

# The Hico News Review

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## Record Number of Entries Voted in Reunion Contest

Twenty-one candidates vying for the title of "Miss Reunion" had entered the contest late Wednesday afternoon, with entrants expected before the deadline, Monday, July 13. The following candidates and their sponsors are officially listed thus far:

Ogle sponsored by Hico Florist  
Beth Moore sponsored by Wilson Cleaners  
Hooper sponsored by Bess Mings Dress Shop  
Mayfield sponsored by Judys Beauty Shop  
Stevens sponsored by Dr. Robert W. Walker  
Jameson sponsored by Blair's Hardware  
Brown sponsored by South Hico H.D. Club  
Akin sponsored by Grady Hooper, Gulf Distributor  
Higginbotham sponsored by Hico Real Estate  
Patterson sponsored by Ogle Bros. Service Station  
Haley sponsored by Lackey Bros. Feed Mill  
Tycham sponsored by Burden's Dept. Store  
Patterson sponsored by Sherrard's Grocery  
Randals sponsored by Petsick Insurance Agency  
Black sponsored by Ganske Laundry  
Spinks sponsored by Ganske & Son Plumbing  
Driver sponsored by Dunlop Appliance & Electric  
Sherrard sponsored by Mickey's Jewelry  
Prater sponsored by Hico Confectionery  
Williams sponsored by Woodard Sawefay Produce Co.  
Paddock sponsored by Double C Sportswear

Mr. E. V. Meador, contest chairman, stated that the contest is open to any young unmarried girl, age 14 through 21, who is eligible if she is 14 before Sept. 1, 1959. Each entry must be sponsored by a business or other organization. Judging will be on the basis of beauty, poise and personality.

As soon as a contestant is entered she is to report to Reed for an appointment to have her photograph made, with the deadline being Saturday.

The entry will be taken by telephone, as sponsor must furnish in required information and pay entry fee of \$2.50 in advance for their candidate to be eligible.

Absolutely no entries will be accepted after the deadline, Monday, July 13. The early deadline is necessitated in order to have pictures and have them ready for publication the following week.

## Behind the Wheel is Main Cause of Accidents

July 9—What is the main cause of traffic accidents? Poor roads? Mechanical failure?

"Most of these in themselves," said Musick, general manager of the Texas Safety Association. "No. 1 cause of traffic accidents is the man behind the wheel."

Clear from recent Texas State Public Safety statistics show that the three most important factors in rural traffic accidents are: (1) no fast for conditions; (2) no fast for conditions; (3) no fast for conditions.

Driving while drinking; and driving without warning or stop signs.

Driving on the wrong side of the road, did not have proper parking, driving too closely.

Improvement and special enforcement of superhighways all important contribution to traffic safety," Musick said.

Key to the traffic accident problem is really in the hands of the driver himself."

## Funeral Services Pending For John Higginbotham

Funeral arrangements were incomplete early Thursday morning for John Higginbotham, former longtime resident of Hico and this area. Mr. Higginbotham passed away Wednesday at Stephenville, where he had resided for the past several years.

He was 94 years of age, and was the father of Glenn Higginbotham of Hico.

## ATTENDS FUNERAL SERVICES FOR BROTHER AT EDNA

Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Wright attended the funeral services last Thursday morning in Edna for his brother, Joe Wright, who passed away Tuesday night in the Ganado Hospital after a long illness.

## Hico FFA'ers to Receive State Star Farmer Degrees

Austin will roll out the Texas Future Farmer youngsters for their annual state convention, the first for the capital city.

FFA members who expect to attend are Gail Christian, Pat and Mike Lackey, and Jordan. All are candidates for the coveted Lone Star degree. Local chapter advisor, Walker also expects to attend.

Just prior to the convention, the ten State Future Farmer officers will meet to study final plans. A state tractor driving contest, sponsored by the Stewart Company, will occur Tuesday.

The convention begins in earnest Wednesday. State President Bill McDowell of Whitewright will preside over the convention, assisted by nine vice-presidents representing all areas of the state.

Wednesday afternoon, July 15, the FFA delegates will hear greetings from other youth organizations including the Future Homemakers of America, Distributive Education Clubs and Vocational Industrial Clubs of Texas.

Delegates will name outstanding members, confer advanced degrees, present scholarships and awards and elect a new president as a part of the business of the convention.

Among the concluding events Friday will be the naming of a State Sweetheart from the ten area sweethearts selected previously in area conventions.

## Vacation Bible School Slated July 12-19 at First Methodist Church

First Methodist Church will begin a Vacation Bible School at the church July 12 through July 19, Mrs. Ellis Randals has announced. Mrs. Randals is superintendent of the Bible school.

Department heads and workers will be Mrs. Charles Gollightly and Mrs. Rusty Roberson, chairmen of Kindergarten, and workers are Mrs. Frank Bonner, Miss Carol Ross and Mrs. Bill Meek; primary, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, chairman, and Mrs. Doc Lackey, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. Ray Cheek and Miss Carolyn Patterson; juniors, Mrs. Bill Stearman, chairman, Mrs. D. L. Barnes, Mrs. W. F. Hafer and Mrs. Alvin Casey.

Members of the intermediate class will assist in various departments.

Mrs. Wayne Rutledge will be pianist.

The school will be held each morning from 8:50 until 11 a.m. Mrs. Randals has issued an invitation to children of all denominations to attend.

## 25 Reunion Display Booths Sold, Other Plans Progressing

Reunion Manager Harold Walker reported this week that 25 of the 28 available display booths had been sold, with prospects of placing the remainder before the celebration starts.

The booths in past years have been one of the feature attractions of the four-day celebration, with merchants giving away several hundred dollars in merchandise the concluding night. Most merchants who have contracted the booths this year will again give valuable merchandise at a drawing Saturday night.

Parade plans are also progressing satisfactorily, with several definite commitments for entries. The parade will be held at 6 p.m. Wednesday afternoon, July 29. All merchants are urged to have an entry in this year's parade. Prizes in the amount of approximately \$130 will be distributed in the various divisions. In the riding club division a trophy will be awarded. The Meridian Riding Club took top honors in this division last year, and they are expected to be back. The Hamilton Sheriff's posse has also indicated that they would be present.

First night entertainment will consist mainly of the Miss Reunion Contest, won last year by Judy Beth Moore. Twenty-one entries had been received in the contest up to late Wednesday, with everything pointing to a record 30 or more entries before the Monday, July 13, deadline. All sponsors are urged to make immediate arrangements with Reed Studio to have their contestant's picture made.

Square dancing will be the Thursday night feature, and the traditional Old Fiddlers Contest will be held Saturday night. Seventeen fiddlers participated in that contest last year, and at least that many are expected here this year.

Nothing definite has been scheduled for Friday night, but Manager Walker is working on several prospective programs for that night.

## Funeral Services Held Tuesday at Hamilton For Mrs. Huddleston

Funeral services for Mrs. Claud R. Huddleston, 68, of Hamilton were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the First Methodist Church in Hamilton. Rev. Sidney Roberts and Rev. D. L. Barnes officiated, with burial in IOOF Cemetery in Hamilton.

Mrs. Huddleston died in a Hamilton hospital at 8:45 a.m. Monday. She had been a patient there since March 12.

She was born June 19, 1881 in Hico, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Autrey. She was married to Claud R. Huddleston July 16, 1911, and they had lived in Hamilton since that time.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Keller of Alexandria, La., and Mrs. Maxine Ebers of Hico; a sister, Mrs. Clifton Langham of Hico, and three grandchildren.

## Revival Slated by Iredell Church of Christ July 20-July 26

Evangelist Douglas Rohre of San Angelo will be guest speaker at a series of gospel sermons at Iredell Church of Christ scheduled July 20 through July 26.

Services are scheduled each morning at 9 o'clock and evening services will be held daily at 8 o'clock.

Officials of the church have extended a cordial invitation to everyone to attend.

## WEATHER REPORT

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

Date	Temp.	Wind	Rel. Hum.
June 24	86	66	1.52
June 25	81	70	0.06
June 26	87	70	0.46
June 27	90	72	0.00
June 28	90	71	0.00
June 29	90	71	0.00
June 30	92	70	0.00
July 1	92	69	0.00
July 2	92	68	0.00
July 3	95	68	0.00
July 4	96	65	0.00
July 5	96	69	0.00
July 6	97	75	0.00
July 7	95	69	0.00

Total precipitation so far this year, 12.26 inches.

## MOVES TO HOUSTON

Mrs. Audrey Elkins moved the past week to Houston where she will make her home. She has rented her home here to Mr. and Mrs. Odis Hill and family, who had been residing in the old Ben Washam home.

# Reprieve Given In Tax Increase

## Funeral Services Held For Wallace E. Petty, Former Hico Merchant

Funeral services were held at Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel Thursday afternoon, July 2, at 2 p.m. for Wallace E. Petty, 78, who died at Crane July 1 following a long illness. Burial was in Hico Cemetery with Rev. D. L. Barnes officiating.

Mr. Petty, a native of Georgia, moved to Crane in 1956 from Brownwood. He lived in Hico many years, before moving to Brownwood in the early 1940's. He owned and operated a department store here many years. He was in the insurance and real estate business in Crane.

Surviving are his wife, who was the former Margaret Wall of Hico; one brother, Watt Petty of Hico; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Roy Browning of Crane, Lusk Randals, Ollie Davis, C. L. Lynch, Sandy Ogle and Ellis Randals, all of Hico.

## VISITS FROM ILLINOIS

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ashworth of Maton, Ill. visited last week here with her grandfather, Mr. J. S. Lamar, and her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Petsick, Mrs. Ashworth is the former Miss Jane Lamar. The Ashworths plan to move to Springfield, Ill. in August where he has accepted a position as Art Teacher in a Springfield high school.

## Lone Star Gas Rate Hearing Recessed Until July 20th

Austin, (AP)—Lone Star Gas Company gained a 13-day recess Tuesday to prepare arguments in reply to cities who testified against their proposed 10 cent increase in the price of natural gas.

Railroad Commission Examiner S. C. McIntosh granted the request. The lengthy hearing will resume again at 10 a.m. July 20. Cross examination of the cities' witness is expected at that time.

Lone Star seeks to increase from 30 to 40 cents a thousand cubic feet the price it charges distributing companies in 320 Texas cities. The increase eventually will be passed down to residential and commercial consumers.

Several cities, led by Dallas city attorney Henry P. Kucera, oppose the proposed hike.

Top witness today was Dr. Robert H. Montgomery, economics professor at the University of Texas. He said Lone Star's request "might have validity" if the company were in "serious financial straits."

"The facts are quite otherwise," he said. "Not only have all fixed charges been met, but during the past 10 years the common stockholder has received an average annual cash dividend of 13.9 per cent on the par value of his stock. For the past two years, dividends have been 18 per cent per year."

Montgomery said Lone Star's stock has more than tripled par value the past three years, adding:

"If it were possible for the common stockholders to sell all of their stock at the present (May 14) market price of \$44.25 per share, they would recover their original investment, plus the earned surplus and the paid-in capital surplus of \$57,247,978, plus an additional sum of \$150,816,220. This situation is fantastic."

## SCHOOL TERM TO START AUGUST 31

Hico Schools will commence for the 1959-1960 term on Monday, August 31.

The starting time corresponds with the starting time last year, when classes began on September 2.

The school will take off Monday, Sept. 7, for the Labor Day holiday.

## Tuesday Rites Held for 40-Year Hico Resident, Rance L. McElroy

Rance L. McElroy, who had lived near Hico for the past 40 years, died in Hico Hospital Sunday night on his 84th birthday. Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 7, at Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Rev. D. L. Barnes officiating. Burial was in Hico Cemetery.

Mr. McElroy, who was born at Mexia, had been a farmer in this area for many years until his retirement several years ago.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. H. A. Polnac of De Leon; one son, Mark P. McElroy of Hico; and seven grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Colquet Harris, Hamp Rucker, C. L. Woodward, Lem Weeks, Ed Crist and Frank Griffiths.

## PURCHASE HEDGES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunlop have purchased the C. M. Hedges home here and moved there last week. They are doing extensive remodeling at the home, and will add additional rooms. They recently sold their home in the Hillcrest Addition to Mr. and Mrs. McClure, who purchased the automatic laundry here.

## IT HAPPENED HERE OR NEAR—

# Well-Fed Youngsters

By E. E. DAWSON

At six o'clock the other morning I sat down at a window and looked out across a green sward that stretches southeastward across a corner of Claude Rainwater's pasture where once, the pioneer road from Hico to Dublin ran. Not a leaf was stirring, not a creature moving, not a sound that reached my ears. How wonderfully still and quiet! I was impressed with the early morning grandeur.

Then a bird slithered across my line of vision and lit in a tree about thirty yards away. To myself I murmured, "Mamma Dove with food for her babies." In a short moment she flew down from the tree on a downward course that took her to the earth some thirty yards from the tree. In a minute or two back she came and lit at the same place in the tree top. After a brief period, only a moment, down she flew again, and in a short time up again to the tree top to her home and her babies.

For an hour and a quarter I watched as that Mamma Dove went back and forth carrying food to her brood. The time did not vary much, a bit less than two minutes for a round-trip from and back to her nest. At the end of an hour and a quarter duties called me elsewhere. I do not know how long she continued that business of feeding her two babies.

Where Papa Dove was I have no idea. He just did not come around at breakfast time. Maybe he will take a hitch at the chore

later in the day; maybe he just lets Mamma Dove do all the work of raising the babies. Maybe he got the idea from some of the men he has observed who let Mamma do all the care of the kids. Maybe he is just doing like all males of most creatures. I do not profess to know what his motivation was and is.

I was impressed by the immense amount of food Mamma Dove carried to her family. How could two birdlets eat so much? Evidently they are growing up and almost ready to start life on their own, for surely no newly-hatched Dovelet could swallow the half of those forty morsels of food that Mamma Dove carried to them in that hour and a quarter. What kind of food was it? Maybe the seeds of herbs; maybe bugs or worms. Maybe she had some bits of dew that she poured into their wide-open mouths. But Mamma Dove did not cease her feeding until her offspring were satisfied. Such is a mother's care for her little ones, whether they are miniature men and women or birdlets.

In a corner of our back patch a wren pair has built a nest and raised a bunch of birdlets for a dozen years.

Now we have a small box there where they can have a home away from preying creatures. One year we had an old hat hanging on a nail in that corner. The hat was no longer in use. One day for some reason I took the hat off the nail and was amazed to see

## Re-Evaluation of School District Property in 1960

Local taxpayers received a reprieve from the proposed increase in evaluation of property by the Hico Independent School District, when members of the local school board voted to postpone the increased evaluations until next spring.

However, the district will collect the taxes as was outlined last week.

Members of the board felt that the delay was necessary due to the short period of time in which to get everything in readiness for the change-over.

The delay means that the building program cannot be started until possibly next May, or later.

Supt. O. C. Cook and two members of the board, Dr. W. F. Hafer and E. V. Meador, met with the City Council last Thursday night, and reached an agreement with that body whereby the city would collect school taxes for the local district. Tax statements will be prepared and mailed by October 1, and will include only those taxes in the amount payable to the school district.

1959 taxes will be collected on the same basis as they have been in the past, with the \$1.40 rate prevailing.

The building program calls for a complete re-evaluation of all property in the district. Under the plan an attempt will be made to equalize, rather than to raise, all taxes in the district. A board will be set up for this purpose in the spring of 1960, with the new rates becoming effective with payment of 1960 taxes.

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# FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

Friends and acquaintances here of Mrs. Claude Huddleston of Hamilton were very sorry to learn of her passing Monday after an extended illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Hamilton, with burial in the IOOF Cemetery. Our deepest sympathy is extended to those bereaved in

her passing. Another of the vacant houses of this community was purchased by Sam Priest and moved to his farm near Duffau on Wednesday of last week. The dwelling was a tenant house of the Bob Parks place, and now owned by J. T. Leonard. The John McNeill family resided

in the house for a number of years back in the early 1900's.

Mrs. Charles Pistone and baby of Amarillo were visitors last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Todd. Week end visitors in the Todd home were J. D. Todd and family of Midland, Clark Todd and family and Jerry Todd Jr. and family, all of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Todd and children of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover visited a few days the first of the week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bolstad and Betty DeAnn of Laurel, Miss.

Mrs. Herman Sills is now employed at the Hamilton Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Driver of Grand Prairie spent the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver and Mrs. H. H. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Turner and sons of Fort Worth spent the July Fourth holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks. They brought their motor boat and all went for a week-end outing, but we did not learn where.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks spent the holiday week-end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Streater and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haile of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sills.

Miss Martha Hanes of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanes and Mike.

The writer visited last Friday afternoon in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison of Dublin.

Miss Gayle Rachuig has been employed for the past several months as receptionist at the Hico Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Anderson and Joe Mack of Grand Prairie spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver, and also visited in Hamilton with his mother, Mrs. M. C. Anderson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Pack of Stephenville visited Saturday in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie.

The writer attended singing at Evergreen Baptist Church Sunday afternoon and visited after singing hours at the Hamilton rest home with friends. Sorry to report Mrs. Brittie Little very poorly. She fell recently, receiving a fractured pelvis.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Fulbright and sons of Kerrville visited Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie.

Barry Brummett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brummett of Waco, is visiting in the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leonard and Melody Gay.

Mrs. Irene Bankston and daughters of Temple spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakley.

Milton (Mutt) Blakley of Leveland, who is taking a course in mathematics and science at Baylor University in Waco, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakley.

We are sorry to learn today, Tuesday, that Mr. Latham of the Lanham community became quiet ill a few days ago and was rushed to the Clifton Hospital. We hope he is much better by now.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Carolyn, Jimmie Don and Janice visited Saturday afternoon in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and Darrel of Dublin, and attended the program at the City Park. Other guests in the Allison home were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pittman and Karen, Carolyn and the Pittmans attended the wedding of Miss Sue Brown and Lewis Pack at the Dublin Methodist Church at 7:00 p.m. Jimmie Don remained for a few days visit in the Allison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Texie Dell Allison and Dana of De Leon visited during the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Garlon Streater and sons.

Joyce Jones visited Sunday in the home of her cousin, Carolyn Sellers. In the afternoon, Carolyn, Joyce and her brother, Jerry Jones, attended a MYF sub-district council meeting at the Methodist Church in Hico.

Work was completed for the present Saturday morning at the cemetery. There are still several lots that need some hoeing and we would appreciate it if relatives could get these worked. We are very sorry that we don't have sufficient funds to keep all lots. We make it a practice to work the lots of all donors first, and this seems to take about all the funds we receive. We will only have some three to five dollars left after all bills are settled for this working. Some of these unsupported lots can be kept looking fairly well by mowing, while others can't.

While in Hico last Friday, Mrs. Stella Barnett Davis of Fort Worth gave us all she had with her, \$1.82, and stated she would send more. Stella is very thoughtful and gives, or sends us regular donations. We always appreciate any and all donations.

We hope that those who visited the cemetery during the week end found everything up to their expectations.

We notice on the register at the gate where Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leath and his sister, Mrs. Irene Chapman had visited the cemetery and also Jess Lackey of the Plains country had been a visitor some time back.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyne spent last week in Fort Worth visiting their daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dowdy and Mr. and Mrs. Benny McDowell and

baby. Mr. and Mrs. Dowdy visited during the week end in the Goyne home.

Mrs. Zell Goyne is visiting in the W. E. Goyne home during the summer months.

The body of little five-year-old Jane Hurt, Red River drowning victim, was found one-half mile from the area where the Robert Hurt car plunged from a ferry into the water Saturday, June 27, 61 hours following the fatal accident. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 11 a.m. at Bloomberg with burial there.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Porterfield left Monday for Bloomberg to accompany Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hurt and daughter, Betty, to their home in Houtson.

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O. L. DAVIS  
District Manager

### ALEXANDER

By MRS. ALICE WILSON

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shaffer Jr. and children of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Shaffer.

Several from here attended the homecoming at Wilson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Calhoun from Gatesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Scott of Gatesville and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson and children of College Station visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Tidwell.

Mrs. Ben F. McBeth and grandchildren from Lovington, New Mexico visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moore. Mrs. McBeth is a sister of Mrs. Moore.

Several have spent the day recently working at the cemetery. The cemetery is in better shape than it has been in several years, but there are still several lots which need working.



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FOLGERS 6 OUNCE <b>Inst. Coffee</b> 79¢	KRAFT 2 LB. BOX <b>Velveeta</b> 79¢
MORTON'S FOURTH LB. <b>Tea</b> 25¢	SHURFRESH <b>Oleo</b> 15¢
SHUREFINE 25 POUNDS <b>Flour</b> \$1.59	SHURFRESH <b>Biscuits</b> 3/25¢
REGULAR SIZE <b>Ajax</b> 2/25¢	<b>FROZEN FOODS</b>
GLADIOLA 5 POUNDS <b>Flour</b> 45¢	SHUREFINE 6 OUNCE <b>Orange Ju.</b> 19¢
SHURFINE TALL CAN <b>Milk</b> 2/25¢	SHURFINE 6 OUNCE <b>Lemonade</b> 3/25¢
VAN CAMP 303 SIZE <b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> 10¢	BIRDS EYE <b>Meat Pies</b> 2/45¢
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# CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

Church of Christ Revival here Sunday morning with Wilborn Hayhurst of Abilene giving the messages each at 8-15. The meeting will be 12th.

Miss Owens and Mrs. Bud from Manitose, Okla., and from Maurice and daughter Falls visited the past with Mrs. Owens' and Mrs. brother and wife, Mr.

and Mrs. Jim Pierce, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Bud Pierce.

Elmer Ray of Hico, formerly of Carlton, and son, Dock Ray and family of Louise, Texas were Carlton visitors Saturday afternoon.

Toby Ballard, Freddie and Jack Henry Self, Gary Keith Jordan and Butch Bowden, with their pastor, Rev. Charles Becton, left Monday morning for camp at Lake Brownwood.

T. W. Zeiss, who is in service stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas, is home on a two-week leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Zeiss and his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey of Waco spent the July Fourth holiday with his mother, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey, and in Stephenville with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hitt.

Rev. Clifford Nelson of Brownwood will preach next Sunday at the Baptist Church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Charles Becton, who will be in a revival at Agee.

Aubrey Mercer and family from Florida and Mrs. Calvin Young and family of Loop, Texas are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Mercer.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Becton spent last week at Hunt with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Stark. Her sister, Joy, accompanied them home after a visit in the Becton home.

Cpl. Danny Smith is at home, having received his release from the U. S. Navy Hospital at Bethesda, Maryland, where he had been a patient eight months.

Other visitors the past week in the Walter Smith home were her two sisters, Mrs. N. E. Waldrop and Mrs. D. L. McKethon of Dallas and two brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Newman and Jess Newman of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Mabel Bell, and Mrs. Sunshine Rothrock and their cousin, Herman Thompson of Waco visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Visitors in the E. R. Coneley home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Coneley and sons, Mitchell and Mickie, and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Barnhill and baby of Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moring and children of Cotton Center visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fine. Their daughters, Deborah and Belinda, remained with their grandparents for a longer visit.

Capt. and Mrs. Layman Smith and children from Ft. Eustice, Va. are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt, C. F. Smith and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Beene and sons from Texas City are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Purley Sharp.

Mrs. Paul Warren and daughter, Carrie Susan returned Monday to their home at Dublin after a two-week visit with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye and Mrs. Dow Self and sons.

Mrs. Dock Kerley has purchased the Joe Lynch residence and moved to town last week from the farm north of town.

Mrs. Mildred Dennis of Lubbock visited the past week with her aunts, Mrs. Jim Pierce and husband and Mrs. Aubrey Gibson and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith and children of Dallas visited Sunday with his father, C. F. Smith

and his sister, Mrs. Mack Taylor and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williamson and children of Abilene spent the week end with her mother and sister, Mrs. Maud Chambers and Mrs. Louise Helton and son. Their niece, Sally Lou Helton, and Jerry Lynn Chambers accompanied them home after a visit in Abilene.

Mrs. Milton Whitehead spent Tuesday in Stephenville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray of Dublin visited Sunday with Mrs. Maud Chambers and family.

The Otho Stuckey family are occupying the residence known as the John McKenzie home while they are having their farm home remodeled.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Fine attended the Turney reunion held Sunday at the park in Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Finley of Walnut Springs visited Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Jessie Finley. They had been attending the Turney reunion at Dublin.

Mrs. Grady Littleton and daughter, Annette, of San Angelo are visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Charley Dyer and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr. and husband.

Mrs. Bud Pierce of Manitose, Oklahoma was a visitor the past week with her sister and brother, Mrs. Edgar Smith and husband and Montie Walton and wife.

Mrs. Annie Denman and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Alson Denman of Lamkin and her son, Aaron Denman of Odessa visited Sunday afternoon with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

T. J. Carter and family of Midland spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Parks and son, Rickey, of Arlington were visitors the past week with her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead.

Mrs. Myrtle Hyles is visiting relatives in Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor, and C. F. Smith of Carlton; Mr. and Mrs. Layman Smith and three children of Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wenzel and two daughters of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Gilbreath and baby son of Dublin, enjoyed the Fourth together at Belton Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams and Mary Beth and Kylan of San Angelo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland. Mary Beth remained with her grandparents for a longer visit.

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Schedule

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

**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.

**First Methodist Church**

REV. D. L. BARNES, Pastor

Schedule of Services

Church School, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 10:50.

Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.

MYF, 7:15 p.m.

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

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Congress Reports

By OMAR BURLISON, M.C. 17th District, Texas

Washington, D. C.—Perhaps our Nation has never been more health conscious than at the present time. Some diseases, such as smallpox and tuberculosis, which at one time took a fearful toll of lives, have now been practically eliminated by medical science.

As some of the older diseases are eliminated, seemingly new ones appear which were unheard of a few years ago. It is entirely possible some may have existed,

but were not recognized for what they were.

Cancer continues to be one of the top killers. It strikes 450,000 Americans every year. It is estimated that unless prevention or cure is found, 40 million men, women and children now living will be stricken by cancer, and 26 million of them will die. It is the number 2 killer in the Nation.

Aside from the cost in human lives, the 700,000 cancer cases under treatment at any given time are estimated to cost \$300 million

in hospital bills each year. This, added to the cost of lost wages and production, becomes a staggering figure.

At the present time there is being spent nearly one hundred times as much on military research as that spent on cancer research.

Money alone will not buy a cure for cancer, but without adequate funds to provide research facilities and new experiments for the discovery and treatment of cancer, the disease will remain a dread to hundreds of thousands of people.

Tremendous gains have been made in discovering the causes of cancer, in detecting early stages, and in its treatment. Break-throughs appear near, according to some of the experts, in treating several types of cancer. About twenty drugs are already in use and proving effective against thirty forms of cancer for periods ranging from weeks to several years.

Included in the Presidents Budget is \$75 million for cancer studies and research. Some in the Congress are insisting this be increased. As a matter of fact, the House of Representatives reduced other items and added \$8 million to the President's figure. It is understood that the Senate may possibly increase this sum to over \$100 million.

There is a question as to whether vast new sums of money pumped into cancer research can be

used effectively. If used effectively, it would provide greater facilities and equipment for experimental work; train more people through fellowships; obtain more qualified personnel through better salaries; build more laboratories; increase grants to universities and hospitals; and boost contracts to pharmaceutical and other industries.

To be effective and practical, common sense must be applied by those charged with administering any program, but it does take money.

Hamilton County Represented by 15 Students at NTSC

Denton, July 9.—Hamilton County was represented by 15 students at North Texas State College in the school year just ended, the registrar's office has announced.

During the nine-month session, a total of 7,897 different students were enrolled. They came from 211 of the state's 254 counties, from 32 other states, and from nine foreign countries.

To accommodate the growing student body, there are now just completed, under construction or in the final stages of planning, buildings which will add \$6 million to a physical plant already valued at more than \$20 million.

RETURNS FROM BASEBALL CAMP

Sammie Partain, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Partain, returned home Thursday after three weeks spent at the Big State Baseball Camp at Meridian.

many possible combinations of surviving relatives. Each situation must be carefully studied to determine the correct distribution of the property.

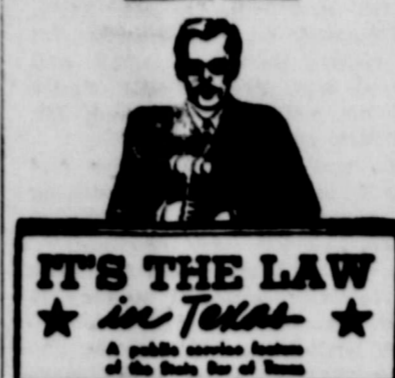
For example, here is a general idea of how the community property which you and your spouse have accumulated will be divided if you do not make a will prior to your death.

If your husband or wife survives and there are no children, the surviving spouse receives all of the property.

If, in addition, there are surviving children or descendants of deceased children, they would divide one-half of the property, while the surviving spouse would receive the other one-half.

Of course, grandchildren do not share in the estate unless their parent who would inherit is deceased. And when descendants of previously deceased children do inherit, they receive only the portion that the child would have received, regardless of the number of such descendants.

An odd note, perhaps, is that the



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NO WILL? WHO INHERITS PROPERTY?

What will happen if you should die without executing a legal and proper will? Who will inherit your property? Your husband, wife, mother, father, children, your wife's relatives? The best way you can say who will have it is to provide a will which will protect your rightful beneficiaries and dispose of your property in accordance with your wishes.

When a deceased has no will or dies "intestate" as the law calls it, the property of that person is distributed according to a detailed formula fixed by law. In some cases this may be the way you yourself would divide it—but in many cases it is not.

The provisions of the law concerning the distribution of the property of a person who dies without a will are rather complicated, and all of the possibilities cannot be covered by a general statement.

There are different rules for real estate and for personal property, for community property and for separate property, for homestead property, and for all of the

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Any erroneous reflection on the character, reputation or standing of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling attention of the management.

Large advertisement for Tussy Permastick lipstick featuring a man with a pipe and a glass of drink. Text includes: "Don't tell me ANOTHER DRINK CAN MAKE ME A KILLER!" and "Hold on, mister. We say 'can.' We don't know your capacity—but why take chances?"

Home demonstration agent section with recipes and tips. Includes: "On the Home Range" by Mrs. Vivian Blair, "CHOOSING A STEAK FOR BROILING", "GOOD NUTRITION TIP", "CLOTHING PLANS FOR THE FAMILY", "RECIPE OF THE WEEK", "TO PREPARE RIND", "CARD OF THANKS", and "TRY NEWS REVIEW WANT ADS FOR RESULTS!".

Advertisement for Tussy Permastick lipstick. Features a large "SALE!" graphic, a tube of lipstick, and text: "Reg. \$1 size now 50¢ plus tax", "The fabulous super-smoothing lipstick that stays on... won't smear... won't dry lips!", and "HOWARD DRUG COMPANY 'The Store of Friendly Service' BILL HOWARD, Owner".

# CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

### Judy's Jabber...



Thursday night I spotted the lights from the football field. I knew Mr. Cook didn't have them burning for the situation. I walked in and found some of the high school boys playing a baseball game with some of the older men from Hico and Edlington. It was quite a game! The brave ones who were participating were Rob Chandler, Neal Ellis, Rosy Hansen, Gary Duncan, Harold Ronny Hathcock, Doyle and Pat Lackey. I believe the ones who saw the game really enjoyed it.

Kendall Hamrick and her family moved to Dublin the 5th. Her mother and father have opened a laundry in Dublin. Kendall will attend Southwestern University in Georgetown in the fall.

Last week end, July 4th, was a hectic week end. For those who didn't have to work I'm sure it was fine. The home for the 4th were Ma McLendon, Joe Knight, Hooper, Don Tooley, Morrisen, Buddy Ables,

**JAMESON RETURNS**  
**SAN ANTONIO VISIT**  
 Judy Jameson returned Wednesday of this week to San Antonio where she visited her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fec' and Ponnice. Fec' is the former Miss Lena Jameson.

in San Antonio Judy visited the points of interest in the city. Among the interesting places visited were San Juan Mission, the Alamo, the Sunken Garden and Brackenridge Zoo. She took a ride on the longest train in the world, and attended the play, "The Story of Alamo."

is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jameson of Hico.

and Mrs. Ray Battershell of Hico spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Partain and Mrs. S. F. Battershell.

and Mrs. C. V. Rightmer and Carol of Crowley spent the holidays here with her parents, and Mrs. Elton Slaughter. They were accompanied home by their son, Danny, who had been here the past two weeks here with his grandparents.

Fourth visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold were Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naulson of Higgins, and Linda of Duffau.

Ginger and Jerry Lackey, Harold Lackey, and Buddy Teague.

The night of the 4th, Anita Mayfield and Sylvia Sherrard gave a dance at Firemen's Hall Mr. and Mrs. Buster Duncan were the sponsors. After tearing up three or four record players, Anita and Sylvia finally got one that would play and the dance was on.

Donna Templeton is now working in Fort Worth. Brenda Hutson is visiting for 2 weeks in Lubbock.

Sandra and Duckie Warren of Midland have purchased a new home there. I was told all about it, and from all indications it is real nice, and I am sure they are very proud of it. Sandra is the granddaughter of Mrs. Guy Aycock.

Kay Yocham is in Midland now visiting her brother and family.

Shirley Greathouse, Nona Jane Cox, and Will Ann Lawrence are planning to leave Thursday afternoon for Dallas where Shirley's sister lives. They plan to visit and shop while there.

**CALIFORNIA VISITORS**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sowell of Norwalk, California have been spending their vacation here with her mother, Mrs. Melissie Britton, and other relatives. The Sowells returned to California the past week.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neel and children of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neel and children of Tyler.

Mrs. Helen Walker and daughter, Dianna, of Odessa, spent last week end with her mother, Mrs. G. C. Miller, and with Mrs. Walker's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheek, Kay and Chuck. Mrs. Miller accompanied her daughter to Odessa for a visit.

Weekend visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. D. L. Barnes were their daughter and son and their families, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Vanderveer and Kay of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Barnes and Debbie of Houston.

Rev. and Mrs. Moody Smith and daughters of De Leon visited with friends in Hico Thursday of last week.

Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tullio Carpenter were Mr. and Mrs. Don Wadlington and son and daughter of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jones of Dublin and Mrs. Mollie Harvey.

### Roselle Guthrie and Donald Lindley Married In Ft. Stockton Rites

Mrs. Roselle Guthrie and Donald Lindley were united in marriage in a ceremony performed at Fort Stockton June 20.

Mrs. Lindley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sessom of Duffau and Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Lindley, formerly of Stephenville, and now of Hico Route 4, are parents of Mr. Lindley.

The couple are at home in Stephenville at 940 West Tarleton following a trip to Big Bend National Park and other points of interest in West Texas. They plan to move to his farm near Iredell in the near future.

### Interesting Crafts Program Presented at South Hico H. D. Club

The South Hico Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, July 2, in the home of Mrs. Lenard Weaver. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Churchill. After the opening exercises, roll call was answered with "A Craft I Like Best."

The program was on crafts and there were some very interesting examples shown. These were a cup and saucer planter, painted bottles, sanded bottles, hurricane lamps, (using tuna or small pineapple can and lamp chimneys) egg shell plates, ivy planter, using clothes pins around a one pound coffee can, waste basket made of ice cream carton, a dipper made from a gourd, and Mrs. Churchill demonstrated the molding of things using plaster of paris.

The hostess served punch and iced cake to eight members and seven visitors.

Those present for the afternoon were Mrs. Sylvia Seale, Mrs. Margaret Holman of Hot Springs, Arkansas, Mrs. Amy Cook, Jean Brown and Mrs. Merritt's two little daughters, who were all visitors. Mrs. Seale became a new member of the club. Members present were Mrs. Blum, Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. King, Mrs. Churchill, Mrs. Hawthorne, Mrs. Hyles and the hostess, Mrs. Weaver.

In honor of the 4th of July, Mrs. Weaver had red punch with blue and white ice cubes, red cake, white icing covered with blue coconut.

Reporter.

Tommy Dunnigan of Beaumont visited last week here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Dunnigan and Nita.

Little Gary Earl and Randy Simpson of Fort Worth sons of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson, visited from Wednesday until Sunday of last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson. Saturday visitors in the Simpson home were Mr. and Mrs. David Box, Carolyn and Donna, of Hamilton.

### Recent Bridge Parties Enjoyed by Members of Monday Night Club

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Christian was the scene of a bridge party Monday evening, June 29, when they were hosts to members of the Monday Bridge Club.

During the evening the guests were served a sandwich plate.

High scorer concluding bridge play was Dwain Wolfe, with Mrs. Rusty Roberson winning second high score.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. John Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller, Mr. and Mrs. George Kilgo, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wolfe.

**SCOTTS BRIDGE HOSTS**  
 Members of the Monday Bridge Club were entertained the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Von Scott.

High bridge score was won by Mrs. Rusty Roberson. Dwain Wolfe was winner of second high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Golightly were guests of the club. Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bulman, Mr. and Mrs. George Kilgo, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Christian.

A delicious sandwich plate was served during the evening by the hosts.

### MOVE TO HICO FARM

Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Lindley, recently retired from their drug and gift business in Stephenville, are making their home at their ranch four miles north of Hico.

Week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Daisy Dankers were her sisters, Mrs. Wilbur Wright, Mrs. Gladys Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Mohon, all of Waco, and also Mr. and Mrs. Cager Mohon of De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Turner and son spent the July Fourth week end in Gainesville with their daughter and sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beck and children.

Miss Louise Blair was in Brady Wednesday night and Thursday morning visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis and Neil, and Mrs. Peggy O'Neal visited in Fort Worth Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rainwater and children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ellis and children, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Needham. They also visited in Hurst with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis and children. Sunday afternoon they all went to Love Field in Dallas to meet Dennis and DaLana Tressler, who flew to Texas from Jennerstown, Pa. The children will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis until August, when their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Tressler will come to Texas on vacation.

Mrs. George Tabor of Dallas visited Tuesday here with her mother, Mrs. O. E. Meador, and attended funeral services for Rance McElroy.

Wm. Strike of the U. S. Air Force, Bell, California, spent two days recently with his father-in-law, Glenn Daugherty. He was en route to Maguire Air Base, Trenton, New Jersey. He will fly from there to Greenland for a year's duty.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage returned home last Friday afternoon from a visit in Hooks with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ramage and children. They were accompanied to Hico by Herbert Britton, who had been at Ramage Farms for the past several weeks assisting with the harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Partain and family visited Sunday in Stephenville in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East and Ronnie spent the week end in Waco with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Maron Linch spent last Saturday at Possum Kingdom Lake fishing. Sunday they were accompanied by Mrs. W. L. Malone and Mrs. June Saunders to Meridian where they attended the Linch family reunion at the Meridian State Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Meador of Seagraves were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Jacobs. They were accompanied to Hico by her mother, Mrs. Lucy Chote, who had spent the past month with them.

### Proffitt Family Reunion Held Sunday at Glen Rose Park

The annual Proffitt family reunion was held Sunday, July 5, at Oakdale Park in Glen Rose.

Those attending the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Proffitt of Carlton; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Proffitt of Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Proffitt of Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hickman of Gustine; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Proffitt of Hobbs, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt and two daughters and Pat Haggard of Comanche; Capt. Layman Smith and wife and three children, who are en route to Germany; Cecil Ray Proffitt and son of Rhode Island; Mr. and Mrs. Don Proffitt of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Little of Fort Worth; Mrs. Jimmie Harris and three children of Mayflower, Arkansas; Mr. and Mrs. Walton Blackley and two children of Fort Worth;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Loraine Blackley and two children of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Appleby and son of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Appleby of Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Proffitt of Hobbs, New Mexico; and Mr. and Mrs. George Wilborn and three children of Fort Worth.

Don Seal of San Antonio and Dan Seal of Lubbock spent the holiday week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Seal.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mackey and two sons of Fort Worth and Mrs. Tullio Carpenter visited last Wednesday evening with Mrs. Mollie Harvey.

### Sutton Family Reunion Held Last Sunday at Hico City Park

Members of the Sutton family held their reunion last Sunday, July 5, in Hico City Park.

The group enjoyed visiting all day and a dinner served at noon.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Preacher Bowie and family of Killen; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Roberson and children, Paula and Randy of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dick and Danny of Lewisville; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ratliff of Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie of Duffau;

Also Sam, Stella and Russell Sutton of Rising Star; Mrs. Eunice Moore, Mrs. Ruth Altman and Mary Alice Sails of Victoria; Lude Sutton of Aransas Pass; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberson and James Ray and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Roberson all of Hico.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Simpson of Glen Rose. Monday visitors in the Simpson home were Mrs. David Bex and two daughters of Hamilton.

Visitors during the holiday week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hines of Corpus Christi. Mr. Hines also visited in Fort Worth with his mother and sister. They returned to Corpus Sunday morning.

Rev. W. M. Lightfoot of Greenville visited during the week end with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mae Snellings and sons.

Mrs. Mae Snellings returned home Saturday from a 3-week visit in Greenville with her granddaughter, Mrs. Monk, and other relatives.

Leola Wolfe of Kermit visited during the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe, and with his brother, Dwain Wolfe and family. He and his parents were guests in the home of an aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Currier and Janice of Stephenville Friday night.

### Friday Bridge Club Entertained Last Week By Mrs. Ramage

An afternoon of bridge was enjoyed last Friday in the home of Mrs. Jimmie Ramage near Hico by members of the Friday Bridge Club.

A refreshment plate was served by the hostess during the afternoon.

Members present included Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. G. K. Lewallen, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. Harold Walker and Mrs. E. V. Meador.

High score was won by Mrs. Knudson, with second high score being won by Mrs. Ogle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Risenhoover and Morris of Lancaster spent the July Fourth holidays here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burden and Suzanne.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lively and Judy spent Monday at Possum Kingdom Lake, and at Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wolfe and children, Sherry and Terry, and Leola Wolfe of Kermit visited in the home of their parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe.

Pfc. R. W. Leeth, stationed at El Paso, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Viola Davis, and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lively and Judy vacationed in the Hill country near Kerrville the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee Roberson of Kermit visited last week end with her mother, Mrs. O. E. Meador. They were en route to Fort Worth to visit relatives from Possum Kingdom where they had been vacationing.

Mrs. Hallie Jameson of Whitney spent a few days week visiting with her sister, Mrs. Maron Linch and Mr. Linch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lovell and Mr. Walter Lovell of Cleburne visited last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lovell.

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# IREDELL ITEMS

By MRS. C. A. MITCHELL

## TIDWELL FAMILY REUNION HELD AT WALNUT SPRINGS

The Tidwell family reunion was held Saturday, July 3, at Walnut Springs Park.

Those attending were Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell and sons of Brownwood; Mrs. Leon Roberts and sons of Waco; Rev. and Mrs. Oral Bowman and children of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bowman of Denton and their daughter from Dallas; Mrs. Ida Bowman of Carlton; Mrs. Joe Golbow and son of Addicks; Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Williams and son, and Mrs. Doris Wright of Meadow; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith.

Those attending from Iredell were Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tidwell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tidwell.

Mr. C. A. Mitchell is a patient in Holt Hospital at Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hefris and Mr. and Mrs. Quince Fouts are en route to Washington, D. C. where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Newman and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Main visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Frank Main and daughter Sunday in Fort

Worth. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Graham in Cleburne. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Weatherford and children and Mr. Doyle Weatherford visited their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Mathews and family in Eldorado during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Bakke and sons are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Luck of Dallas, Mrs. Bert Boyd of Sanatorium, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reinke of Belton visited Mrs. T. M. Davis and Nelson during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Graves and son of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Dunlap during the holidays.

Mrs. Eunice Guthrie and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Musick and children, all of Fort Worth spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Ida Musick.

Mrs. T. P. Barnhill had the misfortune of breaking a leg in a fall Monday night. She was able to return home Sunday from Hico Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barnhill and daughter of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barnhill and baby and Mrs. Mattie Phillips of Meridian visited relatives here during the week end.

## Amy Cunningham, Gayle Norris Crabb Wed in Iredell

Miss Amy Sue Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham Sr. of Stephenville, and Mr. Gayle Norris Crabb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Crabb of Copperas Cove, were married at 10 a.m. June 20 in the home of Miss Cunningham's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence of Iredell. Rev. Jack Davis of Iredell officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of imported organdy and Venise lace. The beauteous neckline was applied in a quimper lace band as were the brief sleeves and midriff. The bouffant waist length skirt was designed with a deep hemline that repeated the lace band. Her circular illusion veil fell from a miniature Swedish crown of seed pearls.

Miss Wanda North of Stephenville was the maid of honor and Mr. Miniard L. Crabb, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

A reception was held after the wedding. The bride's colors of pink and white were carried out. Mrs. Frank Cunningham Jr., sister-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. C. V. McDaniel, sister of the bridegroom, served.

Guests attending included Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crabbe of Copperas Cove; Mr. and Mrs. Miniard L. Crabb and children, Bobby and Sue Jane of Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. McDaniel, Betty and Jimmy of Angleton; Mrs. A. G. Crabb of Killeen; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence of Iredell; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham Jr. of Clifton.

The couple will make their home in Taylor, where the bridegroom is a junior draftsman for the Taylor manufacturing Company.

# DUFFAU

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sowell and family and D. Boy Britton of Norwalk, Calif. have been visiting with Mrs. G. W. Britton and son, Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Burgan and children of Hamilton spent the July Fourth week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer and family.

Lee King of Hobbs, New Mexico is visiting his wife and family, Mrs. Lee King and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and Harry and Mrs. Max Burden spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Killion of Hico.

Miss Sallie Craig returned to Grand Prairie Thursday to be with her sister, Mrs. Harry Abbott, who is a patient in the hospital there.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and Harry on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ledbetter of Fort Worth, Mr. Harry Abbott of Dallas, Mrs. Max Burden of Hico and Linda Naul.

Mike Flowers has been confined to his bed suffering with his foot following an operation on a toe the past week. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Sam Priest, Bob and Edith have moved back to their farm. They purchased a house and moved it there, where their former home was destroyed by fire several months ago.

Dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Brown and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash, Dale and Wendell of Stephenville.

Bro. Marvin Porterfield of Fairly preached at the Church of Christ Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Porterfield and son, Marvin Jr. They were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sesson.

Brenda Hutson left Monday for Lubbock to spend two weeks with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Marsden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Evans and Mr. Touzen of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul and son, Quinton, of near Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reagan of Morgan Mill, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Beverly of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Reagan and daughter Yvonne of Morgan Mill visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and family during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Scott, Randy and Lynda of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Oldham and sons visited relatives in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Parson spent one night in Hico Hospital recently due to a severely sprained ankle.

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Talley and family Sunday. Little John Meyers spent the past week in Fort Worth visiting his father, Mr. Bob Myers. Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold of near Hico visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and family Saturday night.

## Pentacostal Church

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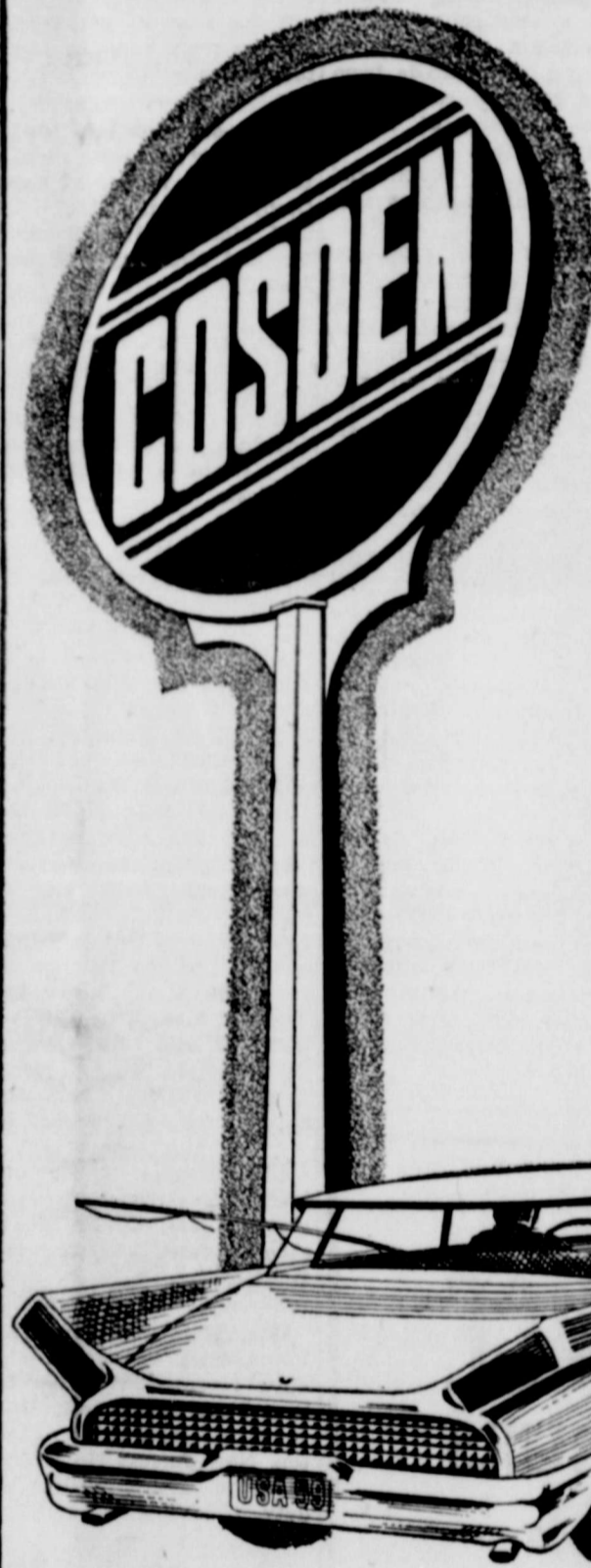
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Flame cultivation, often used as a supplement to mechanical and chemical cultivation, consists of applying controlled fire along the sides of rows in a way that does not injure the crop but kills weeds before they become firmly established. Tractor-drawn flame equip-

ment normally treats each side of several rows at one time.

Safe and effective use of the flame treatment depends largely on accompanying use of other equipment to carefully prevent formation of ridges, clods and depressions between cotton rows. Such irregularities—as well as high wind—can deflect the cultivating flame and possibly cause serious damage to cotton plants, particularly those shorter than 10 inches. For this reason, flaming would probably not be practical in the North Central-West Texas "wind belt" where the cultivating season is almost always accompanied by variable wind gusts.

In calmer parts of the state, however, flaming is especially effective as a supplement to other methods of cultivation when herbicides are applied first to control young weeds temporarily until the cotton grows to a height of at least 6

**Game Warden Reports**

By SWEDE JOHNSON  
State Game Warden  
Hamilton & Bosque Counties

You might say we just finished a typical July 4th, a good, hot, dry week end with lots of people swel-

tering in the heat, catching very few fish, and being well covered by chigger and mosquito bites.

But as a whole I think most of the people had a very enjoyable week end, except those whose lives were marred by accident and death which always seem to go hand in hand with these long week end holidays. Lake Whitney now has a total of 27 that have drowned in the history of the lake.

Being that they were more picnickers out for the week end than there were fishermen, it would be a shame to judge a lake as fine as Lake Whitney on this basis. I had the pleasure of checking Mr. and Mrs. Rofe Hood, who are died-in-the-wool fishermen and they had some real good catches with about five or six bass weighing in the neighborhood of around five to six pounds each. All were caught on chugger-type baits right at the edge of the water and grass area.

The old adage that says "Birds of the Feather Flock Together" must hold true because for the last two weeks I have been visited by Game Warden Russell Myers out of Altoona, Pa. Now Russell

didn't just come down here to visit with me but brought his wife and son down so she could visit her mother who is Mrs. Jack Womack of Kopperl.

Russell and I have spent several days together cussing and discussing wildlife conservation and operations of game departments as a whole, and although we are miles apart when it comes to distance, we are still mighty close in our practices and beliefs on wildlife and the duties of a Warden.

Before closing I want to mention that this year at the Hico Reunion the Game and Fish Commission's Wildlife Exhibit will be there, along with Mr. Harley Berg of Central Texas TV fame, and I want to take this time to invite all of you who haven't seen the exhibit to make it a "Must See" because it will not only be interesting to children but for the adults also.

So until next time, good luck and fishing to all of you.  
SWEDE.

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# CLAIRETTE

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

Mrs. John Willis attended a quilting session which her church sponsors each month at the Church of Christ in Dublin last Thursday.

Pat Christian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruff Christian, was injured while at work in the Albany oil field last Tuesday, and is in the Albany Hospital. One ear was almost torn off, his neck was injured, and one arm broken in two or three places.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Carter were in Fort Worth Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sfair of San Antonio visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rush.

Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Self and girls of Madison, Wisconsin have returned home after a vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Self, and other relatives.

Mrs. Sallie Hoskins and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Hoskins visited at Belton last week end with the Harry Hoskins family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Haley and family visited last Sunday in Dublin with Mrs. Bonnie Little and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Culver and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Carr and Mrs. A. E. Lepard and girls spent last week end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Eberhart of Bryan and Mrs. Lila Dow and boys of Mineral Wells spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard recently. Mrs. Eberhart is the former Mary Sherrard.

News has been received here that Mrs. Lillie Bishop has had her three month x-rays at the State T.B. Hospital at Sanatorium and has shown great improvement. She wishes to thank everyone who sent her cards and letters, and will enjoy receiving more. Her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moody of Colorado City, and her son, Forest Whiteside and family of Farmington, New Mexico, are here visiting at Mrs. Bishop's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson of New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson last Thursday.

Charlie Dowdy and Mrs. Etta Whiteside were in Denison last Tuesday to attend funeral services for Mrs. W. C. Dowdy, 76. Mrs. Dowdy was a former resident here some years before moving to Denison several years ago. She is survived by her husband and two children, Arvil Dowdy of Dallas

and Mrs. Connie Jacobs, and several grandchildren.

Mrs. Etta Whiteside and Charlie Dowdy were in Odessa Thursday to visit during the week end with her son, Jack Whiteside and family.

Mr. F. D. Hicks of Jefferson and Mrs. Ninnie Oxford of Stephenville visited at the Henry Mayfield home recently.

Ellen Wyley and sister, Myrtice and family of West Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Les Dowdy Sunday.

Shirley and Roger Duncan of Fort Worth are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield and Mitchell, a friend of Shirley's. Lois Maree Fagan of Fort Worth is also visiting in the Mayfield home.

## July 4th Motif Used At Clairette Club Party

Mrs. Maida Christian was hostess to the Busy Bee Sewing Club Thursday afternoon.

Games pertaining to July Fourth were played. Prizes went to Mrs. Zenith Johnson and Nola Lee.

The members planned a sandwich supper with ice cream and cake for their families, to be held Thursday, July 9.

A refreshment plate carrying out the national colors of red, white and blue, was served. The plate favor was a small U. S. flag.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Zenith Johnson.

## LATE FAIRY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Whitaker and family of Roswell, New Mexico, visited during the July Fourth week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitaker. They were accompanied home by his sister, Miss Patsy Whitaker, and Annell Gleason, who had gone to Roswell by bus last Friday week to visit in the Whitaker home for a week. While there they visited Carlsbad Caverns and other points of interest. During the week end the Eldon Whitakers and Robert Whitakers visited at Austin with their sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Crosby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Whatley and children of Colorado City were weekend guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Whatley.

## ★ APARTMENTS SCARCE

Seldom does a day go by that the News Review doesn't have inquiries on houses or apartments for rent from would-be residents here. These people check the NR want ads to see all available listings.

If you have an available apartment or house, you will get speedy results by running an inexpensive classified in this paper.

## Recreation Center is Scene of Clairette H. D. Club Meeting

The Clairette Home Demonstration Club met July 3 at the Recreation Center for their regular meeting. Mrs. John Golightly was hostess.

Mrs. Rush, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Sterling led the group in song, and the club pledge and prayer was repeated in unison.

For recreation, Mrs. Golightly gave a written test on Presidents of the United States. Mrs. Edwards gave the most answers. Mrs. Sterling was lucky lady of the day and both were given gifts by the hostess.

After roll call and a short business meeting, Mrs. Deane Valentine, County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a very interesting demonstration on collection and arrangement of furniture in the home.

The hostess served refreshments of dainty cookies and punch to Mrs. Marvin Rush, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. George Loden, Mrs. J. G. Edwards, Mrs. O. V. King, Mrs. Chance Sterling, Mrs. S. O. Durham, Mrs. H. K. Self, Mrs. John Willis, and Mrs. Valentine.

The next regular meeting will be July 17, with Mrs. Huckabee as hostess. The club will not meet in August.

A covered dish supper was held at the Recreation Center Wednesday at 7 p.m., honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Sterling and Mrs. Edwards.

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## COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By E. B. LAWRENCE

Most of you have received your Form 2240 through the mail. This is the form to be used to claim for refund of Federal tax on gasoline used on a farm.

All who made a claim for this year should have received one of these forms. If not, I have a supply of them and I'll be glad to mail or give you one should you need it. Should you come by the office for one and I'm not in, they will be on my typewriter table. Take one and also one of the white sheets laying under the forms. The white one you are to fill out and keep. The stiff one is to be filled out and mailed to the Internal Revenue Service, Austin.

Here's some information from the extension economist that I believe all the cattlemen will be interested in.

There were 96,851,000 head of cattle in the United States on January 1, 1959, said John McHaney, extension economist. This is a new record and three and one-half million more than on January 1, 1958. Most of this increase in the cattle inventory was in young beef stock, McHaney said. For example, beef heifers rose 750,000 head, steer numbers rose 750,000 also, and calf numbers were 1,300,000 higher. The beef cow herd increased 1.3 million, however, the number of milk cows were off 600,000 head leaving the total cow increase at 700,000.

A big expansion in beef production for market in 1959 or 1960 is not expected, because cow numbers are not large. They are still two million below 1955 and this is favorable from a price standpoint, because the calf crop this year will not be large enough to bring about a great increase in slaughter in 1959. Many of the heifers and heifer calves will be retained as breeding stock. However, many young cattle will go to slaughter this year or next, after a period of feeding. The outlook for fairly stable slaughter and prices in 1959 is based upon favorable range and pasture conditions. Prices during the rest of 1959 should remain good.

A severe drought, however, would cause more cattle to move to market and you may want to be there first with the most. For this reason, you should watch range conditions closely in 1959, not just in your local areas, but all over the United States.

Chances are that prices of cattle will be lower in 1960 and 1961 as cow numbers increase. The break in cattle prices usually comes later on in the cattle cycle when breeding herds are built up and calf crops increase. It could come early in the 1960's. It is expected that the farmers and ranchers in the U.S. will add between four and five million head of cattle to the inventory in 1959. A buildup of this would approach the rate of expansion which occurred in 1951-52. Producers continue to hold back cows from slaughter. Cow slaughter for the period January-March 1959 was 24 per cent below last year and the smallest for the period since 1952. If this continues, the expansion would be greater and prices could break much sooner than expected, says McHaney.

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