

The Hico News Review

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Tax Officer to Visit Hico December 16

Pearl Williams, county tax collector will make her December visit to Hico and the next Wednesday and Thursday.

Williams will be in Carlton Wednesday, December 15 from 9 to 11 a.m. in Hico Thursday, December 16 from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Williams reminded local residents that there is a one percent discount on taxes paid in December.

Faculty Members at FBI Counterspy at Pecos Meeting

Robert A. Philbrick, author of "The Communist Party Came to Hico" was guest speaker at the Cen-Tex Study of American Heritage meeting held in Pecos Tuesday, November 30.

Philbrick is the author of the "I Led Three Lives," an account of his activities as an underground agent for the FBI. The novel was later dramatized on television. Reviewers characterized the novel as an important revelation of Communist activity in the United States.

Philbrick's first encounter with the Communist party came when he was asked to help establish the Campana Youth Council. Six months later his investigation, he realized the council was being used as a front for Communist propaganda. He went to the FBI with information, and they advised he stay with the group and gather any information he received from the FBI. He was a volunteer worker, and the only payment he received was expense money.

Philbrick is a young advertising executive, recently married, but with a sense of patriotic responsibility. He accepted the challenge to go underground as a Communist while working as an FBI counterspy agent for the nine years Philbrick spent in this capacity. He and his wife were constantly being spied on by Communists and he feared that his Communist affiliation might be detected and that he would be arrested for "subversive" activities.

Philbrick's nine-year career of leading a double life ended in 1949 when he was identified in a trial which involved all Communist party leaders in a conspiracy against the United States.

Philbrick's speech on the "Underground Today" he warned Americans how to recognize the Communists and detect their infiltration into innocent groups.

Members from Hico Public Schools attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson, Jack and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan, Robert Jackson, Mrs. W. B. Brummett, Frank and Mrs. Lamar Johnson.

Guests and students attending the meeting were Mrs. Bonner, Robert Jackson, W. Malone, Leslie Royal, Jim Jody Littlejohn and Mike

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INSTALLED — Miss Denna Meador, right, receives the president's gavel from Miss Kay Tooley at ceremonies held last Friday morning to install Future Homemaker Chapter officers for the 1965-66 school year. Miss Tooley served as installing officer.

Future Homemakers Install Officers at Assembly Program

Hico Chapter Future Homemakers of America installed officers and initiated freshmen in a formal ceremony held during assembly last Friday morning.

Miss Kay Tooley installed the officers for 1965-66. She was assisted by Lee Anne Shepherd, Claudia Hafer, Lynn Redden, Linda Cronk, Donna Morgan, Suzanne Patterson, Glenda Ogle and Dianne Jaggars. These girls each lighted a white candle representing one of the eight purposes of the organization. The candles were lighted from a red candle symbolizing the flame of home economics. The girls also escorted the officers to be installed to the center of the stage.

Officers installed were Denna Meador, president; Cathy Cryer, 1st vice-president; Nellye Wolfe, 2nd vice-president; Jeannie Baley, 3rd vice-president; Mary Beth Martin, secretary; Linda Bruner, treasurer; Suzanne Lackey, historian; Carolyn Wooton, reporter; Cherry Ramage, song leader; and Linda Duncan, pianist. Each girl was given a rose, the chapter flower, from the centerpiece.

Miss Meador expressed her appreciation for being elected FHA president, and stated that there was no greater honor for her than to serve in this capacity. She encouraged FHA members to strive to build their lives and future homes into realities, not just dreams.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News Review will accept announcements for district, county and justice offices in the order they are received, each to be carried through the first and second primaries unless otherwise eliminated.

All political advertising is payable cash in advance. A free news notice, of reasonable length, goes with each announcement placed, to be written and signed by the candidate.

Rates for the various offices are listed as follows:

District Office	\$27.50
County Office	\$25.00
Commissioners	\$22.50
Justice Offices	\$15.00

MISS BUSBY WINS TOP HONORS IN FFA DISTRICT CONTEST

Miss Verna Busby, Hico High School senior, was elected FFA Sweetheart of the Cross Timbers District in competition Monday night at Stephenville.

Miss Busby, local FFA Chapter Sweetheart, won the honor in competition with 25 candidates from other schools in the district.

She will now compete with five other district winners in the Area IV contest to be held next May. This is the first time for a Hico representative to win the honor.

Miss Busby is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Busby.

Nine Hico Seniors Tested in 'Homemaker Of Tomorrow' Contest

The Betty Crocker Search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow knowledge and attitude test was given to senior girls in Hico High School Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Marilyn Johanson, homemaking teacher.

Tests will be scored and selections of Homemakers of Tomorrow at local and state levels will be made by Science Research Associates of Chicago, Ill., whose decisions are final. The girl having the highest score in each participating school and certified as to character and reputation by her school principal, will be the School Homemaker of Tomorrow and will be eligible in the competition of the state in which the school is located.

Seniors taking the test were Linda Duncan, Sandra Elkins, Claudia Hafer, Dinne Jaegers, Donna Morgan, Glenda Ogle, Lynn Redden, Lee Shepherd and Kay Tooley.

Final Rites Conducted Thursday For Resident, Mrs. J. W. Leeth

Mrs. Lena Baker Leeth passed away Tuesday, December 7 at 3:05 a.m. in Hico Nursing Home at the age of 79 following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Leeth, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hampton M. Baker, was born at McGregor on December 18, 1885. She had been a resident of Hico since 1921, and a resident of the nursing home for the past four months.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the Chapel of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home, with Rev. Hubert Taylor officiating. Burial was in Fairy Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were Billy Grandsons, Jimmie Leeth, Willie Gray Leeth, James Leeth, Bennie Leeth R. W. Leeth and Morgan Leeth.

Mrs. Leeth is survived by her husband, J. W. Leeth of Hico; two daughters, Mrs. Doris Johnson of Phoenix, Arizona and Mrs. Irene Chapman of Roscoe; four sons, C. H. Leeth, Roy Leeth and J. B. Leeth of Hico and Clinton Leeth of Hamilton; two sisters, Mrs. Alene Dixon of McGregor and Mrs. Stella Hill of Aransas Pass; also 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 11 o'clock in the Chapel of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home, with Rev. R. E. Tatum officiating. Burial was in Hico Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were J. P. Drake, E. H. Rands Jr., Lewis Chaney, J. C. Prater, John Stowe and John Hobbs.

Mrs. McCarty is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. H. Clark of Hillsboro and Mrs. Frank Hobbs of Abilene; two sons, Raymond McCarty of Dallas and D. F. McCarty of Abilene; one sister, Mrs. Lou Stewart of Dallas; one brother, Will Jenkins of Fort Worth; 9 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL FOLLOWING SURGERY

Clyde Grimes has returned home following five weeks in Carswell Air Force Base Hospital. He underwent major surgery, and is doing fine.

Bonus Program Underway; First Winners Named Wed.

Civic Club Officers For 1966 Elected

Bruce Slaughter, local druggist, will head Hico Civic Club during 1966, after election of officers was held Wednesday of this week at the regular meeting of the organization.

Wayne Rutledge was re-elected vice-president, and Tommie Pierce was also re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Three directors elected to serve two year terms are Ray Cheek, Ollie Davis and M. I. Knudson. They will serve with O. C. Cook, Harold Walker, Fonzy Williamson and Glenn Ross. Ross is retiring president.

Hamilton Man Named District Deputy Grand Master For Masons

Cyrus B. Cathey of Hamilton has been named District Deputy Grand Master of Masons for Masonic District No. 111, which includes four Masonic Lodges in Hamilton County.

Cathey is a Past Master of Rock House Lodge 417. He is a member of the Lions Club and American Legion and is active in Boy Scout work. A member of the Methodist Church in Hamilton, he is a past president of the Methodist Men's Club.

The appointment was made by the newly-elected Grand Master of Masons in Texas, H. W. Fullingham of Odessa, as the 130th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Texas was concluded in Waco December 2.

District Deputy Grand Masters are appointed for each of the 132 Masonic Districts of Texas to represent the Grand Lodge of Texas, which is the state's largest fraternal organization with nearly 250,000 members.

WEATHER REPORT

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

Nov. 27	75	32	0.00
Nov. 28	63	51	0.00
Nov. 29	63	34	0.00
Nov. 30	67	32	0.00
Dec. 1	60	40	0.00
Dec. 2	53	43	0.37
Dec. 3	54	44	1.09
Dec. 4	67	36	0.00
Dec. 5	76	40	0.00
Dec. 6	73	61	0.00
Dec. 7	63	31	0.00

Total precipitation for the year 31.25 inches.

SANTA LETTERS WILL BE PUBLISHED

The News Review has received word from the North Pole that Santa Claus wants the local paper to again serve as central receiving point for Christmas wish letters from the youngsters in this area.

As in the past the News Review is happy to be able to serve St. Nick in this fashion, and all youngsters are urged to get their letters in the mail so they can be delivered.

All youngsters need do is address letters to: Santa Claus, c/o News Review, Hico, Texas 76457. The letters will be published and forwarded on to Santa Claus.

Road Sign Committee Gives Final Report; Offers Thanks

At a total cost of \$141.76, which includes the last donation of \$5 from Dr. Melvin Johnson of Fort Worth, 48 road signs have been made and mounted on pipe standards. Forty-seven have been placed to mark rural roads and one is ready to mark the road to the City Park when the new bridge is put in.

Besides the \$141.76 in money some business firms and individuals gave lumber, pipe and paint, all of which was needed. The school vocational agriculture class, under the supervision of Harold Walker, did a major part of the work on these signs and without this help the project could not have been completed.

It is the hope of the Committee that these signs will be of benefit to the people of our area and to visitors and tourists who may be traveling in and around Hico. We wish to thank everyone who helped in any way in the project.

Anne Louise Coleman, Chairman Civic Projects Committee Hico Civic Club.

Reorganization of Texas FHA Field Offices Announced This Week

Announcement was made this week by Mr. L. J. Cappelman, State Director, Farmers Home Administration, Temple, of a reorganization of field offices of the Agency in Texas.

The consolidation of 21 Area offices into 14 new District offices geographically located over the State will enable this Agency to accelerate services to eligible rural families.

New loan approval and appraisal authorities delegated to District and County Supervisors will expedite the servicing of applications and processing of loans.

The new position of District Supervisor will enable the State Director to maintain closer communication with field personnel. Hamilton County will now be under the supervision of District Supervisor Elmer Foster, with headquarters located at Coleman.

Information regarding all loan programs of Farmers Home Administration may be obtained by contacting George Krunala, County Supervisor for Hamilton County. The County office is located on Highway 281, north from Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barnard and Dale of DeSota were Sunday visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan.

BOWLING ALONG...

By RUTH SALMON League Secretary

There is a three-way tie for first place going into this week. Bowling was high last week with Glenn Ross topping the men with a 208-220-592 series and Monette Dove was high for the ladies with 194-491 as their team, the Gemini 4, won three points from the Drop-Outs. Joyce Barnett was hitting back with a 150 game.

Conda Salmon led his team with a 201-513 and Shirley Ross had a 177 game, winning four points from the Rebels, which was a hard task with Paul Hamilton scattering pins for a 202-550 series and O. C. Cook rolling a 155 game.

F-W Ranch took three points from the Bowl Weevils, which was

First of four Christmas Bonus drawings was held Wednesday afternoon, with five lucky people taking home a total of \$75.00 in cash. Winners at the Wednesday drawing were:

- \$25.00, B. V. Dillinger
- \$20.00, A. F. Rushing
- \$10.00, G. E. Holladay (won twice), Arburn Bullard.

A. L. Flowers wasn't quite so lucky. His name was drawn for a \$10 award but he wasn't present.

Three other drawings will follow on Dec. 11, Dec. 18, and Dec. 24. A boys or girls bicycle will also be given away on December 24 to some lucky area youngster.

The Saturday, Dec. 11 drawing will be worth a total of \$85.00 broken down into the following groups: first \$35; second, \$20; third, fourth and fifth, \$10 each.

Saturday, December 18—A total of \$100.00 will be distributed as follows: first \$40; second \$30; third, fourth and fifth, \$10 each.

Friday, December 24, \$140.00 will be distributed to six winners as follows: First \$50; second \$40; third \$20; fourth, fifth and sixth, \$10 each.

In addition to the cash awards, the bicycle will be given away on Christmas Eve.

Thirty-five Hico merchants are participating in the program, as follows:

- Vernon Chew Station, Jim Jameson Mobil Oil Company, Hico Florist, Casey Garage and Auto Supply, Ogle Bros. Texaco Station, Willard Leach Service Station, Chaney Station and Garage, Toegen Feed Mill, Jess Smith Mobil Station, Blair's Hardware, Turner Feed Mill, Western Auto Store, H. W. Sherrard Grocery, Cheek Furniture Company, Barnes & McCullough, The Steak House, Hico Motor Co., Salmon-Ross Dept. Store, Hico Specialty Shop, Jenkins Laundry, Lackey Feed Mill, Bess Mingus Dress Shop, Hico Confectionery, H. & B. Food Store, Russell's Dry Goods, Howard Drug Co., Neel Truck and Tractor, Mayfield Sinclair Station, and Wilson Cleaners.

Also the following service institutions who paid into the fund but who are not issuing tickets: Hico News Review, Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home, First National Bank-Community Public Service Co., and Petstick Insurance Agency.

Most Hico stores have complete stocks for the Christmas shopper, with much merchandise already on shelves and more arriving daily.

LEAVE FOR TENNESSEE

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jones left Tuesday morning for Nashville, Tenn. where they will spend the holidays with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Wall, Carl David, Peggy and Lou Ann.

Team Standings

Gemini 4	33	19
Salmon Shoppers	33	19
Bowl Weevils	33	19
Has Beens	28	24
The Rebels	25	27
Drop Outs	23	29
The Go-Fers	21	31
F-W Ranch	21	31

Fairy Community News

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

We had several misty days last week and all told received 1.4 in. of rain. But the weather has been beautiful the past several days.

Mrs. P. L. Cox received a card from her granddaughter, Miss Donna Sumpter of Fort Worth Monday that she had arrived safely in Europe. She has gone over on a mission study of languages, preparatory to becoming a stewardess.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mason were in Temple Saturday to visit his sis-

ter, Mrs. Sparkman, who has been confined to the hospital the past two weeks. We hope the Masons have news of her improvement soon.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bolstad, Glenn and D'Ann of Houston spent

the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover.

Mrs. Olga Duncan spent last week at her home here.

We were very sorry to learn Saturday about 11 a.m. of the death of Edwin Bedicheck of Abilene who died of a heart attack sometime during Thursday night. His wife is the former Miss Lorene Burden of Fairy, daughter of Alfred Burden and the late Mrs. Lucy Richardson Burden, formerly of Fairy and Hico. We were so sorry we did not hear of his death in time to attend the funeral which was held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Church of Christ in Abilene. He was in his late fifties and leaves his wife, three sons and one daughter, a daughter-in-law and probably grandchildren. Our deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved family at this time of sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Turner and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Wayne Turner and Pat Davis of Ft. Worth spent the weekend here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks. Mr. Truett Turner, who is on vacation, remained for the week to hunt and pick up pecans.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Becky were unable to come the past weekend as they were moving to their new home at 910 South East 4th in Grand Prairie.

Mrs. Ruby Moore, Randy and Reta and a friend visited Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Arrant and family and her mother, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham spent the weekend here at the home of Glenn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant and at Mrs. Cunningham's home. She returned home with them as she had to enter Harris Hospital Sunday at 4 p.m. where she underwent surgery Monday for removal of a cyst and bone growth on her instep. Word was received Tuesday morning that the growth had been successfully removed, and that Mrs. Cunningham was doing just fine.

The writer attended singing at Indian Gap Sunday afternoon. A large crowd was present including singers from Brownwood, Goldthwaite, San Saba, Santa Anna, Lometa, Center City, Hamilton, Pottsville and several rural communities. We have lived near this gap in the mountains, probably deriving its name due to pioneer Indian days, and this was our first time to have ever been there. There is a very tall monument on the north mountain by the town and we were told it marked the grave of a man killed back in the pioneer days. The monument looks to be some 20 feet or more in height and can be seen several miles before reach-

ing the little village town. The attendants at the singing voted to have singing there every first Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Janice, and Mrs. Ray Turner and Keith of Killeen visited Sunday afternoon in the home of their sister and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison of Stephenville. They all visited in the home of the Allison's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pittman. Karen and Kay, and at Dublin at the Darrel Allison home.

The writer visited awhile late Sunday afternoon at the Hamilton nursing home with Mrs. Pace, the former Mrs. Porter Clark of Fairy, and also with Ollie McDermitt, who broke his hip several weeks ago. Glad to report him making steady improvement. He stated that several of the McGowen family were in to see him about a week ago.

Mrs. Mary Gage and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker and two others of the family, Mrs. Walker being the former Nina McGowen. They all live at or near Alvarado. They came to Fairy enroute to Hamilton and seems about all they could recognize of our little town was the former Dr. Young resident, now owned by the Herman Sills. We don't know whether they stopped and tried to locate us or not. The McGowen family resided here several years in the early turn of the century. Mr. McDermitt's late wife was the former Miss Henrietta McGowen. We would have surely liked to have seen them again. We also visited a short while Sunday with Mrs. M. C. Anderson at Hamilton.

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mackey were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lippett, a sister-in-law, Mrs. Edna McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. Lois McCoy, all of Fort Worth. Other brothers present were Charlie McCoy of Jermyn, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McCoy of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCoy of Burleson and Ernest McCoy of Fairy. An uncle, Walter McCoy, also had lunch with the Blakleys.

We received a telephone message Tuesday night of last week from our sister, Mrs. Myrtle Enger of Brady stating that her son-in-law, Lester (Richard) Smith of Brady would undergo major surgery in a San Angelo hospital on Wednesday morning. Later word received by mail Friday stated the surgery was postponed until Saturday morning in order to make further tests and xrays. Word received from our sister Tuesday stated he stood the surgery fine, but was in the intensive care ward through Sunday. We hope he will soon be fully recovered and able to return

home. Christmas is just around the corner, Christmas cards are in the mail, as we received our first one in November. We noticed several of the native cedars being carried on car tops and pickups Sunday. So seems they're getting them up early. Christmas seems to also be a time of tragedies and all should take every precaution to avoid these.

Mrs. Ray Turner and Keith of Killeen spent from Wednesday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Jimmie and Janice. Ray came up for the weekend to hunt and accompanied her home.

Visitors in the Willie Turner home during the weekend were Jacko Turner and a friend from Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner, Kurtis and Rhonda, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Botkin, Tammy and Patsy, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner and Keith, and Bernice Turner, all of Killeen.

Mrs. Albert Mason received word this week that her sister, Mrs. Sparkman of Temple, had been released from the hospital and was now at her home. Her illness was due to a blood deficiency and for a time she was unable to retain medicine to correct it, but is doing much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weise and Terry and Miss Sue Prater of Fort Worth and Mrs. John Prater of Hico visited during the weekend in the home of their parents and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Prater.

CARD OF THANKS

We feel that no act of kindness was overlooked during the illness and death of our dear mother, and we want to say thanks to everyone including the nurses and doctors at Hico Hospital.

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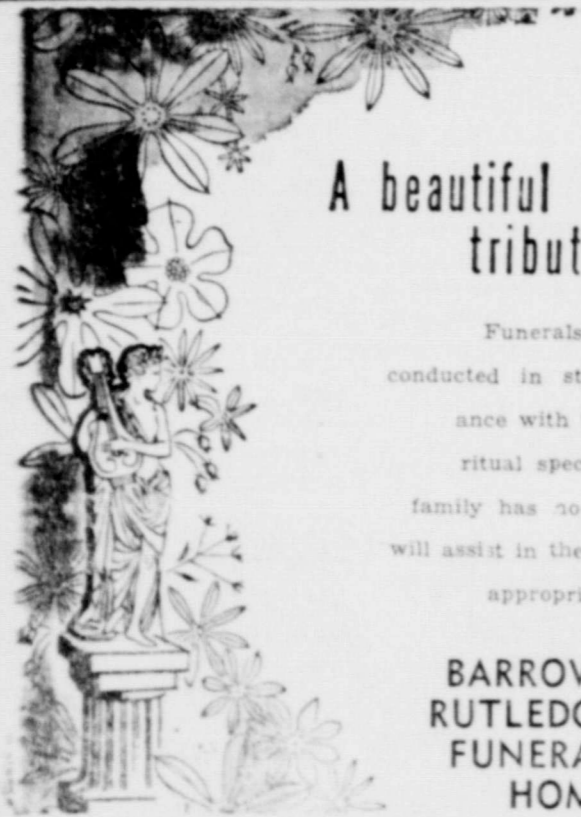
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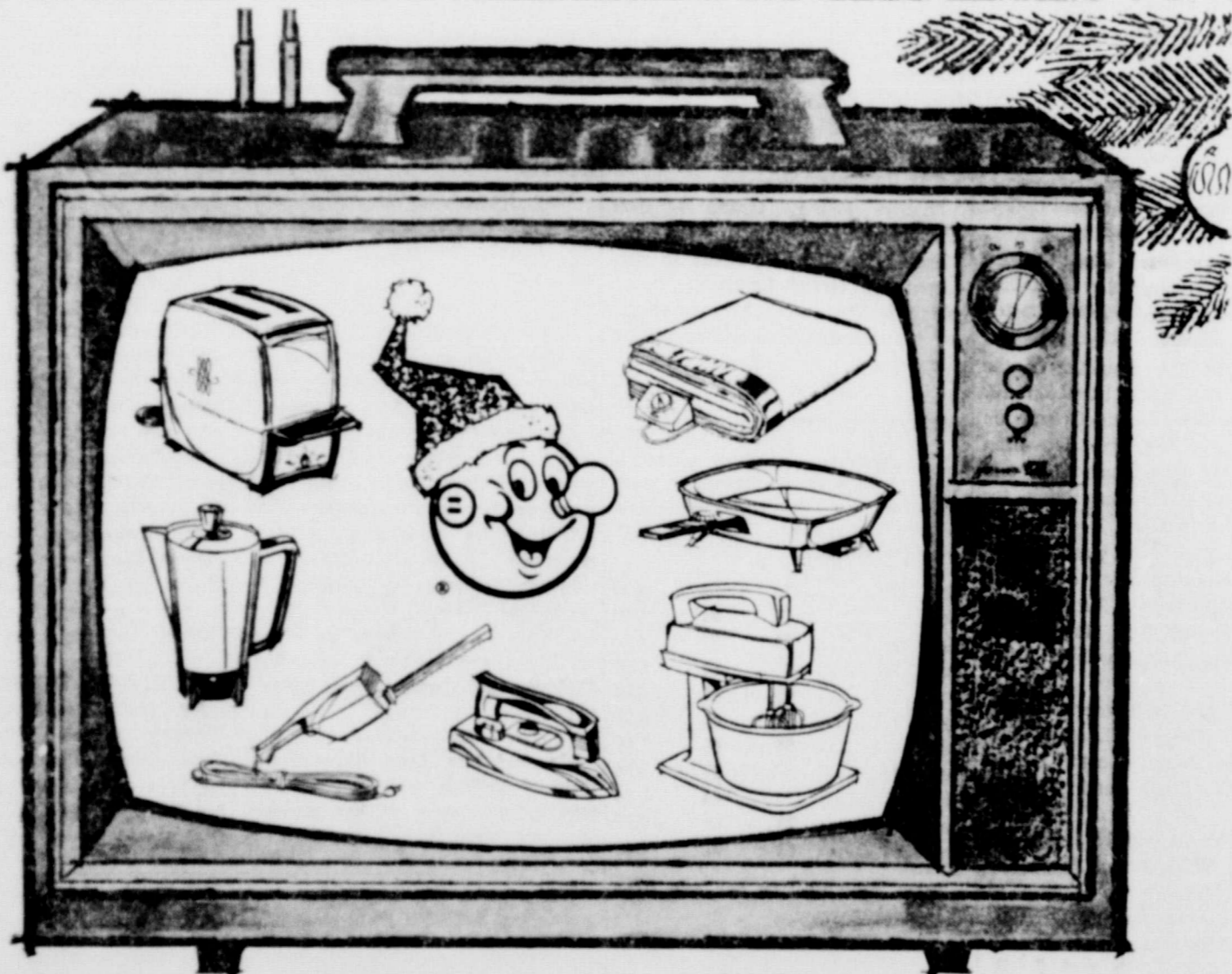
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2 1/2 SIZE DEL MONTE Peaches	25¢	8 OUNCE Chopped Ham	25¢
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TALL CAN SHURFINE Milk	2/25¢	SHURFRESH Biscuits	3/25¢
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Clairette Community News

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

Maida Christian was hostess December 2 from 2 to 4 to the Busy Bee Club. The party planned their annual party and supper. Following a meal of turkey and all the trimmings, gifts will be exchanged from the tree. Mrs. Sylvia will be hostess to the party December 14.

Haynes of San Angelo visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Thompson went to City Wednesday to spend days with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson. Mrs. Sam Thompson recuperating from surgery recently.

Dunbar of Center, Colorado visited and visited the Henry last Wednesday, enroute to visit his relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stringer and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer of Duffau spent last Tuesday on an outing and fishing trip at Lake Whitney.

One and eight tenths inches of rain fell here Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mrs. Ray Boone accompanied her parents to Fort Worth Wednesday for her father to have a physical checkup with his doctor. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are residents of Stephenville. He recently underwent surgery at Harris Hospital.

A good crowd was present Sunday at services at the Methodist Church. Out of town visitors were from Hico, Stephenville, Cleburne and Dallas. A piano was placed in the church last week by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rush of Stephenville in memory of Lamoyne Head. New hymnals were given by Mrs. E. W. Holt, Mrs. Chance Sterling, Mrs. R. G. Hollingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson in memory of John Golightly. Book racks for the back of the pews were given by Mrs. John Golightly in memory of their husband and father. A new bible and stand were presented the church by Mrs. R. W. Sherrard and her children in memory of their husband and father, R. W. Sherrard.

A special hymn was sung at the service by Mary Beth and Rebecca Sue Martin.

Wednesday night of this week the WSCS and Men's Club meeting will be at 7 p.m. at the church and will be followed by refreshments and entertainment at the parsonage with Rev. and Mrs. Cronk.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Higginbotham of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller and children visited with Mrs. John Golightly Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Holfpouir has been sick with a cold the past week.

Mrs. J. R. Wolfe went to Houston with Mrs. D. L. McCoy of Duffau Tuesday and returned Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Trammell and family of Weatherford and Bro. Howard and wife were visitors Sunday in the J. O. Noland home.

Edward Williams is in the Hico Hospital quite ill at this time.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to everyone who extended comforting sympathy in our recent sorrow. Our gratitude is indeed great to those who sent the lovely flowers, the food, cards and every kind expression of thoughtfulness. Our special thanks to the staff of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home for their kindness and understanding. May all of you be blessed with such wonderful friends in your hour of sorrow.

The Family of
Amos F. Herrington
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Carlton Community News

By MRS. FRED GEYE

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR SON OF CARLTON LADY

Eugene J. Maples of Wichita Falls, son of Mrs. A. B. Webster of Carlton, died of a heart attack Monday, November 29 at 7:35 p.m. He was pronounced dead on arrival at the General Hospital in Wichita Falls.

He was born May 15, 1921 in Dallas, and attended school there. He joined the Army and served four years in Europe during World War II. He was also a reservist in the Air Force. He was a graduate of Oklahoma A and M, and later took up barbering as a trade.

Mr. Maples preceded in death by his brother, Everett, and his father, T. T. Maples. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Karen Jean Ryan; one grandson, Tommy, and one granddaughter, Annett Ryan, all of Bowie; a son, Gene Maples of Wichita Falls; his mother, Mrs. A. B. Webster of Carlton; three sisters, Mrs. Edith M. Willis of Carlton, Mrs. Evelyn R. Cawley of Fort Worth and Mrs. Edna Earl Hill of near Abilene.

Services were at 10 a.m. Dec. 1 at the All Saints Episcopal Church in Wichita Falls, of which he was a member. Rev. Harold E. Bellevue officiated. Pallbearers were barber associates and his friends.

The body was brought overland to Dublin where Harrell Funeral Home had charge of graveside arrangements. Rev. Secrest presided at graveside services at 3:30 p.m. at Dublin Cemetery.

MRS. HENDERSON BURIED IN CARLTON CEMETERY

Burial was made in Carlton Cemetery Tuesday afternoon of last week for Mrs. Mattie Henderson, 82, a longtime resident of Carlton until 6 years ago. She passed away in a Dublin nursing home Nov. 29 where she had been a patient since September.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Jewel Slovick; one son, R. D. Henderson of Dublin; one grandson, Billy Joe Slovick with the Armed Forces in Germany.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR MARTIN BINGHAM

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Carlton Baptist Church for Martin Hulett Bingham, conducted by his pastor, Bro. Maurice Mosley.

Mr. Bingham passed away Dec. 3 in the Payne Nursing Home at Hico after a long illness.

Miss Carron Stuckey sang two special numbers at the services.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Everett Jones, where he had made his home for years, and Mrs. Ralph Allen of Dallas; one brother, Jake Bingham of Hamlin; many other relatives and a host of friends. He was a member of the Carlton Baptist Church and a veteran of World War I. Burial was

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely thank everyone who sent flowers or food, or assisted in any way during the illness and death of our dear sister, May God bless each of you is our prayer.

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in the Altman Cemetery by the side of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bingham.

Pallbearers were Hob Thompson, Culmer Jordan, Otho Stuckey, Jess Cole, Raymond Upham and Sam Sharp.

Jack Short of Childress and Bobby Short of Paducah visited Saturday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sahrp and Terry.

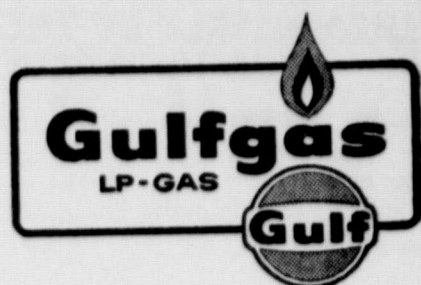
Mrs. Robert Bowden has returned home from a long visit in Odessa and Evant with relatives.

Mrs. A. B. Webster and daughter, Mrs. J. B. Willis spent the weekend in Fort Worth with their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. A. Cawley.

A Youth Revival at the Baptist Church closed Sunday night. Services were conducted by Jimmy Stone of Stephenville. Jan Daehner, music director of Hico, directed the song service.

Amos Herrington, who lived on the Carlton-Hico road, passed away Sunday morning at 4 o'clock. Services were held Monday afternoon. Mrs. O. L. Huckabee is a patient in the Dublin Hospital.

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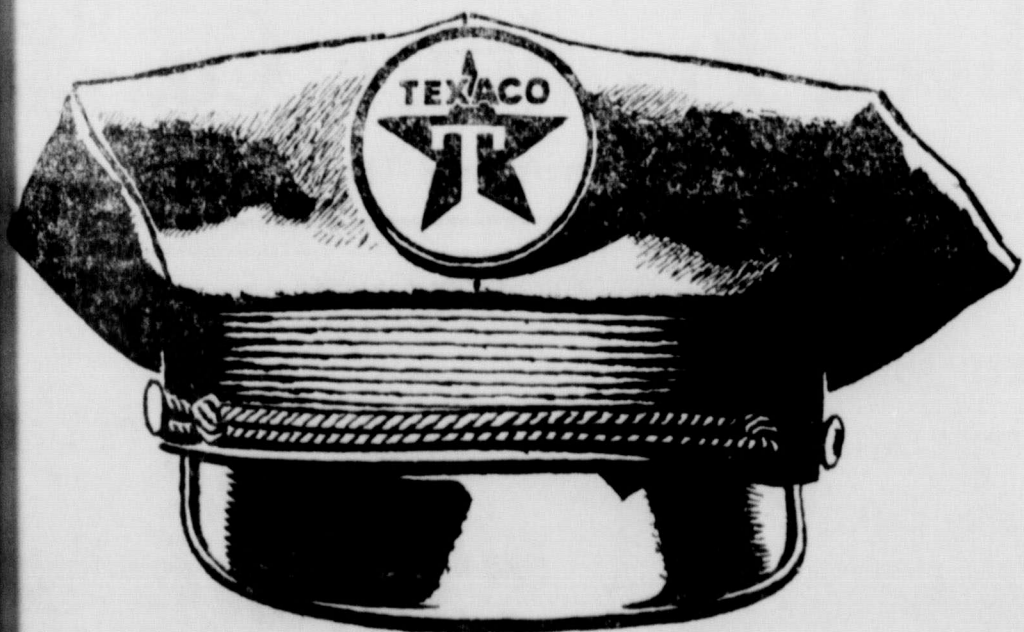
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SOPHOMORE SURPRISES

Jeannie B. is a nervous wreck. It seems that new member of the family just doesn't want to come. Oh well Jeannie, just give him or her time.

Steve K. doesn't know whether he should be happy or sad. It's just that certain people won't leave him alone.

Cherry R. had a very wonderful weekend. From baby showers to book reading. Doesn't that sound great?

Wayne R. can't seem to make up his mind. He doesn't know if he likes birds or not.

Paula L. was very happy Monday morning. It seems a letter from Fort Worth brightened up her blue Monday.

Howard S., what kind of language is it that you speak. No one can understand a word you say, or is that the way it intended.

Belinda C. now you have a jacket. That boy just can't make up his mind what to give you. Oh well what can you expect from a Stephenville Jacket.

Rodger M. you seem so quiet lately. Are you in love or just don't have anything to say.

Janis S. has a great secret she won't tell anyone. There is really one person she won't tell, right Lee?

Ann M. you seem to be proud of yourself. What kind of thing did you accomplish? You may be proud but a certain other person isn't.

Joe S. where do you stay all the time (besides with M.L.)? Well I guess she takes up all your time. Anyway we all miss you.

Linda G. really has a hard head. Linda put yourself in J.C.'s place. How would you feel.

Mary M. what was the exciting news you found out Friday night. I don't think J.D. wanted you to

know. Well, that just goes to show, no one can keep a secret from a Soph.

PERSONALITY PLUS

The subject for this week is a very cute and popular senior girl. She has blond hair and blue eyes that fall out all of the time. She has won many various awards. Some of these are class favorite-class officer, DAR Award, Homecoming Queen, and is on the annual staff.

She can be seen most of the time in a blue Mustang and the other three-fourths in a brown and white '56 Chevy.

Everyone has told her time after time that Hico's colors are red and white, but she insists that she must wear a jacket that is green and white. Maybe it's because her friend Ralph Collins is from Clifton. I'm sure that everyone has guessed who our personality is by now—Claudia Hafer.

COUPLE OF THE WEEK

The couple this week is a somewhat new one and a very cute one. The girl is out of the senior class while the boy is a junior.

The girl stands about 5 feet 6 inches tall, with black hair and blue eyes. She takes part in all school activities and is very well liked around HHS. She can be seen either in a Mustang with her best friend, C.H. or in her own car, a 1964 green Chevy.

The boy stands about six feet tall with brown hair and brown eyes. He is doing a very good job as a member of the basketball team as well as the many other things he does. Among them, playing with a very well known group that calls themselves the "Four Dimensions." He has a very good personality and is very well liked.

He can be seen with his best friend, J.L. and driving a 1960 blue

one.

Chevy. If by now you still haven't guessed our couple it's none other than Lee Shepherd and Alan Roy-al.

FRESHMAN QUESTIONS

Dennis P. falling asleep in English class. I guess that's what makes Hico High great.

James G., what's this about a Delaware punch bottle, a rotten egg and a sprig of mistletoe? Please explain.

Brad B. we're all real proud of your achievement at the land judging contest.

Judy P. did you have fun Saturday night? You'd better watch yourself or you'll be getting in bad graces with certain people.

Liz B. you surely looked cute Friday when you were all dressed up.

Jim W. must really like to dance. Whenever you see him that's all he's ever doing.

Marjean, why are you all smiles all of a sudden? Did you get something finally straightened out?

H. L. Hill, do you like to scrape gum off of the bottom of desks? You must because that's all you did one English period.

Morris B. does chewing gum really help you concentrate or is that just an excuse?

Mike D., did you have fun in Fort Worth. Knowing you as we do, I'm sure we'd all agree you'd have fun anywhere you went.

Alyce C., do you like dishwasher soaken cookies? You almost ate one.

TIGER'S PRIDE

This week for our Tiger's Pride we have chosen a very cute and popular junior girl. She plays both guard and forward on our basketball team and does a great job at both.

Our pride has honored the junior class this year as homecoming queen candidate, and has been cheerleader as well as class officer and class favorite. She can be seen most any time with her best friends, C.W. and L.B. If you don't know by now who the Tiger's Pride is, it is our own No. 20, Nellye Wolfe.

BEHIND THE SCENES

James Gosdin hunting for a used tea bag; Judy P. going to a party; Alyce looking sad; Marjean being herself again; Brad B. being smart for a change; Jody L. getting into trouble and feeling bad about it; Liz B. wondering; Kay T. paying bills; Dianne J. daring people to speak to her; Dwain F. learning his play lines; Lynn M. getting his Physics in home room; Lee S. and Claudia H. trying on each other's contact lenses.

Gienda O. having a blast in Fort Worth; Drewford B. being in love; Donna M. reading her play book; Leslie R. talking; Verna B. listening; Seniors being busy; Peggy H. riding around with her fellow; Paula L. and Ann M. going to Stephenville to get a parlay; Jeannie B. glad Charles is getting his car fixed; Cherry R. just being happy with her special guy; Joe Tooley without crutches; Steve K., Chuck C. and Spook going on scavenger hunts.

BASKETBALL GAMES

Wednesday evening of last week the girls played the outsiders in a scrimmage. The score was 26-23 in favor of the outsiders. High scorers were Kay Tooley with 15 points and Margaret Burgan for the outsiders had 13 points.

Friday night the girls and boys teams played Iredell here. The girls played a close game, losing by a score of 21-25. High scorer was Kay Tooley with 9 points.

The boys lost by a score of 43-38, with Jim Lackey high scorer. Friday, Dec. 10 the teams will play Godley at 2:30 p.m. in the Meridian tournament. The boys game will follow the girls. Games Saturday will be determined by the outcome of these games.

SENIOR SCAMPERS

Linda D. just never seems to be in the right place at the right time with the right people.

Lynn R. goes around school all day saying Hup Two Three Four. Seems that ever since she went to the Military Ball Saturday night she's trying to enlist. If you can't beat them, join them. She joined them.

If you don't believe in sudden storms just talk to Lee S. She will tell you about the time she was casually driving down the highway when all of a sudden it began to hail.

Glenda O. has some pretty amazing dreams. Of course she doesn't believe that dreams come true, but ever since she dreamed that somebody slammed a car door on her hands, she's been getting in and out of her car by the windows.

South Hico H.D. Club Has Regular Meeting In Fred Hyles Home

South Hico Home Demonstration Club met December 2 at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Fred Hyles for the last meeting of 1965. The meeting was opened with the vice-president, Mrs. Strother, in charge. The club song was sung, and members present took part in the opening exercises.

Roll call was answered with "My Favorite Christmas Table Arrangement." The program was on Christmas gift wrapping, given by each one present.

Club members made plans to attend the Council Christmas party at the REA building in Hamilton December 13. Before the party the group will tour the Patty blouse plant.

The club members received a Christmas card from Mrs. Dale Henry, former agent. She and her family wishes all a Merry Christmas. The card has the picture of the Libya-Mosque Church. They worship on Friday, but go often to the Mosque to pray. Mrs. Henry said they were liking fine there. She said they burned butane and kerosene for fuel, and have a fire place, but the wood cost \$25 for a 1,000 pound load. It comes from the desert country and they can't afford to burn the wood.

Club members and friends were sorry to hear of Mrs. C. J. Sikes being in the Corsicana Hospital. She is a former member, and members wish her a speedy recovery.

The club will meet December 16 with Mrs. Lenard Weaver for a Christmas party and exchange of homemade gifts. Members are asked to have their own original package decoration.

The hostess served loaf cake, nuts and hot punch to Mrs. John Prater, Mrs. Zuella Strother, Mrs. Era Stanley, Mrs. Bird's Sesson, Mrs. Byron Hawthorne and Mrs. Lenard Weaver.

Reporter.

M. E. Brooks and Marty of Arlington were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chock Little.

Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Mattie Gamble were Mr. and Mrs. John Galliger and Mike of Fort Worth.

Leslie R. has a few complaints to make about the heater in the English room. But unless you're brave, don't ask him about them.

Verna B. wasn't nervous at all at the FFA beauty contest Monday night. She always wears her right tennis shoe on her left foot.

Dwain F. seems to like those out of town girls pretty well. First Dublin now Waco.

GREENHAND NEWS

Well the Greenhands did pretty good Wednesday and Thursday.

Wednesday morning we went to Tarleton. The quiz team composed of James Gosdin, Billy Stearman, Brad Braune and Eddie Chapman won first prize with an easy test. They won a real nice banner.

The same morning the Greenhand Chapter Conducting team of James Gosdin, Billy Stearman, Jim Wolfe, Morris Busby, Jack Shipman and Eddie Chapman won fifth out of 11 teams.

Thursday morning the land judging team of Billy Stearman, James Gosdin, Brad Braune, Morris Busby and Henry Hill came up with second place out of 14 teams. Brad Braune was third high individual.

Saturday morning the quiz team went back to try and win Area. They won third place and came back happy even if they didn't get first.

Jackson Home Scene of Christmas Party

Members of the Saturday night "42" Club met last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jackson for their Christmas party.

Following games of forty-two, a salad plate was served by the hosts and Christmas gifts were exchanged.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Everett and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Mrs. Walker Hostess At Friday Bridge Party in Hafer Home

Mrs. Harold Walker was hostess last week to the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club in the home of Mrs. W. F. Hafer.

Refreshments and games of bridge were enjoyed during the afternoon by three guests, Mrs. Charles Baley, Mrs. Jake McClammy and Mrs. Harry Hudson, and by members, Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Charles Dayton, Mrs. Ray Cheek and Mrs. M. I. Knudson.

At conclusion of bridge play, Mrs. Baley was winner of high score and Mrs. Knudson held second high.

ATTEND WORKSHOP

Mrs. Marilyn Johanson, home-making teacher, accompanied Misses Cathy Cryer and Denna Meador to Comanche Monday afternoon to attend a State Degree Workshop at Comanche School. Misses Meador and Cryer are working toward the State Degree of Achievement in Home Economics.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Moss and Vada Lee of Alice spent the weekend here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Lou Whiteside and other relatives.

Luncheon Bridge Club Entertained Last Week In Rodgers Home

Miss Mettie Rodgers was hostess in her home last week when she entertained members of the Wednesday Luncheon Bridge Club.

At conclusion of bridge games, a luncheon plate was served by

hostess to Mrs. Frank Bonner, W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. H. V. Hedges, Mrs. Otha Sick, Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. R. Randals and Mrs. W. C. Stearns. Mrs. Hafer was winner of bridge score and Mrs. Ross second high score.



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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

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Joint Birthday Party Honors Tanja Scott, And Melissa Bonner

Miss Melissa Bonner and Miss Tanja Scott were honored with a joint birthday party last Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in the Frank Bonner home. Mrs. Von Scott and Mrs. Bonner were co-hostesses for the courtesy which marked their daughter's seventh birthdays.

The hostesses presented guests with favors of bubble pipes, spinning frogs and suckers and served refreshments of birthday cake and cold drinks.

The honorees were presented gifts and the guests enjoyed a morning of games and fun.

Present were Sylvia Dayton, Beverly Funk of Fort Worth, Brent Keller, Larry Knapp, Susan Christian, James Putty, Dean and Dale Walker, Patricia Watkins, Jim Barnett, John, Frank III and Melonie Bonner. Adults present were Mrs. Bill Funk of Fort Worth, Jack Barnett, Mrs. Charles Dayton, Mrs. O. E. Whitson and the hostesses.

Adult Sunday School Class of Baptist Church Enjoys Christmas Party

The Adults to 27 Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church enjoyed a Christmas party last Saturday night in Fellowship Hall of the church.

Refreshments of candies, chips and dips, and Christmas puns were served, and various games were played for entertainment.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Naul, Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Koonsman, Mr. and Mrs. Wavland Wooton, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wooton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Erick, Mrs. Fonzy Williamson and Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Tatum.

Mrs. Budde Randsale and her mother, Mrs. J. E. Burleson spent a few days in Coleman last week in Mrs. Burleson's home.

GARDEN CLUB FALL AND CHRISTMAS SHOW DRAWS LARGE ENTRY LIST

Much interest was shown in the Fall and Christmas Flower Show sponsored by Hico Garden Club last Saturday and Sunday at First National Bank. One of the largest attendances and also one of the largest entry lists from both members and non-members were recorded. To set the show off was a beautiful Christmas tree with blue balls decorated by the employees of the bank. They were awarded a blue ribbon for their efforts.

Co-chairmen for the show were Mrs. Fred Rainwater and Mrs. L. J. Chaney, with Mrs. Lenard Weaver chairman of the horticulture division. The horticulture display was one of the best ever shown and received special recognition.

Top winners in the show were: Mrs. H. E. McCullough, tri-ribbon for the most outstanding Christmas table; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton won award of merit in the horticulture class; and Mrs. Lenard Weaver won Sweepstakes for the most blue ribbons in horticulture. Mrs. V. H. Jenkins won Sweepstakes for most blue ribbons in the artistic division. She also won tri-color and the ribbon of distinction in this class.

Blue ribbon winners in the Fall Artistic Division were: Mrs. Jenkins, first; Mrs. Morse Ross 2nd; Mrs. Fred Rainwater 3rd, and honorable mention, Mrs. Lotus Gosdin and Mrs. J. E. Lincoln.

Fall Drama winners: Mrs. Lincoln 1st, Mrs. Jenkins 2nd, Mrs. Ross 3rd, honorable mention, Mrs. Alvin Casey and Mrs. John Golightly. This class was judged on all blue winning.

Moments to Remember: Mrs. Jenkins 1st, Mrs. Fred Rainwater Mrs. Lotus Gosdin, and honorable mention to Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. Hershel Sherrard and Mrs. Weaver. Gay November Days: Mrs. Jenkins 1st, Mrs. Rainwater 2nd, Mrs. Ross 3rd, honorable mention, Mrs. Casey, Mrs. Chaney, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Lincoln.

Reflections: Mrs. Rainwater 1st, Mrs. Lewis Chaney 2nd, Mrs. Weaver 3rd.

Winter Night: Mrs. Rainwater 1st, Mrs. Sherrard 2nd, Mrs. Gosdin 3rd and honorable mention to Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Edgar Bulloch.

Ribbons won in the horticulture class were: Mrs. Weaver 7 blue; Mrs. Joe D. Nix 1 blue; Mrs. Lotus Gosdin 2 blue, 1 yellow; Mrs. H. E. McCullough 3 blue; Mrs. J. D. Jones 2 blue; Mrs. George Griffiths 1 blue and 1 red; Mrs. George Loden 1 blue; Mrs. Fred Rainwater 2 blue; Mrs. C. H. King 4 blue, 2 red and 1 yellow; Mrs. W. R. Hampton 1 blue; Mrs. J. E. Lincoln 1 blue; Mrs. Morse Ross 1 red; Mrs. Lewis Chaney 2 blue; Mrs. Jesse Rainwater 1 red; Mrs. Jessie Richbourg 1 red; Mrs. V. H. Jenkins 2 red.

Winners in the Christmas Show: Neighbor at the Door, an all blue ribbon class: Mrs. Hershel Sherrard, Mrs. Frank Bonner, Mrs. Rainwater, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Jack Malone, and Mrs. Weaver.

Neath the Mistletoe, an all blue ribbon class: Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Mrs. George Griffiths, Mrs. Fred Rainwater, Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. L. J. Chaney.

Dazzling Dangles: Winning names unavailable.

Warmest Wishes: Mrs. Morse Ross blue, Mrs. George Griffiths red, Mrs. Edgar Bulloch yellow, and Mrs. John Golightly, honorable mention.

White Christmas, all blue ribbon

class: Mrs. Lotus Gosdin, Mrs. Jack Malone, Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Mrs. Frank Bonner.

Table Toppers, all blue ribbon: Mrs. H. E. McCullough, on a Christmas tea table, Mrs. Fred Hyles, hall table, Mrs. Harry Hudson, ceramic tree table, Mrs. Jack Malone coffee table, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, occasional table, and Mrs. J. W. Fairley, occasional table.

The Garden Club would like to express thanks to all those that helped in any way with the show, and special thanks to the First National Bank, News Review, Hamilton radio station, Check Furniture, Barnes and McCullough and the judges.

COURTESY COFFEE

Mrs. Edgar Bulloch was hosting in her home last Saturday morning at a courtesy coffee in honor of the flower show judges.

Present were Mrs. Tom Dudley, Mrs. Clarence Rea and Mrs. E. H. Denny of Comanche, judges, and Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. H. E. McCullough and Mrs. L. J. Chaney.

GARDEN CLUB LUNCHEON

A luncheon was enjoyed at noon Saturday in the dining room of Koffee Kup Cafe by Garden Club members and flower show judges.

The menu consisted of smothered steak, green bean casserole, creamed potatoes, candied yams, congealed salad, carrot bread, hot rolls and tea and coffee.

Attending were Mrs. Tom Dudley, Mrs. Clarence Rea and Mrs. E. H. Denny of Comanche, Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. V. H. Jenkins, Mrs. L. L. Gosdin, Mrs. Grady Wolfe, Mrs. George Griffiths, Mrs. Alvin Casey, Mrs. L. J. Chaney, Mrs. W. R. Hampton, Mrs. Edgar Bulloch and Mrs. Fred Rainwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harris of Dallas spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Jessie Richbourg.

Fine Arts Program Enjoyed by Review Club Members Last Thursday

The Hico Review Club met last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. B. Jackson.

Despite a downpour of rain, 19 members were present.

A fine arts program was presented, with "Creativity at the Holiday Season" as theme.

Attractive and unique Christmas creations made by the members were placed throughout the living and dining area of the home. Besides decorations, lovely hand-knit sweaters, needlepoint bags, knitting bags, head warmer, tissue box, candy jars and pillows were displayed. Each creation was described and explained by the person who made it.

The hostess served a dessert plate to the following members: Miss Mettie Rodgers, Mmes. H. E. McCullough, Hord Randals, David Anderson, Wayne Rutledge, Odis Petsick, P. W. Hamilton, Jack Barnett, W. C. Stearnman Jr., L. F. Bonner Jr., O. C. Cook, Morse Ross, Marvin Marshall, J. E. Lincoln, Edgar Bulloch, W. F. Hafer, B. C. Dayton and Bernell Jernigan.

Club Christmas Party

The Review Club Christmas party will be in the home of Mrs. Frank Bonner on Thursday afternoon December, 16 at 4 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Moss and Vada Lee of Alice were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tolliver and Lynette.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Deisher of Silverton were weekend visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall.

MRS. W. L. COOK

MISS BECKY SIMPSON, SONNY COOK ARE MARRIED NOVEMBER 24 AT LEVELLAND

The wedding of Miss Becky Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Simpson Jr., and W. L. (Sonny) Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cook, was solemnized at 7 p.m. Tuesday, November 24 in the parsonage at 1634 Wilson Street, Levelland.

An archway of silvered greenery with blue tipped mums and candles with blue tapers provided setting for the impressive ceremony read by Clay Henderson of Hico. Miss Kay Funk, cousin of the bride, played traditional wedding music. The candlelight ceremony was officiated by Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Funk of Buffalo Gap.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was crowned in white and wore a gown of white tulle with soft pleats at the waistline to give a bell-shaped effect with self-covered buttons down the back. The gown featured a portrait neckline, beaded bodice and long, narrow, embroidered with seed pearls. The detachable train that fell gracefully to a chapel length was of white peau de soie and chintilly appliques re-embroidered with seed pearls around the edge and cascading toward the center. The bride's shoulder length veil of white tulle was gathered on a circlet of white tulle and trimmed in seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of white feathered mums centered with a white orchid.

The something old, borrowed and blue was a garter belonging to Pam Cook, friend of the bride.

Miss Linda McInroe attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a pale blue sheath with bell skirt and carried a nosegay of feathered mums. James Rogers, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. Otis Cook served his brother as ring bearer.

The bride's mother was dressed in a two-piece blue suit with white accessories, and the groom's mother chose an orchid wool suit with white accent.

The bridal bouquet centered the reception table, laid with an appliqued orange cloth, using the bride's chosen colors of blue and white. Rita Hayes and Sue Wade presided at the table. Mrs. Gavon, sister of the groom, presided at the music book.

As a traveling ensemble the bride selected a light blue wool suit with white accessories. Following the wedding trip to Clovis and Old Mexico the couple will be at home at 1508 Houston Street in Levelland.

The bride is a senior at Levelland high school and this groom is a Levelland graduate and a sophomore at Texas Tech, Lubbock. Out of town guests were Mr.

and Mrs. R. T. Simpson Sr. of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. David Box and daughters of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henderson and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Cericana and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henderson and family, and Mrs. Paulette of Lubbock; Mrs. Bobbie Leonard and family of Brownfield; Mrs. Dorey Rhee and daughter of Hereford; Mrs. Ray Queen of Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gray, Treva Keith and Bobbie Stone of New Home; and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Funk of Buffalo Gap.

Mrs. Bruce Slaughter Honored With Shower In Ramage Home

Mrs. Bruce Slaughter and daughter, Kelli, were honored at a shower Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4, in the home of Mrs. Jimmie Ramage.

Co-hostesses for the courtesy were Mrs. J. D. Partain, Mrs. Harold Walker, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. Lamar Johanson and Miss Louise Blair.

Guests were received by Mrs. Ramage, and presented to Mrs. Slaughter and Kelli, Mrs. Steve Parks, Mrs. Lucille Slaughter, Mrs. W. B. Fenton and Mrs. L. M. Parks.

Miss Cherry Ramage registered the guests and assisted in the gift room.

Mrs. M. I. Knudson presided at the serving table, which was laid with a white linen cloth and decorated with a floral arrangement of pink carnations, accented by miniature storks and pink tapers. Silver and crystal appointments completed the setting.

Approximately 150 guests called or sent gifts during the appointed hours of 1:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Out of town guests attending were Mrs. L. M. Parks of Houston, Mrs. W. B. Fenton and Mrs. Becky Sanders of Snyder, and Mrs. Lonnie Till of Houston.

Garden Club Christmas Party This Friday

Hico Garden Club will have its annual Christmas party this Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Morse Ross.

Co-hostesses will be Mrs. George Loden and Mrs. Fred Rainwater. Following a Christmas program, members will exchange gifts. All members are asked to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. King were Monday visitors in Valley Mills in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Dunklin.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Cody were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Braune of View.

Milton Dunlop and Milt of Waco were visitors last weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chock Little.

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Items of Interest From Iredell...

By MRS. VINITA BLAKLEY

TROY FOUTS HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Troy Fouts of Dallas was entertained with a birthday party at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Fouts on Friday evening, Nov. 26. Hat favors and balloons were given each child present, and sandwiches and chocolate milk were served to the little guests.

Present were Michael and Michele Phillips, Tammy Jackson, Cindy Locker, Mickey Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Fouts, Miss Judy Fouts and Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips of Stephenville, Mmes. Bill Jackson, Ronnie Locker and Jimmy Burns.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR CHARLEY E. SNELSON

Funeral services for Charley E. Snelson, 88, were held in Meridian First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. H. E. Jackson of Iredell.

Mr. Snelson was a resident of Arizona since 1940. He was a former resident of the Iredell community known as Pikesville where his family grew up.

Mr. Snelson is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Bertie Cline, Miss

Jessie Snelson and Mrs. Marvin Porter, all of Yuma, Arizona. Mrs. Mattie Bell Andrews of San Diego, Calif. and Mrs. Jewel Thompson of Salinas, Calif.; two sons, William Snelson of Coolidge, Ariz. and James Snelson of Florence, Ariz.; one sister, Mrs. Jim Allen of Coolidge, Arizona; 22 grandchildren, 52 great-grandchildren.

Burial was made in Meridian Cemetery by the side of his wife, the former Dora Blue, who preceded him in death in 1941. Pallbearers were Jim McCoy, Marion Linch, T. C. Hovey, Clark Royal, Jesse O. Blue and Raymond Blue.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. William Snelson of Randolph Arizona, Mrs. Marvin Porter of Yuma, Mrs. Bertie Cline of Yuma, Mrs. Jewel Thompson of Salinas, Calif., Mrs. Geneva Burreson and son of Bowie, Ariz., Mrs. Lennie Coffelt of Meridian. They were here to attend the funeral of Mr. Charley Snelson, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Golden.

Mrs. Dick Appleby entered the Hico City Hospital Sunday and will undergo surgery Monday morning. Family night was held at the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist

Church Friday evening. The tables were decorated with Christmas decorations and an abundance of food was enjoyed by all present. A social hour followed the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Houston of Odessa were Thanksgiving week visitors in the home of his mother and sister, Mrs. Nevada Day and Mrs. Emma Houston. They brought the Thanksgiving dinner. Other visitors in the home were Misses Hazel and Mildred Ford of Dallas.

Friends of Mrs. Marvin Tidwell of Glen Rose will be glad to know she is recovering nicely from surgery at the Stephenville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Claunch and Gary of McCloud Okla. were Thanksgiving guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Mike Phillips and family. While returning home Mrs. Claunch became ill near Mineral Wells and was rushed back to the Stephenville Hospital where she underwent surgery immediately. She is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Dunlap and Austin Ray of Dallas were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap.

Mrs. Walter Sadler is at home after having had surgery in the Stephenville Hospital. She is doing nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley were weekend visitors in Fort Worth in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Bettye Tolson and family.

Mrs. Dora Strong was a recent patient in Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. She returned home Friday and is doing nicely at this time.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wuemling during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. John McKee and family and Mr. Walter Higgins of Houston, Steve Wuemling of Beaumont, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sutton of Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Abilene were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gosdin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Laurence returned home Friday evening from Houston where they had visited in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham Sr. Also their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Crab and little great-grandson, Bret Allen Crab.

The Laurences had visited in Ty Leon recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nabors and to see their new great-granddaughter, little Tammy Sue Nabors, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lee Nabors. Tammy Sue has a brother, Terry Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkison were recent visitors in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terrell, Mrs. Bill Jackson, Tammy Gayle and Triza Gaye were recent visitors in Houston.

Misses Delores Terrell and Lou Hulsey of Houston were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terrell.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mathews were Mr. and Mrs. Elton King of Coalington and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Miles of Garland.

Dr. D. D. Tidwell of Houston was a Monday and Tuesday visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tidwell while attending the Masonic Grand Lodge at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed and Linda were Thanksgiving holiday visitors in San Antonio.

Mrs. Ruby Toban of Denver, Colorado is visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Appleby and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Hull, Diane, Debra, Karen and Sharon of Corpus Christi were Thanksgiving holiday visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis King.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gordon of Fort Worth were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Fannie Dawson.

Mmes. Nita Stifflemire and Ollie Koonsman were shopping in Cleburne Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders were visiting his brother in Hillsboro Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sanders and Diane of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders.

Sgt. and Mrs. Harlon Vanwinkle and Richard of Fort Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vanwinkle and Pam of Flat Top Ranch, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones and family of Glen Rose were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Vanwinkle and Joy.

Mrs. Nola Wingren and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell were recent visitors in Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tankersley of near Hico.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Nola Wingren were Mrs. Joyce Devereaux and Tony, Mrs. Cynthia Smith, Bryan Allen and Billy of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Freeman and family of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lucas of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gosdin and family were weekend visitors in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Mae Linch has moved to her home Fore after three years in Glen Rose and Houston with her children.

Dragon Talk

By Students of Iredell High School

BASKETBALL NEWS

Tuesday night, Nov. 30, Iredell High played Cranfills Gap. The final score in the girls game was 38-37 in Iredell's favor. This was after a 3-minute overtime.

High scorer was Linda Weatherford with 15 points.

Final score in the boys game was 40 to 31 in favor of Iredell. High scorers were Dickey Mims and Johnny Copeland with 14 points each.

Friday night, Dec. 3, Iredell played Hico at Hico. Iredell came back with two more good victories. The girls won by a margin of 25 to 21. High scorer was Linda Weatherford with 10 points.

The boys defeated Hico 45 to 36. Dickey Mims was high scorer with 15 points.

FHA NEWS

The Iredell Chapter of Future Homemakers met Nov. 23. The meeting was called to order by the president, Crickett Gilliland. After the opening ritual, the president introduced the speaker, Miss Dunn, who is County Home Demonstration Agent. Miss Dunn talked to us about nutrition. After the closing ritual the meeting was adjourned.

TEEN TALK

We don't know what to think about Patricia T. Everywhere she goes she seems to attract admirers. Right Pat? By the way have you had any visitors from Cranfills Gap yet? Don't worry, you will.

Rickey Conner can't be trusted. At least not when someone tells him something, and then asks him to forget all about it. Rickey, don't you know you'll make someone angry with you (and we do mean Becky.)

Walter D., what's so bad about moving up to the front of the room? There isn't really anything so bad about it, but if you don't like it, then okay.

Glenda H. why is it that everytime someone sees you coming, they start saying "here comes the giant." It probably has something to do with Cranfills Gap. After all, anyone that runs around stepping on kids should be called the giant.

Michael T. goes in style nowadays. He had on a real cute orange and black sweatshirt. And what did it say Mike? Something about "Don't follow me, I'm lost." Tommy T. what were all of those tacks for? I guess you just wanted to be sure Billy knew about at least one of them.

Linda C. you may try to be sneaky if you want to but remember to always move the chair. That chair would have made things pretty obvious. And Robin Hood? Was that all that you could find?

Butch we only have one thing to say to you after last Friday night. Don't be picking on Hico boys. Sure it was funny to you but think of other people.

Dwane B. where were you Saturday night? And Sunday night too. By the way, did you have fun?

Crickett, what was so funny at the show Saturday night? Could it have had something to do with Jen growling?

Patricia T. why does Crickett not like you? Number 43?

Seems like some of the girls such as Diane, Linda W. and Rita aren't a bit worried about Hico girls. They're very happy and don't believe anything could change their feelings.

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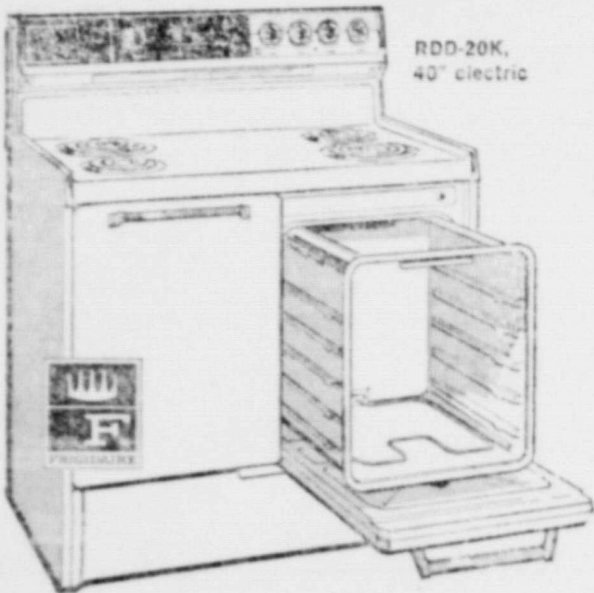
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Duffau Community News

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mrs. John Jones and sons of Seymour visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley during the weekend.
Mrs. Melbourne Giesecke visited with Mrs. Amye Newman and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Giesecke at Hico Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley visited in Stephenville Sunday afternoon in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Giesecke, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Herrin and Mr. and Mrs. McCleskey.
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reagan of Morgan Mill visited with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul the past Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and family at Stephenville Thursday afternoon.
Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and Freddie during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Solsbery of Hico, Linda Naul, Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and children.
Harry Brown of Arlington spent the weekend with homefolks.
Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fowler returned home with their baby, who



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Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

(Intended for last week)
Mrs. Harmon Trammell returned home from Hico Hospital Thursday and is progressing nicely.
Mr. and Mrs. Royce Samford of Levelland Morris Samford of Tarleton State College, Mrs. Jewel Odell, A. C. Odell and David of Fort Worth visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Samford.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Merritt, Elaine and Jerry Beth visited Saturday with Mr. W. O. Eckart at Austin, who is quite ill. Mr. Merritt returned to his job in Lamar Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Dock Clepper and Johnnie, Roanoke, spent Thanksgiving day in the D. O. Chew home. Johnnie remained over the weekend.
Master Kenneth Duane Euhanks son of Mr. and Mrs. William Euhanks, entered the Hico Hospital Saturday for major surgery. At this writing he is doing nicely.
Max Haile, student at A and M, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Haile.
Mrs. Virgil Hollaway, Beckie and Vickie spent the weekend in Fort Worth.
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Knapp and Leana visited with his brother in Tyler last Thursday.
Tommy Arnold of Fort Worth visited Friday with his father, Mr. Claude Arnold.
Sue James of Waco spent the weekend with her father, A. E. James. Mrs. James is in Florida visiting.
Claude Arnold had Thanksgiving dinner in Hico with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Seago.
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By SONDRA KOONSEN
Home Demonstration Agent

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Fresh and properly handled game meat can be tender and palatable when cooked by dry or moist heat. The method of cooking is determined by the quality and tenderness of the carcasses.

Young tender game is best cooked by dry heat such as broiling, broiling, pan-broiling and frying. Dry heat preserves flavor and insures tenderness. Basting with additional fat may be necessary if the meat is lean.

Old and less tender game, on the other hand, is best prepared by moist heat such as braising, stewing and simmering. Swiss steak and pot roasts should be braised, and a small amount of liquid should be added to meat cooked in a covered container. Stews, fricassees and boiled game should be prepared by simmering in hot liquid partially or completely covering the meat. With moisture, the high temperatures necessary to soften connective tissues can be obtained.

Parboiling strong game meat will reduce any objectionable flavor.

This will produce a mild gamey flavor; however, some soluble nutrients from well-conditioned carcasses will be removed.

However, the strong, gamey flavor that some people find objectionable is concentrated in the animal fat. To reduce this flavor, the fat must be removed in more mature, highly fattened carcasses.

Many people prefer to marinate meat from more mature animals to reduce gamey flavor and make the meat more tender. A marinade is made by combining one-fourth part vinegar, three-fourths part water, sugar and seasoning. Meat should be placed in the solution and refrigerated for 72 hours or longer.

Various methods of preparing and cooking big and small game and game birds, as well as numerous game dinner menus, are found in the Extension bulletin, "Wild Game Care and Cooking," available in the County Extension Office. I would be glad for you to come by and pick one up or call DU 6-3919 and I will mail you a copy of the bulletin.

—sjk—

Reminders:

Dec. 14: Home Demonstration Council Christmas Party.

Dec. 16: H.D. Standing Rules Committee Meeting in Agent's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hathcock, Curtis and Karen of Fort Worth were Saturday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tolliver and Lynette.

WSCS Program Held Monday

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Charles Dayton presided over the business session. Mrs. Alvin Casey gave a report on the condition of the furniture in the parsonage and Wesleyan Center at Tarleton State College. The group voted to make a contribution to the Center.

Mrs. Dayton gave a report on the World Federation of Methodist Women.

Mrs. Casey led the program, "Automation and Leisure." She was assisted by Mrs. Edgar Elliott who presented "Education in Automation."

Mrs. Dayton dismissed the meeting with group benediction.

Present were Mrs. Dayton, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Casey, Mrs. Zuella Strother, Mrs. Carrie Malone, Mrs. John Rusk, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Hord Randalls, Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. B. E. Duncan and Mrs. Raymond Addison.

Amos F. Herrington, Longtime Carlton Man, Buried Monday

Amos Franklin Herrington passed away at his home Sunday, December 5, at 4:05 a.m. at the age of 69.

Mr. Herrington was born July 17, 1886 in Hamilton County to the late Alonzo and Jennie Lee Herrington. He was a retired farmer and rancher, and had spent most of his life around the Carlton community.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, Dec. 6 at 2:30 in the Chapel of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home, with Rev. Maurice Mosley officiating. Burial was in Carlton Cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were W. H. Tinsley Jr., J. W. Jordan, Walker Curry, Mack Taylor, Hob Thompson and Avery Coffman.

Mr. Herrington is survived by his wife Mrs. Evva Herrington of Carlton; two daughters, Mrs. Lilly Mildred Reich of Carlton and Mrs. Lillian Muriel Perry, also of Carlton; two sons, E. E. Herrington of Copperas Cove and R. L. Herrington of Hamilton; five sisters, Mrs. Bessie Stewart of Ranger, Mrs. J. V. Martin of Texarkana, Ark., Mrs. Minnie Violet of Burns, Oregon, Mrs. Ila Howton of Vallejo, Calif., and Mrs. H. T. Tension also of Vallejo; one brother, Frank Herrington of Sweetwater; also 8 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral Services Held At Farmers Branch For Former Hico Resident

George Waldrep, 72, of Farmers Branch, passed away November 16 at his home there. He was a retired barber.

A native of Hico, he had lived in Farmers Branch for three years, and had owned a barber shop in Dallas for 40 years before retiring earlier this year.

Survivors are a son, Kenneth G. Waldrep of Fort Polk, La.; two daughters, Mrs. E. W. Williams of Farmers Branch and Mrs. R. C. Nolden of Dallas; three sisters, Mrs. Amelia Turner of Tahoka, Mrs. Mollie Boslev of Amarillo and Mrs. Dovie Tidwell of Dallas; and two brothers, Dal Waldrep of Stephenville and Moody Waldrep of Newcastle.

The Waldrep family has many friends in the Hico area.

Lutefisk Supper Set December 11th at Cranfills Gap School

When the sumac bushes turn red and yellow and the first cool, crisp northern arrives, the people of the little Norwegian community of Cranfills Gap begin to think of that rare delicacy called "Lutefisk." For many years people came from far and near to partake of the delicious Lutefisk supper served by the ladies of the St. Olaf Lutheran Church. For the past few years, however, that evening of fellowship and good food has been abandoned.

A group of interested and observant citizens of the Cranfills Gap community met Nov. 22 and organized a Lions Booster Club.

First fund-raising project to be sponsored by the Booster Club is a Lutefisk Supper to be served in the school cafeteria Saturday evening, Dec. 11, beginning at 5 p.m. The menu will consist of Lutefisk, potatoes, melted butter, white sauce, green beans, cranberries, fruit salad, homemade bread, pie, and coffee, or turkey and dressing with all the trimmings.

Mrs. Albert Hastings is chairman of the food committee, Mrs. Bob Epley is in charge of advertising, and Mr. Dink Henderson volunteered to prepare the Lutefisk.

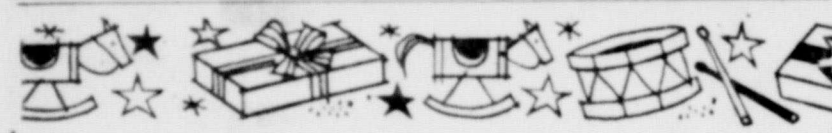
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