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SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS—
Charles Erick, left, senior student in Hico High School, received two awards in the Annual Science Fair held at Baylor University April 3. His project was a study of plants, oxygen and respiration which was entered in the Biology

Experimental Senior Division. James Johnson, above photo, is shown with his project, "Rockets," which received honorable mention in the Fair. He is also a senior at Hico High School, and won two awards with his entry in the Math-Engineering Senior Division.

Senior Citizen Workshop Set April 20th at Hamilton

By JEAN HENRY
Demonstration Agent

Hico County has a population of 4,488 according to 1960 census and six-tenths percent approximately 1,748 are 65 years of age or older, which is the highest percentage in the state of Texas.

An all-day workshop, centered around the senior citizen, has been planned for Tuesday, April 20 in St. Mary's Parish House in Hamilton. The Home Demonstration Clubs and the Health and Public Welfare sub-committee of the County Program Building Committee have been involved in the planning.

Funeral Services Held Monday, April 12, For Mr. F. Morton

Funeral services were held Monday, April 12, at the Snyder Church at 3 p.m. for Mr. F. Morton. Rev. Armstrong officiated, with burial in the Snyder cemetery.

Morton was born May 11, 1887, at Snyder, and passed away at Hico April 5 at Hendricks. He was 77 years of age.

FORMAL OPENING OF REMODELED COURT ROOM DUE

Formal opening of the recently remodeled District Court Room at Hamilton will be held Friday, April 23 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., according to County Judge Herman Standier.

Refreshments will be served, and officials have extended an invitation to everyone to view the improvements.

Sign Progress Report

On April 13, a total of 29 signs and two business cards have been given \$88.76 to the fund. This week a total of \$100.00 was received from Mr. J. T. Grissom, Mrs. Clara Grissom, Mrs. Pleasant Ridge, Mich. and Mrs. W. R. Upham.

12 signs and these are ready to have road names stenciled. We have the pipe ready to mount these signs so they can be put up soon. A painting date will be set next week to complete painting on all sign boards, both large and small. When these are finished more boards will be bought and more signs cut. We have enough money to complete at least 26 more signs for a total of 50.

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School Board Re-Organized Monday Night

Hico Independent School Board of Trustees met Monday night to canvass results of the recent trustee election and to reorganize.

Following the canvass, Bobby Needham, M. I. Knudson and Chester Land were declared duly elected.

Graveside Services Held Tuesday For Mrs. Connie Redman

Graveside services were held Tuesday afternoon at Clairette Cemetery for Mrs. Connie Redman, of Dallas, who passed away in a Dallas hospital Sunday morning. Rev. Smith of Dallas and Rev. A. L. Cronk of Clairette officiated.

WEATHER REPORT

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

April 7	84	64	0.00
April 8	86	63	0.00
April 9	83	65	0.00
April 10	88	67	0.04
April 11	86	69	0.00
April 12	82	50	0.30
April 13	79	56	T

Total precipitation for the year 7.70 inches.

NEVADA VISITOR

Andrew Hefner of Sparks, Nevada is visiting here in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hefner.

Hico Elementary, High Schools Win District Literary Meet Titles

Hico Elementary and High Schools copped district championships in the annual Interscholastic League Literary meet held at Meridian last Saturday.

In the high school division, Hico scored a total of 294 points to win top honors, with Meridian placing second in the overall competition with 70 points.

In elementary division, Hico scored 74 1/2 points to Meridian's 59 to win top honors.

Top individual winners qualified

for the regional meet to be held at Tarleton State College later this month, and successful contestants at that level will qualify for the State Meet in May.

Individual winners from Hico were released as follows:

High School

Debate Team: James Randsal and Lynn Malone, first.

Extemporaneous Speaking: Cathy Cryer, second; Jackie Gilliland, first.

Persuasive Speaking: Connie Bulloch, first.

Poetry Interpretation: Dwain

Fail, first; Kay Jackson, first. Prose Reading: Mary Weadon, 1st; Leslie Royal second.

Ready Writing: Alma Burgan, second.

Spelling and Plain Writing: Team, Richard Leeth and Kathy Power, tied for second.

Typewriting: Team, Lee Ann Shepherd, Glenda Ogle, Brenda Marlar, second. (Lee Ann placed second individual).

Number Sense: James Randsal, first; Mike Reeves second; Danny Jenkins, third.

Science: James Randsal, first; Connie Bulloch, second; Dreyford Barnett third.

Slide Rule: Connie Bulloch, 1st; Dreyford Barnett second; Cherry Ramage third.

One-Act Play: Hico, second.

FHA Members Doing Volunteer Work at Hico Nursing Home

Members of the Future Homemakers, Hico Chapter, have begun volunteer work at the Hico Nursing Home. The girls are completing requirements for their chapter degrees and are using their experiences to interpret the FHA and homemaking program to other people.

Easter Sunrise Services Set Sunday at 6

In keeping with plans formulated last year, City-Wide Sunrise Easter Services will be held at the local football stadium at 6:00 a.m. Sunday morning.

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BOWLING ALONG...

Hico News Review and Salmon's are in a deadlock for first place in Mixed Bowling League. Check Furniture has worked their way up the line for a tie with the Bowl Weevils for second place. Judys and Hico Motors and First National are close behind the four top teams.

The game between F-W Ranch and Parks Orphans was postponed last week, and will be made up this week.

When the last ball was rolled last week, the results were: News Review 3, Rebels 1; Salmon's took three points from the Bankers; Judy's took three points over Hico Motors; and Cheeks swept four points from the Bowl Weevils.

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First Baptist Revival Slated April 18-25

First Baptist Church has scheduled revival services to be held the week of April 18-25, according to the pastor, Rev. R. E. Tatum.

Speaker for the series of meetings will be Rev. Ralph Jones of Austin, who is pastor of Northwest Baptist Church of Austin. Bennie Brink, senior at Howard Payne College, will direct the music.

Morning services will be held Monday through Friday at 9 o'clock, and evening services will begin at 7:30.

Due to the revival beginning on Easter Sunday, the local pastor and music director will be in charge of services that day.

The public is invited to attend the services.



Olin Community News

By MRS. ED KAUFER

Sp5 A. D. Blanton and family are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Holloway. The Blantons have been in Orleans, France for three years. They have a little daughter, Angela, who is almost two. The Blanton family arrived in New Jersey April 1, and after a slight delay waiting for the arrival of their car, made their trip to Texas to visit relatives until May 1. Then they will report for duty in Washington, D.C. Other visitors in the Holloway home over the weekend were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Holloway of Fort Worth and the Virgil Holloway family.

Doug of Fort Worth were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. P. Merritt, Jerry Beth and Elaine. The Hughens are from Birmingham, Ala. but have been living in Texas since last August. Bro. Hughens is furthering his studies at the Seminary.

Murrell Ables underwent surgery at the Hico Hospital last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Trammell spent Sunday in College Station with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trammell.

Mrs. Claud Arnold is a patient in the Hico Hospital.

Rev. Gerald Martens has accepted the call as pastor of the Olin Baptist Church, and will begin his

duties April 18. Rev. and Mrs. Martens have expressed the desire that all church members be present on Easter Sunday.

Recent guests in the T. C. Edmondson home were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ham of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ham of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fulton of Lanham, Mr. and Mrs. Bolding Cole of Hamilton, T. C. Edmondson Jr. and family of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hodnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Petrey and son of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rodgers.

Visitors in the Cyrus King home over the weekend were their granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Hill of Fort Worth and Mrs. Travis A. King and children, Jimmy, Damon, Travis Jr. and Cheryl of Cleburne. Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howard of Waco. They were in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. V. Dolkas of Fort Worth visited several days last week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Akard and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Akard and children were in Dallas last Saturday visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Daniels and Mrs. Nancy Akard. The Akards also visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ruddy Dolkas and children. Visitors in the Akard home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Moore of Stephenville.

The rain and wind storm last week left quite a bit of destruction over the community. The garage at the Virgil Holloway home (the Cook place) was toppled, also the garage at the Wallace Haile home was destroyed. The wash house on the Patterson place was flattened and half of Rob Cole's barn was blown away. Rainfall was only about one-half inch.

Weekend guests in the D. O. Chew home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Eubanks and two sons of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chew of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eubanks of Carleton, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp and two sons of Hico. Also Mrs. Chew's sister and husband, Mr.

Clairette Community News

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

PINK AND BLUE SHOWER HONORS MRS. TURNER

The Clairette Community Center was the scene of a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Carol Cronk Turner of Fort Worth Saturday afternoon. The honoree is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Al Cronk.

Mrs. Turner received many nice and useful gifts.

Among those from out of town who attended were Mrs. Quince Gollyghtly and Mrs. Dessie Wells from the Pleasant Hill Church.

Iced punch and cup cakes were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Zenith Johnson, Mrs. Flora Halley, Mrs. Ethel Self, Mrs. Jennie Hoffpouir, Mrs. Wilma Martin, and Mrs. Myrtle Thompson.

Mrs. Jessie Mayfield returned home Saturday from a visit in Fort Worth and Dallas with her children.

Dr. H. L. Self and son, Mike, and Mr. McCurt of Ames, Iowa, visited Sunday with Mrs. H. K. Self. Mike remained to spend a week with his grandmother.

and Mrs. G. B. French of Breckenridge, and her mother, Mrs. Birtha Taylor of San Angelo; Also Mr. Chew's nephews, and niece, Robert L. Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Patton and three children and Mrs. Arloween Hastings and two friends, Les Ball and Ron Morris all of Fresno, Calif.

There were seven people from the Olin Church present at Workers Conference at Littleville Monday night. A good supper and program was followed by the evening song service and message. The program emphasis was "The Ministry of Our Camps." The administrator of the Heart of Texas Baptist Encampment in Brownwood, Bro. Travis Gibson brought the message. Next Workers Conference will be at Agee May 10. Olin was awarded the cup for high attendance for the small church, and Calvary of Hamilton received the award for the larger church.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Basham and children, Mark and Laura of Dallas spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. E. E. Basham.

The following is only a legend and is to be understood only as such. At this time of year our thoughts are turned to the cross and its true meaning, but this legend presents a beautiful thought.

"When the Dogwood Blooms" At the time of the crucifixion of Christ the Dogwood had the size of the oak and other forest trees. So firm and strong was the tree that it was chosen as the timber for the Cross. To be used for such a cruel purpose greatly distressed the tree, and Jesus, nailed upon it sensed this and in His gentle pity for all sorrow and suffering said to it:

"Because of your regret and pity for suffering never again shall the Dogwood tree grow large enough to be used as a Cross; Henceforth it shall be slender and bent and twisted, and its blossoms shall be in the form of a Cross—two long and two short petals and in the center of the outer edge of each petal there will be nail prints. Brown with rust and stained with red and in the center of the flower will be a crown as of thorns and all who see it will remember."

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Mrs. Charlie York, 311 May St. Bryan. Mrs. Nila Denton and sons, James and Johnny, and Marilyn Miller, Willie Pipes and Pat Moss, all of Stephenville, and Mary Beth Martin were Sunday visitors with

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander, Johnny Denton of Stephenville, his FFA advisor, Rex Stephens and members of his class spent a field trip recently to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander.

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Fairy Community News

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

still have unsettled weather conditions and are in need of a rain.

little village town was in distress for about one hour Monday night, also the phone line going south on the Agee route and operated was also out. This scribe happens to be on duty. But all was soon restored.

were very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Chapman of Carlton by about noon Monday. It was her home of the writer and her husband, Jesse Massen, when he passed away in June during the fire was thought to have been in the attic. We had the completely re-wired with material by Pal Drake of early in 1949, and put out

much hard work and expense modernizing the home, only to lose our husband in sudden death just as the job was completed. It will be remembered that Mrs. Chapman's husband met a tragic death a year or so ago. We've come to the conclusion that this is an unlucky spot. We held many sacred memories of the home and stopped to say hello to Mrs. Chapman only a month or so ago while enroute to Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Laymon Newton, Phillip, Stanley and Michael of Rochester and his sister and husband, whose names we were unable to obtain, of Munday visited during the weekend in the with Mrs. Newton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis. They were down to attend the funeral of Mr. Newton's brother-in-law at Meridian on Sunday.

Mrs. P. L. Cox received word last week that her brother, T. W. Eubanks, 73, of Memphis, Tenn. had passed away on Thursday. Funeral services were held Saturday. Mrs. Cox was unable to attend the services. Mr. Eubanks was a retired railroad man.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover visited Wednesday of last week in Dallas in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover. Clyde underwent major surgery Monday in Baylor Hospital, and Mr. and

Mrs. Hoover returned Monday to be with them. He came through the surgery, and due to a severe heart condition he was placed under oxygen on the extensive care list, and doctors thought if he could make it through the fourth day, he would have a good chance for recovery. Our best wishes to him.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones, Mrs. Wesley Jones, all of the Lanham community, and the ladies' brother, Frank Sellers of Hamilton were in LaPorte Wednesday of last week to attend funeral services for Mr. J. A. Wilson, 82, who passed away following a lengthy illness. Mr. Wilson was the father of Charles Wilson of Houston, husband of the former Joy Marie Sellers of Lanham. Carl Ray Sellers was unable to attend due to illness. Our sympathy is extended to the Charles Wilsons and others who mourn his passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy McDonald of Jonesboro visited Sunday afternoon in the home of his mother, Mrs. P. L. Cox and Mr. Cox. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hefner of Hico.

The writer attended singing at Lund Valley Sunday afternoon, and on returning home we drove down to the C. A. Bullard home for a short visit. They had gotten most of their household furnishings moved into their spacious new home last week. Like ourself, Mrs. Bullard stated she hoped she would never have to make another attempt to locate this and that being able to locate this and that for the next year or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner and Keith spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner and Bernice and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Jimmie and Janice.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschell and Mrs. Flo Gordon, all of Brownwood, visited during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Willeford, Doran and Delia.

Bro. Ferguson and son, Jimmie of Fort Worth were luncheon guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bullard. Bro. Ferguson filled the vacancy of the regular pastor, Rev. Lamark, who was unable to come.

Miss Doran Gwen Willeford of Baylor University spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Willeford and Delia.

We received a letter today from Mrs. Leslie Childress of Arvin, Calif., whom we had not heard from direct since she moved from Fairy many years ago. Her first husband, Ben Arnold, is buried in

the Fairy Cemetery. She was later married to Tom Childress, who also lived here and worked for our dad at one time. He too is now deceased. She stated that she is now 81 years old and lives alone in Arvin. Mr. Childress was buried in Bakersfield where they purchased a cemetery plot. Her two children by Mr. Arnold are both buried at Fairy, Mrs. Vera Caldwell who died of the flu in 1919 and her son, Fletcher, whom we believe was only a teenager at the time of his death. She has three sons by Mr. Childress, all married with families, also several stepchildren. Mrs. Childress was the former Lesbia Houston of the Falls Creek community, and many who know her will probably be glad to hear from her.

We also received a letter from Mrs. Marie Turner today telling us of the loss of Mrs. Chapman's home. She stated Mrs. Chapman was in town getting her hair set when the fire broke out, and that her son, Sam, hurried to town and had the fire departments called. But the fire had gained such headway the fire fighters could only work to save a trailer home of Mrs. Chapman's which was parked just west of the home. Mrs. Turner stated that the heat was intense due to the asbestos siding and roof. The contents were a total loss, as were some valuable papers. Our deepest sympathy is extended to her, although we know we don't fully know how to sympathize as we've only lost a tenant house once by fire. Our sister, the late Gladys Cox told us once after their home and most of its contents were destroyed by fire "that a fire of your home and contents was the next thing to a death in the family," and since we have gone through death of loved ones so many times, we do feel we can sympathize to some extent.

Our sincere thanks to Mrs. Lucille Battershell, presently of Greenville, for a donation of \$5 for the cemetery association. Also to Bert Wright of Mart who was by the cemetery last Thursday and left \$5 for the care of their lot. He was enroute home from Dublin where he had visited his sister, Mrs. Laws in the Jones rest home. Work was completed on a mowing job, also the hoeing of poison-

ous weeds at the cemetery Monday. Only you who have lawns and patches to keep on the heavy type soil can fully realize how fast the weeds, grass, clover and such can grow. Don't forget our annual cemetery meeting this Friday. A basket lunch will be served at the cemetery at noon, weather permitting. Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Miller and Ronald of Fort Worth visited Sunday in the home of her mother and brother, Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie.

Rev. Val Nance and family were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner and Bernice Sunday.

Mrs. Olga Duncan and members of her family visited at her home here during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Delis Seago of Waco were through Fairy Sunday and stopped at our home, according to neighbors. Sorry we missed them. Her mother, Mrs. Edd Allison, was with her. They were enroute to Dublin. Mrs. Allison had spent a few days in Waco with the Seagos.

Thanks to our friends and relatives for the pretty birthday cards and letters, also gifts from relatives. We celebrated the day work-in-gat the cemetery.

Here's wishing the News Review staff and its readers a Happy Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark have a new granddaughter, born April second to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barnett of Amarillo. The mother is the former Norma Ruth Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark visited at the VA Hospital in Dallas Sunday with Louis Abel. His condition is some improved.

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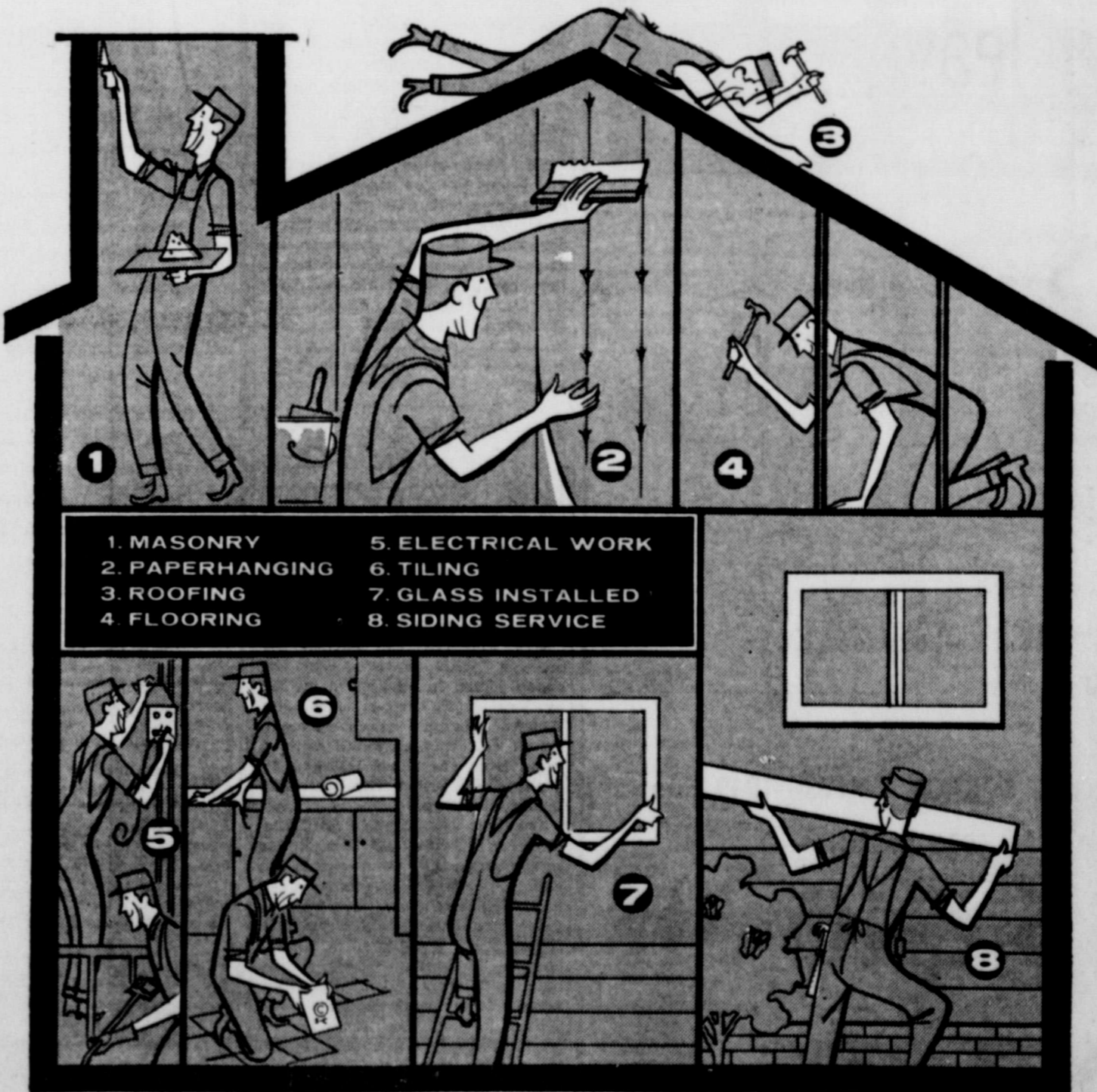
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PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY THE STUDENTS OF HICO HIGH SCHOOL

BEHIND THE SCENES—

James Randals calling junior girls names; Mr. Anderson telling his health class how to run over pedestrians and little kids; Lynn Redden changing her name—on her car papers, that is; Drewford Barnett taking D.B. (his guitar's initials) to the Junior-Senior Banquet; Verna Busby, Pat Oxley and Peggy Henderson getting their hair cut; Frances Lepard going steady with Scott; Ronnie Partain trying to decide who to take to the Junior-Senior banquet; Kay Tooley not letting anyone read the junior news; Denna Meador getting her neck well; Louis Marek riding around with an old flame.

FRESHMAN NEWS

The freshmen are very proud of its class members who took part in the UIL meet. Congratulations to those who placed. Paula Lane gets mysterious phone calls late at night. Watch what you say to them P.L.—it could get embarrassing if it turned out to be R.P. Suzanne Lackey has been caught, numerous times, being flirted with by a sophomore. Keep at it Suzanne, after all "All is fair in love and war." Annie Mc. is on a strict diet. Someone must have influenced her to become skinny but no one seems to know who it was. Mike Reeves used to wave at Mrs. Lee during English class. That's really not too unusual for him but he was rather surprised when she waved back. Steve Knudson had a birthday last Friday. He had a surprise party that wasn't a surprise and a few of the girls sang happy birthday to him as a present. Janis Shepherd got sunburned. She was trying to get a tan out

in her front yard when should appear but L.F., A.M. and C.R. (and on bicycles too). Henry Rushing states that he will grow, but 6 feet is his limit. Lots of luck Henry. Don't get depressed. Six feet is a long time. Cherry Ramage makes people so mad they hang up on other people. Ask Ann Mc., she got the bad end of it.

JUNIOR JAUNTS

Lynn M. has a terrible superiority complex. Just because he took Joyce C. to church Sunday, he thinks he's Pope Paul. Peggy H., whose address have you been trying to get from Lynn R? You wouldn't have an Iredell date in mind for the Junior-Senior Banquet, would you? Lee S., who are you taking to the banquet? Can't decide? Pat has a new hair-do. It's very cute. Did you and Peggy have the same inspiration at the same time? Linda D., were you in the Miss Toothpaste Contest Tues. night? You sure had a bright smile Wednesday morning. Did you get a gem for a prize?

Lynn R. finally got up the courage to go to Snyder with Johnny and his parents. Believe it or not, after all the fear was over she actually had fun. Claudia H. has a little gold ring on her left hand. Don't faint! It's a friendship ring. Dwain F., who have you got a date with Saturday night? Somebody new? Drewford E., isn't it nice that your girl friend has the same initials. It isn't likely that you'll forget her name now.

SENIOR NEWS

It isn't long until graduation and it seems like the seniors are getting busier. Scott P. seems pretty happy these days. Congratulations to you and Frances L. on going steady. The senior girls attended a buffet dinner at Tarleton last Thursday night. We all enjoyed the good food and entertainment. Mary Ann M. does have problems these days. She doesn't pronounce her d' doueres right. That's a true senior, Mary Ann. The seniors from First Baptist Church went to Howard Payne over the weekend. We met many new friends and we all enjoyed our stay. James C. gave everyone quite a scare last week. He thought he had the mumps, but it turned out to be a false alarm. Glad to have you back James.

COUPLE OF THE WEEK

Our couple this week is well known around Hico and Carlton. On Friday nights they usually go to the show in Hico and on Saturday night they go to Dublin. They have been going steady about three months.

The girl is a very cute freshman at Carlton. She has red hair and brown eyes. She plays basketball and volleyball, and her best friends are K.L.T. in Carlton and C.D.R. in Hico.

The boy is a very good looking junior. He is also president of the class and of the Drama Club. At the one-act play contest, he was named best actor. He is a great football player, and just an all-around athlete. He has brown hair and green eyes, and his best friend is J.H.R.

Surely you all know by now, the couple is Joyce Lynn Carroll and Lynn Wade Malone.

SONG DEDICATIONS

Lee Ann S. Don't Forget I Still Love You; Lynn Redden, I Love How You Love Me; Kay T., He's So Fine; Brenda M., Stop In the Name of Love; Linda C., I'll Never Find Another You; Barbara C., Her Daddy Took Her T-Bird Away; Linda B., He's So Fine; Carolyn W., Baby Love; Frances L., Let's Go All the Way; Paula L., One Fine Day; Glenda O., So Tired of Waiting; Louis M., Searching; Charles E., Count Me In; Barbara M., Lonely; Margo W., Keep Your Hands Off My Baby; Kay J., Robbing the Cradle; Diane J., I'm Into Something Good; Linda L., Don't

Winsome Class Enjoys Social Meeting Monday In Fellowship Hall

The Winsome Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall for their monthly business meeting and social.

Mrs. J. D. Partain presided at the business meeting and Mrs. Ed Blum opened the program with prayer.

Mrs. Les Patterson brought a devotional, which in thought, took one on a walk through God's beautiful world, going down the path of kindness, patients, understanding, unselfishness and love.

The group surprised their teacher, Mrs. W. C. Urwin, by presenting her with gifts in honor of her birthday.

Refreshments of fruit punch and home baked cookies were served from a table laid with a white lace cloth and centered with a colorful Easter arrangement. Burning tapers further enhanced the beauty of the table setting.

Present were Mrs. Urwin, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Partain, Mrs. Bill Christian, Mrs. R. J. Russell, Mrs. Raymond Leeth and Mrs. Ed Blum.

Regular Meeting, Social Of Helping Hand Class Held Tuesday Afternoon

The Helping Hand Sunday Class of First Methodist Church met Tuesday afternoon in Fellowship Hall for their regular social meeting. The president, Mrs. Watt Ross presided.

Mrs. Jim Carmean opened the meeting with prayer and the group joined in singing songs, led by Mrs. J. P. Clepper. Mrs. Jim Wright presented the devotional.

Roll call was answered with a verse from the Bible, followed by a recreation period with Mrs. Geo. Loden directing.

The hostesses, Mrs. Virgil Ellis, Mrs. Ruth Potest and Mrs. Edgar sandwiches, cake and punch to Elliott, served refreshments of Mrs. Lillian Shook, Mrs. Tyrus King, Mrs. Potest, Mrs. Ruby Williams, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Andy Hutton, Mrs. R. E. Bass, Mrs. Maudie Warren, Mrs. Jim Carmean, Mrs. Ethel Lackey, Mrs. Carrie Malone, Mrs. Stella Stringer, Mrs. Grady Barrow, Mrs. Nettie Meador, Mrs. Eula Brimer and Mrs. Jordan.

Mrs. Maron Barnett recently returned from a week's visit in Amarillo in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barnett, and became acquainted with her new granddaughter, Enroute home she visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson in Fort Worth where she was met by her husband.

Forget I Still Love You; Sandy E., Right or Wrong; Donna M., Silhouette; Denna M., The Birds and the Bees; James Johnson, Fun, Fun, Fun; James Crews, Can't You Hear My Heart Beat; Roy Wright, He's A Push Over; Cathy P., I Know a Place; Dwain F., This May Be the Last Time; Liz B., Cry Just a Little; Nellye, Keep Your Hands Off My Baby; Linda D., Summer Time; Peggy H., Take Good Care of My Baby; Jeannie B., Please Let Me Wonder; Mike G., My Girl; Barry P., The Game of Love; James R., I Get Around; Dwain G., She Loves You; Ronnie P., Hey, Hey Paula; Cheryl B., I Love How You Love Me; Sharon H., Baby Love.

SEVENTH GRADE

Congratulations, grade school. We're real proud of those ribbons and the trophy you brought back from Interscholastic League.

Carolyn Doty, are you turning "horse" or is it hoarse? Lavern, why haven't you been at the show the last three weeks? Nancy Davis, did you say you were breaking out in polka dots? Frank B. being "unnatural"; Linda Sue Flowers chewing gum; Linda Sue Flowers throwing gum away; Bobbie B. and Barbara B. just being chummy. Ronnie F., did you really get the measles or is playing getting contagious? Vickie sneaking to the ice box; Bobbie Barbara B. and Lavern B. has sun been getting you down? The seventh grade is trying their best to be good, because Easter Bunny will soon be pinging down the Bunny Trail, and they hope he will be coming the way.

Financial Statement CITY OF HICO

Cash Receipts and Disbursements

April 1, 1964 to April 1, 1965

Cash on Deposit April 1, 1964 16,793.18

CASH RECEIPTS

Water and Sewer	20,706.80
Taxes:	
Current	13,602.29
Delinquent	333.08
Penalty & Int.	85.92
Fines	240.02
Building Permits	20.00
Pay Roll Tax from Hospital	5,434.80
Reimbursed From School	621.72
Sale of Filtering Tanks and Junk	70.00
Returned Checks	48.70
Street Repairs (Lone Star Gas Co.)	36.60
Gas Inspection	5.00
Water and Sewer Bond Error	175.00
Miscellaneous Sales	15.00
Gross Receipts Tax	3,046.75
Receipts from Meter Deposits	333.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	44,776.68
Total Cash Available	61,569.86

CASH DISBURSEMENTS

Pay Roll	15,913.90
Less Unpaid Tax	375.68
Street Improvements and Repairs	7,656.59
Pipes, Parts and Repairs and Fittings	2,733.52
Electrical Power	5,131.57
Utilities	334.55
Auto Expense and Allowance	2,354.64
Office Supplies and Postage	659.56
Publications and Notices	176.00
General Supplies	69.82
Fire Department Expense	559.15
Hospital Pay Roll Tax	5,434.80
Pay Roll Tax Expense	751.72
Park Maintenance Expense	55.60
Election Expense	43.00
Dues	60.00
Legal and Audit	295.00
Insurance and Bonds	5.00
Checks Returned	48.70
Water Works School and Manual	15.50
Dump Ground Work	100.00
Equalization Board	75.00
Examination of Title and Deed Recording	39.30
Reunion Police and Decorations	25.00
MKT Lease	1.00
Hanging and Removing Christmas Lights	100.00
Water and Sewer Bond in Error	150.00
Improvements	862.92
Real Estate	360.00
Equipment	285.00
Refund Meter Deposits	231.00
Transfers:	
Water Bond Fund	1,591.20
Sewer Bond Fund	1,591.20
TOTAL	47,334.56
Cash on Deposit April 1, 1965	14,235.30

WATER BOND FUND

Cash on Deposit April 1, 1964	2,994.16
Cash Receipts, Transfer from Gen. Fund	1,591.20
Total Cash Available	4,585.36
Cash Disbursements:	
Bond Principal	1,000.00
Bond Interest	275.00
Total	1,275.00
Cash on Deposit April 1, 1965	3,310.36

SEWER BOND FUND

Cash on Deposit April 1, 1964	3,194.65
Cash Receipts, Transfer from Gen. Fund	1,591.20
Total Cash Available	4,785.85
Cash Disbursements:	
Bond Principal	1,000.00
Bond Interest	225.00
Total	1,225.00
Cash on Deposit April 1, 1965	3,560.85

HOSPITAL BOND FUND

Cash on Deposit April 1, 1964	4,343.38
Cash Receipts, Transfers from Hico City Hospital	2,400.00
Total Cash Available	6,743.38
Cash Disbursements:	
Bond Principal	1,000.00
Bond Interest	1,237.50
Total	2,237.50
Cash on Deposit April 1, 1965	4,505.88
Series J. & E. Bonds Purchased by Hospital	12,090.00
Total Cash and Bonds on Hand April 1, 1965	16,595.88

TOTAL ALL FUNDS

General Fund	16,793.18
Water Bond Fund	3,310.36
Sewer Bond Fund	3,560.85
Hospital Bond Fund	16,505.88
Meter Deposit Fund	2,000.00
Social Security Fund	3,000.00
Total All Funds April 1, 1965	45,170.27

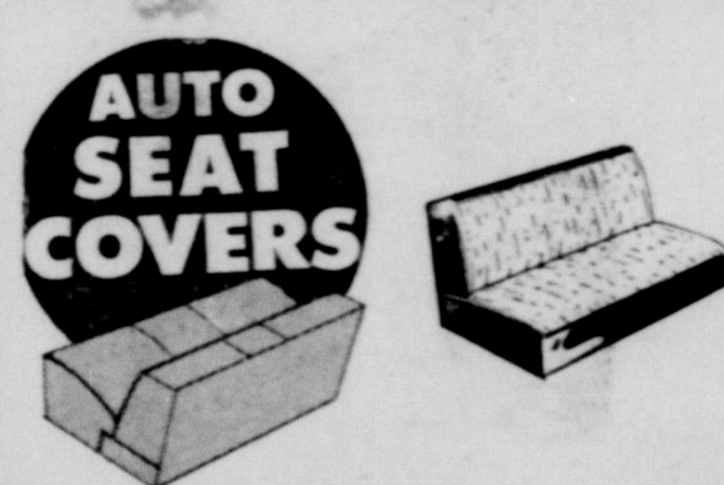
I, Mrs. Mary Scott, do affirm that the above is a true statement to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MRS. MARY SCOTT,
Secretary, City of Hico.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 13th Day of April, 1965.

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

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Mrs. Edith Center Presents Program at Garden Club Meeting

The Hico Garden Club met Friday at the Methodist Church at 1 p.m. with Mrs. Alvin Casey presiding.

During a short business session the group voted to take the cemetery as a project and to help with beautification. Mrs. Hershel Sherrard presented the flower show program, discussing and appointing committees. Theme for the coming show will be "The Four Seasons."

Guest speaker, Mrs. Edith Center of Teague, discussed period arrangement. She composed several arrangements including Finish, Berock, Georgian, French, Williamsburg and Victorian to illustrate the various periods. She had also prepared and brought a beautiful French Provincial arrangement to show the club.

The hostesses, Mrs. Fred Rainwater and Mrs. V. H. Jenkins served refreshments to club members, local guests, members of the Green Thumb Garden Club of Stephenville, and to the guest speaker.

Mrs. C. H. Boyd Home Scene For Bridge Party Thursday Afternoon

The Thursday Bridge Club was entertained last week in the home of Mrs. C. H. Boyd.

During an afternoon of bridge games the hostess served refreshments of brownies and ice cream from a table decorated with an Easter motif.

Mrs. Ellis Randals was a guest of the club, and members present included Mrs. J. W. Fairry, Mrs. Bill Boyd, Mrs. T. A. Randals, Mrs. P. W. Hamilton, Mrs. Nadine Creath and Mrs. E. H. Randals.

At conclusion of bridge play, Mrs. E. H. Randals was winner of high score, and Mrs. Hamilton won second high score.

Wednesday Club Members Entertained In Morse Ross Home

The home of Mrs. Morse Ross was scene of a luncheon bridge party last Wednesday when she entertained members and a guest of her club.

The hostess served a luncheon plate and dessert to her guests preceding games of bridge.

Mrs. P. W. Hamilton was a guest of the club, and members present included Mrs. Frank Bonner, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. H. V. Hedges, Mrs. Odie Petsick, Mrs. Ellis Randals, Miss Mettie Rodgers and Mrs. W. C. Stearman Jr.

Concluding bridge play Mrs. Stearman was winner of high score and Mrs. Hafer won second high score.

Mrs. Hord Randals Hostess to WSCS Members Monday

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service met at 9 a.m. Monday in the home of Mrs. Hord Randals.

Mrs. George Loden called the business session to order, and Mrs. Edgar Elliott led the opening prayer.

Mrs. Loden presented an Easter program, "It Is My Son," assisted by Mrs. Otis Brown, Mrs. Charles Dayton, Mrs. Zuella Strother, Mrs. Raymond Addison, Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. Ellis Randals and Mrs. L. L. Partain.

Mrs. Loden closed the meeting with prayer.

The hostess served a refreshment plate to those mentioned above, and to Mrs. Edgar Elliott Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Carrie Malone, and Mrs. Morse Ross.

Next meeting of the organization will be April 19 when a new study, "Beginning of the Biblical Drama," will be introduced under the direction of Mrs. Elliott.

BOY FOR RAPES

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Rape of Fort Worth are announcing the arrival of a son, born April 11 at Carswell Air Force Base Hospital. The lad weighed five pounds and 3 ounces at birth and has been named D. C. Rape Jr. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan of Duffau and Mr. Charles Rape of Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. Rape is the former Quata Burgan.

Recent guests in the home of Mrs. C. H. Boyd were Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kindred and Mrs. J. M. Boyd of Dallas.

Mr. & Mrs. Shepherd Honored Last Sunday On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Shepherd were hosts in their home Sunday, April 11 when they honored his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Shepherd with an open house on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Miss Brenda Green of Big Spring registered the guests.

The refreshment table was laid with an ecru lace cloth over yellow and centered with an arrangement of bronze chrysanthemums. Crystal and silver appointments completed the table setting from which cake squares, punch, mints and coffee were served by Miss Janis Shepherd and Miss Lee Ann Shepherd.

Floral arrangements were used at vantage points throughout the entertaining rooms.

Approximately 30 guests registered during the appointed hours of two to five o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd were married April 11, 1915 in Bosque County. They are parents of two children, Mrs. J. W. Green of Big Spring and Buck Shepherd of Hico.

Returning to Hamilton County from West Texas, the couple have made their home in this area for the past 15 years.

REVIEW CLUB MEETS THIS THURSDAY

Hico Review Club will meet in the Homemaking Cottage this Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ellis Randals as hostess. Mrs. Jack Barnett will present a Texas Day program.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan were Mrs. Don Burgan and sons of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Rodgers and family of Stephenville.

Senior Girls Honored With Buffet Dinner by Stephenville AAUW

The graduating senior girls of Hico High School were honored Thursday evening, April 8, with a buffet dinner, sponsored by the Stephenville Branch of American Association of University Women, and held at the Tarleton State College Dining Hall. The girls were special guests of Mrs. Lamar Johnson, a member of the Stephenville Branch, AAUW.

Graduating seniors from Comanche, DeLeon, Dublin, Gustine, Lingville, Huckabay, Stephenville, and Tarleton State College also attended the dinner.

Girls from Hico attending were Misses Kay Jackson, Sharon Howard, Linda Little, Linda Jaggars, Elizabeth Bruner, Cheryl Baley, Sandena Hicks, Mary Ann McClure, Dorothy Gray, Margo Wolfe, and Mrs. Leona Hanshaw.

GIRL FOR BARNETS

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barnett of Amarillo are proud parents of a baby girl born April 2. Little Christy Ann weighed seven lbs. and five ounces at birth and is welcomed by her brother, Royce Dean, 8. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maron Barnett of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark Sr. of Fairly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stringer were Sunday night visitors in Stephenville in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Boyd of Comanche visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clayton last Thursday.

Mrs. Bill Burgan and children, Kathy and Kim, and Mrs. Bruce Moss of Alice were weekend visitors in Hico with relatives and friends.

WMU Members Hold Mission Study Tuesday At Baptist Church

The Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in Fellowship Hall for mission study. Mrs. J. R. Russell directed the study of the book, "Go Home and Tell" by Bertha Smith, a study of missionaries in China.

Present were Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Boyd McClure, Mrs. Elvis Vinson, Mrs. R. E. Tatum, Mrs. Fred Jaggars, Mrs. Fred Hylea, Mrs. Raymond Leeth and Mrs. Ed Blum.

Mrs. W. L. Malone and Mrs. June Munders visited from Friday until Sunday in Dallas in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Burden and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce McEride.

Mrs. Reeves Hostess To Cub Members Friday Afternoon

Mrs. Sarah Reeves was hostess in her home last Friday afternoon when she entertained members of her club with a party.

Games of bridge were enjoyed, and the hostess served refreshments during the afternoon.

Members present included Mrs. Harold Walker, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, Mrs. E. V. Mesador, Mrs. M. L. Knudson, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Ray Cheek and Mrs. Sandy Ogle.

Concluding bridge play, Mrs. Ogle was winner of high score, and Mrs. Cheek won second high score.

Mrs. Charles Shelton of Fort Worth was a Saturday visitor with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Randals.

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PIKES PEAK ROAST	lb. 69c
RUMP ROAST	lb. 69c
ROUND STEAK	lb. 79c
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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By MRS. VINITA BLAKLEY

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MET WEDNESDAY

The Home Demonstration Club met at their regular session Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. Twenty-one members and one visitor were present.

Miss Lucille Watson, County Home Demonstration Agent, presented the program, "The Startling Facts About Credit," which was very interesting and instructive.

Refreshments of punch and cookies, and cake squares were served at the social hour.

At the May 5th meeting, Mr. Bob McLean of Waco office of Social Security, will bring the program. All are invited to attend this meeting and bring questions on social security.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiseman of Atlanta, Kansas were Thursday and Friday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell.

Mrs. Ralph Bradley visited in Stephenville and Bluff Dale last Thursday. Mrs. Vinita Blakley accompanied her to Stephenville and visited Mrs. Emily Schumacher.

Mrs. John F. Word visited Mrs. Nellie at the Hico Hospital one day last week, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tidwell at the Hico Nursing Home Friday.

Mrs. Aganell Carpenter of Fort Worth was a recent visitor in the home of her father, Mr. Jim Lock-er.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders were recent visitors in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley went to Love Field, Dallas Sunday morning to meet Mrs. Tony Morrison of Beaumont, sister of Mrs. Bradley, who will visit with the Bradleys and with her mother, Mrs. Long at Bluff Dale. They also visited Mrs. Betty Tolson and family at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Vanwinkle and Joy were weekend visitors at Fort Hood with their son and brother, who is stationed there. They carried their little grandson, Richard home. He had spent several days with his grandparents and Joy.

Mrs. Beatrice Hindeman of Waco was in Iredell Saturday, having a sale of the household goods of her mother, Mrs. W. F. Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Golden of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden.

Mrs. W. S. Rogers, Mrs. Chester Gosdin and Mrs. R. M. Freeman were recent visitors in Ft. Worth with Mrs. Rogers' sister, Mrs. Mittie Rollins. They also visited her brother, Mr. I. G. Kennon of

near Cleburne. Friday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Guinn were Mr. Charlie Jeffrey of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Guinn of Fairly and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guinn and Chuckie of Iredell. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dunlap and David of Dallas were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reinke of Belton were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Nellie Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hall of near Hico were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Nellie Davis.

Mrs. Ida Wyche is visiting in Meridian in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Horace Whitley.

She will go from there to Lubbock to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wyche.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newsom were in Big Spring during the weekend to attend the funeral of A. Loyal Mitchell. Loyal came to Iredell to attend the funeral for his mother, Mrs. Ida Mitchell, and was taken ill. He entered the Stephenville Hospital and on Monday underwent surgery. He died Friday morning with a heart attack.

Funeral services were held at Big Spring Sunday afternoon. He is survived by his wife, the former Ada Newsom; one son; one grandchild; two brothers, Claude and Randal Mitchell; and one sister, Bessie Mitchell of New Mexico.

THIS WEEK IN AUSTIN—

Highlights and Sidelights

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Austin, Texas—You probably did not know it, but 291 holidays will be celebrated in Texas during the coming six months.

Most of the holidays aren't statewide observances. But Monday's June 18 Vegetable Festival and the May 7 Panoia County Queen Pageant, Boerne's April 24 Saengerfest, and Raymondville's April 15 Onion Fiesta are in the offing, as well as 287 other local celebrations.

In order to help Texans and tourists keep track, and plan their travels accordingly, the State Highway Department has published a Texas Calendar of Events. It covers the period from April 1 through September.

Federal Dollars Flow

Legislative budget writers, nearing the end of a long trail, are confronted with a new problem. Question is how to anticipate the

effect on state finances of an unprecedented flood of federal dollars flowing into a variety of programs.

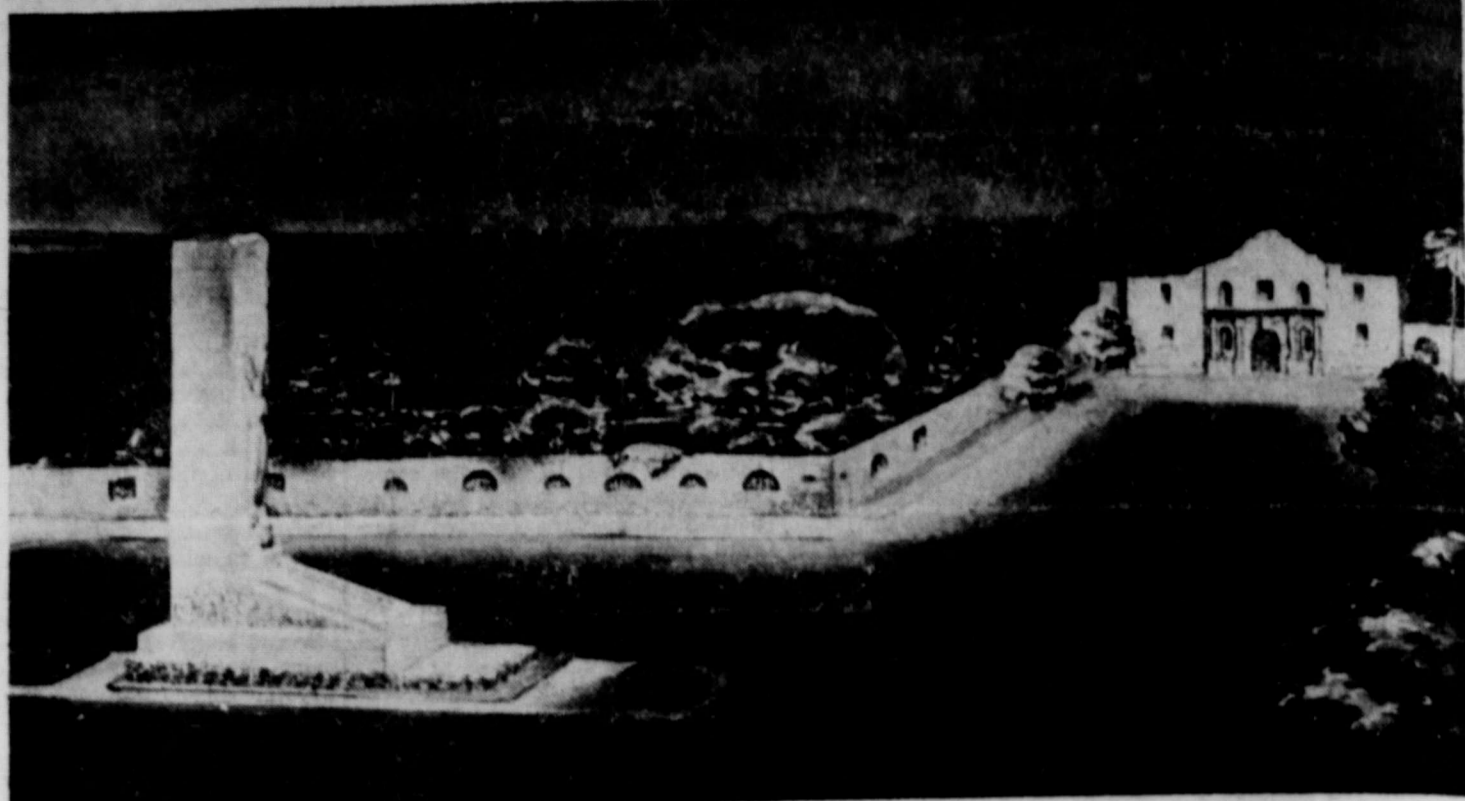
Some think a special session of the Legislature may be necessary after the final congressional action, in order to tie down overlooked matching fund requirements.

Two proposed federal programs are perplexing the appropriations bill conferees:

1. Medicare—hospitalization and health care for the aged, blind, disabled and children—now on public assistance rolls.

2. The elementary and secondary education act which passed the House of Representatives in Congress. It would provide over \$85,000,000 to Texas schools next year.

Conferees, wrestling with the problem of balancing the books, or recommend new taxes, hope to figure some way that federal funds can be used to reduce pres-



EXTERIOR LIGHTING OF THE ALAMO will turn "night into day" at the Cradle of Texas Liberty in downtown San Antonio. A General Electric lighting system, donated by the Company, will provide illumination of the Alamo Chapel. Spotlighting will be directed at the Cenotaph, a memorial to the 187 men who died in the defense of liberty. The lighting, which will create an effect comparable to that shown in this artist's rendering, is expected to be installed within 90 days.



ALAMO LIGHTING PLANS. San Antonio Mayor Walter W. McAllister, right, discusses plans for illuminating the exterior of the Cradle of Texas Liberty with General Electric's Ken Cotton of San Antonio, and Mrs. Phillip W. Harral, chairman of the Alamo Committee, Daughters of the Republic of Texas. G. E. is providing lighting for the Chapel, walls and Cenotaph with the cooperation of the City of San Antonio. The lighting which will "turn night into day" was planned by C. M. Cutler, G. E. engineer who supervised the lighting for the Texas Centennial in 1936.

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Free. Electronic hearing test will be held in Hico. Anyone that has a hearing problem of any kind is welcome to come in for the test. Pictures of the ear showing how the ear works, and why a person loses his hearing, also the nerve system of the ear that is connected to the brain, to tell us what we have heard. Each person is tested with the latest electronic machine, that can pinpoint in what part of the ear they are having trouble and what can be done to help them.



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Everyone should have a hearing test at least once a year if they have any hearing loss. Even people that wear Hearing Aids should have a test. People that have been told that nothing could be done for them should have a test each year, as new ways are being discovered to help these people.

The test in Hico will be held at the C & C Motel Tuesday, April 20 from 10 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.

Mr. Treadway, who is an Audiologist will conduct the test through the courtesy of the Temple Hearing Center at 120 N. 3rd Street in Temple.

If you miss the test you may come to the Temple office on any Thursday or Friday between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M. and take your test.

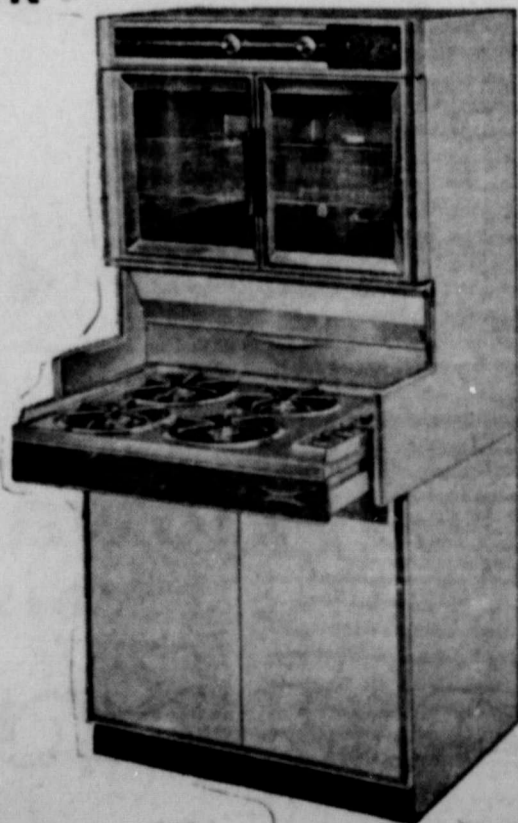
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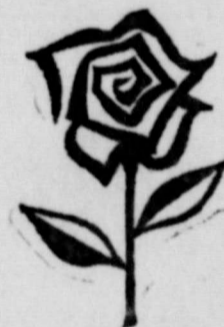


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THIS WEEK IN AUSTIN—

Highlights and Sidelights

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

Biggest job of the 59th Legislature—writing the \$3,600,000,000 biennial budget for state government—was being quietly wrapped

up in conference committee this week. Conferees were playing a game of "Beat the clock" to wind up before Easter holidays. If they fail to make it, such im-

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portant issues as teachers' pay raises and balancing tax measures would be postponed until dangerously late in the session. Both Lt. Governor Preston Smith and House Speaker Ben Barnes urged committee chairmen to turn on the speed. Rep. Bill Heatly of Paducah, chairman of the House group, doubted the task could be completed by April 15, previous deadline set by Barnes. But Heatly said 15 solid hours of work would do the trick—if conferees can find the time between busy floor sessions. Completing the 59th Legislative meeting by the end of May cutoff time may depend on whether the conferees find that 15 hours for showdown decisions on vital money matters.

Redistricting Now or Never
Sub-committee chairmen of the House redistricting committee huddled this week to compare notes on how legislative and congressional districts should be carved up under court order.

Senate already has passed two versions of a plan to increase its membership from 31 to 39 to help the work along. Indications are that the House plans to give big counties the minimum representation allowable. This to make the painful task of re-apportionment as easy as possible on rural areas which must yield representation any way you look at it.

State lawmakers are hopeful Congress soon will pass a bill authorizing a 15 percent variation above and below the mathematical average population per district. Speaker Barnes, on advice of Texas congressmen, predicts U.S. Supreme Court would yield that far in its one-man-one-vote edict.

College Loans Approved
State-financed college loan plan has final legislative authorization for submission to Texas voters.

If statewide election carries, an \$85,000,000 bond program will be established, enabling students from junior college to graduate and medical school level to borrow needed funds to complete their higher education.

Rep. George Hinson of Mineola author of the proposed constitutional amendment, estimates up to \$32,000,000 will be borrowed in the next two years.

Mental Facilities Revamped
A bill calling for massive re-shuffling of all state facilities and programs for mental health and retardation has been signed into law. Legislation brings services und-

COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By DeMARQUIS GORDON

Contributions totaling \$1650 had been deposited in the county screwworm program account on Monday morning of this week. County stockmen have a quota of \$3,100 to contribute in an effort to keep the popular fly eradication program operating for the next three months.

Most of the contributions came in during the past part of last week. There are indications that more contributions will be coming in during this week. Since it is necessary that every county reach its quota before the \$300,000 can be raised in Texas, the Hamilton County organization will continue to solicit contributions until the goal is reached.

Sutton County, in West Texas, had contributed \$5,000 by the middle of the first week of the drive. Several counties reached their quotas during the first week of the drive and are waiting now for all other counties to complete their fund raising.

Because of the busy farming season and favorable farming weather, many of our workers have not had time to contact all their neighbors and ask for contributions. Jeff Perry, treasurer who have not been contacted to go to their bank and leave their contributions. Do not wait for someone to contact you.

Plans are being made for the Pecan Management School in Hamilton on April 28. Interest in pecan production seems to be increasing in the county, with many land owners thinning native groves and others planting new trees.

It was reported that a good group attended the pecan tour last Saturday. I did not attend because of the district 4-H contests held the same day. Tours such as this indicate that interest is building in pecan production.

The school on April 28 will give

er Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation. It anticipates gradual shift in next decade from institutional care in mental hospitals and special schools to "community care" in or near homes of patients.

Waco A&M Unit Asked
Governor Connally called on the Legislature to authorize establishment of a vocational-technical training institute at Waco's Connally Air Force Base, to be administered by Texas A&M University. Base is scheduled for deactivation in 1966.

Bills to carry out Connally's request were promptly introduced by Rep. David Haines of Bryan and Sens. Murray Watson of Mart and Bill Moore of Bryan.

Governor asked appropriation of \$1,100,000 to prepare base for first classes in September, 1966.

Raymond McClure Wins Trophy in Car Trials

Raymond McClure, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McClure, won the first place trophy cup in the SCCA Class of the English Dirt Track Trials held Sunday in Fort Worth.

The activities are sponsored by the Fort Worth Sports Car Club.

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We wish to express our deep gratitude to our neighbors and friends everywhere who were so generous and kind to us following the loss of our home by fire. Your kindness and gifts will always be remembered. May God bless you for your goodness.
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51-1tp.

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everyone interested in pecans an opportunity to learn what they can do to increase the income from their pecan timber. At least

two specialists, B. G. Hancock, Extension Horticulturist, and a pecan insect specialist will be here to teach the school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Killian returned home Friday from Dallas and Mesquite where they had visited with relatives the past week.



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