

Now that the singing and shouting is over maybe we can all settle down and enjoy a nice peace- ficers were named to carry out tion are to have every business will be given away. ty Hospital issue which readers ed what readers outside the county think about us, as it seems that we're continually in some kind of squabble over something.

This issue, in past years, has caused a great deal of hard feel- cers are expected to take office ings among otherwise peaceful citizens, and we feel that it is high

posed to be. a majority of the citizens of Ham- tution and by-laws for the new High School Auditorium. ilton County have plainly shown that they want no part of such sue are genuine in their sincerity that added hospital facilities are needed in places where they are now inadequate, they will try to do something about it without asking the entire citizenship of the county to help them with their financial plan.

There seems to be only one answer to their problem-that is public subscription for a sufficient amount of funds and build their facilities the way they want them. It has worked remarkably well in other places, and there is no reason why it shouldn't be a good plan for this particular case.

Naturally the citizens of Hico have been-and will be-opposed to any such plan as has been presented in the past, if for no other reason than that they now have adequate hospital facilities, which were provided for and by the people of this area.

Our hospital was operated very successfully under the watchful eve of an excellent management until three years ago when citizens voted to make a municipal operation out of the present set-up. Since that time the hospital has continued to prosper, with the City tion, the story would perhaps have to be told in a much different

and by the same token it will prob- cap. er margin than in the past. We the first round of action with hope that the issue is now a closed Cranfills Gap and Pottsville boys matter, and that the good people playing the opener; Cranfills Gap of the county can forever be at and Pottsville girls in the second

peace with their fellowman. Only one other thing—the vote boys game. shows that the couny isn't being Thursday night there was to be ers, since the tabulation revealed boys against the winner of the that 53 per cent voted against Pottsville-Cranfills Gap game. Two the issue. Furthermore, citizens of games in the consolation bracket, this area certainly don't feel like one boys and one girls, was also they are "tail-enders." They simp- to be played. ly dislike to see their tax dollars Friday, tonight, semi-finals in spent in an unwise manner.

New Civic Club Formed By Hico Men Last Week

fessional men of Hico met last meeting. The constitution was Wednesday at Maxine's Cafe for presented to prospective members the purpose of forming a new at a similar meeting held this service club. The club will be week, for approval and final ac- Christmas Bonus Days will be a consolidation of the Hico Lions tion will be taken next Wednes- held Saturday, December 15, at and the Chamber of Commerce. day.

Ellis Randals, secretary. A nom- Lions and Chamber of Commerce, these last two days. inating committee will select of- Every business and professional meeting in December. New offi- ship in the new organization. the first week in January.

Plans of the new organization RECITAL DECEMBER 17 time we begin to act like the call for weekly meetings, which Mrs. E. B. Fellers will present adult people that we are sup- will be held each Wednesday noon her tap dance and piano students at the cafe.

Twenty-four business and pro- club was also named at the first

MRS. FELLERS TO PRESENT

in a recital Monday night, Decem-For the third time in eight years A committee to draw up consti- ber 17, at 7:30 p.m. at the Hico

an institution as has been proposed, and if proponents of the is-

What would you think if you should happen to walk upon a spot in a heavily wooded area and found what looked like a murder had been committed on the spot?

That's exactly what happened to Bill Boyd this week,

While walking in a pasture at their ranch south of town Monday afternoon, Bill found where some person or persons had been chained to a tree, and all the evidence was there that foul play had been committed. Adhesive tape was found strewn over the ground, chains were still attached to the tree bearing locks, and on the tape was human hair and other substances which could have been blood.

Boyd called Sheriff Woody Young of Hamilton, who came over to investigate the findings, and he in turn called Texas Ranger Charlie Miller of Comanche and Ranger George Roach of Stephenville.

After a thorough investigation, the officers determined that early last Spring a group of Baylor University students had brought a similar group of freshman from Baylor to this vicinity, chained them to the tree, and left them to get home however they could. The officers, like Boyd, were at first concerned over their findings, but were relieved to have the case solved without finding that foul play had been committed.

First Bonus Be Saturday

3:30 p.m. First prize of \$75.00 in At the meeting, temporary of Tentative plans of the organiza- cash, and second prize of \$25.00

ficers to serve during the ensuing man or individual in Hico has an will come Monday. December 24, election. A total of 2971 votes were 529 votes were recorded in the loyear, between now and the last invitation to apply for member- when three prizes will be distributed to lucky ticket holders. The proposal, which called for against the issue numbered 59, and First prize that day will be \$100.00 the issuance of bonds in the it is presumed that a large perin cash, second \$25.00, and third amount of \$150,000, was defeated centage of them were from the

In publishing the names of participating merchants in last week's issue of the News Review, Maxine's Cafe was inadvertently omitted POST OFFICE WILL BE OPEN from the list, but the eating estab- SATURDAY AFTERNOONS lishments is participating in the distribution of tickets.

Last year the drawings drew large number of shoppers to Hico, and similar crowds are expected to gather for each of the four days this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Ogle were Saturday guests in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ogle.

Drawing Will County Bond Issue The first drawing of Hico's Christmas Bonus Days will be held Saturday, December 15, at LOSES FOR Third Time

Problems will all be little ones. Of course we're referring to the Country to the could be elected. D. E. Bulloch club. The group also intends to lowed by a third on Saturday, Dec- county would issue bonds for the election. In 1948 the proposal was have heard so much about in the past 30 days. We've often wonder
M. I. Knudson, vice-president, and jects which were carried on by the purpose of building a County Hospital based as on purpose of building a County Hospital based as on purpose of building a County Hospital based as on purpose of building a County Hospital based as on purpose of building a County Hospital based by a 262-vote margin.

M. I. Knudson, vice-president, and jects which were carried on by the line first day will be awarded on pital. One of the largest votes every line and characteristics are proposal was defeated by a 262-vote margin. er recorded in an election of this record number to voice their op-Climax to the free giveaway type was cast in the Thursday inion in the election. A total of

cal box. Absentee votes cast by a margin of 221 votes. Percent- north end of the county. age-wise, this margin topped the Of the 529 votes cast locally,

Postmaster R. B. Jackson announced this week that, as a convenience to the public, the post office would remain open on Saturday afternoon, December 15 and 22.

Mr. Jackson said that move was being made to better handle the large run of Christ-

Two Resign Positions At Local School

only seven were for the issue.

In the 1955 election, Hico voters

polled 381 votes against the is-

sue, while 28 voted for the prop-

osition. The difference in the two

votes was attributed to last year

met Monday night in a called session at the Elementary School Buried Here Sunday lunchroom.

ner that was served in the lunchroom by the employees.

Mrs. Jack Barnett, second grade man, passed away at Prichard, teacher, and that of Mrs. Joe B. Alabama last Thursday. Taylor, sixth grade teacher. Mrs. He is survived by his widow, effective December 21, and she also of Hico. will move to Burnet with her hus- Serving as pallbearers were Robband and son. Rev. Taylor has ac-

Baptist Church. Mrs. Wayne Ruledge has ac- shel Sherrard. First Baptist Church, has tend- cepted the position as second ered his resignation, effective grade teacher. Mrs. Rutledge re-Sunday, December 17. Rev. Taylor ceived her B. A. degree at TSCW Tax Officer Will Visit In Thursday night's game, Queta cepted the pastorate of Burnet to qualify in elementary education.

> Hico, has been hired to replace venience to local taxpayers. Mrs. Taylor in the sixth grade. sity, and has taught at Cranfills taxes paid in December.

At the same meeting, Wayne AIRMAN RETURNS TO BASE Hico defeated a fighting Turn- one-half years in Hico. Additions Rutledge resigned from the school Airman Don Eakins returned to

Another drawing is scheduled citizens of Hamilton County turn- percent. The issue was defeated The voting by boxes went as

ollows:				
	For - Against			
Hamilton	368	112		
Hamilton	278	58		
Hamilton	318	62		
Gentry Mill	12	10		
Ohio	29	15		
Shive		66		
Fairview	13	64		
McGirk	11	25		
Aleman	24	58		
Evergreen	18	1		
Jonesboro	13	39		
Lanham		28		
Fairy		102		
Hico	7	522		
Indian Gap	15	45		
Carlton	9	121		
Goar		48		
Evant	4	26		
Olin		32		
West Point	15	21		
Mustang	8	13		
Pottsville	81	57		
Rock House	5	12		
Absentees	76	59		
TOTAL	1375	1596		

Members of Hico School Board Charlie Mack Casey, 45,

Final rites were conducted Sun-The board and their wives en- day afternoon, Dec. 9, at Barrowjoyed their annual Christmas dinley Mack Casey, 45, of Fort Worth, with Rev. Rance Forson officiat-At the business session the ing Burial was in Hico Cemetery. board accepted the resignation of Mr. Casey, who was a car sales-

Barnett, who has taught in the Mrs. Lorraine Casey of Fort local school for the past two years, Worth; one daughter, Mrs. Sherry will leave at Christmas to join Jo Waggoner of Fort Worth; one her husband, Pvt. Barnett, who son, W. M. Casey of Fort Worth; is stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C. a sister, Miss Bessie Casey of Mrs. Taylor's resignation will be Hico; and a brother, Alvin Casey,

t Hunter, Glen Higginbotham, cepted the pastorate of the Burnet Milton Rainwater, Pete Keller, Richmond Herrington and Her-

Billy G. Wood, county tax assessor-collector, will be in Hico next Mrs. O. H. Brummett of Route 3. Wednesday, December 19, as a con-

Wood will be at the City Hall, Mrs. Brummett received her Mas- from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. A 1 ter's degree from Baylor Univer- per cent discount is allowable on

board. The local board will fill Lackland Air Force Base in San Saturday night. Jerre Dunklin with 38 being by baptism and 45 this vacancy by an appointment, Antonio Saturday following a thirscored 59 points during the Fairy by letter. The budget has increas- to be effective for the remainder ty-day convalescent leave here tourney and Anna Lee Luckie got ed from \$9,900.00 to \$16,200.00 an- of Mr. Rutledge's unexpired term. with his mother, Mrs. Guy Eakins.

Hico Tourney In Progress: of Hico receiving invaluable free management of the institution. But without this free administra-

the championship bracket for both

The Hico Invitation Basketball boys and girls will be held, as, In the Fairy tourney the Hico has been pastor of the Hico church in Denton, and also attended Tar-Tourney got underway Tuesday will the finals in the girls consola- girls first defeated Fairy 59-29. since August 1, 1954. He has ac- leton State College last summer Hico Wednesday It has been-and always will night with three games being play- tion bracket. be—a treasured asset to our town. ed. Fairy and Morgan girls met On Saturday night the boys conBurgan dropped two free pitches First Baptist Church, and he and She has had previous teaching experjence in Collin County. Chances are that this issue will in the first game; Iredell and solation winner will be teterminconfront the residents of Hamil- Morgan boys in the second; and ed in the first game, with the through the hoop in the final five shortly after Christmas

ilton County again in the future, Hico and Iredell girls in the night tourney champions for girls and seconds of play to give Hico a Mrs. Taylor has also resigned ably meet defeat by an even great- Wednesday saw completion of two games of the tourney.

gets underway at 6:30 p.m. Much completely out-played during the standing record and contribution Gap for the past fifteen years. good basketball is expected as final period. several fine teams will be displaygame; followed by the Hico-Fairy ing their wares in an effort to bag one of the six trophies offered. Trophies will be awarded to the run by a 17 per cent of the vot- three games, including Valley Mills first, second and consolation win-

> games on Tuesday and Wednesday All starters on the boys and have increased from \$1,100.00 to nights. Lee Porter of Glen Rose girls teams showed well as did \$2,000.00 annually. referee the final games.

port of local fans by carting off January and February. both first place trophies in the Fairy tournament which was held

The Hico boys gave every indicapearance they lost a thriller to recently moved here from Abilene, second game of last week they Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Baker, and trict 16 Executive Board; member beat Iredell easily 51-39. On Saturassumed management Monday. the capable coaching of Ray Tay-

Iredell and Turnersville to gain side until a few days before set- bear the UL tag denoting Under- nated in the second round of the beriake. sent their efforts.

boys being determined in the final 39-38 win over a fine Iredell team. her position as Sixth Grade teach-Hico built up a good lead during er in Hico Elementary School. The first game each evening the first three quarters, but was Rev. Taylor has made an out-

Mrs. Rennie Timberlake, who

place trophy to Hico for the second year in a row, The boys are Shirley May, a second grader. Her Funeral Services Held previous experience includes man- In California For

It's best to keep the tree out- wires are in good condition and years. Not since they were eliminew features added by Mrs. Timin Foresthill.

This will keep it moist and fresh. Frayed electric cords, the board a trophy of some kind to repre- plan to continue their residence E. and Paul of Foresthill, and Jack competicion, but due to the early will begin appearing over the enhere for the present time.

his family expect to move there perience in Collin County.

to the church during his two and ersville team 42-36 in the finals to the church have totalled 83, nuafly, and Missions offerings

worked Thursday, and will call some of the replacements. Hico ford of Tarleton State College will who will entertain our visitors for Taylor's pastorate, at a cost of a full 32 minutes of play. See some \$4,500.00, and only \$1,250.00 reof the tournement games, as well mains to be payed on this prop-

izations in the church have been

Other activities engaged in by Rev. Taylor were: Moderator of Mrs. Timberlake, a native of tee; District 16 Royal Ambassador citing 48-47 win to bring the first Hico, is the daughter of Mrs. R. Leader; and member State Train- artistic Christmas scenes and 144 or 147 so that the judges will

A display advertisement on Page James Fetzer Swilling, 78, in For-Also use only electric lights, first place in the Fairy tourna- 6 of this issue announces the esthill, Calif., November 22, Mr. ond, \$5.00. what can you do about the tree? never candles. Be sure, too, that ment for the second time in three change of management, and the Swilling passed away November 20 Best Door (one prize) \$5.00.

some of the replacements. Hico The church has also acquired Lighting Committee Appeals to Residents to Decorate Homes

The First Baptist Church in around the corner and many resi- decorations were disqualified by Hico was the only 5-star church dences are beginning to take on not having their lights on each in the Hamilton County Baptist a festive air with gay wreaths and night of the contest. Having con-Mrs. Timberlake Is New Association the past year. Organ- Christmas trees shining. Monday sidered these things the lighting increased and enlarged during busy stringing Christmas lights considerably on main street, and the FFA boys Any resident living within one erected a huge Christmas tree in mile of City Hall is eligible to be the center of town.

ber of Commerce

ed in three divisions:

deadline for entering, they were tire town.

The Christmas holidays are just disqualified. Also many worthy morning found the city employees committee has changed the rules

judged and no entry fee is re-The Chrismas Lighting Commit- quired. The only requirement is tee of the Garden Club is urging for those persons living outside everyone to help give Hico a cheer- the City who wish to have their ful and bright appearance with displays entered. They should call

Club, the lighting contest offers The judging will take place durcash awards totalling \$42.50, with ing the week of Dec. 18 through \$35.00 provided by the Hico Cham- Jan. 1. Though you do not have to burn your lights every night The prize money will be award- it is necessary that your lights be on the, night of the judging, Best Outside-1st, \$15.00; second, which is undisclosed.

Mrs. Ellis Randals, chairman of Best Window-1st, \$7.50; sec- the committee, suggests that lights be turned on at 6 p.m. until 9. There you have it. It's not too In previous years there has allate to start planning, and it is Mr. Swilling was a brother-in- ways been a number of homes hoped that this year will be the ting it up. During that time oc- writers' Laboratories, which shows state tourney at Waco in 1954 have Mr. and Mrs. Baker have not law of O. W. Hefner Sr. of Hico. with decorations that would merit brightest ever in Hico. From now casionally throw water over it. they have been tested for safety. the local girls failed to bring home announced their future plans, but Survivors include three sons, James consideration if entered in the until Christmas gay colored lights

Hico Firemen List Safety Measures for Brighter Holiday Fairy tour last week. "Fires across the nation have cut the butt slantwise to open tion of being the strongest team Manager of Polar Bear

dren eagerly awaiting the excite- this process is ineffective. ment and gifts of Christmas."

pen again this year?

such tragedies often occur around radiator, or electric bulbs.

it's filled with pitch and resin— of borax and four ounces of boric cutive time as they defeated Fairy, of experience in the business. among the most combustible sub- acid. stances known.

killed 23 persons, most of them the pores, then stand it in a tub the locals have had in several children on the eve of the Christ- of water. Be wary of chemicals or years. In their first tourney apmas holiday celebration. All but other substances sold for "fire-10 of the fire victims were chil- proofing" trees. In some cases Fairy by a score of 51-46. In their has leased the Polar Bear from

In placing the tree, avoid "hot That was last year. Will it hap- spots," such as those near the day night Hico avenged its earlier And the saddest thing is that fireplace, stove, television set.

the Christmas holiday sometimes Never use untreated paper oreven around the Christmas tree naments or untreated cotton batitself-at the happiest time of the ting or gauze for decoration. Cotton and gauze can be made flame- lor. fiercely and so rapidly is because of water mixed with nine ounces of boric it's filled with pitch and resin— of borax and four ounces of boric

When you bring the tree inside, points out, are a fire hazard.

The local teams earned the sup- as the games to be played during erty.

Rev. Joe B. Taylor, Pastor, First Baptist Church, Resigns

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Rev. Taylor's pastorate.

County Association; member Dis-District 16 Encampment Commit-

James F. Swilling

Funeral services were held for \$10.00.

W. of Arlington, Wash.

DUFFAU

Mrs. A. L. Flowers and children of Stephenville spent Sunday with kins recently. during the Thanksgiving holidays Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flowers family, Charlie Riggins and Diana and with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stella Dennis of Wink. Mrs. E. G. Shaffer in Hico.

proud parents of a daughter, and children visited in the home Sunday Sharon Elaine, who was born at of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan the Hico Hospital November 29. and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and Sunday. sons visited in the home of Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Loys Landes hon

Mrs. Hershel Head and daughter group. Carolyn of Ireden visited with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Fouts and

Visitors in the home of Mr. and 1 Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and Dale

and Mrs. W. C. Urwin Thursday ored their son, Larry, 9 years old, with a birthday party Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Dub Howard and night. Games were played, re family of Granbury and Mr. and freshments were served to the

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. tin and family recently,

W. C. Fouts during the week end. HOMERALLOWS Mrs. J. R. Lawrence and children and Mrs. Cliff Holt and chil-

and Mr. Tom Elkins of Dallas visi- He died in Denver, Colo. in 1917. ted in the home of Mr. W. D. El-

Mrs. L. T. Witt during the week of Durant, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Renee Shaffer spent Saturday end were Mr. Sam Witt Jr. of California and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Witt and Anada visited in the Mr. and Mrs. Odis Hill are the Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rogers home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Witt

> Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blackburn moved to their new home in Hico the past week. We regret losing horse, Isham, which the Colonel

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sessom spent Sunday afternoon in Gustine.

Mrs. Cliff Martin visited in Fort Worth in the home of their son Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Burgan Sun- John Willis of Fort Worth visited and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mar-

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Col. William F. Cody, better dren were business visitors in known as Bufalo Bill, American frontiersman and patriot, was Mr. Wash Elkins of Grayford born in Scott County, Iowa, in 1845. He organized his world famous wild west show in 1883. Buffalo Bill retired to his ranch to live and was reputed to be worth three million dollars. But the old spirit the sawdust arena. This time he was not so fortunate; he lost his fortune and the celebrated show went under the auctioneer's hammer. Friends came to his rescue and bid in his famous white always rode at the head of the

> notice of two continents. The newspapers printed columns of obituaries. The State of Colohis honor. He was always found on the side of right and justice. The ones who knew him best united in praising the bravery, honesty and modesty of this true product of the old west. He was a relic of the days that are gone

I well remember in 1914 he brought his world famed wild west show to Stephenville and to Dublin. I saw him ride his famed white horse around the sawdust arena. He said. "Greetings to the citizens of Erath County, etc."

In 1870 Buffalo Bill was appointed justice of the peace against his wishes. He protested he knew nothing about the written law. Two interesting and amusing episodes soon took place in his short, colorful legal career.

On the night of the day he was sworn in, he was aroused by a man who had a complaint to make. One of the man's horses had been stolen by the boss of a passing herd. He wanted a writ of replivin. Buffalo Bill said he didn't know what replivin is, but he grabbed his gun and jumped on his horse and said, "I guess this will do as well." They soon caught the horse thief. The squire hit the horse thief a few times on the seat of his pants with his quirt, collected a fine and reclaimed the horse, and declared court adjourned on the spot.

According to legend, a few days later a young couple came to Buffalo Bill to be married. He was very much disturbed, scared and embarrassed, even though he had fought many hostile Indians, outlaws and bandits.

gether, let no man tear asunder."-Homer Stephen, Stephenville, Tex

ALEXANDER

MRS. ALICE WILSON

his 80th birthday at Stephenville Dinner was served at noon, Around 70 were present for the dinner, and several visited in the afternoon Each one brought a covered dish All of his children were present, which included Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Greenway and children of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Greenway from Brownwood, Mr and Mrs. Jack Hailey and children of Cisco, his sister, Mrs. John Inabnet and husband of Rising Star. He also had several of his nieces and nephews present. Mr. Greenway received many nice gifts, and a telegram from Gov Shivers. We wish for him many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Claud Johnson of Purves visited Monday with Mrs. Truett Walker.

Visitors Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Walker were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Briscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Rix Briscoe and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ford, all of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Auther Lee Moore and daughter of Fort Worth spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sowell and daughter of Hico visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson,

Iredell Baptist Church

CHARLES RICE, Pastor JOHN TRUEBLOOD, Music Di. Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Junior Choir: 5:45 p.m. Training Union: 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m. Monday: WMU and all Auxi-

Friday: Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 .m.; Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.; Teachers' Meeting, 7:15 p.m. Youth Center open Friday, Satorday, Sunday, and Tuesday.

HICO 100F LODGE NO. 153 Meets Every Tuesday Night R. A. Herrington Jr., Noble Grand Loys Landes, Recording Secretary

rough rides. His death attracted

Then to the amazement of th assembled parties, he ended th ceremony by saying, "What God and Buffalo Bill hath joined to-

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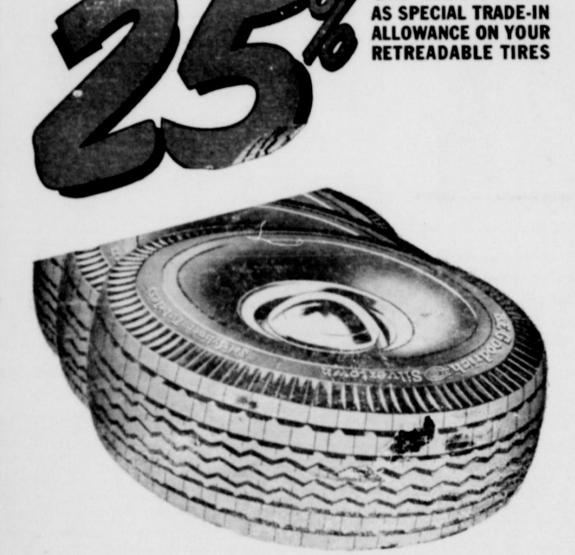
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FAIRY

the season over the week end with attack last Saturday week. easier than ever, so you can be the mercury dropping to 23 here One hundred and four votes as slim and trim as you want. This at our place. Showers were pre- were cast here in the hospital Alexander last Thursday afternew product called DIATRON dicted to accompany the cold bond election, according to re- noon. Three new members gave ton visited Sunday with Mr. and curbs both hunger & appetite. No front, but only a trace of rain fell ports. Ninety-eight of this num- their initiation duties to become Mrs. H. K. Self.

DIATRON, you still enjoy your for the basketball tournament, some, several was reported to in a zipper, while Mrs. Cora King held here last week, but despite have voted contrary to their in- baked delicious raisin pies, and the weather there was very good tentions. attendance. Hico, Iredell, Turnersville and Fairy were participants Dublin visited here Sunday in the present. in the tournament.

> Mrs. Eunice Daniel attended singing Sunday afternoon at Lund of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl will be held at the Clairette Com-

self what it can do. DIATRON is Dall's visited her parents, Mr. Mrs. Cal Lowery and children, Lu and Mrs. Frank Hanes and Mike Ann and Cal Jr. were supper

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Driver of Grand Prairie spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wolfe. Mrs. Driver is still Hico visited last Sunday week with a patient at the Clifton Hospital and was reported to be some bet-

We had our coldest weather of ter. She suffered a severe heart BUSY BEE CLUB MEETS

The weather was disagreeable since the ballot was confusing to a clever speech on the way to sew

home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Marty Haire and their families. their father, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel. present.

Mrs. Gladys Cox attended the opening at the Patty's sewing Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Butler of with Mrs. Maida Christian. Mr. and Mrs. J. McVickers.

stalks destroyed, as the deadline for destruction is December 15. Mrs. Brittie Little, who has been visiting in the home of her sister- daughter, born December 7 to Mr. in-law, Mrs. Myrtle Dickerson near and Mrs. T. L. Thompson of Fort Hico, since Tuesday of last week | Worth, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson ding shower Friday night, given in and Mrs. Gladys Cox were shop- honor of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny ping in Fort Worth Tuesday.

E. M. Hoover and Mrs. Brittle shower. pital where she had been since night. early in October, following serious They stated she is able to sit up freezing last Saturday night. and get around in the home with W. T. Stamford, who is spend and can walk with the aid of the Thompson.

visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Friday night in the Fieldon and Mrs. Bill Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham and W. E. Goyne, Bill Lackey and Venus met her parents, Mr. and ald. Mrs Cunningham there, and ac- Miss Gwendolyn Jackson of companied them home for a week- Grand Prairie spent the week end

Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie J. T. Jackson.

CLAIRETTE

The Busy Bee Sewing Club mem- Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. bers met in the home of Mrs. Hub Travis Culver and son of Dublin. ber were against the issue and members. Mrs. Opal Smith gave Mrs. Alexander baked chocolate Mr, and Mrs. D. E. Allison of chip cookies to serve to those

The membership discussed the Ed Allison, and also in the home Christmas party and supper which Ray Sellers, Carolyn anl Jimmie munity Center Thursday night, December 13, for the members and

Mrs. Alexander entertained the members with games, and a reguests Sunday in the home of freshment plate was served to 15

room at Hamilton last Saturday. have the next meeting January 3,

The Club also voted to observe only one Thanksgiving next year Most farmers have their cotton the last Thursday in November.

> Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson received word of a new grand

A good crowd attended the wad-Haley, who were recently married Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wolfe, Mrs. The Baptist Church sponsored the

Little visited a while Monday aft- Bobby Boone and Mitchell May ernoon with Mrs. H. R. Brummett, field attended the 8th grade parwho was returned home last Sat- ty at the home of Mr. and Mrs. arday week from the Clifton Hos- Clarence Watson in Hico Friday

injuries received in a car accident. running the temperature down to

the aid of a walker, which has ing the winter in Brownwood with been secured for her. She can sit his daughter, Mrs. Jennie Huffdown in the walker and use her pouir and her husband, spent the feet to pull her over the house, week end with Mr. and Mrs. Artie

Mrs. Butch Graeter and little Mr. and Mrs. Ovie Brummett daughter of Waco spent Friday Haley home. Sunday visitors were

Sherman Roberson of Hico at- visited Sunday in Fort Worth in tended Grand Lodge at Waco Wed- the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elzie nesday, Thursday and Friday of Parks and Carolyn Ruth, and Mr. last week. Mrs. Bob Frederick of and Mrs. Milford Miller and Ron-

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. Dow Self and sons of Carl-

Killeen visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Birl Hav-

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Willis of Henrietta visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Willis, recently.

Rev. and Mrs. Roline Chaney of Fort Worth spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rich-

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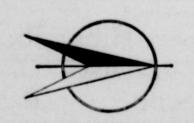






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Mrs. J. C. Willis and daughters, Belinda and Shirley of La Marque are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Richbourg attended open house at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackburn in Hico Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Willis and Those visiting the C. D. Richsons, Ray and Mike and daughter bourgs Monday were Make John-Nan, of Lubbock spent Thanksgiv- son of Hico, and on Wednesday, ing with his parents, Mr. and Mrs Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lacy of Weath-

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ASST. EDITOR REGGIE ELLIS

Jerre Dunklin, Reggie Ellis, Va- entire ball game and playing as lorie McFadden, Max Burden, well as they did. Shelia Partain, Maxidene Luckie and Betty Drake.

GOOD WORK, KIDS!

Thursday night at the most exciting game in the Fairy tournament the Hico girls defeated Irelast five seconds, Queta Burgan won the ball game for us by sink- in the finals, 48-47. Sherril Kirk ing the ball twice at the free was high point scorer in this throw line. The ball game was game with 21 points. fought on through the finish with Jerre Dunklin scoring 16 points

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tinued when time expires.

Hico, Texas, Friday, Déc. 14, 1956. Don't we, girls?

In Advance. Paper wil be discon-

.... BONNIE JOHNSON | and Queta Burgan scoring 13. We were very proud of our three little forwards, the other being REPORTERS: Sherry Lane, Anna Lee Luckie, for playing the

As Saturday night came along just look who picked up the beautiful first place trophies at Fairy. Everyone knows that it was Hico. In their last ball game Saturday night Hice girls beat Turnersville by 6 points. Jerre Dunklin was dell 39-38. Hico's eyes widened high scorer with 19 points, and and their lips curved as in the Anna Lee Luckie scored 17 points. The Hico boys defeated Fairy

H-H-S HOMEMAKING III GIRLS HAVE LUNCHEON

came from the homemaking cot- 32-14, with Neil Ellis leading in tage looking somewhat pale. They points with 5. Baker.

May 10, 1907, at the post office at noon meal. The meal that was derful time. They are Mrs. Pat-Hico, Texas, under the Act of served was Swiss steak, green terson, Mrs. Little and Mrs. Blue. beans, candied sweet potatoes, we also appreciate the Watsons combination fruit and vegetable for all of their help in making salad, hot rolls, apple pie and the party a success. We missed vanilla ice cream for dessert. Even the class members who were not though we didn't feel well, we all able to attend. Everyone had a

It seems after three years you One Year \$2.50 Six Months \$1.35 should know how to cook, girls. QUALIFIED FOR NATIONAL Apparently we haven't made much MERIT SCHOLARSHIP progress.

been seen since our meal. We Merit Scholarship as a result of luncheon.

CONTEST RULES

1. Any resident within 1 mile of Hico City

2. No entry fee or formal entry is required.

3. Judging will take place sometime between

4. If lights are off on the night of the judging,

entry will be disqualified from winning.

December 18 and January 1. Lights must

All lighted houses will be judged.

stay on until 9 p.m. each night.

Hall is eligible.

JUNIOR HIGH NEWS

The Eighth Grade class placed resented. for Christmas.

The Seventh and Eighth grades P-TA meeting Monday night. The house Science Talent Search. program was entitled "The Great Light." It was a Christmas story taken originally from the Bible Bobby Boone read the scriptures. Neil Ellis was Joseph and Linda Patterson was Mary. Tommy Cain. Mitchell Mayfield, Rondy Giesecke were the shepherds. Montye Ogle, Ray Bright and Robert Reed were boys and girls sang in the choir Shelia Partain played the piano.

The Eighth grade is proud to say that we won the prize for the highest attendance of parents. Tuesday night our Junior High Basketball teams played Stephenville here. The girls lost by the score of 38-29 with Kay Yocham leading in points with a total of There were several girls who 12. The boys lost by a score of

Friday night the eighth grade were Sherry Lane, Bonnie John- had their class party at Mr. Watson, Doris Jordan, Joan Boone, son's home. First we played games Mariletha Churchill and Louise then had refreshments and later watched television. We want to These girls have had an after- thank our room-mothers for a wonwonderful time.

H-H-S

ed to the upper 10 per cent of Cozby and Charles Stipe.

the contestants in the schools rep-

a Christmas scene on the Hico Jerry will take the final test ships is conducted annually by girls are really playing ball! Elementary building Monday aft- in Fort Worth on January 12. The Science Clubs of America, admin- Again I am looking farther in The presentation will be direct. ernoon. There is Santa Claus and winners will receive a 4-year istered by Science Service. The to the future. I see a fashion de- ed by John Trueblood, minister his reindeer sitting there all ready scholarship to the college of their purpose of the search is to dis- signer doing very well in New of music. choice.

had charge of the program at is also preparing for the Westing-

H-H-S CHRISTMAS AROUND OUR SCHOOL

Twas the day before Christmas And all around school Not a person was stirring

Not even the fool. Mrs. Angell had put her board away

And Mr. Cook his pen And Mr. Chandler I shall not say Because it would make you gray. When all have returned

And school is resumed, There'll be racket and noises And the paddles will again boom. Mrs. Brummett will begin geometry

And work us hard And the problems she gives us They are hard as-O' Lord! Mr. Chandler will start history And we'll learn to tell

You where Louisiana is And when Napolean decided to sell.

Mrs. Angell in her English Helps us to gain Knowledge about fictional charac-

ters And all about their reign. This is the story of Christmas Around our school

Before and after Christmas Around our school,

H-H-S LOCAL STUDENTS ENTER NATION-WIDE SCIENCE TALENT SEARCH

nual Science Talent Search will be Jerry Hamrick, son of Mr. and held Tuesday, December 18, at The last time we looked around Mrs. H. D. Hamrick, has quali- Hico High School under the suschool Friday, Mrs. Burwell hadn't fied for the finals of the National pervision of Mrs. W. P. Brummett. Students taking the science apsurely hope she lives over the the recently conducted tests. The titude test will be Jerry Hamrick, tests were nation-wide and limit- Betty Drake, Andy Lackey, George

The Science Talent Search for won't believe it, but Hico is in sembles. cover and foster the education of York. The things she designs are An outstanding student, Jerry boys and girls with skill, talent, bald headed men's nightcaps. This

> in the preliminary examinations Hico High School, class of '57. will be given all-expense trips to Washington to attend the Science Talent Institute for five days ear- Iredell Baptist Church ly next spring and take the final examinations for the scholarships. One contestant will be selected the music department of the Ireby a board of judges to receive a dell Baptist Church will present Westinghouse Grand Science Scho- the story of Christmas, in music larship of \$2,800 (\$700 per year for four years). One other contestant present its choir and various enwill receive a Westinghouse scholarship of \$2,000. Eight more contestants will receive Westinghouse scholarships of \$400, and \$3,000 additional in scholarships will be awarded.

H-H-S

FHA MEETING The Hico FHA Chapter had a

meeting Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 2, in the high school auditorium A discussion was held concerning the traditional Christmas party, but no definite plans were made.

The second topic for discussion was our FHA Beau. Nominations were made and several campaign speeches later, Roy Lindscy became our chapter beau.

Bonnie Johnson and Linda Me-Lendon then gave an interesting report on the District III meeting held at Brownwood Saturday. November 17.

The meeting was adjourned shortly after the group was led Preliminary examinations in in the singing of Christmas carols by songleader, Virginia Jones. H-H-S

CRYSTAL BALL

The crystal ball is rather cloudy this week, but I'll try to see what is going to happen in the future. I see another tournament in full swing. The time is Saturday night, December 15th. Well, you

the Westinghouse Science Scholar- top place again. These boys and

and creative originality in science. famous person is-Miss Judy Hol-Forty boys and girls who lead laday, a very artistic person from

and spoken word. The church will

The public is cordially invited to attend this service of carols.

YOUTH CENTER SCHEDULE Friday, Dec. 14. 8:15 to 10:00-Mrs. Mary Webb

and Mrs. A. Carithers. Saturday, Dec. 15, 3:00 to 5:00-Music Director. 7:00 to 10:00-Pastor. Sunday, December 16. 5:00 to 6:15-Music Director. 8:30 to 9:30 Christmas Carol.

ing Fellowship.

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

Clairette H. D. Club Has Regular Meeting Friday Afternoon

The Clairette Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, December 7, at the Clairette Community Center for its regular meeting, with Mrs. Jim Edwards as hostess. Thirteen members and 3 visitors were present. Mrs. Sonny Christian joined the club as a new member.

the prayer was led by Mrs. Mc- dals attended as a guest. Guire.

The Club's annual Christmas party will be held at the com- Golden Wedding munity Center December 18th and families of all members will at- To Be Observed

Mrs. Von Scott gave a very interesting book review on the book

Mrs. Edwards served sandwiches, coffee and cake. The Clairette Community Night

Christmas program will be held at the Community Center December 21st.

REPORTER.

ENTERTAINS AT BANQUET Cherry D. Ramage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, en- ials, attractively designed and us- ly at the home of the bride's par- words of a similar meaning in tertained with dance routines at ing weather-proofed materials ents. the Meridian football banquet, teld Make selections early. last Friday night at Meridian. She is a dancing student of Mrs. Lynn Smith of Meridian.



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Mrs. Randals Entertains Church of Christ Wednesday Bridge Club Members Have Annual

Members of the Wednesday Christmas Party Luncheon Bridge Club met December 12 in the home of Mrs. Ellis Randals for their Christmas lunch-

High score was won by Mrs. Harry Hudson.

Members present were Mrs. Truman E. Roberts, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. Bill Howard, Mrs. Odis Petsick, Mrs. Christmas songs were sung, and H. V. Hedges. Mrs. Hord Ran-

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Appleby request the presence of all their friends and relatives at the observance of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. The celebration will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Appleby in Iredell from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Sunday. December 16.

CHRISTMAS

MEMORIAL WREATHS An unusual collection of Memor-

> LANE FLOWER SHOP 31-2tp.

MOVE TO STERLING CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Pat White and son, Gary, have recently moved MOVE TO CLIFTON from Hico to Sterling City where Mr. White is employed.

COUNTRY CLUB PARTY for members of the Bluebonnet end with their parents, Mr. and

urday evening. Guests were served buffet style from a table decorated in a Christ-

Hosesses were Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. Mollie Harvey, Mrs. Odis Petsick, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Appleby and Lu and Laney. Suzanne have returned to their perintendent of El Paso Schools, attended the Southern Association son. at Dallas, while his wife and daughter visited relatives in Clifton and Waco.

end were Sam Witt of Long Beach, week visit in Brady. Calif., Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Witt Anada of Duffau, Mr. and Mrs. J. of the late J. H. Baldridge. M. McNeil and Mrs. Annie Mc-Neil of Stephenville.

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Members of the Church of Christ enjoyed their annual Christmas party Thursday night, Dec. 6, at Firemen's Hall.

A basket supper was served by

the ladies of the church. The children exchanged gifts and the adults gave the price of a gift they would have exchanged as a gift to Italy, for the purpose

of purchasing Bibles. Games were played and Christmas carols were sung, with Mrs. Von Scott and Mrs. Sonny Christian in charge, Mrs. J. B. Tomlinson served as general chairman. Approximately 80 were present.

Miss Nancy Stephens And Robert Barnett Married Recently

of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Stephens keep watch over the door of my of Stephenville, and Seaman Robert Barnett were married recent- under the control of God. We read

graduating class of Hico High perfect man, able to bridle the

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnett of Fort must learn the discipline of tongue Worth, former Hico residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Burden and son Randy, recently moved to telling of lies, the practice of vi-Clifton from Waco, where they have resided for the past year. The annual Christmas dinner They visited here during the week Country Club was held last Sat- Mrs. John Golightly and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Burden.

> Mrs. Nora Thompson of De Leon visited Saturday and Sunday with

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage visit evil, full of deadly poison. With Ellis Randals and Mrs. Paul W. ted last week in Giddings with their daughter and family, Dr. and with it we curse men, who and Mrs. Al Vickers. Al Jr., Jenny

home in El Paso after visiting his Sunday guests in the nome of Appleby, who is now assistant su- their daughter and family, Mr. and it also creates turmoil within and Mrs. Hiram Smith and Alli- the heart and mind of the person

> Boyd and little daughters spent his tongue is under the control this week in Fort Worth visiting of Christ. Any person whose ton-

Mrs. Billie Thomason of Brady Ephesians we read this admoni Guests in the home of Mr. and brought her mother, Mrs. Mollie tion to the followers of Christ Mrs. S. R. Witt during the week Harvey, home Friday after a 3- "Therefore, putting away false-

and Dale and Lorean, Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Baldridge No one who is given to lying is Mrs. Billy McLendon and boys of of Abilene and Mrs. Walt Crosby under the control of Christ. Truth Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Audry of Ruidosa, N. M. were week-end ful speaking is one of the basic Robison, Joan and Teresa of Lie guests in the home of Mrs. J. H. requirements for decent living mesa, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Witt and Baldridge, Mrs. Crosby is a sister

WEATHER REPORT

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

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Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn Hold Open House In New Hico Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blackburn Dear Santa Claus: held open house in their recently I am eight years old. Would Dear Santa: built home last Saturday night, you please get me a regulation with 60 guests calling.

A Christmas motif was carried theme used in decorations on the serving table. Refreshments of cake, coffee and hot chocolate were served.

Hostesses were Mrs. Eugene Host Banquet Seago, Mrs. Lem Weeks, Mrs. John Land, Mrs. W. A. Jenkins and Mrs. B. B. Gamble and Mrs. Pete

Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn moved last week into their new home on Long Street from their farm home on Route 4. The lovely two-bed-

om home features a den, living and dining room combination, kitchen, bath and an adjoining garage. The exterior is pink with pink holiday stone trim.

TONGUE CONTROL

By MORGAN GARRETT

The psaknist knew how important it was to control the tongue. He wrote these words: "Set a Miss Nancy Stephens, daughter guard over my mouth, O Lord, lips." (Psalm 141:3). He knew that his speech would be wise if it was James 3:2. "If any one makes no Both were members of the 1956 mistakes in what he says he is a whole body also." Anyone who wishes to live a satisfying life

The person whose tongue is out of control creates much controverup controversy. Hear what James has to say about the tongue that gets out of control and speaks in this way. "The tongue is a fire. The tongue is an unrighteous ing the whole body, setting on fire the cycle of nature, and set on fire by hell . t we bless the Lord and Father, are made in the likeness of God. Fren the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brethren, this Sunday guests in the home of ought not to be so" This does

who practices it. The person who comes under the Mrs. C. H. Boyd and Mrs. Bill control of Christ will also see that Any person who wants to live with poise and confidence must get his tongue under the control of Christ

so that he will speak the truth. Anyone who wants to be backed the Lord your God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless 0.00 who takes his name in vain." (Exodus 20:7). If you think you do .00 not need the support of God for .00 victorious living just go right .00 ahead and use all the profanity, .00 the taking of the name of God in 00 vain, that you wish. But if you .00 want to be backed up by the power and love of God you must show 04 reverence to Him in your speak-

The prayer of the psalmist might well be the prayer of all persons .00 of every age. "Set a guard over my nis mouth, O Lord, keep a watch over the door of my lips."

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Letters to Santa Claus

fielder's mit and a game?

Would you please bring my baby out in decorations throughout the brother a wooden train that goes bring my presents here. home. Christmas was also the clickety clack when he pulls it

The youth of the North Gates-

Methodist Youth

ville Sub-District observed their annual Chrismas banquet last Monday night at the Hico Methodist Church. Two hundred and five persons, mostly youth, were served a delicious banquet meal by filling station, guns and holsters the women of the local church. Andy Lackey, sub-district president, was master of ceremonies for the occasion, Virginia Jones, Hico Santa. Please bring him a bone. MYF president, gave the invocation. Jim Flynn, Central Texas Conference Youth Director, led the group in singing Christmas

music. Two songs, "The First sung by six girls, Kendall Hamrick, Lynda Reed, Virginia Jones, complete doll outfit in a trunk, Judy Griffitts, Kay Jameson and an Aunt Jemima cooking set and Margaret Warren, with Mrs. a watch. Remember all of the Wayne Rutledge at the piano. Rev. James Shuler, pastor of the Methodist Church in Saginaw

brought the banquet address.

on the floor? Wishing you a Merry Christmas.

Edmund and James Glenn. Sterling City, Texas,

Dec. 8, 1956. Today is cold here and a little

rain is falling. I want you to know I am living here now so please I would like to have a pair of skates, a wrist watch, football,

Dear Santa don't forget my little nephews and nieces and little friends of Hico.

electric train, a pair of cowboy

Thanking you, I am, Gary Lynn White.

Dear Santa:

I am a good little boy five years old and I would like to have a for Christmas. Don't forget all the other little boys and girls too-Oh yes, don't forget my dog, Butch, I leve you,

Larry Driver.

For Christmas I want a little Noel," and "Silent Night" were Scarpelli 12 inch doll in an evening dress with high heels, one other little girls and boys every-

Denna Meador.

Hico Church of Christ

J. B. TOMLINSON, Minister A cordial invitation is extended to you at all times to attend the

services of this church. Schedule on Lord's Day: Bible Schoot, 10:00 a. m.

Preaching and Communion 10:45

Young People Service-6:30 p.m. Evening Worship-7:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Class, Tuesday at :00 p.m. Mid-Week Service-7:00 p.m.

Iredell Baptist Church

CHARLES RICE, Pastor JOHN TRUEBLOOD, Music Di. Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m. Junior Choir: 5:45 p.m. Training Union: 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m. Monday: WMU and all Auxi-

Friday: Choir Rehearsal, 6:30 p.m.; Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.; Teachers' Meeting, 7:15 p.m. Youth Center open Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Tuesday.

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to create the "boom", but that day now is past. Airplanes flying straight and level and faster than the speed of sound (765 miles an hour at sea level) create the phenomenon as they zip through the

For the past several years, scientists connected with the military services and the aircraft industry have conducted tests to determine the cause of the strange noise from the sky, called by many of them the "Double Whammy." They have found that the "sonic boom" is widely misunderstood and its effects exaggerated. Actually, tests have determined, the 1 a. m. boom" is mostly sound and rare-

A finding, published by the Air Force, states that "the sonic boom is heard whenever the shock waves generated by a supersonic airplane reaches the ears of a person on the ground. These waves acfaster than sound. A whip crack is a sonic boom because the tip of the whip momentarily is moving faster than sound."

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out behind and away from the Shock waves are first formed

would appear much like a cone,

with the airplane at the point, and

the balance of the wave streaming

continuously by the airplane be- be heard. yond the speed of sound. Once At first rare, "sonic booms" have strikes the ground. Originally, it sound speeds-the Navy's F8U-1 was believed that only one "boom" Crusader and F-11F Tiger and the airplane went through the sound, -are placed in military service

or sonic, barrier. Shock waves heard on the to put their craft into steep dives ground are caused by the nose and level and, in reality, are two "booms," about one-tenth of a second apart. During certain supersonic maneuvers, such as a dive and pull-out, three or four booms usually will be heard, depending

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thunder as the aircraft goes through the upon flight and atmospheric conspeed of sound and are formed ditions. At other times, none will

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Remembering my younger days, I insisted the young man take my seat so's they could be together. He hesitated at first, then finally he shrugged, grinned

and said to the girl, "Well, let's make him happy. My name's 'Ricky'. What's yours?"

From where I sit, there was no harm done that time, but jumping to conclusions can be embarrassing. In fact, it's sometimes mean and intolerant-like the way some folks jump to the conclusion a man's "wrong" to prefer a glass of beer over another beverage. Lack of facts coupled with lack of judgment introduces trouble.

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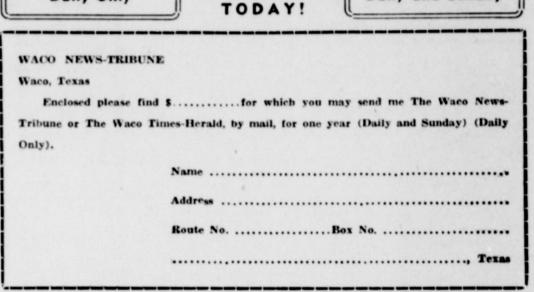
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IREDELL ITEMS

By MRS. C. A. MITCHELL

son, and Ronnie Walker of Fort Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Word and Steve Wayne of Fort Worth spent the week end here with their par-

Mrs. Emmett Manness spent the

Mrs. Myrtle Duncan spent two She is better at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sanders and FOR RENT: 8MM Movie Project-

and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Sanders FOR RENT: Electric floor polish. spent Sunday with their mother,



By John C. White. Commissioner

THE EGG BUCKET

40-tfc The egg bucket is on its way does not already have such a law, For best egg production, feed out. The once common sight of and its inauguration is certain HAMCO Feeds. Hico Grain and the farm boy using "egg wampum" to boost Texas' possibilities as a 17-tfc as a means of bartering for gro-WESTERN WAREHOUSE Com- ceries and, occasionally, "show major egg producer.

age. Rep. Lucile Mayfield, Clairette, the last 20 years has taken its toll of this and other farm traditions as farming has become less diversified and more specialized. The Dead, crippled or Worthless Stock common reason is that it simply is not worth the time, labor and feed involved to keep a few hens on the side and bring the fruits Hamilton, Texas 41-tfc of their labors to town on Satur-

> Yet a great many Texas farmers may be missing a bet for supthe possibility of using egg produc tion as a "specialized" sideline.

While the old "hen house" with a few old tottering birds is an unlikely profit maker, modern faerations can be made to turn in a nice profit. There is always a market for top-quailty eggs, and Texas consumes several times

Best way to get into a profitable egg business is to install an assembly line operation, providing for cooling, proper cleaning and Office Ph. 498 Res. Ph. 505-J regular marketing. Eggs from such a caged layer plant are not only in constant demand, but usually bring a nice premium in the market place.

For a great many of those Texas farmers who have gone out of the broiler business due to low prices, their empty houses might well be put to profitable use in egg production.

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is from Alvin.

Mr. T. M. Tidwell is very ill at the Carlton school. Worth spent the week end with this writing. Miss Vera Patterson his mother, Mrs. Raymond Davis. spent Monday evening with him.

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liam is from Texas City and Mart Jones and James of Pennington. Springs visited Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. Rosser Caudle of with Mrs. Jessie Finley. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Martin of Avoca, formerly of Carlton, spent Mr. and Mrs. Earl I. Bacon and Burleson and Mrs. Jim Blue and Thursday and Friday with her sis- son Michael are here from Trivan-Mrs. A. W. Musick and son son Grady of Hico spent Wednes- ter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. drum, India, visiting with her George and Mrs. Zella Manness day with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tid- Edgar Smith. Mrs. Caudle is the mother, Mrs. Bertha Baird. They and Mrs. Emmett Manness, Dell well, Mrs. Tidwell is some better, former Miss Valley Walton and have been in India two years and Don and Mrs. Raymond Davis Mrs. R. Y. Patterson returned Mr. Caudle is the son of the late, where Mr. Bacon is with the State home after a week's visit in San Uncle and Aunt Mary Caudle of Department out of Washington.

> Waco spent the week end with France; New York and on to San her mother, Mrs. Ophelia Upham. Antonio. They are on a world tour She accompanied them home Sun- and will leave San Antonio Janday afternoon for a visit.

ted Thursday with her daughter, drum, India. Mrs. Leo Chambers and husband. their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson. Their granddaughter, Angela Thompson, returned to her home with them

ounces, at the Clifton hospital Sowell during the week end. Wil- ers, and Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Finley and Stevie of Walnut

Antonio with her granddaughter, Carlton. Mrs. Caudle and Mrs. They left India by plane Ocober Geye attended school together in 27. On their trip home they visited in Bombay, India; Berut, Lebanon; Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Partin of Geneva, Switzerland; Paris, uary 7 for California, to Tokyo and Mrs. Tull Stroud of Dublin visi- other places and back to Trivan-

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terprising school teacher who keeps her ears open and then whom he met. The greeting was "M Bar" leads her school folks to investilong ago she took a bunch of her pupils to the haunted water hole on Greens Creek, up above Alexander. Only recently did we hear of this mysterious place on the when the weather is right and the moon in proper phase and you have keen hearing and a whole immortal, Big Foot Wallace, Inlot of imagination you may hear dian fighter and adventurer exher sad sighing. And it is report- traordinary. He settled at a cross

And speaking of odd things, a pioneers who found hog shooting newspaper story not long ago told along the creek to be especially

its very queer name from a greet-"Sholem Alechem," a Hebrew term Caudle ranch on Greens Creek, of his home told a group that interviewed him one day after the haunting the vicinity since, and it became and still is. The "Big Foot Field" in Frio County got its name from that early Texas ed that on occasion her ghost has roads when the county settled up been seen stalking through the and the name now is given the oil dark as she wept. I have not heard field, "Hog Shooter Field" in Oklathe ghostly sounds nor seen the homa got its name because the grace, and does not become a saint spectre: I am just reporting ru- creek on which it lies once was a mors that have come to my ears. favorite hunting ground for the

ing that a writer of oil field news grazed about the field in its diswas in the habit of giving those covery days that were branded

Not long ago a man gave me a gate things about which she hears. that means "Peace be with you." copy of a Primitive Baptist paper, The story reaches us that not so Then here in Texas, out in Sch- and in it was quite a list of names leicher County, is a field named, of churches of that faith. It is "Toe Nail." Its name was adopt- an interesting list. Eleven had ed for the field when a rancher these Bible names: Bethel, Bethwho had a store in the front part any, Mount Zion, Salem, Sardis, and Shiloh. And these two might be called Biblical also: Little are heard, who along with her oil discovery that he had prosper- Flock and Paradise. Then these ed because he got a "Good Toe seven followed: Fairview, Frienddays, and her spirit has been Nail" hold on his place. "Toe Nail" ship, Harmony, Haven of Rest, Lattle Vine, Lone Pilgrim and Zion's Rest. Only a few had names

of the towns of their location. body" in all the list. Those peo ple believe in saints, but they take the Scriptural view of sainthood, that one is made a saint by the Saviour Christ through His a council, is like the conferring of Doctor of Divinity degrees on of the naming of certain oil fields. good. And then "Bowlegs Field" folks. As one man remarked about 'It is like pigs; some have straight tails and others have curls in their tails; they have a little more style perhaps, but there is no more pig."

I was in a very ornate church one day, visiting with the minis-

CAPTAIN VISITS

Capt. and Mrs. Wayne B. Langham are visiting his mother Mrs. C. M. Langham, and grandfather, J. W. Autrey, en route to his new assignment at Valdosta, Georgia Air Base.

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in the same state got its name ter, and as we walked through the in that receptacle. He explained popular saint that had been sent from a nearby town that was nam- sanctuary he pointed to a small that a church named for a saint to the churches named for him ed for a bowlegged Indian in real piece of furniture and remarked had to have a relic of the saint. were put in one heap just how big Indian days. And "Embar Field" that the relic of the saint for In that case it was a bone. I won- a pile it would be-maybe as big took its name from the cows that whom the church was named was dered if all the bones of some as a Model T car.



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