HICO, TEXAS FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1966.

Nattie Segrest Day' ated This Saturday Hue Phu Bai, Vietnam (FHTNC) Marine Lance Corporal Tommy L.

ducator, will have her Saturday, when ex-stuather to pay tribute to nfluenced many lives than 50 years that dance to students. p.m. at Bluebonnet Club in recognition of

g for the special ocvas started several weeks Bruce Slaughter, Louise Glenn Ross, Ray Keller rel Fillingim handing ar-

Segrest, who retired from teaching in 1953, pursued er in the field of educawhich lasted for 50 years. reer began in 1903 when ht her first class of 45 in a school called Pleast, eight miles from Hamincluded in the first class 40 students of German na-Following that tenure, summer she taught two at Indian Creek com-

taught one more year-at -before marrying the 0. Segrest. The 50 years was not continuous, but include 25 years as mathteacher in Hico and 30 continuous teaching in in May 1952, Mrs. had a total of 29 years ee months in Hico Schools. en the time she taught Hico, Mrs. Segrest taught f five years over a peyears at Old Hico. In had an opportunity to to Hico, and filled a term months in the third The following year she ected to teach arithmetic fifth, sixth and seventh She was moved to high our years later as math and continued in that

until her retirement. Segrest was respected. and loved by all of her She had strong belief merits of young people, and with the desire to instill m the principles of good



MATTIE SEGREST . . . Saturday is Her 'Day'

living. Her entire teaching career was centered around mathmatics, and in demonstrating its rigid principles, she was just as rigid in her aim to see that each student had ample opportunity to learn the things she was teach-

One of her greatest assets was her interest and pride in the boys and girls whom she taught that went on to become successful in their chosen fields. During the war years, Mrs. Segrest kept up with a great majority of former students, and was always interested in their well-being.

Mrs. Segrest was educated in the Hamilton schools, and later at what was known as Sam Housston Normal Institute at Huntsville. She received her degree from North Texas State College.

She and her late husband reared two sons and 2 daughters, who all received degrees from North Texas, and who were later in the teaching field.

During her tenure in the local school, two Annuals were dedicated to her, one in 1939 and again in 1951.

A tribute such as the one Saturday could not go to a more deserving person, and many former students and friends are expected to return to Hico to honor the much-loved former

VOTING PRECINCT 6

etition Filed For 'Wet' Election in Hamilton County

mitted to Mrs. Vada Wil- petition. Hamilton County Clerk, Monnorning of last week asking special election to legalize tice Precinct No. 6.

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Precinct No. 6 includes voting boxes-Shive and

Williams said she is in the examining the signaon the petition to make sure ners paid their poll taxes check the legality of the sig-

said the petition would be to the Commissioners after she tested its legality. sioners Court will then date for the election not less days nor more than 30 days meeting. The next Com-

would set the election date

Williams said a petition for ast governor's election. On- Mrs. M. B. Meek.

otton bearing 44 signatures | ly 31 names were needed for the

Justice Precinct No. 6 approaches to within 7.5 miles of Hamilton at two points. One of these is the of all alcoholic beverages Alfred Marwitz farm at the Farm Road 2005 crossing of Cowhouse Creek. The other is the James S. Renfro farm at old Schoolerville. The Renfro farm is the northeast corner of the Shive voting box. The Justice Precinct extends southward along the Schoolerville-Vista Mountain road and westward along Cowhouse Creek from this point .-Hamilton Herald-News.

VISIT FROM OKLAHOMA

Mrs. R. E. Bohannon, Vickie, Sherry, L. D., Martha Ann and Bobbie Sue of Haskel, Oklahoma are vacationing and visiting here with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Luther ers Court will meet August Spinks and other relatives. Mrs. Don Burgan, Mark and Charles of Hurst are also visiting this week August 29 and September with her parents and sister.

Charlotte Meek has been visiting election must bear names the past two weeks at Goldthwaite man are visiting this week and next Officent of the voting public with her grandparents, Mr. and in the home of their grandparents,

Local Marine Taking Part in Searching Out **Vietnam Operations**

Loudermilk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loudermilk of Hico, is in the Hue Phu Bai area of Vietnam serving as a member of Company D. First Battalion, Fourth Marine Regiment, Third Marine Division. He is participating in day and

night patrols, ambushes, and extended search and destroy operations against Viet Cong forces. He is also helping to man positions in the defense perimeter around the airfield south of Hue.

Robert S. Hutton, 71, Dies Sunday; Funeral Services Held Monday

Robert Swenson Hutton, 71, passed away in Hico City Hospital at 5:25 a.m. Sunday, July 24, following a lengthy illness.

A retired farmer, Mr. Hutton was born March 21, 1895 in Johnson County, the son of the late William John and Martha Robinson Hutton. He had been a Hico resident since 1942, and was a member of First Methodist Church.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in First Methodist Church, with Rev. Hubert Taylor, pastor, officiat-

ing. Burial was in Fairy Cemetery. Serving as pallbearers were Bob Hancock, Grady Hooper, Tom Betts, Hershel Sherrard, Raymond Lowe and Bill Lackey.

Mr. Hutton is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ione Hutton of Hico; two sons, R. S. Hutton Jr. of Odessa and Glen Hutton of Houston; two sisters, Mrs. Francis Washburn of Cleburne and Mrs. H. C. Jermstad of Clifton; five brothers, W A. Hutton of Hico, Jim Hutton of Corpus Christi, Joe Hutton of Altus, Okla. and Finis Hutton of Cranfills Gap; also four grandchildren.

George William Hicks Buried Here Following Thursday Services

Funeral services for George William Hicks, 69, were conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel. Bro. Nelson Stark officiated.

p.m. Tuesday in Hico City Hospital, following a lengthy illness. He was born September 28, 1896 in Hamilton County, and was the son of the late J. H. and Georgia Herricks Hicks. A retired farmer, Mr. Hicks had been a Hico resident for the past two years, and a lifetime resident of Hamilton County. He was a member of the Church

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ila Hicks of Hico; two daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Thornton of Tatum, New Mexico and Mrs. Ken Brown of Tucson, Arizona; one son, Hen-Hicks of Amarillo; five sisters. Mrs. Ethel Jones of Gustine, Ersie Hendricks of Hamil-Mrs. Bertie Johnson of Carrollton, Mrs. Alice Tudor of Carlsbad, N.M., and Mrs. Gladys Rich of Carrollton; two brothers, Alvin Hicks and James Hicks of Hico; and six grandchildren.

Burial was in Hico Cemetery.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan were in Waxahachie last Saturday afternoon to attend funeral services for Mrs. Annie Barnard, mother of their son-in-law, Leon Barnard. The services were conducted in Rudolph's Chapel in Waxahachie, with interment in Red Oak Ceme-

GRANDCHILDREN VISIT

Ava Beth, Roddy and Paul Neel of Lubbock, and Jamie Neel of Quit-

For Old Settlers Reunion-

Peak Crowds Expected Friday and Saturday



MISS SANDY HICKEY



MISS LINDA BRUNER

Beauty Pageant is Friday Feature of Annual Reunion

Clifton, Colorado, Cecil Hutton of vie for Miss Reunion titles Friday night at 8 o'clock third night of

the Annual Old Settlers Reunion. Eleven contestants are entered in the senior division, while 18 are entered in the junior division.

The contestants will vie for crowns won last year by Miss Sandy Hickey of Dublin, senior winner, and Miss Linda Bruner of Hico. junior winner.

Contestants and sponsors are: Senior Division.

Kathy Cryer, sponsored by Kof-Mr. Hicks passed away at 6:30 fee Kup Cafe; Denna Meador, sponsored by Russell's Dept. Store; Verna Busby, sponsored by Hico Nurers; Clydena Bordner, sponsored by Surprise Valley Ranch; Sallie Hays, sponsored by Hico Florist; gomery Steak House; Barbara Ca- beauty pageant.

Twenty-nine local beauties will sey, sponsored by Petsick Insurance Agency; Kathy Braune, sponsored by Hico Riding Club; Nellye Wolfe, sponsored by Howard Drug.

Junior Division.

Vicki Keller (Hico Garden Club); Cherry Ramage (Salmon-Ross); Liz Williams (Gulf States Telephone Co.): Louise Fail (Hico Specialty Shop); Joyce Carroll (Cheek Furniture Co.); Belinda Christian (Hico Review Club): Mary Beth Martin (Bess Mingus Dress Shop); Linda Grissom (Toegen Feed Mill); Vicki Polk (Blair Hardware); Robbie Robison (H and B Grocery); Paula Lane (Western Auto); Jeannie Balev (Hico Frozen Lockers); Nancy Davis (First National Bank); Resing Home; Connie Bulloch, spon- becca Martin (Chaney's Gulf Stasored by Woodard Produce; Martha tion); Judy Paddock (Sherrard Gro-Stuckey, sponsored by Wilson Clean- cery); Joyce Garner (Polk Cleaners); Mary Ann Lepard (Jackson Superette).

Mrs. Von Scott and Mrs. Harold Linda Reed, sponsored by Mont- Walker are co-chairmen for the

Best Decorated Float, Barrow-

Parade Winners

ficer of the 300th Aviation Co. (Fix-

ed Wing, Light Transport), flying

The celebration was kicked off

Rutledge Funeral Home; 2. Howard Drug Company.

Best Decorated Car, Hico Review Club; 2. Hico Specialty Shop. Best Decorated Bicycle, Steve Al- Meeting August 1-7 len: 2. Brian Dayton

Best Comic, Ronnie East and John Taylor; 2. Western Auto. Best Horse and Rider, Kathy

Added feature of the parade was the miniature model of the F111A jet plane from General Dynamics in Fort Worth. The plane was secured by Bill Funk, G.D. employee, and son-in-law of Mr, and Mrs. Fred Rainwater, and is on display

Peak crowds are expected to be at City Park.

in Hico Friday and Saturday for Although not as large as in some the remaining two programs dur- years past, the parade was very ing the 80th Annual Old Settlers colorful and quality of floats and other entries was exceptional.

Tuesday Night Dance

Wednesday afternoon at 6:30 with Another feature of this year's a large and beautiful street pa- celebration was the Tuesday night rade, officially opening the Re- street dance. An estimated 1,000 people converged on lower Main District Judge Truman E. Rob- Street to enjoy a three-hour proerts of Hamilton, former Hico re- gram of dancing and entertainment. sident, made the opening day ad- A huge success, the dance will probdress shortly before start of the ably become an annual affair in parade. Following his speech Major face of the tremendous response Donald D. Martin, Commanding Of- from those attending.

Friday Program

Entertainment Friday night will a light aircraft, started the parade | get underway at 8 p.m. when 29 rolling with two low passes down contestants will compete for Miss main street dispensing brightly col- Reunion titles. Eighteen are enterored smoke. This was the second ed in the junior division, and 11 in year that Major Martin has start- the senior division.

Saturday night will feature the traditional Old Fiddlers Contest, Mrs. Fred Rainwater, parade always a crowd pleaser and a feachairman, listed the following win- ture of the Reunion that draws the largest crowd of any of the four nights.

Church of Christ at Iredell Will Hold Gospel

Iredell Church of Christ has set August 1 through August 7 as dates for their Gospel Meeting. with the services to be held daily at 8 p.m.

Evangelist Johnny Richter of Cleburne will lead the services, and singing will be under the direction of Bro. A. H. Hall of Kopperl.

The congregation has extended an invitation to the public to attend.

Hico Coaches Making Plans For Coming Football Season

Lee released information this week practice skirmish." pertaining to the fast approaching grid season, which will be kicked off September 9 with a battle with the Glen Rose Tigers.

start the season, and is expecting a good turnout of candidates for the August 15 opening of practice. New assistant coach is Jimmie Ramage, who was slected to the position following the resignation of Jack Barnett. David Anderson retorns as junior high coach.

The coaching statf, expecting a good season, will have 15 lettermen refurning from last year's squad. In making the annoucement of start of practice sessions, Lee said "We need to get ready in a hurry becouse we have two scrimmages almunities team since it began opera- redy set with two fine Class A teams. The Tigers will go to Itasca August 26 for a session with the Wompus Cats, and old foe Meri-

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Pat White returned home Monday of this week from Fort Worth Rodger Meek, Steve Jones, Wayne not only the number of workers where he had been a patient in Ross, Henry Rushing and Mike Harris Hospital, He is reported to Christian. be doing just fine. Mrs. Wanda Lewis and children of Fort Worth accompanied him home.

> Tamara Lewis of Fort Worth is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat White.

Hico head football coach Robert, der will come here Sept. 2 for a

In addressing prospective team members. Coach Lee said "We are planning on fielding a B team if enough boys come out. If your name is on the accompanying list Lee, who served as head coach of candidates and you do not inlast year, has a new assistant to tend to play, please let me know. Or if your name is not on the list and you plan to come out, get in touch with me. We are looking forward to a very successful season. In order to achieve this, every boy needs to take it upon himself to be ready, both physically and mentally, by the 15th of August starting time.'

Nine seniors, eleven juniors, seven sophomores, and six freshmen are on the list of expected candidates. The coaching staff released the following names of prospective candidates for the team:

SENIORS: Dwain Gray, Barry Polk, Alan Royal, Gary White, Jim Bill Lackey, Jack Gilliland, Danny Jenkins, James Barnett and Ronnie

JUNIORS: Howard Srader, Jody Littleton, Joe Tooley, Mike Reeves, Steve Knudson, Joe Scott,

SOPHOMORES: Mike Sutton. Dennis Polk, Lee Crites, Jim Wolfe, Carl Lamb, Brad Braune and Billy

FRESHMEN: Rusty Cryer, Barry Christian, Frank Bonner, Butch

Stearman. Cagle, Billy Ramey and Neil Wade.

County Economic Base Report Is Being Compiled By TEC

sion's Smaller Communities team will begin work in Hico on a Hamilton County resources inventory for use in developing and attracting industry, Bruce Slaughter, Civic Club president announced this week. "A mobile team of interviewers, test administrators, clerical help, and a labor market analyst will work out of a central office here as they develop information on the human, natural, educational, transportation, and other resources to be compiled into a Hamilton Coun-

Civic Club to Meet

Hico Civic Club regular meeting will be held next Wednesday at the usual place and time. All members are urged to attend.

The Texas Employment Commis- | ty Economic Base Report," Slaugh-

James Moore, TEC's team supervisor, was in Hico last Wednesday to make preliminary plans for the project, which is expected to take from 60 to 90 days. Hamilton County is the 15th Texas county to be served by the TEC Smaller Com-

"The heart of the Economic Base Report is the human skills inventory, since it will 'prove up' the presence of the manpower needed to successfully attract industry into the area," Moore explained.

TEC interviewers will enumerate available in the county but also their experience and aptitudes. Tests will be administered only on a voluntary basis when needed to establish occupational classifica-

Additional information will be submitted at a later date.

Items of Interest From Iredell . .

Mrs. Erma Brock of Floydada, Miss Belinda Becker of Slaton, and Miss Karen Sue Reinke of Belton were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Nellie Davis.

Mrs. W. C. Harris and Ruth accompanied her mother, Mrs. Cranfill of Clairette, to Three Rivers where they visited in the homes of Mrs. C. W. Woods and Mrs. C. Valentine and families, daughters of Mrs. Cranfill.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brit Ogle were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ogle, Linda, Kathy, Bobby and Larry of

Mr. and Mrs. Al Rust of Bloomington, California were recent visitors in the homes of Mrs. Kate Chaffin and Mrs. Ila Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jackson were recent visitors in Oklahoma in

future!

flers Installed.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tidwell were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Mary Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harris and Ruth were weekend visitors in Fort Worth in the home of his

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Evans of Marlin were weekend visitors in the homes of Mrs. W. E. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gosdin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders were recent visitors in San Angelo and attended the rodeo there. Their grandchildren were contestants in

Mr. Charlie Tidwell is a patient in the Hico City Hospital. Other patients from Iredell in the Hico Hospital are Mr. W. E. Boyd Sr. and Mrs. Nola Wingren.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sanders and David of Fort Worth were re-

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and Mrs. Jack Sanders. Mrs. Sanders accompanied them to San Antonio and other points of interest for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Smith and Johnnie were weekend visitors in Corpus Christi.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Porter, daughter and family, and Miss Jessie Snelson of Yuma, Arizona.

Mrs. Mae Linch will accompany her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Linch of Glen Rose, to Lawton, Oklahoma where she will visit

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Golden of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden. They all spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Coffelt of near Meridian.

Miss Marsha Groff of Winslow,

Iredell Services Held For Mrs Emma Tidwell, Longtime Resident

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Tidwell of Iredell were conducted last Friday morning at 10 o'clock in Iredell Methodist Church, with Rev. Dale Yant and Rev. Lige Jackson officiating.

Mrs. Tidwell passed away Thursday, July 21 at Hico Nursing Home, where she had been residing the past 16 months.

She was born May 13, 1888 in Bosque County, and was the daughter of the late A. and Mary Liptrot Thornton. She had lived her entire life in Bosque County, and was a member of Iredell Methodist

Survivors include her husband, Joe F. Tidwell of Iredell; one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Williams of Meadow; one son, Ralph Tidwell of Dumas; four sisters, Mrs. Kate Dean of Bellaire, Mrs. Bettie Howell of Weatherford, Mrs. Ethel Dean of Cleburne, and Mrs. Mamie Edwards of Walnut Springs; one brother, John Thornton of Hico; also five grandchildren and seven great-

Burial was in Old Iredell Cemetery. Pallbearers were Jack Thornton, Lawrence Thornton, Alton Thornton, D. D. Tidwell, Bill Mc-Ckery and Artie Oxley.

Arizona has been the guest of Miss Linda Reed for two weeks.

A3c Jerry McPeek and Mrs. Mc-Peek, Mrs. Noble McPeek and Mrs. Ronnie Locker and Cindy were weekend visitors in Kilgore.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method to thank each one for the visits, floral offerings, food, and all kindness shown when our beloved wife, mother and sister passed away. Our prayer is that each of you may receive God's blessings.

Joe F. Tidwell Mrs. Hazel Williams and family Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tidwell and family

Mrs. Mamie Edwards Mrs. Kate Dean

Bettye Howell

Ethel Dean

John Thornton.

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COUNTY **AGENT REPORTS**

You might ask "Why do we need a special week to remind us to practice safety?" Accidents kill more than 8,000 farm residents each year, and an additional 700,000 or more are victims of disabling injuries. Farm Safety Week comes at a time of the year when farm people are actively involved in all

phases of farm work, an ideal time to check the safety of farm equip-

Much can be said about farm safety, especially machinery safety since machinery accidents kill more farm people than any other type of accidents. But I would like to draw your attention to the second major killer on farms-drownings. This is the number one farm accident killer of young people.

Although there are more farm ponds every year, the deaths due to drowning have remained about 370 annually with only a slight decrease in the last three years. This does not include deaths due to drowning in the home, swimming pool, or recreation areas. There has been a steady decrease in drownings of children under five years of age. A significant increase has occurred among those from 15-19 years of age.

All young people should join a swimming class. If you can already swim, learn to swim better. Here are some basic rules for swimming safety .Don't swim if you are chilled, overheated, over-tired. Don't swim during a storm, never dive into strange waters, be accompanied by a boat if you are going to swim a long distance, know your ability and don't try to show off.

All farm ponds that are used for swimming should have a rescue station. All that is required is an 8-foot pst, a life preserve or inner tube attached to a rope. The rope should be long enough to reach half way across the pond. Since accidents are caused, they can be prevented. In 9 of 10 accidents the causes involve both man and environment. Man sets the accident stage by things he does or doesn't do; at the same time, certain conditions around him exist that bring on the accident.

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from a smal boy to l this community, being

of sadness fell over this of years, and their sons, Glen and communities early R. S. Jr. attended Fairy School. was received that Back in the early turn of this cen-(Rob) Hutton of Hico had tury we can remember the father. away about 5 a.m. in Hico W. J. Hutton and members of his Rob had been in failing family walking to Fairy to attend past several years, and church, always with his Bible ununexpected. He | der his arm. It was a distance of

The Hutton family was neighbors the late Mr. and Mrs. of our parents, the W. T. Newman Hutton. Rob was another of family, for many years and we w ex-students and one we have always felt very close to the heard anything against. In W. J. Hutton children. Their chilanhood he was married to dren and our children were also e Crawford. They resided very close friends. Rob is now at ommunity for a number rest and free from his suffering,

one and a half miles.

dren are with him. He expected to undergo major surgery. We wish for him the best of luck.

Little Nancy Brummett underwent a tonsilectomy in the Stephenville Hospital last Friday. She was returned home Saturday and is recovering, but we feel sure it must be a rough ordeal and am glad the

Mrs. Myrtle Enger of Brady and her son. Dorsey Enger of Corpus Christi spent the weekend in our home, and also visited with other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bolstad, D'Ann and Glenn of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson and Jerry, and in the P. L. Cox home.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. Enger and his mother and the writer drove down to Cranfills Gap where we visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Anderson, where relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hans Enger had gathered for a kinfolks reunion. Of the seven married children of the Enger family, six of the families were represented. Relatives had driven to the Sunset Home in Clifton for August Enger, who is in a wheel chair following a stroke sometime back. August was 85 on April 17 and he and Mrs. Myrtle Ted Arrant. They spent the fol-Enger are the last two surviving lowing day in the home of her sismembers of the Enger children and ter, Mr. and Mrs. Coston Ammons in-laws, Mrs. Enger being the wi-

and has paid the debt we all must dow of the late Otto Enger. Some ers and Janice. pay. May God bless and comfort of the relatives present had never the bereaved family at this dark met Dorsey Enger. Those present Fairy and their two daughters and fied. time of sorrow. May He help them were Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Anderto understand not our will be done, son, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Anderson of Cranfills Gap, sons and their We are sorry to report the serwives of the late Mrs. Christena ious illness of several of our citi-Enger Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mickelson, son and wife of zens and former citizens. the late Mrs. Carolina Enger Mick-Mrs. Ernest McCov was carried elson; Mr. and Mrs. Samuelson. to the Hico Hospital Sunday, sufdaughter of the late Mrs. Alma fering from a severe heart attack. Enger Jenson, the latter two coup-She has been under oxygen since les of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. entering the hospital. We hope to Ernest Enger and daughter and one hear soon that she is improving and of his widowed sisters, who were will soon be able to return home. son and daughter of the late Mr. Ercy Parks was taken to Harris and Mrs. Emmie Enger; Mrs. Myr-Hospital in Fort Worth Monday. tle Enger and Dorsey, and the writ-His wife and several of their chil-

er. The ladies served cake, cookies, iced tea and coffee to those present. There was one other gentleman present whose name we failed to get. All had an enjoyable time reminiscing of the past and viewing family portraits. August seemed to enjoy the get-together so much. The children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Chris Enger lived on the Plains near Lubbock and were un-

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prinz and daughters, Kay and Karel of Fort Worth brought her mother, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham home Friday night and spent the weekend here. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Arrant and family of Fort Worth who also visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant. Kay and Karel Prinz remained for a visit with their grand-

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Arrant and family of Dallas visited with day his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant during the weekend. Their eldest son, Michael, remained for a

Mrs. Jettie Shepherd of Vincent and daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Mc-Guffin of New Mexico visited Monday, July 11 in the home of Mrs. Shepherd's brother, Mr. and Mrs. of Stephenville, the 12th being the 80th birthdate of Mrs. Ammons.

Mrs. H. S. Pitts of Stephenville is still a patient in the Stephenville Hospital, and was expected to undergo major surgery Tuesday. We wish for her a spedy recovery. The Pitts formerly resided here, she being the former Ora Abel.

While in Cranfills Gap Sunday we were sorry to learn that Mrs. Allie Shepherd had received a broken leg recently. She was washing the family car and stepped upon a foot stool to wash the top of the car and fell as she started to step down. We believe the report said she had returned home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner spent the weekend in Houston where they visited in the homes of his two sis ters and a brother, who were Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Lawson, Mrs. Nora Pruitt and Mr. L. J. Turner. They were accompanied from Killeen by their daughter and son and family, Miss Bernice Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner and Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Mildred Sumpter and son of Fort Worth visited Sunday with her mothere, Mrs. P. L. Cox and Mr. Cox.

Mrs. George Witzel and other members of her family of near Lerov visited Tuesday of last week with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Cox and Mr. Cox.

Mrs. V. H. Heyroth of Clifton visited here Monday morning in the home of the writer and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover, and to be with her sister, Mrs. Enger and Dorsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl King visited during the weekend at Ballinger with their mothers, Mrs. Edna King and Mrs. Midgley and other rela tives. Mrs. King is slowly improving from a broken hip.

Darwin Hoover and son, Peter Jameson of Daly City, Calif. who have been visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover, started their return trip home by car early Saturday. They arrived home about 9 p.m. Sunday night. They came down by train, but returned by car which Darwin purchased while here.

Jimmie Don Sellers of Arlington spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sell

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families, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Dowdy and Derrick and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton and children of Fort Worth spent from Saturday to Monday sightseeing in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Becky spent Wednesday night of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks. They were joined by a sister and family, the Earl Kavanaughs of near Hamilton for a trip to the Colorado Riv-

Mrs. Vance Wadlington has been a patient in the Hico Hospital for the past few days. We hope she is soon improved and able to return

Several from this community were in Hico Thursday of last week to attend funeral services for Mr. Odis Petsick, and all extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved wife and other relatives who mourn his passing. Another of Hico's much needed and hard to replace citizens

Mrs. Selma Agee and Paul of Hamilton visited Monday in the home of the writer.

We received about .4 inch of rain late Sunday, which cooled the air. We hope to get more before the chances vanish.

More cleanup work will be done at the cemetery in the next few days. Our sincere thanks to Cliff Tinkle of Hamilton for a donation of \$10 for the cemetery which he handed us at the cemetery Mon-

As the Hico Reunion nears, may all keep in mind thieves are plentiful this day and time. Protect your valuables, lock your cars, or try to park them where you can check them. Use every precaution to avoid accidents. If you find lost

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyne of place where the owner may be noti-

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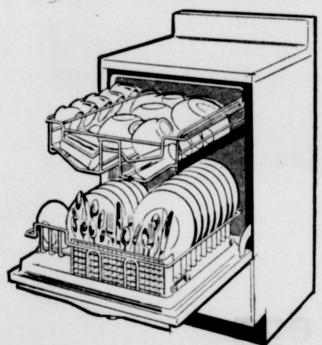
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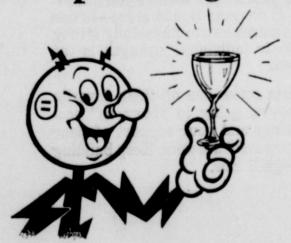
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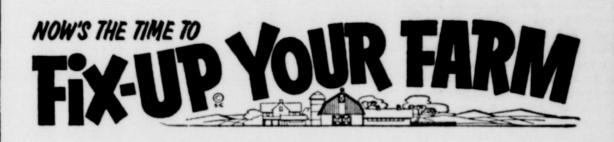
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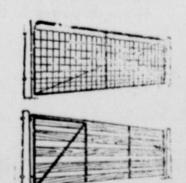
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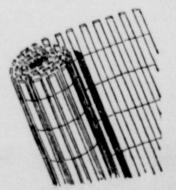
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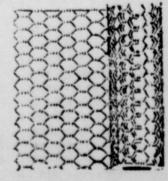
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★ Profile of A City---In 1908

ten in 1908 by E. A. Heath, publisher of the News Review, for a special "trades edition".)

When one writes of his home town his pride is pardonable if he paints a lurid picture, interwoven with imagination and glowing prospects which apparently rise in huge proportions on the horizon. However, we have striven throughout this edition to closely adhere to facts, plain, simple and accurate, and when we assume the pleasure of placing before you a sketch of the past and present Hico, accompanying it down the years of its progress from the village to the city, we will strive to pick out those points which will more aptly paint to you a picture of progress and reality, rather than one of boom advancement and a final collapse.

AME Ungular wwir Or rice, mai Duricus mom winch the present city has grown and expanded, was located on Honey Creek, a most picturesque and historical stream, upon whose panks many incidents nave transpired which have caused me history of this section to teem with vivianess among the historic archives of her sisters, and the little village was situated some two miles from the present site. The original town was tounded before the Civil War, about the year 1856.

The incident which caused the present town to abandon its original site and move en masse to this location was due to a proposition which was laid before the people by the Texas Central Railroad which builded here in 1880. The officials of this road proposed that the people of the town move to the railroad instead of the railroad moving to them, owning to the fact that the location of the tracks was far more advantageous and more centrally located than it would be on the banks of Honey Creek. The proposition was submitted to the citizens and accepted and on November 11, 1880 the railroad company held the first sale of town lots on the present site, the first purchase being made by J. C. Huchingson and brother, the lot being the same as now occupied by Wm. Connally & Co., the consideration being \$155. In pursuance with their agreement with the railroad company the citizens of the old town immediately began to perfect arrangements for the removal of their houses and property to their new location, and the town had gained a population of some five hundred souls. Since that time, owing primarily to the central location and advantageous shipping facilities the town has grown to its present porportions.

As a natural consequence of the steady and substantial growth of the town, the citizens began to agitate incorporation, and in the year 1883 the town was incorporated, the boundaries extending one half mile in every direction from the Texas Central depot. The election for incorporation was held on the 28th day of July, 1883, and certified to by the county judge, Hon. J. G. W. Pierson, on the 30th day of the same month, who there declared the town incorporated, and you can find it entered upon the records of Hamilton County court, book 3, page 87.

As the years rolled by and those who were denizens of the frozen north, the over populated east, and the drouth stricken west became cognizant of the advantages which were awaiting them here they abandoned their worn out farms and came to the new country. The growth wos gradual, steady, substantial. There was no boom that floated as a balloon and then burst to wreck lives and fortunes, but those who came saw like those before them and began to induce by a fair and unbiased presentation of the conditions which obtained to pursuade their friends and relatives to come. As a result the census for 1892 showed undisputably that the town had a population exceeding 1000 and the city council, alive to the needs of the rapidly growing city, in regular session, unanimously voted to accept the provisions of Title 17. Article 340b of the Revised Statutes, in lieu of the existing charter, thus elevating Hico to the eminence of a city.

As a natural sequence to the incorporation of the town there were many men called to fill the various public offices. We would be pleased to give them, but history has failed to record many of them, and others have been lost in the oblivion of the past and their names are insecurable. However, the recds show that the following gentle-

The following story was writ-, men filled the mayor's office for identified with the city or residents to the upbuilding and progression the terms designated: Wm. Hender- of it, they being Captain J. C. of his city. son, one term; T. B. Mothershead, Huchingson, who served all four one term; W. L. Ballard, one term; of his terms, and J. P. Rodgers, from her swaddling clothes to those J. C. Huchingson, two terms; F. who served two terms. Hon. W. M. of the more modern dimensions. He is still an active practioneer in H. Snider, two terms; Danial Pin- Whitmire, the present mayor, has The city's citizenship was limited on this city. gree, four terms; J. P. Rodgers served less than one year, but he account of the boundaries being two terms; J. C. Huchingson, two has amply demonstrated that he too limited and the city council was negro is a very perplexing probterms. Of all these representative was the man for the place and has

citizens, but two, are at present given a great portion of his time



Time went on and the city grew called upon to act. On June 4, 1894 ample room was afforded those tage to a city, as we all know. who desired to locate and partake of the city's advantages.

very peculiar one, many calling it with a long "i" which is wrong. It is pronounced the same as "Highko." The city was christened by Dr. J. R. Alford, one of the first men to settle in the new town, and was given the name in honor of the town from which he came in Kentucky.

To we of the Southland where the lem, there is an advantage about they passed an ordinance increas- Hico which we would impress uping the city limits to take in what on prospective residents. It is that is known as the Cox-Weaver addi- there is an unwritten law that no tion, and on August 5, 1901, a simi- negroes be allowed to reside in lar ordinance was passed taking in the city. There are none here now what is known as the Grubbs ad- and it remains for the future to dition. This increased the city's di- determine whether there ever will mensions to such an extent that be. This is a very material advan-

We have given you above but a brief summary of the transpira-That greatest of all devastators, tions which have blended together fire, has caused the city several to make Hico a city and to place set backs, and the citizens to feel her upon a foundation of sound that their efforts for the founding financial and social prestige. She of a great city were in vain. In has hustling citizens, alive always the fall of 1890 a conflagration con- to the demands of the times and sumed the entire east side of Pe- who by united effort and a spending can Street burning a majority of of their money have caused her to the finest buildings in the city. become a city of substantial and Then a few weeks after this scourge stately business houses and a mecwas visited upon the people another ca for traders from the farm and fire of equal ferocity and damag- | marts of trade. We invite you to ing character razed the west side become one of us, assuring you to the ground, destroying the bu- that we will use every endeavor siness portion of the city. This was to make your way rosy and prosenough to discourage the most perous and to place before you all bouyant but the spirit that has made the advantages which may be found Hico the leading one of this section in a first class city in the western manifested itself and from the ruins | country. Land is cheap now, though the present city rose phoenix like. it has been and is advancing, and Other fires have occurred to retard the flow of immigration is prying the city's growth but they were of the price up. If you have the faintminor importance compared to est idea of coming to this country to settle write any real estate man If you lived here you would be and he will tell you the facts as surprised at the amount of specula- presented here and assist you to tion which has occurred anent the find a home among a people who naming of the city. The name is a are thrifty, happy and prosperous.

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ecent Ceremony

ding Vows Repeated

Peggy Henderson, daughter

became the bride of Don

ater, son of Mrs. Marie Rain-

and Milton Rainwater of

Saturday evening, July 2 in

anctuary of First Baptist

R. E. Tatum read the

ring ceremony at 7 o'clock.

bride was attired in an em-

satin, had a scoop neckline

ng fitted sleeves which taper-

petal points over the hands. arried an orchid bouquet sur-

in miniature carnations.

and Mrs. Alton Rainwater,

and uncle of the groom, at-the couple as matron of hon-

d best man. Mrs. Rainwater

a two-piece maroon dress,

imented with a corsage of

newly wed couple are mak-

home in Hico, where he

wed at Sherrard's Grocery.

Rainwater is a spring grad-

of Hico High, and Mr. Rain-

JENKINS AND DANNY

also attended Hico High

CALIFORNIA VACATION

V. H. Jenkins and son, Dan-

ave returned home following

day vacation to points of in-

Hollywood, Beverly Hills,

isco and Palo Alto, California,

in Palo Alto they visited

carnations.

and Mrs. J. B. Cunning-

ned of white lace and satin, fitted lace bodice, underlined

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day and family. They found Holladay to be doing unusualell for his condition. Chicago they visited with Miss

W. D. Murray of Albuquer-New Mexico returned home relatives and friends.

Tea Shower Held in Jernigan Home Honors Miss Margo Wolfe

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UB and SOCIETY PAGE

A tea shower honoring Miss Margo Wolfe, bride-elect of Johnny Woody, was given last Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bernel Jernigan.

Co-hostesses for the courtesy were Mrs. N. N. Akin, Mrs. J. B. Wooton, Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mrs. Ed Black, Mrs. Fred Jaggars, Mrs. Melvin Henderson and Mrs. Glenn Higginbotham. Mrs. Don Jernigan served as hostess in the absence of Mrs. Bernell Jernigan.

Mrs. Akin received the guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Woodroe Wolfe, and Mrs. Homer Woody of Iredell, grandmother of the prospective

Mrs. Marvis Simpson of Odessa, aunt of the honoree, presided at the guest register.

The honoree's chosen colors of pink and white were featured in table decorations. A white lace cloth underlined in pink covered the table and was centered with an arrangement of pink gladiolus, flank-

ed by white tapers. Miss Nellye Wolfe, sister of the honoree, and Miss Nancy Davis

presided at the tea table. Approximately 90 guests called or sent gifts during the appointed

hours of 2:30 to 4 p.m. Out of town guests attending were Mrs. Doby Hutton of Cranfills Gap; Mrs. Clancey Blue of Hamilton; Mrs. Wallace Edwards of Clifton; and Mrs. Marvis Simpson of Odesssa, all aunts of the honoree. Also Mrs. Homer Woody Monica, Universal City, San of Iredell, grandmother of the prospective groom, Mrs. Arthur Woody and Mrs. Roy Gosdin of Iredell aunts of the prospective groom, and home of Rev. and Mrs. Otis Mrs. Loyal Carr, also of Iredell.

Mrs. Jerry Needham, Hal and Trina of Cleburne returned home with Mr. Needham this past weekine Jenkins, sister of Mr. Jen- end, following a week's visit in of 21 inches in width for each perthe homes of Mr. and Mrs. Rex El- son. To determine the length of a lis and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Need- straight counter, simply multiply

and Mrs. L. C. Cook.

School of Missions for Cen-Tex Conference Held at Georgetown

The School of Christian Missions of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Church was held July 16-17 at Southwestern University in Georgetown.

"Christian Being and Doing" was theme of the study, which was under the direction of Mrs. Agnes Mc-Duffy, Conference Chairman of Missionary Education and Service.

Mrs. Fay Johnston of Fort Worth.

Conference Secretary, presided ovwere Miss Irene Nixon, formerly of Georgetown, and Missionary in Chihuahua, Mexico since 1919, and Miss Oma Gee, formerly of Acton, near Granbury, who is now serving as Counselor and English Mission School in Farmington, New ents. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones.

Those representing the Wesleyan Service Guild of Hico were Mrs. George Griffitts, Mrs. S. W. Everett and Mrs. A. H. Lackev.

Mrs. Baley Hostess to Friday Bridge Club Members Last Week

Mrs. Charles Baley was hostess in her home last week when she entertained members of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Party snacks were served during the afternoon.

Those present were Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. Jimmie Ramage, Mrs. Harold Walker, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Charles Dayton and Mrs. M. I. Knudson.

Following bridge play, Mrs. Ramage was winner of high score and Mrs. Hafer won second high.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gage were Mr. Mrs. Bill Head of Cleburne, er the meetings. Guest speakers Mrs. Susie Salmon of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Griffin and son of Bluff Dale and Deward Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones, Waynette and Don Kay of Big Lake visited from Wednesday until Satteacher at the Navajo Methodist urday of last week with his par-

> Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chadwick and family of Ganado were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Seal.

On the Home Range

By SONDRA KOONSEN Home Demonstration Agent

Is your family planning to build | age behind each seated person,

Can your family easily use such height are uncomfortable for preschoolers and senior citizens. If

Next, how much space is required? You should alow a minimum 21 inches, Remember that L-shapand Miss Nettie Wieser, and home of Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Crow people to sit at the counter with an adequate amount of room for pass-

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an eating counter in your kitchen Research studies indicate that a for casual meals and snacks? Be- minimum of 44 inches is needed before you add the counter, look at tween the front edge of the countboth your family and your kitch- er and the nearest wall or solid ob-

Are there other places for your a facility? Eating counters at stool family to dine? The number of dining areas needed depends on your family's pattern of serving fayour family has either age group, mily and guest meals. Most faconsider a chair height counter milies want at least one meal each which is more comfortable for all day to be a time for relaxation and arranged so that it is not difficult

comfortable for a person seated in a chair of average height. Allow A stool height counter should be Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cook of ed counters require additional space 36 inches high. And allow at least with her aunts, Mrs. Ida Tun- Rule were weekend visitors in the at the turn. And allow space for 14 inches of knee space for a stool

> ed, be sure to wash the gasket around the lid or door with warm soap or detergent suds. Then rinse and wipe dry. This seal must be clean in order to remain airtight.

> To keep marble lustrous, experts recommend wetting the surface with clean water, then washing it with soap or detergent suds. Apply the suds with a wad of lamb's wool, a sponge, or a lint-free cloth. Rinse thoroughly, and use a soft dry cloth to buff the marble to a gloss.

> When hot weather gets you down and you really don't feel like standing over a hot stove, here is the perfect dessert delight-watermelon.

What could provide a more refreshing lift than a big slice of icy cold watermelon? And right now you have the best of mid-summer crop to choose from - red firmfleshed melons, ready to tempt the taste buds.

While supplies are plentiful and the price is right, you'l want to keep the refrigerator well stocked with watermelons so there's plenty for the whole family.

Now the question is to pick a ripe one. Despite anything you may have heard or seen, "thumping" a watermelon is generally not too helpful. USDA watermelon experts say thumping can be an extremely misleading way to judge ripeness.

When buying a whole watermelon. the surest way to determine its ripeness is the traditional method of cutting a plug out so you can see the flesh and test the taste. However, your groceryman may frown on this taste and see test.

But there are some outside indications of the ripeness within. Ripe melons, for instance, have a symmetrical shape and a velvety bloom, with a dull rather than shiny surface. Also, the underside of a ripe watermelon is apt to be turning from white or pale green to a light-yellowish color.

Watermelons are ideal to take along on that picnic. Remember when you bring out the watermelon, you bring out smiles. Serve ripe. red watermelons often.

MRS. DUNCAN AND LINDA **ENJOY ILLINOIS VACATION**

Mrs. Buster Duncan and Linda enjoyed a vacation trip to Quincy, Illinois last week. They traveled by train from Dallas, and enroute had a one-day lay-over in St. Louis, Mo. where they enjoyed a sightseeing tour of the city.

Upon their arrival at Quincy, they were joined by Mr. Duncan, who is on a construction job there. During their visit they had the pleasure of staying in the Lincoln-Douglas Hotel where the beautiful young ladies that were contestants in the Miss Illinois beauty pageant were also staying.

While there they also enjoyed sight-seeing trips along the Mississippi River. Mrs. Duncan and daughter returned to Dallas by Central Airlines Monday, and returned home Monday night.

Mrs. Helen Walker of Waco was a Sunday visitor in the home of her mother and sister, Mrs. G. C. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheek.

GRAVESIDE SERVICES FOR GRANDSON OF LOCAL COUPLE HELD AT MORGAN MILL

Graveside services for James Conway Senter, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Senter of Morgan were conducted Saturday, July 23 at 2 o'clock at Morgan Mill Cemetery. Rev. Ronnie Fox, Baptist minister, officiated.

The baby passed away July 22 at 11 p.m. at Hico City Hospital, following birth there July 21.

Survivors include his parents; one sister, Mrs. Judy Ann Steward of Fort Worth; a brother, Melvin Senter of Morgan Mill; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Howerton of Hico; and maternal grandmother, Mrs. Letha Senter of

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neel and baby of Lubbock were visitors this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook returned home this week following a vacation trip to Colorado.

BABY SON FOR LIGHTS

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Light of Waco are proud parents of a baby son, born July 20 at Hico City Hospital. The little lad weighed 8 lbs and 3% ounces, and has been named Rickey Wayland. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harris of Hico and Mrs. Willie Light of Crawford. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ferguson of Hico, and great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Pruitt of Ire-

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baley, Jeannie and Chuck were Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ball of Asperment and Cheryl Baley of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Raymond Lane, David, Lynn and Diana of Houston were Sunday Raymond Lane and children of Mrs. Charles Tolliver and Lynette. Herod home.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Loyd and family were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oakley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Culipher, Karrie and Michael and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oakley, Lori and Sheila, all of Wichita

Mr. and Mrs. Don Burgan, Mark and Charles of Hurst were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spinks. Mrs. Burgan and sons remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. L. J. Holley, Lettie Joe and Jame of Waco were visitors Tuesday of last week in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Lane. They, all visited at Duffau with Mr. and and Mrs. Lester Herod and Mrs. visitors in the home of Mr. and Houston who are visiting in the



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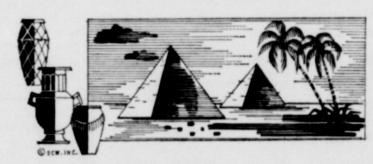
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few years mesquite, one of the most widespread and troublesome present in poor condition grasslands Brush is the number one prob- species, has increased and is pres- not only in occupying land that lem on Texas grasslands today, and ent on almost every farm in Ham- should be growing grass but it is this is true in the Hamilton-Cor- ilton County, and it is growing also stealing the ranchers' soil and

The increase of worthless brush

industry in this area by robbing to livestock men and conservation- that mesquite trees use about 1,725 ranchers of their soil, water and ists. Less than 25 percent of the pounds of water to grow one pound plant resources. Hundreds of acres grassland in this area now have of dry matter. Sideoats grama, of grazing land are now so heavily as much as half of the good for- found around Hico and Hamilton, infested with woody plants that age plants that made this livestock uses only about 705 pounds of water production of nutritious forage is producing area that it has been. It per pound of dry matter. greatly reduced, making the range is estimated that 30 to 35 percent unprofitable for livestock grazing. have less than one-fourth of the A survey of Texas brush made original good forage plants remainby the Soil Conservation Service ing. Many ranges in poor condition shows that 82 percent of Texas once are not producing enough forage for luxuriant grasslands are now infest- profitable livestock production. ed with one or more low-value or Livestock operators cannot afford worthless plants. One hundred sev- grassland in poor condition. A poor enty-five thousand acres of Ham- condition range, having less than ilton County rangeland is so densley 25 percent of the good forage covered and the grass so suppressed plants, is a "sick" range. So little pected without reduction of the duced that it isn't paying its way.

water resources. Brush plants have tremendous root systems and are

and weeds use about 550,000 acre

Brush ranges are nearly always in a drought condition because the more vigorous brush is using most of the water that gets into the soil er good range plants.

Livestck producers make money that little improvement can be ex- high quality forage is being pro- by selling grass in the form of animal products. It seems that the ers. brush competition. Furthermore, High feed bills, death losses, and more livestock we have the more the brush is increasing in spite of low gains are robbing the rancher profit we make. This is not neces- agement is to restore or maintain maintain high animal production

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

Brother J. W. Jordan Sr.

who died June 21, 1966.

ONCE again a Brother Mason,

having completed the designs writ-

ten for him on life's trestle board,

has passed through the portals of

Eternity and entered the Grand

Lodge of the New Jerusalem and

hath received as his reward the

white stone with the new name

AND WHEREAS, the All-wise and

Merciful Master of the Universe

has called from labor to refresh-

ment our beloved Brother, and he

having been a true and faithful

member of our beloved Order.

RESOLVED, that the charter of



BRUSH CONTROL-A bare range is ideal for the spread of unpalatable woody and weedy invaders. This range was once open rangeland with only a few scattered trees. Cliff Fowler, present owner of the R. L. Gan-

well-fed plants are the best produc-

The goal of good grassland mansarily true. Well-fed livestock, like production of the maximum amount through the years.

naway farm about 4 miles west of Hico on the Little Gilmore Creek, will clear out all the brush on this large area of rangeland and plant it to coastal bermuda grass. Fowler is in the middle in the photo.

of high quality forage each acre is capable of growing, to make efficient use of that forage, and to

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hoffman of

die Naul of Stephenville visited

with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul dur-

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach at-

tended the ball game at Stephenville

Friday night, and watched their

The Hico Fire Department was

called to extinguish a grass fire

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie

nephew, David Martin, play.

Volkman Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mayfield and nie, Sunday. children of Fort Worth, Mrs. Inez Herod of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cavitt and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Festel Elkins Jonesboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dan Cavitt and children of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Granbury visited with Mrs. Annie Cavitt during the weekend.

Mrs. Paul Auther and daughter of Garland, Troy Mayfield of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayfield and children of Fort Mrs. J. R. Stringer, Worth and Mrs. Ruby Wilmoth and sons of Burleson visited with Mr. We wish for him a speed

and Mrs. T. W. Mayfield and Billy Gueterriz of Miner

is visiting with his grand and Diane Sumrall of For visited with Mr. and Mrs.

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Mrs. Fieldon Haley and Curtis a bit after the mid-afternoon rain came home for the weekend from Sunday. We had half an inch at my Pine Bluff, Ark.

Miss Ruth Ann Martin returned home recently from Girl Scout and 2 inches at the Wolfes. Camp at Lake Brownwood, and

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Erick of Fort Worth, Wesley Roberson of the past few days, but still is con-Everman and Miss Carolyn Wooton of Hico.

Several from this area attended the funeral services for Ira Wilson relatives. in Stephenville last Thursday aft-

Mrs. T. F. Hill and daughter were visitors at the Methodist and family Church Sunday morning. They live on the Clairette-Duffau road. They

Worth visited Saturday with Mrs. Alexander. Tuesday visitors in the brother our sincere condolence in day. Zena Havens.

place. North of Clairette at Burks Bird Farm they measured 2.7 inches

Charles Erick, who is employed has gone to Fort Worth to attend in Fort Worth spent the weekend summer school at Texas Wesleyan. at home, and was driving a bright

> We are glad to report Mrs. Herman Roberson is progressing good fined to her bed most of the time. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moody vi-

> Sterling City visited Sunday with his sister Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Hill

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barr of Fort visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hub er to the family of our deceased Mrs. Chester Land and sons Tues-Alexander home were James Den- their deep affliction and that a copy The atmosphere was cooled quite ton and a friend from Stephenville.

> Mack K. Taylor Sam C. Sharp (Committee)

Duffau Community News

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson of were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fort Worth visited with Mr. and H. H. Talley during the weekend. Mrs. Wilburn Templeton Sunday Seagoville and Mr. and Mrs. Fred-

Mrs. Susie Giesecke of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Golpinger and children of Assumption, Illinois were visitors at the Duffau Cemetery Tuesday

Don Terry and James Breedlove of Fort Worth spent the past week with Charles Volkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Power of Fort Worth visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley during the week.

We were sorry to learn that Hershel Williamson of Brownwood had suffered a heart attack. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Davis of Lancaster visited with Mr. and

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and chil-Mrs. Harry Brown of Arlington visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Myers and John of Fort Worth, Cynthia, Gala 14-ltc and Jeffrey Dale Briles of Bedford

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Meadows of Star visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Templeton Friday night. Miss Sandra Kay Elkins and Mr.

Burl Straton of Dublin were married Saturday at the Baptist Church in Dublin. They will make their home in Dublin for the present, where he is employed. We wish for

Mrs. Wilburn Templeton was a business visitor in Hamilton Tues-

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Templeton and sons of Burleson visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Templeton during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seay and children of Buckeye, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed and sons of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gueterriz and Billy of Mineral Wells visited with Mr. and Mrs. Festel Elkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod spent Sunday at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Roy Magee, who is a patient in the Alvarado Hospital following surgery last Saturday. We wish for her a speedy recov-

Sherry Dodson of Fort Worth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elray Davis and Mike during the weekend

Peggy Cavitt of Granbury is spending this week with Shelia WagAny Time ... Any Place...

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Mr. and Mrs. William Eubanks

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awhile Thursday night with Mr. and

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Olin Community News By MRS. CYRUS KING

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables. | Mrs. Murrell Ables. Alan and Mark, who had spent the past week with their grandparents, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt, Jerry Beth and Elaine were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henderson at Hico Wednesday ev-Batts or blown. Fuel consumption

> Sorry to report Mrs. Ollie Hale on the sick list.

Mrs. V. Dolkas and grandson, Joe Dolkas of Fort Worth are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Akard, James and Eloise. Mrs. Dolkas is Mrs. Akard's mother.

Mrs. Garland Parker and Mrs. Grace Bulman went to Waco after Lester. tractor parts Wednesday.

Sue James of Irving visited her ver the weekend.

Mrs. Shaw of Carlton spent Wedday with Mrs A C Odell Rev. and Mrs. James Schooley

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ables of Ev- | and David of Fort Worth were erman spent Sunday with his par- Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and

Mr. R. F. Lee, woh was operated on in the Hico Hospital, returned home Saturday and we are glad to weeks visiting in the home of her report him doing nicely. Larry Moreland and Scott. Three

Elton Samford of Round Rock came up Tuesdoy on business and visited awhile with his mother-in- by her husband but her many law, Mrs. A. C. Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp, Larry come her back. Scott returned and Marty of Hico were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patton, Barry, Robin and Lori of Stephenville visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dewell Chew and ill, spent from Wednesday until

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Trammell, are glad to know he is improving. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Garrett, and Mrs. Etta Basham and her son, parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James Misses Jesse Miller and Oran Joe Billie Joe of Los Angeles, Calif.

Ernest V. Meador

Bette J. Meador ...

Mrs. Joy Tolliver

J. T. Butler

Pool went to Six Flags Thursday who is visiting his mother, spent a during his recent illness and stay Mrs. R. F. McMurry of Evant spent Friday night with Mrs. J. H. Akard and family. Mr. Akard was

CARD OF THANKS

weeek from Clearwater. Florida We would like to express our thanks to all our friends and neighbors who remembered Mr. Lees 14-1tp. daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs.

"Fer years, I hired rainmakers to git some grass, now I'm gonna hafta

git a fire department to keep it!"

few days in Dallas with Mr. and in the hospital. The cards, gifts, Mrs. Edward Basham and children, visits and kind deeds were deeply Mark and Laura, and in Fort Worth appreciated, We also wish to thank with Mrs. Basham's brother and Dr. Dayton, Dr. McCord and the family, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Graves. entire hospital staff for their kindness and care.

By Ace Reid

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FORMER HICOAN-

'Last Run Roy' Calls It Quits

written by Val Corley of the Deni- Katy's final passenger train, the son Herald, is about a former Hico- Texas Special. an, son of the late Mr. and Mrs.

Roy Thomas Crist, who retired Denison four years ago. recently after 49 years with the "But I've worked in and out of tinction. He was brakeman on each Waco," Crist added. of the last three passenger trains | Crist's first job with the Katy discontinued by the Katy and made was as a laborer, but that didn't

between Waco and Houston on the fireman on a freight between Deni-Katy Flyer. Then he made the last son and Hillsboro. In those days it passenger train run between Waco was the job of the fireman to shov- coming back from a run with the and Denison by way of Fort Worth el coal continuously to keep up the leg of my trousers and the arm of on the Katy Bluebonnet. Finally he steam used to run the pre-diesel my hand singed with burns," Crist

COW POKES

(Ed Note: The following story, was aboard the last run on the

Crist's railroad career both start-George Crist, and brother of Ed ed and ended in Denison. He began Crist, who still resides here. It is working for the Old Texas Central, being re-printed as a matter of in- early branch of the Katy, in 1917 out terest to those who remember Roy of Denison and the 71-year-old brakeman was again transferred to

Katy Railroad, holds a dubious dis- here for 25 years while living in

last long. Affer three days on the He closed the last passenger run job he was transferred to a job as



DR. W. J. SHELTON

By Ace Reid

"I can remember many times

related. But Crist remained a fireman for only two years before he quit-spectacularly-late in 1919.

'The track from Dallas to Hillsboro is the only track that I know of that is uphill both ways," Crist began his explanation. "The old engineer I worked for kept blowing out the fire faster than I could get it going. We didn't have enough steam to blow the whistle."

"Coming into Bells, I got mad! I tossed my shovel, drinking cup, and water bucket into the firebox and told him he'd better have enough steam to get into Denison because I just quit. Funny thing, from Bells to Denison it built up enough steam to blow the top off."

A few months later when Crist went back to work for the Katy, he remembered how the brakeman would ride for miles and never have to get off the seat box. So he asked for a job as a brakeman, got it, and found there was more work to it than he had thought.

In earlier days, brakemen had it quite different from the modern brakeman, Crist remembers. "Why, we'de have several regular merchandise cars and would have to switch at every small town and unboard two or three items out of each car-barrels of sugar, barrels of syrup, half a hog or cow. And the brakeman had to do all the unloading. But for the past 10 years we haven't had a local car on a

Crist plans to hunt and keep up his lawn in Denison-as well as spend a lot of time with his greatgrandchildren.

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I wish to thank Dr. Dayton and the nursing staff for the wonderduring my recent stay in the hospital. Also the friends who showed interest in my recovery with their visits and kind deeds.

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"Normally much of the program Bible integrity in these critical Since 1914?" will be given,

materials is kept as a surprise to times. And one glance at the the delegates until they arrive, but ticular subject reveals it is this year we have been briefed on run-of-the-mill treatment of some of the subject matter so that ities, but a hard and factual 30,000 delegates at the August 3-7 we have our spiritual appetites

Emery cited the program feature, "Building on a Right Founda-According to W. H. Emery, the tion with Fire-Resistant Materials" local congregation received advance as an example. "Any Christian 7, when the public lecture program information this week. knows it is difficult maintaining Has God's Kingdom Been

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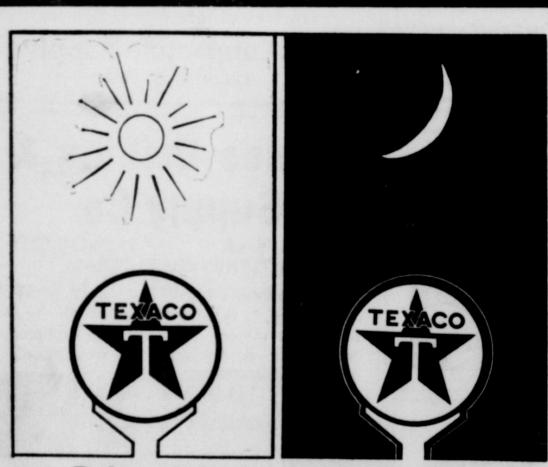


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