

The Hico News Review

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Hamrick Reaches Finals of Merit Scholarship Program

at Hico High School... Merit Scholarship Program...

... as many outstanding students as possible...

... The National Merit Scholarship Corporation was established in 1955...

... 672,000 students were tested in the 1958-59 competition...

... Merit winners will be named Merit scholars this spring...

... Social Security Officer Will Visit Hico March 10th

... An officer from the Social Security Administration...

... April 15, 1959, is the final deadline for most ministers...

... All ministers or clergymen who received net earnings...

... Mr. and Mrs. Nick Knight visited Sunday in Austin...

... MOVE TO WICHITA FALLS

... Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Archie and family moved Tuesday...

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Murray Cox to Be Farm Bureau Speaker At Iredell March 10

On Tuesday night, March 10, the next regular meeting of the Bosque County Farm Bureau...

Ralph Bradley will serve as host for the meeting this month. Murray Cox will be guest speaker...

Eighty-two people were present last month in Cranfills Gap...

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Hico Fire Insurance Credit Set at 15% For 1959 Premiums

Hico's fire record for 1958 will entitle local residents to a credit of 15 per cent on their fire insurance...

This credit is the same rating enjoyed by local residents last year...

Hico's rate compares to Stephenville, with a 20 per cent rating...

... Rummage Sale

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will have a rummage sale and bake sale...

Annual Dog Vaccination Day Set Next Tuesday at Gym

The Annual Dog Vaccination Day, sponsored by the Hico FFA Chapter...

Place of the mass inoculations will be the High School Gym...

Dr. A. T. Lindley of Stephenville will vaccinate the dogs...

Harold Walker, Chapter Advisor, has stated that FFA members will pick up and deliver dogs to owners...

Area School Election Interest Stimulated

SCHOOL WEEK—

Friday is the last day of Texas Public School Week...

Patrons of the local school are welcome to visit any time...

... Civic Club Members Will Meet at Fairy Next Thursday

Members of Hico Civic Club and their wives will be guests of the Fairy Homemaking Class...

... Hico, Carlton and Fairy Have Contested Races

Interest picked up in the area's school trustee elections...

... At Hico, one new name was filed for a place on the ballot...

... Three places are to be filled at Hico.

... At Carlton, four names have been filed for the two places...

... At Fairy, five names were in the pot at mid-week for places...

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Basketball Season Closes With Loss to Meridian

Hico's last hope of producing a possible regional championship basketball team...

... The win entitles Meridian to advance to the regional tournament at Brownwood this week end...

... Large Crowd Expected for Annual R. E. A. Meeting

Approximately 1200 persons from an eleven-county area are expected in Stephenville next Tuesday...

... Miss Louise Baker, student at Tarleton State College, spent the week end here with her parents...

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Experiences of Preachers

By E. K. DAWSON

... everyone to get to praying for him to decide right now...

... At the Medicine Lake conference grounds near Minneapolis one summer...

... "Sir," she called, "you dropped something!" He turned disinterestedly and took the book...

... But here is the best of the wife stories. A serious-minded young preacher at Hazard, Ky...

... The present board of directors includes President W. L. Ringo...

... Those making the trip were Linda Bullard, John and Charles Go...

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FEBRUARY... did it... EK... L.S... CIALS... 2/29... \$1.9... \$1.8... 3/25... lb. 69... lb. 45... 65... RK... CAMPS... rd

FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

We have had spring-like weather for the past few days, with temperatures around 65. However the nights are cool with around 37 degree temperatures. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sumerford, who live 11 miles southeast of Hamilton, reported ice at their home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wood and family of Grand Prairie spent the week end in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl King and Lynn. Their son, Harion Wood, underwent minor surgery on his right foot at the Hico Hospital Saturday.

We were sorry to learn that Marvin Neie of Gatesville, but formerly of the Lanham community, underwent minor surgery at the Anderson Hospital in Houston last week. Mr. Neie is a son of Mrs. Lillie Neie and the late Oscar Neie.

We were sorry to learn of the

passing of Mr. Virgil Santy of Hamilton, who passed away Sunday morning of a heart attack while in Waco for a program in behalf of school week. Mr. Santy is a faculty member of the Hamilton school.

Mrs. Frank Driver, who has been suffering with an ear infection, is some better. We hope she continues to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Willeford, Doran and Delia spent the week end in Abilene visiting in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Britton Willeford.

Mrs. Charles Price of Austin spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and daughter, Mrs. Wayne Pittman and Karen, all of Dublin, visited Sunday afternoon in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison, and also in the home of Mrs. Allison's sister, Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and family.

The housewarming honoring Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks Saturday night was a great success. Some seventy-five guests were present and many who were unable to attend sent gifts. They received many nice and useful gifts. Delicious fruit punch, cookies, nuts and mints were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Herman Sils, Mrs. Lester Timmerman, Mrs. Willie Turner, Mrs. Leslie New, Mrs. Roy Blakley and Mrs. Winford Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Delis Seago of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Texie Allison and little son of De Leon visited Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers

and family spent Sunday at Belton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and family of the Lanham community are spending this week in Houston attending the Houston Fat Stock Show. Three of their children have stock entered in the show. They attend Fairy Schools. Raymond carried the stock down by truck and also carried stock for Don Barnett and Keith Streator, also of the Fairy school, and some for a Carlton student, a Longino boy. We hope they bring back some ribbons. Mr. Schrank, agricultural teacher at Fairy, is also attending.

Miss Gwen Jackson and sister, Mrs. Dorman Vance and children of Fort Worth spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Adams attended funeral services at Carlton Wednesday of last week for his aunt, Mrs. D. W. Upham. Our sympathy is extended to those bereaved in her passing.

The writer attended singing at Evergreen Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. After singing hours we visited with friends at the Hamilton Rest Home. Sorry to report Mrs. Brittle Little very poorly. We plan to go over Wednesday and take her to the Hico Clinic for a check-up. She fell recently and his also been ill of a severe cold.

We made mention in our last week's news letter of Mrs. Oglu Duncan attending services for her brother, Damon Cox of San Diego, Calif. and understood that she accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McKandless of Fort Worth. Mr. McKandless did not go. Mrs. McKandless and mother, Mrs. Duncan, were accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Lillie Evans of Comanche and their brother, Bill Cox and wife of Sanitorium. Mrs. Duncan had the privilege of visiting with her son, Andrew Duncan of Oakland, Calif. and a brother and sister, Dennis Cox of Tucson, Arizona and Mrs. Zula Standfast of North

Hollywood, Calif. while there. Her youngest sister, Mrs. Jack Courtney of Lafayette, La. was unable to attend.

Our sincere thanks to Mr. Will Parker of Hico for a donation of \$200 for the Fairy Cemetery Association, handed us last week by Mr. Parker when he and his wife were out on a business mission to Fairy.

This warm weather is really making all vegetation grow and the time is fast approaching when we will have to start work at the cemetery again.

Arthur Burden recently erected a nice concrete curb at his parent's family lot, and also at the Clyde Pittman and Henry Burden lots, which adds greatly to the appearance and upkeep of the lots.

Another birthdate for February which we just learned of a few days ago was that of Lee Adams whose birthdate is February 11.

Birthdates for March which we have are the late Uncle Bob Parks, March 10; the late Sallie Purdon, March 17; Mrs. E. M. Hoover, March 17; Mrs. Martel Stringer, Goldsmith, March 13; Texie Dell Allison, De Leon, March 14; Mrs. Texie Allison, March 26; Mrs. Lena Goynne, De Sota, March 17; Dorcy Enger, Corpus Christi, March 8; Lynda Driver, Hico, March 20; and Mrs. O. P. Vincent, Cove, Ark. March 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Turner and family, all of Fort Worth visited during the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks.

Sunday, March 1, was the 93rd birthday of Mrs. Alford of the Willeford home. Her daughter, Mrs. Benn Gleason of Fairy, carried her a birthday cake Saturday, which we were told bore 93 candles.

The T. L. Betts home, recently sold to Mr. Dunningan of Hico, was moved to Hico last week. We surely hate to see these good farm homes being moved away. The old Betts homestead hill looks rather bare. The Betts moved to

ALEXANDER

By MRS. ALICE WILSON

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Shaffer Sr. have leased the Cooper filling station and cafe and garage. They are remodeling the building and plan to re-open soon. Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer moved here from Seagoville several months ago and bought the Billingsley home.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Moore and children from Dublin visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore.

Miss Minnie Barnett and Bud Barnett from Purvis visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Driver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zora Benson from Wishita Falls spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Tidwell.

Mrs. Annie Webb from Kilgore spent a few days with her sisters, Mrs. Emma Ponder and Mrs. Bettie Tidwell.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Tidwell Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sanford, Mrs. Beta Yarborough and Mrs. Milton Ascue from Fort Worth, and Mrs. Vernon Hewitt from Walnut Springs.

The Youth Rally will meet at the Baptist Church Friday night and elect officers and plan for other meetings.

First Methodist Church

REV. D. L. BARNES, Pastor

Schedule of Services

Church School, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 10:50.

Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.

MYF, 6:15 p.m.

Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m. Wednesday.

Hico last December.

Byrd Slater, who has been a patient at the Veterans Hospital in Temple for several months, is reported to be very low at this writing. His sisters, Mrs. R. W. McAdams, and Mrs. Emmett Anderson and husband visited with him recently.

The Sick Get Well



Dr. Robert H. Walker

The Los Angeles Herald-Express reprinted from an Eastern paper dated 1865:

"A man about 46 years of age, Joshua Coppersmith, ignorant and superstitious people by exhibiting a device he says will convey the human voice any distance over wires so that it will be heard by the listener at the end. The authorities who apprehended the criminal are to be congratulated and it is to be hoped the punishment will be and fitting. Well informed people know that it is impossible to transmit the human voice over wires and were it possible so the thing would be of no practical value."

That Joshua Coppersmith's telephone actually was brushed off because "well informed people" knew it was possible and any evidence to the contrary was disregarded.

There isn't a day in our office that some wife exclaim that although she has had wonderful results, her relative or friend just doesn't believe in Chiropractic. Visible evidence as a well patient is as completely ignorant as the telephone was in 1865. Many suffering people might benefit greatly.

A high school football injury caused this boy to suffer a partial paralysis and a seige of scarlet fever followed by heart condition. He was taken from college and placed in our clinic because of his heart. His future wasn't very rosy.

He was brought into our clinic and it was our job to get him back in college, which we are glad to say we managed to do. He is not as robust as a lumber jack, but at least has hopes of a reasonably long life under the periodic care of a Chiropractor.

Dr. Robert H. Walker

CHIROPRACTOR

Hico Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Stephenville Hours: Mon., Wednesday, Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Babies Say

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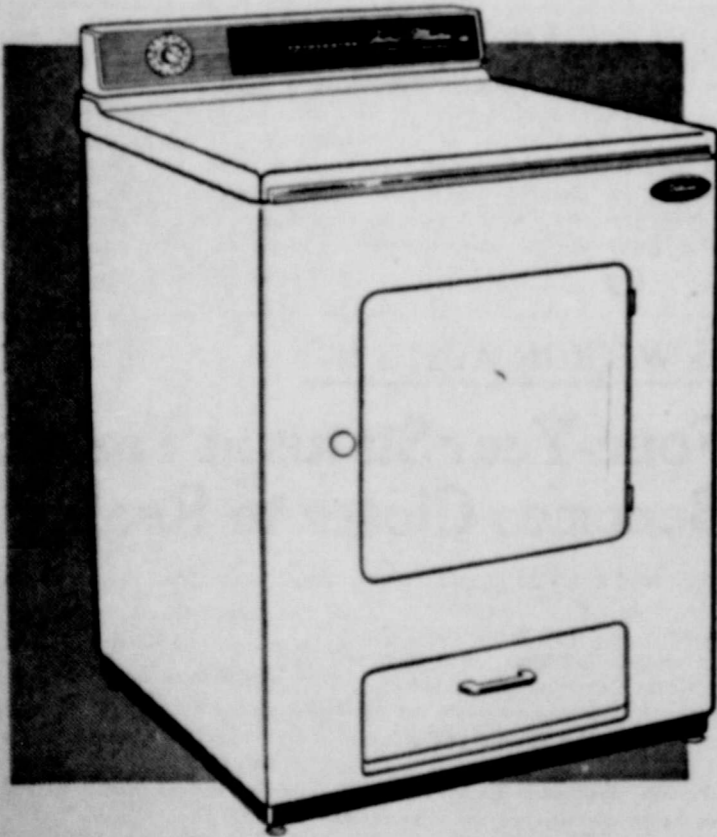
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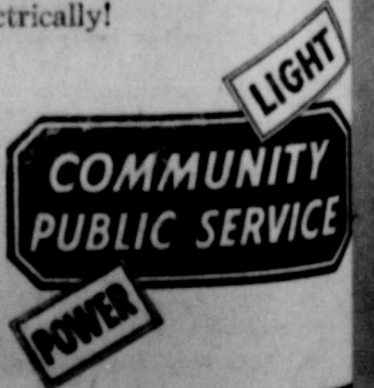


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CLAIRETTE

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

Bessie Havens, who has lived at Franklin Square, Longview, New York since November 1957, and her son, Major J. J. Havens, and family, wrote this column that she was feeling better and has been attending school and Sunday School. And enjoying the long rest. She is to come home for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross B. Fryer Jr. will visit Clairette at Church Sunday, March 8. Mr. Fryer will speak at the morning and evening services, and Mrs. Fryer is former pastor of the Clairette Church, and is a missionary to Indonesia. They are home on leave. Everyone is invited to come hear these missions.

Donna Wolfe spent the week end at Abilene.

Miss Nels Hansen, Mrs. Nora

Dowdy and Bessie of Dallas and Mrs. C. P. McAnelly of Jonesboro spent the week end with John Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson visited with Mrs. Pearl Harris of Cisco recently.

Mr. Foster of Lubbock, father of Mrs. O. H. Huckabee, who has been visiting here the past week, became ill Friday and was carried to the Hico Hospital. At last report he was a little better.

Friends here regret to hear that Mr. W. L. Dayton of Pottaboro is seriously ill in the Santa Fe Hospital at Temple. The Daytons own a farm in this community and resided here several years ago.

Mrs. Wayne Garner and girls of Seiden, Cleo Mayfield of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Reed and baby of Hico visited in the Herman Roberson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Salmon of Stephenville visited relatives here Sunday afternoon. They also visited at the Cemetery.

Jess Pruett left Sunday for Humble City, New Mexico to spend 2 or 3 days with his father, Geo. Pruett. He visited at Lubbock en route to New Mexico.

Mrs. Jess Pruett took Mrs. John Nolan to a doctor in Granbury for treatment last Tuesday and Saturday. We are glad to report she is doing some better.

The cemetery will soon have to be worked. Anyone interested may send contributions to the cemetery committee or hand it to any of the members. Those serving on the committee are Mrs. Zenith Johnson, Mrs. Myrtle Thompson, Mrs. Lucile Mayfield, and John Salmon.

Life-Time Clairette Resident Passes Away Saturday

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist Church for R. H. (Dick) Bishop, 70, who passed away at 7 a.m. Saturday after a long illness.

Bro. Jackson, pastor of the Baptist Church, and Bro. Rollie Chaney of Gordon, former pastor here, conducted the services. Rev. Howard Johnson, pastor of the Methodist Church, sang a special hymn.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Bishop is survived by his wife; two step-daughters and a step-son, Forrest Whiteside of New Mexico, Mrs. Herman Moody of Westbrook and Mrs. Gladys Richardson of Odessa; three grandchildren, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Burial was made in the Clairette Cemetery, under the direction of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home of Hico.

Mrs. Lawrence Mayfield, Ft. Worth Explosion Victim, Buried in Okla.

Worth, who was burned in a gas explosion at her home last week, died Feb. 24 in St. Joseph Hospital as a result from the burns.

Her body was carried Oklahoma for burial on February 25.

Her three children were also burned in the explosion. Mr. Mayfield was at work at the time of the explosion, but had called home to talk to his wife who was in bed resting. Their 14 year old daughter answered the telephone, and called her mother to the phone. When she opened the door to go to the telephone, the explosion occurred. Mrs. Mayfield was a registered nurse and had been on duty.

Her survivors are her husband and three children, and many other relatives. She is a daughter-in-law of Cleo Mayfield of Stephenville, formerly of Clairette.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this method of expressing our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and at the death of our loved one. For the food, flowers, cards, and other acts of kindness, we are ever grateful. May you have such friends in your time of sorrow.

The Family of R. H. Bishop.

CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

As the obituary of Mrs. Ella Upham was given in the Hico paper last week, will not include it in this weeks news.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lee of San Antonio visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey.

Mrs. Milton Whitehead is in Stephenville at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Will Wright, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Sanford of Cranfills Gap visited Sunday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and daughters, Lajuana Kay and Carole Susan of Dublin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt

were afternoon visitors Sunday at Meridian with Mr. and Mrs. Bose Appleby.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Rodgers of Hamilton visited Sunday afternoon with his sisters, Misses Mattie and Alice Rodgers.

Mrs. Dow Self and sons, Connie Mack, Freddie and Jack Henry spent Sunday in Clairette with the boy's grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Self.

Wylie Bingham received a message the past week that his son, Walter Bingham, had passed away at his home in Washington. Mr. Bingham was unable to attend the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Callan of Dallas spent last week end with his sister, Mrs. Charley Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Vance are in Cleburne where he will undergo surgery. Their son, Eldon Vance of Lamesa accompanied them to Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Powers and Sheryl of Valley Mills visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Dow Self and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Tull and daughter, Mrs. Pete Pederson and son of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gerreald of Gustine and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blanchard of Stephenville were visitors over the week end with Mrs. J. H. Tull and Mrs. Lillie Anderson.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us when our home burned. For the food, quilts and many other nice things; to Mr. and Mrs. Holt for letting us come into their home, and to Mr. and Mrs. Booty Lawrence. We'll never forget your kindness, and May God bless each and every one.

Sam Priest
Bob and Edith

CARLTON SOLDIER COMPLETES SCHOOL

Fort Monmouth, N. J.—Pvt. Jimmy G. Thompson, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Thompson of Route 2, Hico, completed the fixed-station-radio equipment operation and maintenance course Feb. 19 at the Army Signal School, Fort Monmouth, N. J.

During the 15-week course, Thompson was trained to perform operating adjustments on fixed-station-radio equipment, to maintain operating efficiency of circuits and to assist in the installation and repair of electronic equipment.

He entered the Army last July and completed basic combat training at Fort Chaffee, Ark.

He is a 1956 graduate of Carlton High School, a 1957 graduate of Draughons Business College and was employed by Internal Revenue before entering the Army.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for all the kindnesses shown to us during the brief illness and death of our wife and mother. We would especially like to thank the doctors and nurses of the Hico Hospital and the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home personnel. We are grateful for the flowers, food, cards, and for every expression of kindness shown us during this time. May God bless each of you.

Mr. D. W. Upham
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upham and family
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Phillips and family
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKennie and family
Mr. and Mrs. Avery Coffman and family

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Congress Reports

By OMAR BURLESON
Washington, D. C.—This column on several occasions has tried to point out that the Congress has the exercise of discretion over a relatively small amount of government expenditures. Twenty per cent is a fair estimate in each year's appropriations. This is true if the percentage for national defense remains the same as now recommended. This amounts to approximately sixty per cent of the \$77,000,000,000 Budget.

A similar situation exists with reference to the general powers of government. The Federal Government has grown to such proportions that it is impossible for the Congress itself to keep absolute control over the committees, the bureaus and commissions which in recent years it has created.

The Congress passes the laws, but under our system the Executive Department, headed by the President, administers those laws, and the Supreme Court passes upon their Constitutionality. The Congress does not attempt to spell out administrative procedures for the application of the laws it passes. It necessarily delegates the authority for the administration

either to the Executive Department or these myriad bureaus and commissions created for that purpose.

Agencies such as the Federal Communications Commission, the Federal Trade Commission, the Civil Aeronautics Administration, Securities and Exchange Commission, Interstate Commerce Commission, and a long list of others, at some time or other touch the life and business of most everyone in the country. They make their own rules and procedures to carry out what supposedly is the intent of the Congress. There is, however, always the matter of interpretation of the intent of Congress, and while a Congressman's duties may involve trying to assist a constituent in getting service from a bureau, a commission, a committee or a department of some kind or other, there come times when he must also protect his constituents against their encroachments. Problems of this nature constantly arise.

It is sometimes wondered if, during these last twenty-five years or so as Government has grown bigger and bigger, the Congress has created a sort of Frankenstein which is becoming bigger than the

the Congress, the Executive and the Judiciary, in control over the lives of our citizens. These accumulated agencies have powerful control over about everything we do—what we eat, what we wear, our travel, when and how we invest our money; over telephone, telegraph, radio and television communications; over the fires on our hearths and the gold in our teeth.

This second-hand type government control can reach proportions dangerous to our system of government. The intent and purpose of this "fourth" branch of government is, I suppose, necessary. On the other hand, it should warn us that it can grow to the proportions that our nation will be governed by people who were not elected and who are not directly answerable to the people. We should be warned against the continuous growth of Federal Government which makes more boards, commissions and bureaus necessary.

Each time a new provision of law is enacted or a new service furnished, it becomes necessary that some agency of government administer it. If it is not under the direct jurisdiction of one already in existence, another is created. This suggests that bigness begets bigness, and that the Federal Government in Washington becomes the "central" government warned against by our forefathers who created the system.

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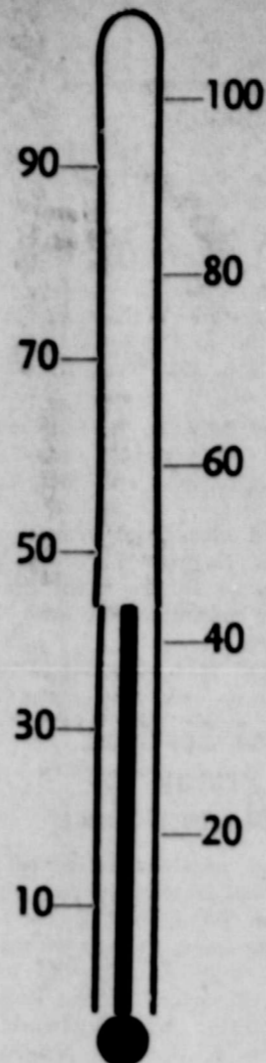
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HICO CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST CHURCH
Schedule
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00
Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By E. R. LAWRENCE

L. W. Gardner of Blue Ridge last year planted about 18 acres to vetch and rye. This year he has a good stand of vetch that has volunteered.

Walking across the field the other day was kinda like walking through a field of ashes. The soil was very mellow and felt good underfoot.

Gardner doesn't know just yet whether to make another vetch crop or bed the field now and come back with maize. Vetch does not make too much top growth until warm weather sets in, but it does set a good root system. This root development is one of the big things about this crop that causes it to condition soil so well. Should we get back to good fall seasons, vetch will come back as a soil building or conditioning crop, I believe. When the crop is established early in the fall, it usually furnishes much good winter pasture.

— E. R. L. —
C. M. Roberson, Carlton, and J. C. McKinney of Lanham, both Grade A dairymen, have good fields of winter peas that they are grazing.

— E. R. L. —
Raymond Jones, Lanham, has a field he planted to KR Bluestem last year, to a good stand, that is just about ready to start spring growth. Crown growth has started and green shoots should be out in a few more warm days.

— E. R. L. —
Won't be many more days until we begin to smell wood smoke drifting around from home barbecue pits. Which brings to mind that the Extension Service has put out a brand new bulletin on making home barbecue pits and also offers some helpful information on barbecuing chicken.

— E. R. L. —
Bill Allen, county attorney, is making good progress in developing his pecan timber on his place north of Hamilton. He is cleaning out or deadening undesirable trees and budding or grafting improved varieties on his remaining natives.

W. B. Edminston is making plans to get started this year in working the native trees on his farm on the river east of Hamilton. He, too, will bud and graft.

— E. R. L. —
The Annual Cage Clinic, sponsored by the Poultry Science Department of the Texas A & M College, will be held March 25.

The use of cages by commercial egg producers in Texas continues to spread. In 1953 an estimated 272,000 cages were in use while more than 3,500,000 were in use last year. Much of the recent increase has been in colony cages and this subject will be discussed during the clinic.

Dr. John Quisenberry, head of the Poultry Science Department, will give the results of research done at A&M on the performance of hens in colony cages.

Dr. A. W. Bryant, Agricultural

DUFFAU

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Bro. Waylon Lawrence of Abilene preached at the Church of Christ Sunday and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Burghan and children of Hamilton visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jr. Giesecke and daughters visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Drury on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash, Dale and Wendell of Stephenville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Cavitt and baby, and Mrs. Royal Guthrie were dinner guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Seamon on Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Naul visited with her sister at Stephenville, who is a patient in the hospital there following surgery. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Bonnie Brown spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and family of Stephenville.

Linda Naul visited with Cathy Powers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Crinty Roberson and James Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dicks and son of Lewisville, and Mr. and Mrs. Preacher Bowie and family of Killen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Land visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Land and family of Stephenville Wednesday.

Rev. Bill Rambo of Fort Worth preached at the Baptist Church Sunday, and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawrence and family.

Misses LaQuata and LaQueta Burghan and Don Burghan of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Rogers and children of Stephenville were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burghan and children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers spent

Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Koonsman at Iredell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hasham visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Land Tuesday night.

Miss Betty Land spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Land and O. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holt of Bridgeport visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Holt, Linda and Mack, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nabors of De Leon visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawrence, Will Ann and Roy B. on Sunday.

Mrs. Rozelle Guthrie has sold her dairy farm and has moved

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the many kind words extended to us during our bereavement. We are especially thankful for you who help every way, for the beautiful flowers, and the hospitality shown to our families. May God bless you.

G. F. Mullino and Mrs. Lucy Cornelius and children, Stephenville.

Too Late To Class

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Mrs. Wilma Langham & family

CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

Blue Courtesy Mrs. Barnett Salmon Home

Jack Barnett was honored by afternoon, Feb. 26, at a blue shower given at home of Mrs. Conda Salmon...

SPRING IS IN THE AIR

Have we heard the first call of Spring? It must be here, which makes us feel it is time to do many things to beautify our spring and summer flower gardens.

Wednesday Club Meets With Mrs. Walker

The home of Mrs. Harold Walker was the scene of a bridge party last week when she entertained members and guests of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Kellers Entertain With Tuesday Bridge Party

A bridge party was given Tuesday evening, February 24, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller.

Fairy H. D. Club Presented Interesting Program on Painting

Fairy Home Demonstration Club met at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 24, in the home of Mrs. A. B. Clark, with Mrs. Roy Ables as hostess.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. W. E. East entertained her mother, Mrs. A. J. Jordan, with a dinner last Thursday in honor of her 79th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Patterson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander spent the week end in Irving in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan and family.

ADDITIONAL FAIRY NEWS

Miss Ada Beth Thornton was notified Sunday, Feb. 16, that her father, Mr. Herbert Thornton, formerly of the Lanham community, had suffered a severe stroke at his home in Secora, New Mexico.

Had a visitor? Been some place? Then call in your news items each week.

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Matching dresses for big and little sister have a Victorian look. Lace ruffles edge the neck and sleeves of the dresses designed with bouffant skirts by Joseph Love.

On the Home Range

By MRS. VIVIAN BLAIR Home Demonstration Agent

SEMI-TAILORING WORKSHOP

For the past week I have been conducting a workshop for agents held at Tarleton State College.

- V H B -

YOUR NEW SPRING HAT

The way you wear a hat is what gives it style. The lines of the hat make it becoming or unbecoming. Remember:

- 1. The width and height of a hat should be in balance with your face and figure proportions. 2. Horizontal and curving lines round and broaden your face and figure. 3. Vertical lines lengthen and slenderize your face and figure.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller and three children visited Saturday in Clifton with her sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parks of Littlefield spent the week end here visiting friends and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson and family of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rusk and children of Dallas spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rusk.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schiller of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold of Olin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo, who are now residing in Mesquite, spent the week end at their home here.

Donald Lewis and son, Steve, of Fort Worth were in Hico Saturday visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. E. V. Walten of Bryan was a Tuesday visitor in the home of Mrs. Ethel Stewart and Mrs. E. H. Couch.

Mrs. Lena Baldrige visited last week end in Teague with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stover and family.

4. Diagonal lines help to diminish bad features—for example, a square chin that is too prominent.

A smart hat works wonders. It lifts spirits, makes you walk a little light, and gives you confidence. It is a morale-builder.

Always try on a hat with the dress or suit you plan to wear it with. Be sure that it suits you and your costume.

Of particular significance are the hats geared to the coiffure. These have open crowns, a profile tilt, or very small creations that ride high on the head, exposing the hair-do.

Colors are for your choosing. Tones of blue are particularly strong. A high fashion shade is peridot, a green-yellow. Also on the scene are lavender to cherry shades, near white, black or navy.

Best test in selecting a hat is the mirror. If the hat looks right for you and your costume, it's right. If it makes you look pretty and feminine and catches and holds the glance of others, it has the top interest that fashion is playing up this season.

The Extension Service has a new bulletin "Accessories Around the Clock" that has helpful information on hats and other accessories.

- V H B -

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Here is a nice recipe to add to your collection. It would be a good choice of dessert to serve with a menu planned around fish.

LEMON BISQUE

- 1 can (14 1/2 oz.) evaporated milk 1 pkg. lemon flavored gelatin One and a fourth cups boiling water

One-third cup honey or white corn syrup

One-eighth teaspoon salt

3 tablespoons lemon juice

Grated rind of one lemon

2 and a half cups vanilla wafer crumbs

Dissolve lemon gelatin in boiling water, add honey or corn syrup, salt, lemon juice and rind. When it has congealed slightly, bent milk until it is stiff, and whip in jellied mixture. Spread half of crumbs in a large pan (10x13 1/2 inches) and pour lemon mixture over them. Top with remaining crumbs and set in refrigerator to chill for at least 3 hours. Cut into squares and serve plain or with whipped cream. Serves 12 to 15.

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THE SPOTLIGHT

As the boys were playing their bi-district game Tuesday night, I decided to head up to the old school and watch the encounter.

The boys lost, but played a very good game. Couples I saw out after the game were Rosy V. and Linda D.; Buddy A. and Judy M.; John M. and Kay J.; and Charles T. and Joy L.

Wednesday night I hopped a quick ride to Kopperl to watch our girls wind up their district play. It was a very enjoyable game, especially since the girls won. This made them district champs, and they played Meridian Tuesday night in bi-district. Couples I saw at the game and afterwards were Rosy V. and Linda D.; Wayland W. and Carolyn P.; Buddy A. and Judy M.; and John M. and Kay J.

Since there was no ball games Friday night I didn't find too many couples out roaming the town. There were a few, however, and they seemed to be making a big time of it. Those I saw were Buddy A. and Judy M.; Steve O. and Judy G.; Gail C. and Kendall H.; and Lee F. and Linda H.

Saturday night was another good night for my spotlight and I, as we saw several couples out rambling around. I spotted a few couples at Stephenville enjoying two very good movies, and several couples at home. Those I saw were Billy B. and Kay Y.; Rosy V. and Linda D.; John M. and Kay J.; Gail C. and Kendall H.; Buddy A. and Judy M.; Charles T. and Joy

Sunday was a very pretty day, and as a result of this, most of the boys went fishing. I did see a few couples who were Buddy A. and Judy M.; Charles T. and Joy L. and John M. and Kay J.

H H S BASKETBALL

The Hico boys ended their basketball season last Tuesday night as they were defeated 71-56 by Valley Mills. Robert Chandler led Hico with 22 points. The boys had a very successful season, and are now getting ready for track.

Last Wednesday, Hico's girls bested Kopperl at Kopperl and took the district championship. In the 35-22 win, Judy Beth Moore scored 15 points, and Anna Lee Luckie had 14.

The girls played Meridian in bi-district Tuesday night of this week.

H H S WHO'S WHO

This week I have chosen a Junior as the principle subject of the week.

He is about 5 feet 10 inches tall and weighs about 160 pounds. He has light brown hair and blue eyes. He is very quiet, and hardly ever speaks unless he is spoken to.

This Junior is quite popular around the school campus, and is sometimes referred to as "Hico's gift to the women."

He is very good in athletics. He plays end on the football team and is also a member of the track team.

Among his favorite interests are hot-rods, records, sports, and hunting. He is SHELLY HOOPER.

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IREDELL ITEMS

By MRS. C. A. MITCHELL

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barnhill and Camella Joy, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Barnhill of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Barnhill and daughter of Clifton, Sgt. and Mrs. David Smiley all spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Barnhill. The Smileys will visit his parents in Topeka, Kansas, then leave from New York for Berlin, Germany.

Mrs. Juanita Davis is in Fort Worth with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roy Davis, who is ill, but is better at this writing.

Little Miss Joy Darlene Putty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Lee Putty had eye surgery in Waco Wednesday. She is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell and Mrs. George Collier visited Mr. Tom Ferguson in the Hico Hospital. He is on the critical list.

Mr. Bill Sowell has purchased the Rev. Jones house from Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell and moved there Saturday. Mrs. Beulah Cavitt moved into the apartment of the late Mrs. Etta Helm.

Mrs. Tom Strange is in Abilene

with her daughter, Mrs. Mack McClure, who is ill in the hospital there.

Mrs. Dorothy Winters, Mrs. Maggie Nell Anderson of Fort Worth, and J. W. Wayne and D. Stanley of Dallas visited Mr. C. A. Mitchell Wednesday in the Meridian Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barnhill and baby of Clifton have moved into the house with his grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Phillips, who is ill. Mrs. Phillips resides in Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Echols of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Auther McElroy and Mrs. Mammie Echols recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Dunlap and Joe and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Davis during the week end.

Mr. Bill Myers, who is ill in the Sunset Home at Clifton, is about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Copeland spent the week end in Fort Worth with her parents.

Miss Mac French of Meridian reviewed a book for the ladies at the Baptist Church Friday.

Funeral Services Held Feb. 24 for W. F. Howard, 90

Mr. W. F. Howard, 90, passed away Monday morning, Feb. 23, in Arlington. Funeral services were held Tuesday Feb. 24, at 2 o'clock at the Nancy Smith Cemetery near Glen Rose, where he had resided for 70 years.

Services were conducted by Rev. Wade. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Ethel Bulard, Mrs. Grace Williams and Mrs. W. A. Green, all of Fort Worth; two sons, T. N. Howard of Granbury and Johnnie Howard of Walnut Springs; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Chubby Howard and children and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell attended the services.

Carl Fillingim, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fillingim of Iredell, has received his discharge from the army after serving since Feb. 1957. He recently returned from Germany. He attended Hico High School.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Bernhardt and Tammy of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell returned home Monday from the Meridian Hospital and is about the same.

(Delayed)

Mr. C. A. Mitchell was able to return home from Holt Hospital last Wednesday afternoon, but had to return to the hospital Saturday morning. He is resting very well at this time.

Emmett Maness, who is employed at Sweetwater, spent Friday with his family.

Mr. Doyle Weatherford, who is employed at Santa Anna, spent the week end at home.

Mr. Tom Ferguson is a patient in Hico Hospital.

Jimmy Burns, who is employed at Sweetwater, spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burns and Larry.

Sgt. and Mrs. David Smiley, who have been stationed in Columbus, Ga., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Barnhill and other relatives before going to Berlin, Germany, where they will be stationed for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mingus and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gosdin visited their mother, Mrs. Lorena Mingus this week end. The Gosdins also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gosdin.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Owen of Fort Worth spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Phillips and daughters.

Sgt. and Mrs. David Smiley, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barnhill and daughter of Clifton visited Sunday in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Barnhill and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barnhill and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blakley and children of Fairy, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Musick and children of Meridian and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Musick visited during the week end with their mother, Mrs. Ida Musick.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mitchell of Bryan spent the week end here and visited his father, C. A. Mitchell in Holt Hospital.

Mrs. Wilda Mitchell of Stephenville visited friends here Saturday.

Tommy Clyde Whitley of Sweetwater visited his grandmother, Mrs. Ida Wyche Friday.

Bobby Jack Wilson of Wickert spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lorena Wilson.

W. T. Dunlap, Charles Ogle, Vernon Barnhill and Weldon Phillips left Tuesday for North Carolina where they are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Latham Howell and children of Stephenville and Mrs. Louise Kelly and son of San Antonio spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parson visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiseman of Atlanta, Kansas visited recently with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell.

Mrs. R. Y. Patterson returned home from San Antonio where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nola Wingren and other relatives.

Paul Patterson of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. Vickie Patterson and Cecil Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tidwell visited in Brownwood with relatives recently.

Mrs. J. J. Martin returned home from Alexandria, La. after an

Iredell Baptist Church

CHARLES RICE, Pastor

SERIES OF SERVICES SLATED AT IREDELL CHURCH

Iredell Baptist Church will begin the Spring Evangelistic Crusade on Sunday, March 15. The series of special services will continue through March 22. Most of the Baptist Churches in this area will be cooperating in simultaneous crusades. The year of 1959 has been designated by Southern Baptists as a year of evangelistic emphasis.

The evangelist for the series of services in the Iredell church is Dr. John W. Ousley, professor of religion at Baylor University. Dr. Ousley is a graduate of Wake Forest College and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He has served as pastor in North Carolina, at Kerens, Texas, and at Glen Rose. He has been on the faculty at Baylor since 1945. He is widely sought as an evangelist.

The public is invited to the services each night at 7:30. A nursery will be provided for small children. Charles L. Rice is pastor of the Iredell church.

extended visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elising and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hutton and children left Tuesday morning for Florida where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Word Main spent Sunday night in Cleburne with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Graham.

Mrs. Calvin Fossett and children of Cleburne visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burns and Larry last week end.

Ethel Sanders of De Leon visited her father and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pylant and friends over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm spent the week end in McKinney with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Helm.

CIRCUIT ASSEMBLY TO BE HELD AT BRYAN FOR JEHOVAH MINISTERS

R. E. Goff, presiding minister of the Hamilton Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, has announced the coming circuit assembly to be sponsored by the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society for Jehovah's Witnesses, March 13-15.

The three-day program is to be held in Bryan for over 600 ministers from more than twenty central Texas cities.

"We have circuit assemblies semi-annually," Mr. Goff said, "because the upbuilding of one another to greater Christian love and right works is vitally needed in this hour."

"This three-day Christian assembly," continued Mr. Goff, "will point to the Bible as the greater guide needed by all mankind."

Highlight of the assembly is the Sunday public discourse, "A Paradise Earth Through God's Kingdom," to be delivered by District

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Graves and family of Waco spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Graves and other relatives.

Supervisor Kenneth R. Savoy has served on the quarters staff many years now supervising the work of Jehovah's Witnesses in Central United States.

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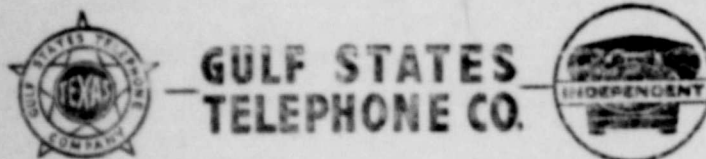
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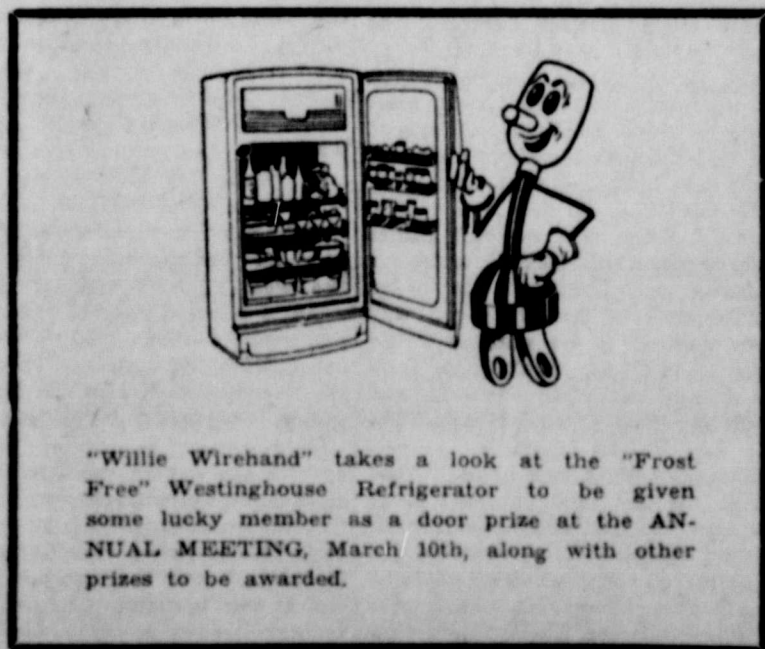
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A too-frequently overlooked economic fact is that cotton is initially produced by the farmer for the benefit of the farmer and, of course, to provide fibre for consumer goods...

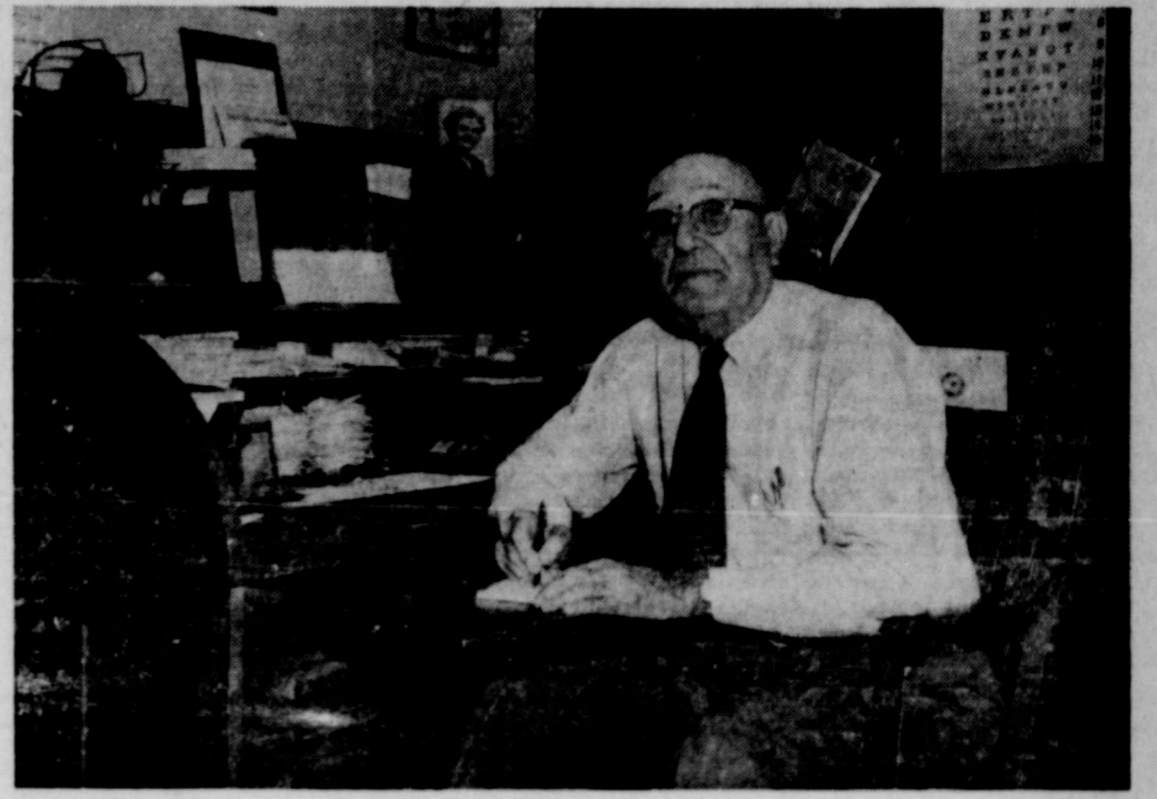
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'Women Better Patients,' Says Family Doctor of Year



Dr. Lonnie A. Coffin, 68, of Farmington, Iowa, back at work after being named General Practitioner of the Year by the American Medical Association.

"Women are better patients than men," according to Dr. Lonnie A. Coffin, Family Doctor of the Year. "They'll do what you tell them, but men won't."

On health: "The work of the voluntary health agencies makes me confident about the future. The National Foundation, for instance, which helped us eight years ago when a polio epidemic hit Farmington..."

On smoking: "It's undoubtedly bad for you. I gave it up after my coronary, and—stopped to light one of his six daily cigars—I've given it up several times since then."

On drinking: "There are only certain people who should drink. Those who can both control it and afford it." On fishing: "You can fish sitting down and I like that. If you catch something, fine. If you don't, exaggerate."

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Son of Local Couple is Subject of Feature Story

(Ed. Note: The following story about E. J. Ray Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ray of Hico, is being reprinted from the daily Greenville Herald-Banner).

By HERMAN SCOTT

How the Greenville High School Lions, basketball champions of District 6-AAA, have rushed back in the cage sport is the "talk of the town."

And the "toast of the town" for his coaching ability in directing the Lions to their greatest season in a dozen years is 37-year-old E. J. Ray, Coach Ray and his colorful Lions have captured the fancy of fans who like their basketball.

When they wrapped up the district title by defeating Mount Pleasant Feb. 13 approximately 1500 fans were on hand to see the job done. They went all out in cheering the great performance of the winners and the sharp coach.

ing of a mentor who is in his second season in Greenville.

Applauds Boys.

Friendly, courteous Coach Ray, who is all business when he is out there on the basketball court with his boys, is thoroughly sold on the qualities of the youngsters he coaches. "The kids have done a good job," he said. "They have a lot of desire; they wanted to win and they worked real hard. Besides that they are good students and good citizens."

The capable Greenville mentor came to this city from Madisonville, the town that is widely known for its "sidewalk cowboys." As basketball coach there for nine years he established a great record, directing the Madisonville High cagers to six district championships, five when the school was in Class AA. Twice his teams com-

peted in the State tournament in Austin.

Modestly, Coach Ray points out that until he went to Madisonville the school had never won a district championship in basketball. "There, as I now have in Greenville, I had some good boys who wanted to play," said the coach. He likes to give his youngsters the credit for their victories.

Impressive Record.

Coach Ray's overall record since he started directing cage teams in 1947 is mighty impressive. His teams have won 262 games and have lost 73. That record includes the 12 games his Greenville Lions won and their six losses last year, also this year's 25 victories and four losses.

"We came close to winning the district last year," Coach Ray remarked. "Lost out at the tail end of the season."

The Greenville basketball generalissimo launched his career at Sidney in Comanche County, where he coached only one year before moving to Madisonville.

He admits he came to Greenville because the the job here was a "challenge." He was contacted by Head Coach Les Cranfill, who asked him if he would be interested in the post. "I had heard through the Texas High School Coaches Association that Greenville had been having trouble winning, so I considered the job a challenge and decided to have a go at it."

Fine Cooperation.

Coach Ray is happy over the cooperation he has received in Greenville. "I like it here," he declared.

Not long ago members of the board of trustees adopted a resolution commending him for the job he is doing as basketball coach. "I treasure the letter of commendation that I received; I told my wife to file it carefully away," Coach Ray remarked.

A native of Freestone County, the personable basketball mentor was born July 25, 1922, and when he was six years old he moved to Carlton in Hamilton County with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ray Sr., who now live in Hico. He was graduated from Carlton High School in 1940.

Coach Ray was awarded his B.S. degree by Southwestern University at Georgetown in 1947. He got his masters degree from Sam Houston State Teachers College in 1950.

But before he enrolled in Southwestern he was a student in Daniel Baker College in Brownwood for two years. There he joined the Marine Corps Reserves in 1942 as an officers candidate and was transferred to Southwestern University where he was in school for eight months. After boot training he went to the officers school at Quantico, Va.

Marine Instructor.

After winning his Marine commission, Coach Ray was an instructor in North Carolina for a while, and then it was off to some Pacific Theater action for him. He served approximately 20 months overseas got in on the windup of the Okinawa campaign, was in China and Hawaii, and was kept in the active Reserve until 1950, although he was discharged in 1946.

Following his discharge, Coach Ray returned to Southwestern to conclude his work for a B.S. degree.

As a high school student, Coach Ray played both football and basketball, and he also had a year of football at Daniel Baker. But an injury forced him to give up that sport and he started concentrating on basketball. At Southwestern, while he was in the Marine Reserve, he played on the same team with All-American John Hargis and other great athletes.

Defense Stressed.

In explaining his success as a basketball mentor, Mr. Ray—while still giving his boys the credit—pointed out, "we concentrate a lot on defense. And, we try to operate both an inside and outside offense, settling on the

R. J. Russell Elected Noble Grand of Hico IOOF Lodge 153

R. J. Russell is new noble grand of Hico Lodge No. 153. He succeeds E. A. Berna.

Other officers are Ben Ganske, vice grand; George Holladay, chaplain; Olga Duncan, warden; and R. E. Herrington Jr., secretary-treasurer.

Hico Rebekah Lodge No. 269 plans to consolidate with the Stephenville Rebekah Lodge.

Activities Of First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Training Union, 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:45 p.m.

MONDAY:
Junior G. A., 4:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:
Prayer Service, 8:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal, 8:30 p.m.

one that works the best. That gives us a balanced offense."

Lots of individual work goes into the practice schedule, with three main points being stressed for the coaching of each boy. (1) To play defense; (2) To be able to shoot; and (3) To be a good ball handler.

"After we get our boys equipped fundamenteally we start building them into a team," said Coach Ray.

Busy As Teacher.

With his basketball and as a teacher also, Coach Ray is a busy man. He teaches two courses of World History, and two of Federal Government. "So, I don't have much time to participate in other activities," he commented. Since 1948 he has been a member of the Texas High School Coaches Assn., and in Madisonville he belonged to the Rotary Club.

Coach Ray is married to the former LaRue Holland of Comanche County, and they have three children. Fourteen-year-old Johnny is an eighth-grader in Junior High and plays on the football and basketball teams; Sheila, 10, is in the fourth grade at Lamar elementary, where also Sharon, 9, is in the third grade.

The Rays are members of Park Street Baptist Church in Greenville.

Remodeling and Building Continues At Steady Pace

Remodeling and building in Hico continues at a steady pace with several projects completed and others underway.

Two of Hico's business establishments, The Brick Insurance Agency and Bess Mingus Dress Shop, have recently completed remodeling.

At Pe'stek Insurance a new roof has been completed and the interior of the building has been sheetrocked, textured and painted. New tile flooring was also included in the project.

The Dress Shop has been completely re-located inside, with walls papered, fixtures painted, a new floor covering and the addition of a dressing room.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Higginbotham have completed an extensive remodeling program at their attractive home and added an additional bed room.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe are in process of having their home re-located, enlarging rooms, and adding on additional space. The remodeling program includes a new front entrance and enlarging of the kitchen.

The E. R. Seagos expect to move into their new home soon. The Seagos' attractive home is a two-bedroom structure and is modern in every respect. It is located next to their former home, which they recently sold to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Belts of Fairy.

Grandson of Local Lady Dies at Marin, California

Peter Woolf Barnato, a heir of the famous Kimberley diamond South Africa, died Feb. 28 at a Marin, California, hospital of the malignancy of the jaw.

Young Barnato was the daughter of the former Gloria daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan, formerly of the granddaughter of Mrs. Barnato of Hico.

Barnato, grandson of Cecil Rhodes who was a discoverer of the world's largest diamond field, had been an estate salesman the past few years.

He was born in London of Capt. Woolf Barnato sportsman, and the former Chealy of San Francisco. He was brought to San Francisco when he was a year old.

His death was a cause of grief to the family. On arrival in New York he was given a body by the Department of Justice, request of the British government.

In December, 1954, Miss Duncan, in a fashion, bought a house in Hico, California, at St. John's Church in Ross.

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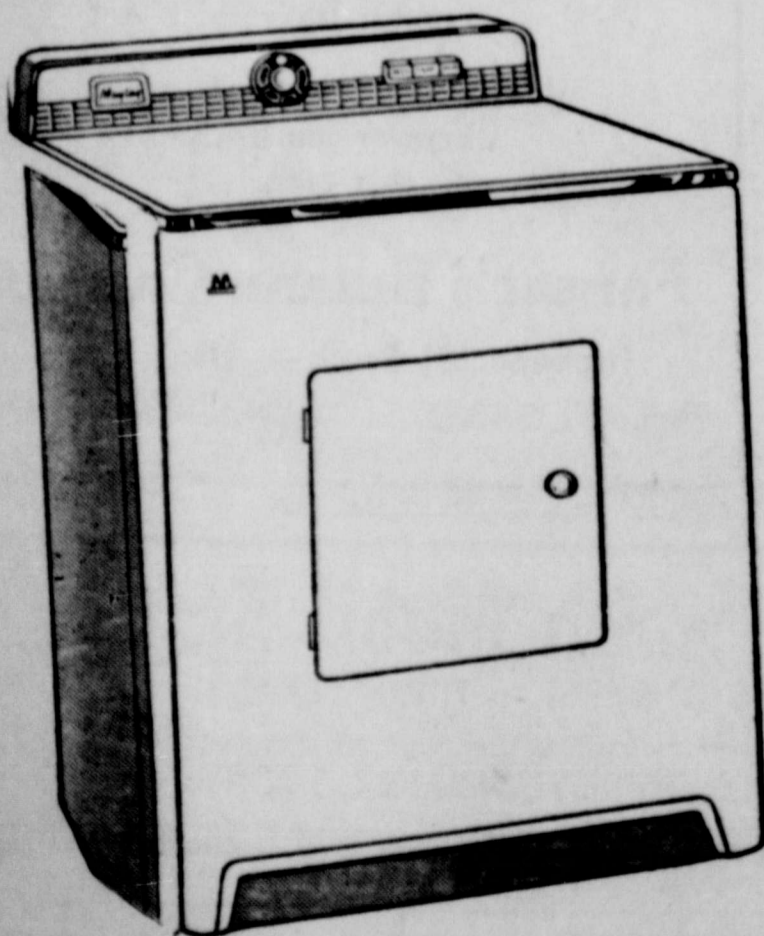
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