linda Lou Bales, Linda Patter-

"For the past few years Hico that just naturally makes people has won many honors in the meet.

We hope they may do as well this Over a long period of years we year," observed Supt. O. C. Cook in a prepared news release.

# For Outgoing Mail-

In response to numerous requests for improvement of the need the business to provide expanded services now being offerthe United States Post Office has ed which were not considered notified local Postmaster Robert B. Jackson of a new mail contrac But the greatest satisfaction de- to carry first class mail each

He had also received notifica-

As a result of this constant re-minder from merchants that their their their result of the constant re-minder from merchants that their results are their results and results are the constant re-

This service will give us mail out day. on Sunday morning. This will help

other services mentioned.

ROBERT B. JACKSON, Postmaster.

# Of Dial Phones Here

boys and their adviser have merit- Popular opinion is being polled

ing last fall. Millard Oates, special agent, and here to conduct the survey.

"During the next week or two we hope to contact a majority of plain the many modern features of this system and to answer any Pal Drake, who came back to garding a change." The gentlemen

The following weather report is submitted by W. R. Hampton, local

Total precipitation so far year, 1.25 inches.

HOUSTON'S EASTER SEAL GIRL-Devalca White 19-year-old polio victim, was selected by the Easter Seal committee to spur the Easter Seal drive in Houston and Harris County. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. White, 6718 Tierwester, formerly of Hico, is shown here as she turned cowgirl during the recent Houston Fat Stock Show and Rodeo. The smiling hombres are the Cisco Kid and Pancho. Devalca, a bright, alert child, attends Lantrip School for special children. Some 300,000 Easter Seal envelopes were mailed out March 18 to residents of Harris County. Officials of the Houston drive hope to double last year's drive total of \$37,500. They want to build a home which will offer custodial care and recreational facilities for crippled and handicapped children. (Courtesy The Houston Chronicle)

THE COLORS

flag from the Yorktown's mast.

BACK FROM OVERSEAS

home Sunday evening.

nersville (Volunteer)

ed home last Friday following a

LOCAL BOARD 23 INDUCTED

Mrs. Lillian H. Roach, clerk of

tce System, at Gatesville, has sent

a list of registrants who reported

for induction Tuesday morning,

Floyd Brant McFarland, Waco

Billy Mac Thompson, Waco Clarence Elbert Cox, Hamilton

Frank Monroe Upton, Izora

March 16, as follows: Roland Delbert Wallace, Tur-

INTO SERVICE LAST WEEK

# Invitation to Lions

and merchants receive patronage from over a wide area that is deof our office each day at 10:55 at the Wednesday meeting of Hico erved and appreciated.

Just this week one merchant is for Stephenville, mail north and tation to the members, including paying his own good money to so south from Stephenville, and con also all business at the some fringe areas of this nections from Fort Worth and eral public, to attend the FFA IREDELL YOUTH ON WAY trade territory are covered with Dallas, including all states mail. 7th Annual Livestock Show and HOME ENDING TOUR This is first class mail service. Sale scheduled for the following OF DUTY IN FAR EAST

Young Templeton, who has atwe hope it proves to be well our service to Stephenville and tended school at Hico for the past three years, was introduced by On Sunday, mail should be in Harold Walker, club president, as worker whose application has the Far East. been submitted for a college opportunity award." Walker is also adviser of the local FFA Chapter.

Briefly outlining the program, ception to invitations sent out ship of Task Force 77. Rear Ad-over this area had been re- miral John P. Whitney, Command- In the afternoon the ceived. He also expressed appreciation of the boys for cooperation received from the Lions Club and Chamber of Commerce, saying the facilities enabled them to offer a show with more entries than ever

Repeating his student's invitation. Walker said he hoped visitors would "notice the improvement in the boys and their pride and skill in presentation, as well as improv-

Lion Petsick urged members to attend not only the show, but the period of service in Korea. A host sale to follow. "In view of the of relatives visited him in his couraging hand and we hope to see as many bidders as possible from the business men down MORE REGISTRANTS FROM there," he said.

Paul Malone of Waco, only other isitor, was a guest of Bill Howard at the meeting.

### Free Baseball Game Sunday Afternoon To Precede Season

The Alexander Baseball Club will play a practice game with Cisco Junior College team at

### Hico Senior Girls Are Inwited to Career Day At Mary Hardin-Baylor

din-Baylor college is scheduled for ed in this area of the state. Saturday, April 3, Dr. A. C. Gettys, the near future, announcement of senior girls including those in Hico ranged. together with their parents and teachers are being invited to the campus for the day.

Ramon K. Dunlap, airman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap speech, and home constitution, of Iredell, Texas, has returned be featured in panel discussions here March 3 aboard the attack set up by the college departments. An outstanding speaker, to be During the six months she was in Far Eastern waters, the York-

town, famed "Fighting Lady" of by a campus tour. At noon a chick-World War II, served as the Flag- en dinner will be served, without er Carrier Division Five flew his up into groups according to special interests for panel discussions Paramount of the Yorktown's with individual conferences after-

Far Eastern tour was the dona-tion of \$25,000 dollars to the All departments of Shriner's Crippled Children's Fund will be open for inspection and will direct the song service. by the ship's crew. This is the have a representative on hand to largest amount ever donated by a answer questions. Several are single naval yessel in the Navy's planning exhibits and demonstrations for the occasion.

#### Jack Haile of near Olin return- Hico Boy Scout Troop To Have Part in 1954 Scout Circus at Waco

More than 160 of the 223 Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops, and Explorer units in the Heart O' Texas Council have signed up to participate in the 1954 Boy Mrs. Lillian H. Roach, clerk of Scout Circus, April 22-23, in the Local Board No. 23, Selective Serv-Heart O' Texas Coliseum, Clyde Robertson, participation chairman for the circus announced this week. 'We are extremely proud of the

participation record in the circus so far," Mr. Robertson stated. "This year's edition of 'Central biggest boys show is as-

sured of being 25 per cent larger than any past show."

Units which have signed up to participate in the circus, and whose members will start their in organizing cub pack

### STOCK SHOW INTEREST DISPLAYED BY CROWDS

### THE RAINS CAME— AS WELL AS HAIL AND DUST!

Hico came in for her share of rainfall Wednesday night amid a dramatic flurry of hail and wind, followed later by dust, but was fortunate in receiving 1.07 inches of rainfall, according to records of W. R. Hampton, local observer for the U. S. Weather Bureau.

This amount of moisture gathered in one night was almost as much as the total received here during all the previous days of the year com-

High winds caused minor damage at the edge of town, with some light sheds and chicken houses being blown down. City street workers were busy Thursday morning repairing places that had washed during the heavy rainfall. Hailstones were estimated to be as

large as % inch in diameter. Meanwhile out in the Fairy community, residents measured a .7 inch rain, and the storm raged to blow the roof off Jerry Todd's barn on the old Stringer place. No hall fell in this community, however.

#### Walter Hamilton Co. Opening Local Produce And Feed Business

Preparations were being made this week for the opening of a new business in Hico by the Walter Hamilton Co. of Dublin. It will be operated in the buildings starnes, Hice; 3rd, James Boykin, formerly occupied by Knox & Tul-Pottsville; 4th, Robert Viertel, loh on Railroad Avenue.

feeds will be offered, and the firm will also buy produce. C. W. John-son, who now lives at Purves, will be local manager. He has been connected for several years with the Hamilton firm in Dublin, which has been in business for 42 years. He will be assisted by James Sparks, who is well known over this section through previous

G. L. Wooley, Paymaster feed Junior Boars: 1st, Dennis Krueg division salesman, of Stephenville, er, Hamilton; 2nd, Bobby Munsell, has been helping line up plans for Carlton; 3rd, Garland Anglin, Ham-Belton, March 23.—The first Ca- the new dealership, which is one reer Day sponsored by Mary Har- of several that are being establish-

A formal opening is planned for acting president announced today. which will come after the buildings High school and junior college are prepared and the stock ar

### Sunday Morning Opens Special Services for **Baptist Spring Revival**

Sunday morning services a First Baptist Church in Hico will mark the opening of the church's spring revival, Rev. L. H. Davis has announced. The Sunday services will be at 11:00 a, m. and 7:30 miral John P. Whitney, Command- In the afternoon they will break ing weekdays at 10:30 a. m. and had been mailed out to 120 chap-

Dr. H. H. Hargrove of Brownwood will deliver the sermons at these meetings, and Robert Rich-All departments of the college ardson, Baylor University student, Everyone is invited both morning and night, Rev. Davis stated. The meeting continues through

#### COUPLE RETURNING HOME AFTER 2 YEARS IN BRAZIL

Sunday, April 4.

Mrs. H. N. Wolfe, accompanied by Mrs. A. J. McKinney of Worth am, left Sunday for New Orleans La., where they were to meet their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herbert Wolfe, and children Kendall and James Holton. The family was scheduled to arrive there this week by boat from Sao Paulo, Brazil, S. A.

For the past two years, they have been making their home in Sao Paulo, and James Holton was born while they lived there. This is their first trip home on vacation, and they expect to be here for two months. Mr. Wolfe is employed with the Anderson Clayton Cotton Company in South Ameri-

Billy Mac Thompson, Waco
Clarence Elbert Cox, Hamilton
Dowd Jerdin Argabright, Oglesby
Prec. Valley League.

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Says Leon Lew's, reporter from
0.00 Anaxinder, "Our uniforms will not
0.00 be available for this game, but
0.00 will be the following Sunday warn
0.00 will be the following Sunday warn
0.00 will be the following Sunday warn
0.00 we play host to Hico on this same
0.00 ground."

Everyone is welcome to attend
this practice game, and there will
this practice game, and there will
the no charge made.

Billy Mac Thompson, Waco
Clarence Elbert Cox, Hamilton
Dowd Jerdin Argabright, Oglesby

ENTER ELECTRICAL SCHOOL
To STUDY TV AND RADIO
Don Eakins, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Guy Eakins of Hico, and Billy
Ables of Dublin left last Thursday
One of Chicago, Illinois to enter
Coyne's Electrical School.
They plan to take up the study
of television and radio mechanics,
and other fields of electricity.

Units which have signed up to
participate in the circus, and whose members will start their
ticket sales on March 27 from Hico
are Troop 99.

The 1954 Heart O' Texas Council, met with the prospective of the Heart O' Texas Council, met with the prospective and the home of Mrs.
M. I. Knudson last Thursday Addition individual merchants pitchernoon for the purpose of organboth nights. Prior to the grand
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### Annual FFA Show And Sale in Progress At Park Thursday

"I've brought some Holstein but can't find any place to unload

"There's no comparison of this

show with the FFA show two years "Judging is liable to take a lot ionger than expected with so many entries."

Such were the comments being mused Thursday morning at City Park, where the sun shone brightly after a stormy evening before, and the only inconvenience caused by the weather was muddy ground which made it messy to unload the animals. No one was heard to complain about the mud, however.

#### RESULTS OF JUDGING UP TO PRESS TIME

SHEEP DIVISION Grand Champion Junior Ewe: Lionel Schoen, Pottsville.

Grand Champion Senior Buck: Derwood Marwitz, Pottsville. Fat Lambs: 1st, Winston Churchill, Hico; 2nd and 3rd, Gaylon Gassiot, Carlton; 4th, W. Churchill, Hico.

Senior Ewes: 1st, Charles Register, Hamilton; 2nd, Wayne Chew, Hico; 3rd, Ernest Viertel, Cran-fills Gap; 4th, Deunis Schoen,

Junior Ewes: 1st, Lionel Schoen, Pottsville; 2nd, Dennis Schoen, Pottsville; 3rd, Lionel Schoen, Pottsville; 4th, Robert Rachulg,

Fairy. Senior Bucks: 1st, Derwood Marwitz, Pottsville; 2nd, Fred Lud-wig, Clifton; 3rd, Lionel Schoen, Pottsville; 4th, Orville Templeton, Hico.

Junior Bucks: 1st and 2nd, S. B.

oh on Railroad Avenue.

A complete line of Paymaster reeds will be offered, and the firm will also buy produce. C. W. Johnson, who now lives at Purves, will wright, Meridian.

Pottsville: 4th, Robert Vierte, Cranfills Gap.

Special Class Sheep: 1st, Clinton Wright, Meridian; 2nd, Keith Streater, Hamilton; 3rd, Clinton Wright, Meridian.

SWINE DIVISION Gilts: 1st, Guy Lockhart, Clifton; 2nd, Kenneth Kruse, Clifton; 3rd, Martin Schrank, Carlton FFA; 4th, Guy Lockhart, Clifton.

Barrows: 1st and 2nd, Guy Lock-hart, Clifton: 3rd, Gene Sharp, Carlton: 4th Paul Eisen, Hamil-

ilton; 4th, Roy Dale Springer, Carl-

abay; 2nd, J. W. Deaton, Hucka-bay; 3rd, Clinton Petry, Hamilton; 4th, C. H. Adams, Huckabay.

POULTRY DIVISION Capons: 1st and 2nd, Charles Register, Hamilton; 3rd, Donald Warren, Hico.

Fryers: 1st and 4th, Don Holley, Hico; 2nd, Donald Hughes, Hico; 3rd and 5th, Charles Stipe, Hico. Hens: 1st and 4th, Bennie Gilley, Hamilton; 2nd, Jimmy Herrin, Hico; 3rd, Lavon Pierce, Hico.

Roosters: Doris Bullard, Hico Turkey Hens: Joe Coffman, Hico, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. Turkey Toms: Joe Coffman, Hico, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd.

Prior to the show invitations

ters in surrounding counties, and reception to the invitations was very good. Asked what factors he thought had contributed to making the show a success this year, Harold Walker, chapter adviser said that he believed it was caused by the good publicity and advertising they had from all sources. FFA Chapters which had a sizeable representation here Thursday for the show included Carlton. Fairy, Huckabay, Stephenville, Hamilton, Pottsville, Grandview, Cranfills Gap, Iredell, Clifton, Lingleville Jonesboro and Dublin.

Judges who were here for the show included Doyle Graves, of the Tarleton State College poultry department, who has been a previous udge at the Hico show. For livestock, the judge was T. B. John-son, vocational agriculture teacher at Goldthwaite, and for the dairy cattle, Sammy Skiles, voca-tional teacher at Weatherford.

After erection of quarters only one year ago to accommodate county livestock shows and shows sponsored by the local Future Farmers of America, response in number of entries in this year's Hico FFA Livestock Show crowded them out of the pens in every

### REVIVAL

March 26 - April 4 **Duffau Baptist Church** 



REV. CLYDE PITTMAN Paster Cal ary Baptist Church, Stephenville, Texas

WILL DO THE PREACHING

SERVICES EACH EVENING Preaching at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching each Sunday at 11 a. m.

TO ATTEND

er, Pete Stidham and Mrs. Lorena Stidham

Carlton Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and Mrs. Fred Geye daughter, La Jauna Kaye, of Dubin visited Saturday night with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye. Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Jordan Mrs. S. N. McKinney, 92, fell last r sister and husband, Mr. and week in her home and injured her

Mrs. Ben Norwood of Dublin visi-ted in Waco with the Jordan's McGrew and Mrs. Rosa Dry of Mrs. Carroll Smith in their new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charley Mcnome and attended the United Na- Kinney of Rotan spent the week tions' Garden Show in the Heart end in the Mckinney home O' Texas Colliseum.

Mrs. Jessie Nelson Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rudd and mother, Mrs. Hattie Sowell.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rudd were visiMrs. R. L. Hopson and Carol of

W. S. Rudd. Burial was made in the Carlton Turner and Sam Jr. emetery for Miss Mittie Barnett

Wednesday afternoon after fu-peral services were held in Dallas. Upham, who was born and reared their farm here. Miss Barnett passed away in Dallas after a long illness. She was home in Portales, N. M. Mr. Upthe daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham was unable to attend the full the daughter of the late Uncle ham the daughter of the late of the daughter of the late of the l John Barnett and wife of Carlton, neral. and the niece of the late Rev. R. H. also of Carlton. Mrs. Jessie Nelson was a visitor day in Dallas with her brother,

e first of the week in Meridian Dock Sharp of Crane, who had nd Walnut Springs.

Hubert Turner Mr. and Mrs. nd daughter, Mrs. Geraldine Wirdsor of Houston spent the care for him. week at their farm west of town. and Mrs. H. B. Manahan of Houston were week end visitors with his sister and husband, Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Broadway.
Mrs. Izora Wilhite of Grand

Prairie is visiting in Carlton this week in her home here and with friends and relatives. Dow Self visited Sunday in the

Hico Hospital with his grandfath-YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED er, Uncle Mark Dowdy, 90, of lairette, who is ill.

Clairette were visitors Saturday Ronnie and Kenney Stidham of San Angelo spent last week end night with W. A. Proctor. Ira McGlothlin, Pastor with their father and grandmoth-

Tulia with her daughter and famy and to attend the wedding of her granddaughter. Visitors during the past week with Mrs. Lillie Anderson and her mother Mrs. J. H. Tull were Mrs. Cora Mitchell of Iredell, Mr. and

Mrs. Levi Hatley and Mrs. Char-

sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery.

from a badly sprained ankle. Their

visited Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. O. P. Mercer is visiting in

Mrs. Charley Proffitt was a pa-

Reginald Tull of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blanchard of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gerreald of Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Weaver of Hico visited Sunday afternoon with father, the late John Barbee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fine waite visited Sunday with Mr. and

and daughter of Madison, Wiscon-Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith Mrs. H. K. Self of Clairette, She also visited at the Hico Hospital ter, Mrs. George who is a patient there.

Fairy

Mrs. Eunice Massengale

It seems all predictions of rain man has promised showers for daughter and husband, Mr. and Rotan are with their mother. Her Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

geese heading north a few days crete tile garage home, near the Miss Nancy Sowell of Hamilton ago, so maybe our winter weath- old homesite where they have since Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coffey of visited over the week end with er is over and at least the past resided. Mrs. Brummett, who is the ranfills Gap visited Sunday with her aunt and husband, Mr. and two afternoons have brought much former Lucille Anderson, is Mrs. Jess Reeves and her grand- warmer temperatures.

little sons, Randy and Van of gaged in farming and ranching. with Mr. and Mrs. Dallas spent last week end with Crane, spent last Saturday here, her mother and brother, Mrs. Sam visiting in the home of Mr. and ted Wednesday of last week in the Turner and Sam Jr.

Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers. They came home of his sister, Mrs. Brittie Dunk Upham received a message down to look after their cattle Little.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Butler and letter last week, who were also course. since several cases of among the guests who attended the whooping cough, measles and two little daughters visited Sun-Golden Wedding anniversary celebration honoring Mr. and Mrs. L. mumps have been reported which undergone surgery on his back in J. Woods last Saturday week ev. seem to be general over this and a Dallas hospital. Mrs. Butler re-

> mained with her brother to help ening. We received a letter today from Louis a dear friend and childhood school ley Abels of Dublin and Mr. and mate, Mrs. Viola Hoffman of Slawho is a daughter of the late Mrs. Truman Lowery of Waco visi-Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crow of Fairy. ted Sunday with their parents and Viola is a semi-shut-in, who hasn't walked in twelve and one half years. She requests that we antient Friday night and Saturday nounce through our news letter in the Hico Hospital, suffering that her birthdate is March 29. on and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt and Connie of Comanche card and letter shower from her old friends and school mates. She Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Carter of stated that she suffers much but is looking forward to a new life, where there'll be no sickness and suffering. Now folks, get on the job and let's give her such a nice shower of cards and letters of encouragement that she will almost forget her illness for a time. Address her, Mrs. Eddie Hoffman, Slaton, Texas, Box 431. Mrs. Hoffman stated in her letter that four of her children, two sons and two Douglas Barbee at Hico, who was were united in marriage at 3:00 their uncle, and brother of their o'clock last Thursday afternoon,

> Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rudd and daughter, Tommie Holland, of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rudd of Goldth- Dallas, spent from Friday night They were unattended. Miss Parks until Sunday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Self visited Monday Edd Allison. She accompanied her n Stephenville with her husband's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Self Texie Allison of Fort Worth, who and daughter of Madison, Wiscon- also spent the week end here visisin, who left Tuesday for their ting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. home after visiting her parents, Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Garlon of Ste- Streater of Lanham. Other chilphenville, and his parents, Mr. and dren who visited in the Allison home Sunday were another daugh-Stringer with her husband's grandfather, children of Hico, Deward Allison and daughter, Mrs. Wayne Pittman of Dublin. Mrs. Deward Allison was unable to come due to illness and Mr. Pittman was taking care of his and his father's dairy. since his father had undergone surgery at the Dublin Hospital last week. Mrs. Patterson and their oldest children, Joan and Butch, accompanied by Mr. Patterson's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson, also of Daland Tommie Holland Sunday afternoon. They had spent Sunday morning and noon, sight-seeing at

> > The writer attended singing at Warrens Creek Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. A fine song service was enjoyed by a large crowd. The writer visited a while in the W. C. Oglesby home after singing hours.

Whitney Dam

All are looking forward to attending a singing at Hazeldell, be-tween Gustine and Dublin next Sunday afternoon, March 2. J. D. Center of Gustine, who will preside made the announcement Sunday. This will be their initial singing there. Mr. Center stated that he was expecting a large crowd and singers from many parts of this and adjoining counties, to be present. Keep this announcement in mind and come and be with us.

Mrs. M. E. Parks enjoyed a visit from all of her children and fami-lies over the week end, with the Mrs. Dan Fulbright and family of Kerrville. Mrs. Fulbright has recently had an attack of mumps and one of the little sons was ill of chicken pox. Those here for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Driver and family of Texas City, who also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver while here, their son, Kenneth who is a student at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs Milford Miller and Ronald, Mr and Mrs. Elzie Parks, all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Pack of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leonard of Fairy and Audie of the home. Mr. and Mrs. Drivet and family remained until Monand family remained until Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sellers and family of Hamilton visited in the nome of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Carolyn and Jimmie Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Winiford Gardner and family visited Sunday in Hamilton in the home of his parents and other relatives.

The last report we received from Uncle Bob Parks, birthday cards received were 26 and we feel sure he received several belated cards

Work has been in progress the past several weeks on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodward Brummett, near the Frank Driver home south of Fairy. The building, which we understand will be of brick veneer, will consist of two bedrooms, two baths, living and dining room and kitchen, with all modern conveniences. Mr. Bris-coe of Hico has charge of the work. Mr. and Mrs. Brummett

purchased the place some time ago from the late Mrs. Jim Grogan and have been living at the old homesite at the east side of the farm. The new home will be on the west side of the property near the 1602 Fairy and Lanham farm to market highway. It will be rehave failed, however the weather- membered that the old Grogan home, which was a very nice home in its day, was destroyed by fire since the Brummetts purchased We observed our first bunch of the property. They erected a confaculty member of the Hico Pub-Mr. and Mrs. Leon Springer and lic Schools. Mr. Brummett is

> Mrs. Oran Williford has been ill of a throat ailment this week

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dickerson visi-

The usual spring epidemic of surrounding counties.

While in Hico Monday at the Chaney garage, a party drove by making inquiry of the Dublin and Stephenville road. Mr Barnett, who we were talking to stepped out to his car to give him the information. At our glance we thought we should know him, but not feeling secure enough in our thoughts we hesitated and he drove on. We asked Mr. Barwhich is next Monday, and that nett his name and he told us it she would appreciate so much a was Mr. Albert Berry, formerly of Hico. Mr. Berry's wife's brother married our cousin and we had visited in the Berry home a number of times while they resided at their home on the right corner of the turn to Carlton, in the south edge of Hico.

### DELBERT PACK THURSDAY

Miss Ovie Parks of Stephenville, daughter of Mrs. M. E. Parks of Fairy, and Mr. Delbert Pack, son daughters, attended the funeral of of Mrs. Alice Pack of Hico Rt. 7, March 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and little Mrs. Stanley Giesecke near Hico, with Minister Giesecke officiating. was attired in a two-piece navy suit with white trim. Her acces sories were also navy and white and she wore a corsage of white. She has been employed in Stephen ville for the past few years, and is at present employed at Clay Building Material Co., which position she expects to continue at present. Mr. Pack is employed as okkeeper for the Ellis Insurance Agency, also of Stephenville. After a short honeymoon they are now at home at 581 W. Long St. in Stephenville. Mrs. Pack, who was born and reared at Fairy, possesses a very pleasing personality, having served the public as clerk at late father's store, Parks. She has many friends here who wish for her much happiness prosperity through life. Mr. Pack is not known here, but comes

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Mrs. Pascal Brown

Mr. and Mrs .Fred Shannon were called to Granbury Friday because of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Locke. We extend sympathy to the family.

Dwain and Renee Shaffer spent Tuesday night in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Shaffer of Millerville.

Mrs. Bonnie McEver and son of Odessa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Sandlin and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dan Cavitt are the proud parents of a baby son born at the Hico Hospital March 17 at 7:40 o'clock. He has been given the name, James Enoch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Madden of Fort Worth and Mr. Vernon Scales of Carlton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and W. C. Urwin over the week end. family Saturday night. They were here at the bedside of their father, Mr. J. F. Scales of Walnut Springs, who was a patient in the Hico Hospital, and who later pass-

husband.

Mrs. E. B. Price of Granbury kester. visited in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dan daughters, Janette and Sharon of Cavitt and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers, Mrs. M. Nelms and Mrs. M. E. Giesecke visited Mr. and Mrs. Edmon Lewallen of Clairette Monday afternoon.

Miss Imogene and James Lindey of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs Huel Lindsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parmer and family of Fort Worth and Donald Christ. Everyone is invited to at-Anderson of Fort Worth spent Sunthe home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson. family visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mr. M. H. Gillentine visited in Griffis of Fort Worth Saturday, Wichita Falls Sunday and Monwho are both patients in the Hico day with his wife, who is a pa-Hospital. They were former teach- tient in a hospital there and is ers at Duffau. We hope a speedy seriously ill at this time. We hope recovery for them

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover of Fairy and Miss Daphine Hoover of Midland visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Prentis Newman and and Mrs. Pascal Brown Monday

Mrs. Bill Lane and daughter Hannah of Stephenville were dinner guests of Mrs. M. Nelms Tues-Mrs. Lane was the former Miss Ellen Hassler, who once taught in the Salem school.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McClary and sons of San Angelo visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. F. M. McElroy and sons.

Iredell were dinner guests in the W. C. Rogers home Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ramsey and son James spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ur-

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Joseph and family of Stephenville visited Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melbourn Giesecke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Giesecke Jr. and children of Stephenville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Drury Sunday.

Mrs. Cressie Newlin of Hico spent Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rout-

Bro. Max Hughes of Abilene preached at the Church of Christ Sunday and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson and daughter Brenda. Miss Louise Ramsey of Stephen-

ville visited in the home of sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Richardson and son Jerry visited Sunday evening with Annie Newman, his grandmother and Mr. and Mrs.

Prentis Newman. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Arther and Mrs. P. D. Ash spent the last of children, Nicky and Wanda of the week in Arlington with her Eastland visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Noon-

> Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown and Dallas spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family and also Mr. J. A. Craig and

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Land spent the week end in Hobbs, N. M. visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee King Sr.

There will be a community singing held the first Sunday in April at 3:00 p. m. at the Church of

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Witt and children spent the week end with the will soon be hetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hanshew and children of Grandview, Mrs. J. J. Hanshew of Cleburne visited Mr. and attended the funeral of Mrs. Hanshew's brother-in-law

Mrs. Lee King and children, Nita and Mike of Hobbs, N. M. are returning home today (Monday) after several days visit here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Giesecke, also grand-mother, Mrs. F. M. Holland.

Mrs. S. A. Simpson of Llano visiting in the home of her Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Koonsman of daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ses-

Billie Bob Power and Linda Naul Max Nachtigall, who is stationed were absent from school the past week, ill with chicken pox. Mrs. Mamie Jo White, school of Stephenville, visited school Monday

### JAMES FLOYD SCALES

James Floyd Scales, 73, of Walnut Springs died at the Hico Hospital March 21. He was born in Bosque County and had been a resident of the Duffau community for the past 25 years, engaged i farming until ill health a few years ago. He was married to Bertha May, 1952. He was then married to Mrs. Hattie Kitchens in Novem ber, 1952.

Surviving are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Lorena Horn, Aquilla, Mrs. Grace Madden, Azle, and Mrs. Lois Barton of Snyder; two sons, Ernest Scales of Eagle Pass and Vernon Scales of Carlton; also three step-children and

a number of grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Monday from the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel. Pallbearers were Stanley Roach, Jack Malone, Bernell Jernigan, Pascal Brown, M. E. Harding, J. R. Lawrence, Burial was in Duffau Cemetery.

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And faintly hear your call. And when I hear the boatman's call And I must go out with the tide I know you'll be there to bid me

When I cross to the other side. And when the time comes for you

to go And you hear the breakers roar You may know I'll be standing with outstretched hand

To greet you on the other shore.

-A Friend.

Activities at McCloskey Veterans Hospital on Humble's TV Program

Activities at the McCloskey Veterans Hospital, Temple, will be among the features next week on Texas in Review, Humble Oil and Refining Company's television pro-

Other features of special interest to Texans will modern dance group at Texas State College for Women, Denton; granite mining at Marble Falls and the Navy's mothball fleet at

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On Monday, Texas in Review will be carried by KRLD-TV, Dal-Fort Worth at 8 p. m.
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### The Mirror

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SEEIN' WHAT'S DOIN'

Friday school was dismissed in order for the teachers to attend the Texas State Teachers' Association District Convention in Waco Everyone had lots of fun with their spare day. There were lots of hikes, picnies, and various other plans made. The dust blew some away, but other hardy souls had theirs anyway. Anyway a holiday was a holiday, and everyone made the most of it.

The One-Act Play was given at an all-school assembly Thursday, March 18th. It will be given for Interscholastic League competition sometime Thursday, March 25th at Meridian. The other Literary events will be held sometime in April, and those students participating are getting ready for those.

Monday another all-school as-sembly was held. The Texas Wesleyan Singers from Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth, ap peared. Under the direction of Mr Charles Monroe, they presented a beautiful program of A Cappell singing. There were 29 students in the choir. Rev. Lamar Smith, counselor at TWC, offered to talk to any seniors or other students, giving them information concern-ing Texas Wesleyan College.

Overheard in English Class: Mrs. Angell: Robert Burns wrote To a Field Mouse."

Voice: Did he get an answer? Sight of the Week: Wayne Chew's haircut.

#### Attend Funeral for Dr. Hubert C. Hawes At Waco Monday

Mrs. V. Hawes, Mrs. Lillie Stanford, Cecil Segrest and Sherrel attending funeral services at Waco last Monday for Dr. Hubert C. Hawes. News of his tragic death in that city Wednesday was carried in a story in last week's pa-

The services, delayed pending the arrival of a daughter from England, were held at 5 p. m. Monday at Wilkirson & Hatch Chapel Waco, with burial scheduled

Active pallbearers were eight Waco doctors. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Central Texas Dental Society and mem-bers of the Waco Dental Society. A native of Hico, the Waco dentist had many friends in and around Hico where he was known as "Hub." After receiving his education in local schools, he was graduated from Texas State Dental College, where he was valedic torian of his class. Shortly after that he entered practice at Waco. His father, the late Dr. Velpeau Hawes, was a prominent and respected pioneer dentist here.

Surviving Dr. Hawes are his widow; a son, George Hawes of Dallas; a daughter, Mrs. C. R. Carlin of Warrington, England. where her husband is stationed the armed service; his mother, Mrs. V. Hawes, and a sister, Mrs. Chester Stanford, of Hico; two brothers, Sam Hawes of Waco and Edgar Hawes of Springfield, Mo.; and a number of other rela-tives and close friends who mourn his untimely passing.

#### FORMER RESIDENT AND BROTHER OF HICOANS DIES

Ernest Etheridge Moore, 57, who formerly lived in Hico and Duffau before moving to Dallas more than 25 years ago to work as a pharmacist there, died at his ome Saturday after a long ill-

Fort the past two weeks, Mrs. John Rusk had been in Dallas to e near her brother during his serious illness. Funeral services were held Monday at Geo. A. Brewer Funeral Home in Dallas. and burial was in Grove Hill Memorial Park. Also attending srvices from here were another sister, Mrs. Lee Rainwater and

Mr. Rainwater, John Rusk and Mrs. Morse Ross. He had been employed as a pharmacist with Skillern's Drug ores for the last sixteen years.

was born near Corsicana, and
ed in Hico before World War I,
then he left to serve with the
lay. Later he worked at Duffau
fore moving to Dallas.

# WITH OUR

will come into the hands of a number of people in nearby communities who are not regular subscribers. They are requested to look it over, and invited to join the growing list.

New and renewal subscription have been coming in at a rapid rate this month, Received since last report were the following which are duly appreciated:

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a partner who each year is claim-

or are paying it out in install-city "saturation point." ments. It's likely that some day you Garrison repeated th on that sale. If a gain in capital after will be cited into court. resulted, it probably will add to your income tax. If a loss was suffered, it probably will reduce your Air Force Movie

You may have made certain capi- To Be Filmed at tal improvements on the house while you lived in it, but unless Carswell in April you can show what out-of-pocket expense you incurred while making them, you may not get credit, cameramen, bit players and writers for them in your cost basis so as will set up base headquarters in to prove that you had no capital the Fort Worth Hilton while the gain or that you had a loss.

as a gift from your father. If you ed at Carswell Air Base during the ever sell it, you should be able to first two weeks in April.

show Uncle Sam not only the cost More than 80 Hollywood person. while you owned it, but also what will be a major movie location. its fair market value was at the time Dad gave it to you.

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law, is written to inform--not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

### TEXAS POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW GAIN IN FEBRUARY

since last July-August. La Grange showed the greatest February gain, 61 per cent, followed by Giddings, 31 per cent. Largest declines were registered at Gilmer, 49 per cent: Cuero, 39 per cent; and Gatesville and Lampasas, both 37 per cent.

### 'Log Jam' of Vehicles At Inspection Stations Can Still Be Averted

Austin, March 22.-Some threequarters of a million Texas motor- plosion. And now that they have at their calendars.

That's the number who have, as yet, failed to submit their autos, skies for a small planet that will for the annual safety inspection completely encircle the earth twice | HICO EASTERN STAR and there's but one remaining a year.

Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of to start a procedure that will aid Safety, said today in Austin that et will have complete control of ceased members of the chapter last you with next year's income tax a "log jam" of vehicles at the the world, and will be able to gaze Thursday night at Masonic Hall. calculations. That is to maintain inspection stations can still be down upon other continents of the Mrs. Ellis Randals conducted a record of your income and outgo. Such a record can be simple owners of the uninspected vehicles and brief but it may save you tax all decide to wait until the dead-Gordon or Buck Rogers to me, and line before attempting to meet the I am inclined to agree with Paul provisions of the modified inspectorume of Big D that if the sciena wage or salary doesn't have to tion law which was enacted by the tists could discover some way to

"There is no apparent possibility thinks. His employer keeps a re- of an extension beyond the April liable record of his earnings and 15th deadline," the Safety Director Uncle Sam looks primarily to the stated, "but long waiting lines will employer for information on his not be encountered if the owners earnings and for the withholding of cars which have not yet been inof various taxes out of his wages. spected will visit their inspection little space trip. Now with the But whether or not you run a stations right away and not put

George Bushy, Chief of the DPS ing a substantial interest in your Motor Vehicle Inspection Division, personal income. And the law requires that you keep books for tions are now in operation and Back to Saturn." him in case he ever asks for an that they are inspecting about 150,-000 cars weekly with none of them Perhaps you own your own home reaching anywhere near a capa- have been stationed "overclouds."

Garrison repeated the warning may sell that house. When you do that operators of cars which do the Navy and See the World." you'll want to be able to prove not bear an approved inspection whether you realized a gain or loss sticker on April 16th and there-

Fort Worth, March 22.-Stars, or that you had a loss.

Or perhaps you received that Fort Worth part of the movie back through space where people little summer cottage on the lake "Strategic Air Command" is film. are concerned with such mun-

of improvements you made on it alities will be in Fort Worth, which Heading the group will be James Stewart, June Allyson, Barry Sul-It may be that you are receiving livan and Frank Lovejoy, stars of an annuity on an insurance policy, the picture. The director is Tony If so, do you know how much Mann, who directed "The Glenn that policy costs you and how much Miller Story," which starred both Included in the supporting play-

ers will be Bruce Bennett, J. C. actions you enter into that may some day affect the computation of your personal income tax. The A score of Carswell airmen will have minor roles in the movie. Other scenes will be filmed at

### BOSQUE WATER AND SANITARY ASSOCIATION SEES PIPE DEMONSTRATION

The Bosque River Water and (This column, based on Texas order Tuesday night of this week in Dublin by Jess W. Jackson, president. The following report has been released by W. R. Hampton, publicity chairman for the

Dean Matthews and T. C. Finis of the State Health Department,

TEXAS POSTAL RECEIPTS
SHOW GAIN IN FEBRUARY

Austin, Mar. 22.—February postal receipts at 122 Texas post offices were 5 per cent more than
in the same period last year, the
University of Texas Bureau of
Business Research reports.

February receipts were only 5
per cent less than January, the
smallest month-to-month decline
since last July-August. La Grange

#### **Details Released on Emergency Feed Plan** For Hamilton County

Listen as the

employe, Buck Whitlock.

grab for moisture.

HIS THEORY .

put back together that atom that

they smashed, the world would be

IMAGINE, IF YOU WILL

and come along with me for a

other fashionable birds, I go to

Mars for the winter, spend three

months on Jupiter and have very

little time for Earth. Newest song

Several fellows who were in

training in the U.S. Air Force

Millionaires usually spend their vacations on one of the distant

planets, where as usual the citizens

are after the American dollar There are a few old fuddy-duddies

who have never been off their

own planet. Like Dennis the

Menace, they don't want to go any-

where they can't ride a horse.

SOUNDS HEAVENLY

doesn't it-or at least just out of this world! If you readers will for-

give me for going off the deep end

dane things as a good pouring

The Navy has few men because

can't uphold its slogan,

"When the Swallows Come

REVOLUTIONARY

Hamilton County has been descy feed. J. F. Gilbreath, ASC county office manager, issued the Gatesville, statement below giving the details of the program.

Available feed will be corn and wheat. Corn will be shelled corn loose in the car, and will sell for \$1.00 per bushel. Wheat will be loose in the car, and will be \$1.10 NO MORE PALLOR . . . for per bushel. All feed will be ship-Bill Howard, local pharmacist who ducers will have to get it from has spent most of his three years the car at Hico.

n Hico behind the prescription This feed is for basic foundation counter. He sad the other day that herds only, and these consist of he now has a chance to see day- cows, bulls, nursing calves light and is enjoying being out in such heifers as may be kept to the open more often, since being replace over-age and other unde-relieved by the help of another sirable, cattle culled from herds. Substantially the same definition With three registered pharma- shall apply in case of sheep and eists on duty, including also Hous- goats.

ton Davis of Carlton, customers The principal eligibility require should not find it difficult to get ments are: prompt attention whenever they

1. The farmer or rancher must have less than a 30-day supply of feed to supplement the roughage THAT STORM . . . we had here for the maintenance of the founda-Wednesday night brought the first tion herd. Feeders in feed lots will not be eligible.

encouraging show of moisture in 2. The farmer or rancher will a long time. Some of us might not be eligible to receive feed unhave forgotten it could rain like der this program unless it ap-that, and all in all, it didn't seem pears that he is not in a finanto dampen anybody's spirits. Here's hoping it did dampen cial position to buy at prevailing market prices through the probable duration of the drought emersome of the ground that was begency period the feed necessary ginning to crack open and seemto maintain his basic foundation ed about ready to reach up and herd and still have a reasonable chance to stay in the livestock

ideas The following stock are not eligi are being formed by scientists who ble for drought emergency feed: have developed such a powerful Mutton sheep and mutton goats H-bomb that it will destroy a fish- hogs, horses, and steer calves ing boat 1200 miles from the ex- feeders in feed lots and poultry. State limit per eligible animal

ists who are driving about the trying to develop ways of escape. wheat for cows with calves, 4 lbs. streets and highways of the State Some scientists decided this for dry cows and bulls, 1 lb. for today had better take a close look week that we should race ahead sheep with lambs, and goats with in an attempt to fortify a distant kids and .8 of a lb. for ewes, nansolar moon. In fact, he and an- nie goats, billies and bucks.-Heother fellow are searching the rald-News.

### HAS MEMORIAL SERVICE

Members of the Hico Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star theorizing still sounds like Flash Miss Thoma Rodgers.

FORMER HICO BOY IS NEW PARTNER IN FIRM OF MEDICAL PLASTICS

Announcement was made last week of the association of A. C. Hays, former Hico son, with the Medical Plastics Laboratory at ignated as a Drought County Gatesville. Hays has been pharand is eligible to receive emergen- macist at Koen Drug Store in Hamilton. Taking his place will be John Landon, formerly of

He is a new partner in the com pany, and will be national sales manager for them with headquarters in Hamilton. The firm, operated by Dr. Wendell Lowery, Dr Ellsworth Lowery, Dr. Thomas Reed Williams and Price Neely at Gatesville, makes plastics skel etons and skulls for the medical profession and is the only laboratory of this type in the United

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# Personals

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Patterson of Alexander visited Saturday night in Mineral Wells with her sister, with Mr. and Mrs. Penn Blair. Mrs. Roy Fisher.

Bates of Goliad spent the

ts, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones Sr. Carmean.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Randals, mes Hord and Barbara were in deman the past week end to sit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

Wayne Rutledge, who is sta-

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goolsby tion. d his mother, Mrs. B. F. Goolsby San Antonio spent the week end ade a business trip to Fort orth Saturday.

orth and her daughter, Mrs. J. yon. Cox, and family of Bridgeport. he has just recently returned aftaughter, Mrs. Ellen Sonntag.

A son was born Monday mornnamed for his greatrandfather, the late S. Bryan, nd his father, S-Sgt Harvey O. ende, serving with armed forces Tripoli. Maternal grandmother Mrs. Bryan Angell of Hico.

#### oo Late to Classify-

Phone 80

"What That

Chick NEEDS

Is In SUNGLO

Ed Frost of Hamilton was in bek end with his mother, Mrs. Hico Monday to attend the funeral ay Bates, and uncle, Jerry Dorof his uncle, Sterling Price.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. White, De- and daughter Teena of Levelland lca and Billy were week-end were week-end guests of his parors with her grandparents, Mr. ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Proffitt.

Mrs. E. V. Forsythe and chil-Fred Jones Jr., student at Tex- dren, Robert and Jane, of Austin Tech in Lubbock, was a week-spent the week end in the home of d visitor in the home of his par-her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Kent of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed have k City, Oklahoma spent Tues-announced the birth of a baby night with her aunt, Mrs. | daughter, Gay Lynn, born at Hico ollie Harvey. They were on their Hospital on Sunday, March 14. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Roberson of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gamble and Marilyn of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Swor, Paula and Donald of Houston were week-end Cpl. Fred Mitchell, brother of Mrs. B. B. Gamble.

oned at Fort Hood, was a week-d visitor with her and her fami-sided in Hico for ten years before He brought along a friend, moving away in 1928, was here the ank Parsley of Beaumont, who first of the week on business. He stationed there with him. said he was primarily interested in prospects for oil in this sec-

ith Mr. and Mrs. Penn Blair. Mr. dropped in for a visit last Friday that will be of interest to friends and Mrs. Goolsby and Mr. Blair with him and his family. The of a long-time citizen of Hico. foungest sister, Mrs. Jessie Rusk of Canyon, he had not seen in Mrs. J. W. Prater left Sunday Meady Rusk of Trinidad, Colorado. an extended visit with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Wid Clounch and illiam Prater, and family of Fort their granddaughter, also of Can-

Visitors last Saturday with Mrs. a visit in Meridian with another S. E. Blair Sr. were her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harris and son Roger Neal of Pa-ducah. This was the first time ng to Mrs. Harvey O. Wende at lico Hospital. He has been giv-visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gussie the name of James Harvey Weaver of Wortham, who were with Mr. and Mrs. Blair last year on the WFAA Farm Tour.

A note accompanying subscription renewal from Earl H. Elkins of Dallas contained news of his brothers who have been living here until recently. "Cleo and Dale are located with us right now.' Earl said. "Cleo is getting along OR SALE: 1950 Ford tudor with pretty well but will have to go wood is pastor of the church. Servadio and heater in good condition. Phone 53, Fred Rainwater. another two weeks on the 24th. He 10:00 a. m.; Church, 11:00 a. m. is having a long, rough time of it." and 7:30 p. m.

There's No Doubt About It,

Mrs. E. V. Meador and daugh-ter Denna are spending the week Rural Mail Carrier in Lawn with her parents, Mr and Mrs. R. L. Dodd.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. David C. Box and Carolyn of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson of Abilene and Gene Simpson of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Segrest and daughter, Deborah Wynell, of Fort Worth were here Friday for a shor time visiting relatives and friends. They were on their way to Waco, after having received news of the death there of Dr. Hubert C

Rev. L. L. Wright, pastor of the Pentecostal Baptist Church of God, and a band of the church people, according to one of the members, went out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Priest Monday night to visit. Mr. Priest has been ill for some time.

Mrs. Emory Gamble arrived last week end from Pasadena for a vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater. Other visitors during the week end were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Rainwater, Janie and Nelda Jo. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wren of Plainview visited during the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nettie ly associated with the post office. Meador, and other relatives. They brought home young Mike Reeves, with it in many ways. The building who had been visiting with them. in which it is located is referred to as the Rodgers building, and Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson, Max the senior Mr. Rodgers was postand Sue of Waco.

of Beaumont has written a note record of a number of years as of a long-time citizen of Hico. First Federal Service. "Mrs. Lora Jenkns (Bob's moth-er) will not be able to live by herself any more, so she will stay with us. The paper is her one contact doesn't want to miss a single copy.
She enjoys it so much—Bob and I do too, as for that." Those wish-'home' and she certainly ing to write Mrs. Jenkins may address their letters to Route 5, Box 429, Beaumont, Texas, where Rev. Jenkins is pastor of the Amelia Baptist Church.

UNITY BAPTIST CHURCH TO MEET AT CHICKEN PALACE

Services of the Unity Baptist Church will be held at the former Chicken Palace in Hico beginning Sunday, March 28. The congregation will continue meeting there until finding a new location to move their church building according to an announcement from one of the members.

Rev. L. D. Watkins of Brownwood is pastor of the church. Serv-

Hico, Tex.

### Nears 40-Year Mark As Postal Employe

Forty years of continuous govrnment service is the anniversary Rodgers Jr. will observe come April 6. This length of time marks a record of the longest regular service put in by any of the present employes in the Hico Post Office

One other employe, B. Gamble, has been working for the local post office over a similar length of time, but his first few years were as substitute worker, rather than regular service.

When the late J. P. Rodgers Sr. was sworn in as postmaster in Hico on April 6, 1914, his son be gan work that same day as clerk in the office. Since that day, he has been employed here continuously, except during a leave of absence during World War I

Even during that time, J. P. Rod gers Jr. did not give up posta work He was stationed with the Postal Detachment of the 18th Infantry Division at Camp Travis in San Antonio.

Returning from the war to resume his duties, he held the office of senior clerk until October 1, 1941, when he transferred to rural service. Since then, he has carried the mail on rural routes 1, 2 and 4.

as the family has been connected master for nearly nine years, until March 2, 1923. Besides these Enclosing a check in payment of two, Miss Thoma Rodgers, a sissubscription, Mrs. R. L. Jenkins ter of J. P. Rodgers Jr., has a long

> Perhaps one reason for Rodgers' continued interest in the business was his early start, when he pushed a mail cart, walking

back when he was a schoolboy and mechanized changes have come about since then, as well as continued development of better roads.

Throughout his service as rural arrier, he has missed not longer than a week at a time in being out because of illness. He says he probably has more sick leave acumulated than anyone, and is rightfully proud and fortunate in that aspect.

Asked how far he thought he had traveled in that length of time, he said that it would average 71 miles a day. Roughly figured, that would total approximately 295,700 miles traveled during working hours. He has worn out eight cars on the job.

During the 40 years, he has serv ed under five postmasters: the late J. P. Rodgers Sr., Mrs. Ada R. Jackson, the late John Lackey, Mrs. Jimmie L. Holford and Robert B. Jackson. Presidential administrations have changed only four times. He began when Wilson was president, served through the terms of Harding-Coolidge, Roose velt-Truman, and now under Eisen-

He and his wife, the former Rilla Guyton whose family were also pioneers in this community, are the parents of two daughters, Mrs. Waide Petsick of Jonesboro and Mrs. Ray Berna of Oceanside, California, and one son, Joseph Paul Rodgers of Rapid City, South Dakota.

#### Thad N. Grace, 70, Former Hico Citizen **Buried** at Dallas

Thad N. Grace, 70, son of the late Dr. Will Grace, one of Hico's pioneer doctors, died Saturday at his home in Dallas. Funeral services were held in Dallas Monday, with burial in Restland Memor-

ial Park. Grace spent his childhood in Hico, but had lived in Dallas for the past 40 years or more. He had been ill for a long time, and retired last year as operator of a drug business in Dallas.

a drug business in Dallas.
Surviving are his wife, two sons,
Thad N. Grace Jr. and Robert W.
Grace, both of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Stone of
Scotch Plains, N. J., and Mrs.
Anne Grimes of Dallas; two brothers, Will P. Grace of Corpus
Christi and Harold Grace of Hot
Springs Ark, and a sister. Mrs. Springs, Ark., and a sister, Mrs. Mary G. Reed of Dallas.

### Emmett Anderson Honored Sunday at Birthday Dinner

Emmett Anderson was honored on his birthday Sunday with a Ginner given by his wife in their

Those present for the occasion Those present for the occasion were their two children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson and Ronnie, San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Parmer, Patsy and Michael, Grand Prairie.

Other relatives attending were brother, Ruben Anderson, Grand Prairie and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Grady Anderson.

### HOLDS DISTRICT POST

Among the new officers for the Gatesville District of the Womans Society of Christian Service elected recently is Mrs. Odis Petsick, chairman of missonary educaton.

Officers were named at a meeting in Valley Mills. Mrs. Omar Robinson of Meridian is president of the group, and Mrs. Ralph Bradley of Iredell is in charge of missionary personnel, among the other officers.



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Strawberries

6 OZ. PASCO FROZEN

Orange Con. 2/25

I LB. POWDERED or BROWN

2/25cSugar

DARICRAFT OF CARNATION

Milk 2/25¢

NO. 2 COBBLER

Pie Apricots 25¢

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2/19¢ Greens

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4 POUND Lipton Tea 29c

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Cheese lb. 49¢

Steak lb. 45¢

Steak lb. 49¢

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### Clairette

Mrs. Henry Mayfield

Several Ciairette citizens attended the annual REA meeting in Stephenville Tuesday, March 16. Jess Pruett, Henry Mayfield, John and Charles Golightly attended the soil conservation meeting in Dublin Thursday night. Door prizes were given. Henry Mayfield returned with 5% pounds of Blue Panic grass seed.

Mrs. Don Smith and children Mrs. Condie Smith and Mrs. Calob smith of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Grear Alexander of Waco Alexander, Wednesday.

Mrs. Buster Roberson of Granbury, daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson, underwent an appendicitis operation in Granbury Hospital a few days ago.

A pink and blue shower was giv-

en in honor of Mrs. Bill Luker Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Zeph Carter. Mrs. Deward Head Mrs. Arvy Dowdy and Mrs. Carter were hostesses. A large number of ladies attended. Those

visited last week in Fort Worth Hanshew. with their children.

Mrs. Flora Haley visited her

daughter, Mrs. Travis Culver of Dublin Thursday. It was reported that Mrs. Culver was ill. Mrs. Jim Baldwin of Fort Worth

visited recently with Mrs. Annie The Home Demonstration Club Davis Friday night.

members met Friday afternoon with Mrs. Jordan in Hico. Cohen Blackmond and Mrs. Hellea Gatlin of Temple Mr. and Mrs.

Dowdy and Bessie. Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson T. Stamford spent the week end in Brownwood with her

Rev. Cox filled his appointment Sunday at Whites Chapel and all the way in their car.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Dowdy of Denison and Mr. and Mrs. How. Worth. ard Dowdy and family of Fort Worth spent the week end in the Charlie Dowdy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Roberson and son of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson the past week end. and daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Erick grandmother, Mrs. Lela Tidwell. here Sunday night. homes of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Garner of Selden and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Roberson of Gran-

Mr. Mark Dowdy is ill in the Hico Hospital at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Talmon Millican ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sterling

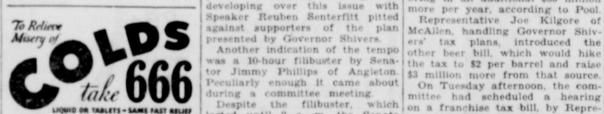
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Eargle and children of Fort Worth visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Cox,

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Saunders and girls of Caddo, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Q. B. Millican of Robert Lee spent the week end with Mr. and

Mrs. Talmon Millican.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Richbourg
visited in Cleburne Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dink Henderson and family of Cranfills Gap and tor Joe Russell of Royce City took
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayfield and Governor Allan Shivers and Senafamily of Hico visited Sunday tor Ottis Lock to task, saying that the revenue and taxation commit-

Mrs. Ethel Self and son H. L. and family of Madison, Wis., Mr. Shipments from Waco, Dallas and and Mrs. Les Dowdy and others isited Mr. Mark Dowdy in the Hico Hospital Sunday afternoon. Cohen Blackmond and Mrs. Hellen Gatlin of Temple visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson.





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## IREDELL ITEMS

### by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

day night with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Ratliff spent and other relatives. Mrs. Allen Dawson went to the Hico Hospital Monday afternoon.

She was given treatment and returned home the same afternoon. Mino Laughlin of Dallas came visited R. M. Alexander, who is ill Stephenville Hospital, where his in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hub mother was treated for sinus. She is doing fine now.

> Mrs. J. L. Goodman and daughter returned to their home in man, who are in Tarleton State B. Parr and others. Pecos Monday. They had been here College, spent the week end at since the death and burial of her home father, Dr. A. N. Pike.

Mr. Malone of Burkburnett is Worth is with her parents, Mr. White. and Mrs. Roy Gosdin.

Donald of Fort Worth, a son, on All enjoyed it. His wife came also. March 15. He weighed 6 pounds I received a letter a few days and 14 ounces and has been given ago from my brother. He said the name of Mike.

and children of Belton visited her at her home in Oklahoma City. grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. She would have been 73 in July

Mrs. Cavett.

J. Lee Tidwell and two sons of Lois Robertson of Waco and MelAlvarado, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton

Linch and son of Fort Worth and
Mr. and Mrs. Travis Huckaby and

Mr. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. De
to stop state colleges and state

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sawyer and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Woody of daughter of Englewood spent Mon- Bovina spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Zollie Sawyer

Mr. and Mrs. Haygood of Wal-Gap with Mr and Mrs. J. G. Helm. nut Springs were here Saturday. Earl Behringer

at home this week

Miss Bettye Bradley of Fort there are audited. Monday and took his parents to Worth spent the week end at home.

Stephenville Hospital, where his Mrs. Judy Gosdin spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. the financial affairs of the coun-Jack Noel and family of Dublin. Ronnie Helm and Le Roy Koons-

Mrs. Lorena Wilson spent the week end in Teague with her sisvisiting his sister, Mrs. Warren, ter-in-law, Mrs. Willingham. She Mrs. Wayne Allison of Fort was accompanied by Mrs. Jess

Rev. Sessions, our district super-Mr and Mrs. Jodie McCollum intendent of Gatesville, preached of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sunday night at the Methodist intendent of Gatesville, preached who couldn't attend sent gifts. Mears and family of Eulogy spent Church. A large crowd was pres-Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Martin Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest ent. After the service most all of them went over to the new build-Born to Mr. and Mrs. Andy Mc- ing and enjoyed coffee and pie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reinkey man, had passed away March 12 W. M. Laughlin that our sister, Mrs. Emma Good-Davis Friday night.

Mrs. Claude Hodges of Snyder Rev. and Mrs. W. V. Jones. All her spent the week with her mother, childhood days were spent in Iredell.

lea Gatlin of Temple Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkison of Leoford Green of Dallas were week end visitors of Mrs. Nora

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkison of As all the men and young boys all over Bosque Co. are letting that effect passed by Congress last their mustache and beard grow year. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mack left out, I thought I would dress up.

Thursday for their home in Fair- I had an old basque of my mothbanks, Alaska. Mrs. Mack has been er's and it's lined all over. I had a Jr., Refugio druggist and ranchhere with her mother, Mrs. R. D. long skirt on and I looked very ord since August 6. They went comical I got a thrill out of it. pointment to the Texas Liquor li the way in their car.

Other ladies could get out some old Control Board. He replaced L. B. Mrs. Englemon spent the past clothes of their mothers and put Brown of Dallas, whose term ex-Ford since August 6. They went comical. I got a thrill out of it. week end at her home in Fort them on. The centennial will be pired

daughter of Stamford spent the vain and Mrs. Birdie Anderson, Highlights and Sidelights

> the money for teacher and state employee salary increases and for

In the House of Representatives

H. Buchanan of Longview, held a

There were two proposals of

this nature. One, by Representa-

On Tuesday afternoon, the com-

corporation assets to \$2. Increas-

Wednesday afternoon was set

gas. About \$14 million would come

There were many other propo-

In the Senate, the education

a compromise plan, endorsed by

the governor and the Texas State

Teachers Association, to increase

that where teachers already re-

School leaders told the committee

Representative Tom Joseph of

provide a minimum pay raise of

\$350 for teachers and \$100 for

merit raises. Local school boards

would determine how to distribute

House Speaker Reuben Senterfitt

Two anti-communist bills were

One of the bills would outlaw Communists in Texas and

said the Joseph measure came close to his ideas about a "real-

timated \$8.6 million.

mittee had scheduled a hearing

sweetness and light in the Legis- been studying tax plans to raise

On the session's first day, Sena- construction work at state institu-

Russell pledged that he would hearing Monday on increasing the

Also, difference of opinion per-sisted as to the method of solving cerase the levy from the present

the teacher-pay problem. It ap- \$1.37 to \$10 per barrel. That would

pears that stormy meetings are bring in an additional \$35 million developing over this issue with more per year, according to Pool.

resented by Governor Shivers.

Another indication of the tempo other beer bill, which would hike as a 10-hour filibuster by Sena- the tax to \$2 per barrel and raise

Jimmy Phillips of Angleton. \$3 million more from that source

Despite the filibuster, which on a franchise tax bill, by Repre-

asted until 2 a. m. the Senate sentative Kilgore, raising the presfinance committee approved an \$11 ent levy from \$1.25 per \$1,000 of

Phillips' was the only vote cast ed revenue here would be an es-

commented: "This is my first ex- aside for a committee hearing on perience at seeing a filibuster in Kilgore's proposal to tax natural

the real or imagined objection of sals, but those just mentioned one member, and to punish other were the first to be considered

That threatened march on Aus- committee unanimously approved

Davis announced a gathering on ceive the \$2,854 minimum required

the capitol steps, but he and his by the bill, districts could use ad-

aged cohort, plus one page boy and ditional revenue for other pur-

otes to the state's financial pic- Waco introduced a bill that would

Last summer's increased taxes istic approach" to the teacher-pay

state more than \$10 million a discussed Monday by the Senate Another factor that brightened civil jurisprudence committee.

Another factor that brightened the picture was boosted oil production. It has been on a long downward trend.

Allowable for March was above

Allowable for March was above that for February by 159,000 barrels per day, and further climbs

Texas Industrial Commission, appointed by the governor to study subversive influences in Texas.

One of the bills would outlaw

they were Republicans running as tee, headed by Representative

run for Governor, if necessary, to state tax on beer.

tor Joe Russell of Royce City took tions.

make sure Shivers had an oppo-

eculiarly enough it came about

nillion state building program.

Senator Harley Sadler of Abilene

committee. It seems so foolsh

a 21-member committee because of

-tpa-

tin by the thousands of old folks

seeking more pensions . . . fizzled.

Only two showed up, Cyclone Davis

Oil news brought two cheering

ture and to legislators seeking

revenue to meet current salary

Comptroller Robert S. Calvert re-

ne had anticipated nine months

ago now is in sight from crude oil

hike in oil prices, Calvert said. For the past year, oil has paid the

from oil is the result of a 25-cent problem.

ources for the next two years.

and building problems.

downward trend.

one reporter, made up the crowd. poses.

asinine questions."

Austin man.

and childish to take the time of from this source.

of Dallas, a persistent candidate teachers' pay.

for public office, and an 88-year-old School leads

corted that \$11 million more than merit pay hikes.

committee members by a lot of by the tax committee.

uring a committee meeting.

other would establish a Commu nist Review Board. A 20-year pris on sentence is provided as penalty for Communist Party membership. On Tuesday the Senate State Affairs Committee considered a resolution by Senator Kelley endorsing the Bricker amendment limiting the authority of Federal officials to make internatonal

Senator Kilmer Corbin of Lub-They visited her daughter, Mrs. bock introduced in the Senate a Mrs. Wildah Mitchell, who works ment of state funds to Duval resolution designed to stop payin Stephenville spent a few days County and its independent school financial affairs districts until

pacts wthout congressional appro-

State and federal agencies have, Mrs. Judy Gosdin spent the for some time, been investigating ty and school districts, as well as the income tax reports of George

> Woodrow Laughlin of Alice and his attorneys have indicated they will appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court last week's historic ruling by the State Supreme Court which removed Judge Laughlin from office.

Laughlin was elected Judge of the politically turbulent South Texas 79th District Court in 1952, with the help of Duval County's George Parr. The judge was found guilty of dismissing, without lawful authority, a grand jury which had indicted him on two counts and which also was investigating his brother, County Commissioner

Good news to Attorney General John Ben Shepperd was the U. S. Supreme Court's refusal to admit a suit challenging state ownership

SHORT SNORTS: Wilson Heard er, is Governor Shivers' latest ap-Nelson Brown, execu tive director of the Texas Commis-Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tidwell and Mrs. J. H. Hendrix, Nortwo sons of Joshua, Mr. and Mrs. man Null, James Wade and Mrs. lem drinkers are increasing in

agencies from buying refrigerated week end with their mother and all of Clifton, attended church air conditioners because "patients in state hospitals have to get along without air conditioning, and ablebodied college students ought to get along without it too" Moody, Jr., son of the former governor, was appointed by Lt. Gover-nor Ben Ramsey as parliamentar-ian for the Senate, for the special

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

### You Might Call it a "Gravy Train"

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The twelve cars on the train are loaded with different kinds of fruits, nuts, and beverages. And the train stops automatically in front of each plate so the person sitting there can choose what he wants.

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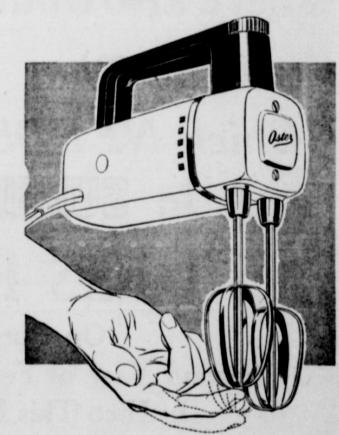


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### First Methodist Church the close of last week in a very

Sunday School, 10 a. m. T. H. King, Superintendent. Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Youth Fellowship, 6.45 p. m. Linda Cox, President.

ning, 7:30 o'clock. Professional Directory -worship with us.

D. R. McCAULEY, Pastor.

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By John C. White, Commissioner

GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES

Washington this year.

individual taxpayer in the past to the farmer. two decades? And how does it compare with government subsidies to other industries?

The total net loss to the govern-

ports was \$1,303,000,000 or roughly \$72 million per year. This means

ery person in the United States has had to pay an average of only is going up. 45 cents per person each year to maintain a solid floor under our

agriculture industry. The subsidies to airlines which have mail contracts far exceeds the farm price support plan which the farm figure. About \$140 million is paid by the post office to for their products. airlines for carrying airmail each | Most farmers would welcome a year and only aout \$60 million can return to "free economy and give 44-tfc FOR SALE: 1936 Plymouth. Sell tual mail services, according to it cheap. See Allyne Bowman or admissions by the Civil Aeronautics Board to Rep. John W. Heselton (R. Mass.) and John J. Rooney

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth, Mar. 23 .- The larg-

gest since June, 1953. Orders for

ter lambs were about steady with

uneven trade. Yearlings were

strong to \$1 higher and topped at

\$19, a new high for the class for

the season. Older sheep were fully

Cattle trade was again highly

uneven, with trade slow and prices

pressure for supplies and there

were some soft spots in the prices

50 cents lower at \$23.50 downward. Good and choice milk fat lambs cashed at \$23 to \$26 and cull to

medium offerings cashed at \$16 to

\$22. Shorn old crop fat lambs bulk-

ed at \$19 to \$21.50, when good and

choice, while one lot of lambs with

No. 1 pelts topped at \$22. Cull to

\$14. Slaughter ewes sold from \$6.50 to \$9.50, a few higher. Old bucks sold from \$4 to \$6.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings cashed at \$18 to \$22, and individual club calves topped

at \$24 to \$25. Common and medium

slaughter steers and yearlings sold from \$13 to \$17, with some cutter

Fat cows cleared at \$10.50 to \$12.50, a half load of outstanding high yielding cows at \$13.50. Canners and cutters cashed at \$7 to

\$10.50. Bulls sold from \$10 to \$14.50,

Good and choice slaughter calves

cleared at \$16 to \$19, with a few

fancy fat calves to \$20. Common

and medium offerings sold from

\$13 to \$16, and culls sold from

Good and choice stocker steer

calves and stocker steer yearlings

cashed at \$16 to \$19 and heifer calves and heifer yearlings sold

around \$2 to \$8 under comparable

steers. Stocker cows cashed at \$10

Good and choice butcher hogs

weighing 190 to 260 pounds sold from \$26.50 to \$26.75, while light-er and heavier weights sold from

\$24 to \$26.25. Sows cashed at \$21

Cranfills Gap, Texas REV. EINAR JORGENSON

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9.30 a. m. Confirmation classes.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School Ses

7:30 p. m. Junior Luther League entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Mil-

ton Lindberg and Mrs. John Bryn.

7:00 p. m. Choir Rehearsal. 7:20 p. m. Mid-week Lenten

A sincere welcome to all serv-

CORRESPONDENT.

11:00 a. m. Divine Services.

St. Olaf Lutheran

Saturday, March 27-

Sunday, March 28 .-

Thursday, April 1 .--

ices and meetings.

grades down to \$10.

odd head to \$15.

\$10 to \$13.

to \$13.

Butcher hogs were 50 to 75 cents higher and topped at \$26.50 to \$26.75, while sows were steady to

steady.

after a rather slow start.

BY TED GOULDY

LET'S TALK

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### Hico, Texas

Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.

steady to weaker on most kinds. Choir Practice, Wednesday eve- It was another session in which the buyers were apparently under no A hearty welcome awaits all who of virtually all kinds.

# POLITICAL

The News Review is authorized medium kinds sold from \$12 to to publish the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries: and old wethers sold from \$14 to \$19, and old wethers sold from \$11 to

For State Representative,

HOWELL E. COBB

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

MRS. VADA WILLIAMS

For Co. School Superintendent.

For Sheriff: N. Y. TERRAL W. W. (Woody) YOUNG (Re-Election) ED FROST

NEWMAN FUQUA For County Judge: W. E. (GENE) TATE B. (BUSS) GORDON

(Re-Election) For District Clerk: C. E. EDMISTON

MISS PAT SECREST (Re-Election)

Farm price support is an issue. In this case, the cost to the taxmmanding a tot of attention and payer for subsidizing airmail target for much criticism in equals 88 cents per capita during Washington this year. the past several years, or almost double the cost of price support

Two kinds of subsidies are paid to the shipping industry-construction and operational. From July, 1937 to Dec. 1946, the government ment during 18 years of price suppared construction subsidies \$40 million per year. Operational that each person living on the subsidies from 1951 through that each person living on the farm has received an average sub- amounted to \$144.135,782 or an amounted to \$144.135,782 or an exercise of over \$48 million per average of over \$48 million per ave year-and half this total figure Looking at it another way, ev- was paid in the year of 1953 alone. Apparently, the cost of subsidies

These are but two examples of overnment support of industry. There are hundreds of others and many of them surpass the cost of guarantees farmers of a fair price

Most farmers would welcome a condensed compensation for ac- up the price support if other in duriries would do the same. But he cannot survive on the open market when other phases economy enjoy protection by the government.

If the government will reduce tarrifs by one-third, reduce wages by one-third, reduce the costs of living one-third, reduce the cost of machinery one-third-in short, if it will cut subsidies by one third. straight across the board, then the farmer will go along and take his chances with the rest

#### Iredell Junior Class To Give '42' Party Next Tuesday Night

School is sponsoring a Forty-Two est run of sheep to arrive at Fort Party at the Iredell school audi-Worth this season was on hand torium on Tuesday night of next Monday, and the run was the big- week, Jimmie McCroskey, class sheep and lambs from all parts president, has announced. The of the country were reported dur- party starts at 7:00 p. m.

ing the day and trade was active Admission charges will be very nominal. Refreshments will Prices were favorable despite an available for sale at nominal offering of nearly twice as many prices. Entertainment will be prosheep around the major marketing vided for the smaller children. circle as last Monday. Milk fat Cake walks will be held, and prizes lambs were strong to 50 cents awarded to the outstanding 42

or more higher, and the top of players.
\$26 was \$1 above the best so far this season. Shorn old crop slaugh-invited to attend this function.



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#### Father of Local Man Dies in California, Laid to Rest Here

Oliver Price, who died at his home in Santa Barbara, California the Interment was in Hico Cemetery. Born December 2, 1880, he was 73 years old. He was married to former Elnor Clabaugh on July 15, 1903. To this union, nine children were born, one of them having preceded him in death.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Elnor Price of Hico; four daughters, Mrs. C. H. Duff of Corpus Christi, Mrs. Johnnie Corley of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mrs. C. C. Medlock of Lamesa and Miss Loree Price of Hico; four sons, M. G. Garden City; Price of Longview, S. L. Price and James Price of Hico, and L. C. Price of Hobbs, New Mexico. Serving as pallbearers were Wilwards and J. C. Prater.

#### Services Held Sunday For J. W. Parks, 68, Retired Iredell Grocer

Almost a year to the date since Iredell, J. W. Parks ended a life- Nation's Health Problem?" ness he had operated under the taking up 25 minutes.

Duffau Baptist Church members hame of J. W. Parks Dry Goods.

Clubs and organizations desiring have announced plans for a Spring Revival to start Friday night, had him hospitalized here.

lived to the age of 68. He was well known around that community, and before April 5. was a member of the Methodist Rev. C. E. Wade and Rev. D. R.

charge. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. grateful Mary Parks of Iredell; one daughter, Mrs. W. R. Newsom of Big Spring; one sister, Mrs. J. B. Wyche, Iredell; one brother, D. B. Parks, Graham, and two grand-

We wish to express our thanks to the many friends and neighbors each of Hico for their sympathy and kindness during the loss of our husband and father.

MRS. S. O. PRICE, & CHILDREN.

#### College Bureau Offers Program Speakers for Clubs Free of Charge

and educational programs for their died Sunday at ter, was in charge of services at semblies, may find the answer College Speakers Bureau. The bu- Cemetery. the efforts of William K. Clark, rangements, director of the Department of Born Apr Speech & Drama at McMurry.

Lee, Soul, Korea; Welden Ste-phenson, Lubbock; Gregory Mami-kunian, Bagdad, Iraq; Ed Cooper. Mammie Archie of Hico;

"Pearl Harbor Was No Surprise," stationed with the armed services Rev. Adair: "We Can Vote the in France; one sister, Mrs. John iard Leach, Fred Jaggars, J. P. Communists Out of North Korea." Clark, Austin; one brother, C. Drake, J. B. Wooton, Wallace Ed. Lee; "Trade, Not Aid," Stephen-Archie Goldsberg, also six son; "The Middle East: Battle-field of World War III?", Mami-Pallber kunian; "This Progressive Educa- Fort Worth; Fred Allen, tion," Cooper; and "Community pasas; Forest Mayfield, Stephen Theatre in Abilene." Burrows. One discussion panel group is Watson and Roy Bates, both of available at the present time, acording to Clark. Panel members Bob Epps, Humble, Don Hunt, Stanton, Adair and Cooper, talk Stanton. he closed a dry goods business in about "How Can We Improve Ou time spent in his birthplace of Ire-dell. On March 21, 1953, he sold 60 minutes, according to the de-Panel Programs run from 30 out the stock and closed the busi- sired length, with the speeches

#### NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We extend our sincere thanks 8:00 p. m. the doctors, nurses and others Morning services will be held McCauley of Hico conducted serv-ices at Iredell Methodist Church of the entire staff of the Hico on Sunday at 3:00 p. m. Burial Hospital for the very efficient meeting, starting at 11:00 a. m., was in Iredell Cemetery, with Bar- care we had during our stay there, after Sunday School which opens row-Rutledge Funeral Home in Also to those who visited us and at 10:00. helped in many ways, we are Rev. Ira McGlothlin of Brown-

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our since appreciation for the kindness and DUFFAU CHURCH OF CHRIST children, Julia Jean Newsom and sympathy of relatives, neighbors Bill Newsom, both of Big Spring, and friends in our recent sorrow at the death of our dear son and brother, Hubert C. Hawes; also ion. for the food, cards, 1000 comforting acts. May God bless WBAP.

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#### Rites Held Wednesday At Baptist Church For W. A. Archie, 68

Monday at 10:00 a. m. for Sterling gram chairmen seeking interesting had been a farmer for many years, preceding Tuesday. Bro. Lonnie civic clubs, service groups, church Hico Route 4. Funeral services Branam, Church of Christ minis- organizations, or high school as- were held at First Baptist Church Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, through the use of the McMurry officiating, Interment was in Hico with Barrow-Rutledge au has been established through Funeral Home in charge of ar-

Born April 5, 1887, in Lampasas County, he was the son of Wil-Current speakers available free liam S. Archie and Janie West of charge to all groups, include Archie. He had made his home near Rev. Henry Adair, pastor of Caps Hico since November of last year. Methodist Church, Abilene; Impok He was a member of the Baptist

Tommy Burrows, daughter, Mrs. Josephine Barnett of Ballinger; two sons, Kyle Archie subjects include of Hico and Herman Doyle Archie "Trade, Not Aid," Stephen- Archie, Goldsboro; also six grand-

Pallbearers were J. D. Simpson ville; Ira Noland, Selden; Ollie

### Spring Revival to Open Friday, March 26, at Duffau Baptist Church

Duffau Baptist Church members cumbed to an illness which had their reservations at least three March 26, to run for ten days had him hospitalized here,

John William Parks was born writing Clark, Dept. of Speech & Rev. Clyde Pittman, pastor of September 6, 1885, in Iredell and Drama, McMurry College, Abilene, Calvary Baptist Church, Stephen-Texas. No bookings can be made ville, will do the preaching during the meeting

Services will open at 7:30 p. m. each evening, with preaching at

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