

# The Hico News Review

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## August 30th Set for Special Election

### Voters to Decide if Sheriff-Tax Office to Be Separate

Hamilton County Commissioners Court, meeting in regular session Monday of this week, set Tuesday, August 30, as the date of a special election to decide whether the offices of sheriff and that of tax assessor-collector should be kept separate.

Under Texas law, counties with less than 10,000 population must consolidate the offices unless qualified voters ballot to keep them separate. Under an old provision, it was mandatory to combine the offices in counties where the population was under the 10,000 figure. However, in recent years a constitutional amendment was passed by the people giving a choice in the matter.

Hamilton County fell below 10,000 population in preliminary figures released by the U. S. Bureau of Census for 1960. The drop was to 8,631, as compared with 10,660 in 1950.

The office of tax assessor-collector will be combined with that of sheriff should county voters decide to combine the two. Mrs. Pearl B. Williams, who was appointed last year to fill the unexpired term of Billy G. Wood in the tax office, and who was nominated in the first primary for a four-year term, will not take office in January should the offices be combined. Unless voters give approval in the special election, her name will not appear on the general election ballot in November. Sheriff Woody Young would then assume the tax duties.

### TO UNDERGO SURGERY IN DALLAS FRIDAY

Mrs. Cecil Segrest accompanied her mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Denton to Dallas Thursday, where Mrs. Denton was scheduled to undergo major surgery Friday at Baylor Hospital.

### MOVE TO SAN ANTONIO

Mrs. Bob Herrin and daughter, Sylvia, were here Sunday making preparations to move to San Antonio where Dr. Herrin is attending school. Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Trotter and children plan to move into the Herrin home in the near future.

### 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	94	68	0.00
June 29	94	68	0.00
June 30	93	70	0.00
July 1	95	71	0.00
July 2	95	70	0.00
July 3	96	71	0.00
July 4	97	71	0.00
July 5	97	72	0.00
July 6	97	71	0.00
July 7	93	68	T
July 8	92	68	0.20
July 9	96	68	0.00
July 10	99	69	0.00
July 11	100	72	0.00
July 12	102	72	0.00

Total precipitation so far this year, 11.45 inches.

### Rev. Roline Chaney To Graduate From Southwestern Seminary

Fort Worth, July 13.—Roline Chaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chaney of Hico, is a candidate for graduation at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary during graduation exercises July 15 at 10 a.m. in Truett Auditorium.

Chaney is a graduate of Baylor University with the bachelor of arts degree, and Southwestern with the bachelor of divinity in 1958. He is scheduled to receive the master of religious education.

At present he is pastor of the Gordon Baptist Church.

Dr. Nane Starnes, pastor of the West Asheville Baptist Church in North Carolina for the past 24 years, will deliver the commencement address.

Degrees and diplomas will be conferred and awarded to 138 students—83 in the School of Theology, 47 in the School of Religious Education, and eight in the School of Church Music.

Students in this graduating class represent 22 states, Mexico and Australia.

### Kenneth Graves Seriously Injured In Austin Accident

Mr. and Mrs. Wysong Graves were called to Austin Tuesday, July 5, to be with their son, Kenneth, who was seriously injured in an accident that morning en route to work.

Kenneth was driving his motor scooter to work when he was hit by a truck.

His condition was critical last week, but he was showing signs of improvement the first of this week, the family reported.

### Gatesville Funeral Held For R. L. Weaver, 90

R. L. (Lan) Weaver, pioneer Coryell County resident, passed away at 6 p.m., Saturday, July 2 in a Gatesville hospital. He was 90.

Mr. Weaver was the father of Lenard Weaver of Hico.

Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. July 3 at the First Baptist Church in Gatesville. Burial was in Restland Cemetery.

### ATTEND FUNERAL IN GLEN ROSE

Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus King, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss were in Glen Rose Wednesday of this week to attend funeral services for their cousin, Mrs. Beulah K. Hicks, who passed away Monday.

### VACATION ON COAST

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Roberson spent last week vacationing at Port Aransas.

### Special Meeting of FFA Members Called For Next Tuesday

The Hico Future Farmer Chapter will hold a special meeting at the Youth Center Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

The Chapter will select delegates to attend the State FFA Convention in Houston, July 20-22.

Wayland Wooton, Chapter Treasurer, will receive his Lone Star Farmer Degree at the banquet on July 21.

All Chapter members are urged to be present at the meeting and refreshments will be served.

### COUNTY EXCEEDS QUOTA

### Chairman Reports Hico Will Exceed Cancer Drive Quota

Odus Petsick, general chairman of the Hico Cancer Drive, reported Tuesday of this week that Hico's quota of \$260.00 was almost reached, with final tabulation perhaps exceeding the specified amount.

Local businessmen were in charge of solicitation of the business district, with Mrs. Ellis

### PURCHASE BRADFUTE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Maron Linch have recently purchased the home of Thurman Bradfute, which is located on the Glen Rose Highway. They plan to move into their new home in the near future.

### VISITORS FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bryant of Oklahoma City visited this past week end in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan and Mrs. Zuella Strother. Mrs. Bryant is the former Fay Trimble, daughter of the late Howard Trimble.

### ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICES FOR NEPHEW AT McCAMEY

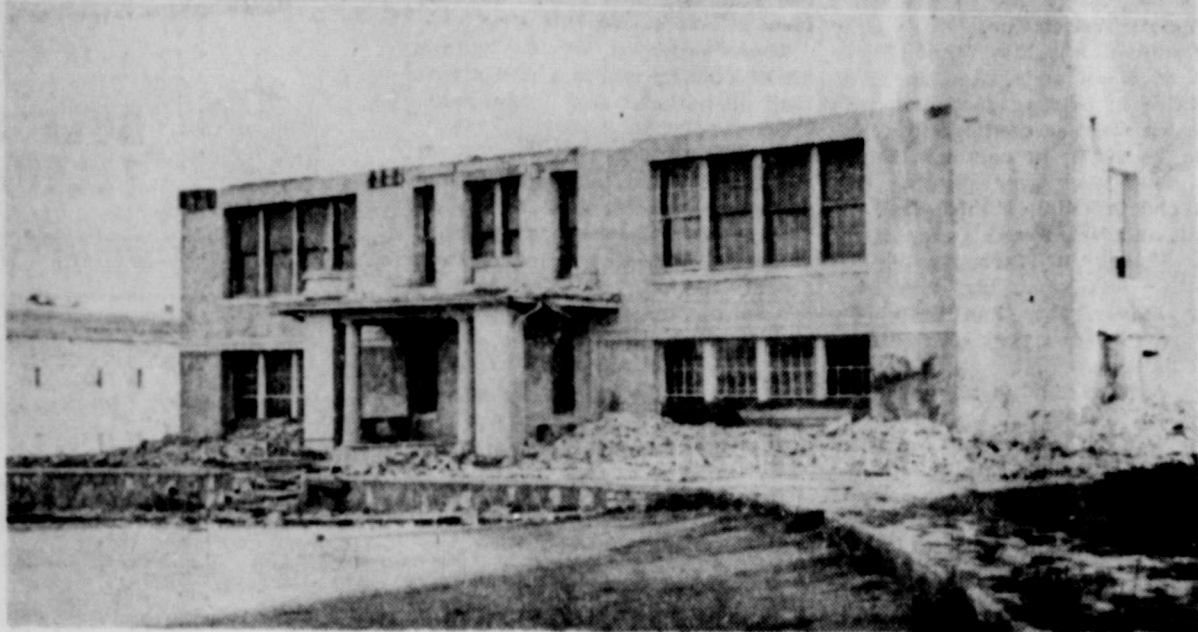
Mrs. Pal Drake and Jimmy, and Mrs. O'Bannon of Hamilton were called to McCamey July 1 following an accident that fatally injured their nephew, Gene Baker. They remained to attend funeral services last week.

### SON FOR WILLINGHAMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Willingham are proud parents of their third child, a son, Roy Lee, who arrived Sunday morning, July 10 at Hico Hospital. The new arrival weighed 6 pounds and 10 ounces. Bro. Willingham is minister of Hico Church of Christ.

### Caseys July Winner of Yard of the Month

Mrs. Fred Rainwater, president of Hico Garden Club, announced this week that the Yard of the Month Award for July had been awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Casey. The pretty lawn and well-kept flower beds makes a lovely setting for the Caseys pink brick home.



OLD FLAT TOP—Hico's high school building looked like the above early this week as workmen completed removal of the top floor. Forms were being set for the new roof. Once the roof is in place work is expected to progress rapidly toward completion of the building in time to start the fall school term.

### 33 HOPEFULS IN RACE FOR MISS REUNION TITLE

Interest in the Miss Reunion contest started snow-balling last week and enthusiasm is as great, if not greater, than it has been in previous years.

Following last week's issue of the News Review, when it was stated that interest was lagging, merchants started getting their contestants officially entered.

Thirty-three beauties were entered Wednesday noon of this week, with more entrants expected before the deadline next Monday.

The contest is the top entertainment feature of the Annual Old Settlers Reunion when literally thousands of people crowd City Park to view local lovelies on opening night of the four-day celebration.

Mrs. O. C. Cook, chairman of the contest, is planning an outstanding production of the popular event this year.

### Accident Report For June Released by Belton Sub-Station

Sergeant Leonard Hancock, Supervisor of the Texas Highway Patrol in the Belton Area, released Falls, Bell, Coryell and Hamilton Counties' rural traffic accident summary for the month of June.

The Highway Patrol in this area investigated a total of 54 traffic crashes. There was one fatal crash, 18 that resulted in personal injury, and the remaining 35 crashes resulted in serious vehicle damage only.

As a result of these 54 auto crashes, one person was killed, 27 persons were injured, and there was \$21,095.00 worth of vehicle damage reported.

For the first 6 months of 1960, Sgt. Hancock reported 323 rural accidents in his area. These 323 crashes resulted in 17 persons being killed and 175 persons injured. There was \$181,783.00 worth of vehicle damage reported for this 6 month period.

This compares to 272 rural accidents for the first 6 months of 1959, when 17 persons were killed, and 185 being injured. There was \$139,054.00 worth of vehicle damage reported during that period.

"It is significant to note that even though we had more accidents in the first 6 months of 1959, our number of deaths remained the same. This leads us to believe that our drivers are probably driving a little slower and when an accident does occur, it is not quite as serious," Sgt. Hancock added.

He urged all drivers to continue to practice traffic law observance and to follow good common sense driving procedures. "As long as we continue to kill 17 persons in a 6 month period in this area, there is still room for major improvement," he concluded.

### HERE IN HICO

By E. V. M.

grass fire Tuesday afternoon indicative of the destructive range fires during this of the year. Once started, are almost unstoppable, and should certainly use every means to prevent these fires, town and in the rural section.

Tuesday fire only consumed but it could easily have homes, livestock, etc.

fund raising campaign being to defray medical expenses for the Kilcrease family is by cause.

Civic Club Welfare Committee taken on the project, due to the fact that the doctor performed the operation, and also do the upcoming surgery. Johnny Kilcrease, needs paid something, even if only amount.

first operation has greatly Johnny, and the second restore use of both arms in a normal manner. If would like to donate a small to this worthy cause, you so by making checks payable to the Kilcrease Fund, and mail or leave them at the Review office.

amount will certainly be by the family, and as Johnny, who has many in this area.

the time you read this the (by now we don't have what convention) as will be history, and Sen. will probably have the of campaigning for President of the United States.

seems so odd to us is the in nearly all quarters, who are in the know admit our own Senator Johnson be the best man for the job, would have the best chance elected in November.

they maintain, Kennedy get the nomination even stands less chance of at the polls. Doesn't make us, to nominate one person is less apt to be elected another who stands a good

given for the prediction delegates desiring to vote on ticket have already obligated for months. They estimated at \$5,000,000 poured into the till to obligations.

they say you can't buy everything.

time is fast approaching with it will come from here and you who the annual trek "home" this of year.

will be the 74th edition of celebration, and people who here will again journey meet and greet old friends, forth a special effort to these visitors.

our electric bill paid on month. Last month the inadvertently placed in person's postal box, and receive it until it was sent.

the bill did show up at the day while we were out note was found: "Say have Community Serv. me your light bills to can't pay my own, much Signed Anonymous."

can't take but one look at the going to know that old "bags" Paul Neel had been the bills.

FROM ILLINOIS Mrs. Dillis Williams of arrived last week to their three-week vacation with her parents, Mr. and J. Chaney, and other relatives.

ON COAST Martha Paddock accompanied Mrs. E. T. Paddock family of Fort Worth to Christi last week on vacation following their return, Miss visited in the Paddock Fort Worth before returning to Hico.



# FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

## COLIN TAEGEL HOME ON TWO-WEEK LEAVE

Colin Taegel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Taegel, arrived last Saturday for a two-week leave with his parents.

He took his basic training at Fort Riley, Kansas. Following his leave he will report to Fort Leonardwood, Missouri, where he will attend an engineering school for eight weeks.

We received about an inch of rain Thursday night of last week, which gave us cooler temperatures for a few days. The Dublin area had received 3.29 inches on Thursday afternoon.

Our daughter, Mrs. D. E. Allison

of Dublin drove up to the Gorman Hospital for us Thursday afternoon, spending Thursday night in her home. It was a grand and glorious feeling to be able to head homeward. She brought us home Friday morning. Although we still had several days in bed to go it was wonderful to be home again.

Like most hospitals, the Gorman Hospital is a busy place. They have a 40-bed hospital in a 4-story building. They have no visiting hour regulations there and relatives and friends begin to arrive soon after daylight and this continues throughout the day and until nine o'clock at night. But everything is orderly. The visitors seem to respect their visiting privileges. We were on the sec-

ond floor near the front entrance and watching the visitors come and go helped us to pass the time away, but at best the time seemed to pass by so slowly. They have some very competent nurses there.

We awoke one morning before we left to see two nurses standing in our room. At once we thought to ourselves we were seeing double. Then we asked if they were identical twins. They told us they were and that both had been waiting on us from time to time. They were Georgia Fay and Frankie May Stacy. They said they were born at the hospital there, with Dr. Rodgers as the attending physician, who also christened them. They said they had been with the hospital staff 17 years Tuesday, July 12 and both were still unmarried.

After today, Monday, we will be able to be up a bit and to us it will be wonderful to be able to take a peek outside now and then. Our kiddos and family and friends have been wonderful to help out. All has meant so much to us.

We were sorry to learn soon after our arrival home of the illness of our sister-in-law, Mrs. T. L. Betts of Hico. Glad to know she is much better and hope by this time she has been able to be returned to her home.

We also hope our dear friend, Mrs. Andrew Hutton, who has been hospitalized, is much better by this writing.

We were also very sorry to learn of the misfortune of Mrs. Martha (Crow) Burnett, who received a fall down an embankment Wednesday of last week while on the creek fishing with her daughters, Mrs. Maxine Little and Mrs. Lucille Spinks. A small sliver of bone was broken off her shoulder blade. She is a patient at Hico Hospital where she did part-time nursing duty. We hope she will soon be on the way to complete recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Gardner and son spent the week end at Grand Prairie visiting in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gardner and baby, and their daughter, Miss Cleo Gardner.

Larue Gardner spent the week end with Bernice Turner while her parents and brother were visiting in Grand Prairie.

Our school is scheduled to start August 29. Won't be long kiddos. Better be enjoying that vacation from the classroom. We understand the same faculty members were retained.

Don Hall, son of Mrs. Harold Taegel of Fairy is visiting his

grandmother at Eden this summer.

Mrs. Louis Abel of Fort Worth visited during the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson and other relatives.

Visitors in the home of the writer Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Textie Allison and Dana of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and family.

Others visiting with us since our return from the hospital were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover, P. L. Cox, T. L. Betts, Mrs. Leon Springer, Mr. and Mrs. Leeota Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver and Mrs. J. T. Jackson.

Our sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover for a donation of \$3.00 for the Fairy Cemetery fund, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allison of Waco for a donation of \$1.00 and to Mrs. W. O. Lackey of Dallas for a \$5.00 donation.

Thanks also to Leslie Arrant, who contributed \$20 to the Fairy Cemetery Association.

Thanks also to Mrs. Maude Whitson of Hico for a \$5.00 donation.

Maize is turning fast and with hot dry weather continuing it will soon be ready to combine. Farmers have been busy plowing cotton and breaking stubble land.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver spent last Sunday in Waco visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Driver. Roy has been hospitalized for the past several days and is expected to undergo surgery as soon as his strength will permit.

Mrs. J. C. Buchanan and two children of Texas City have been visiting the past week in the home of her grandparents, Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver.

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

Mrs. Wilma Grace McDowell and little son, Robbie, of Fort Worth are spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyne.

### CARD OF THANKS

May we take this method of saying thanks to our many friends and relatives for your cards, letters, flowers and other deeds of kindness shown us during our stay at the Blackwell Hospital at Gorman. For your visits since our return home. Your thoughtfulness has helped to make the burden lighter and more pleasant. May God bless each of you.  
Mrs. Eunice Daniel.

## COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By E. B. LAWRENCE

I have received a supply of the forms for making claims for refunds of the Federal gas tax. They are in a box on the desk where my typewriter is. If I'm not in the office when you come in for one, just help yourself.

There are two forms to take. One is a sheet of instructions and the other is the form to mail in.

There is a difference this year too. A refund of 3 cents is made on gasoline purchased before October 1, 1959. Gasoline purchased on or after Oct. 1, 1959 the refund is 4 cents a gallon. This means a little more work in making out the form, so check your purchases and fill in the form correctly so it will not be returned to you for correction.

After the form is filled out, mail it to the Director, Internal Revenue Service, Austin, Texas. All who asked for a refund last year should have received one of the forms by direct mail.

Bill Stearman, Route 3 Hico, checked his calves last Tuesday, for the gain test. He is cooperating in the Performance Testing Program of the Pioneer Association, Cleburne.

As this is a good time to do mesquite tree control work, it is also a good time to check with the ASC office to see what you can earn

### HICO CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST CHURCH

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.

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Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship, 8 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8

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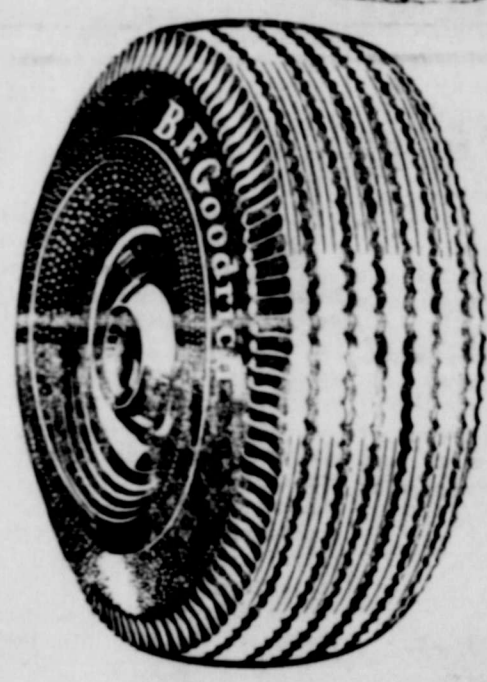
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### Formal Opening of Sonora Caverns Set Saturday, July 23

Sonora, Texas, July 13.—A fabulous new cavern near Sonora, Texas, called one of the world's most beautiful and fantastic, will be opened for public viewing July 16. Official dedication and opening of the Caverns of Sonora has been set for Saturday, July 23, with a weekend of celebration planned for official dignitaries, members of the press and cave enthusiasts.

The Cavern is located 15 minutes west of the West Texas town which is on two major transcontinental highways, and is the largest cave in Texas open to the public.

lic. Holding a constant temperature of 70 degrees, the cavern is described by speleologists as having beauty and color in profusion and variety not known to exist anywhere else in the world. Names

given some of the cavern's spectacles by their discoverers indicate the sights to be seen: Devil's Delight, Antler Room, War Club Room, Hall of the White Giants, Halo Lake, the Diamond Room.

No other cave has helictite loops, the perfect "butterfly" formation, giant four-inch calcite crystals with perfect crystalline faces, six-foot "soda straws" (three-sixteenths inch in diameter with paper-thin walls constantly dripping

water). Formations are fluorescent and phosphorescent and are still growing since this is a "live" cavern.

A full 90-minute tour will be conducted this year by developers Jim Papadakis and Jack Burck who plan to supplement this with an alternate "long" tour in 1961. Broad, smooth trails in the cool, quiet atmosphere of the cavern afford easy viewing of one of nature's greatest masterpieces.



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the week end. Devonna and Jon Scott of Hico spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robinson of Walnut Springs spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robinson, Mike and Rita.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mayhew, Alene and Bobby Cox of Houston spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and sons, Aodis, Junie and Roy Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Currier spent the Fourth in Snyder with their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Koonsman. They also spent two nights at the Annual Camp on the Ranch. Mrs. J. E. Hancock of Sweetwater is visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and family.

Doyle Britton left for San Diego, Calif. after visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Britton while on leave from the Navy.

Mrs. Preacher Bowie and Mary Alice left last week for the Panama Canal Zone where her husband is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott and children of Graham spent Thursday and Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Burden of Hico spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Head of Iredell, and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Burgan, Bill Burgan of Houston visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan during the week end.

Harry Brown returned home Saturday night from Stephenville where he had been working.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul, Quinton and Larry and A. B. Naul of Paducah spent the week end with Mrs. Naul, Freddie and Linda.

Mrs. Paschal Brown visited Mrs. Tim Johnson Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. W. G. Rogers and daughter of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mel Giesecke and sons, Rony and Reecie during the week end.

Mrs. Alton Thornton of Waco visited Wednesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Britton, and was accompanied home by her children who had visited here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Landes were visitors in Dublin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lee Knick of Kent, Washington, have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Noonkester, and in Eastland with Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Somerford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Gosdin of Hico visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Noonkester and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Giesecke Sunday afternoon.

Ken Tinsley of Carlton preached at the Church of Christ Sunday and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Solsbery, Alan and Dennis.

Linda Naul is visiting in Paducah with Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul and family and A. B. Naul.

The Church of Christ revival will begin Sunday, July 24. Preaching will be by Bro. Estel Moser of Stephenville.

Our hearts were saddened when we received word that our son-in-law, P. D. Ash father has passed away at his home on Saturday at Desdemona following a long illness. Burial was at Gorman Sunday. Our heartfelt sympathy goes to the bereaved family.

#### DUFFAU CHURCH OF CHRIST

10:00 a. m. Bible Study.  
11:00 a. m. Worship & Communion.  
6:30 p. m. Young People's Class  
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

#### Hico Church of Christ

Schedule on Lord's Day:  
Bible School, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching and Communion 10:45 a. m.  
Evening Service, 8:00  
Mid-Week Service, 8:00  
Ladies' Bible Class, 4:00 p. m.  
Tuesday.  
Men's Training Class, 8:00 p. m. Tuesday.

ADDING MACHINE paper for sale at the Hico News Review

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### DUFFAU

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

meeting July 22 at the Duffau Community Center. New committees and directors will be elected at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Hanson of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Solsbery, Alan and Dennis during the week end.

Don Burgan of Houston and Quata Burgan of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan and family during

and Mrs. James Lindsey of Linda and Derrell of Fort Worth spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey and family. B. W. Willis and children, Mrs. J. E. Sessom and Mrs. A. V. Cavitt and family last Friday. Everyone is urged to attend the



# Hico's 74th Annual REUNION AUGUST 3, 4, 5 and 6

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# DENNA'S DOPE

By DENNA MEADOR

Hi kids!  
This week there wasn't much news so please excuse my very little column. If you do anything or go somewhere be sure and let me know early in the week so I can make my news copy deadline.

I'll bet Carolyn Willingham is happy because she has a new baby brother who has been named Roy Lee. He was born Sunday, July 10, at 8:55 a.m. in the Hico Hospital and weighs 6 pounds and 10 ounces. When I talked to Carolyn Tuesday she was holding the new arrival and I know she will be a big help to her mother during summer vacation.

I told you about all of the kids having measles, but found out about a grown-up who also had the "spots." Poor Mrs. E. B. Fellers, my art teacher, had them last week.

Judy Jameson came home last week from San Antonio where she had been visiting her aunt and family. I'll bet she spoiled her little cousin playing with him while she was there.

Milt Dunlop was a naughty little boy! Diane said he kept the family from going to the coast last week end, as he took the measles. Don't feel too bad, Milt, as I got stung by a jelly fish while I was there last week and believe I had rather have the measles.

My family and I enjoyed a short vacation at Rockport last week. The ocean was really lots of fun to swim in. D'Ann really enjoyed herself as she got so much attention on her first vacation.

I received an interesting letter from my "Godsister" last week on my column, and am including it this week:

Waco, Tex., June 25

Dear God-sister,

I was so happy to see you following the fascinating occupation of being a writer. As you have probably discovered already, it is not all fun; it is 10 per cent inspiration and 90 per cent perspiration (especially since you started in the summer!)

You were wise to choose being a writer instead of a printer, even though you won't find it as remunerative as printing.

In writing your column you seem to be able to mention a variety of names, and this is a good indication that you have absorbed the essence of good journalism, even though you have tried to stay away from the "filthy office." It isn't really necessary (as people once thought) for a person to go through the trials of being a "printer's devil" in order to succeed in writing for a newspaper. Once you get that ink on your hands, you'll never get it off. That is, to get it on your hands means to absorb it in your blood; then you may find it is the only thing that makes your pulse beat. If that happens, you're lost and you'll never get away from it completely.

Until now, you have learned a great deal in domesticity,

and I wonder how your mother is getting along without you if you are working in the office. However, if you are, she is probably relieved to know that some of her former duties are in capable hands. Some time when we are together we can talk more journalism. Never having known you were interested I never thought of discussing it with you. But your starting so early has proved there was a dormant interest there all along.

Try reading about Benjamin Franklin if you are interested in the history of journalism. He was a wise old man—even though he couldn't spell as well as you can.

Best wishes and congratulations on your new venture.

Carolyn, P.S. If there are any words in this letter that are unfamiliar, practice using the dictionary. If there are none that are unfamiliar, then you're way above average for your age.

(In case some of you don't know, the letter was from Carolyn Holford, whose parents, Roland and Jim Holford are my Godparents. Carolyn grew up in the News Review office and is now a teacher in the Waco schools.)

## On the Home Range

By Helen Ruth Flowers  
Home Demonstration Agent

### MAKE THE MOST OF MID-SUMMER CLOTHING SALE

There's something about a sale that seems to arouse a sense of adventure in women—an expectant sort of feeling that has to do with "getting a really good buy."

Right now, many stores are having sales—featuring fabrics, summer dresses, and other items. As a careful shopper, you can make the most of these special prices to fill gaps in wardrobe, or add some needed pieces.

Here are some tips for analyzing the situation before you buy a certain fabric or clothing item on sale or otherwise:

Keep your total wardrobe in mind. Buy only those items that fit in with your budget, color plan, accessories, and activities.

Consider lines, color, and texture of the garment. Are they really suited to your type? Are they extreme or high fashion—likely to look wrong next season?

Look at the label carefully—get as much information as possible on care and cleaning.

Other suggestions for stretching the clothing dollar are given in the extension bulletin, "Wardrobe Dollars and Sense." Principles given in the publication apply to all family members.

Ask for a copy of the bulletin from your county home demonstration agent's office.

### Hamilton County Represented by 16 Students at NTSC

Denton, July 13.—Hamilton County was represented by 16 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 8,130 different students were enrolled. They came from 211 of the state's 254 counties, from 37 other states, and from 12 foreign nations.

These figures reflect the steady increase in enrollment at the college in recent years.

The campus is undergoing a large expansion program to accommodate the growing student body. A physics-mathematics building was opened last fall, and a business administration building and 300-capacity men's dormitory are nearing completion.

Also under construction are an education-home economics building, an additional structure for the School of Music, and two more women's dormitories.

### BURRIS FAMILY REUNION

Members of the late T. L. Burris family will meet at Hico City Park Sunday for their annual reunion. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dickson of Fort Worth and Mrs. N. R. Davidson of Houston are visiting in the home of their brother, Frank Dickson and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ray attended the Vaughn family reunion, held last Sunday at the De Leon City Park.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. C. A. Russell this past week were Joy and Linda Russell of Carlsbad, New Mexico

## Barbara's NOTES NEWS ONSENSE

By BARBARA RANDALS



Well when you read this I will be in Georgetown attending Senior Assembly. I know I will be having fun but I'll miss everyone a lot.

That dance last Friday night surely went over well. There were between fifty and seventy-five people there all the time. Several of the people said it was one of the best ever.

There were a lot of people visiting in and around Hico last week end.

Laine Heizer from Dublin was visiting me and trying to get twirling routines through my thick head. Every where she went people would say, "Who is that cute blonde with the beautiful smile?"

Sharon Ward from Dublin, another real cute girl, came to Hico with Laine a couple of days when she was giving us lessons during the week. They are both a couple of the nicest girls I've met and the cutest, too.

Judy Moon from Grand Prairie

was here for a little while. I just saw her for a minute but she hasn't changed much—still cute.

Cathy Singleton, Joyce Boyd's sister from Fort Worth, was here the last week. She came to the dance and really made a hit, too.

I talked to Sylvia Sherrard the other day and she told me all about her big time in Bryan. She said she had a date every night. She had so much fun she's going back. Sure wish she would take me with her.

Finally found out some news about our mysterious boys. Ross Price has gone to Plains to visit with his sister, Bonnie.

I have discovered there is a fellow water-skiier around town. Bobby Boone went water skiing over the Fourth. He seems to have done a little better than I did—he got up on them.

Sue Spinks was hostess at an ice cream party Monday night at

### Coffee Time

## CHATTER

By HELEN OGLE

Everybody talking about the weather being so hot, and just think—we have three months of it to look forward to. For those who have already enjoyed their vacations, they are wishing for another, only this time to stay home and sit by the air conditioner.

Not many people in town this week, so guess they are all staying in close to the TV and radio to see the outcome of the convention. May the best man win—but which one?

Mrs. H. R. Baker stopped by early Monday morning to attend to business and was rushing to get off on a trip to Carlsbad, New Mexico. They were to go through the Caverns for the second time, but this time they expected to really see and enjoy it, as she said they rushed and tried to see too much the first trip.

James Cryer can serenade, or should say whistle, a happy tune when he's working his way down the walk with a broom.

I understand that some phases of Jane Hafer's social life are supposedly rewarding her with some profits that she hasn't been able to discover herself.

Robert Jackson hated to see a nice vacation end as he returned to the routine of work at the post office this past Monday.

Pauline Burden was worried over her summons for jury duty, and just what to do about it. There's a nice article on that very subject in this week's issue of the NR Pauline, so maybe your problem is solved.

Paul Neel can always brighten the day with a clever joke, and he was doing so Tuesday in the bank, as Ina Wallace and Pauline Bullard were waiting to attend to business.

"What could be worse than starting the day off by spilling a bottle of marking ink on you," was Faye Herrington's comment early this week, and I replied that printer's ink might be worse. Either one is rough.

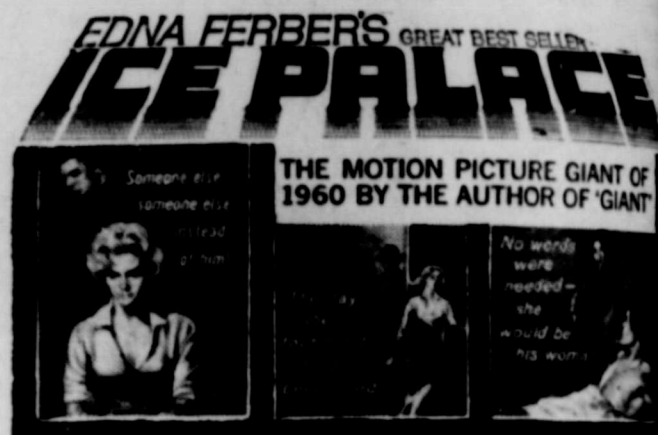
Mollie Harvey said she "eloped" from Hico last week and enjoyed visiting with friends in Hamilton.

her home. Those enjoying the occasion were Don Burgan, Bill Burgan, Iva Lou Whiteside, Joy Little, Charles Tolliver, Jimmy Herrington and Nelda Whiteside.

I was really lucky to be at the week I was thought of all the convention stuff. See you all when I get home. Good!



Richard Burton and Carolyn Jones are depicted in a dramatic scene from ICE PALACE, Warner Bros. filmization of Edna Ferber's exciting novel of Alaska which opens Sunday, July 17th at the Majestic Theatre in Stephenville. ICE PALACE is a technical saga of the 49th State. It is being shown in the Majestic Theatre in Stephenville as a special attraction. Adult admission will be 75c and children 25c. ICE PALACE will run through Thursday, July 21st.



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# CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION



MR. & MRS. JIM LOVELL

## ANNIVERSARY FETED — MR. & MRS. JIM LOVELL RESIDENTS OF HICO SINCE WEDDING 50 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Jim Lovell were their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday at their home here. For the occasion were their daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lovell, and their daughters, Mrs. Douglas Gillis and Mrs. Donald Cleburne. Mrs. Helen Weeks and Mrs. Helen Howard greeted the guests. Mrs. Howard showed the gifts. Helen Howard and Montgomery served punch. The three-tiered cake that was decorated with a circle of gold net and the inscription, "Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lovell, July 10, 1910" was placed on a table laid with a lace cloth over gold. The cake was decorated with gold mums, hearts and ribbons. Peggy Gillespie registered guests who called. Mrs. Lovell, who were married in Hico, were married in Hico on July 10, 1910 in front of the Baptist Church by the Rev. McLarkin. Mrs. Lovell was a former Miss Georgia May and daughter of the late Mr. W. A. Howard. Mr. Lovell was employed by the Railroad for 33 years before retirement. The occasion was made of the occasion including one of the four present. Mr. and Mrs. Lovell have one son, J. W. Lovell, and daughters, Mrs. Donald Cleburne and Mrs. Douglas Gillis. Two great-grandchildren, Don Montgomery and Sherie Gillespie.

Temple; Happy Atkins of Lawton, Okla.; Mr. Bertie Hulise, Pine Bluff, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Howell and family, Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bishop, Hamilton; Mr. Lawrence Adams, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. W. Newton, Irredell; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Gillespie, Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lovell, Cleburne; and Mrs. C. L. Mohon of De Leon.

## Wednesday Club Entertained With Patio Party at Hafer Home

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer entertained members and their husbands of the Wednesday Luncheon Bridge Club with a patio party at their home Wednesday evening of last week. Dinner, consisting of barbecue, was served on the patio preceding bridge play. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hudson, Dr. and Mrs. H. V. Hedges, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Peticick, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Randals, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stearman and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Roberts of Hamilton. At conclusion of bridge play high score was won by Mr. Peticick, with Mrs. Hedges winning second high score.

## Giesecke Family Reunion Held July 3 At Hico City Park

The annual Giesecke family reunion was held Sunday, July 3, in Hico City Park, with approximately 80 persons present. Following a bountiful basket lunch, a brief business session was held, with the president, Austin Giesecke of Tyler presiding. A financial report and minutes of the last meeting was read by secretary-treasurer Mrs. Mel Giesecke.

Officers elected for the coming year were Bill Nix of Huckabay, president, and Mrs. V. H. Jenkins, secretary-treasurer.

Plans are for next year's reunion to be held the first Sunday in July at the City Park. Those present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Knick of Kerr, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Greppinger of Litch, Wyoming; Mrs. Hallie Ramfield, Kittle Ramfield, E. B. Ramfield, and Leonard Ramfield, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Giesecke Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nix and family, Lewis Giesecke Sr., Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Mills and family, all of Stephenville; Oneta Giesecke, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nix and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Nix of Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Barker and family of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Austin Giesecke and family of Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land and Judy of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Gordin and James Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hicks, Sandena and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Noonkester, Elmer Giesecke, Mrs. V. H. Jenkins and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Giesecke, Rony and Reece and Wendel Gordon, Mrs. W. J. Nix, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Giesecke, all of Hico. Contributed.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer and Claudia, and Denna Meador visited in Clifton Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hafer. Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus King visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. French at Glen Rose Monday.

ERATH SINGING SUNDAY  
The regular third Sunday Erath County Singing Convention will meet at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 17, at the Primitive Baptist Church in Stephenville.

LATE FAIRY NEWS  
Visitors in the home of Mrs. Eunice Daniel during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Todd and Walter Porterfield.

## Former Residents, Mr. & Mrs. Shaffer, Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Felix T. Shaffer of Meridian celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon with an open house from 4:30 to 7:00 o'clock. Hostesses for the occasion were the couple's sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wreay, in whose home the celebration was held, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Gandy. Approximately 100 persons called during the afternoon.

Mr. Shaffer bought his marriage license in Meridian, and was married July 6, 1910, in Hico at the Methodist Parsonage, to the former Miss Maude Herring, whose parents were Mr. and Mrs. John Neal Herring of Hico. Rev. T. B. Lane performed the ceremony. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shaffer of Hico. Both parents were pioneer settlers of Bosque and Hamilton counties, having moved to the area shortly after the Civil War.

The celebrants moved to Meridian in 1929, where he owned and operated a chain of grocery stores in towns from Waco to Hico. He retired from business about 15 years ago, and since then has devoted his time to ranching interests. Both are members of the Meridian Methodist Church. Mr. Shaffer is one of the leading members of the Masonic Lodge in Texas. He is a past worshipful master of the Meridian Lodge, a past high priest of the Masonic Chapter, a past illustrious master of the council, a Shriner, and a member of the Speaker Bureau of the Grand Lodge of Texas.

The couple has two daughters, Mrs. Grady Wreay of Meridian and Mrs. Alton Gandy of Valley Mills; five grandchildren, Don Shaffer Gandy of Valley Mills, Jimmy Gandy and Taylor Gandy, both of Austin, Sara-Lyn Wreay and Ruth Ann Wreay of Meridian; two great-grandchildren, Bradi and Sherry Gandy of Austin.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pal Drake were Mrs. Bill Jordan and son of Carthage, Mrs. Roe Allen and Mrs. Press O'Bannon of Hamilton, Mrs. Joe Siegler and family of Fallon, Nev., Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Butterfield of Houston, Miss Brenda Nichols, Jimmy and Floyd Drake of Fort Worth.

Recent visitors in the home of W. T. Rodgers and his daughter, Miss Ruby, were Mrs. Ada Hardin and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Hardin and children, and Ollie Campbell, all of Fort Worth, and Mrs. Ola Kauffman of Monteria Park, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall spent the week end in San Marcos with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Marshall and Mike. Mike accompanied his grandparents to San Marcos following a visit here with them.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Jacobs, and with his mother, Mrs. A. L. McCollum at the nursing home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Norris Burleson of Aquilla and Mrs. Lena Burleson of Waco.

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## MISS KAY ELKINS BECOMES BRIDE OF MICHAEL G. HODGSON IN DALLAS

Michael Gail Hodgson, 1960 captain of the University of Oklahoma track team and a member of the 1959 all American track team, was married to Miss Kay Elkins, an OU Law School student.

The newlyweds will live in Dallas until fall, when they will return to Norman, Okla., and resume their studies.

After their wedding in Cox Chapel, Highland Park Methodist Church, performed by the Rev. W. B. Forrester, the newlyweds left on a trip to Mineral Wells.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elkins, 5542 Emerson, was graduated from Stephens College, where she belonged to Phi Theta Kappa, Junior Collegiate Players and Sigma Gamma Gaps.

## Mrs. Walker Hostess To Friday Bridge Club Members Last Week

Members and guests of the Friday Afternoon Club were entertained with a dessert bridge in the home of Mrs. Harold Walker last week. The hostess served a refreshment plate of strawberry shortcake and iced tea to her guests during bridge play.

Mrs. Bill Howard and Mrs. Harry Hudson were guests of the club and members present were Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, and Mrs. G. K. Lewallen of Stephenville.

At conclusion of bridge play Mrs. Howard was awarded high score, and was also winner of the duce prize. Mrs. Hudson held second high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Smith of New Braunfels were Friday and Saturday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bass.

Mrs. Brooks Hall, Mrs. L. L. Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoover of Estarto, Calif. visited in Waco last Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Callie McKenzie and family.

Charles Ray Paddock is spending a two-week visit in Odessa visiting his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Bullard and family.

ma, and was named to the Dean's List. She received superior music honors on graduation. At OU she won the Gamma Phi Beta activities award in 1959. She belongs to Mu Phi Epsilon.

Son of W. T. Hodgson of Johannesburg, South Africa, and Mrs. Valerie Hodgson of Capetown, South Africa, the bridegroom attended the University of Natal, South Africa, two years. At OU he is a Big Man on Campus, listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, and president of the O Club. He has been the Big 8 Mile champion for the last three years.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She wore a gown of Guipure lace highlighted with peau de sole. The basque bodice had a low square neckline, and the skirt formed a sweeping train. Her veil of illusion fell to her fingertips from a peau de sole and rose crown. She carried roses and gerberias.

Attendants were Miss Carol Loyd, maid of honor; Miss Susan Shaw and Miss Karen Bader, bridesmaids; Ralph Youngworth of Johannesburg, South Africa, best man. Groomsmen and ushers were Roger Fincher of Shreveport, La., Jim Genert of Casper, Wyo., Dale Lewis of Milwaukee, Wis., and Dexter Elkins.

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Bee Hanson of Hico.

## FAIRY HD CLUB WILL MEET IN MERCER HOME

There will be a called meeting of Fairy Home Demonstration Club members Tuesday, July 19, at 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Cecil Mercer. Purpose of the meeting is planning of the clothing workshop.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Jessie Richbourg and Mrs. J. A. Garth were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duckworth of Crowell and Mrs. B. D. Cole of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chapman of Roscoe visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leeth this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ray were in Athens last week visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Virgie Ray, who was a patient in the Athens Hospital.

## Mr. and Mrs. East Entertain Relatives At Whitney Lodge

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East and Ronnie entertained members of the East and West families at the Community Public Service Company Lodge on Lake Whitney last week end.

Relatives who attended were Mr. and Mrs. John East and Clarence of Slaton; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nelson, Reid and Rebecca of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jordan of Cisco; Mr. Cecil East of Dublin; Mrs. Edna East, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitt of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Nickell, Robert, Royce and Bennie of Glen Rose; Mr. and Mrs. M. W. East and Karen and Mrs. Ethelyn Hicks of Fort Worth; Mr. E. W. West and Melba, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler West and family, Mrs. S. O. Durham, Miss Bayler Durham and I. E. Durham, all of Waco; Mr. James Durham of Hereford; Miss Donna Wilbur of Galveston; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Valley Mills; and the hosts.

## VACATION IN NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hicks have returned home following a vacation which took them to Carlsbad, N.M. and Big Bend National Park. In Carlsbad, they visited in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hicks, Leslie and Weslie. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tudor, Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks, Wayne and Raymond.

After sight-seeing in the Big Bend country they returned by way of Big Lake where they spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Stormy Wright and family.

Mrs. Mollie Harvey visited in Hamilton last week in the home of Mrs. Newt Harvey and sons.

## Lackeys Hosts at Saturday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Red Lackey entertained members of their "42" Club last Saturday evening in their home.

Games of forty-two were played during the evening and refreshments of a salad plate was served. The hostess had her home beautifully decorated with artistic flower arrangements, placed throughout the house.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Everett, and guests, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook.

## Jamison Family Reunion Held at Lake Cisco

The J. R. Jamison children and their families met for their fourth annual family reunion at Lake Cisco July 8, 9 and 10.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ledro Jamison of Lamesa, and two of their grandchildren, Barbara and Stanley of New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jamison of Muleshoe, their son, Leon and wife of Augusta, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. Olton Jamison, their daughters' family, Kay, Bill and Lisa, all of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Moore and son, Faburn of Big Spring; Mr. Isom Ferguson and sons, Harold and Carroll of Lamesa; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkinson and Royce of Hico.

All of the family was present with the exception of one sister, Mrs. Ima Ferguson, and two brothers, Arnold and Lofton Jamison.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mingus Friday of last week were Mrs. Nona Chambers and, Miss Cecilia Cunningham, all of Stephenville, and Miss Linda Duncan of Lake View, Michigan.

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# IREDELL ITEMS

By MRS. C. A. MITCHELL

The revival at the Methodist Church began July 10, and will continue through July 17. During the week there will be the evening services at 8 p.m. Rev. J. B. Cole is doing the preaching, and Mrs. Bob Hughes is in charge of the

song service. Mrs. Bess Cole was a patient in the Blackwood and Mims Hospital last week. She is at home in Iredell and is showing improvement. Rev. and Mrs. Cole are finding people in Iredell very congenial and are looking forward to a pleas-

ant year in service in the church. Mr. Charlie Mitchell, who has pital, returned to his home in Iredell a patient in the Hico Hos. dell. We are happy to report he is showing improvement.

Visitors in the Charlie Mitchell home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Don Mitchell of Bryson, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Anderson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. James Bernhardt and children of Dallas, Mrs. Maggie Addis and Mrs. Katharine Kesey of Brownwood.

We could all complain about the hot weather but we are thankful for the showers that have been helpful to the country. We are fortunate not to have the floods that caused so much damage elsewhere in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Simpson and children of Memphis, Mrs. E. L. Florence of Knox City visited with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Weatherford and family last week. Her mother remained for a longer visit.

Mr. John Tidwell spent Wednesday in Addicks with his daughter, Mrs. Joe Glaton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McClure and Dickie of Comanche spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Strange and Beckie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ramsey and Mrs. Dorothy Sawyer and daughters returned home from California last week after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey Jr. and family. Their son was run over by a car, but is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Oldham and Harold and Gary spent Sunday in Hico with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Patterson and daughters.

Mr. Joe Taylor returned home from the Hico Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Musick and George visited Mr. J. W. Lovell at Ranger Hospital Sunday. He underwent major surgery Thursday. Mrs. Lorena Maness and Mrs. Zella Maness were there Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell McAden and Mrs. Terry Phillips of Stephenville visited Mr. and Mrs. Clem McAden Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Ferguson is visiting Mrs. Clint Adkison in Hico this week.

Several from here attended the Elkins-Hodgson wedding in Dallas Saturday evening.

## Iredell Baptist Church

James T. Draper, Jr., Pastor  
REVIVAL JULY 31-AUG. 7

Don't forget our summer revival which begins July 31 and continues through August 7. Our evangelist for the week will be V. E. Gideon

# CLAIRETTE

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

## CLAIRETTE REVIVAL SLATED JULY 21

Rev. A. L. Cronk has announced that the Methodist revival will start Thursday, July 21, and will continue through the following Sunday. Services will be held daily at 7:30 p.m.

The revival starts at Pleasant Hill Methodist Church Sunday night, July 17, at 7:30, and continues through Wednesday night, July 20.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith were Rev. and Mrs. Don Speddit of Dallas.

Mrs. Horace Rowe and sons of Mineral Wells visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harvey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson and family and Rev. Ray Crook and family of McGregor were recent visitors in the Raymond Thompson home.

Mrs. Chester Martin returned home from the Hico Hospital last Thursday morning, and is doing fine.

W. F. Haley has been in the Hico Hospital suffering with back trouble.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin are her mother, Mrs. F. C. Doan, her sister, Mrs. G. E. Miller and Mrs. Vernon Clausen, Bruce Eugene

of Fort Worth, and our singer will be Olin Robison of Port Arthur. Thrill to the singing and preaching of the gospel during this week. Come and your heart will be blest.

**Special Revival Committees.** Special committees have been set up for our revival. You will be hearing much about our revival and will be seeing opportunities for prayer and visitation soon. You are urged to attend the various prayer meetings and to visit and spread the word around about our revival.

**From the Pastor.** Let me urge you to pray much for our revival. Bro. Gideon is one of the finest preachers in the country today, but he cannot bring us revival. We must work at that. During these next several weeks before our revival crusade begins let each of us be busy telling others about it and inviting them to come. God will bless us if we will do it.

Clausen and Anylon Myra Clausen, all from Harlingen.

A good crowd attended the MYF meeting and ice cream party at the Methodist parsonage Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cook of Bryan visited a few days recently with John Salmon and Mrs. Dona Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and baby of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with Mrs. Reba Carter. Mrs. Carter left Sunday for El Paso to spend a few days with Mr. Carter, who is employed there.

Mrs. Cora King and two grandsons of Alexander were in Clairette shopping Saturday afternoon.

T. L. Thompson and children of Fort Worth spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

Mrs. Linnie Thompson of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lee of Fort Worth visited Eunice and Nola Lee during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Noland and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cap McIntire of the old Salem community attended a birthday supper in Stephenville Friday night honoring their brother and son, Estes McIntire.

Reta and Gay Trammell and David and Linda Noland of Weatherford spent a week recently with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Noland.

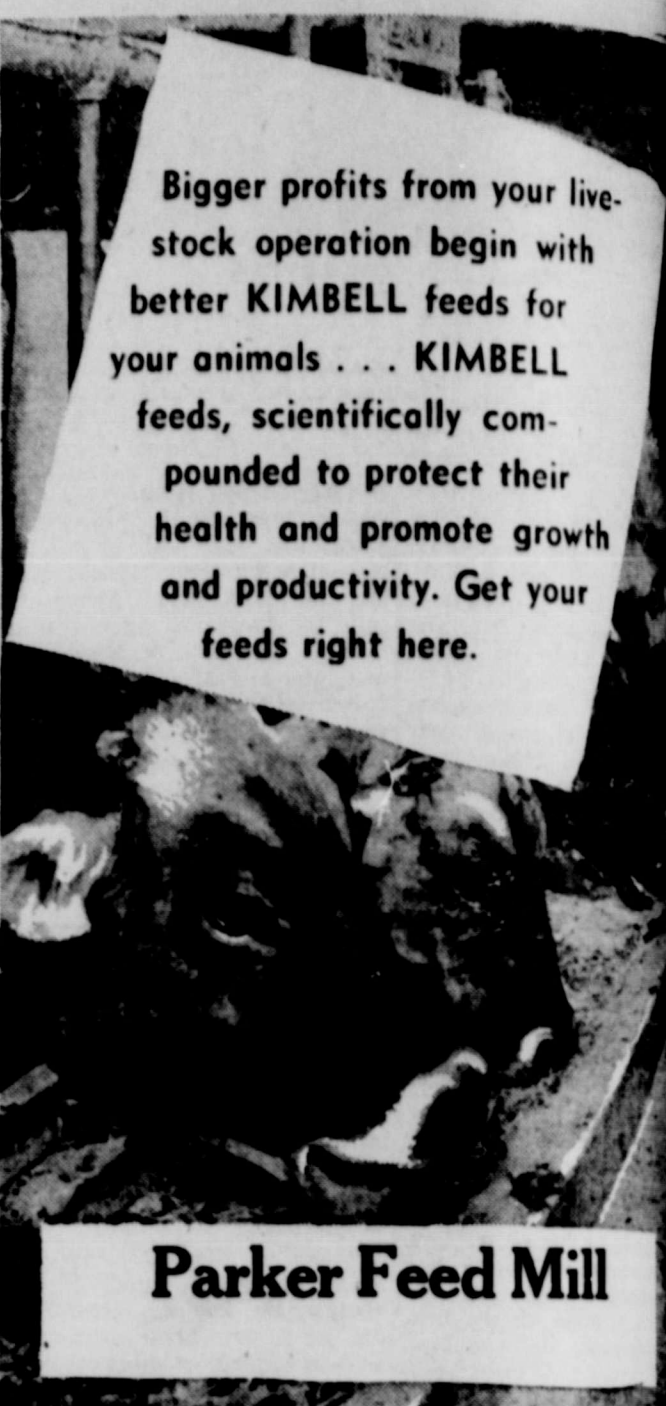
We are sorry Mr. Arthur Auermann has been ill in Baylor Hospital the past two weeks. He went for a checkup after having major surgery there a short time ago and the doctors found he needed to have another operation, and the report is that his condition is serious.

Prof. H. L. Self and family of Ames, Iowa, are here visiting his mother, Mrs. H. K. Self.

Mrs. A. L. Cronk and children of Fort Worth are spending this week at the Methodist parsonage.

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CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

HONORED WITH SURPRISE BIRTHDAY SUPPER

Mrs. Mack Taylor was given a surprise birthday supper Saturday night at her home.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sills and Dale of Lamkin, Mr. and Mrs. Geyer Taylor and Linda of Pottsville, Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Gilbreath and Steve of Edna Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wenzel of two daughters of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Greer and Rickie and Mr. and Mrs. Don Greer of Post were in Waco Wednesday and Thursday to attend

funeral services for Mr. Mullins' brother, I. F. Mullins.

Mrs. R. L. Hopson and Carole of Dallas spent Tuesday with her mother and brother, Mrs. Marie Turner and Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Menting and two sons of Shreveport, La., visited last week with her mother, Mrs. S. B. Shaw.

Visitors in the Fred Geyer home Saturday and Sunday afternoons were Mrs. Albert Taylor and Mark Sills of Lamkin, Geyer Taylor of Pottsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Geyer of Lamkin.

Harold F. Smith, stationed at Moffitt Field, California, and his wife and son, Mack, of Glen Rose and Gary Hankins of Houston, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, are visiting Harold's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and Danny.

Visitors the past week in the J. L. Mullins home were Alvie Graves of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs.

Ike Graves and children of Big Spring and Obe Graves of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sharp left Sunday for their home in Andrews after a week's visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lunsford and their families. They left their two small sons with her parents. Sunday the larger boy put a connected light cord in his mouth and before his grandmother could get the cord out of his mouth his tongue was severely blistered. He barely escaped fatal injuries. He was carried to Hico Hospital Sunday afternoon and Monday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Dow Self and Freddie spent Sunday at Clairette with his grandmother, Mrs. H. K. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Richbourg of Granbury spent Thursday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Finley.

Miss Alice Rodgers fell at her home Tuesday night and broke her left arm in several places and injured her shoulder. She was carried by ambulance Wednesday morning to the Hico Hospital, and was returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Marie Turner and Sam spent Wednesday and Thursday at Lake Whitney with her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Hopson and family of Dallas, and took a ride on the lake in the Hopson's cabin cruiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bowden Sr. of Burnet were here at their home over the week end. Their son, Robert Bowden Jr. and family from Florida visited with

them. He is being transferred to Colorado.

Sam Turner and Luke Springstead were visitors Saturday in Comanche.

Jack Henry Self returned home Sunday afternoon from Oklahoma after a month's visit with Carlton's former Coach, Jerry Thompson and his parents.

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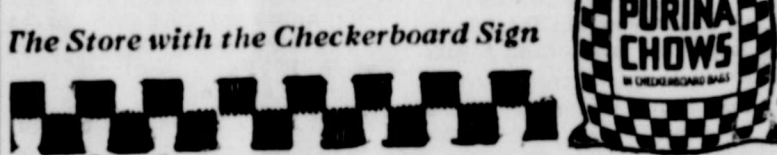
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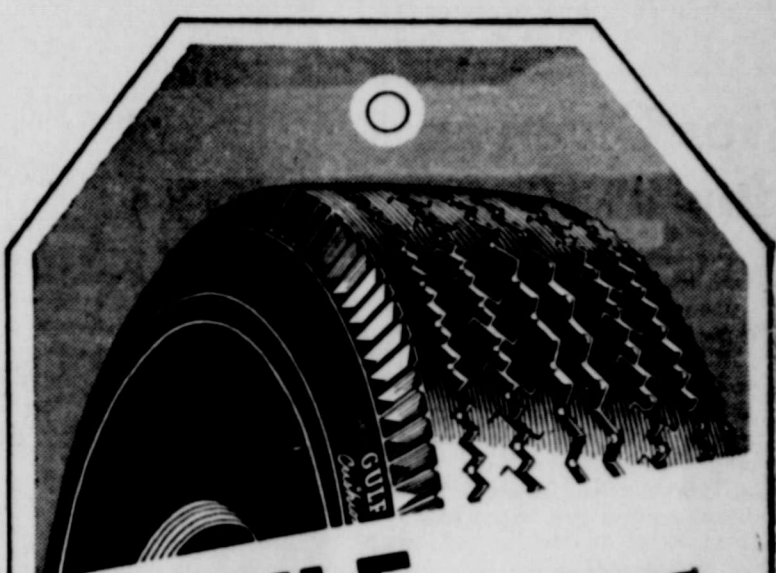
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HERE OR NEAR

By E. E. DAWSON

As an early-teenager, I attended Sunday school and church services in a church that used the period's most-used songbook: Gospel Hymns, first published in the Eighties by Biglow and Main and John Church Company. On the back of the songbook was this name printed: "Gospel Hymns No. 6." That title meant that five previous editions had been put out by the publishers. Then in 1895 a new edition was put out as "Gospel Hymns Nos. 1 to 6." It was probably the world's largest hymnal up to that time. The new combined volume contained 739 songs and hymns. It was the most-used songbook in America at that time.

Recently a copy of that Number 1 to 6 volume fell into my hands. Turning through it I noted a number quite popular back in my early years, mostly used as a special

because it had seven stanzas and was of a narrative character that would be incomplete and lacking meaning unless all stanzas were used. Its title is "The Model Church." It is so good that it is herewith presented for the edification of all the readers. I especially like it because it describes what I think is the sort of services churches ought to have.

Well, wife, I've found the model church,  
And worshipped there today—  
It made me think of good old times  
Before my hair was gray;  
The meeting house was finer built,  
Than they were years ago,  
But then I found when I went in,  
It was not built for show.

The sexton did not set me down,  
Away back by the door;  
He knew that I was old and deaf,  
And saw that I was poor;  
He must have been a Christian man  
He lead me bodily through  
The crowded aisle of that grand  
new church,  
To find a pleasant pew.

I wish you'd heard the singing, wife  
It had the old-time ring;  
The preacher said with trumpet  
voice,  
"Let all the people sing!"

"Old Coronation" was the tune;  
The music upward roll'd,  
Until I thought the angel-choir  
Struck all their harps of gold.  
My deafness seemed to melt away,  
My spirit caught the fire;  
I joined my feeble, trembling voice  
With the melodious choir;  
And sang as in my youthful days,  
"Let angels prostrate fall;  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all;  
Bring forth the royal diadem,  
And crown Him Lord of all."

I tell you, wife, it did me good  
To sing that hymn once more;  
I felt like some wrecked mariner  
Who gets a glimpse of shore;  
I almost want to lay aside  
This weather-beaten form,  
And anchor in the blessed port,  
Forever from the storm.

'Twas not a flowery sermon, wife,  
But simple gospel truth;  
It fitted humble men like me;  
It suited hopeful youth;  
To win immortal souls to Christ,  
The earnest preacher tried;  
He talked not of himself, or creed,  
But Jesus crucified.

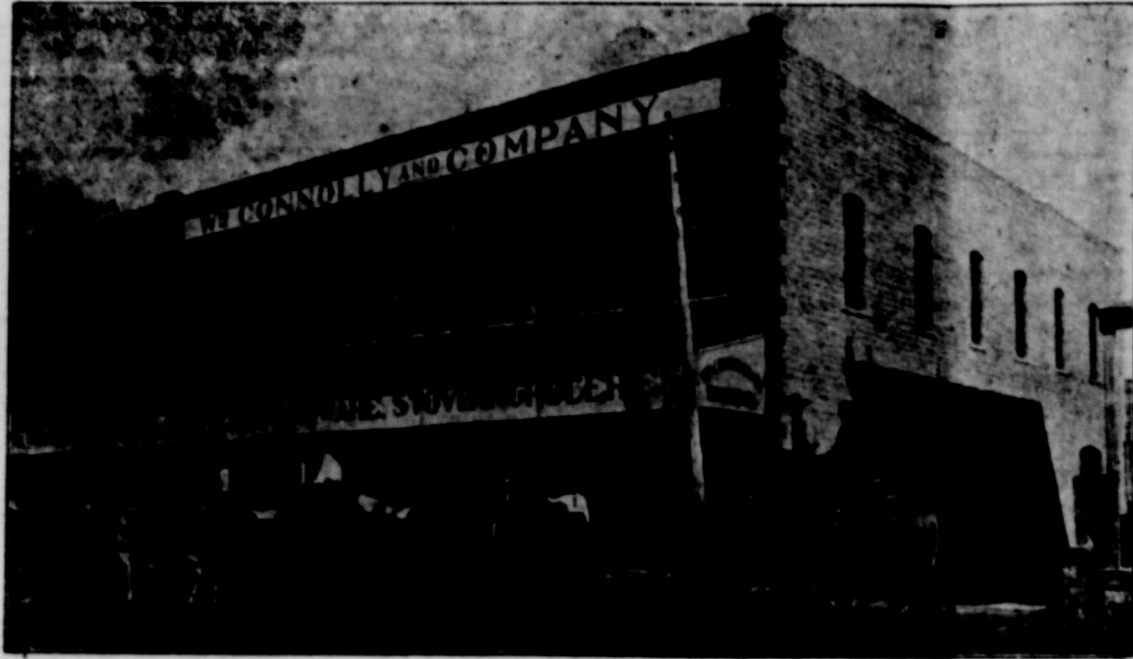
Dear wife, the toll will soon be o'er,  
The vict'ry soon be won;  
The shining land is just ahead,  
Our race is nearly run;  
We're nearing Canaan's happy  
shore,  
Our home so bright and fair;  
Thank God we'll never sin again,  
There'll be no sorrow there,  
There'll be no sorrow there;  
In heav'n above  
Where all is love,  
There'll be no sorrow there.

## Tips Given on How to Be a Good Witness

By far the most vital people in our system of justice are witnesses. Everyone else in a trial exists to hear what they have to say.

Chances are you worry about stepping up, taking an oath, and telling your story in court. Actually, almost anyone can be an effective witness if he merely follows a few simple rules.

1. Don't memorize your story word for word. That is the surest way to make your testimony sound "phony." Rather, think over what you saw and heard so you have a clear mental picture of what you observed.
  2. Listen to the questions you are asked with care and answer thoughtfully.
  3. Give a simple, direct answer in your own words. Don't be rushed.
  4. If you err—and people often do—correct yourself at once. If you can't remember some detail, say so. Don't bluff!
  5. Tell the truth. Don't figure which side you may help. Don't identify yourself with either side.
  6. Stop when the judge or an attorney breaks in, and don't try to sneak an answer in before he can stop you. What you might say could end in a "mistrial."
  7. If they ask you: Certainly, you have talked to other people about the case—the lawyer for example; and yes, you are receiving the lawful witness fee to make up in part for the time lost from your job.
- Ordinarily, no one has a desire to be a witness in a lawsuit, but the day may come when your testimony may be absolutely necessary for a just verdict in some case.
- Remember, unless witnesses give understandable and truthful testimony our law will fail to do justice. If you are called, be a "good" witness.



WANTED—The News Review is desperately in need of pictures of old-time scenes of Hico in the early days, such as the one above, for the annual Reunion edition, publication of which will start this week end. If residents have any old pictures,

or stories concerning early-day pioneers of this area, the News Review would appreciate their use. Pictures will not be harmed, and will be returned to the owner.



In 1874 Chief Quannah Parker, son of the famous Cynthia Ann Parker, led some 700 picked Comanche, Cheyenne, and Kiowa warriors in battle against 28 brave frontiersmen and Buffalo hunters in the Texas Panhandle.

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LaFitte's Grove is just 3 miles west of Galveston.

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baptized in Rocky Creek in 1854, 18 years before they built the Old Baptist Church that now stands at Independence, in Central Texas.

A monument stone on the bell tower by the church reads "She sleeps within its sound." Reference is to Mrs. Nancy Lea, mother of Houston's wife. She donated her silver service to be melted into the bell.

The tower was erected with stones from the ruins of the original Baylor building. Judge Baylor's hearthstone is said to be included in the tower.

Historic old Fort Bliss, established in 1848, was rebuilt by the city and county of El Paso in 1948. They built it as an exact reproduction of the original fort, but on a miniature scale.

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## Grand Jury Gives Report Following 2-Day Session

To the Honorable R. E. Cross, Judge of District Court, Hamilton County, Texas:

The grand jury, duly empaneled for the July term, 1960, of said court, beg leave to submit the following report:

We have been in session for two days and have found 8 bills of indictment, all felonies, which we herewith return into court.

This small number of indictments again illustrates the law abiding character of the citizens of this county and of this fact we take much pride. We realize that a people must desire and work toward this end before it can become a reality and for this desire and work we commend the people of this county. We feel however that some of the credit must go to the Judge of this court for the excellent example he has set before the people for the last 27 years. His knowledge of the law and his judicial temperament are of the highest order and this fact is well recognized everywhere. But equally as important has been the compassionate spirit that the court has always demonstrated and the deep humility with which the court approached the duties of his office and the powers that are inherent in it. For all of these fine examples of true public service we are grateful to the court. And for these reasons we are sorry that

the time has come that you, Judge Cross, are retiring.

Although we have had no cattle theft or livestock theft cases, it has been called to our attention that people generally are not branding their livestock and registering the brands. We strongly urge that this be done so as to discourage theft and as an aid in identification.

We feel that there is still not sufficient disciplinary methods used at the State School for boys.

The treatment used is not that a parent can use in disciplining their children. We urge the members of this county to let the members of their legislatures know their feeling in regard to this.

We wish to thank the able and efficient bailiffs for their assistance. The County Attorney and District Attorney have been helpful with their counsel and advice and for this we are grateful.

So far as we know we have finished our work for the term and ask that we be discharged to the call of the court.

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By John C. White, Commissioner

### WATER DEVELOPMENT SPENDING LAGS

While Texans have been virtually unanimous on the urgent need for development and conservation of water resources during the past decade, actual State spending for such a program has lagged far behind other Western and Southwestern states.

Figures compiled by the U. S. Bureau of the Census have placed Texas next-to-last in a list of 18 Western and Southwestern states in its per capita spending on water and soil resources.

The annual per capita expenditure for developing and conserving water and soil resources in Texas was figured at 11 cents, compared with \$2.34 in California, \$1.36 in New Mexico, \$1.13 in Utah, 92 cents in Montana, 87 cents in Wyoming, 64 cents in Arizona, 58 cents in North Dakota, 54 cents in Nevada, 52 cents in Colorado, 35 cents in Oklahoma, 21 cents in Iowa, 18 cents in Nebraska, 16 cents in Kansas, 14 cents in Washington and South Dakota, and 13 cents in Idaho. The only state below Texas on the list was Oregon, which spends 10 cents a head of its population on water and soil.

The vast progress exhibited by California in taking the lead in

water and soil development is pointed up by a proposal which will be voted on this fall. The proposal is to issue some \$1,750,000,000 in State bonds to pay for the world's largest water distribution system, designed to take care of all California water requirements for agricultural, industrial and municipal use for years to come. It has been noted that such a proposal in Texas would likely be regarded as so fantastic as to merit little if any consideration.

One of the few steps taken by the State toward extending State help in water programs was the approval by the voters some years ago of a \$100,000,000 revolving bond fund to assist local projects by loans when they could be financed in no other way. This brought about the establishment of the Texas Water Development Board, which has yet to complete and finance its first actual loan.

Meanwhile, some two-thirds of all land under cultivation in California is irrigated, while the total irrigated area in Texas in June 1959, was 7,140,443 acres. This 7,140,443 acres was less than one-fourth of the 23,683,000 acres counted as cropland in Texas.

There has been little expansion of irrigated areas in Texas during the past two years.

One of the world's largest me- teorites lies about two miles west and six miles south of Odessa, in the far western portion of Texas. The great meteorite, a mass of iron, nickel and various other metals, rests 170 feet deep in a 10-acre pit.

This greater visitor: from outer space is estimated to have fallen to earth thousands of years ago.

Interested in architecture or in fine homes?  
Across from the Courthouse in the town of Corsicana stands the Victorian Mansion of the great evangelist, Abe Mulkey. This well known show place amazes all its viewers with its preserved, youthful appearance.

Texas has been the home of many great and courageous men. A few words describing their feats often can imply the magnitude of their character.

Such are the words on a marker on the highway southwest of Llano, in Central Texas which reads: "Enchanted Rock. From its summit, in the fall of 1841, captain John C. Hays, while surrounded by Comanche Indians who cut him off from his ranging company, repulsed upon them such heavy losses that they fled."

Sam Houston was converted and