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Christmas Season to Be Kicked Off Here Friday

IREDELL DRAGONS IN FRIDAY BI-DISTRICT GAME AT MERIDIAN

The Iredell Dragons, who won their district six-man football championship, will meet the Strawn Greyhounds in a bi-district game to be played at Meridian Stadium Friday night, Nov. 28 at 7:30.

The Dragons defeated Tolar last Thursday night to cop the district title.

For the season, the Dragons have won six of the nine games played.

C. H. Mims is coach of the Dragons.

December P-TA Meet Is Monday

Hico Parent-Teacher Association will meet Monday evening, Dec. 1 at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Preceding the general meeting the Executive Council will meet in the Conference Room at 7 p.m.

Mr. Bill Wedemeyer, who is Director of Research and Education for Texas Farm Bureau, will be speaker for the evening.

The first grade, under the direction of Mrs. R. B. Jackson, will present the room program.

Local Merchants Offering \$365.00 in Cash Awards

Hico merchants will kick off their annual Christmas shopping season this Friday, November 28, when the popular Bonus Days program begins.

Participating merchants numbered 36 late Tuesday, with more expected to join in the free cash give-away before the week is out.

Featured this year will be a total of \$365.00 in cash, to be distributed over four drawing days.

Broken down, the cash awards will be presented as follows:

Saturday, December 6, \$75.00 total to five winners: First \$25; second \$20; third, fourth and fifth, \$10 each.

Saturday, December 13, \$85.00 total. First \$35; second \$20; third, fourth and fifth, \$10 each.

Saturday, December 20, \$90.00 total. First \$40; second \$20; third, fourth and fifth, \$10 each.

Last drawing will be held Wednesday, Dec. 24, when \$115.00 will be distributed, as follows: First \$50; second \$25; third \$20; and fourth and fifth \$10 each.

Merchants participating in the program are: Vernon Chew Station, Jim Jameson Mobil Oil, Casey Garage & Auto, H. H. Ross Texaco, Ogle Bros., Mayfield Sinclair, Blair's Hardware, Turner Feed Mill, Western Auto, Barnes & McCullough, Hico Motor Co., La-keey Feed Mill, O'Neal Gulf Station,

Hico Mobil Service Center, Koffee Kup Kafe, H&B Food Store, Hico News Review, Willard Leach Station, Toegen Feed Mill, Russell's Dry Goods, Cheek Furniture, Bees Mingus Dress Shop, Salmon-Ross Dept. Store, H. W. Sherrard Grocery, Hico Trading Post, Hyle's Dress Shop, Neel Truck & Tractor, Cozy Corner Cafe, Wilson Cleaners, First National Bank, Petsick Insurance Agency, Community Public Service, Randals' Store, Hico Confectionery, Barrow-Rutledge, Howard Drug.

Featured along with the extra dividend is the large selection of merchandise offered by Hico merchants.

Funeral Services Held Sunday Afternoon for Mrs. Talitha Jenkins

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 23, for Mrs. Talitha Belle Jenkins, 92, in the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Bro. Austin Emery officiating. Burial was in the Carlton Cemetery.

Mrs. Jenkins passed away Friday afternoon at 4:30 in Hamilton County General Hospital. She was born Aug. 10, 1877 in Cherokee County, Texas, daughter of J. R. and Jane McDonald Turrentine. She had lived in Hamilton the past 11 years as a resident of a nursing home, but was a long-time resident of the Altman community. She was a member of the Carlton Church of Christ. Mrs. Jenkins' husband preceded her in death Nov. 27, 1952.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Vernon Warren of San Antonio, Mrs. T. M. Hoggood of Lubbock, Miss Luzelle Jenkins of San Antonio, Mrs. Jim Stockton of Menard, and Miss Pauline Jenkins of Chicago, Ill.; three sons, Luther Jenkins of Fort Smith, Arkansas, Vernon H. Jenkins of Hico, and Leroy Jenkins of Houston; one sister, Mrs. Etta Brogan of Tyler; nine grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Palibearers were Sonny Christian, Ralph Turner, Woodard Brummett, J. B. Woodard, Donald Mayfield and Harold Walker.

Bingo Night Saturday At Country Club

Bluebonnet Country Club members and their guests will enjoy an evening of bingo games this Saturday night at the club.

Activities begin at 7 p.m., and all members are urged to be present.

Football and Band Favorites Presented Friday Evening

Miss Barbara Baley and Miss Gail Reynolds were presented as Football and Band Sweethearts Friday evening concluding the Hico-Gorman football game.

Miss Baley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baley, is a senior and served her class as cheerleader. She was escorted by Russell Cryer and presented flowers by Mike Ferguson.

Miss Reynolds, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Reynolds, is also a senior. She has been a band member for two years, transferring here from Valley Mills. She was escorted by Galen Lindsey and presented flowers by Benny Baley.

Miss Lavern Busby, also a senior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Vernon Busby, was first runnerup for football sweetheart. Miss Busby, head cheerleader, was escorted by Barry Christian and presented flowers by Eldon Black.

Miss Susan Knudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Knudson was second runnerup. A sophomore, Miss Knudson served her class as cheerleader. She was escorted by Reggie Grover and presented flowers by Jim Ferguson.

Assisting with the presentation were the Hico Band and Drill Team, under the direction of Miss Rebecca Sue Martin, drum major-ette.

Pictures of the winners and their escorts will be published next week.

Tigers Close Out 7-3 Season With 50-7 Loss to Gorman

Scoring twice in the first quarter, three times in the second period, and twice more in the third, Gorman's Panthers embarrassed a crippled Hico Tiger team 50-7 last Friday night at the local stadium.

Gorman set the stage early for the onslaught when they recovered a Tiger fumble on the second play of the game. They used only four

plays to go 31 yards for the TD, and followed with another counter on their next possession for enough points to win the game.

But with visions of a possible tie for the district crown, the Panthers kept pouring the coal to the Tigers, and when the final seconds ticked from the clock, the visitors had inflicted the worst defeat of the past couple of years on the home team.

However, the Panthers' vision was blurred, as Lometa did as expected and trounced Rising Star 32-12 for a clear title and the right to represent District 19-B in the playoffs. Lometa drew a bye this week in the first round, and will go to the regionals against a team from possibly 17-B.

Even in defeat, the Tigers compiled the best season record in more years than can be remembered, with the final mark showing seven wins and three losses. Available records fail to reveal just when a Hico team had a better record.

The Tigers were young this year, with only three seniors on the team. The coaches played the younger boys at every opportunity, and with experienced gained, Hico should be a contender in 1970.

Final Season Standings:

Lometa (9-1)	7-0
Gorman (8-2)	6-1
Rising Star (8-2)	5-2
Hico (7-3)	4-3
Meridian (4-6)	3-4
Evant (5-5)	2-5
Richland Springs (2-8)	1-7
Blanket (2-8)	0-7

Three Hico Students Present Program for Stephenville AAUW

Misses Barbara Baley, Rebecca Sue Martin, and Julia Patterson presented the November program for the American Association of University Women in Stephenville last Thursday evening.

The program presented by the Educational Committee was entitled "The New Look on Campus." Representing today's youth, the girls explained their commitment to action—"Action for America." Mrs. Thetis Wood of Stephenville was program chairman.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Robert Lee, accompanist for the girls, and AAUW members Mrs. Lamar Johanson and Mrs. Don Patterson.

MRS. BLACKSTOCK GRADUATES FROM FAMOUS ART SCHOOL

Mrs. A. T. Blackstock has recently graduated from the Famous Artists School of Westport, Conn. She specialized in fine arts painting during her three-year course with the home study school.

NR Subscription Rate Increase Effective December 1st

Newspapers, like other businesses, have felt the pinch of rising costs of all products used from week to week, and with this continuing rise, they are forced—like other merchants—to pass on a portion of this increase to the subscriber.

After careful study of all phases of the News Review's operations, the publisher decided that an increase in subscription prices was necessary to help meet these costs.

It has been the constant desire of the News Review to

maintain subscription prices to the bare minimum, but paper costs, postage, and other phases of the operation have forced an increase.

Effective December 1, 1969, subscription rates will be as follows:

Hico area, \$3.00 per year. Outside Hamilton, Bosque and Erath counties, \$4.00 per year.

Out of State, \$5.00 per year.

Understanding by present and future subscribers will be greatly appreciated.

TIGERS—Members of the Hico Tiger football team, compiled a 7-3 season and are shown here. Front row, left to right, Eldon Black, Roy Baley, Randy Canty, Bar-Christian, Galen Christian, Christian, Robert Scott,

Roy Edwards, and Ernest Shipman. Middle row, Alan Ross, manager, Wendell Bell, David Ashby, Jim Ferguson, Melvin Powers, Mike Ferguson, Galen Lindsey, and Chester Land, manager. Top row, Coach Jimmie Ramage, Reggie Grover,

Kenneth Woolsey, Rickie Jaggars, Rusty Cryer, Lee Ramage, Cecil Holley, Eugene Lindsey, and Head Coach Ed Pettitt. Some of the boys shown here were not on the team at end of season.

Just Talk . . .

By MARY JO PATTERSON

being Thanksgiving week, has been a busy one for us at News Review, with an early start to get out, and especially with Christmas shopping on and the Thanksgiving to fix, and also with this editor has—of course—contract it when the following to turn and distant that hazy look. Fortunately is a simple and effective remedy for this malady. It takes any from a day to a month, or to take effect, and the only needed are those the patient himself. Some are effective some are not, and of this date think the boss'es shots have mark.

are indeed thankful for all blessings we have in such abundance, and especially for our subscribers who read our paper. November and December has seemed the most popular months for renewing the home town paper past, and this year is proving no exception. I always enjoy writing with the subscribers when they call on the office.

B. McCampbell, a former who moved to Stephenville closer to his work, came by to renew his paper and Stephenville was alright but Hico people were hard to find I agree.

Johnson got so busy he had to note his expiration date on a paper or two, but back on the list.

Boyd couldn't remember subscription rate and called to inform her, and now she and family are fixed for another of hometown news.

In the spirit of the season, my wish is that your Thanksgiving will be blessed with all the good things of life.

said she mustn't dare let expire. The Hudsons are marked up for another year.

Mrs. A. B. Clark of Stephenville just napped one week too long and missed a paper before we got her check, a letter was enclosed that said, "We enjoy your paper very much and do not wish to miss it, as we like to hear about the many people of Hico who have been our friends for many years."

Mrs. Lola Pollard of near Carlton renewed her paper last Friday and said she had killed a big rattlesnake in her yard recently.

Mrs. S. J. Cheek had us mark her subscription up for another year. Somehow when you talk to Mrs. Cheek the conversation always gets around to cooking and eating. She is one of the best cooks in town, her son, S. J., who makes his home with her, is a walking example of that cooking.

Lee Partain of Clairette let his News Review expire awhile back. He came by and said he thought he would just get along without it but he said, "You know I miss that paper, so mark me up for another year." He lives in that attractive white frame home on the banks of Greens Creek. His well-kept lawn goes to the river, and makes you want to stop and go fishing.

Bob Walker let his paper run out also, and came in a fussin' and a rarin' but we got everything worked out when I put him back on the list.

If you happen to let your paper expire, come by the office and we will "Just Talk" awhile and get your name back on the mailing list.

In the spirit of the season, my wish is that your Thanksgiving will be blessed with all the good things of life.

Hico Florist Sets Open House Sunday

The public has been invited to an open house this Sunday at the Hico Florist and Greenhouse, from 1 until 5 p.m.

A wall-to-wall wonderland of colorful flowers, gifts and decorations will be displayed, and a door prize will be given.

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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By VINITA BLAKLEY

The home of Mrs. Brenda Phillips was the scene of the monthly meeting of the Young Homemakers Sunday School Class of Iredell Baptist Church on Friday night, Nov. 14.

Mrs. Lola Adkison brought the devotional. Minutes were read and old and new business was discussed. As the class project it was decided to adopt an overseas orphaned child. Class officers were elected for the coming year. Refreshments of turkey, salad,

pickles, olives, rolls, pie, tea and coffee were served to Mmes. Lola Adkison, Judy Wellborn, Martha Burns, Myrtle Dunn, Linda Locker, Rexie Vanwinkle, Jan Jackson, Brenda Phillips, Diane Whisenant, and Miss Dartha Wellborn. Word was received Friday night

of the death of Mrs. Austin Anderson of Comanche. She died in a DeLeon hospital after a long illness. Mrs. Anderson was the former Derah Flanary, and is survived by three children, Valeta of California, Vera of Temple and Russell of Comanche; two brothers, Athan Flanary of Stephenville and Lem Flanary of Cleburne; one sister, Mrs. Lula Graves of Iredell; and her husband. She was a former resident of Iredell. Mrs. Hugh Graves, Mrs. Margaret Davis and Mrs. Frankee Flanary attended the funeral at Comanche Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The A & J Grocery is making improvements on their store, by enlarging the building. When completed the store will be very modern.

Mrs. Helen McKee of Clairmont, Calif., Mrs. Alice Killman of Houston, Mrs. Ruth Harlow of Fort Worth were Wednesday visitors in the home of Mrs. W. E. Rogers and the Chester Gosdins. They all went to Clifton to the grave of Mr. Rogers' uncle, who was scalped by the Indians and buried there. The ladies are nieces of the late Mr. W. E. Rogers.

Mrs. Willie Mae Bowman of Meridian visited Mrs. Frankee Flanary Wednesday.

Mr. Doyle Weatherford is at home after spending several days in the Meridian Hospital.

Mr. Homer Whitley remains a patient in the Clifton Hospital. He is still in a critical condition after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bullard were recent visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. E. G. Shaffer of Hico.

Mrs. Willie Hopkins of Dublin visited Mrs. Royce Hall Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley visited in Cleburne during the weekend in the home of Mrs. Bill Bradley, Ann and Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Curtis of Seagraves were recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Rosa McAden.

Mrs. Dora Strong and Mrs. Doris Williamson were Saturday afternoon visitors in Waco.

The Iredell Dragons will be playing their bi-district game with Strawn at the Meridian Stadium Friday evening, Nov. 28. The Dragons won over Tolar at Iredell last Thursday night.

Several from Iredell attended the

wedding shower for Miss Carolyn Doty, bride-elect of Dale Maness at Hico Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dunlap of Arlington were Thursday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap.

Mrs. A. W. Musick and Mrs. R. O. Burns were shopping in Stephenville and Waco Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Compton of

Ocee were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Adkison and family of Overton were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Howard.

Mrs. T. E. Beck fell at her home Thursday evening and broke her hip. She was carried to the Hico Hospital and will have hip surgery there.

Rev. and Mrs. Dale Yant were

accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. Long for the weekend. Yant is suffering from a disc in his back, but held services at the Iredell program. Mrs. Long is Mrs. Yant's mother.

Miss Maggie Harris is now president of the Hico Nursing She is real happy.



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Symbolic of Thanksgiving is the horn of plenty spilling out the bountiful harvest of a free country. Let us pause to give thanks on this historic day for the plentifulness and continuing spirit of freedom afforded us through the years by this great country of ours.

**Barrow-Rutledge
Funeral Home**

Fairy Community News

By MRS. EUNICE DANTZ

We have cloudy, cooler weather at this writing late Sunday.

Members and visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday served a Thanksgiving lunch at the church annex, and enjoyed an afternoon service and omitted the regular evening service. All enjoyed the association and get-together and delicious eats.

Mrs. Irene Thompson of Houston has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Ovie and Woody Brummett. They visited at the Village Nursing Home Sunday afternoon with their mother, Mrs. M. C. Anderson, and Mrs. Ovie Brummett carried Mrs. Thompson to Hamilton to visit her husband's grave, and with relatives late Sunday afternoon.

The writer was in Hico Sunday afternoon to attend funeral services for Mrs. Jenkins, formerly of Carlton, who passed away in Hamilton Friday night. Services were held at the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel at 2 p.m. with Bro. Emery officiating. Burial was in the Carlton Cemetery. Our sympathy is extended to those bereaved. Mrs. Jenkins had been a patient in a Hamilton nursing home for a number of years.

Mrs. Lola Taylor of Hamilton visited Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks. Truett Turner of Fort Worth, son-in-law of the Parks, will also be here this week while hunting and on vacation.

Mrs. Ben Wright of Hico accompanied us to the Jenkins funeral Sunday, and after the services we visited at the Village Nursing Home with Mrs. M. C. Anderson, Mrs. M. E. Parks, Hardy Parker, Mrs. Ethel Lackey and Miss Ruby Rodgers.

Archie Duncan of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Olga Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson spent Friday night in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson at Burleson. H. O. was in Fort Worth Saturday to have some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover spent the weekend at Lubbock visiting

in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer, Don and Dickie.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price of Austin spent the weekend here at the former P. L. Cox home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ross and James of Turnersville visited Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner. Other visitors in the Turner home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Turner, Kurtis and Rhonda of Killen.

Our sincere thanks to Hobart Proffitt for \$5 for care of their lot at the cemetery. Also to Mrs. Lilla Byrd of Arlington who sent in her endowment payment on the Abel lot. Also to Coolidge Wade of Hico and other heirs who informed us by phone that he was mailing us a check for endowment on the Charlie Wade lot. Since we have to have \$500.00 to complete a bond before we can start drawing interest, we hope others who have been intending to take out the endowment will do so soon so we can get a bond made and start interest.

Another Thanksgiving is almost here. Many have had almost unbearable sorrows. But no matter what our sorrows and heartaches may be we can most always look around and see or learn of someone who has had just a little more. Here's hoping for all a happy Thanksgiving.

The writer and Mrs. Ruth Cunningham attended singing at the Methodist Church Wednesday night.

Mrs. Jewel Tooley and daughter, Mrs. Mike Gravette and baby visited Friday night in the home of Mrs. Ruth Cunningham.

We received one-half inch of rain Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson spent the weekend in Grand Prairie with their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Vance, and Mrs. Mary Abel. They attended a housewarming Sunday at the new Spanish home of the Dorman Vance's.

Mrs. Ada Laceywell will undergo surgery Tuesday in the Hico Hospital in an effort to repair a broken leg she received several weeks ago. Our best wishes to her. Her sons, Witt of Olton and Wayne of Beaumont are here to be with her.

An 8-point deer was killed on the W. E. Govne place north of Fairy during the weekend.

A Mrs. Bob Hendrix of Dublin was here to see us Sunday. Sorry we were away to attend a funeral in Hico.

CLAIPETTE

By

MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

News was received Saturday afternoon of the death of Frank Roberson of Waco. He is a brother of Bud Roberson and a cousin of Herman Roberson and Mrs. Lucile Mayfield of Clairette.

Mrs. Lucile Mayfield and Herman Roberson received word late Thursday that their sister, Mrs. Cleone Salmon of Stephenville was ill in the hospital. Mrs. Mayfield spent Friday afternoon with her.

Mrs. Henry Mayfield was hostess to the Busy Bee Club last Thursday afternoon. After the business session, the menu for the annual Christmas party was planned, followed by three contest games, and refreshments of hot spiced tea, pumpkin pie, chips and dips, olives, nuts and candy. The club had one visitor, the 8 month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Denton of Fort Worth. She spent the week with her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander.

Reta Trammell and Brenda Nash of Weatherford, and David Towles of Stephenville visited awhile Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Noland, and came back Saturday and had dinner with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Grear Alexander of Waco visited Mrs. Zena Havens Sunday afternoon, and Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander visited her Sunday night.

Mrs. Vera Gibson of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. Lillie Bishop.

A slow rain started falling here early Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Roberson of Odessa visited awhile Sunday morning with Herman Roberson and the Henry Mayfields. Also Alto White of Fort Worth visited in both homes awhile. They came to visit Mrs. Cleone Salmon in the Stephenville Hospital. Mr. White and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mayfield had dinner with the Mayfields Sunday.

GREETINGS TO OUR MANY FRIENDS ON



Thanksgiving is a day for family gatherings about the festive table—A day for turkey and fixings and pumpkin pie. But above all, Thanksgiving is a day to stop and think about some of the things we take for granted the rest of the year.

Let us count our blessings of freedom—for us not a distant hope, but an ever-present reality.

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Say thanks for Thanksgiving by Long Distance

You've just gotten home from a wonderful day of Thanksgiving with your loved ones. Isn't it a good idea to call them long distance and thank them for their hospitality? Somehow those days always go too fast, and a phone call will let you talk about those things you just forgot to say, as well as express your appreciation. Say thanks for Thanksgiving this year. Call long distance.



Services Conducted Saturday Afternoon for Mrs. Ruby T. Mecklin

Mrs. Ruby T. Mecklin, 42, passed away at 1:40 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 20 in a Lubbock hospital following an extended illness.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 22 in Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Ellis Langston of Levelland officiating. Burial was in the Chalk Mountain Cemetery.

Mrs. Mecklin was born March 22, 1927 in Erath County, daughter of William H. and Viola Surles Anderson. She had been a resident of Lubbock the past 11 years, and had formerly lived in Dallas. She was a member of the St. Lukes United Methodist Church in Lubbock, and a member of Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, James M. Mecklin of Lubbock; two sons, John Herndon of the U. S. Navy and Breaan Herndon of Dallas; her mother, Mrs. Betty Anderson of Chalk Mountain; seven brothers, Wade Anderson of Cleburne, Harry Anderson of Steph-

Tiger Print...

PUBLISHED WEEKLY BY THE STUDENTS OF HICO HIGH SCHOOL

Carolyn Doty & Linda Flowers Co-Editors

SEASON APPRECIATION

This year we have had a wonderful football season, and we would like to thank everyone for the job they did. First of all to the great Tiger team, Mr. Ramage and Mr. Pettitt. These guys put everything they had into one great force that made this Tiger season the best ever.

Thanks next to the cheerleaders, the backbone of the Tiger backing.

ville, Tom Anderson and Hack Anderson of California, and Fred, Dink and John Anderson, all of Hico; six sisters, Mrs. C. E. Jackson of Chalk Mountain, Mrs. J. C. McKnight of Dallas, Mrs. D. J. Brown of Cleburne, Mrs. Lewis Shaw of Bruno, Ark., Mrs. Mutt Worrell of Glen Rose and Mrs. W. A. Hail of Stephenville.

They kept that pep squad hopping and got them up when they were down and out. They spread their enthusiasm throughout and really rounded out our 1967 season. Thanks to the pep squad, drill team and drill team captains for making halftime what it ought to be.

Thanks ever so much to our Mrs. Jo, collect of the clan and guardian of the bus, for her patience and supervision. The band and majorettes have done more than their part in this football season; so to them a hearty and sincere thanks.

Our teachers have been most helpful and patient, and to them we send a warm thank you.

We would like also to extend a sincere thanks to the people of Hico for their support and attendance at our games. Thanks for making this a wonderful football season, and we shall remember you always.

THANKSGIVING SEASON

Solemnly we bow in prayer, Giving thanks to our dear Lord. Graciously He bestows rich blessings,

Willingly we should keep His Word. Thanksgiving—A beautiful time of the year.

Happy Thanksgiving!

MYF WILL HAVE SLAVE DAY NOVEMBER 29

The senior MYF will sponsor "Slave Day" Saturday, Nov. 29, beginning at 9 a.m. and continuing throughout the day.

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 for every kind expression of thoughtfulness. May you be blessed with such wonderful friends in your hour of sorrow.

The Family of Frank D. Roberson.

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Rites Conducted for Franklin D. Roberson Monday Afternoon

Funeral services for Franklin Dewey Roberson, 71, were held at Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel Monday, Nov. 24, at 2 p.m. conducted by Rev. A. B. McCown of Fort Worth and Rev. J. W. Hodges. Interment was in the Duffau Cemetery.

Mr. Roberson, the son of W. M. and Nancy J. Roberson, was born in Erath County May 17, 1898. He passed away Saturday afternoon in Waco where he had lived for the past 25 years. He was a former resident of Duffau and Erath County.

Mr. Roberson was a retired electrical contractor and was a member of the Service Memorial United Methodist Church in Waco.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Quata Roberson of Waco; two sisters, Mrs. Jessie Anderson of Cleburne and Mrs. Loeta Heffley of Stephenville; three brothers, B. E. Roberson of Eastland, Clifton Roberson of Temple and Bud Roberson of Hico.

Serving as pallbearers were nephews, Clifton L. Roberson, Welton Roberson, Clinton Roberson, Billy Joe Roberson, Jack Anderson, and Jerry Anderson.


CARD OF THANKS

It is with deepest appreciation that we extend our thanks to each and everyone for the flowers, cards, food and every act of kindness shown us in our sorrow. May God bless each of you for your thoughtfulness.

The Family of Mrs. Talitha Belle Jenkins.

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LET US BE THANKFUL



For freedom, for plenty and for all the blessings of family and home, we say a prayer of gratitude on this Thanksgiving Day.

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Birth Party Honors Rickey Casey

Seventeen little friends helped Rickey Casey celebrate his fifth birthday Nov. 19 in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Casey.

Guests were served birthday cake, ice cream and punch during the party hours, and were presented favors of fly-back paddles and balloons.

Games were played, followed by opening of gifts.

Attending were Judy Lindsey, Lee Cole, Sheila Jackson, Melody Flowers, Kevin Kash, Lauri Patton, Charles Adkison, Nancy Glidwell, Charles Burgan, Kevin Zeiss, Shirleen Jaggars, Mike Patton, Pam Ross, Toby and Kristi Koonsman and Lauri and Robyn Ogle. Adults attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones and Mrs. Dwain Jones of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cunningham visited recently in Floydada with her father, who is 96 years old.



TO BE HONORED — Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Proffitt of the Fairy community are being honored by their children with a celebration on their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 7 at the family home. Their friends and relatives are invited to call in the afternoon between

2 and 5 o'clock. They have five children, 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Their daughters are Mrs. Charles Wilson of Carlsbad, N.M., Mrs. James F. Harris of Mayflower, Ark., and the sons are Hobart W. Proffitt of El Paso, Garland W. Proffitt and Jerry G. Proffitt, both of Odessa.

Dr. Johanson Speaks at Review Club Meeting

The Review Club met Nov. 20 with Mrs. Morse Ross as hostess. A dessert plate was served to the members and one guest, Dr. Lamar Johanson.

In keeping with the general topic of conversation, Dr. Johanson, Associate Professor of Biological Science at Tarleton State College, spoke on "Pollution of the World."

Beginning with the premise that there exists in nature a very delicate balance between plants and animals, he proceeded to show how man in various ways has ignorantly, foolishly and selfishly done much to destroy it. This balance is essential to both animals and plants, giving off carbon dioxide which plants consume, plants giving off oxygen which animals use. Dr. Johanson stated "Pollution is now a major world problem," and discussed three main areas of the problem: water, air and population explosion.

Vital plankton, which are the main source of oxygen on land and sea, are being rapidly destroyed. Fish once populace in streams and lakes are disappearing. Oil seepage, raw sewage, laundry suds, and saw mills all contribute their part in this destruction. Spots once favored for fishing and swimming are now often damningly labeled "Polluted Water."

"Insecticides, herbicides, and pesticides not only pollute the air, but they also affect vegetation and animals," the speaker asserted, "and most of these compounds are not easily destroyed." He cited DDT, for instance, has a half-life up to four years. Animals which eat the affected vegetation are in turn eaten by people who thereby acquire a certain residue. For example, duck eggs from the Arctic were found to contain DDT which

was likely picked up while the birds were wintering in Texas. One part DDT per billion will cause oysters to quit feeding. Hundreds of other chemicals will react as DDT does.

Air pollution caused by smoke and smog is irritating to eyes, nasal passages, and lungs. Dr. Johanson quoted the astounding statistic that a large jet airliner releases two and one-half tons of air pollutants per ten minutes of flight.

An authority has said that it will take ten billion dollars annually for the next 20 years to clean up the present state of pollution.

The population explosion also plays a large part in increasing pollution, the speaker said. It has been estimated that the average American produces five and one-half pounds of garbage daily. Moreover, agriculture cannot feed these growing numbers. In 1959 the world last produced sufficient food; this year it produced seven percent less food than last year.

Agricultural land is rapidly being reduced by construction of super highways and housing for the increasing population. World population must be controlled or there will be a serious famine in the future.

"The citizen's evident duty is to support worthwhile legislation to clean up and to control," Dr. Johanson concluded.

The next meeting will be a combination of the Tasting Tea and Husband's Night at the United Methodist Church on December 4 at seven o'clock.

Reporter.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer were in Clifton Sunday afternoon and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Hafer.

CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE
CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

50 YEARS—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 7, with open house at their home in the Fairy community from 2 until 4 p.m. Hosts for the event will

be their children, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Arrant of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Arrant of Fort Worth. Friends and relatives are extended an invitation to attend. The couple has requested that no gifts be sent.

ESTELLE MOORE ATTENDS STATE MEDICAL MEETING

Estelle Moore, lab and x-ray technician at Hico Clinic and Hospital in Corsicana recently attended a State Meeting of the American Medical Technologists. New instruments for doing laboratory procedures were displayed and explained by speakers from various companies. Lectures were given in Microlester Samples System and the Oxford Titration Method from Waco Pathology Laboratories. Color slides were shown of the various types of human and animal parasites and the common to this area.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Carolyn Doty Saturday Afternoon

A miscellaneous bridal shower honored Miss Carolyn Doty, bride-elect of Dale Maness, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 22 at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

Miss Linda Sue Flowers presided at the guest register.

Refreshments of pink cookies, mints, nuts, and cherry frosted punch were served from a table laid with a white cloth, personalized napkins, and complimented with a center arrangement of pink carnations.

Hostesses alternated at the serving table and in showing of the lovely displayed gifts.

Approximately 115 guests called on sent gifts during the afternoon.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mrs. A. L. Flowers, Mrs. Elvis Vinson, Mrs. H. A. Patterson, Mrs. Mildred Paddock, Mrs. Wayne Wells, Mrs. J. B. Wooton, Mrs. N. N. Akin, Mrs. Mike Phillips and Mrs. James Guinn.

VISITORS IN SHEPHERD HOME

Enjoying a Saturday night visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Early Shepherd were her sisters, Mrs. Vera Gibson of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. F. Thomas and a niece, Mrs. A. W. Phelps of Hamilton, and Mrs. Lillie Bishop of Clairette.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crow and John were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber II, Beneta, Kathy and Karl of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Barber of Denton, Maze Goynne of Waco and I. D. Cook of Carlton.

ATTEND SHRINE CIRCUS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Burgan, Mark and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spinks were in Fort Worth Sunday evening to attend the Shrine Circus at Will Rogers Coliseum.



GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander of Clairette will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house at their home Sunday, Nov. 30 from 2 to 4 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited. Hosts for the celebration are their children, Mr. and

Mrs. Ben Jones Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith. The honorees have six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander were married in Clairette Nov. 30, 1919. Mrs. Alexander is the former Jossie Salmon.

JUNIOR CLASS ENJOYS SKATING PARTY

The Junior Hi MYF of the Methodist Church enjoyed a skating party Saturday night at Stephenville.

Those attending were Barry Ross, Lloyd Roberson, David Ogle, Nellie Faubion, Rhonda Keller and Vickie Pierce, accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Danny Barnett. After skating they enjoyed eating at the Dairy Queen.

MRS. SKEET ROBERSON CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Skeet Roberson celebrated her 71st birthday Nov. 19 with a dinner in her home with friends and relatives attending. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Roberson and Mrs. Rose Burgan of Stephenville, Mrs. Mildred Head and Bud Roberson of Hico, and her husband.

Mrs. Stanley Hosts South Hico Club

South Hico Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Etta Stanley last Thursday.

Ten members and the agent were present. The song, "Ever Onward" was sung by all present. Roll call was answered with "An Idea for a Holiday Meal."

After a short business meeting Mrs. Sondra Craig gave the program on holiday menus and decoration ideas, which was very interesting.

There was a large display of homemade ideas for decorations, and each member told how they were made.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to those present.

Mrs. Henry Mackey enjoyed a visit of her sisters and brother last Friday and Saturday. They were Mrs. Vennie Davidson and Willie Shaw of Sunray, and Mrs. Lula Woods of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kilcrease and family of Brownwood visited Sunay in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kilcrease and Johnnie.

Mrs. J. H. Bulman and Mrs. Guy Bulman visited in Stephenville Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lawson.

Visitors last Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wooton were J. G. Wooton and son, Joe Edwin of Fort Worth, Mrs. Bill Nash of Burleson, Mrs. Nell Bell of Mesquite, and Mrs. Wayland Wooton, Paul and Angela of Rainbow. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Erick of Fort Worth were weekend visitors.



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Duffau Community News

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mrs. A. B. Naul visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Naul and Charrisa at Stephenville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Britton visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Thornton of Waco during the weekend.

Lela Srader left this week for Hawaii to be with her husband, Howard Srader, during his leave from Vietnam.

Mr. C. B. Burgan returned home from Corpus Christi and Alice where he had been visiting with his children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelso of Corpus Christi spent the weekend with her father, C. B. Burgan.

Mrs. Alton Rainwater and children of Hico visited Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nachtigall and Max.

Melvin Henderson and J. P. Merritt were business visitors in Waco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stringer and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer were shopping in Cleburne Tuesday.

Mrs. Melvin Henderson attended funeral services for little Lisa Mc-

Elroy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark McElroy Jr. of Comstock, former residents of our community. Our heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Stringer were visitors in Stephenville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod spent the weekend in Waco visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ables.

Mrs. P. D. Ash, Wendell and Cheryl of Stephenville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Cox of Stephenville visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer and sons Sunday.

Aodis Land, who is stationed in Wisconsin, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and sons.

CARLTON NEWS

By MRS. FRED GEYE

Weekend visitors with his par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Upham were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Upham and children of Midland and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lukens and children of Odessa.

Rev. George Whitfield, pastor of Carlton Baptist Church, had the flu last week. He was able to fill his appointment Sunday in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Roberson from Corcoran, Calif. visited Friday with Mrs. Fred Geye, and at Hob Thompson's store with friends. It had been so long since I had seen him I didn't recognize him.

The Roberson family was longtime residents of Carlton. His parents and a sister are buried here.

Mrs. Leo Finley and Mrs. Jennie Olson of Walnut Springs visited Wednesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Lee Turney, her sister, Mrs. Hob Thompson, her mother-in-law, Ms. Jessie Finley and Mrs. Ona Ballard.

Mrs. Florence Jones is a patient in the Village Nursing Home at Hico.

Mrs. Stella Pollard and Myrtle Pollard and grandchildren, Kim, Mitch and Randy Ballard from Gatesville visited Sunday afternoon with the children's grandmother, Mrs. Ona Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Ford Jr., Mrs. R. D. Ford Sr., Mrs. George Mensch and Darlene, Mrs. Shorty Smith and two boys, Dennis and Clinton of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ford and Pat and Mrs. Eva Laws of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson and Ricky

of Hugo, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams, Mike and Bobby, a friend, Bobby Campbell and Woody Wilson of Hico, all visitors in the home of Pearl Fisher, Dock Finley and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey Sunday.

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Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Collins were Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ables and family of Everman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables. J. P. Merritt and Melvin Henderson were in Waco Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp and boys spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McClough and Ronnie of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Knapp and Clay of Stephenville spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables spent Saturday in Temple visiting with

Mr. Sam Burney, who is in the Veterans Hospital.

Bud Burnett is in Oklahoma City this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables visited awhile in Hamilton Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rodgers and daughter. They engaged in a game of dominoes, and after the argument the men won.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Knapp and girls of McGregor visited Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mrs. Cyrus King spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Zuella Strother and Mrs. Van Brush in Hico.

Visitors Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. C. Odell were Mrs. J. P. Merritt and Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Collins.

Mrs. Adena Haile of Hamilton visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ollie Haile, who has been sick. We are glad to report her doing some better.

Talked with Mr. Claude Arnold a few minutes. He is wishing that the showers would quit for a few days so he could get his cotton picked. He has gathered only about half a bale so far.

Henry Smith, father of Mrs. Garland Parker, who is in the Hico Hospital, is in very serious condi-

tion.

Some of the visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Garland Parker and Mrs. Smith were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Duval of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Curtis of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barron and girls of Alvarado, Mr. Frank Smith and W. T. Smith of Duncanville, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Oglesby of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hail of Stephenville, and Mrs. Morris Berger of Hico.

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We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to everyone who extended comforting sympathy in our hour of sorrow at the passing of our loved one, Roxie Williamson. Our gratitude is great to those who sent the lovely flowers, the food and for every kind expression of thoughtfulness.

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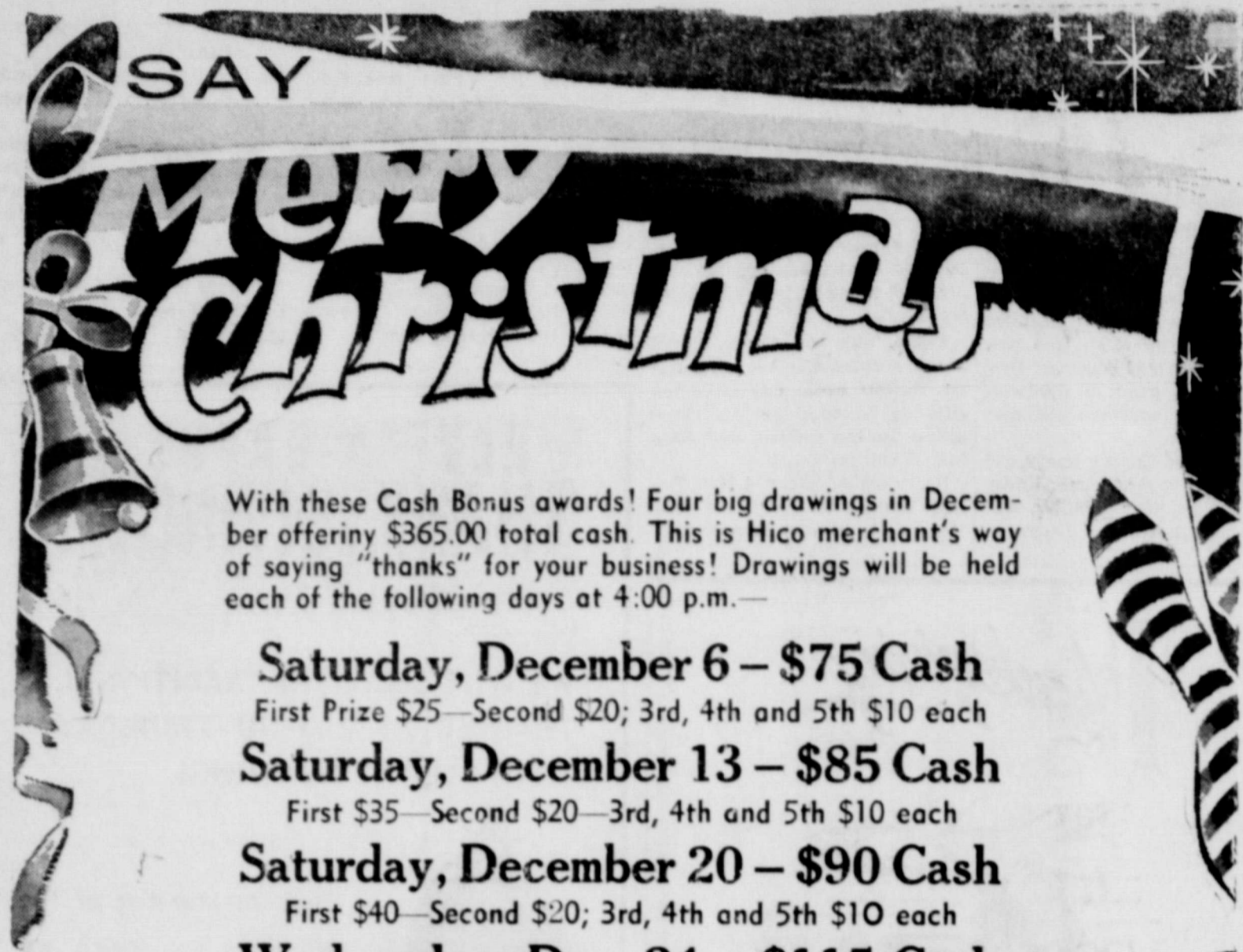
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First \$50—Second \$25—Third \$20—4th and 5th \$10 each

Hico Motor Co.
Lackey Feed Mill
O'Neal Gulf Service Sta.
HICO MOBIL CENTER
H. & B. Food Store
The Hico News Review
Willard Leach Serv. Sta.
Toegen Feed Mill
Hico Trading Post
Vernon Chew Station
Jim Jameson, Mobil Oil
Casey Garage & Auto
H. H. Ross, Texaco Inc.
Ogle Bros. Texaco Sta.
Mayfield Sinclair Sta.
Blair's Hardware
Turner Feed Mill
Western Auto Store
Barnes & McCullough
Russell's Dry Goods
Cheek Furniture Co.
Bess Mingus Dress Shop

Salmon-Ross Dept. Store
H. W. Sherrard Grocery
Hyles Dress Shop
Neel Truck & Tractor
Cozy Corner Snack Bar
Wilson Cleaners
First National Bank
Petsick Ins. Agency
Community Public Serv.
RANDALS' STORE
Hico Confectionery
Howard Drug Co.
Koffee Kup Kafe
Barrow-Rutledge



IT'S CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TIME

JUST 23 MORE SHOPPING DAYS 'TIL CHRISTMAS!

• FOR THE LADIES •

Stockton Nylon Pants (New Colors) — Texsheen Lingerie — Gowns — Dusters — Slips — Panties — Pajamas — Phil-Maid Lingerie
Blouses — Sweaters — House Shoes — Gloves — Panty Hose — New Pixie Shoes — Beautiful Colors
Photo Albums — Diaries — Brag Books — and Billfolds
Samsonite Luggage and Floral Cases
Sno-Boots by UniRoyal — Rain Coats — Umbrellas

• FOR THE MEN •

Sport Shirts by Van Heusen—Arrow—Campus and Norman White or Colored Dress Shirts
Style Mart Suits (Latest Colors and Styles) — Sport Coats
Casual Pants (No Iron) — Haggard Slacks
Justin Billfolds — Shave Kits—Jade East—English Leather Boots by Justin — Acme — Dan Post
Shoes — Nunn Bush — Hush Puppies — Rand

Lots of Gifts for the Boys and Girls! Shop Early! We Gift Wrap! Use Our Lay-Away!

DOUBLE S&H GREEN STAMPS EVERY WEDNESDAY

Will Be Given With Every Cash Purchase of \$3.00 or More

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