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Free File for Places on School Trustee Ballot

Local men were listed as candidates for election to places to be filled in the April trustee election.

Candidates of Coolidge Wade, Ray and Charles Golightly have filed with the County Superintendent.

Wade is a candidate for re-election while Golightly and Wade seeking their first term of office.

Dr. W. F. Hafer, who is presently serving his first term, declined to seek the post again.

Terms of Garlon Street-ymond Jones and J. J. Jones are up for re-election. No candidates have submitted their names for re-election. The same applies to Carlton, Otho Stuckey, Con-roberson and Henry D. Spurr.

County Superintendent W. B.

McPherson Jr. released the following statement for publication this week:

"Any person desiring to have his name placed on said official ballot as a candidate for the office of trustee of a common or independent school district shall, at least thirty (30) days before said election, file a written request with the county judge of the county in which said district is located, requesting that his name be placed in the official ballot, and no candidate shall have his name printed on said ballot unless he has complied with the provisions of this act; provided that five (5) or more resident qualified voters in the district may request that certain names be printed."

Hico Heart Fund Head Selected

Harold Walker has been named general chairman of the 1961 Heart Drive for Hico, according to announcement by County Chairman Frank Johnson of Hamilton.

Main phase of the drive will be conducted next Friday night, February 24, from 6 to 7 o'clock, when a Mother's March theme will be carried out.

Walker has appointed Mrs. Conda Salmon to head the Mother's March, and Civic Club members will be appointed to solicit the business section.

Complete details of the drive with a list of additional workers will be given next week prior to the Friday drive.

Twenty-Six Members Present at Regular Civic Club Meeting

Twenty-six members were present Wednesday noon of this week for the regular meeting of Hico Civic Club.

Two new members, Fred Rainwater and Sam Butler, were added to the rolls, bringing the total paid membership to 51.

Members accepted the recommended date of Thursday, March 23, for their annual trip to Clair-ette. Wives are invited to go along for the meal and entertainment. The gathering will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The club also accepted an invitation from the Fairy community to meet there for an evening meal.

Next week a film taken at the National Boy Scout Jamboree last summer in Colorado will be shown.

Play-Off Game Faces Hico Cagers

Bi-District Game Slated Early Next Week

Hico boys annexed their third consecutive basketball crown last Friday night by blasting Valley Mills 61-37 to finish league play undefeated.

The locals will now play the winner of Crawford area district, and Crawford is expected to be the opponent. Winner of the bi-district game will advance to the regional tournament to be held in Brownwood the following week end.

The bi-district game will be played either Monday or Tuesday night of next week, the date and place to be decided on as soon as Hico's opponent is certified.

Hico closed out regular season play with an 18-3 record.

On Tuesday night of this week Hico entertained a strong Evant team, and absorbed their fourth defeat of the year. The visitors ripped the cords for 50 points, while allowing the locals 46. Don Jernigan hit 21 points for high honors.

In the Tuesday game the locals experienced their worst night since Lipan defeated them in the Stephenville tournament in December. Neil Ellis, who has averaged 14 points per game this season, hit only two free pitches for the night. Mark McElroy was limited to nine points, while Mitchell Mayfield took up some of the slack with a 10-point performance.

The loss could be summed up fairly well in three words, "cold, cold, cold." The locals hit only 27 per cent of their shots as compared to a season average of 45 per cent. However, Evant has a fine ball team, and the last time they were defeated was when Hico turned the trick early in the year in the Carlton tournament.

The Evant girls defeated the locals in the preliminary game by a close margin.

Both Hico teams will go to Evant for a return practice set Friday night, with the girls' game beginning at 7 o'clock.

Season Statistics Released.

Coach Jack Barnett released individual and team statistics this week as follows:

Through 21 games the boys scored an average of 50.6 points per game for a shooting percentage of 45. In district play the team averaged 59.4 points per game on a phenomenal 51 per cent average. Individually, Mark McElroy led scorers, percentage-wise, with a

County Wolf Club Hears Game Warden at Meeting Last Week

Thirty-two stockmen met with the Hamilton County Wolf Club last week and eighteen new members were added to the rolls. Object of the club is to assist in the control of predators in the county.

The local game warden, Swede Johnson, gave a very interesting talk on game management along with a predator control program.

Garlon Streater, chairman of the organization, stated that at present, the trapper was working on the following places: John Hardy Morgan, R. W. Threat, Ed Blum, Art Oates, Bill Wren, D. H. Profit, M. V. Knapp and J. A. Russell.

The Wolf Club would like the cooperation of those who have founts and who run them. On some of the above places cyanide "wolf getters" are used and when one of these is tripped it is very dangerous to the animal tripping it.

NEW EMPLOYEE AT BARROW-RUTLEDGE

Buddy Ables, who has been attending Tarleton State College since graduation from Hico High School, is a new employee of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home. He assumed his new duties two weeks ago.

64 per cent average. His point average was 121 per game. Don Jernigan had the next best shooting percentage, hitting 56 per cent of his shots for a scoring average of 13.0.

Neil Ellis had a season-average of 14.0 points per game to lead scorers, hitting 40 per cent of his shots. Larry Erick hit 44 per cent for a 5.9 average; Mitchell Mayfield hit 38 per cent for a 5.5 average; Harold Hathcock hit 27 per cent for a 2.7 average; and Mike Lowe hit 50 per cent for a 2.5 average.

In district play, Ellis and Jernigan tied for scoring honors, averaging 15.6 points each per game. McElroy average 13.1 per game in district warfare; Larry Erick hit 6.5 per game; Mayfield hit 4.5; Lowe 4.2; and Hathcock 1.9 points per game.

For the season Hico scored 1,063 points as compared to their opponents' 681. In district play Hico scored 475 to 247.

Bandits Net \$500 in Local Station Rob.

An estimated \$500.00 in merchandise was reported stolen from the Hilltop Humble Station Thursday night of last week. According to information from C. C. Parr, owner and operator, bandits gained entrance through a rear window and carried off 17 new tires, several tubes, and an undetermined amount of cigarettes.

This was the third time in the past year that the station had been broken into.

Officers investigating the robbery were Constable Clarence Jackson, Sheriff Woody Young, and Ranger George Roach of Stephenville. At mid-week the bandits were still at large.

Accident Summary For January Released By Area Official

Belton, Feb. 14.—Sergeant L. M. Hancock, Supervisor of the Texas Highway Patrol in the Belton Area, released Falls, Bell, Coryell, and Hamilton Counties' Rural Accident Summary for the month of January.

The Highway patrol in this four county area investigated a total of 38 rural crashes during the month of January. There were 3 people killed as a result of these 38 crashes, and 24 persons injured with a combined property damage of \$18,945.00.

This compares to 53 rural crashes during January, 1960. The 53 crashes a year ago resulted in two persons being killed, 32 injured, and a combined property damage of \$41,281.00.

"We are starting the year with less rural traffic crashes for the first month, but with more people killed as a result of the crashes," Sgt. Hancock said. "This means that the severity of the crashes is worse this year than it was last year. Each driver should remember that any traffic crash, regardless how minor, can be fatal. The only way to be sure of not being killed in one is to make every attempt to not be involved in a crash of any kind. And the best way not to be involved in a traffic crash is to always know and obey the traffic law," Sgt. Hancock added.

Emma Warren, 74, Wife of Iredell, Died Here Feb. 9

Funeral services were held for Emma Dolly McBeath Warren at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 15, at Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home. Rev. Tom Pratt officiated. Burial made in Hico Cemetery.

Warren passed away in the rest home after a long illness. A native of Iredell, she had lived in California for a number of years before moving to Hico in August of last year.

Survivors include four nieces, Gladys Dean of Fort Worth, Roy Vickery, Miss Locille and Miss Loraine Segrist; eight nephews, Leslie Williams of El Paso, J. L. Goodrich of Pecos, Barney McBeath of Hico, Calif., Tom McBeath of Hico, Calif., Earl Thomason of Coolidge, Tex., Kal Segrist and Cecil Segrist of Hico.

Bearers were Sam Looney, Spinks, Lawrence Lane, I. Wright, Ben Wright, and Rudy Wright.



WAITING THEIR TURN—The three lambs here appear to be waiting their turn for dinner, but actually Mama Ewe has no feeding problems with her triplet offsprings. She takes care of two of them, while a Nannie goat has adopted the

other. The triplets were born last week at Golden Acres Farm, and are the ninth set of three lambs born since the farm started operations. Their mother and father are registered animals in the herd of Hicks and Hafer, Suffolk breeders.

FFA, FHA Chapters Present Program at Feb. P-TA Meeting

Highlight of last Monday evening meeting of the Hico Parent-Teacher Association was a very interesting program presented by members of the FFA and FHA chapters.

Emblem of the Future Farmers of America was re-enacted by Little, Sheila Partain, Kay Ann, Barbara Randals, Linda Ann, Nelda Whiteside, Eileen Ann, Dixie Lackey, Jane Ann, and Dixie Lackey. Jane Ann led the group in singing the FFA song, with Ruth Ann at the piano.

Don Jernigan was narrator of the Future Farmers of America presentation. He told of the accomplishments and projects by the FFA Chapter. Harry Brown, Bill Edge, Loyd Hyles, Jerry Casper, Morris Samford, Tommy Don, Frankie Phillips, Mike Flow, Ronnie Mayfield, Charles McElroy, and Butch Knudson explained each symbol of the FFA emblem.

Following the invocation, given by Rev. Ellis, Mrs. O. C. Cook led group singing of "America," Mrs. Wayne Rutledge, pianist.

Miss Jimmie Ramage presented a report on Founders Day. She stated that the P-TA has a membership of only 12 million, with members mostly residing in the United States, but in many foreign countries also.

Ramage stressed the point that many have the mistaken idea that the P-TA is only a parent and school organization interested in raising money for school equipment, which it is to a certain degree, but it is also interested in children's homes and activities, their physical, emotional health and safety. She concluded with the statement that since the organization's inception in 1897 many accomplishments had been achieved by the P-TA which should make every parent very proud of the P-TA organization.

Rev. Ellis Randals, president,

presided at the business session. She reported that the Ways and Means committee is considering fund-raising projects to be sponsored this spring by the P-TA.

Room count was won by the fifth grade in elementary school and the twelfth grade in high school.

Concluding the meeting refreshments were served in the lunchroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Smith and children of De Leon were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Randals.

Methodists to Open Lenten Season With Prayer Vigil Feb. 17

Members of the First Methodist Church will begin observation of Lenten Season Friday, February 17, the pastor, Rev. D. L. Barnes, has announced. Each member is expected to visit the church at some time between the hours of 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. Holy Communion will be observed at 7 p.m.

Christian Witness Mission will begin Sunday, Feb. 19, and extend through the following Thursday, with services being held each evening at 7:30 p.m. Sunday has also been set for One Great Day of Witnessing. Every member has been requested to visit at least one family during the day.

Hico Commission Co. Market Report

Around 150 head of livestock were offered Saturday at Hico Commission Company. The market was steady to stronger.

Good to choice stocker steer calves sold for \$25.00-\$28.00. Good to choice stocker heifer calves brought \$22.00-\$24.50. Good to choice butcher calves brought \$22.00-\$24.50. Hop top, \$18.75.

SAMPLE PAPERS

Several hundred sample copies of this week's News Review are being mailed to area residents, compliments of Salmon's Dept. Store.

Granddaughter of Local Couple Wins Top-40 Science Tag in National Competition

Anna Marie Harkins, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice A. Harkins of Fort Worth, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boyd of Hico, is one of the 40 high school seniors in the United States to be chosen from an original field of more than 25,000 as one of the "nation's most promising future scientists."

The Arlington Heights High School (Fort Worth) student was a participant in the 20th annual Science Talent Search, sponsored by the Westinghouse Educational Foundation.

Miss Harkins was one of nine girls—the other 31 were boys—to be selected as a national winner. She will compete for a share of scholarships and awards of \$34,250 during a five-day Science Talent Institute program beginning March 2 in Washington.

Winners were chosen on a basis of comprehensive science aptitude test, ratings by teachers, scholastic records and reports on their individual science research projects.

Suspended Animation

Miss Harkins' project was the "Effects of Hypothermal Conditions on Rana pipiens."

"It's an experiment in suspended animation," the petite student explained. "I wanted to know if a frog (Rana pipiens) would live after it had been frozen for a time.

"I froze several frogs in dry ice and then brought

them back to life by first placing a heated spatula on the heart," she continued.

The heart had to be thawed first in order to pump blood to other parts of the body. She reports more than 50 per cent success.

In her experiment, Anna Marie used 64 frogs. Half she put to sleep with ether before freezing and others she froze directly.

"I had the best results with the directly frozen frogs," she reported. "The ether seemed to lower the resistance of the body, and the heart would not function as readily as the others when heated."

Anna Marie said the project was entered in last year's National Science Fair and won a third place in the senior bio-chemistry division.

Scholarships

Top honors in the national competition will be announced at the end of the Washington institute on March 6. The student judged as the most promising scientist will receive a four-year \$7,500 science scholarship.

Second place award will be a \$6,000 scholarship, followed by scholarships of \$5,000, \$4,000 and \$3,000. Each of the other national contestants will receive a \$250 cash award.

Anna Marie says she has been interested in science since the ninth grade at W. C. Stripling Junior High School. That year she entered a "mold study" in the National Science Fair "because my teacher required it." She won a fourth place.

Presently the young bio-chemist is working on



BIO-SCIENTIST . . . ANNA MARIE HARKINS

another Science Fair project on eye transplants. Again the project deals with frogs—or early

forms—tadpoles.

"I take the eyes of live tadpoles and transplant them directly into other live ones," she explained. "However, some of the transplanting is done after the eyes are kept in a salt solution under glass for about 10 days."

Her research here does not attempt to make the eye function properly, but only to see if the transplanted eye will live.

Upon graduation from high school, Miss Harkins plans to attend TCU and major in chemistry in preparation for medical school later.

In addition to being secretary-treasurer of the Arlington Heights Science Club, she has won a first-place award in the Texas Academy of Science and a second-place award from the North Texas Biological Society.

Last summer she participated in a National Science Foundation institute at Texas A & M College where she did laboratory work with many graduate students from other countries on cholesterol in the blood stream and kidneys.

Cholesterol is related in some unknown fashion to hardening of the arteries, high blood pressure and sometimes heart attacks.

Anna Marie has worked closely with the Arlington Heights science teacher, Flavio J. Arsenau who operates a city-wide science program with a money grant from the National Institute of Health.

Miss Harkins has visited in Hico with her grandparents on many occasions.

FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

It seems from all accounts that most everyone was out enjoying the spring weather Sunday. En route to Lund Valley we noted visitors at many homes, the kids enjoying a romp and games in the sunshine. Some on the golf course, and others just seemingly out for a ride.

Today, Monday, also a beautiful spring-like day, makes us want to plant flowers or garden. We did give our rose bushes a pruning, which is always due at this time of the year. We just hope it will remain fair and warm for a while as grain is looking awful bad due partially to too much moisture.

H. R. Brummett is very ill. He was moved back to the Hico Rest Home last from the hospital, where he had spent a week or more. Their children and families visited with them during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks visited during the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Streeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Olga Duncan spent the week end in Cleburne in the

home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Derden. Mr. Derden had undergone surgery Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan and baby of Irving also visited with the Derdens during the week end.

Marvin Porterfield carried his cousin, Nona Brunson, to McCloskey Hospital at Temple Monday. Nona has been ill of a lung infection for several months and his condition grew worse the past few weeks. We hope he will soon be much improved and able to return home. Mr. Brunson is our cemetery caretaker and his place would be hard to fill. He was examined by Dr. Kookan at Hamilton last Friday, who stated he should have gone to the hospital some time ago.

Mr. Frank Hanes and Mike spent the week end in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Drew and new daughter, Cynthia Ann. Mrs. Hanes has been visiting in the Drew home since Wednesday of last week helping to care for her daughter and baby.

A large crowd attended the program held at the school gym last Saturday night, when members of the Fairy Masonic Lodge honored Mr. W. E. Goynes for his 50 years in masonry in the Fairy Lodge. Bro. Felix Shaffer of Meridian was guest speaker.

Jack Whitten, government trapper of Gustine, and Garland Streeter of Lanham, president of the recently organized Hamilton County Wolf Club, made their first catch, on the Bart Oates place near Hamilton, recently when they found a female wolf weighing about 30 pounds in their traps. Many young lambs and kids have been killed by wolves in the county.

Bill Lackey of San Antonio spent a few days here last week looking after business interests at their farm. Mrs. Lackey and Harold visited here during the week end. They visited in the Ovie Brummett home while here. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haile visited

during the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sills and other relatives. Other visitors during the week end in the Sills home were his sister, Mrs. Bill Lackey and husband and son Harold.

The writer attended singing Sunday afternoon at Lund Valley Baptist Church, and after singing hours we visited in the Irvin Anglin home with Mr. A. H. Sumerford and the Anglins, and at the Willeford rest home.

Mrs. T. L. Betts of Hico attended church here Sunday.

Mr. Walter McCoy of near Hico was a luncheon guest in the home of his niece, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Blakley last Sunday.

Sorry to report that C. M. (Chock) Broyles has been a patient in the Clifton Hospital for the past several days due to a bronchial cold. Louis Heyroth and sister, Mrs. Beatrice Oglesby, visited him Sunday and reported him some better and that it was thought he would be able to return home Monday or Tuesday of this week. We hope he will soon be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams of Hamilton visited here Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson and Jerry and attended church.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Blakley visited Saturday in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Lamb of Flat and carried her piano to her.

Miss Virginia Anderson and a friend from Dallas visited last Sunday week end in the home of her mother, Mrs. Mignon Anderson.

Mrs. Bertha Slater is visiting in the home of her daughter, Virginia at Fort Worth. Virginia came for her at the Hico Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goynes of DeSota spent the week end at their home here. Also spending the weekend with them were their daughters, Mrs. Grace McDowell and baby and a lady friend or relative whose name we failed to get, and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dowdy, all of Fort Worth.

We stated in last week's newsletter that we had received a donation of \$30.00 for the Fairy Cemetery from the Burden Brothers of Dallas. We should have stated the amount to be \$50.00. We are very sorry of the error and hadn't caught the mistake until called by Arthur Burden of Hico who had made the deposit at the Hico bank for his nephews, and we certainly understand why he had called our attention to the mistake. Many times we are racing like mad with the mailman trying to remember a half dozen or more news items. We sometimes wonder just what we got in the mail, for occasionally we don't have time to re-read. We try to make it a practice to keep notes and write our newsletter on Monday, but occasionally with some interruption the whole deal falls on Tuesday morning with only a few hours for the job.

Miss Carolyn Sellers visited Sunday in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, and with her cousins, Peggy and Joyce Jones.

Dorsey Dwane Blue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Blue of Hamilton was among the graduates at A & M College January 21. He received a B.S. degree in Industrial Education. Besides his degree he received a commission as a second lieutenant in the Army. He will leave for active duty in Fort Knox, Kentucky on March 22. Dorsey is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wolfe of Fairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Anderson of Garland visited during last Sunday weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver. They were accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. Maggie Martin of Dallas, sister of Mr. Driver.

We are glad to report that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonner now have a telephone, of which they feel very proud, and we too are certainly grateful since Mr. Bonner is a member of our cemetery committee and it will be much easier now to contact him.

CARLTON BAPTIST CHURCH
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Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
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By MRS. FRED GEYE

Funeral Services Held Wednesday for Charles William Fowler
Funeral services for Charles William Fowler, 63, of Dublin were held Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 8, at 2 o'clock in the Carlton Methodist Church. Rev. Ferrell Little, Methodist pastor at Jonesboro, formerly of Carlton, and Rev. Loyd Sanders of Dublin, pastor of the Carlton Methodist Church, officiated.

Burial was made in the Carlton Cemetery.
Mr. Fowler passed away Feb. 6 in the Hico Hospital after a long illness. He was born May 3, 1897 in Travis County, the son of Mrs. Ellen Pierce and the late Troy Fowler. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler lived near Carlton several years before moving to Dublin in December.

On December 3, 1927 he was married to Miss Loretta McMillan and three children were born to them. Survivors are his wife of Dublin; one daughter, Mrs. Alvin Thompson of Happy; two sons, Troy Fowler of Tulla and Loyd Fowler of Carlton; nine grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Ellen Pierce of Melvin; one brother, George Fowler of Bangs; three sisters, Mrs. Mack Nance of Tulla, Mrs. Jim McKinney of Carlton and Mrs. Henry Widner of Melvin.

Pallbearers were Purley and Sam Sharp, Hob Thompson, Ronald Mercer, Robert Ramm and Mack Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Jordan accompanied Mrs. Birdie Burnett to Quanah last Saturday on a business trip. While there they visited her brother and sisters, Mabe Barbee and wife, Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brandon and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Driver, Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Morgan. Another sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Ring of Floydada met them there for a visit together.

Elmer Chick was dismissed recently from the Dublin Hospital where he had been a patient a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Basham spent last week end in Cleburne with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Vaughn, and in Dallas with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Basham and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Smith and children of Waco were weekend visitors last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Jordan.
Mrs. J. C. Moreland returned home Wednesday after a visit in San Angelo with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams, Mary Beth, Kylian and Melanee.

Mrs. Annie Denman of Lamkin spent last Friday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Roberson, Mickey and Sonny were visitors last Sunday in Dublin with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hampton and children of Hamilton visited

Thursday night in the Culmer Jordan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes of Cranfills Gap and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullins were recent visitors at Lometa with his brother, Mr. Hughes, and Mrs. Mullins' aunt, Mrs. Minnie Ivey.

We were sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Vernon Wright in Dallas last week. Mr. and Mrs. Wright were born and reared at Carlton. She was the former Ona Chick.

Mrs. Charley Dyer returned home Saturday from the Hico Hospital where she had been a patient a week with the flu.

Truman Warren entered the Hico Hospital last week as a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and grandson, Mike Williams, and her mother, Mrs. Pearl Fisher of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. Stuckey's mother, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey. Mrs. Fisher visited in the afternoon with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Finley.

Mrs. Novice Littleton of San Angelo was a weekend visitor with her mother, Mrs. Charley Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cozy and daughter, Beryllin of San Angelo spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd.

Theon Thetford from the Ft. Sam Houston Base in San Antonio spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Thetford.

Out of town visitors attending services at the Baptist Church Sunday were Elmer Gibson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Thompson of Lamkin, Theon Thetford of San Antonio, and Mrs. Beryl Cozy of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson were visitors Sunday in Abilene with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Thompson and Olive Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Mack Self and baby, Connie Dowlyne of Lubbock spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Dow Self, Freddie and Jack Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonzy Williams and children of Stephenville were weekend visitors with her parents and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chick and Mrs. Joe Sharp Sr.

Bro. and Mrs. Eddie Rickenbaker and daughter, Elizabeth, with several members of the Baptist Church, attended the workers conference held Monday night in the Olin Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Henrick and baby, Golda Kay of Dallas were Carlton visitors Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Henrick is the former Miss Catherine Lackey of Carlton.

Mrs. Jim Adams and daughter, Mrs. Paul Gibson of Stephenville, both formerly of Carlton, were meeting old friends in town Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kind deeds, the flowers, and the nice food, from our friends during our time of sorrow in the passing of our husband, father and brother and son. Especially we want to thank the doctors and nurses at the Hico Hospital for their faithfulness.

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By Mrs. Pascal Brown

Bro. C. L. Smith of Abilene preached at the Church of Christ Sunday and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and family. He was accompanied by Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robbins of Tyler visited with Mrs. Lee King and Mrs. F. M. Holland Sunday. Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Lindley spent the week end with relatives in Abilene.

Mrs. J. E. Sessom, Mrs. Artie Cavitt and Yvonne visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sessom, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCullough and family in Fort Worth during the week end.

Nita King visited with Barbara and Joy Elkins Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Tom Woods of Johnsville visited with Mrs. F. M. Holland last Friday.

Elmer Giesecke visited with friends at Paluxy last Sunday.

Dave Flanery of El Paso, en route to Atlanta, Ga., was a recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan.

Freddie Naul, Roy B. Laurence, Barry Adams, James Mayfield, Jody Littleton visited with Alan and Dennis Solsbery last Saturday.

Mrs. Cliff Martin, who is attending school for nursing at Hillsboro spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson and Brenda of Fort Worth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Evans during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott and grandchildren, Devonna and Jon Scott of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Koonsman of Stephenville attended a birthday dinner given for Hugh Koonsman at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe of Clairette on Sunday.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown and Harry Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Killion of Hico, Miss Sallie Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and sons, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash, Dale and Wendell, Bonnie and Tammy Burden of Stephenville, Mrs. A. H. Burden and Suzanne of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fallin of Bluff Dale, Mrs. Marvin Solsbery and Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robinson and Rita.

Mrs. Lawrence Koonsman of Stephenville, Mrs. Golda Scott, Jon and Devonna Scott of Hico attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Head of near Hico and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Burgan, Vicki and Billy of Hamilton visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan last Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Scott and Mrs. Cap McIntire visited Mr. N. E. McGuire, who is ill in the Stephenville Hospital. They also visited with Mrs. Lonnie Carey, who is seriously ill in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robinson, Mike and Rita spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robinson of Meridian.

Mrs. Golda Scott and Mrs. Orena Koonsman of Stephenville visited with Mrs. Fay Howell of Stephenville, who is ill, and with Mrs. Eunice Livingston, who has retired from Cox's in Stephenville.

Mr. A. B. Naul of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and Danny of Arlington spent the week end with Mrs. Naul, Freddie and Linda.

Mrs. J. R. Laurence and son, Roy E. and Mrs. W. C. Fouts were visitors in Stephenville Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Burgan and

family of Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rogers and children of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan and family Sunday.

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Large Percentage of Hamilton-Coryell SCS Dist. Range Area

By A. L. MILES
Hamilton-Coryell Soil Conservation District is located primarily in a range area. A big percentage of the district is range land and a high percentage of the cropland should have been left in grass and never plowed. The land that should have been left in grass is going down in production of field crops year by year. A lot of it has reached the point of no return. But it is not too late to re-establish grass on much of this land that is going down the drain each year through erosion.

When land with any appreciable slope is plowed and left without some form of cover, every rain takes its toll. Some of the top soil, our most valuable asset, goes with the water headed downstream. One authority has said that for every one ton of plant food removed from the land by harvested crops, four hundred tons go downstream to the Gulf of Mexico. The part that goes downstream is lost forever.

Studies have been made by the Department of Agriculture which show that land plowed to a depth of four inches on a slope of slightly more than three and one half per cent with an annual rainfall of 40 inches will lose 41 tons of top soil. Going with this top soil will be plant food—nitrogen, phosphate, potash and other elements—valued at \$73.00 per acre. By contrast the same land protected against erosion will produce twenty bushels of wheat per acre with a plant food loss of only \$3.46. This means that if the grower will supply the \$3.46 per acre in plant food the twenty bushels of wheat could be harvested year after year and the land would retain its original fertility.

But what about the sloping land that is going to suffer erosion after a crop is harvested and the land plowed for another year. The answer is permanent grass. Grass is definitely the best solution for erosion problems. Grassland not overgrazed, almost regardless of the slope, shows very little effects of erosion. Even on heavily overgrazed land with as much as 2000 pounds cover per acre you have ninety per cent protection against both water and wind erosion.

Bare land has no protection. Any land, almost regardless of

the degree of erosion or how light or rocky the soil, will grow some grass and grass is the best form of protection against further erosion and depletion. Of course, the better the land the more grass it will produce. Growth and development will be in proportion to the type of land.

In this district there are several types of old crop lands and rangelands that should be seeded to permanent grasses. Some areas will respond more readily to Little Bluestem, some to Indian Grass, some to K. R. Bluestem and some to native-grass mixtures.

For the heavy bottom lands, somewhat inclined to be wet, planting of Coastal Bermuda Grass offers an excellent opportunity. Coastal Bermuda planted on heavy land and properly fertilized will produce an abundance of highly nutritious forage. It should be given careful consideration.

Right now is the time for getting plans underway for seeding grasses. There is an abundance of moisture which is a big factor in getting up good stands. The district has grass planting equipment they furnish on a nominal rental basis. The district supervisors urge every one interested in conservation and improvement of ranges and increasing grazing possibilities to consult Soil Conservation Service technicians at both Hamilton and Gatesville for information that will enable them to get maximum returns from grazing. There is nothing more pleasant or profitable than growing a crop to be harvested by livestock. Grass is the answer.

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The Mirror

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PAY ASSEMBLY

Monday, Feb. 1, High School and Elementary School enjoyed a pay assembly that lasted about 45 minutes. Mr. Eddie Motter was in charge of the program. Mr. Motter being a blind man, did a remarkable job of his balancing act. He also gave a very inspiring talk about his life. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the program and were amazed at the way he had adapted himself to his blindness.

JUNIOR PLAY

The Junior Class of 1960-61 have selected the play entitled "Grandpa Goes to College" to present this year. The characters and the name of each person playing the role are as follows:

Doug Hewing, Robert Reed; Maxine Doran, Kathy Higginbotham; Sam Banning, Doane Martin; June Day, Barbara Elkins; Elmer Sloane, Rony Giesecke; Ruthie Brown, Janet Hooper; Herman Gross, Danny Reeves; Mary Shayne, Margaret Warren; Eliber (Tex) Colriver, Mark McElroy; Jed (Grandpa) Parsons, Harold Hathcock; Beth, Wilda Keller; Angela, Sue Luckie.

The play begins with very typical college life, but when Grandpa and Tex show up they start quite a commotion.

Mrs. Brummett, junior home-room teacher, will act as play director. The play will be presented early in March.

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SPOTLIGHT

Finally my spotlight didn't have to shine through snow, sleet, rain or fog and I didn't have to get as close to people to see who they were. Friday night after beating Valley Mills a few couples went out on the town to celebrate. Those I saw were Linda P. and Harlon K.; Sheila P. and Melton L.; Kay Y. and Billy B.; Nelda W. and Jimmy H.; Bobby B. and Anita M.; Dianne H. and Reagan G.; and Lou L. and Wayne W.

Saturday night things got in full steam again with everybody enjoying the weather, boxing or a good movie. Those I got in the beam were Mitchell (Ring) M. and Mary A.; Joy L. and Charles T.; Anita M. and Tyrus S.; Judy O. and Rony G.; Jay Dean C. and Tom P.; Nelda W. and Jimmy H.; Linda P. and Harlon K.; Kay Y. and Billy B.; Sheila P. and Melton L.; Dianne H. and Reagan G.; Barbara R. and Mike L.; George A. and Joyce B.; and Royce A. and Betty H.

Sunday night I saw Nelda W. and Jimmy H.; Jane A. and Neil E.; Judy O. and Rony G.; Jay Dean C. and Tom P.; Kathy H. and Ronnie K.; Dianne H. and Reagan G.; Joy L. and Charles T.; Barbara R. and Mike L.; Anita M. and Kenneth S.; and Linda P. and Harlon K.

Kite-Flying Season Brings Warning From CPS Manager

Things are sure a lot more complicated these days for kite flyers. Time was when an eager young kite pilot didn't have much to

worry about except trees, wind and the proper amount of tail. Nowadays, however, this traditional sport is beset by many new hazards, such as electric power lines, television antennas and busy highways.

"Many youngsters do not realize the dangers in this innocent pastime if safety rules are not observed." This reminder comes from O. L. Davis, local manager for Community Public Service, in an appeal for caution directed to chil-

dren and parents alike. "The most important rule," Davis declared, "is to never fly kites where there is a possibility of their getting tangled in power lines."

Other "don'ts" include: use metallic cord or wire for string, don't use metal in the kite, don't pull on the string or climb a power pole to get a kite snagged in electric wires, and don't fly a kite over telegraph lines.

To help impress children that safety is all-important in flying, Community Public Service is providing posters for school bulletin boards.

Funeral Services Held At Stephenville for Erath County Pioneer

Funeral services were held at Stephenville at 2 o'clock last Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Jordan, pioneer Erath County native. Rev. S. T. Carile and Rev. Kenneth Reed officiated, with burial in Bowman Ridge Cemetery, south of Stephenville.

Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth Jordan was born in Freestone County on June 13, 1865, to Mr. and Mrs. William Wesley Tatum. She was married in Hamilton County in 1888 to A. E. Jordan, and they moved to Erath County in 1901. Her husband preceded her in death in 1931.

Mrs. Jordan, who lived with her son, C. E. Jordan in Benbrook had been in ill health for several years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Benbrook.

Other surviving children are J. A. Jordan, Mrs. R. S. Farrar and Mrs. Carl Spaulding, all of Fort Worth; Mrs. F. H. Derrick of Stephenville; Mrs. B. D. Hughes of Andrews; and Mrs. John Herrin of Las Cruces, N. M. She is also survived by 28 grandchildren, 37 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren.

The following grandsons served as pallbearers: Jess Jordan, Carl Derrick, Jim Stone, Dan Farrar, John and Bill Herrin, and one grandson-in-law, J. J. Whisenand.

EARLY COPY REQUESTED

Club reporters and publicity chairmen are urged to get their reports to the News Review on Monday, or by Tuesday noon at the latest.

So often late copy has to be omitted until the following week. Please help us to meet our deadline by turning in copy as early as possible.

N. E. McGuire is a patient in the Stephenville Hospital. We understand that he is to undergo surgery this week.

CLAIRETTE

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

REVIVAL SCHEDULED AT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. A. L. Cronk, pastor of the Clairette Methodist Church, announced Sunday that a revival will be held at the Clairette church from Thursday, Feb. 23 through Sunday, Feb. 26. Services will be held each night at 7 o'clock.

Everyone in this vicinity is invited to attend these services.

The pastor will also have a revival at Pleasant Hill beginning Sunday, Feb. 19 and continuing through Wednesday evening.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McIntire gathered at their home Sunday and helped Mrs. McIntire celebrate her birthday with a dinner.

C. W. Roberson of Stephenville visited a while Wednesday afternoon in the homes of Herman Roberson and Henry Mayfield. He brought the news of the sudden death of Mr. Curtis of Haskell, father-in-law of T. B. Roberson of Haskell. Funeral services were held there last Thursday afternoon.

A. E. Harvey fell one day last week and broke his hip. He is a patient in the Hico Hospital, and his condition is reported as fair.

Herman Moody spent the week end at Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McAdoo of Austin visited during the week end with Mrs. Ethel Self and father, M. L. Dowdy and Mr. and Mrs. Les Dowdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lambert and daughter of Dallas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Roberson and family of Fort Worth visited during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson.

Rupert Phillips of Dallas was here this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Rush and Mrs. Dona Wolfe were in Waco Friday where they visited Mrs. Pearl Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill King were Clairette visitors Friday.

Mrs. Vada Fall of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jones of Bluff Dale spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith and Ken.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lee of Fort Worth passed the week end with Eunice and Nola Lee.

Zeph Carter, who is employed at El Paso, spent the week end at home.

Albert House spent the week end with the Gene Lepard family. Ronnie Lowery of Stephenville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Dove of Stephenville visited Saturday afternoon with the Mike Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Haley and family of Fort Worth visited the Fieldon Halesys the past week end.

Hico girls and boys won their basketball games Friday night at Valley Mills. Several citizens of the Hico district attended the games. At this writing, no date or place has been set for the next boy's game.

Gardening time is here. If the sun shines long enough before the next rain you will probably see several out doing this job soon.

The branches and hills are running like the mountain streams in Colorado.

Grain in this area is at a standstill due to so much cold, wet weather. If only we can have several warm sunny days the grain will snap out and start growing again. So much of it looks yellow now.

The Busy Bee Club will meet this Thursday from 2 to 4 p.m. Everyone was happy to see the warm sunny days the past week end.

Mrs. Zena Havens accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Florine Wheeler to her home in Killeen from the Hico Hospital last Tuesday.

Mrs. Iva Golithly gave an all-day quilting party last Thursday in her home. The group worked on a quilt for Mrs. Pearl Durham. Mr. and Mrs. John Golithly went to Dallas Sunday to attend an REA meeting.

Buck Hubbard and family of Fort Worth visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Noland.

We are sorry to report that Rev.

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

Phillips Guest at February Club Meeting

Hico Garden Club met Friday afternoon, Feb. 10, in Maxine's for their regular monthly

President, Mrs. Fred Rain, presided over the business with minutes of the last read by the secretary, Mrs. Cryer, and approved by the

The afternoon program Mrs. Hall, Mrs. L. N. Lane and Phillips served on a panel. Mrs. Frank Bonner has for a discussion by the on basic garden rules and diseases that damage plants, peonies, ferns and A-

Phillips gave some interesting on the care of potted plants. Including the program members for the annual plant

Refreshments of cookies, coffee were served by the hostesses to the 20 attending mem-

The January Club report an was made in reporting the officers, and should have

Ellis Rands visited Wednesday of last week in Coleman mother, Mrs. J. E. Burle-

W. L. Malone and Mrs. Saunders visited from Thursday Saturday in Waco and

and Mrs. J. C. Malone and of Waco visited Saturday Sunday in the homes of his

and Mrs. Norris Paddock and of Benbrook were week- visitors in the home of his

Lee Wilburn of Fort Worth, of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. underwent surgery Monday

Mrs. Moss is visiting this with her daughter, who is to be recovering nicely.

Anna Mae Harvey and son, Newt of Hamilton visited Saturday night with Mollie

Lee Day and children, Ann Bud, and Mrs. Ledbetter of enville were Tuesday visit- with Mollie Harvey.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Sallie Ogle were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ogle and children of McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lowery and daughters of Killeen.

Miss Blair Hostess at Regular Meeting of Wesleyan Service Guild

Miss Louise Blair entertained members of the Wesleyan Service Guild Tuesday evening of this week in her home.

The February program, "What Is The Word" was directed by Mrs. Ellis Rands. The program emphasized the importance of words with the purpose of the theme indicating the importance of communication, both from person to person, and from God to man; to clearly and lift up the meaning of Jesus as the Incarnate Word; and to sharpen responsibilities for being carriers of the word.

Mrs. Rands was assisted by Mrs. E. V. Meador, who spoke on "Words as Communication of Life." Mrs. S. W. Everett talked on "How God Speaks." "Jesus as the Word" was Mrs. D. L. Barnes' topic, and Mrs. Ray Cheek told of "The Word Today and Our Responsibility."

Mrs. G. M. Bullard presided during the business session, when she reported on a recent District Guild meeting attend by she and Mrs. Louise Angell in Clifton. She also reminded members of the interesting study to be presented in March by Mrs. Elliott. Mrs. George Griffiths, secretary, read the minutes of the January meeting, and the treasurer report was given by Mrs. Watt Ross.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to ten members at the conclusion of the meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. Roline Chaney, Glenda and Karen visited last Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chaney. Rev. Chaney is pastor of the South Heckley Baptist Church in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Maron Linch visited this past weekend at Whitney in the home of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Jameson, and in Clifton in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blue.

Mrs. E. L. Reid of Andrews and Mrs. E. R. Wagner of Denver City visited Thursday of last week with their mother, Mrs. Maxine Jordan, Doris and James.

Mrs. Margaret Tolliver visited this past week end in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crow in Electra.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Sallie Ogle were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ogle and children of McGregor and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lowery and daughters of Killeen.

Mrs. Duncan Observes Birthday Sunday

Mrs. Ollie Duncan observed her 83rd birthday Sunday, February 12, and was honored with a party from 2 to 6 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scott.

Mrs. Duncan was born in Bell County in 1878. She moved to Claiborne at the age of seven, and has been a resident of the Hico area since. She became a member of the Old Primitive Baptist Church in Duffau at the age of 20. Guests who called during the appointed hours included her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goughly, Andy Duncan and daughter, Shirley of Fort Worth, Mrs. Mozell Oakley of Fort Worth, Wayne Duncan of Stephenville, Linda Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe of Hico.

Mrs. John Word Fetes Husband on Birthday

Mrs. John Word was hostess last Saturday evening when she entertained with a birthday party honoring her husband.

Refreshments of cookies, cake, coffee and punch were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Tony Linch and daughters, Vicki and Paula of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jeffrey of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Guinn and Sam and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Word and Howard, all of Fairy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Guinn, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guinn, Danny and Chuck, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Word, Steve and Jeffrey of Iredell.

The guests enjoyed games of "84" during the evening. The honoree received several nice gifts.

World Day of Prayer Will Be Observed Here

The World Day of Prayer will be observed with a program in the Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 17.

All women in the Hico area are invited and urged to be present.

ATTEND MARKET IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Burden were in Dallas Tuesday of this week attending spring market.

SON FOR THE GRAVES

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Graves of Austin are the proud parents of a son, born January 24. The little lad weighed in at 7 pounds and 4 ounces, and has been given the name Kenneth Alan.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wysong Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bales of McAllen.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer and Claudia visited in Austin this past Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Schmidt.

Day Club Members Guests Entertained Last Friday Night

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer were hosts for a party in their home last Friday evening when they entertained members of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club. Guests for the evening were husbands of club members, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parks.

Lovely Valentine arrangements were used throughout the entertaining room and refreshments were served from a table laid with lace cloth, with a centerpiece of white stock accented with tiny red hearts. Tall red tapers flanked the arrangement.

Games of bridge were enjoyed by the guests and at conclusion of play Mr. Harold Walker was awarded high score and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage was winner of second high score.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parks.

Wolfe Home Scene Of Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe were hosts at a birthday dinner last Sunday honoring her brother, Hugh Koonsman.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walsworth of Pleasant Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Burch of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Currier and grandson, Eddy Riley of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Koonsman of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Lelon Wolfe and Jimmy of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott and grandchildren, Jon and Devonna Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Koonsman and Tony, all of Hico.

Those visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hubbard, Sonny, Ronald and Curtis of Fort Worth, and Harlon Koonsman. All the children of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koonsman were present except one, Mrs. C. F. Mayfield of Fort Worth.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gleaton this past week end were his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gleaton of Comanche, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head of Proctor.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hathcock and Harold this past week end were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thompson and sons, Ronald Wayne and Danny Leroy of Fort Worth.

Coffee Time

CHATTER

By HELEN OGLE

Wouldn't it be nice to take a weekend trip this time of year, and just by chance get snow-bound? Lucky people who did just that were Conda and Ruth Salmon, who visited their children in the Valley and were delayed several days by the weather. They

reported sunny weather and beautiful scenery with the fruits all ripening. And since it was snowing here, they were snowbound?? Louise Blair left home for a weekend trip, and reported back in several days over due, and her story was the same—"I got snow-bound!"

Bunnie Alexander says you can't win for losing, as she enjoyed staying outside Tuesday and got too much sunshine. Result, one miserable head cold.

Bro. Dawson waded into the office Monday and said he thought our best bet to solve the river problem in front of the office was to install a ferry.

I understand collections are being taken by a local citizen to enable filling the first Hico name on the fast-growing list of senatorial candidates. It will also be the first lady from Hico to run or the office.

Roy French was passing the time of day visiting with friends in town, and wondering why the fish wouldn't bite on these sunny days.

Drucilla Marshall and Velma Everett enjoying coffee time and discussing the new spring fabrics and patterns.

Ray Keller showing a prize arrowhead he had acquired, and wishing he could leave on a safari. If you need some exercise, just try following Doris Flowers to the post office, but don't plan to walk.

A welcome visitor in the office will always be Mrs. E. E. Wimberley who says she has taken the Hico paper since 1905 and she sure couldn't miss a copy now.

Sim Everett is getting lots of sunshine and exercise these days as he polishes those cars in hopes of enticing a buyer.

Jim Jameson was in the office this week attending to business, and said he thought sure he had paid all those bills until he saw Buck.

Understand James Cryer was greeted by a friendly bird dog in Iredell recently and since it was a "Setter" he now needs a new hat.

Press time—so remember if you have been anywhere, done anything, or seen anyone else do anything, call me.

Jimmy and Vicki Lynch of Fort Worth visited this past week in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scott. They were accompanied home Sunday by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lynch.

Hicks Home Scene Of Party Saturday

Mrs. L. A. Hicks entertained with a party at her home last Saturday when she honored her daughter, Mrs. Sonny Christian of Dublin.

Present for the occasion were Mrs. Eugene Hicks, Mrs. Mack Hicks, and Mrs. Lampton Woodward.

BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED

Mrs. Hicks also honored her grandsons, Randy, who was 7, and Jan, who was 6, with a birthday party.

Refreshments of cake, frosted cakes, and Valentine hearts filled with candy were presented each guest.

Those present included Teresa Parks, Nancy and Sandena Hicks, Mike, Barry and Susan Christian, and the honorees.

ERATH SINGING CONVENTION WILL MEET FEBRUARY 19

The Fisher Quartet will be featured at the regular third Sunday singing of the Erath County Convention, which will meet Sunday afternoon, Feb. 19 at 2 o'clock in the Primitive Baptist Church in Stephenville.

LATE FAIRY NEWS

Russell Lee (Bush) Adams of Miles visited last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover. While here he left a \$5.00 donation for the Fairy Cemetery.

First Methodist Church

REV. D. L. BARNES, Pastor

Schedule of Services

Church School, 9:45 a.m.

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MYF, 6:15 p.m.

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

ADDING MACHINE paper for sale at the Hico News Review.

On the Home Range

By Helen Ruth Flowers
Home Demonstration Agent

USE INTERFACING FOR QUALITY AND FASHION

Interfacing can help give a more professional look to your spring sewing. It gives additional body to fabric and is a must with many pattern designs. The secret is in knowing where to use it, and what kind to use.

Interfacing is most likely to be needed at edges where buttons and buttonholes are to be placed. Collars, cuffs, and pocket flaps often need interfacing to give them body and the crisp, perky look that adds style to a garment. Peplums, yokes, and the lower portion of fitted jackets also are in need of some additional body for a professional look.

Skirt waistbands may need a single thickness of interfacing to prevent the waistband from stretching. It also helps to keep the waistband from rolling or wrinkling.

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Studies show that women especially are not drinking the milk they need each day, neither are their teenage daughters. This may be partly due to the fact that many people think milk is fattening. It isn't. A glass of whole milk has fewer calories than a serving of many other foods. They are only about 165 calories in a glass (8 ounces) of whole milk, and each ounce is packed with food value. A serving of lean beef has about 300 calories. Two buttered biscuits have about 350 calories and a slice of apple pie contains about 375 calories.

Drink skim milk, if you're trying to lose a few pounds. It has approximately half the calories of whole milk, but you will still be getting the important minerals vitamins and protein.

When energy lags, in mid-morning or afternoon, try a cold glass of milk for a "lift that lasts." If you would like some recipes using milk, get the bulletin "Good Milk For Good Meals" from your county home demonstration agent's office.

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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By MRS. VINITA BLAKLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Word Main visited their daughter, Mrs. Dalton Estlin in Waco on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawan Lowe and children of Waco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowe Saturday. They also visited the W. E. Boyd family.

Mr. Claude Mitchell of Irving was in Iredell Saturday on business.

Mrs. Mary Loughlin entered the Stephenville Hospital Thursday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Allison and son were visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gosdin Sunday. Also visiting in the Gosdin home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Gaston of Cranfills Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Whitley were weekend visitors in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Dawson and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Yates, Carolyn and Ralph Jr. of Dallas visited in the Allen Dawson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blue of Clifton were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucious Golden on Friday.

Mrs. J. J. Matrin, who has been in Alexandria, La. visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Elsing, returned home Saturday morning. Mrs. Elsing came with her mother for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Eulan Patterson of Denton and Mrs. Otto Patterson of Meridian visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucious Golden Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doak Simpson of Fort Worth visited his parents, the Wick Simpson during the week end.

Mrs. Ed Dunlap returned to Dallas with her son, W. T., and will visit there for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Gann and Rodney, and Mr. and Mrs. Latham Howell and family of Stephenville visited the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley Saturday.

Friday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkison were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Russell of Alvarado. Mr. Russell is also a retired letter carrier at Fort Worth. Also visiting in the Adkison home Sunday were Mrs. Ione Brooks, Mary and Phil of Fort Worth, and son, Don, who is in the Marine Corps stationed in California, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob-

by Menshew and Melody of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Doris Williamson, Mrs. Dora Strong and Mrs. Birdie McCoy left Sunday morning for several day's visit in Odessa, Midland and Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoffner returned to their home in California last Friday. Mrs. Hoffner is the former Wanda McAden.

Mrs. Clem McAden visited her son and family, the Howell McAdens from Friday until Sunday in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Dean of Fort Worth attended the Myers and McAden funeral services last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Dean of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler attended funeral services for Mrs. Dean's aunt, Mrs. Warren, held in Hico Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Henry Phillips of Clemen, Oklahoma brought his mother, Mrs. Della Phillips to Iredell Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Andrew Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McElroy, Dannie and Lisia of Waco visited his parents, the A. J. McElroys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hudson visited their daughters Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stroud of Flat Top Ranch on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Helm at McKinney on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley were in Henrietta during the week end visiting their son and family, the Bill Bradleys. Mrs. Bradley and Ann returned home with them and will visit her mother, Mrs. Fred Bennett of Rio Vista.

Mrs. J. F. Cooper and Paddy of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Flanary.

Mrs. Wildah Mitchell of Stephenville was visiting with Iredell friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bullard and Norma, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haggard attended funeral services in Electra Sunday for Mr. J. R. Haggard, the grandfather of Kenneth. They also visited in Vernon with Mrs. Bullard's mother, Mrs. Ruth Prince.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones and family of Burleson, and Mr. and Mrs. Burl Knudson of Hurst were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Vanwinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Vanwinkle and Joy were Saturday afternoon visitors with Mrs. M. C. Lowery and family at Duffau.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nutt of Waco and Mrs. Bonnie Martin of Glen Rose. Also Mrs. Ida Blue and Grady of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Westerman of Cleburne.

Mrs. J. E. L. Harrison and daughters, Ruby and Dessie were visiting friends here Monday. They reside in Arlington.

First Methodist Church

REV. D. L. BARNES, Pastor
Schedule of Services
Church School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:50
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.
MYF, 6:15 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m. Wednesday.

HICO CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening, 6:30 p.m.
Youth Services, 5:30 p.m. each Sunday.
Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.



MONUMENTS

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MANY FROM OUT OF TOWN ATTEND McADEN RITES

Out of town relatives and friends attending funeral services for Mr. F. C. McAden last Tuesday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoffner and Judy of San Francisco, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Howell McAden and Nicki Beth of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Aden of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bass of Corsicana; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lott, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dawson and son, Garland Curtis all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Franklin and son of Mexia; Mrs. Earl Page of Morgan; Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Curtis and son of Seagraves; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sparks of Lubbock.
Also Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mahoney, Mrs. Elvis Lott and Geo. Senior, all of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sparks and Susan and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McClure, all of Mesquite; Mrs. Foy Crouch and Mrs. Eva Gregory of Walnut Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conley of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nabors and Mrs. Ethel Sanders of De Leon; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laurence of Hico.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and everyone for the beautiful flowers, the nice food and every kind word and deed extended to us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, F. C. McAden. We especially want to thank the doctors and nurses at the Clifton Hospital who were so nice, also the pallbearers. May God bless each of you is our prayer.
The Clem McAden Family.
42-ltc.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation to all who were so kind and helpful during the long illness of our loved one. Thank you for your prayers, cards, food, visits, and beautiful flowers. May God bless each and every one of you.
The Family of
Mrs. Howard Myers
42-ltp

OUT OF TOWN FRIENDS AND RELATIVES ATTEND MYERS RITES LAST TUESDAY

Out of town relatives and friends attending funeral services for Mrs. Eunice Myers last Tuesday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Watson Miller and Derle of Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. Hayden Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Miller and Mrs. Lola Trimmier, all of San Antonio; Mrs. Ruth Bailey and two sons Miss Ona Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis and Judy, Miss Kay Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Key Williamson, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Mize, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller, all of Arlington;

Also Mrs. Laverne Brown, Jimmy and Tommy of Meridian; Mr. Si Davis, Mrs. Adeline Richard, Mrs. Lucy Standifer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Behringer, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Word, all of Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Myers, Mr. James Harris and Mrs. Mary Alice Hanna of Waco; Mr. Glenn and Olin Cutphen, Calvin Boykin, Mr. Alexander of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Williamson of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tidwell of Glen Rose; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conley, Mr. Fulcher and Mr. Williams, all of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Myers, Robert and Marilyn of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Odys Petsick and Mr. Ray Keller of Hico.

RESOLUTION OF RESPECTS

Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Hico Lodge No. 477 Hico, Texas

WHEREAS, Once again has summoned a member of Lodge and the Golden Gate of the eternal City has opened a "Welcome Home" . . . of ministering to the afflicted, in shedding light to darkened souls, and in bringing joy into the places of grief is completed, and as a tribute to the memory of the late Martin Lee Rainwater, our brother, has received the plaudits "Done" from the supreme Ruler of the Universe.

AND WHEREAS, The noble and merciful Master has our beloved and respected brother.

AND WHEREAS, He has been a true and faithful member of our Lodge, therefore be it RESOLVED, That Hico Lodge No. 477, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, in testimony of loss, tender to the Family of the deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction and furthermore, be it:

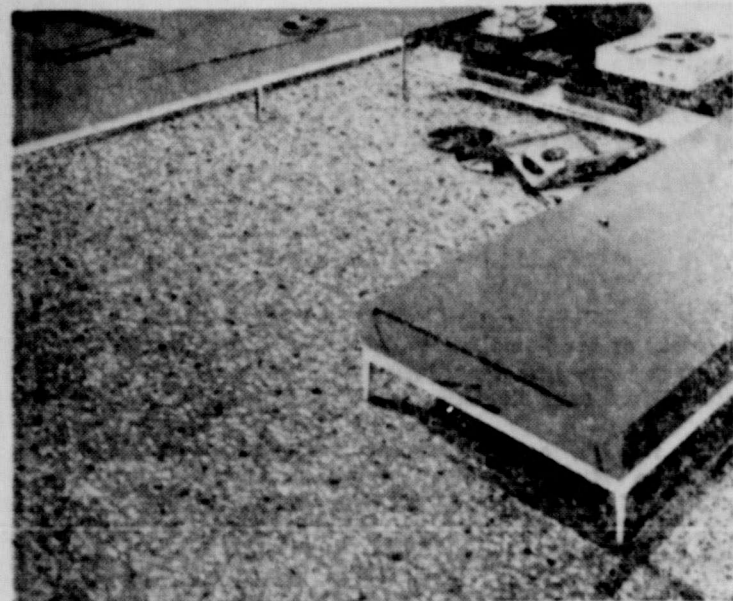
RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions of respect be sent to the Family; a copy of the minutes of the Lodge, a copy published in Brother Rainwater's home newspaper, The News Review.

Fraternally Submitted,
P. W. HAMILTON
J. C. PRATER
ROBERT B. JACOBSON
42-ltc.

Pentacostal Church

Schedule:
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Evening Worship, 8 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting

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| 1—9N Ford Tractor | 1—John Deere Rake |
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| 1—WC Allis-Chalmers | |

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SALE: 14x24 ft. building to be reasonable. See at F. H. residence. 42-1tp.

SALE: The L. J. Jordan and lot. Roper gas range. Luxe Kelvinator refrigerator. John Gollightly, Rt. 7, Clairette 44. 42-1tp.

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SALE: C. W. Giesecke place. Contact C. G. Land, 403 Westco, Dallas, Ph. FE 1-0988. 41-4tp.

SALE: My home, in city of Hico. Cheap. Lot six Mrs. Guy Eakins. 40-4tc.

SALE: Sand and gravel. For liter in chicken houses. Jonesboro Sand and Gravel. Hamilton 244 day or 414 40-13tp.

SHOTGUNS, rifles and pie buy, sell or trade. Ken Pecan Market. W. Black, Dublin, Texas. 40-3tc.

SALE: Good heavy oats at contact H. D. Haight, Rt. 39-4tp.

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HAVE BUYERS for 100 to 200 acres and larger in this area. Need listings. Timms Realty Co., Box 885, Comanche, Texas. 40-4tp.

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COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By E. B. LAWRENCE

I want to thank all you beef cattle men for the assistance you gave in returning the survey sheet I mailed out some time back. The survey showed that in herds of 99 cows or less the average calf crop percentage was 93.7, and in herds of 100 or more cows the percentage was 91.2. I believe that you will all agree that this is a good average.

In the survey we used this definition: The percent calf crop is the number of live calves born divided by the number of cows turned out with bulls the previous year, allowing for those cows culled from the breeding herds for reasons other than being without calf.

4-H Club members are reminded to fill out and mail to the Chamber of Commerce their entries for the Junior Livestock Show. The show will be Thursday, March 9, and entries are to be in the Saturday before, which March 4.

A few more days like Sunday and Monday will help much in drying out fields for planting. It is going to take many more days of good sun though for the most of the county.

If you can get into fields now is a good time to apply your fertilizer as a top dressing. If you are using straight nitrate, it can be applied to the surface of the soil with good results.

A summer legume is another good way to increase soil fertility. Not very many farmers follow this practice, however, Bill Kays, Rt. 3, Hico, does and likes it and says he has been getting good results. Bill has been planting Chinese Red Summer Peas, turning them under in the fall. Some times they are grazed. Bill has planted two and skipped two rows and says that this winter he can see quite a difference where the peas had been. Bill says that his wheat looks good this winter on that area where peas were planted through the summer.

Saw a new pump the other day

that looks like it might be good for those who are wanting one for spraying pecan trees and also doing other spray work around the place.

The new pump operates from the power take-off but it is a piston pump. This should allow it to develop more pressure than some of the smaller power take-off pumps now so popular. Pressure is pretty important when it comes to spraying pecans.

Mayhew Watson, Jonesboro, tells me that he got good results on his trees last year by spraying and that he intends to spray them again this spring.

I believe the mumps trouble is not so bad this week as it has been. I notice that several of the men folks around town are back at their businesses this week. Most of them are still taking it a little easy, though.

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STATEMENT

Of the Ladies Auxiliary and Hico Cemetery Association from January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

LADIES AUXILIARY ASSOCIATION

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Cash in Bank January 1, 1960, Collected by Donations, Collected by Interest on Bonds and Securities, and TOTAL 1516.54.

DISBURSEMENTS

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Caretaker, Additional Labor, Social Security Payments, Stationery and Postage, Gas and Oil, Parts and Repairs, Cash in Bank December 31, 1960, and TOTAL 1516.54.

HICO CEMETERY ASSOCIATION, INC.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Cash in Bank January 1, 1960, Sale of Lots, Donation (Ersie Alford Uhl and Etta Alford Nance), and TOTAL 1008.60.

The investments of the Hico Cemetery Association, Inc., as of December 31, 1960, consist of the following securities:

Table with 2 columns: Security Name and Amount. Includes Series F United States Bonds, Series G United States Bonds, Series K United States Bonds, United States Coupon Bonds, United States Treasury Bonds, and TOTAL 15550.00.

Only the Ladies Auxiliary funds (see statement above) may be used for the maintenance of our cemetery. Its only source of revenue consists of interest on investments held by Hico Cemetery Association, Inc., and contributions from lot owners and others interested in the upkeep. The Caretaker's salary must be paid from this fund. He works each lot twice a year. Annual statements are sent to persons known to be interested. Please give careful consideration to the statements and help all you can.

Hico Cemetery Association, Inc., has been created through Legacies, Bequeaths and the sale of lots. No part of this fund may be used for the upkeep of the Cemetery, excepting the interest therefrom.

This report for the year 1960 is respectfully submitted.

LOUISE BLAIR, Member of the Board
J. B. WOODARD, President
AFTEN AYCOCK, Secretary

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1960 Summary Report of Hico Nursing Home Released

A summary of 1960 for the Hico Nursing Home was released this week by Mrs. H. R. Payne, as follows. During the year 25 patients were admitted to the home, four were transferred to the hospital, eight moved out of town, and seven passed away in the home. At present eight patients are in the home that has a capacity of 16.

All employees of the home are local residents. During 1960 Mrs. Ernie Jacobs offered five months of volunteer work.

During the year the various churches in Hico visited the home regularly to offer devotionals, song services, visited each patient, and during the holidays gave Christmas boxes and presented Carol numbers.

The business merchants and Civic Club remembered the home with Christmas baskets of candy

and fruit.

During National Beauty Week, Mrs. Grady Hooper visited the home and gave each patient free hair styling, shampoo and set.

Residents of the home enjoyed viewing the annual Reunion parade, after the parade marshal re-routed the procession.

Numerous people of the community sent food, reading material, and visited regularly with the shut-ins.

One out of town guest complimented each patient with a personal Christmas gift.

The Hico Nursing Home provides the required care for patients plus transportation to and from church, the clinic, and out of town for dental work, and frequent visits with their families.

The public is cordially invited to visit at the home at any time.

Crowded Calendar Ahead

Hundreds of bills on almost every conceivable subject have been launched on the legislative waters. Some never will be heard of again. Some may change your way of living. Among these are proposals to: Up minimum retirement pay for teachers with 20 years' experience to \$1,800 a year; Remove the constitutional ceiling on state payments for the needy aged and increase the ceiling for payments to the disabled; Abolish the requirement for a wife's separate acknowledgement on property transactions; Allow a woman owning property before marriage to continue to manage it without her husband's consent after marriage; Set penalties for giving false testimony under oath to legislative committees; Set a state minimum wage of 75 cents an hour.

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

say anything to the Hinkle sisters because of their statements. Let them express themselves. As for me, I will not play dominoes any more while I am minister of this church. Do you remember that the Apostle Paul had some such experience because he went to the meat markets and purchased meat that appealed to him there and thought no more of it. But some of the church folks of Jewish lineage strongly protested such action on the part of anybody, calling to mind that the Old Testament specifically forbade the eating of any food that had been offered in heathen worship. Paul listened to the clatter and said that if eating meat should cause any soul to stumble in life, he just would not eat any meat as long as the world lasted.

"I am sure the Hinkle sisters are wrong in their attitude and I feel no compunction of conscience for what I have done. But if they feel offended and deterred in their Christian lives in any way, I certainly will not play dominoes, or any other game that those good women regard as evil, as long as I am minister in this pastorate. So let's cheerfully go along and forget the whole incident."

When the Hinkle sisters heard the minister's statement about the matter they felt rebuked in heart, and no more of the matter was heard, and they became warm supporters of the pastor. Isn't it possible that the minister solved the problem in the way all such controversies should be solved?

IT HAPPENED . . .

HERE OR NEAR

By E. E. DAWSON

The Hinkle sisters were most excellent characters. They were industrious, thrifty, deeply religious, held in high esteem by most people. Their parents before them were of like character and instilled into the sisters those stable qualities that remained to the end of life.

The Hinkle sisters were Puritans. Perhaps it would be more correct to say they were puritanical. To them a large part of character was negative; that is, consisted in not doing all things that they disapproved. They did not believe in playing any sort of games. They held that domino playing, or playing checkers, were sinful and one ought to abstain from such things. They expressed their disapproval of those activities on all possible occasions. They felt so strongly about the matter that they advocated that their church should officially say that members guilty of playing such games should be expelled from fellowship in the church. Of course they did not succeed in leading the church to pass such a regulation.

When they heard one day that their minister was seen playing dominoes with a friend in his home, they resolved to bring about his removal. Of course they could not have really believed that they would succeed in such a movement, but they boldly declared their intention of doing that radical thing. Their severe attitude in the matter aroused the members of the church and one could hear from all quarters the strongest utterances of disapproval of the Hinkle sisters. "It is nobody's business that the minister plays dominoes if he wants to. Such meddling in the private affairs of a home is one of the worst possible sins against the home and the minister and the community and the church." So rang the popular voice.

An officer of the church went to his minister and advised him to give a sound rebuke to the sisters or their harsh statements about the matter. The minister listened patiently to his officer, his face took on a grin and he delivered this statement to the church brother: "No, I shall not



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