

Austin, May 25.—After a nine-day hearing in 98th District Court here, Judge Charles O. Betta granted a temporary injunction, asked by the attorney general's department, forbidding the Lloyd's of North America Insurance Co. from doing business in Texas.

At one time, VanCronkhite was employed as public relations counsel for the company, he testified during the hearing.

Insurance Muddle.
There was comment from several sources on the insurance situation.

Garland A. Smith, chairman of the state insurance commission, pledged the greatest possible protection to holders of policies issued by companies doing business in Texas.

Smith emphasized that state insurance laws are sound, fundamentally, but that some changes are necessary. He said, some new laws will probably be passed, and that they probably will be at the next session of the Legislature.

Attorney General John Ben Shepperd said he would appear before an El Paso County grand jury June 4 with evidence of possible criminal violations of Texas insurance laws.

At El Paso and other Texas cities, Shepperd has filed suits against insurance companies, forcing them into receivership. Charges have been that the companies were created through fraud and were insolvent.

Financial Reports.
Attorney General Shepperd advocated a law requiring publication of all financial reports on all government levels.

Shepperd also opposed secret sessions of governmental bodies, saying "There is no place on an open door for a sign saying closed meeting or executive session."

What has happened in Duval County, Shepperd declared, "can happen anywhere, and will, unless the lesson is told and retold."

TV in Education.
J. W. Edgar, state commissioner of education, has appointed a 56-member group, authorized by the Legislature, to study the role of television in education. S. Mortimer Brown, El Paso school superintendent, is chairman of the body.

Resort Lodges.
Progress being made in plans to construct four resort lodges, each to cost about \$1 million, at Inks Lake near Burnet, Eisenhower Park on Texoma, Lake Whitney and Texarkana Reservoir in Cass County.

This is a project of the State Park Board. The money for building the lodges would come from revenue bonds. Private operators would lease the lodges and run them.

Wets and Drys.
Texas Rangers are investigating trouble between the wets and drys at Bandera.

Rev. Joe R. Townsend, Baptist minister in that West Texas resort and ranch town, moved for a dry election after saying that he had been thrown through a plate glass window.

Refunds Coming.
Employers of Texas are going to get refunds amounting to several million dollars from the Texas Employment Commission.

A decision of the Supreme Court in a case concerning Todd Shipyard Corporation is responsible for the refunds. Todd maintained that its unemployment tax rate was too high and would have been lower if the corporation had been notified by TEC of all claims made by former Todd workers.

In and Out.
About as many Texans went into the armed services as came out in April, says Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state selective service director.

Reserves to Meet.
Texas Department of the Reserve Officers Association will hold an annual convention and service conference here May 28-29, when high ranking officers of all branches of the services from Washington will attend, along with an expected 200 state reserve officers.

More Vegetables.
There will be a 20 per cent increase in acreage planted to commercial vegetables in Texas this year, according to a forecast of the Crop Reporting Board of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Panther Warnings Issued.
Sheriff T. O. Lang of Austin has issued frequent warnings to Capitol City residents that a panther large enough to leave a print like a man is roaming the rugged Bee Cave area west of the city.

One housewife in the hill section reported hearing two panthers screaming, one on each side of her home, about a mile west of Bee Cave road. Several citizens in the area report seeing the animal.

Burglar Trap.
Austin police will be able to get the jump on burglars here, very soon now, thanks to a new piece of equipment devised by a local detective agency.

The secret is a quiet alarm that tips off the police via a panel in the Police and Courts Building. It replaces the jangling alarm bell so often found inside of buildings. The new silent alarm has no bells, switches or wires that are visible.

L. G. Phares, organizer and first director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, invented the new device. He has operated his own detective agency here since 1941.

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Hico Art Club Has First Local Exhibit For Public Saturday

On Saturday, May 22, the Hico Art Club had their spring exhibit. This was the first such showing sponsored by the Hico Club, and it was well received.

The guests arrived at Mrs. Bernard Ogilvie at 11:00 a. m., for morning coffee and cake. The teacher, Mrs. Irene Warren from Meridian, and her mother were present.

Rising Star visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Goss, Mrs. T. C. Stewart, Mrs. M. S. Sellers, Mrs. H. L. Geyer and Mrs. R. L. Sutphen.

Luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Hord Randalls by the home club who brought chicken, meats, fresh vegetables, salads, pies and cakes.

Following the lunch hour the clubs met in the C. H. Miller building where the pictures were exhibited.

The Rising Star Club brought oils in still-life and landscapes. Mrs. Tunnell from Cross Plains is the teacher of this group, and their organization includes members from several surrounding towns in that area.

The local club displayed both originals and copies of landscapes, still-life of flowers and fruits, portraits, and water color. Mrs. Warren exhibited the water colors. Mrs. Hord Randalls had the largest collection of portraits. Mrs. Paul Neel displayed two "Hulda" copies. Other club members who had oils were as follows:

Mrs. Morse Ross with several landscapes, and an original still-life of yellow mums with figurine deer;

Mrs. Grady Hooper, landscapes, and original still-life of sunflowers; Mrs. Jewel Ramage, a still-life study of apples, one of poppies, and a landscape.

Mrs. Paul Neel had original still-life of fruits with drape, and original landscapes;

Mrs. Goodwyn Phillips displayed several landscapes;

Mrs. H. V. Hedges, a sunflower still-life, and a landscape;

Mrs. Bernard Ogilvie had original tulip still-life and some landscapes, including a winter scene;

Mrs. Ellis Randalls, landscape scenes and a still-life of mocking bird;

Mrs. Fred Rainwater had landscapes in oil;

Mrs. J. E. Lincoln had two originals, one of an old barn and wagon, the other an East Texas sweet gum and pine. Her copy was mixed poppies.

Mrs. Frank Gandy is a recent addition to the class and will be with them when the class opens for work in September.

An invitation is extended to anyone interested in taking lessons. The club has been fortunate in securing excellent out-of-town teachers.

Several visitors from the surrounding communities of Hamilton and Carlton saw the exhibit. Among those were Mrs. Maud Shockley, an art teacher in Hamilton, and Mrs. Lena Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr. from Carlton and others who were not registered.

Miss Tot Wood of Dallas and Mrs. Emory Gamble from Fort Worth and Ed Lockwood of Fort Worth saw the exhibit.

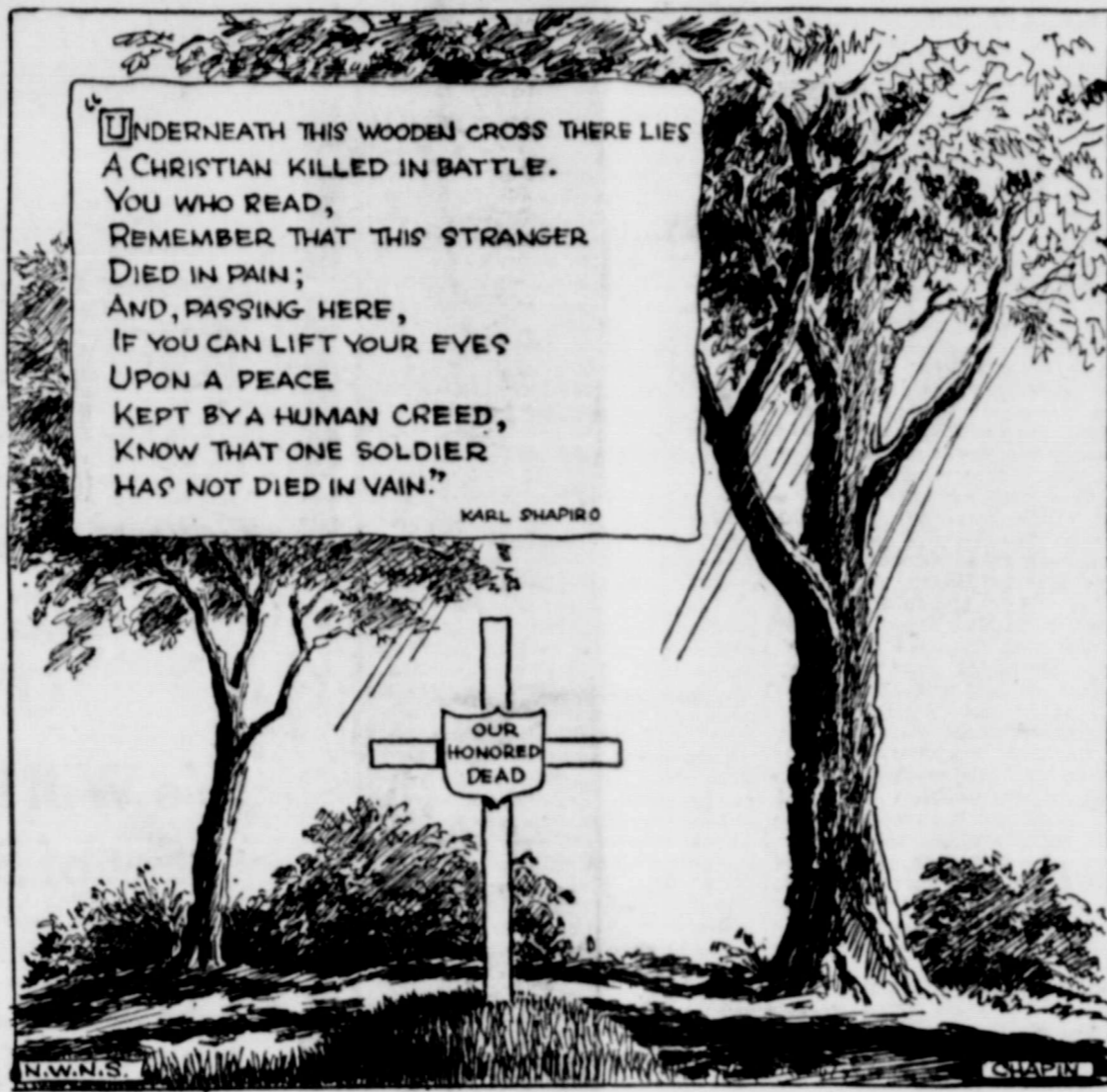
The club appreciated the visit from Lonnie Branam, and expressed thanks to all our home people for the nice words of encouragement. The club also extends thanks to Barnes and McCullough for lumber in making tables to display the pictures, and thanks to C. H. Miller for the use of the building.

REPORTER.



GOLF QUEEN . . . Movie star Ruth Hampton was chosen to serve as queen of \$35,000 Las Vegas (Nev.) golf tournament of champions April 23-25.

MEMORIAL DAY



Little League Offers Summer Recreation Program for Boys

Thirty-two boys, 14 years of age and under, have shown their enthusiasm and joined together to play baseball this year in an organization fashioned after the Little League. The baseball club was begun last year, but prospects are good for making more progress during this second season. Sherman Robertson is coaching the younger boys, and Fred Red Harris is teaching the older group. "This may well be a recreation park for the entire town," the coach said as he visualized a place where large crowds would gather at night to watch the boys play ball and on other nights the public could join in a game of baseball among adults.

Date for the first game has not been decided, but he said he hoped they could plan to have one early in June. Practice is each day at 5:00 p. m., with the groups alternating in practice every other day. The public is invited to watch the boys work out.

Dublin Still Leads BV League with Hico And Glen Rose Second

By LEON LEWIS

Hico wins a 7 to 0 victory over Gorman; Dublin wins 6 to 2 over Glen Rose. The Iredell-Alexander game was called off on account of funeral.

Hico and Glen Rose are tied now for second place, both having five wins and three losses. Dublin still holds firm in first place, winning seven out of eight games.

The enthusiasm is good with all games getting large crowds. Go see these games. Next Sunday finds Alexander at Dublin, Hico at Iredell, Gorman at Glen Rose.

Team	GP	W	L	Per.
Dublin	8	7	1	.875
Hico	8	5	3	.625
Glen Rose	8	5	3	.625
Iredell	7	4	3	.572
Alexander	6	1	5	.167
Gorman	7	0	7	.000

See you at the game.

MOVING TO VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eakins left Tuesday night for McAllen, where they plan to buy a home. Their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth P. Thomas, also lives in McAllen. They will likely be joined by their son, Don Otis Eakins, after he completes a technical course in television and radio at Chicago, Illinois.

The Eakins' home was sold to Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Spaulding who will move there soon.

Highway Patrolman Stresses Safety In Talk at Lions Club

Problems of the Texas Highway Patrol in reducing accidents and enforcing the law were dramatically brought to members and guests attending Wednesday noon's meeting of the Hico Lions Club.

Appearing locally for the second time during Hico's current Traffic Safety Campaign sponsored by Hico Lions, C. O. Crawford, safety officer from the Waco District of Texas Highway Patrol, presented facts and figures, built around statistics given at a previous speech to a WSCS meeting at the Methodist Church.

"The traffic record of our state is not a pretty picture, nor is it pleasant," Crawford explained. "It is littered with the accumulation of 50 years of human wreckage. It took 50 years to kill the first million on our highways, but at the rate we're going now the next million deaths will occur in only half that time."

The solution of the problem lies in the minds of men, not in motors or gadgets, he declared, stating that 80 per cent of our accidents occur on straight highways, and 90 per cent involve new cars.

Speed he described as the No. 1 killer, appealing to his listeners to heed highway warnings, regulate their speed to the necessities of any situation instead of the simple 60-mile limit, and to use common sense and courtesy along with caution in their driving.

"You can observe every law in the book, and that is no good without courtesy," he said. "Let courtesy permeate your driving and you will see accidents reduced."

Crawford praised the club for the interest taken in traffic safety, and called upon all citizens and organizations to help curb driving hazards. He also pictured the plight of 450 Texas patrolmen with 300 cars, trying to spread out over 50,000 miles of highways bearing traffic from the 4 million vehicles registered in Texas, and others too.

OTHER CLUB BUSINESS.
Plans for the June 3 meeting at 8 p. m. at the school cafeteria were announced at the meeting. Ladies' night combined with installation of officers will feature a visit from O. C. Stamey, governor of Lions District 2E and president of Cisco Junior College, who will be guest speaker. Those who plan to attend were requested to let secretary Conda Salmon know how many guests they would bring.

Poster and theme contest winners in the safety campaign are being announced, according to President Harold Walker, but the list of winners in the latter were not yet available for publication. The regular meeting will be held next Wednesday at noon, but the directors' meeting regularly held on the first Tuesday of each month has been postponed until the following week.

Other matters discussed related to reservations of booths in the livestock building for the Reunion, and the Lions Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville.

Visitors at this week's meeting besides Patrolman Crawford were State Representative W. W. Perry of Stephenville and S. H. Simpson of Abilene.

Awards Presented to Distinguished Students At Graduation Services

Twenty seniors heard a commencement address by Rev. Charles Welborn, pastor of the Seventh and James Baptist Church in Waco, at exercises at high school auditorium Wednesday evening.

Honor students throughout high school received recognition at these exercises, and valedictory and salutatory addresses were delivered by Miss Edna Walker and Miss Carol Ann Harris, respectively.

Those receiving special awards included Fenton Sandlin, science; Carol Harris, English; Dennis Stipe, mathematics; Margaret Brown Ash, homemaking; Charles Stipe, vocational agriculture; Edna Walker, commercial; Joyce Rae Lowe, music; Patsy Little, girls' athletics; Donald Ross, boys' athletics; Julia Hedges, social studies; Orville Templeton, citizenship; and Jean Sherrard, best all-round student.

Charles Stipe also received the W. C. Howard trophy, awarded each year to the best showman from the annual FFA Livestock Show from the Hico chapter. A freshman, he has completed most of the requirements for application for his Lone Star Farmer degree.

Fourteen students received recognition for perfect attendance during the school year, as follows: Betty Drake, Julia Hedges, Charles Hyles, Carey McKenzie, Charles Stipe, Betty Booth, Jean Clark, Jimmie Jackson, Joyce Rae Lowe, Margo Partain, Leona Smith, Karen Higginbotham, Kay Jernigan and Edna Walker.

GRADE SCHOOL EXERCISES
Members of the eighth grade class in elementary school proceeded into high school with formal exercises Tuesday night at high school auditorium, when Bro. Lonnie Branam delivered the principal address.

Twenty-one attendance awards were made to students in grade school, and safety theme prizes were presented. Joe Knight gave the valedictory address, and Regina Ellis spoke as salutatorian.

Those who were recognized for perfect attendance records were the following: Frank Phillips, Jerry Casey, Christine Bullard, Jane Akin (second year), Barbara Patterson, Judy Moon (third year), Winston Churchill, Arvis Russ, Liddy Strader (second year), Royce Jenne Chandler, Joy Carol Akin (fourth year), Alan Hedges, Carolyn Patterson, Kay Jameson, Mack Phillips, Gail Christian, Anna Lee Luckie, Jimmy Herrington, Joe Knight, Regina Ellis and Mari-letha Churchill.

Those who received the Lions Club prizes for best themes on safety were Virginia Jones, first, and Joe Knight, second, both in the eighth grade, and Royce Jenne Chandler, third, fifth grade student.

C. of C. Dairy Meeting Stimulates Interest of Farmers and Merchants

Plans for promotion of interest in the dairying business and a possible dairy show to be sponsored by the Hico Chamber of Commerce were discussed at a meeting called by that organization Monday night at Firemen's Hall. Dairymen and prospective dairymen were guests of the civic organization, and a group of about 60 men attended. Of these visitors, T. A. Randalls, C. of C. president, estimated that there were 24 people actively engaged in the grade A dairy business.

Other problems common to dairy owners and possible solutions were discussed, and a film "Greener Pastures" was shown. The group had invited W. W. Reed, head of the animal husbandry department from Tarleton State College, as a guest speaker, but in his absence Henry Smith, who has been a dairymen for some 27 years, filled in as speaker and entertained the group with stories from his own experience.

Smith moved here several years ago after operating a dairy near Arlington, and had retired from the business but decided to buy some land and go back into it. He now lives on the former Guyton ranch. His daughter, Betty Jane Smith, entertained with piano music before the meeting began.

Smith told of his early-day experiences and of being one of the first dairymen to put in electric milkers. When he first installed these, he said, it made the milk difficult to sell because the plants were not sure the milk would be sanitary. Now the procedure is just the opposite.

T. A. Randalls gave statistics on the profitable aspects of dairy operation and revealed that there are only 19 grade A dairies in Hamilton County. Compared with these figures, there are 230 grade A dairies in Erath County, in addition to 20 ungraded dairies there. Elsewhere there are 65 in Comanche County, 24 in Bosque County and three in Somervell County, according to information he had received from county agents.

Back to the local figures, he said that 11 of the 19 grade A dairies are in the Hico trade territory. There are, of course, others in the Hico trade territory among those counted in other counties, since Hico is on a borderline of three counties.

The Chamber of Commerce hopes to set a date for the planned dairy cattle show at their next meeting date. A great deal of interest was expressed at the meeting, and those attending were 100 per cent in favor of such a show. Harold Walker, secretary of the group, said that this type of show would give the cattle breeders an opportunity to place their cattle beside others in the same breed, provided there are as many entries as anticipated, and thus would give a better opportunity than that provided in the average local livestock show heretofore presented.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TO BEGIN SOON AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church of Hico will begin June 7, continuing through June 16, according to an announcement received this week. School will be held from 8:30 until 11:00 a. m.

All children from ages 3 to 16 are invited to attend. There will be Bible study, music, play and refreshments, all under very capable workers.



RETURNING FROM KOREA

Lt. Ben F. Meek Jr., who has been on duty with the Army in Korea for about a year and a half, is expected to return to the States around the first of June. He will be met in California by his wife and their young daughter, Sallie, whom he has never seen. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Meek of Kermit, Texas, will also meet him there.

His wife and her mother, Mrs. H. E. McCullough, left last Friday for Kermit, where Mrs. Meek and Sallie will visit before leaving for California. They spent last Friday night with their sister and daughter, Mrs. S. S. Bundy Jr., and family in Roosevelt. Mrs. McCullough spent the remainder of this week in Dallas with friends.

HOMETOWN BOYS MEET AT SEOUL KOREA

Cpl. John W. Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Walton of Carlton, met Bobby Lane, formerly of Hico, in Seoul, Korea, recently when they both went to dinner at the Eighth Army snack bar. They were very much surprised to see each other and enjoyed the evening talking over hometown news. They both are subscribers to the Hico News Review and are well acquainted in this area. Bobby is an M. P. in Korea.

DON BROOKS FINISHING BASIC AT LACKLAND

Lackland Air Force Base, Tex.—Don Brooks, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brooks, Route 3, Hico, is completing his Air Force basic military training course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the site of Air Force basic military training for men and women, headquarters of the Human Resource Research Center, and home of the USAF Officer Military School.

His basic military training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

Carlton Legion Group To Sell Buddy Poppies Here All Day Saturday

The Auxiliary to the Byrd-King Post 333, American Legion, at Carlton will stage their annual Buddy Poppy Sale in Hico and Carlton Saturday, May 29, according to an announcement from Mrs. Cyrus King.

Proceeds from this sale will go to help the disabled servicemen in hospitals and their families. The poppy is an emblem of their sacrifice.

The slogan of "Honor the dead by helping the living" continues to be the theme of this year's poppy sale. Members of the Legion auxiliary will be in town all day Saturday to sell the poppies. The sale remains as a mute tribute to those who sacrificed their lives in all wars fought by the United States.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"High-Priced" Mistake

Maybe you noticed the big "ad" Red Smith's Furniture Store ran in The Clarion last week.

One item caused some embarrassment around here. It read: "4-piece Bedroom Suite, regular price \$119.50, bargain price \$149.50." Guess I didn't "proof-read" too well, and when our pressman asked for the go-ahead, I yelled, "Let 'er go."

All kinds of jokes about the mistake. One fellow asked if Smith's was holding the price line so tight it just snapped. Turned out fine in the end—Red

Smith said that suite for the real sale price, of course.

From where I sit, it's lucky my carelessness didn't cost Red any business. I'm the one who's always "experting" on being careful—careful of our responsibilities, careful of our neighbors' rights. Even careful to respect the other fellow's preference for a glass of beer. Let's all make a bargain to be more careful in the future.

Joe Marsh

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Fairy Mrs. Eunice Massengale MISS EMMA PEARL SMITH WED TO BURL LEWIS

Miss Emma Pearl Smith and Burl Lewis, both of Fort Worth, were married at the Agee Baptist Church Saturday evening, May 22, at 7:30. Rev. Dan Johnston, pastor of the church, was the officiating minister in the simple, but impressive single ring ceremony.

They were attended by Miss Barbara Lewis, sister of the groom, as maid of honor, who wore a pink nylon dress with white headress and accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations and satin ribbon trim. J. D. (Buck) Noland was best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Marvin Porterfield, was attired in a flattering fashioned one-piece dress, of linen finished nylon, with a vestee of self color irish lace with rhinestone trim.

Her ensemble was new, with blue trim and she carried a Bible which was 113 years old, formerly the Bible of her great-grandfather, the late Gideon Hovey. Miss Martha Hanes played the wedding music and was also accompanist for Miss Frances Thornton, who sang "Because."

Mrs. Lewis is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith, at present of Houston, but who still maintain their home in the Latham community where they resided for a number of years.

Mr. Smith was unable to leave his duties to attend the wedding. Mrs. Smith and daughter attended. Burl is a grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jameson of the Agee community in whose home Burl was reared following the death of his mother, when he was very young.

Both Emma Pearl and Burl are graduates of Fairy High School, and are two of our most highly respected young folks. Both have employment in Fort Worth, he being employed with General Motors and she in the lab department at Harris Hospital. Having only the week end off from their duties they are now at home in Fort Worth.

A reception was held in the dining hall at the church immediately following the ceremony where fruit punch and home baked cake was served to some sixty or more guests. Mrs. C. M. Broyles baked the three-tiered wedding cake, which was decorated with a miniature bride and groom. After the refreshment course and picture taking of the wedding party, and offering best wishes and congratulations to the happy couple, all departed for their homes.

A miscellaneous wedding shower honoring the newlyweds will be held this Saturday night, May 29 at the Agee church. All have a cordial invitation to attend.

At this writing (Tuesday morning) we have threatening weather. Light showers were received in the early morning, which will be beneficial to row crops, but farmers would like to see some sunshine in order that they might complete the grain harvest, much of which is ready for harvesting, also some have cotton to plant.

The writer motored over to Hamilton Sunday afternoon and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sumerford out to Hazel Dell to attend their regular Fourth Sunday Singing, but were very sorry to learn on our arrival that one of their singing class members, Mr. W. P. Spoon, had been killed on Saturday and his funeral service was to be held at the Hazel Dell community center church at 4:00 p. m. Sunday. We would have liked very much to have remained for the funeral services but due to being set for a late hour the Sumerfords thought best to return home. Mr. Spoon was helping a neighbor to move and was driving a small trailer loaded with the family's deep freeze. He was traveling along highway 36 three miles east of Gustine when he was struck from the rear by a car driven by a nurse, who was on her way to Lubbock, and was pronounced dead on arrival at the Comanche hospital. Mr. Spoon, who lived only a few hundred yards from the Hazel Dell church was 63 years of age, being born in Bell County and had resided in the Hazel Dell community for 8 years. He was a good bass singer and had planned to sing a bass solo Sunday. He is survived by his bereaved wife and one son, E. M. Spoon, of Gustine, and a daughter, Mrs. R. E. Neathery of Mineral Wells, also 5 grandchildren and a host of other relatives. We did not learn the cause of the accident and the nurse was unhurt. We extend deepest sympathy to all.

We returned home Sunday in time to accompany our daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Carolyn and Jimmie Don to Dublin where we visited several hours in the home of our daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison, and Darrel of Dublin. The Allison's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pittman were also guests.

The writer and daughter, Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers were business visitors in Gatesville last Friday.

A very nice program was enjoyed at the school gym last Tuesday night.

Many from this community at-

tended funeral services for Mrs. J. C. Sills at Hico Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Sills had been in failing health for several years and her death was not unexpected. We extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved children, their families and other relatives.

We are glad to report that a portion of the cemetery has been burned off and the work will be completed as soon as the weather will permit. We wish to thank Mr. Frank Tyler, who is one of the committee members, for a donation of \$5.00 for the cemetery.

The writer attended funeral services for Clyde Blackburn Thursday afternoon of last week at Hico. We had known Mr. Blackburn for some fifty-five years, the Blackburn family being neighbors of our parents for a few years while living near Duffau. They were a fine family and we can remember as a small child, our parent's regards for the family. We attended singing at Plainview Church on the fourth Sunday in April. Clyde and wife were there. We listened attentively to his prayer and knowing his ill health, wondered if we would ever have an opportunity to again hear him pray. He also led a song. We will miss him but his memory will live on and on through our remaining years. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to his dear companion and his daughter and son and step-son. May they look to God for comfort in this dark time of sorrow. Clyde Blackburn was married to Pearl Middleton of Duffau, who preceded him in death. One daughter also preceded him in death. His present wife, whom he married eight years ago, and one stepson, Jerry Gage of Waco, are among those surviving. Others include his daughter, Mrs. Glenn A. Lee of Fort Worth, his son, C. D. Blackburn of Gatesville; also two sisters, Mrs. T. D. Perry of Hico and Mrs. Robert White of Hamilton, and one brother, J. F. Blackburn of Black Stump Calley.

The writer made a record last week, which we don't recall making previously. In that we attended four funerals and one wedding within the same week. Probably there may be others who made this record also.

Walter Porterfield, Dewey Wilson and Bill Abel attended a ball game at Glen Rose Sunday afternoon. Glen Rose and Dublin played. The game ended 2 to 6 in favor of Dublin.

St. Olaf Lutheran Cranfills Gap, Texas REV. EINAR JORGENSEN Pastor Friday, May 28— 8:00 p. m. Ladies Chorus. Saturday, May 29— 9:30 a. m. Senior Confirmation class. Sunday, May 30— 10:00 a. m. Divine services. Note change in time. 7:30 p. m. The Junior Luther League entertained by the Henry Wiese and Johnny White families. Monday, May 31— 8:00 p. m. Meeting of the S. S. Bldg. Finance teams. Wednesday, June 2— 3:00 p. m. Ladies Aid Society. CORRESPONDENT.

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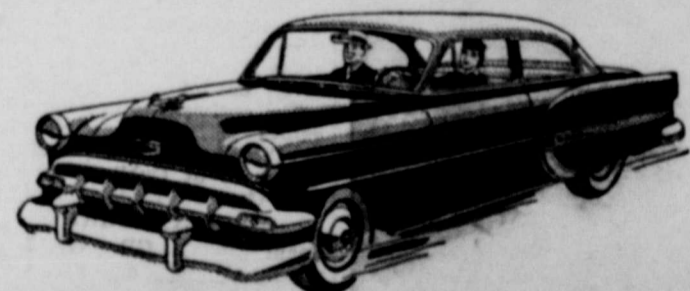
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Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Geye

Rev. Bill Campbell, who had accepted the call as pastor of the Carlton Baptist Church, his wife and two children, Janie and George moved to Carlton Tuesday from Sayers, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl McKenzie returned home Wednesday after a visit in Amarillo with two of their daughters, Mrs. Ross Anderson and Mrs. Harry McCracken and family.

This Wednesday, May 26, will bring to a close a very successful school term. The commencement services were held Friday night in the High School Auditorium.

Sam Rallsback of Brownville and Mrs. Jim Bone of Stephenville spent Friday night with his mother and sister, Mrs. S. C. Rallsback and Mrs. Doyle Partain.

Mrs. Dow Self, Freddie and Jack Henry and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye were visitors Sunday in Granbury with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Geye, Patricia and Deborah.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moring, Deborah, Linda and James Donald of Cotton Center are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fine.

Minister Price Bankhead, pastor of the Church of Christ underwent surgery Monday afternoon at the Hico Hospital.

Mrs. P. W. Jones arrived Monday from her home in Quannah for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Vick.

The Seniors left early Monday morning on their senior trip. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr., Mrs. Elmer Chick and Fritz Campbell, bus driver.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lowery and children of San Angelo visited Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery.

and sons, Barry, Larry and Garry of Killeen spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fine.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hampton visited Sunday in Dublin with his parents.

Remember, Monday, May 31, is the date of the Carlton Homecoming. Plan to attend.

Clairette

By Mrs. Henry Mayfield

Several attended the funeral services for Clyde Blackburn in Hico last Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Reno Dunbar and Mrs. Mary Earll moved Monday to Center, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall of Littlefield moved Monday to the place vacated by the Dunbars.

Mr. W. T. Stamford is visiting his children in Dallas and Fort Worth.

L. B. Mayfield of Fort Worth, Cleo and Dale Mayfield of Stephenville visited in Clairette and at the cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wolfe and Misses Eunice and Nola Lee went to Stephenville Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Lee and their home they recently bought.

Relatives from Carlton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Luker and son.

Mrs. Wayne Garner and girls of Selden and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Roberson visited Sunday in the Herman Roberson home.

Mrs. Morgan Martin was hostess Friday afternoon to the Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Reno Dunbar returned home from Center, Colo. early Wednesday. Mrs. Dunbar, Mrs. Mary Earll and Mrs. Henry Mayfield spent Wednesday in Fort Worth shopping and visited in the Andy Duncan home.

The Busy Bee Sewing Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bill Christian. Mrs. Bonnie Alexander was welcomed back to the club after a long absence due to illness.

Little Tommy Thompson of Fort Worth visited last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

The men working at the cemetery have about half of it cleaned off. They expect to finish it this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Stamford and Don and Mrs. Jennie Huffpouir of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

Mrs. R. A. Cox of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Aergle and children of Fort Worth came Saturday afternoon after some of Mrs. Cox's things at the parsonage and visited a while with Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

Mr. Will Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Flake Thomas of Kansas City, Kansas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Martin.

DUFFAU

By Mrs. Pascal Brown

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hale and family of Breckenridge visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and family during the past week.

Mrs. M. H. Gillentine was taken back to Wichita Falls Saturday night. She will undergo surgery Wednesday, May 26. We are hoping it will be a success.

Mr. L. E. Roberson, county school superintendent, visited school the past Wednesday.

School closed Friday, with large crowd and a good program, and lots of lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Peters and sons of Fort Worth visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family during the week end.

Mrs. Boddie Lawrence and son, Roy B. and Mrs. Leonard Christopher spent the week end in Temple visiting their husbands.

Mr. A. B. Naul of Arlington spent the week end with home folks.

Visitors attending services at the Church of Christ Sunday were Mrs. Johnny Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Von Scott and baby daughter of Clairette, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Scott and son Randy of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Martin and baby daughter of Stephenville.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach were Bro. Clovis Allen, Charles Conklin of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Martin and baby of Stephenville.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burgan of Corpus Christi spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan and family.

Linda and Deward Ray Stone of Corpus Christi are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan and family.

Miss Reba Bowie left last week for Denton where she will be employed.

Several in the community attended the Baccalaureate service in Hico Sunday, in which our boys and girls will graduate Wednesday night. Those from Duffau in the graduating class are Paul Gillentine, Fenton Sandlin, Orville Templeton, Edna Earl Shaffer, Martha Britton and Margaret Brown Ash.

Our latest mumps patients are Will Ann Lawrence and P. D. Ash.



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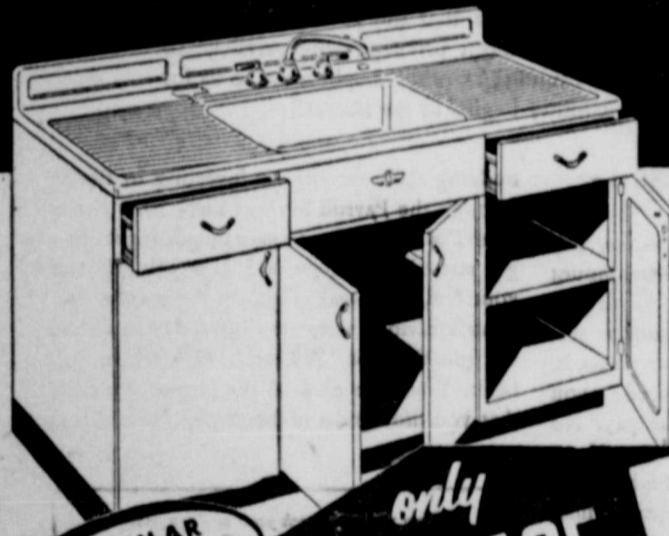
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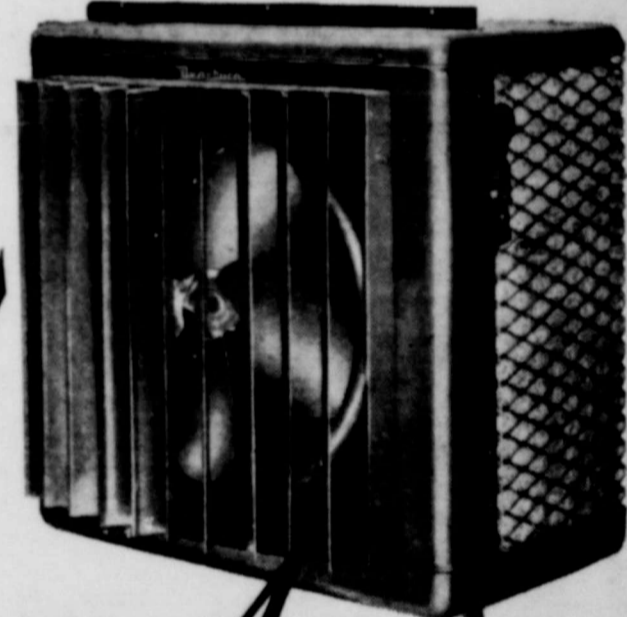
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JUROR CHALLENGES EXPLAINED

Some people feel that doubt has been cast upon their basic honesty and fairness when they are excused from serving on a trial jury following a challenge by an attorney. This is definitely not true in the usual situation. To be questioned and challenged by a lawyer and excused by the judge is not a reflection upon the prospective juror's integrity or intelligence. It simply means that, in one particular case, the judge may deem it proper to excuse that person.

When involved as a party to litigation everyone wants and is entitled to a jury of 12 disinterested and completely impartial persons—men who will try the case fairly on the law as stated by the judge, and on the evidence admitted at the trial. This kind of jury is what lawyers and judges are trying to secure when they orally examine members of a jury panel.

There are many reasons why a person originally called for a jury panel might not be a fair and impartial juror. He may be closely related to one of the litigants, have a business relationship with one of the lawyers, or have personal knowledge of the case to be tried. He may show some leaning, one way or the other, regarding the type of case being tried that would make it difficult for him to render a strictly impartial verdict.

Even where there is no condition producing a conscious or readily apparent bias, a lawyer may ask that a panel member be excused under the peremptory challenges allowed his client. He usually does this because he feels there is something in that person's background which might unconsciously sway his judgment, even while honestly attempting to be absolutely fair. Many apparently irrelevant questions may be asked by an attorney in reaching a decision regarding this unconscious factor.

Under the law each juror must be a citizen of Texas and of the county in which he is to serve. He must be qualified to vote in such county, except that he need not have a poll tax. He must own land within the State or he must be the head of the household within the county. He must be of sound mind and good moral character and able to read and write the English language.

A juror is not qualified for service if he has served as a juror within a certain specified length of time. No one who has been convicted of a felony is qualified to serve as a juror; nor is an individual who is under indictment or other legal accusation of theft or of any felony.

The statutes of Texas exempt certain persons from the obligation of serving as jurors. Persons over sixty years of age, civil officers of the State or the United States, druggists, undertakers, telegraph operators, railroad station agents, ferry-men, millers engaged in grist, flouring and saw mills, certain railroad officials, firemen and certain state Forestry employees may claim exemption from jury duty. The exemption must be stated and claimed under oath.

(This column, based on Texas 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.)

DUFFAU CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday—
10:00 a. m. Bible Study.
11:00 a. m. Worship & Communion.
1:00 p. m. Herald of Truth, WBAP.
8:30 p. m. Young People's Class.
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship.
Wednesday—
Preaching by Gerald Fruis.
7:30 p. m. Mid-week Class.

Listen as the Redbird Rambles

By Carolyn Holford

IT WAS BOUND . . . to happen sooner or later this spring. The Redbird just hasn't been rambling around very much, or else there hasn't been too much to attract attention. At any rate, this is going to be a puny column, as there haven't been many other birds to tell me either. Maybe a feeble effort will be better than actual omission, which was what happened last year.

ONE KIND SOUL . . . told me a subject which merits a bit of plugging. Seems there is always a shortage of grown-ups to help out with sponsoring youth groups, and whenever some adult attempts to devote his time and patience to training young folks in athletics or character building, then we believe he deserves a pat on the back and the cooperation of the public.

Summer is always a slack period for children, and without such counseling they might be tempted to go into many undesirable ventures. Our town is fortunate in having had virtually no juvenile delinquency. Possibly it is because our town has more than the average number of interested adults.

Among activities offered children here is a new one which promises to swell enthusiasm throughout the community. A Little League baseball team, which was formed last year with some half as many members as they have at present, proposes to occupy boys between the ages of 9 and 14 during the summer months. Work is expected to begin soon on building a field on the lot donated by the city, and merchants are offering their assistance in donations for uniforms. When these plans are completed, it is probable that the boys will play against similar teams in Meridian, Hamilton, Clifton and other nearby towns.

Sherman Roberson, who laid the groundwork last year, and Fred Red Harris are the sponsors and trainers for the boys.

HICO AND AREA . . . will be the subject of a feature page in Sunday's Fort Worth Star-Telegram, according to a letter received here by Leonard Howard at Hico News Stand. This should be quite a credit to the surrounding community. A reporter from that newspaper was here recently gathering information for this article, which local citizens will be interested in reading.

IF THERE BE . . . any who want a civic enterprise to boost, we suggest the possibility of some club or group taking the responsibility of mowing the little triangular park at the intersection of highways 281, 6 and 220, where so many tourists get their only impression of our town.

The little park was neatly kept by the late R. F. Wiseman who had enough civic pride to devote his time and energy to keeping the premises clean. There seems to have been none to take his place.

The shortage of workers to mow lawns and work flower beds is rather startling when you think about it. There are not near enough men to do all these jobs which can be found in Hico. It's hard to tell whether all the men have given up this vocation for other jobs or whether they have moved away, or whether it's because there are no younger men training to do this type of work. It's one profession which can't be replaced by machinery entirely, as little plants still require individual attention.

LOTS OF FOLKS . . . were in town Thursday after the nice rain Wednesday night. Just seems to make folks happier to see the precipitation. Unofficial reports were that over one half inch of rain fell.

Patrice Munsel Among Impressive Star List Of State Fair Musicals

Dallas, May 25.—The "surprise package" promised by the State Fair Musicals for the 1954 production of "Naughty Marietta" has been revealed to be none other than the petite and glamorous Metropolitan Opera soprano, Patrice Munsel. Miss Munsel was last seen and heard at the State Fair Auditorium with the Metropolitan in "Die Fledermaus."

As a sample of the treat in store for State Fair Musicals goers, Miss Munsel recently included the "Italian Street Song" from "Naughty Marietta" on a "Voice of Firestone" radio and television appearance.

As dashing "Capt. Dick" of the lovely Victor Herbert operetta will be handsome Jim Hawthorne who has won a Southwest following in two previous Musicals appearances, "Song of Norway" and "New Moon."

The announcement that Miss Munsel will sing the title role in "Naughty Marietta" completes the Musicals' impressive star list. Beginning June 14 Jack Benny will open the season and will be followed by such great stars as Gale Storm, Don Ameche, Pat Crowley, Miss Munsel and Mr. Hawthorne, Vivian Blaine, Buddy Ebsen, Arthur Treacher and Imogene Coca.

Here's How You Can Do Your Part Toward Avoiding Auto Accidents

"Snappy on the outside, deadly on the inside."

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, President of the Texas Safety Association, and Services Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation today used this parody of the popular song, "Laughing on the Outside, Crying on the Inside," to describe the condition of many of the automobiles now being driven on Texas streets and highways.

Col. Tilley spoke in connection with the state-wide vehicle maintenance program all official and non-official groups are conducting in Texas throughout May. This program is part of the annual vehicle maintenance program of the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Many car owners who keep their vehicles well washed and painted are not so particular about keeping them safe in operation condition," he said.

He pointed out that it would make better sense to spend less time shining up the fenders and more time investigating the condi-

tion of brakes, tires, headlights, and other mechanical parts.

"You can lose only a little prestige if your car is a bit dingy," he said, "but you can lose your life if your car is mechanically unsafe."

"I certainly don't want to discourage automobile owners from keeping their cars spick and span," Col. Tilley said. "On the contrary, I think concern for the appearance of the vehicle speaks well for the owner. But I do want to impress upon them the importance of placing first things first, and safety should have priority on every driver's list."

Col. Tilley urged all motorists to take their cars in for a safety check this month while the special May vehicle maintenance program is in progress. He said, "The important points to check are headlights, rear and stop lights, brakes, tires, steering mechanism, windshield wipers, muffler and exhaust system, window glass, horn, and rear-view mirror."

"Let's have a hundred per-cent cooperation," he said. "Checking our cars is certainly a simple way to check accidents!"

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wright visited in Fort Worth and Arlington with their sons and relatives Saturday and Sunday.



TOP MUSIC SCHOLAR . . .
Neil Sullivan, blind student at College of City of New York, received award for 100 per cent grade in state music tests. Neil plays piano, clarinet and saxophone.

Now under construction, the General Motors Technical Center north of Detroit will have 17 major buildings. It is being built on an 818-acre site.

Highways Made Safer In Florida As Result Of Civic Club Work

A retired postmaster's idea and energetic action by a woman's club are making highways safer in Florida.

The postmaster was worried about the danger to rural mail carriers stopping on the highway. He thought mail box turnouts would eliminate the hazard.

The Orlando Pilot Club saw even greater possibilities for the idea, and it soon grew into a plan for group action by the Fourth District, Florida, of Pilot International.

Through their effort, 50 rural mailbox turnouts were constructed along Florida highways. It was soon apparent that the crescent-shaped bays were an important safety bonus for box holders, for children boarding and alighting from school buses, for motorists forced to make emergency stops, as well as for the letter carriers.

Their efforts were rewarded when the Fourth District became the first club to win the top award in the 1953 Carol Lane Awards for Traffic Safety, receiving a \$1,000 defense bond and a bronze statuette symbolic of their achievement.

The Carol Lane Awards, the na-

tion's only awards which recognize the achievements of women in the field of traffic safety, are administered by the National Safety Council through a grant from the Shell Oil Co.

Heartened by the enthusiastic acceptance of their project, the Florida women are pushing the program vigorously. Mrs. Sara G. Hughes, of Orlando, Pilot state chairman of the turnout project and the woman who saw the possibilities of the postmaster's idea, asked that funds for 100 new turnouts be included in the state's 1954 road budget. Instead, 200 turnouts were authorized. The highway administrators, impressed by the work of the club, added \$150,000 to the maintenance budget for paving of turnouts.

This major safety project is an example of the effective work being done by women and women's groups in the traffic safety field. Other such projects are eligible for the 1954 Carol Lane Awards, which are open through June 30, 1954. Further information may be obtained from Alice C. Mills, director of women's activities, National Safety Council, 425 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 11, Ill.

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IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

THOMAS M. DAVIS

Mr. Thomas M. Davis was born June 22, 1874 and passed away May 17, 1954 at the Meridian Hospital at 7:30.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Davis, and was born in Tennessee. He was almost 80 years old. He was a farmer and a rancher for the past 43 years and had been a prominent citizen in the Iredell community. He was a member of the Iredell Baptist Church. He was a Mason also.

He got sick early Monday morning and was taken to the hospital by one of their neighbors. Everything was done for him that could be done. He had a heart attack and passed away very easy, like a child going to sleep in its mother's arms.

Mr. Davis would come to town every Saturday afternoon with his wife and would talk to one and all. He seemed to enjoy himself with his friends. He is certainly missed by all. He was a devoted husband. His wife misses him very much, and he was a devoted father to the children who will also miss him very much. They thought he was the only Daddy. He had many friends and was liked and respected by all.

On Saturday afternoon he was in town and seemed to be feeling fine. Would talk to all. All cannot hardly believe he is gone never to return. His life was ended and now he is at rest forever more.

Services were conducted by Rev. Ray Ellis at the Iredell Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. The floral offerings were very large and beautiful. Some of the Masons were pallbearers. Burial was in the old cemetery with Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home of Hico in charge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Stella Davis of Iredell, five daughters, Mrs. Nellie Davis of Sanitorium, Mrs. Beulah Luck of Dallas, Mrs. Jewell Boyd and Mrs. Eunice Powers of Fort Worth and Mrs. Thelma Anderson of Wichita Falls; three sons, Finis and T. M. Davis Jr. of Sanitorium and Nelson of Fort Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Kate Frazier and Mrs. Francis Frazier of Clearfield, Utah, and two brothers, Will of Clearfield, Utah, and Lewis of Corsicana; four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Out of town relatives who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Davis, O'Donnel; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Olney; Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Davis, Trinidad; Phillip Davis, Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Chatman Davis, of Davis; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Davis and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis of Corsicana; Mr. and Mrs. Finis Davis, Mrs. Nellie Davis and T. M. Davis Jr. of Sanitorium; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Luck, Dallas; Mrs. Jewell Boyd and Mrs. Eunice Powers and Nelson Davis, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson, Wichita Falls, and a host of out of town friends.

Mrs. Davis and children have the sympathy of their many friends in the loss of their loved one.

Mrs. Fuller returned Saturday of last week from Houston, Temple and Abilene where she visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pylant of Dallas spent the week end with his father and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace and family of Kentucky visited his brother, Sam and wife the past week. They hadn't been together before for over 50 years.

Mrs. Ethel Sanders returned Friday from a trip to Houston, Galveston, Beaumont and Huntsville

and Orange. Her brother, Albert and wife of Killen took her. She also visited the Longhorn Cavern. She had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Crabtree of Talco spent from Wednesday until Friday with her father, Mr. Willie Linnch.

Mrs. Lanear of Fort Worth spent the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Stella Schumacher.

Mr. W. O. Pylant was in town Wednesday. He is recovering from a heart attack. All are glad he is up and around.

Mrs. Nola Wingen and Mrs. Bobby Ray Freeman and Michael Wayne Wilson of Dallas spent Friday with Nola's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. Michael Wayne remained over and went home with his father to Wickert on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley and Mrs. Raymond Davis spent Friday with their sister, Mrs. Ben Johnson of near Mineral Wells.

Mr. Cecil Huckaby of Whitney visited his parents a few days this week.

Miss Betty Bradley of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Huckaby and children spent the week end with his parents. They live in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Mamie Echols were in Meridian Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hanshev were in Hico Saturday.

Kenneth McCoy, who was badly hurt, is doing very well. He is in a hospital in Waco.

Mrs. Nellie Davis of Sanitorium, who attended her father's funeral, remained over for a few days to be with her mother, Nelson Davis of Fort Worth also remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ciccolella of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Whitely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harris Jr. and children of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. McDonel of Corpus Christi, Duff McDonel Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baine of Dallas spent the week end with Mrs. D. G. McDonel.

Dick Appleby is with his son, Graham of Dallas, who is very ill in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Elma Mize and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Whitfield and family of Robert Lee, Texas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mize.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elkins and children of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler.

The Baccalaureate service at the high school auditorium in Iredell on Sunday, May 23, was well attended. The program was as follows: Processional, Mrs. Dorothy Whitlock; Invocation, Rev. C. E. Wade; Song, "Living For Jesus" by Congregation; Special music, "The Lord's Prayer," Mrs. Ray Ellis; Sermon, Rev. Ray Ellis; Benediction, Rev. Ellis. The ushers were Jimmie McCroskey, Patty Dunlap, Jimmy Burns and Dorothy Bateman. They looked very nice. The Seniors came in their robes and caps. They were white and very pretty. The sermon and everything was nice and enjoyed by all.

W. B. Smith of Fort Worth spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Nora Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Golden visited his relatives in De Leon this week.

Ronny Helm, who is in Tarleton State College, spent the week end at home.

Miss Jean Moore, who is in Tarleton State College, spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Lane and son spent the week end in Austin with relatives.

Sheriff Royal and wife of Meridian and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Gann of Clifton visited Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Sunday.

Next Sunday being the 5th Sunday, the Methodist pastor and members will visit with the Baptist people Sunday night and Rev. Wade will preach. The next 5th Sunday night the Baptist people and their pastor will meet with the Methodists.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wayne and son James of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. C. A. Mitchell recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Y. Carter, Mrs. A. W. Brown Sr. and Mrs. Bob Oliver and children, all of Dallas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell the past week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Wallace of Florence were here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tidwell of Dallas were here Sunday. They visited his brothers, John, Charlie and Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McAden of Waco spent Sunday with his parents, also Mr. and Mrs. Lon Curtis of Big Spring.

The WSCS met Monday afternoon. Had a program, after which Mrs. John L. Tidwell brought some Bible questions of which all enjoyed.

Next Monday the WSCS will have a social at the new building at 2:30 p. m.

WEATHER REPORT

The following weather report is submitted by W. R. Hampton, local observer for the Climatological Service of the United States Weather Bureau:

Date—	Max.	Min.	Prec.
May 19	85	62	0.02
May 20	83	59	0.00
May 21	88	62	0.00
May 22	85	64	0.00
May 23	85	64	T
May 24	78	58	0.02
May 25	78	58	0.02

Total precipitation so far this year, 7.20 inches.

Popular Resort Hotel In Mineral Wells Has New Manager

Dallas, May 24—Leo F. Corrigan, President of The Crazy Hotel, Mineral Wells, said today that Fred Brown became manager of the famed resort hotel on May 24.

Brown, well known hotel executive and Mineral Wells civic worker, has been connected with the Baker Hotel of Mineral Wells for 15 years. He resigned as Director of Public Relations, Sales and Advertising.

"Mineral Wells business men tell me that we could not have selected a man with a keener interest in the welfare of their city," Mr. Corrigan said. "His record of achievement on behalf of Mineral Wells is widely known. And since The Crazy Hotel is an important part of community life, as all hotels are, we know that both the community and The Crazy Hotel will be better off as a result of this appointment."

"From the beginning The Crazy Hotel has specialized in mineral baths and the use of mineral water and hydro-therapy treatments," Brown said. "Throughout the years it has been the destination of thousands seeking to preserve or restore health."

"The fine tradition of service which built The Crazy Hotel will be followed and enlarged upon," he said. "Texans, and others, will have the benefits of these health facilities at popular prices."

Beginning at the age of eight, Brown suffered with rheumatoid arthritis and it was largely because of this trouble he moved to Mineral Wells. From a job as laundry truck driver he soon advanced to laundry manager of the Baker Hotel Bath Department.

Because he has cultivated a faculty for remembering names and people, Brown is one of the most widely acquainted men in the Texas hotel fraternity.

Brown has twice served as President of the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce. He is a member of the Board of the First Christian Church of Mineral Wells, a director and member of the Executive Committee of the Brazos River Authority, and a vice-president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

He is a member of many other organizations, including the State Democratic Executive Committee, the Public Relations Society of America, the Dallas and National

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A native of Coleman County, Brown was reared in Mitchell County, and worked in his father's bank at Lorraine. He was vice-president of the Eastland National Bank for five years.

Heart O' Texas Fair Fits into Double Circuit for Exhibitors

Waco, May 24—Because the Heart O' Texas Fair this year will fit into a double circuit of exhibitions, the Waco fair will be the focal point of show herds converging from both directions.

Othel M. Neely, executive vice president, believes the Heart O' Texas Fair will have the largest and finest array of livestock to be seen anywhere in Texas this summer or fall, except the State Fair of Texas itself.

And many of the entries showing here will proceed from Waco to the State Fair. The Heart O' Texas Fair overlaps Dallas by one day but entries here which have to be in Dallas will be allowed to

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On the western circuit, an exhibitor can show at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo, then at the Texas-Oklahoma Fair in Iowa Park or the Panhandle-South Plains Fair in Lubbock, and then come to Waco. On the eastern circuit, an exhibitor can show at the East Texas Fair in Tyler, the Cen-Tex Fair in Temple and the Corsicana Livestock Show or the Gregg County Fair in Longview, each of which overlaps Waco by one day, releases can be obtained a day early in order for entries to be in place on opening day of the Heart O' Texas.

To house the big array of fine animals expected, a new livestock building will be in readiness. Construction is proceeding at a good pace on the pre-fabricated structure of galvanized, corrugated sheet iron. The Livestock Building is 300 feet square and is designed

especially for summer and early fall shows.

Ralph Russell, manager of the Waco Chamber of Commerce agricultural department, will be general superintendent and George Logan, assistant vice president and agriculturist of the First National Bank of Waco, will be livestock superintendent. Russell was livestock superintendent at the first fair, a year ago, and Logan was in charge of livestock sales. Assistant livestock superintendent will be Jim Simons of Waco, agriculturist of the Texas Power & Light Company.

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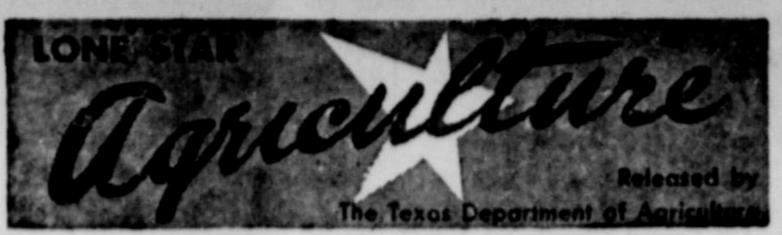
For County Judge: W. E. (GENE) TATE H. B. (BUSS) GORDON (Re-Election)

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

For County Treasurer: MISS PAT SECREST (Re-Election)

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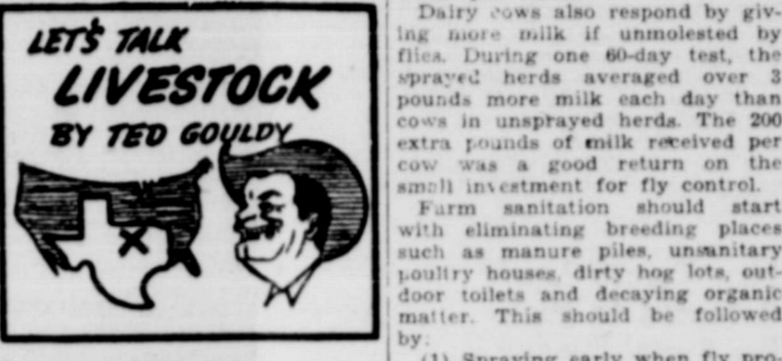
For Constable, Precinct 3: CLARENCE JACKSON



By John C. White, Commissioner

Start Fly Control Program Early

Neither strict sanitation nor a spray program alone can eliminate the costly nuisance of the common fly. Instead, a sound fly control program must be a combination of both practices.



Cowmen Putting Culls In The Bank Early

A definite trend to early Summer cattle marketing has developed in recent weeks, and on Monday the evidence of this situation was very clear. Cowmen are culling their herds earlier than usual in all of Texas' major cow country.

The day's cattle and calves numbered 8,000, the biggest day's offering since last November. The run included the smallest supply of grainfed beef this year, and the percentage of aged cows and bulls in the run was the largest since last fall.

The cows came from all major cow-and-calf operating areas. Typical were the \$14.50 down from Charles H. Featherston of Wichita Falls, these cows off his Jefferson County, Oklahoma ranch near Ad-dington, and Loco, north of Red River. Dozens of loads and smaller lots of aged cows came from the valleys of the Brazos, the Navasota, the Trinity and the Sabine Rivers as well as the country drained by the Colorado. The principal cow sections of North and North West Texas also were represented, but in somewhat smaller numbers than the others on Monday.

Cowmen have several reasons for the early marketing of culled cows and bulls. First, they feel that prices early may be better than those later in the year. Second, they feel that it will help their grass to get these old cows and dry cows and bulls off early. Their grass will build better sod and produce more seed and if Summer rains help it along, the ravages of the drought will be wiped out sooner if they are lightly stocked.

Third, many of them have larger than usual numbers of young cows and heifers coming along and need the grass for them.

On Monday, drylot grainfed steers and yearlings of good and choice kinds were fully steady, some heavy yearlings stronger. Grassy heifers and yearlings, especially plainer kinds, 50 cents to \$1 lower. Cows were mostly 50 cents off, some fat cows off more. Bulls steady to 50 cents lower.

Strictly good and choice slaughter calves steady, others weak to 50 cents lower. Choice stockers scarce and mostly steady. Plainer stockers around \$1 lower, some common kinds off more.

Lambs Lower Again Meat Trade Blamed Fat Spring lambs lost 50 cents to \$1 at Fort Worth Monday and shorn lambs were around \$1 lower. Older sheep sold about in line with last week's dose. Breeding ewes were finding good outlets when they were suitable aged and had quality.

Reports late last week from the Eastern Seaboard told of sizeable supplies of lamb that was rather poor condition and had to be sold under distress conditions there. There was also some talk that quantities of lamb there would have to be taken to freezers because outlets were clogged.

This situation might last from a few days to a week or more. Usually such a temporary situation clears up in a week or less, and by then prices should be more stable.

Hogs Steady As Corn Belt Supply Larger Hogs were unable to gain on the opening session of the week at Fort Worth as several thousand more hogs were reported around the major market circle. Largest numbers, as usual, were at Corn Belt points.

Top at Fort Worth was \$27, sows at \$20 to \$23.

Hog prices eased lower at all points after midweek of the previous week. This occurrence followed development of consumer resistance to pork prices. A week ago pork loin prices were reported the highest on some markets in the East in several years. This brought about the break at mid-week that left swine prices at low ebb starting off this week.

Top prices at Fort Worth Monday: fed steers and yearlings, \$23.25; fat cows, \$14.50; fat calves, \$22.50; stocker calves, \$22; stocker steer yearlings, \$21; stocker cows, \$15.50; butcher hogs, \$27; sows, \$23; Spring lambs, \$23; shorn fat lambs, \$17.25; slaughter ewes, \$6; feeder Spring lambs, \$16.50; feeder weaner shorn lambs, \$15; ewes, to \$17.

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Edgar Bradley Will Study Driver Education Under NTSC Award

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available to Texas high school driver education teachers under a \$5,000 grant given to NTSC last month by the Allstate Foundation.

Services Held Tuesday At Iredell Church For H. G. Mitchell

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. from Iredell Baptist Church for Henry Grady Mitchell, who passed away at Galveston on Monday.

Mrs. Teresa Lowry Returned to Hico For Burial Sunday

Services were held here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Mrs. Teresa Lowry, who passed away at her residence in San Angelo on Friday.

FATHER AND SON BATTLE IN GOLF TOURNEY FINALS

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meador and sons, Connie and Eddie Dean, spent last week end in Denver City with their daughter and sister.

OUT-OF-TOWN VISITORS ATTEND AKIN FUNERAL

Among the relatives and friends from out of town who attended funeral services here Monday, May 17, for Alce Lloyd E. Akin were the following:

Iredell Ex-Principal, Now Baylor Dean, To Address Seniors

W. C. Perry, Dean of Men at Baylor University, will address the senior class of Iredell High School, this evening (Friday) on the occasion of their commencement exercises.

J. D. Partain Is New President of Band Parents Club

At a recent meeting of the Hico Band Parents Club, J. D. Partain was named president to succeed Mrs. Fred Red Harris.

ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES FOR J. C. BLACKBURN

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends here to attend funeral services for J. C. Blackburn Thursday of last week were the following:

Latin Americans Plan To Improve Herds by Importing U. S. Cattle

The State Fair of Texas Pan-American goodwill party returned from a flying tour of Panama, Ecuador, Colombia, Venezuela and Cuba with news of extensive plans by individuals and governments of those nations to purchase millions of head of purebred cattle in the United States.

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