

The Voters Wrote the Taft-Hartley Law

IN November of 1946 the American public elected a new group of congressmen for the purpose, principally, of creating some sort of legislation which would put a stop to the endless and nationally destructive labor-management warfare.

The newly-elected congress passed a law known as the Taft-Hartley law which to a great extent weakened the power of those few labor czars who held the well-being of this nation in their hands.

But the great czars of labor don't intend to be deposed. Those men have become accustomed to obedience from the rank and file of labor.

So these few men and their immediate entourages have declared war upon all those members of congress whom "We the People" put in office to pass the law which deprived them of their un-American hold over the destinies of all the citizens.

The President and The Vatican

It would be ridiculous to attempt to run a big concern like the United States government without some knowledge of what is going on in the rest of the world—especially since we have become a world power.

If we are to succeed in our new role we must tap all available sources of information and keep in immediate and constant touch with every conceivable place of international affairs.

Outstanding as a recipient of news from all over the earth, is—and has been for many centuries—the headquarters of the Catholic Church—the Vatican. Our late President, Franklin Roosevelt, a man of much learning, was well aware of this fact and realized the value of close contact with the crossroads of global information.

Even if the head of the Catholic Church were a man of mediocre caliber the vital knowledge which pours into the Vatican would still be available to the president's representative.

In the opinion of those who have come into contact with Myron Taylor, no better choice could have been made by Presidents Roosevelt and Truman.

The search is for peace. Peace is what Christ taught. Peace is what the world must have or it will sink into oblivion.

DRESSED FOR COMFORT

The following notice, which appeared in the battalion news sheet, "The Beachcomber," was prepared for the Navy Seabees sweating in the tropical Solomon Island climate during the early days of the war:

"Some people are forgetting a notice that appeared on the bulletin board regarding dress at Chow. It is not expected that anyone must sacrifice comfort to the extent of wearing dress blues, but on the other extreme, the simple costume of a dog-tag seems hardly enough."

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Wise Investment Will Help Farmers Weather Storms

The most uncertain thing in a farmer's world is the weather. The second greatest hazard is his income from year to year since it depends on the weather and on prices for his products.

This year, while farm incomes are the highest in history in most instances, is the year of years that the farmer should invest his surplus income. U. S. Savings Bonds offer him the safest investment in the world's history.

On the other hand, there is no safer investment in the world today than U. S. Savings Bonds. By regular investment in them the farmer builds a financial reserve that he can use in emergencies.

History has repeated itself since the first recorded pages. It is certain to do so again. Our soundest advice to the farmer during his lush years is to prepare for the lean ones by investing a minimum of 10 per cent of his income in U. S. Savings Bonds now.

VA Contact Officer's Next Scheduled Visit Thursday, October 16

W. G. Payne, Veterans Administration contact representative at Stephenville, will visit Hico on alternate Thursday afternoons from October 2nd for the purpose of interviewing veterans and their dependents on such matters as pensions, insurance, hospitalization, education on-the-job training, and other rights and benefits.

Scheduled visits in October are on the 16th and 30th from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. at the City Hall in Hico. The Veterans Administration Office at Stephenville is located at 213 N. Belknap Street and will be open on all week days, except Saturdays and when the contact representative is making his scheduled trips to Hico.

WEATHER REPORT

The following weather report is submitted by L. L. Hudson, local observer:

Table with 4 columns: Date, Max., Min., Prec. Rows for Oct 1 through Oct 7.

Total precipitation so far this year, 19.67 inches.



TOP MAN... With rumors that Prime Minister Attlee, seated, intends to resign it is believed that Ernest Beven, above, will become Great Britain's number one man. His health is given for reason of Attlee's rumored resignation-to-leave.



AGAINST FOOD RATIONING... In strong protest against additional restrictions issued by the French government on food rationing, brought about by the critical shortage in Europe, workers and employees left their factories and offices and gathered in a huge meeting on Paris' Champ de Mars park. Their theme—"we want to live."

Veterans' News

The doctors' bill per patient per day in VA hospitals which are most expensive to operate, excluding food and administrative costs, is \$1.47, Dr. Paul R. Hawley, VA's chief medical director, has recently revealed.

That is an average cost for all doctors' services in general medical and surgical hospitals, Dr. Hawley declared in an address before the American War Dads in convention in Port Worth, Texas.

Doctors are anxious to become associated with VA hospitals to gain this knowledge and are willing to provide their services for lower pay than would otherwise be true, Dr. Hawley said.

Veterans who fail to repay subsistence allowance overpayments while in education or training under the GI Bill and who later apply for unemployment or self-employment allowances will have the amounts they owe the government deducted from the latter benefit checks, VA reports.

Explaining that Federal statutes prohibit payment of Government funds to persons indebted to the United States, VA said instructions will be issued to state unemployment compensation agencies for the recovery of such overpayments from readjustment allowance claimants.

FORMER STUDENTS OF S. W. TEXAS STATE COLLEGE URGED TO SEND NAMES IN

San Marcos, Tex., Oct. 7.—Officials of the Ex-Students Association of Southwest Texas State College are making an effort to contact all exes living in Hamilton County to invite them to Homecoming on November 7 and 8.

Erath H. D. Council Planning Antique and Hobby Show Oct. 23

The Erath Home Demonstration Council is making plans to sponsor an Antique and Hobby Show in the form of a silver tea October 23, 1947, in Stephenville. A special invitation is extended to any individual who would like to set up an exhibit in this show.

Also, a special exhibit of wedding gowns, bathing suits, hats, and shoes will be set up. These will be arranged in order of age—the oldest up to the present date.

Fellowship Rally and Conference at Pentecostal Church

The Quarterly Conference and Fellowship Rally for Central Section District of Texas will convene at the Hico Pentecostal Church on Monday, October 13, according to announcement from Mrs. Dobbie Lynch, Pastor; Rev. J. E. Osborn, Presbyter, and Oscar Welch, Secretary-Treasurer.

Garden Club Changes Hour of Meeting Today

For this week only, the hour for the regular meeting of the Hico Garden Club has been changed from 2:30 p. m. to 1:30 p. m., according to announcement from the reporter, Mrs. S. E. Blair Jr.

The meeting is open to any who would like to attend. The public is welcome.

Band Boosters Requested to Meet Monday Evening

All members of the Hico Band Boosters are requested to be present at the Band Room at the school at 7:30 p. m. next Monday, October 13.

Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

North Camp Hood, entered through Gatesville, Texas, will be the scene of a \$600,000 War Assets Administration clearance of war surplus October 13, 14, and 15. In the various lots to be offered at informal public bidding will be a huge assortment of bunk beds, valued at a third of the entire inventory.

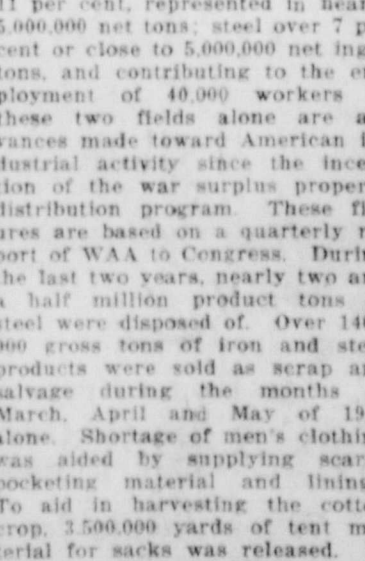
Buildings of the Big Spring Army Air Field found eager buyers at the rate of one per minute at WAA's third Texas spot bid real property sale recently.

Thirty lots of consumer goods will go on the high bid block October 20, 21 and 22 at the Grand Prairie War Assets Administration sales warehouse.

A sale of 100 buildings, with the hue of red tape taken out, is to be held at Camp Fanning, 8 miles northeast of Tyler, Texas, October 17. The general public is invited, says War Assets Administration.

Production would have been delayed and employment curtailed if surplus industrial plants and production equipment, sold by War Assets Administration, had not been put to use.

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Honored Again



D. A. HULCY

Lone Star Gas Co. President Re-Elected Association Official

D. A. Hulcy of Dallas, president of Lone Star Gas Company which serves this territory, was re-elected a director of the American Gas Association this week at its annual meeting in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. Hulcy, native of Franklin Texas, began his career with Lone Star Gas Company in 1920 when he was assigned to special accounting work and in 1924 he was appointed chief clerk of the accounting section.

He has held many positions of trust and honor in civic and welfare activities of Dallas and the territory served by Lone Star Gas Company. He is president of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce; president of Circle Ten Council and a member of the national executive board, Boy Scouts of America; director of the United States Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the organization's policy and national resources committees.

Another Patrol was organized and will be called the Senior Patrol. This patrol is for boys over 15 years of age.



BOBBY WATKINS, Scout Scribe, Troop No. 99.

Now In Its 63rd Year of Service to Hico and Community

Hico Ex-Navy Men To Receive Medals At An Early Date

American Defense and World War II Victory Medals are now available and will be distributed to ex-Navy men in the Hico area at a very early date.

"The medals will be issued to all ex-Navy men who served in the Navy between 8 September 1939 and 31 December 1946, both dates inclusive.

"All men are required to present their Original Discharge. Photostatic copies of discharges will not be accepted. "Medals will be issued to ex-Navy men only."

"If you are in doubt as to your eligibility, see Bill Norton at the Locker Plant and he can help you out. If you are eligible for either of these medals, notify Bill Norton at once and he will see to it that you get your medals."

As an added attraction a picture will be shown of the Famous Pacific Fleet in Action. Watch next week's paper for announcement of the date, time and place.

The public is invited for the first ceremonies of this type honoring our ex-Navy men.

Hico Boy Scouts "Go to Jail" Before Meeting Friday

At our pre-meeting period last Friday night, Mr. Bill McGoethlin took the entire scout troop through the city jail. It's a funny feeling to have the doors locked behind you—even if it is just all in fun.

Due to the football game Thursday night, we put off our scout meeting until Friday night. We had 29 of the 34 scouts present, and three boys, Wayne Barnett, Bruce Slaughter, and Bobby Watkins, to pass the Tenderfoot tests.

Instead of our regular meeting this week we will join all the scouts of Hamilton county on the creek for a scout get-together. The parents of all the scouts are invited to go along. Definite plans have not been made, but they will be announced at school early this week.

Another Patrol was organized and will be called the Senior Patrol. This patrol is for boys over 15 years of age. Scout Parsons was named Patrol Leader; Scout Chaney as Assistant Patrol Leader.

Two other appointments were made: Scout Fred Jones was made Assistant Patrol Leader for the Wolf Patrol, and Scout E. Barnett was made Assistant Patrol Leader for the Blazing Arrow Patrol.

"A Scout is thrifty."

Negro Rodeo At Midway Arena Sat. Nite, Oct. 11

The Dublin American Legion is sponsoring an All Negro Rodeo to be held at the Midway rodeo arena between Dublin and Stephenville on Saturday night, October 11.

There will be negro contestants from Houston, Arkansas, Fort Worth, and other points. Howard Brown will be arena director. These negroes will compete for the All-State Cowboy Negro championship.

Leo Franks of Houston will be the negro clown. He is known as an expert bull fighter too. This show should prove to be the funniest rodeo you ever saw, states Mr. Brown. The admission will be 50c and \$1.25, according to literature being distributed.

### Notes From Office Of County Home Demonstration Agt.

#### PERTINENT PRINT

"Read directions before using" is an old rule—often neglected—for getting your money's worth in service and satisfaction from any new household equipment, reminds Mrs. Bernice Clayton, home management specialist for the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

A few minutes of reading every word in print that comes with a new article, large or small, is well worth the homemaker's time and may save costly repairs or poor service.

The printed advice is part of what you pay for when you buy the article, for the manufacturers go to much trouble to print advice on the proper care and use of their products.

Here's another reminder—after reading all labels, cards or booklets that come with new equipment, put away in a safe place, with a record of the place, date of purchase and name and address of the manufacturer.

#### OVERTIME RUN

Your mechanical refrigerator needs a rest, too, and should not run more than eight hours out of 24. Mrs. Bernice Clayton, home management specialist for the Texas Extension Service, warns. If the motor runs more than one third of the time, the temperature

may be set too low, or the refrigerator door may not close tightly so that warm air may be leaking into the cabinet.

Mrs. Clayton says 40 degrees F. is normal except for the freezing cabinet. The only time the temperature needs to be set below this is when desserts or other foods are being frozen. After this quick-freezing, the temperature control should be returned to normal to keep the motor from overworking.

Test for leaks by closing the door on a piece of ordinary wrapping paper about the size and thickness of a dollar bill. If the paper pulls out easily, the gasket is not tight enough to keep warm air from passing into the refrigerator. This may be because the rubber in the gasket has become brittle and hard. Or it may be the fault of the door. Try tightening hinges or latch to make the door fit more snugly. Test again with paper. If the door still is not tight, get a new gasket.

If the temperature is normal and the door does not leak, but the refrigerator still runs too much, call in a serviceman.

#### MILK AFTER FIFTY

A pint of milk a day is a must if older people are to keep healthy and active, say food specialists of Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. Men and women in their fifties, sixties, and seventies often overlook milk in their diets, a neglect that deprives bones of necessary minerals.

To help furnish enough calcium, protein and phosphorus for the proper upkeep of their bodies, a daily pint of milk is the minimum, say the specialists. A condition of demineralization of the skeleton may come from too little calcium in the diet and often leads to broken bones in later years. Some investigators have suggested that many a fall, which supposedly results in a bone break, is actually due to weakened bones which break and cause the person to fall.

Relatively little is known of the nutritional needs of the older age group, the specialists report, and state experiment stations are making studies aimed at correct dietary recommendations. Recent studies do show that older people have not lost their ability to store calcium and other minerals and that their diets should include milk.

Total Naval casualties in the Spanish American War were 42.

### LOOKING AHEAD... with LOUIS WOLFE



**BETTER RADIO RECEPTION ON AUTO RADIOS, IT HAS BEEN DISCOVERED, IS POSSIBLE WHEN CERTAIN POWDER IS POURED INTO INNER TUBES OF TIRES TO TONE DOWN STATIC ELECTRICITY.**

### Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Geye

Mrs. C. C. Dyer, Mrs. P. M. Sharp and Mrs. Dock Finley were hostesses Friday afternoon in the lovely home of Mrs. Finley, honoring Mrs. Eddie Welch of Dublin with a miscellaneous shower.

The house was attractively decorated with roses, fern and crepe myrtle. Mrs. Finley and Mrs. Sharp greeted the guests and Mrs. Dyer presided at the bride's book. A poem was read by Mrs. Dow Self and little Miss Annette Littleton gave a reading, later entering the room with an umbrella announcing a shower was coming.

The many useful gifts were presented to the bride who unwrapped each gift and passed them to the ladies present. Refreshments consisting of coffee, sandwiches and cookies were served to the guests by Meses. Bobby Moring and Dow Self. Those present were Mrs. Tom Fletcher of Dublin, mother of the groom; Mrs. Mack Ellison, mother of the bride; and Meses. F. P. Kennedy, Milton Whitehead, Cyrus King, Sam Sharp, Kenneth Evans, Fred Geye, R. B. Nowlin, Rance Sowell, Grady Land, George Theford, Rena Sildham, Charley Stephens, Bobby Moring, Dow Self, Wayne Cozby, Harve Yocham, Claud Buster, Zed Laws, J. O. Richardson, Joe Bush, S. S. Vaughn, Misses Ida Fine and Pattie Lynch; Mrs. Clifton Gilbert and Mrs. R. L. Weaver of Hico, and the honoree, Mrs. Welch, and the hostesses, Meses. Dyer, P. M. Sharp and Dock Finley. The ones who sent gifts and were unable to attend were Meses. J. W. Jordan Jr., Grady Littleton, Willard Williams, Doyle Partain, Hobdy Thompson, Nell Clark, Enos Fine, Clyde Thompson, Jess Reeves, Watt Sharp, George Driver, Jessie Finley, James Fine, and Daymond Weaver of Hico. Mrs. Welch is the former Miss Modesta Ellison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison of Carlton.

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce were her sisters, Mrs. J. W. Waldrop of Hico and Mrs. Eugenia Barnett of Chicago, Ill., and her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Waldrop of Plainview. Mrs. Barnett is here on an extended visit with her sisters and other relatives.

Mrs. Viola Waldrop of Fort Worth spent the week end with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Morgan, and daughter, Joan.

Mrs. Charley Proffitt and Mrs. Bobby Moring and daughter, Deborah, visited Thursday in Hico with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Dawson spent the past week in Corpus

Christi, Marfa and Paint Rock, visiting with their children.

Mrs. Dow Self and sons, Connie Mack, Freddie and Jack Henry spent the week end at Dublin with her sister, Mrs. Paul Warren, and family, and at Clairette with Mr. and Mrs. Les Dowdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrald Thompson and two sons of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Thompson of Lamkin were week-end visitors with their mother, Mrs. Clyde Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Wilcox of Shive were week-end visitors with her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vick.

At the Clairette Roping Contest Saturday Robert Shaw won first, Allen Lewis second, and Gilbert Lewis third. The next Roping Contest will be held October 18. Professional and amateurs should write Roping Contest, Carlton, and let them know you are coming in order to have enough calves to rope.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gerreald of Hamilton were Carlton visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Tull and daughter, Mrs. Lillie Anderson, returned home Sunday after a visit with relatives. Mrs. Tull visiting in Abilene with her son, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Tull and children, who accompanied his mother home; and Mrs. Anderson visiting in Stephenville with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Blanchard and husband, and in Fort Worth with her son, Dan Anderson.

J. W. Short is erecting a new residence on the Hiley lot, south of Mrs. J. O. Pollard's residence. Mrs. Lilla Byrd returned home Monday after a visit with her children, Cecil Byrd and family, and Mrs. Beryl Cozby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Williams of Hereford spent the week end with his mother and brother, Mrs. Lula Williams, and Roy.

Mrs. Jack Walton of Midland visited Sunday with her husband's grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Tull.

Mrs. Annie McGrew and two sons of Rotan spent the week end with her mother and brothers, Mrs. S. N. McKinney, Jim and John.

Miss Wanda Thompson of Dallas was a week-end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tull Thompson.

Mrs. Bertha Baird, Mrs. Fred Geye, Mrs. Milton Whitehead, and Mrs. Dow Self and two sons visited Wednesday in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self, and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton McKeage.

## The KNOTHOLE

By ELLIOTT PINE  
NWNS Sports Writer

Hollywood is concentrating on sports stories in forthcoming productions. Most scripts are about boxers, but baseball and horse racing are close up.

These five fight pictures are in the works or ready for release: "Whiplash," "Body and Soul," "Killer McCoy," "The Harder They Fall," and "The Setup." In addition, a film biography of Jack Dempsey is being written, as is one of Babe Ruth.

Monty Stratton, and Judge Landis, the Commissioner.

That rarely successful stunt, swimming the English channel, was accomplished a few days ago by Daniel Carpio, a 35-year old bank clerk from Peru. He had to swim nearly 42 miles because he was carried far off his course by wind and currents. Actual distance is only 19 miles. Battling the waves, he took 14 hours and 46 minutes for the long swim, far behind the time set by Venecias Spacek in 1926, who crossed the channel in 10 hours, 45 minutes.

Professional football teams sponsored by universities! That is the brash proposal of Dr. John Taylor, president of Louisville U. The prexy has sent a letter to heads of 14 mid-western, southern and eastern schools, suggesting that these institutions form their own league, hire teams, and play against each other. Players would not be students but simply employees. None of the colleges and universities addressed has been able to assemble a satisfactory team lately, and some, like the U. of Chicago, have dropped intercollegiate competition.

The most lop-sided score in collegiate football history was inflicted upon Cumberland U. in 1916. In that year the Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets raced up and down to a score of 22-0.

Connie Mack, baseball's Grand Old Man, mixed up in football long ago. Back in 1902 he organized the Philadelphia Athletics professional football club. The lineup included Rube Wadell, eccentric pitching marvel. With this team he defeated Pittsburgh, with Christy Matthewson, the famous hurler, as fullback.

## From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### Mystery of the Missing Farms

Yep, the number of farms in America is shrinking (by a quarter-million in the last five years!). What's happened to the missing farms? The land has been taken in by other farms, increasing the average size by twenty acres!

Does this growth mean farming's no longer a family enterprise? Just the opposite! More families own farms today than ever—only with labor-saving equipment they can handle more land, more work.

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Joe Marsh

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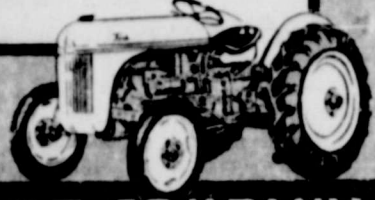
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**Fairy**  
— By —  
Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We are still needing rain in this section and it is hoped that we will receive some soon in order that farmers may be able to continue with their fall sowing of grain.

Word received from Mrs. Lucy Burden, who is in an Abilene hospital, at noon Monday stated that she was very low. Her sister, Mrs. T. L. Betts, who had returned to her home here for a few days' rest last Friday night, returned to her bedside Sunday at noon after receiving a message from relatives stating her death was expected momentarily. Her brother, J. O. Richardson, has not been able to go to her bedside due to illness.

Mrs. Emma Lackey has returned home after a pleasant visit in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Walker and son of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. George Martell Stringer of Hico spent last Saturday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison, and Texie.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover of this place and daughters, Misses Daphne and Patsy Ann of Stephenville were business visitors in Fort Worth last Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Price of Austin is visiting at this writing in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cox.

Mrs. T. R. Parks returned home from the Hico Hospital Thursday of last week and is recovering very nicely from a major operation. Her mother, Mrs. John Newsome of Hamilton, is staying with her.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and children, Ruby Jean and Darrell of Dublin, spent Friday night of last week here visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison and Texie. His mother accompanied them Saturday to Waco on a shopping tour, and to visit in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dellis Seago and Sherry.

Mrs. Brittle Little and Mrs. H. C. Beck visited Sunday afternoon in the Ovan Columbus home. Mrs. Columbus and their new baby son, Roger Perry, returned home from the Meridian Hospital Thursday of last week.

Arthur Burden of Hico and T. L. Betts went to Abilene Friday of last week to visit Mrs. Lucy Burden. Mrs. Betts returned home with them for a few days of rest.

The Ben Cunningham home is taking on a handsome appearance by the addition of a new asphalt shingle roof.

Mrs. Brittle Little has had her front porch re-shingled. Mr. H. C. Beck did the work. Now is the time to repair and paint if it needs to be done, before the winter rains begin. But it seems there is still a shortage of many needed items for repairs.

We failed to state in last week's news that Mr. and Mrs. Nat Grimes and daughter, Otha May, of Borger had spent the previous week end here. They came for more of their household effects and spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Brummitt. They stated that they were well pleased with their new location and that their daughters, Misses Frances and Otha May, were also working. Mr. Grimes is employed at a carbon-black plant.

Their married daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Rowe, who were living in Fort Worth, are also new residents of Borger, where both are employed.

Latest donations received for the cemetery fence fund are: C. G. (Clinton) Leeth, Hamilton, \$10.00; C. J. Lackey, \$2.50, and Dewey Wilson, \$5.00, for which we sincerely thank all.

We are very glad to report Mr. Henry Wilson able to be up and about again.

New tomb markers in the Fairy cemetery which we believe we haven't mentioned are for Mrs. Katie Moore, Robert Hackett, Edd Mullens and double markers for Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson, and the Bill Shepherd lot.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham attended the funeral of Mr. Cecil Kavanaugh at Dallas Monday of last week.

Battleships of the IOWA class have as many as 1,556 telephones, and 155,600 feet of cable.

**HOUSE AND HOME**

By MARY E. DAGUE  
Author of Sister Mary's Kitchen

ANY woman who can dress herself attractively can furnish "decorate" her home attractively. When she shops for clothes she looks for style and good taste. She studies the lines and color with regard to their becomingness to herself and makes up her mind when she is satisfied on these points.

Shopping for house furnishings requires the same study because you are actually dressing your house.

The use of "style" in this connection means pattern and design rather than mode or fashion. Your sense of beauty in these fundamentals can be satisfied whether your budget is limited or lavish because American manufacturers are creating home furnishings of excellent design in all the price brackets.

Small rooms, just like small women, require very different treatment from large rooms. Heavy furniture, somber colors and thick draperies make a room seem smaller than it really is. Avoid stripes if your ceilings are high. Papers patterned with diamonds give a feeling of width and breadth without reducing the height of walls. Picture papers are most effective where feet, if any, pictures are used on the walls.

Furniture should be in scale with the size of the room.

Mirrors will create an illusion of space and if hung opposite a window in a dark room will do much to bring extra light into the room.

Color will work sheer magic in any room. Here again the size of the room must be considered because small rooms respond to gay clear colors and larger rooms to softer, duller tones. But no matter how large or small the room may be, any color you choose will be intensified at least twice when it is on four walls instead of one. All colors look many shades darker when four times reflected on the walls of a room.

The lighting of any room is of paramount importance. Lamps should fulfill a two-fold purpose—adequate illumination and decorative effect.

**Duffau**  
— By —  
Elmer Gliesecke

James Anderson was in Waco Monday on business.

Mrs. H. H. Talley returned Friday from Denton, where she had been for several days at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. William Powers, who has been seriously ill but is somewhat improved now. Mrs. Talley's grandson, Billie, returned home with her for a week's visit.

The Magnolia Petroleum Company has just completed the laying of a 12-inch pipe line through this community. That gives them an 8-inch, a 10-inch, and a 12-inch line on their right-of-way.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King and children of McGregor spent the week end with relatives here.

**Hats Off to Duffau!**

Duffau School has one of the most modern lunchrooms in Erath County, and possibly one of the best in the State. The equipment consists of a new gas range, 7-foot Serval Electrolux, hot water heater, sink, cabinet base and work bench, dish closet, and a large storage room that has recently been wired and has a light in it.

There are two dining tables, each 18 feet long, with benches made on both sides where the children can sit while eating lunch. These tables are covered on top with linoleum that makes them easy to clean.

There are 63 enrolled in school and for the month of September there was an average of 55 children served each day.

Mrs. Alice Price is supervisor. A Rhythm Band is being organized by Mrs. Price, which consists of the First and Second Grades.

Mr. Smith, coach, boys and girls from Bluff Dale came down Wednesday and played basketball. The Bluff Dale boys won 17 to 2, and Duffau girls won 16 to 8. Duffau goes to Bluff Dale Friday, Oct. 10, for the return visit.

The Duffau Fair was one of the most colorful events ever held in Duffau. Donald Anderson, 4-H Club boy, won first place on his Hereford calf. Dick Brown of Hico received first prize on hogs. But the fair was predominated by the ladies. Some of the most beautiful needlework, quilting and fancy work you ever saw was exhibited here, and the antiques were very numerous. We do not have the names of all the winners in the different departments.

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Notice how many homes and business buildings are being painted this Fall? Looks like the world is taking a brighter view of life, doesn't it? And you would be surprised how many of those jobs are being done with our paints and varnishes. Figure with us today.

**ROOFING —**

It's not best to wait for the rains and icicles to fix up that roof that's been neglected for so long. We are now receiving frequent shipments of roofing materials, including wood shingles as well as roll and composition roofing. Why not end all the worry and damage by telling us your roof troubles. Do it today!

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# Personals.

Mrs. Aubrey Duzan of Waco spent Thursday here with her mother, Mrs. McPherson.

Mrs. Roy French underwent surgery in the Holt Hospital in Meridian Tuesday and is reported to be improving nicely.

Miss Stella Jones, loyal correspondent for the News Review at Fredell, was in Hico Tuesday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Douglas Helvey of Lockhart came in last Friday for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Askey and daughter, Ann, of Waco spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Hico visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Herricks of Fort Worth visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and daughters, Donnie Nell and Jennie Lou of Carrollton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks.

T/Sgt. Lonnie Redden left last Friday by bus for Columbia, South Carolina, from where he expects to depart shortly for overseas service in Germany. He recently re-enlisted for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry W. Young Graves and sons, Jerry and Kenneth, spent Sunday in Fort Worth visiting with her brother, Carl Spaulding, and family. Jerry remained to enroll in the Brantley-Draughon Business College, and is staying in the home of Dr. Judson Prince, pastor of the Riverside Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

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Visitors this week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Russell are Mrs. L. E. Goff of Sherman and Mrs. O. B. Kell of Wichita Falls.

A little son, John Ray, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob McClure in the Hico Hospital on October 2. Grandparents in Hico are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Land and children of Texas City were here last week visiting in the home of Mrs. Land's mother, Mrs. T. B. Perry. They also visited with relatives in Stephenville and Meridian and Bruceville while on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones returned home last week from a trip to Richmond, Calif., where they visited in the home of their grand-daughter, Mrs. W. J. White. They also went to San Francisco to see their great-granddaughter Devalca White, who is in the Children's Hospital under treatment for polio. They reported Devalca improving as well as could be expected, and gradually gaining use of her limbs.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Blackburn Sunday were Mrs. Lena Collins of Breckenridge, her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Culberth of Killbuck, who also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry. Other visitors in the Blackburn home were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lee and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin and children of Fort Worth; Grandfather Lee of Claiborne, and Mrs. Bill Perry and I. A. Morgan, City. Mrs. Blackburn, Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Perry spent Monday in the Fred Blackburn home.

## Judge R. B. Cross to Be Honored On Radio Program Sunday

The radio program "An Orphan to You," over Station KWTX, Waco, will be dedicated to Judge R. B. Cross of Gatesville on Sunday, October 12. The program, written by Elizabeth Tiley Everett, will be on the air at 2:00 p. m.

Judge Cross has many friends and admirers, not only in his home town of Gatesville, but all over Central Texas, and his choice as the program honoree is certainly a popular one.

He is the second person from the Gatesville district to whom this program has been dedicated. Recently the program was dedicated to Mrs. Bruce Duncan, formerly Mrs. Clay McClellan.—The Gatesville Messenger.

## MRS. WALTER RAMEY HONORED WITH SURPRISE PARTY ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Walter Ramey was surprised last Saturday night, October 4, when a number of relatives and friends dropped in at her home here to honor her on her birthday.

Card games furnished amusement for the evening, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Top feature was a beautiful birthday cake made by Margie's grandmother.

The guests included the honoree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Welborn, and her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Y. G. Welborn; also Mr. and Mrs. Binous Tindall and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Reid, and Mrs. W. P. Tindall, all of Cranfills Gap; and her husband, Walter Ramey, and their young son, Ronald Sherman.



**ATOMIC MANAGER . . . Carl-ton Shugg, shipyards executive, who has been drafted by the United States atomic energy commission to serve as manager of its Hanford directed operation at Hanford, Wash.**

## Open House For Mrs. Chenault On 82nd Birthday

Mrs. Ethel Lackey, Mrs. S. W. Everett and Miss Florence Chenault honored their mother with an open house on her eighty-second birthday Sunday, October 5, at the home of Mrs. Everett.

Mrs. Everett was born in Nacogdoches in 1865 and came to Hamilton County in 1885 with her parents, settling near Fairy. She met and married the late John F. Chenault in 1888 and they moved to Hico in 1899.

The table centerpiece was of white carnations and fern which was ordered especially for the occasion by a much-loved niece, Mrs. J. H. Montgomery of Dallas, who was ill and could not be present. The birthday cake in the form of angel food squares was baked by Mrs. S. E. Blair Sr., who has been a close neighbor and friend for twenty-four years. Mrs. Blair and Miss Florence Chenault presided at the punch bowl. Miss Louise Blair had charge of the guest book. Others in the house party were Mrs. M. E. Wood, Mrs. Anna Wolfe and Mrs. Luey Cornelius.

Fifty-eight guests wished Mrs. Chenault "many more happy birthdays."

CONTRIBUTED.

## Church News

### First Baptist Church

Order of services for week beginning Sunday, October 12th:  
 Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
 Robert Jackson, Superintendent.  
 Morning worship at 11:00. Pastor's subject, "The Saints of God."  
 Training Union, 8:45 p. m.  
 Boyd McClure, Director.  
 Pastor's evening message at 7:30. Subject, "A Return to the Sanctuary."  
 Wednesday: Mid-week prayer service at 7:30 p. m.  
 If this is your "Church Home," or if you are not in regular service elsewhere, we cordially invite you to worship with us.  
 O. J. ROBINSON, Pastor.

### Pentecostal Church

Special services Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock, and Wednesday night at 7:00 o'clock.  
 Study School Service at 10:00 o'clock each Sunday morning.  
 Preaching hour, 11:00 Sunday morning, and preaching and singing begins at 7:00 o'clock Sunday night.  
 Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.  
 Everybody has a welcome to worship with us.  
 DOLLIE LINCX, Pastor.

### Church of Christ

Bible Study, 10:00 a. m.  
 Preaching, 11:00 a. m.  
 Communion, 11:45 a. m.  
 Preaching, 7:30 p. m.  
 J. P. WILLIAMS, Minister.

### Olin Baptist Church

Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.  
 Church Service, 11:00 a. m.  
 Training Union, 7:30 p. m.  
 Church Service, 8:15 p. m.  
 Come to all our services!  
 REV. JACK HULL, Pastor.

### Methodist Church

Church School 10 a. m. Tyrus King, Superintendent. A class and a place for all.  
 Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Each member of the church is urgently requested to be present. Visitors will find a big welcome awaiting them.  
 J. L. RAY, Pastor.

### Primitive Baptist

Regular meeting, second Sunday in each month; Saturday morning and Saturday night before in each month.  
 ELDER J. W. WEST, Pastor.

### First Christian Church

We invite you to hear Brother William Le May of Dallas preach each Sunday.  
 Sunday School begins at 10 o'clock, and preaching at 11.  
 Everyone is welcome, and especially do we invite each person who has no church home.

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 "JESSE JAMES RIDES AGAIN"**

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT ONLY—

**Robert Alda - Andrea King**

In—  
**"BEAST WITH FIVE FINGERS"**

SUNDAY AND MONDAY—

**Arturo De Cordova - Dorothy Patrick**

In—  
**"NEW ORLEANS"**

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY—

**"SPRINGTIME IN THE SIERRAS"  
 (In Trucolor)**

With—  
**Roy Rogers and Trigger**

## Clairette

By—  
 Mrs. H. Alexander

A large crowd attended church and conference here last Sunday at the Methodist church.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Stanford and son of Brownwood, T. L. Thompson of Fort Worth and little Donna Kay Thompson of Dublin, who is spending the week with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Austin of Bauxite, Ark. spent a few days this week in the home of her father, R. M. Alexander, Sheriff C. G. Alexander and wife of Waco also visited their father Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie McAnally of Brownwood is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McGough and children of Glen Rose spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wolfe.

Charline Sherrard visited with friends at Waco last Thursday. Mrs. Hub Alexander and daughter, Mrs. Nila Denton, were in Stephenville last Wednesday.

The Busy Bee Sewing Club met with Mrs. Mattie Wolsworth here at the luncheon at the school-house last Thursday afternoon. Several attended a Stanley Party at the home of Mrs. Zenith Johnson last Friday afternoon.

## STATEMENT

Of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Acts of March 2, 1932, and July 2, 1946, of THE HICO NEWS REVIEW, published weekly at Hico, Texas, for October 1, 1947.

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Roland L. Holford, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the co-publisher of The Hico News Review and that the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the acts of March 2, 1932, and July 2, 1946 (section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations), printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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**FOOTBALL TRAINING** . . . Navy football team went to work with saws on some of the large timber on Whidbey Island, north of Seattle, Wash., where they were in training.

## The Mirror

Published Weekly by Students of Hico High School

Editor—Marlene Adams  
 Reporters—  
 Senior—Patsy Roberts  
 Junior—Patsy Meador  
 Sophomore—Joan Malone  
 Freshman—Roline Chaney  
 F. F. A.—Wendell Burden  
 Homemaking—Loretta Funk  
 Band—Janelle Dowdy  
 Sports—Don Otis Eakins

### SENIOR NEWS

Well! Well! Believe it or not, we went to the State Fair at Dallas last Saturday, and everybody had a grand time.

The Seniors are debating on the matter of having an annual this year or not.

We are glad to have Joan G. lightly back in school, who has been absent because of illness.

We will be selling cold drinks and popcorn at the football game again Friday night.

### JUNIOR NEWS

Nearly everyone from the Junior class went to the Fair Saturday. They all had a good time, but you can tell they all came back tired and broke.

Well, our boys lost another football game Thursday night, but we have a lot more to go so we will win one, yet.

I think everyone is looking forward to the Halloween Carnival.

### SOPHOMORE NEWS

I think that I can say that we all had a good time at the State Fair, although we were so tired that we didn't feel like going to the show when we got back. I don't think that we would have gotten to go, anyway, with the money shortage.

We are really looking forward to beating Comanche Friday night. (We all hope).

We are dreading next week for it will be time for exams. That means some of us will really have to get down to work.

### FRESHMAN NEWS

We got off to the State Fair at 5:00 o'clock Saturday morning. Most of us were sleepy when we left. Some of the boys didn't even go to bed Friday night. After getting lost two or three times we finally got to the Fair Grounds. The buses were parked among many others. We were told to meet back at the buses at 5:00 p. m. Most of the kids divided into groups of two and three. We rode some of the rides and found the roller coaster most fun of all. Saturday morning, there were a lot of people there, but in the evening it was really packed. Most of us were ready to come home at the appointed time.

### BAND NOTES

Most of the members of the band

who are in High School got to go to the Fair. Mr. and Mrs. Macy went on one of the buses.

The band is playing again at the football game here Friday night.

### F. F. A. NEWS

The Chapter met October 1 and elected the following officers: President, Valmer Norrod; vice-president, Vernon Hill; secretary, Odell Terry; reporter, Wendell Burden; treasurer, Billy Jones; sentinel, Paul Allen; historian, Lester Simpson; second vice-president, Glen Ross; third vice-president, Bobby Ratliff.

Our Sweetheart for the coming year will be Wanda Nell Johnson. The Chapter is working hard trying to get their program of work set up. We are looking forward to a busy and efficient year of work.

### WORM'S EYE VIEW

Nilly's all excited. Why? Well, you're not the only one that went to the Fair. Nilly took it in, even the roller coaster. I thought that the kids in the halls from Hico High had, at one time or another, stepped on all my feet, but now I have decided that the people at the Fair are even better at stepping on my feet than the people at the Fair.

I saw Marie Ramey at the Fair and as usual she was telling one of her funny jokes. Really if you haven't heard Marie tell a joke, then you haven't lived a full life. If you don't believe she can make you laugh, then you should have seen me laugh at one of her jokes. All of my 25 aching feet (the 26th one was broken off) even wiggled with laughter. Marie has red-gold hair, but I have never seen her lose her temper. Really, she is swell!

### CRYSTAL BALL

Well, what have we here—a big bunch of sleepy-eyed kids? I even went to the Fair and now I know what those signal lights are for. That's where I rode!

At the Fair the people I see together are: Mary S. and Cecil W. T. and Bobby R.; Delores R. and James L.; Mildred E. and Charles G.; Marlene A. and Garland L.; also Stub F. looking everywhere for Patsy Tooley.

Thursday night at the football game I see Joan G. and Ray E.; Lucy T. and Ray M.; Joy Ann G. and Billy L.; and Jeanette D. and Fred S.

After they all got back from the Fair Saturday night I see these kids going to the midnight show: Jeane G. and Walter L.; Doris H. and Bulldog H.; Mary Nell B. and Harold N.; Patsy R. and Wendell K.; and La Verne P. and Ralph T.

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## Lost and Found

LOST: Black corde purse on Highway 108 between Stephenville and Mingo. Reasonable reward. Mrs. Ethel English, Box 41, Hico.

# IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Everett and daughter of Dallas spent the past Sunday here with relatives.  
 Oran Sparks left Tuesday for Amarillo to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Henderson.  
 Mrs. Squires returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where she had visited relatives.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McElroy and son of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Echols and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper and son were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. McElroy, the past Sunday.  
 Ab Appleby of De Leon was here this week.  
 Mrs. Jim Ford is visiting relatives in Matador.  
 Mrs. A. N. Pike and Mrs. Albert Pike were in Fort Worth Thursday.  
 Graham Appleby is able to be around with the aid of crutches. It will be remembered that he has had an injured heel for several months. It is some better now. All are glad he is better.  
 Bill Helm made a trip to East Texas Thursday. He was accompanied by his brother, J. G. Helm of Cranfills Gap.  
 Mr. W. H. Loader returned Friday from Dallas, where he has been in a hospital.  
 Mr. Will Morgan and son, Thomas, of Itasca were here this week end.  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Lynch of Walnut Springs are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lynch and her mother, Mrs. Lela Tidwell.  
 Mrs. Leo Johnson and children and her sister, Mrs. Arvol Nystel and children, all of Fort Worth, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Loader, this week.  
 The former Miss Doris Helm has a little daughter, born October 3. She and her husband live in Globe, Arizona.  
 Mrs. L. E. Davis and her son, L. E. Jr., and wife of Cleburne spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Rogers.  
 Miss Fitzhugh of Waco, a teacher in Sanger Avenue School, visited Mrs. Dan Pike Sunday.  
 Mrs. Bill Ekins and children of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sadler, and her brother.  
 There is an epidemic of colds in Iredell, but none are bad, all up and going.  
 Iredell football team played with the team from Tolar last Friday night and Iredell won the game 20-6. We are proud of our boys, hope they will win some more games.  
 Mrs. Alonzo (Pete) Musick was honored Thursday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Burns, who was assisted by Mrs. Howard, Verna Ruth, as she is called by all, received many nice and useful gifts and she was very proud of them. Mrs. Calvin Fossett of Clinton presided over the bride's book and Mrs. Howard over the punch bowl. Refreshments of punch, cookies and sandwiches were served. All enjoyed the shower.  
 Mrs. Pearl Thompson and son, Billy, wife and little daughter, and her sister, Miss Bobbie White, all of Stamford, spent the week end with their aunt, Mrs. Patterson, and family. Mrs. Pearl Thompson remained for a longer visit.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Echols and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gosdin and daughter, Miss Marie, spent Sunday in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brummel. Mr. and Mrs. Gosdin are Mrs. Brummel's parents.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelly and children of Denton spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. McAdoo.  
 Mrs. J. L. Goodman and daughter, Gay, of Hico spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Pike, and his mother, Mrs. Annie Goodman.  
 Mrs. Gregory of Walnut Springs was here Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holt of San Marcos spent the week end here.

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**Pneumonia Most Prevalent Through Winter Months**

Austin, Oct. 7.—According to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, pneumonia caused approximately 2,460 deaths during the past year in Texas, a total which is entirely too high. This disease is most prevalent during the winter and spring seasons.

Pneumonia is caused by a germ called pneumococcus, which many of us have lurking in our throats ready to start trouble, when our resistance to it is lowered. We can keep up our resistance by avoiding undue fatigue and unnecessary exposure to extreme weather conditions. When we go outside in cold weather sufficient wraps should be worn to protect us. Keeping the temperature of our homes as low as is consistent with comfort will greatly lessen the difficulties encountered in adjusting ourselves to the cold when we leave the house.

Another method of prevention in pneumonia is not to neglect a cold, for the common cold often results in pneumonia when neglected. A person with a severe cold should stay at home and call his physician for advice if temperature persists or the cold lingers on. He should follow his physician's advice until the cold has disappeared. A patient may really have beginning pneumonia when he thinks it is only a cold. If the physician's advice is sought, he will have an opportunity to start treatment early if pneumonia is present, or develops in such cases.

**WELL, IT LOOKS LIKE RAIN**

A Navy Seabee battalion had a practically fool-proof method of forecasting weather conditions at its North Pacific base.

"If the clouds are above the mountain," the Seabees used to say, "it will rain. If the clouds are below the mountain, it will rain. And if it isn't raining at the time, you know darn well it's going to rain!"



**INVESTIGATE GI GRIPE . . .** Max Sorensen, commander of the Catholic War Veterans, left, shown meeting Lt. Gen. John C. H. Lee, as he arrived at Rome to be the first to start investigation of the beefs and gripes of GI's serving under General Lee.



**OFF TO ARCTIC . . .** Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, army chief of staff, is on a month's air inspection tour of military establishments in Alaska. He is shown here waving farewell to the crowd who saw him off at Washington airport.



**OBSERVES 73rd BIRTHDAY . . .** Herbert Hoover, the nation's only living ex-president, smoking broadly as he observed his 73rd birthday in California. He used the occasion to hit out against Russia.

**Vacation Movies Shown Tuesday to B.&P.W. Members**

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. J. W. Richbourg, with Mrs. Richbourg and Mrs. L. J. Chaney serving as hostesses.

Delicious refreshments were served to the club members and their guests.

A short business meeting was held. The following new members were voted into the club: Mrs. John H. Munnerlyn, Mrs. Odie Petsick and Miss Geraldine Rohne.

Moving pictures of a recent vacation trip were shown by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lincoln.

REPORTER

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Corbett and Mr. and Mrs. E. Bradley spent Thursday at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas.



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EVERY gardener knows that plant diseases and pests never take a vacation so the gardener himself has to continue to spray and dust.

Spray or dust phlox with sulphur for mildew.  
Spray nasturtiums with nicotine for lice.  
Tobacco dust sprinkled on the ground around plants or along the row is effective for repelling such insects as flea beetles on cabbage, turnips and so forth and midge on roses.

It's a good idea to spray tomatoes, potatoes and celery with Bordeaux mixture against late blight. This is excellent for roses and delphiniums, too.

Where Japanese beetles abound they must be picked off or sprayed with a good insecticide.

Squash bugs can be trapped by laying shingles close to vines for the pests to gather on. Then bright and early the next morning you can dispose of the bugs.

As long as the weather stays dry a dust or spray will be effective for a considerable time. But just as soon as it rains, or when a new unprotected growth appears or when you discover a new lot of insects you will need to get to work with the spray-gun again.

The best time to dust and spray is in the late evening when the air is still. Then the dust hangs in the air and settles back on the plants.

Remember when you dust that enough is enough. It isn't necessary to coat the leaves so heavily that they look as if they'd been white-washed. If the air is still, a slight puff of the dust will put on enough powder or spray to kill insects or protect against disease.

Each day take a turn around the garden and snip off spent flower heads. In this way, annuals will continue blossoming and phlox will be prevented from starting unwanted seedlings.

In the vegetable garden check the growth of cabbages that begin to crack by bending them over until the root on one side breaks. Tie up cauliflower heads to blanch by pulling over leaves and tying.

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