

# ATTEND --- BOOST --- ENTER

## 10th Annual F.F.A Livestock Show---Thursday, March 21

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### Two Places to Be Filled In April 6th School Election

Local voters will fill two vacancies in the school trustee election...



GRADY HOOPER

tion, which will be held Saturday, April 6. The terms of V. H. Jenkins and Grady Hooper expire this year.

Jenkins has consented to run for re-election, while Hooper will not seek the post which he has held for the past 10 years.

In a statement to the school board, which met Tuesday night, Hooper said he felt that 10 years was long enough for anyone to serve on the board, and would not consider being a candidate this year.

Persons who wish to have their name placed on the ballot for one of the two places to be filled, have until March 27 to file. Prospective candidates must secure a petition signed by five qualified voters before they are eligible. The petitions may be turned in to either the County Judge, or the local secretary, Conda Salmon.

### Carlton Byrd-King Legion Post Observes 6th Anniversary

The Byrd-King American Legion Post 333 of Carlton joins the National American Legion in observing its 38th anniversary March 15 through 17, with their own 6th anniversary as one of 17,200 American Legion Posts throughout the nation.

The Carlton Post 333 was chartered in 1951 with 33 members and was named after Toby Byrd and Damon King, who were casualties of World War II.

Grady Land was the first Commander and has been succeeded by J. W. Jordan Jr., Bertie Barnett Jr., and J. T. Butler, who is the present commander.

Boy Scout Troop 116 of Carlton is sponsored by Byrd-King post as one of 4,300 Scout troops sponsored by the American Legion.

The Post has helped two needy families at Christmas, and at present is donating to the Child Welfare of a local veteran. The Post has requested to sponsor the TB N-Ray Mobile Unit in Hico later this Spring.

"The G. I. Bill of Rights is entirely the product of American Legion Enterprise. The Veterans Administration is a living monument to the American Legion. We invite all veterans in this area to join with us and help us render outstanding community service," commented Commander J. T. Butler.

The Carlton Post meets every fourth Monday night of each month.

Following is a list of members of the Byrd-King Post: James Youngblood, Jesse J. Cole, J. W. Jordan Jr., Eddie Conley, Ray L. Roberts, W. Cornelius, Conda Salmon, Ray Cheek, H. E. Davis, C. E. Roberts, Jess Reeves, J. T. Butler, Bertie Barnett Jr., Jim McKinney, T. T. Roberts, G. R. Lackey, E. V. Meador, O. W. Hefner Sr., Roy Williams, Orvil Reich, Sam O. Turner, and Leo Chambers.

### IS IT A RECORD?

Eugene Hicks, local breeder of registered Suffolk sheep, reports a high percentage lamb crop this Spring.

He has had six ewes to lamb so far, and they have thirteen off-springs. Five sets of twins and one set of triplets have been born.

Is it a record? Could be.

### Funeral Services Held Sunday Afternoon For Guy Aycock, 77

Final rites were conducted Sunday afternoon for Guy Aycock, 77, who passed away last Friday afternoon at his home in Hico. Services were conducted at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. Dwight Lusk officiating. Burial was in the Hico Cemetery.

Mr. Aycock, a prominent retired rancher and farmer, had been a resident of this area for 40 years. He was born January 20, 1880 in Fannin County, Texas.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Aften Aycock; one daughter, Mrs. Harry C. Alexander of Long Beach, California; one son, E. G. Aycock of Fort Worth; a sister, Mrs. Marnie Collins of Lubbock; a brother, Richard Aycock of Fort Worth; 7 grandchildren; and 4 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were J. B. Woodard, Harry Hudson, Ollie Davis, Fred Rainwater, E. R. Seago, and Richmond Herrington.

Named as honorary pallbearers were Henry Clark, George Cox, Lawrence Lane, Shirley Campbell and C. L. Woodward.

### Hamilton County Accident Report Released by Patrolmen

Patrolmen Bill Cooksey and J. D. Phipps of the Hamilton sub-station of the Texas Highway Patrol, released Hamilton County's Rural Traffic Summary for February.

The Highway Patrol investigated a total of 3 accidents with the following breakdown: 2 property damage, 1 personal injury, and no fatal accidents.

Patrolmen Cooksey and Phipps reported a total property damage of \$2825.00 with 1 person injured and none killed. This is an increase of one accident for the same period of 1956.

During February the local patrolmen made 94 arrests for the following violations: D. W. I. none; speeding, 73; improper passing, 5; wrong side of road, 3; defective equipment, 2; all other violations, 11.

# Large Entry Expected For F.F.A. Stock Show

The Hico F. F. A. Chapter's 10th Annual Livestock Show and Sale will be held Thursday, March 21, at the City Park, and indications are that the show will again attract a large number of entries from over the country. However, the entries are not expected to reach or exceed the record 300 of two years ago.

Harold Walker, Chapter Advisor, has mailed invitations to all vocational agriculture departments in this area, and to individuals who have sponsored entries in the show in previous years. The local chapter will also have several entries in the show, including the livestock which only last week won honors in the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Prize money for the various divisions in the show totals \$375.00 this year. It is broken down into the following brackets: Beef Division, \$110.00; Dairy Cattle, \$100.00; Sheep, \$50.00; Goats, \$25.00; Swine, \$60.00; Poultry, \$30.00; and dogs will again be awarded ribbons.

### WEATHER REPORT

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

Mar. 6	56	40	T
Mar. 7	48	33	T
Mar. 8	59	25	0.00
Mar. 9	67	34	0.00
Mar. 10	78	60	0.00
Mar. 11	85	54	0.50
Mar. 12	72	46	0.00

Total precipitation so far this year, 3.53 inches.

### Cubs Renew Charter At Tuesday Program

The Hico Cub Scout charter was renewed at a program at the First Methodist Church Tuesday night.

Dr. H. V. Hedges, institutional representative of the Boy Scouts, and Den Mothers Mrs. Ellis Randall and Mrs. Jack Malone conducted the program.

Toe Horton is Den Master of the local pack.

been earned by the chapter members in an effort to keep the project independent from outside aid.

All entries must be in place by 10 a.m. the morning of the show and remain until 4 p.m. Entries can be made at the show grounds. Only local projects will be offered for sale at the auction following the show.

Schedule of events are as follows:

Swine Judging, 10:00 a.m.  
Dairy Cattle, 1:30 p.m.  
Poultry, 1:30 p.m.  
Sheep, 11:00 a.m.  
Goats, 11:30 a.m.  
Beef Cattle, 2:30 p.m.  
Dogs, 3:00 p.m.  
Sale (Auction), 4:00 p.m.

The Hico show has proven to be one of the most popular on the Spring tour for exhibitors, and some of the best livestock in this entire area is expected to be entered.

### Candidate Withdraws From Race

Four names were left on the official city election ballot this week with the withdrawal from the race of Weldon Pierce. Pierce gave pressing business obligations as his reason for withdrawing.

The names which will appear on the ballot are D. E. Bulloch, W. H. Greenslit, Wayne Rutledge, and P. W. Hamilton. Bulloch is seeking re-election.

Pierce had served on the council for 8 years, and had filed for re-election. Bulloch is seeking his second term of office, while Rutledge and Hamilton are asking for their first terms as councilmen. Greenslit served four years as mayor, from 1950 until 1954.

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### Fire Destroys Edwards Home

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the home of Rice Edwards early last Tuesday morning. Mr. Edwards was awakened by his dog and escaped with only his clothing. The house and all the contents were destroyed.

Mr. Edwards had just recently purchased the home, known as the Calder place, on the Stephenville highway. The house was completely destroyed by the time firemen arrived.

### Council Candidate Has Message To Local Voters

TO THE PEOPLE OF HICO: This is written to dispel any rumors which you may have heard. I am a candidate for City Councilman at the request of my friends who believe in my integrity, and for no other reason.

I am not obligated to any individual or organized group. I have no criticism to offer toward the present administration of City government. I am confident I can work with the mayor and councilmen, without agitation or confusion.

I have nothing to promise you; except honesty, prayerful and deliberate consideration on any matter that may confront the council. Fair and impartial consideration to all, regardless of wealth, social or religious standings.

If you want me under these conditions, and I am elected, I will serve you faithfully.

Respectfully,  
P. W. HAMILTON.

### Emergency Feed Program Extended

A telegram early Thursday morning from Congressman Omar Burleson, to the News Review, revealed the following information about the drought relief program in Hamilton County:

"Announcement has just been made by the Agriculture Department that emergency feed grain program in Hamilton County is extended. Extension applicants may file thru April 1, for supply of feed grain necessary to carry base livestock herds through April 15th."

### Mr. and Mrs. Ganske Purchase Reed Laundry

Announcement has been made of the sale of Reed Laundry to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ganske of Elgin. Mr. and Mrs. Reed, who have moved to Hamilton, sold the laundry to the Ganskes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ganske and three children also purchased the Reed home that adjoins the laundry.

### Rev. John Shuler Will Preach Revival Services At Methodist Church

Rev. John Shuler, pastor of First Methodist Church, Paris, will lead revival services at First Methodist Church of Hico next week.

The revival will begin Sunday morning, March 17, at the regular worship hour. However, Rev. Shuler will preach for the first time in the services at the evening hour, Monday at 7:30. He will continue leading the services each evening at 7:30 through Sunday, March 24.

Morning services will be held at 7:00 a.m., Monday through Friday, and will last for thirty minutes. Free doughnuts and coffee will be served from 6:45 until 7:00 and again for a brief period after 7:30.

Morgan Garrett, local pastor, will preach during both Sunday services and in the Monday morning service, and Rev. Shuler will preach during the remainder of the week.

The pastor and officials and members of the congregation extend a cordial invitation to all to attend these services.



REV. JOHN SHULER  
... Preacher.



REV. MORGAN GARRETT  
... Song Leader



JUNIOR BOYS—Who are expected to help the varsity team considerably in years to come are, standing, left to right: Billy Archie, Lee Blue, Tommy Cain, Mitchell Mayfield, Bobby Boone, Neil Ellis, and Coach Jimmy Keeling. Bottom row, left to right: Mark McIlroy, Royce Adkison, Douglas Kilcrease, R. B. McClure Jr., Roy Bright, Fieldon Haley, and Monty Ogle.



FUTURE TIGERS—Pictured above are members of the Junior High School basketball team, which will be depended upon to furnish material for future high school teams. Pictured are, standing, left to right, Coach Clarence Watson, Loretta McCandless, Jan Hooper, Margaret Warren, Kathy Higginbotham, Linda Patterson, Clara Hyles, Nelda Arnold. Bottom row, left to right: Kay Yocham, Shelia Partain, Loretta House, Jean Ables, Joy Little, Marie Bullard and Diann Howerton.

(Photo by Reed Studio)





**THE RIGHT NUMBER**—Tom Ewell made no mistake in passing along this call to glamorous Jayne Mansfield, with whom he co-stars along with Edmond O'Brien in the color comedy "The Girl Can't Help It," playing Friday and Saturday at Hico Theatre. The hilarity of this romantic farce is highlighted by fourteen rock 'n' roll songs sung by the top recording artists in the rhythm field today.



**A STRANGE AND COOLING FEELING**—Is the sensation Baby Doll (Carroll Baker) describes to the stranger (Eli Wallach) in a scene from the production, "Baby Doll," reportedly Tennessee Williams' boldest. Karl Malden stars as Miss Baker's husband in the story of a nineteen year old girl caught in the conflict of an unfulfilled marriage. The picture shows Saturday Midnight, Sunday and Monday at the Hico Theatre.



**PERIL**—Is all in the day's work for Dana Andrews, starred as a big-town newspaper columnist and crime expert in "While the City Sleeps," with a multi-celebrity cast of topflight Hollywood players, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at Hico Theatre.

**Three Late Releases Scheduled Next Week At Hico Theatre**

Three of the movie industries' newest and most-talked about films are scheduled next week at the Hico Theatre.

The first of the three, "The Girl Can't Help It," plays Friday and Saturday. Twentieth Century-Fox hits the rock 'n' roll jackpot in "The Girl Can't Help It," starring Tom Ewell, Jayne Mansfield and Edmond O'Brien. Fourteen of the hottest musical artists on the jazz scene today, such as Julie London, Ray Anthony, Fats Domino, The Platters, Barry Gordon, Little Richard, Gene Vincent, The Treniers, Eddie Fontaine, The Chuckles, Abbey Lincoln, Johnny Olen, Nino Tempo and Eddie Cochran, appear in the picture.

If you like rock 'n' roll the picture is a "must."

Saturday Midnight, Sunday and Monday finds the movie playing at the local theatre which has caused so much comment nation-wide. The film story is said to be one of the boldest ever made. It is Elia Kazan's "Baby Doll," starring Karl Malden and Carroll Baker.

The film is recommended as adult entertainment.

"While the City Sleeps," the new picture which plays Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at Hico Theatre, is potent entertainment for thrill-chasers and fans who like realistic murder mysteries.

John Barrymore Jr. is convincing as the psychopathic criminal. Dana Andrews has the role of columnist, news-telecaster who traps the assassin with the help of a police criminologist portrayed by Howard Duff. Vincent Price is seen as the publisher-tycoon and Rhonda Fleming portrays his glamorously treacherous wife.

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MORTON'S 1 OZ. <b>Black Pepper</b> . . . . . 19¢	<b>HUNTS 2 1/2 SIZE PEACHES</b> . . . . . <b>2-55</b>	FRESH GROUND <b>Meat</b> . . . . . lb. 29¢
ANY FLAVOR <b>Jello</b> . . . . . 3/25¢		BEEF <b>Ribs</b> . . . . . lb. 21¢
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Directed by FRITZ LANG

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# FAIRY

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

had freezing temperatures Thursday night, with plenty in evidence and frost was reported in some places. We the fruit crop wasn't too bad-damaged. Some fruit trees were

in full bloom. Many fruit trees and also shade trees have died during the past year due to the drouth. We received about 7 of an inch of rain here Sunday night, which

will be very beneficial to grain and grasslands. We were sorry to learn of the passing of Guy Aycock of Hico and extend sympathy to his bereaved wife and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Ovie Clark spent last Sunday visiting in the homes of their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Clark and baby and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark of Handley and Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Abel of Fort

Worth visited during the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abel and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover received word early last week that his brother, Clyde Hoover of Dallas was in a Dallas hospital having suffered another heart attack. Clyde has been ill for several years. He was reared in the community and his many friends here hope he will soon be much improved and able to return to his home.

Carl Ray Sellers carried his son, Jimmie Don, to the Kooken and Cleveland Clinic at Hamilton Monday morning where a sliver of steel was removed from his eye. He had complained of the eye hurting since returning home from school on Friday. Since the steel sliver had not been visible to the parents, they were treating his eye, but seeing no improvement they took him to the clinic, where the steel sliver was found to have penetrated the eye ball near the pupil.

Judy Thornton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thornton of the South Lanham community and a pupil of the Fairy school received a broken bone in her wrist one night last week while skating at Hico. The accident happened when a younger unexperienced child grabbed her and caused her to fall. She was taken to the Hico Hospital where the limb was set.

The writer was in Dublin last Saturday where we visited in the home of our daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and Darrel, who was home for the week end from Fort Worth where he is attending TCU.

We have had a lot of illness in the community due to cold and virus. Mr. Willie Turner has been under treatment at the Hico Clinic for a severe cold. Mrs. Oran Williford has laryngitis and their two children have been under treatment at the Hico Clinic for virus colds, but glad to report all better.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanes were in Gatesville last Thursday to attend the funeral of his aunt's husband, Mr. Jenkins of Waco. Interment was in Jonesboro cemetery. Mrs. Jenkin's first husband, Andrew Thompson, who passed away 22 years ago, was a brother of Mr. Hanes' mother, Mrs. H. H. Hanes of Jonesboro. Mrs. Jenkins is the former May Dooley of Jonesboro. The Dooley family are pioneer residents of the Jonesboro community. Grandmother Dooley, mother of Mrs. Jenkins, is still living and resides there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abel of El Paso returned home the first of the week after spending a two-week leave here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Ables of the Dry Fork community and Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark and family of near Fairy. Mrs. Ables is the former Miss Shirley Clark.

The writer attended singing last Sunday afternoon at Lund Valley Baptist Church. After singing hours we visited with Mrs. Minnie McCarty in Hamilton.

Pvt. Billy Daniel of Fort Hood visited a while Sunday afternoon with his father at Hico, and was a supper guest in our home before returning to camp Sunday night.

Mr. Elry Leonard, who is now a patient at the Meridian rest home, was able to be brought home for a visit with his family last Sunday week. They also carried him to Hamilton where he visited a while in the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Dansbee and children, Connie, Larry and Patsy visited recently in Roswell, N. M. in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Dansbee and son. They made the acquaintance of their first grandchild, born to the Don Dansbee recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Olga Duncan spent Saturday night and Sunday in Fort Worth visiting in the homes of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McKandless and family and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lackey received an announcement this week of the approaching marriage of Marshall Wayne Crow of Grand Prairie, to Miss Nancy Rae Gill, also of Grand Prairie. Marshall Wayne is the son of the late J. D. Crow, formerly of Fairy. The wedding will take place March 24 at 3 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Grand Prairie. The future bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Laroy Gill of Grand Prairie.

### Hico Church of Christ

J. B. TOMLINSON, Minister

Schedule on Lord's Day:  
Bible School, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching and Communion 10:45 a.m.  
Young People Service—7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship—7:30 p.m.  
Ladies' Bible Class, Tuesday at 3:00 p.m.  
Mid-Week Service—7:30 p.m.

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WHEREAS: Through the mysterious dispensation of the supreme Grand Master of the Universe, our beloved and honored Bro. Gus G. Montgomery has been called from "labor" and has entered into the reward of the faithful. The tread of his valuable life has been broken, his manly spirit has winged its way to the merciful keeping of our God who gave it. The mystic cord by which we were bound together in fraternal fellowship is severed, and we his fellow craftsmen, are left to mourn his untimely fate.

AND WHEREAS: His life was a veritable fountain of good and splendid achievements, and the influence of his noble character will flow along the stream of time like rippling waters—pure, refreshing, and beautiful. Therefore be it,

RESOLVED: That we offer our deepest sympathy to Miss Etta Montgomery, his sister, and to the other relatives, in the loss of this, their loved one. Resolved, secondly, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Hico News Review for publication; a copy given to the family, and a copy spread on the minutes of our lodge.

Fraternally Submitted,  
PAUL W. HAMILTON  
ROBERT B. JACKSON  
BARTO B. GAMBLE  
Committee.

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Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
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# Subscription Counter Is Busy Place...

Subscriptions have been coming in at a rapid pace since our last report, nearly two months ago. Over sixty new and renewals were received over the counter in a single week during that period.

Mrs. W. J. White of Houston sent a check for her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Jones. But unknowingly to Dorothy, Mrs. Jones had already renewed so we just applied the amount onto the Whites' time. Mrs. C. W. Polk will also receive the News Review for the coming year, courtesy of the Whites.

Mrs. Watt Ross was in the office recently to renew her paper and also to renew that of her daughter, Nadine (Mrs. Jack Moffett of Dallas).

A note from Weldon Houston of San Jose, California, said in part "Enclosed find check for \$5.00 to start me back on the wagon again. We have really been busy out here and things in San Jose are growing by leaps and bounds. However I still have an interest in the growth of Hico."

Mr. E. Koenig of Route 4 was another to renew recently. The subscription clerk could talk to Mr. Koenig for hours as he has had so many experiences to recall during the past eighty seven years of his life. Mr. Koenig, who was born in Germany and came to this country as a young boy, can tell many interesting stories about his old country.

Mrs. T. B. Perry of Hico renewed the subscription of her daughter, Mrs. Homer Wilson of Arlington, recently.

Mr. Hub Alexander of Hico sent a year's subscription to his sister, Mrs. Lon Austin of Bauxite, Arkansas, and the following week we received a check from Mrs. Austin. We just marked Mrs. Austin up for two years, and now she won't have to worry until 1937.

Maurice Fields of Route 3 has been sent a birthday subscription to the NR by his daughter, Mrs. Boyd Lowry.

E. C. Shaffer of Dallas wrote the following note when sending in a renewal to his paper: "Keep the NR coming to our house. It's a welcome visitor with all the home-town news and surrounding communities. The historical and spiritual topics written by Revs. Dawson and Garrett gives to your paper a pleasing flavor."

Miss Patty Dunlap of Fort

Worth will receive the paper, compliments of her family, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Dunlap of Iredell.

A gift subscription to Mrs. Willard Tressler of Jennerstown, Pa., the former Margaret Ellis, has been entered by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis.

Another gift sub is being sent Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers from her mother, Mrs. Eunice Daniel.

"Hello Holford," is the heading of a nice letter from W. W. Allison of Baytown, when sending in his renewal for the NR. "I am enclosing a check for another year. I really enjoy reading the paper, especially the Fairy news." (You're way behind times, Pee Wee. The Holfords haven't been around for two years and three months, but we're glad to note your interest in the old home town. The Holfords are now back in business, having purchased the Meridian Tribune the first of January. Anyway it was perhaps an honest mistake, and we forgive all. Come to see us whenever you're visiting Uncle Ed.)

Other new and renewal subscriptions received since last report are hereby gratefully acknowledged:

- Mrs. Myrtle Enger, Brady
- A. J. McElroy, Iredell
- A. C. O'Dell, Route 6
- Leslie New, Route 3
- Ruth Phillips, City
- J. W. Lovell, Cleburne
- Mrs. Benn Gleason, Route 3
- Mrs. Mary Horton, San Angelo
- Frank Allen, Iredell
- H. D. Haught, Iredell
- Virgil Chew, Route 3
- E. L. Barrow, Fort Worth
- M. M. Ables, Route 3
- Alc W. O. Templeton, San Francisco, California
- W. H. Land, Route 5
- Donald Lewis, Fort Worth
- Fred Anderson, Carlton
- Wade Anderson, Route 4
- G. W. Oxley, Route 6
- H. H. Ramage, City
- J. B. Wooten, Route 1
- Wade Greenalt, City
- Hub Alexander, Route 7
- Willard Sellman, City
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- Mrs. Orvie Morrison, Stephenville
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- J. T. Thornton, Route 3
- Jim Land, Route 4

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- Richard Garza, Route 1
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- Mrs. Frank Tyler, Route 3
- W. C. Rogers, Route 5
- Roy J. Davis, Fort Worth
- Gene Simpson, Fort Worth
- Nat Grimes, Alamogorda, N. M.
- Leslie Arrant, Route 3
- C. G. Warren, Route 7
- T. R. Chappell, Sonora
- Mrs. W. H. Chapman, Roscoe
- J. W. Leeth, City
- Miss Nettie Wieser, City
- W. J. Driver, Route 3
- P. B. Bolton, Route 6
- J. W. Jordan, Route 2
- B. D. Corrigan, Hamilton
- Mrs. W. C. Fouts, Route 4
- S. R. Witt, Route 7
- Luther Knox, Fort Worth
- E. B. Foster, Arlington
- Mrs. May McChristial, Stephenville
- W. T. Rodgers, City
- A. J. Patterson, Route 6
- Ernest Jacobs, Route 2
- M-Sgt. Clyde Grimes, Shreveport, La.
- Rev. C. W. Pittman, Vanderbilt
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- V. L. Spaulding, Route 5
- Sonny Christian, Route 4
- Mrs. O. H. Brummett, Route 3
- Cecil Cunningham, Picocho, N. M.
- E. A. Koonman, Iredell
- Grace M. Roberts, Palm Springs, Calif.
- Dr. W. F. Hafer, Route 3
- Miss Ira Cunningham, City
- Elton Sanford, Route 6
- Jake Eubank, Odessa
- George Kilgo, Route 6
- Louis Abel, Grand Prairie
- Stanley Giesecke, Route 5
- Mrs. Audrey Elkins, City
- Earl Montgomery, Meadow
- W. J. Hinson, Meadow
- Oris Bakke, Iredell
- Jack Thompson, Route 5
- F. D. New, Route 7
- Mrs. Tom Johnson, Route 7
- C. C. Parr, Route 4
- Mel Giesecke, Route 5
- J. T. Alexander, Fort Worth
- Francis A. Michael, Hayward, Calif.
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- Frank Hanes, Fairy
- T. E. Howerton, Route 7
- J. T. Abel, Route 3
- Miss Grace Simpson, Dallas
- Fred L. Driver, Stephenville
- V. D. Duzan, Plainview
- S. E. Blair Sr., Hico
- D. E. Bulloch, City
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- Elton Slaughter, City
- Mrs. Hord Randals, City
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- A. C. Coffman, Route 2
- Mrs. Ralph Hubbard, Fort Worth
- Fred Cooper, Route 4
- Don Ross, City
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- Mrs. John F. Ogle, Route 5
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- Mrs. J. W. Jones, City
- J. B. Cunningham, Route 3
- Mrs. Montie Reeves, Fort Worth
- J. D. Jones, City
- Walter Patterson, Route 2
- Mrs. Homer Wilson, Arlington

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- Edgar Elliott, Route 4
- Jack Blakley, Iredell
- G. C. Rhodes, Fort Worth
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- Travis Holley, Route 4
- Kay Jernigan, Denton
- Ernest Hanshow, Iredell
- Mrs. C. W. Polk, City
- W. J. White, Houston
- E. Koenig, Route 5
- P. H. Cody, Route 6
- Johnny Kilcrease, City
- Claude Rainwater, Route 7
- Justin Bullard, Route 3
- Mrs. Geo. Morris, Route 1
- Robert A. Wells, Meridian
- Mrs. Pat Harris, Midland
- Ray Crook, Iredell
- C. E. Arnold, Route 6
- Mrs. Bessie Jordan, Cleburne
- Mrs. L. J. Simpson, Iredell
- Sam Tudor, Carlsbad, N.M.
- Mrs. J. P. White, Lamesa
- Mrs. C. L. Kinser, Route 6
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- Weldon Houston, San Jose, Calif.
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- C. E. Guthrie, Route 4
- Mrs. Alice Hefner, Route 4
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- Mrs. Watt Ross, City
- Mrs. Jack Moffett, Dallas
- L. Hunter, Jonesboro
- J. H. Noonkester, Route 5
- Mrs. Kavanaugh, Hamilton
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- Sam Simpson, Iredell
- Roy Seal, City
- Herrington's Grocery, City
- Mrs. J. F. Thomas, Iredell
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- C. W. Luckie, Route 3
- Mrs. Mary Rainwater, Route 3
- Mrs. E. G. McDowell, Fort Worth
- Leighton Guyton, Louisville, Ky.
- Mrs. James Hauknight, Ganado
- Mrs. Andy Hutton, City
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- Morse Ross, City
- Mrs. J. A. Hughes, City
- R. S. Hutton, City
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- Mrs. James Bernhardt, Clifton
- Roy Glover, City
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- John Trammell, City
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- Mrs. Hattie Norton, Fort Worth
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- Clayton Lambert, Fort Worth
- Mrs. M. E. Parks, Fairy
- Bill Roberts, Walnut Springs
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- Lone Star Gas Co., Cleburne
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- P. C. Carr, Route 7 Dublin
- T. M. Nolan, Route 3
- Ed Lively, City
- Fred Duncan, Irving
- Deck Coffman, Hamilton
- Mrs. B. J. Parks, Route 3
- Rex Ellis, Route 4
- Mrs. Willard Tressler, Jennerstown, Pa.
- E. C. Shaffer, Dallas

## Clairette Baptist Church Participating In Texas Baptist Program

The Clairette Baptist Church is participating in the 1937 Texas Baptist General Convention Town and Country Achievement and Recognition Program. A large metal highway display sign is given to the winners in each of the three levels of competition. The pastor of the winning church will receive a scroll and the State winner will speak at the annual state convention.

Each church participating in the program sets up goals in the three general phases of activity. The 3 phases are: Toward a Better Church; Toward a Better Community; and Toward a Better World.

Growth of interest in the movement is shown by an increase from 48 churches to the present 161, and a goal of 300 churches.

## OBSERVER CORP TO MEET MARCH 21

Chief Observer George has announced that the Ground Observers Corp will meet Thursday night, March 21, at City Hall.

The public is invited to these important meetings.

## Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE: 10 in. John Hammermill, practically new. B. J. Parks, Rt. 3, Hico, Tex.

participating has been set for this year in Texas. Mrs. Bill Christian has made chairman of the Clairette Church General Progress Committee. Rev. Roline Chaney is pastor of the Clairette Church.

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Spaghetti	15c	Orange Ju.	3/49c
300 SIZE RANCH STYLE		SUNKIST	
Beans	2/25c	Lemons	2 lbs. 25c
300 SIZE UNCLE WILLIAM		FRESH-BUNCH	
Hominy	3/25c	Radishes-Onions	5c
REG. SIZE WAXTEX		CHUCK	
Wax Paper	2/37c	Roast	lb. 39c
303 LIBBY'S		BOSTON BUTT	
Fruit Cocktail	23c	Pork Roast	lb. 39c

## FREE-FREE SATURDAY, MARCH 16 ONLY

West Feed Mill will give away, free of charge, 25 BABY CHICKS with the purchase of 50 lbs. of Special Broiler Starter at \$2.50 per 50 lbs. At the Herrington's Feed and Farm Store (Old Ice Plant.)

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# CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION



## Young Couples Club Has Saturday Meeting

Much fun was enjoyed by the Young Couple's Club Saturday night at the Clairette Community Center.

Games of Canasta, 42, and Rook were enjoyed. Refreshments of hot dogs, potato chips, cold drinks and pie were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Sonny Christian, Mrs. Dwain Wolfe, Mrs. Milton Dunlop, Mrs. Harold Walker and Mrs. Ralph Turner.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Golightly, Mr. and Mrs. John Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Von Scott, Mr. and Mrs. George Kilgo, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonner, Mr. and Mrs. John Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Partain.

Everyone is invited to attend these parties.

CLUB REPORTER.

## Mrs. Harry Hudson Entertains Bridge Club

Mrs. Harry Hudson was hostess to the Luncheon Bridge Club Wednesday of last week. The serving table was decorated with a centerpiece of yellow jonquils flanked by yellow tapers.

Places were laid for Mrs. T. E. Roberts, Mrs. Bill Howard, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. H. V. Heuges, Mrs. Ellis Randals, Mrs. W. F. Hafer and two guests, Mrs. May Bates and Mrs. J. W. Fairry.

Mrs. Randals held a high score and Mrs. Howard was second high.

## Helping Hand Class Enjoys Regular Social

The Helping Hand Class of the Methodist Sunday School met in the church annex Monday evening for their regular monthly business and social meeting. Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Lucy Barrow served as hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Iva Cunningham. Songs were sung by the group, with Mrs. John Rusk at the piano. Scripture was led by Miss Cunningham with the class repeating together this chapter. Prayer was led by Mrs. Jessie Blumberg, Mrs. N. L. French, secretary, and Mrs. John Rusk, treasurer, gave their reports. Reports were also given by various committees. The revival meeting was discussed and plans were made. The class motto was repeated at the closing of the business meeting.

A social hour was enjoyed by the group following the business. The serving table was covered with a white cloth with a centerpiece arrangement of lovely spring flowers. Refreshments of cream cheese sandwiches, pickles, toasted pecans, cookies and fruit punch were served to the 15 members present.

REPORTER

## Former Hico Man Passes Away

Mark Wilkinson, former resident of Hico, suffered a fatal heart attack March 7 while fishing near his home at Sherwood, Texas.

Mr. Wilkinson is survived by his wife, the former Claude Cox and 6 children. Burial was at Big Lake.

## Card of Thanks

Our hearts are filled with sincere appreciation for all who expressed their love and sympathy in so many comforting ways during the sickness and loss of our beloved wife and mother. We are deeply grateful to all of you.

THE FAMILY OF MRS. TULL THOMPSON

## Iredell Baptist Church

Charles Rice, Pastor  
John Trueblood, Music DL

Revival services are continuing this week, with Dr. Richard H. Poss of Costa Mesa, Calif., leading. John Trueblood is in charge of music. Services are being held nightly at 7:45, and will continue through Sunday, March 17.

## Youth Fellowship

Friday night, youth night during the revival, we will have a fellowship for the young people of the community. Some exciting plans are being made. You won't want to miss it.

Eighteen young people attended the retreat at Latham Springs Friday and Saturday.

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Junior Choir: 5:45 p.m.  
Training Union: 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.  
Youth Fellowship: 8:30 p.m.

## South Hico Club Entertained Thursday by Mrs. W. R. Churchill

The South Hico Home Demonstration Club met March 7 in the home of Mrs. W. R. Churchill with seven members and three guests present.

Mrs. R. L. French gave an interesting demonstration on how to stop bleeding. Mrs. Fred Hyles spoke on what to do in case of snake bite.

Mrs. N. H. Connally urged all club members to do all they could to see that all local school children that have not had polio shots to take them. The club will work with the school on this project.

The hostess served cake and coffee to the following: Mrs. R. L. French, Mrs. Fred Hyles, Mrs. W. A. Moss, Mrs. Cyrus King, Mrs. N. H. Connally, Mrs. Loyal Carr, Mrs. Paul Hyde and daughter from Louisiana.

The next meeting will be March 21 at the home of Mrs. Loyal Carr with Mrs. Vivian Blair, County Home Demonstration Agent, being present.

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Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith of New Braunfels spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bass.

Mr. and Mrs. Lelon Wolfe and sons, Waylon and Joe Lynn, of Jalisco, visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hipp and Jackie and Mrs. Willie Shaffer of Big Spring visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shaffer and other relatives recently.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wright Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wright and son from Fort Worth. Mrs. Tinnie Partain and Mrs. Marion Agee of Hamilton.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Mattox and Mrs. Frank Schiller of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Smart of Bluff Dale and Mr. and Mrs. John G. Jackson of Leona.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cheek and children, Janice and Jimmy, of Paris, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cheek Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Wright. They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheek and children.

Mrs. Walter B. Griffin of Fort Worth visited here last week in the home of Mrs. O. E. Meador. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Edith Reed, who had been visiting in the home of Mrs. Meador.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Goodloe were Mrs. Ray Carlile and Carl, Sammy Tiner, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Goodloe and sons, Roy and Ben all of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark High, Patsy and Judy of Bowie.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Witt were Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Witt, Lou Ann, and Sandra Williams of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Robinson, Joan and Teresa of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Witt and Anada of Duffau.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Adecock were her sons and families, Finis Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Theleton Bullard, all of Holladay.

Mrs. Lee Trantham, who has been ill, is reported to be improving.

## Activities Of First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Youth Choir, 6:30 p.m.  
Training Union, 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.

TUESDAY:  
W. M. U.; W. M. S., 2:00 p.m.  
Sunbeams, 4:00 p.m.  
Junior G. A., 4:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:  
Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal, 8:30 p.m.

The Sweetheart Banquet was well attended with 62 youth and workers present.

The Hamilton County Baptist Association will have its first Youth Rally on March 23rd at Littleville Baptist Church. This rally will be held each fourth Saturday evening in one of the churches of the association.

The Junior Choir, under the direction of Mrs. E. Bradey, will sing at the Sunday evening services.

Pastor's sermon subjects: "A Place of Rest," morning service; "Reward for the Faithful," evening service.

Thought for the week: "Reverence is the very first element of religion; it cannot but be felt by every one who has the right views of the divine greatness and holiness, and of his own character in the sight of God."

## Flowers For Spring

The quality of Spring is spiritual. The first sign stirs a deep hidden hope in the heart of the gardener. Whether it be the song of a bird or the piercing upward of a tiny flower, it brings hope and faith too.

The flower box campaign for Hico is coming along nicely. The list of citizens promising to have some kind of planted box is growing in interest. We suggest the box be made of wood, metal, cement, or split oil drums, painted, which can be very attractive. Barnes & McCullough has offered to cut each piece of wood material for boxes in whatever size box desired, at a discount.

Plants that grow well and take the summer heat are petunias, geraniums, verbenas, and periwinkles.

Who can look backward when a new Spring offers new promise.

HICO GARDEN CLUB CIVIC COMMITTEE.

Mrs. Deffie Nix spent the week end with Mrs. Ethel Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Patterson of Alexander visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Penn Blair.

Mrs. Sandy Ogle and Mrs. Sarah Reeves were in Waco Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Harris of Albany were visitors in Hico Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Batchelor and family of Fort Worth were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hatcock and family.

Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hatcock and family Sunday night were Mrs. Margaret Tolliver and W. D., and Mrs. Alice Lovell of Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ratliff of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ratliff. Mrs. Bobby Ratliff remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. Gladys Munsinger of Hesse and her mother, Mrs. Ophelia Upham of Carlton and Mrs. Clyde Graves of Gordon visited Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Pollard.

## Former Resident Visits

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchens and two sons of New York visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Holladay and family. Mrs. Hutchens will be remembered here as the former Miss Juliet Grey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Grey, former Hico residents, who also now reside in New York.

Mrs. Alice Lovell of Cleburne visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smart.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen last week was their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Owen of Westmorland, Calif. They also visited in Amarillo and will visit in Port Arthur and Corpus Christi en route home. Other guests in the Owen home were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jones of Galveston.

## Visits in Houston

Miss Carolyn Holford is visiting in Houston this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Landfear.

## In Dallas Tuesday

Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Bill Howard, Mrs. Bill Stearman and Mrs. Frank Bonner were in Dallas Tuesday to attend a style show held at the Oak Cliff Country Club.

Miss Jean Sherrard, student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hershall Sherrard, Sylvia and Roland.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Simpson and Lester Simpson of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. David Box and Carolyn of Hamilton.

## Last Will And Testament . . .

By MORGAN GARRETT

I bequeath to the members of my family a store of memories. These memories will be their possession forever. Nothing can give them escape from these memories if they are bad, nothing can rob them of these memories if they are good. I have no choice about leaving memories, because I am living out the experiences day by day which will make up these memories.

What kind of memories will I bequeath to my family? Will they be memories that I cared for their material needs, and told them not to bother me for companionship? Will they be memories of countless occasions when I said, "I do not have time," when other members of the family requested time together for family companionship? Will they be memories of many declarations of love which were denied by acts of sullenness and fractiousness and indifference? Or will they be memories of happy times shared, of patient love and tender thoughtfulness?

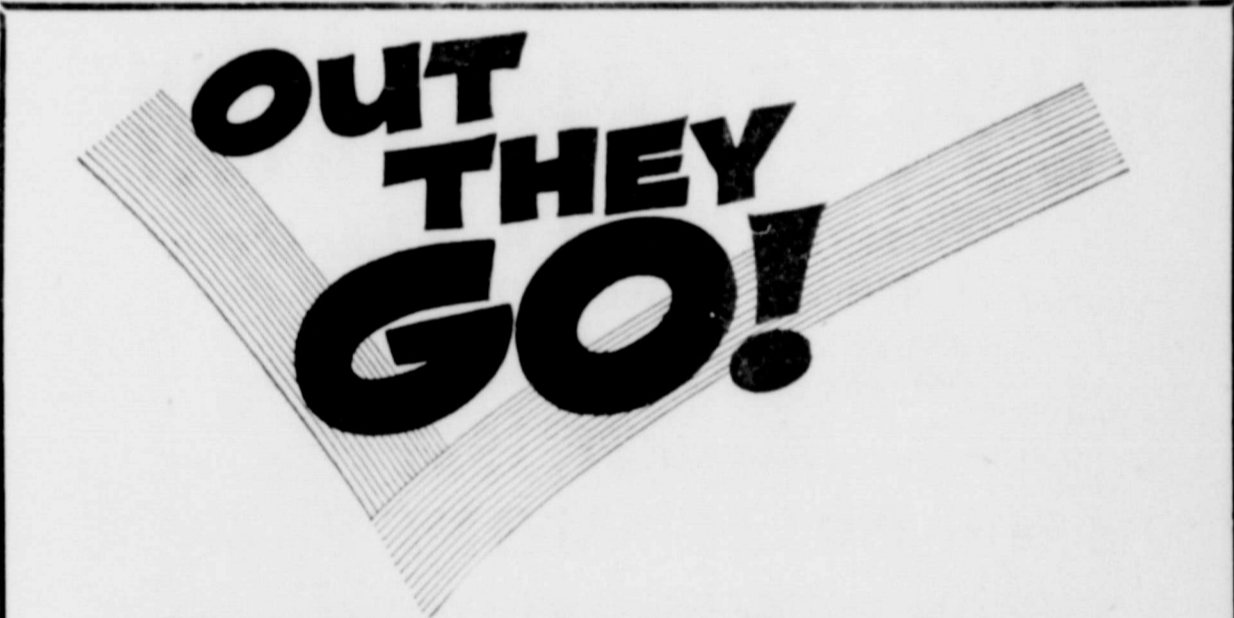
"Better is a dinner of herbs with love than a fattened ox and hatred therewith." Proverbs 15:17. Nothing a person bequeaths can compensate a family for memories of the absence of love and companionship which they hungered for in vain through the years.

I bequeath to my children a storehouse of training upon which they will base their living. What kind of training am I laying in

store for my children? A training that says, "pay no attention to God and the church?" A training that vocally says to them that things of God as upheld by the church are important, but denying it by refusing to set an example of church attendance. A training that tells them never to debase their lives with drunkenness, but drinking while teaching. Or will the training I bequeath be a training in both word and deed that leads them to place their trust in God, in worship and serve Him through the church, and to find in Him the answer to every need? "Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6.

I bequeath to my loved ones and friends either hope or despair, peace or turmoil. When my loved ones stand by the side of my grave, the size of the material estate I leave behind can do nothing to dim the anguish that will come if I have lived greedily and trusted in myself with no thought for God and no faith in Christ. The absence of a material estate cannot take away the hope and peace from the hearts of my loved ones if I have trusted in Christ and tried to live for Him so that they may confidently believe I am safely in the keeping of the Heavenly Father. "What is a man profited if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?" Matt. 16:26.

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**ORDINANCE**

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING PORTIONS OF A FIRE PREVENTION CODE PRESCRIBING REGULATIONS GOVERNING CONDITIONS HAZARDOUS TO LIFE AND PROPERTY FROM FIRE OR EXPLOSION, AND ESTABLISHING THE OFFICE OF FIRE MARSHALL AND DEFINING THE DUTIES AND POWERS OF SAID OFFICE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Hico.

Section 1. Adoption of Fire Prevention Code.

There is hereby adopted by the City Council of the City of Hico for the purpose of prescribing regulations governing conditions hazardous to life and property from fire or explosion the following sections of that certain code known as the Fire Prevention Code recommended by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, being particularly the 1953 edition thereof, which said code in its entirety

with the portions thereof applicable hereto have been and is now filed in the office of the secretary of the City of Hico, and the same is hereby adopted and incorporated as fully as if set out at length herein, and from the date on which this ordinance shall take effect, the provisions thereof shall be controlling within the limits of the City of Hico. The portions of said code hereby adopted are as follows:

Article No. III, regarding automobile wrecking yards, junk yards, and waste material handling plants.

Article No. VIII, regarding dry cleaning and dry dyeing plants.

Article No. XI, regarding explosives and ammunition.

Article No. XII, regarding fireworks.

Article No. XIII, regarding fire protection equipment.

Article No. XV, regarding flammable liquids.

Article No. XVIII, regarding gas piping and appliances.

Article No. XXI, regarding lumber yards and woodworking plants.

Article No. XXV, regarding places of assembly.

Article No. XXVI, regarding general precautions against fire. Section 2. Establishment and Duties of Fire Marshall.

(a) The sections of the Fire Prevention Code shall be enforced by the Fire Marshall of the City of Hico which is hereby established and which shall operate under the supervision of the City Council of the City of Hico.

(b) A Fire Marshall of the City of Hico shall be appointed by the City Council of the City of Hico. His appointment shall continue during good behavior and satisfactory service.

(c) The Fire Marshall of the City of Hico, after first obtaining permission from the City Council, shall appoint such inspectors as may be necessary.

Section 3. Definitions.

Whenever the word "Municipality" is used in the Fire Prevention Code above referred to, it shall be held to mean the City of Hico. Wherever the words "Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention" are used in the Fire Prevention Code they shall be held to mean the Fire Marshall.

Section 4. Establishment of Limits of Districts in which Storage of Flammable Liquids in Outside Aboveground Tanks is to be Prohibited.

(a) The limits referred to in section 15.201 of the Fire Prevention Code in which storage of flammable liquids in outside aboveground tanks is prohibited, are hereby established as follows:

The Commercial district located as follows:

Bounded by Walnut and Cedar Streets on the East and West and by the Katy Railroad and Third Street on the North and South.

(b) The limits referred to in section 15.401 of the Fire Prevention Code, in which new bulk plants for flammable liquids are prohibited, are hereby established as follows:

New bulk plants for flammable liquids are prohibited in the City Limits of Hico, Texas, with the exception of the following location:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Block 26 Division 1 follow-

**DUFFAU**  
By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Marsden, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hutson and son Donis all of Mineral Wells visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hutson and daughter, Brenda, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hulebn, Betty and Dennis, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and sons of Beaumont spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Templeton and Donna.

Bill Hunt of Fort Worth preached at the Baptist Church Sunday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hunt. They were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Land and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Noonkester visited Sunday and Monday in Eastland with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Archer.

E. E. Giesecke is ill with the flu. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Basham of near Hico and Mrs. Lee Hinton of Stephenville visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fouts Saturday afternoon.

Misses Tina Rogers and Pauline Kennedy of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Rogers, Marsha, Carol and Westley of Stephenville

visited Elm Street to the Bosque River, then East to the City Limit line, then North to the Railroad and then West to the beginning point of Block 26.

Section 5. Modifications.

The Fire Marshall shall have the power to modify any provisions of the Code upon application in writing by the owner or lessee, or his duly authorized agent, when there are practical difficulties in the way of carrying out the strict letter of the code, provided that the spirit of the code shall be observed, public safety secured, and substantial justice done. The particulars of such modification when granted or allowed and the decision of the Fire Marshall thereon shall be entered upon the records of the City of Hico and a signed copy shall be furnished to the applicant.

Section 6. Appeals.

Whenever the Fire Marshall shall disapprove an application or refuse to grant a license or permit applied for, or when it is claimed that the provisions of the code do not apply or that the true intent and meaning of the code have been misconstrued or wrongly interpreted, the applicant may appeal from the decision of the Fire Marshall to the City Council within 30 days from the date of such appeal.

Section 7. Penalties.

(a) Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the code hereby adopted or fail to comply therewith, or who shall violate or fail to comply with any order made thereunder, or who shall build in violation of any detailed statement of specifications or plans submitted and approved thereunder, or any certificate or permit issued thereunder, and from which no appeal has been taken, or who shall fail to comply with such an order as affirmed or modified by the City Council or by a court of competent jurisdiction, within the time fixed herein, shall severally for each and every such violation and noncompliance respectively, be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$200.00. The imposition of one penalty for any violation shall not excuse the violation or permit it to continue; and all such persons shall be required to correct or remedy such violations or defects within a reasonable time; and when not otherwise specified, each ten days that prohibited conditions are maintained shall constitute a separate offense.

(b) The application of the above penalty shall not be held to prevent the enforced removal of prohibited conditions.

Section 8. Repeal of Conflicting Ordinances.

All former ordinances or parts thereof conflicting with or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance or of the code herein adopted are hereby repealed.

Section 9. Validity.

The City Council of the City of Hico hereby declares that should any section, paragraph, sentence, or word of this ordinance or of the part of the code hereby adopted be declared for any reason to be invalid, it is the intent of the City Council of the City of Hico that it would have passed all other portions of this ordinance independent of any such portion as may be declared invalid.

Section 10. Date of Effect. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval as required by law.

Passed at Regular Council Meeting held on March 4, 1957.

APPROVED:  
T. A. RANDALS,  
Mayor, City of Hico.

Mrs. B. E. Denton of Wade, Okla. and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bonin of Port Arthur.

A good number of parents visited school Friday, which was observed as Public School Week. Displays of the school work was shown by the pupils and teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Evans of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Evans Sunday afternoon.

Paula Roberson of Stephenville is visiting her grandparents and Mrs. C. D. Herrin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Herrin Sunday in Stephenville at the side of their grandson, Robertson, who had an emergency operation Saturday night and is patient in the Stephenville hospital. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McLean children of Eunice, N. M. visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Nachtigall and family.

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March 21, 1957  
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SENIOR BULL	COWS	JUNIOR EWES
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Goats: \$25.00 Swine: \$60.00 Poultry: \$30.00 Dogs: Ribbons

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JUNIOR NANNIES	SOWS		
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JUNIOR BILLIES	BARROWS		

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Livestock May Be Entered Upon Arrival

— No Animal May Be Entered in More Than One Class —  
In a class of less than three entries, First Place Money will be withheld. Ribbons will be awarded in all classes.

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Dairy Cattle	\$1.50 Ea.	Poultry	25c Ea.
Swine	75c Ea.	Dogs	25c Ea.


**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

Swine Judging	10:00 a.m.	Goats	11:30 a.m.
Dairy Cattle	1:30 p.m.	Beef Cattle	2:30 p.m.
Poultry	1:30 p.m.	Dogs	3:00 p.m.
Sheep	11:00 a.m.	Sale (Auction)	4:00 p.m.

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each broken down into several items that will be discussed. Plans are being made to take a group down to College Station again this date.

CLAIRETTE

By Mrs. Lucile Mayfield

Misses Eunice and Nola Lee spent a few days in Fort Worth last week with the Glen Lee family.

March is the last month stockmen have to sign up with the ASC office for deferring pastures. The rate of pay is 85 cents an acre and cattle and other livestock must be kept off the pasture for seven months. Results of this practice over the county for a number of years have shown that it is one of the better practices offered by the ASC. It appears to be one of the fastest ways to get a pasture back to good grasses. One can sow grass seed on bare spots, but if pasture management does not go along with it, the pasture will still suffer and more time will be needed to get it established again.

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COUNTY AGENT REPORTS

By E. R. LAWRENCE

Hubert Curry, out near Pottsville, for a number of years has been putting up silage in a trench silo. He is one of the very few who has some silage on hand now and will be able to make the rest of the winter with it and still have some left over. Silage is a good winter feed for most all kinds of livestock and now is a good time to plan for a crop. Hubert likes red top cane as it seems to do best on his place. Atlas sorgho is also a good crop to use for silage. A big silo full of feed next winter might come in handy and too, if it is not needed, it can be held over for a number of years until there is need for it. It is a good thing to have on hand too when summer grazing is getting dry.

O. I. (Babe) Garner of near Olin is resting all his grasslands this year and with some moisture, he should have good or better pastures this fall. We often hear said that one can't afford to let a pasture rest. Well some are resting and when the pasture is turned back after seven months, they are stocking with steers, or ewes, or lambs and running them through the winter, taking off again the next Spring, selling the stock that was wintered.

A stock pasture is not at all different from a field of corn or any other field crop. Field crops are all harvested when ready—pasture management calls for harvesting the crop of grass when it is ready. Take some grass and leave some grass. We have kinda grown up in livestock management and pasture management, thinking of the number of acres needed to carry one head of livestock, whether cattle, sheep or goats. In reality, the thing that makes money off a piece of grassland is the number of pounds of beef, wool, lambs or mohair that is sold from the grass. In many cases, fewer head of breeding stock will produce more pounds of salable products. This is brought about by the increase in the percent of young and heavier stock at sale time.



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March 27, at College Station, the poultry department will have its second Cage Clinic. Last year they started the clinics and the one was well attended. The clinic will be held in the Memorial Student Center. A registration fee of one dollar will be charged to defray expenses and the program starts at 9:00 a.m. Quite a number of poultry people of the county have cage operations and this clinic will be of interest to them. Subjects to be discussed are Pullet Replacement Management and Cage Layer Management. These two subjects are



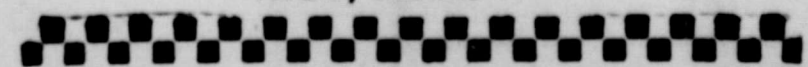
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munity center.

Six-tenth of an inch of rain fell here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Carter and family of Round Rock spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Carter.

Billie Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Carter, was married to Miss Frances Hunsinger of De Leon Sunday morning at Durant, Oklahoma. The couple will make their home in Fort Worth. We wish them a happy journey through life.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall and Jimmy were Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall of Hedley, Mrs. Isla Mae Marshall of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walker of Amburst, Mrs. Lula Smith of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Marshall of Pioneer, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Shipp of Rotan, and Mrs. Maggie Fox of Brownwood.

Leola Wolfe and family of Jal, N. Mex. visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wolfe.

Mrs. Ray Boone, Mrs. Flora Haley and Mrs. Lucile Mayfield visited at the Hico School Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Willis had their son and family of Lubbock as visitors during the week end.

Mrs. Vada Noland is still going to Fort Worth once a week taking treatments for a growth on her foot.

Mrs. Bernice Wolfe and Mrs. Lucile Mayfield visited Mrs. Mattie Walsworth Saturday afternoon at her home in the Pleasant Hill community, who is suffering with her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Culver and son of Dublin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fieldon Haley recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Self and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Dow Self and family of Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. Les Dowdy visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self Sunday.

The last report from Mrs. Lee Marshall, who has been in the Hico Hospital for three weeks, was that she was improving. Mrs. Mollie Johnson Trammell was feeling as well as she had been.

The young couple club had a party Saturday night at the com-

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# It Happened Here or Near

By E. E. DAWSON

In the March issue of "Railway Progress," which is published monthly at Washington, D. C., is a story that is worth reading and then rereading. The title of the article is "We Won't Forget the Railroads." Jack Maguire is the author of the story. He is a writer of railroad articles that appear in all the railroad magazines sometimes.

It is of a meeting at Dublin on January 29th of this year for thanking the railroads for their really great service to the folks of all the Southwest who have stock, and have had such a struggle to provide feed for them. The railroads have repeatedly in recent years reduced freight charges on hay and grain feeds for the area to the tune of fifty per cent. And this reduction in the freight bill to stockmen has amounted in the last four years to \$25 million. And that is not chicken feed. There was a time when a lot of Americans thought the railroads were built and managed merely for the purpose of skinning the citizenry. This recent action certainly reduces that old fiction to zero.

This reduction of freight rates by fifty per cent for periods of ninety days each time, came at the request of President Eisenhower, who, having been reared on a Kansas farm, remembers how devastating drouths can be and how a big aid in such a dilemma help save the stockmen. The railroads granted the President's request, and one can see the huge saving made the men who have stock.

It is worthy of note that the man who started this big "Thank You Party" was Leonard Hancock of Dublin, who has a dairy herd at his place near Dublin of four hundred prize cattle. A lot of other ranchers joined in and helped make it a grand occasion. At the party was quite a crowd, and of course a lot of railroad men who appreciated the gesture attended and enjoyed a high good time. We are indebted to Ray Osborne of the Texas Railroad Association of Austin for the startling facts

brought out at the party and now in the article from which we are quoting in Railway Progress. Mr. Osborne is Public Relations man for the Railroad Association.

One of the benefiting ranchers, E. E. Carlisle, who runs a 522-acre ranch in the area is quoted as saying, "The government subsidy (\$7.50 a ton on hay) was a help, but it was not enough. Even with the subsidy, a third of my neighbors had to vacate their ranches and go into town to seek work. But since the rail rate reduction went into effect, not a single rancher or dairyman in my neighborhood has gone out of business."

Altogether 150,000 cars of cattle feed have moved into the eight arid states—enough to make a train more than 1,600 miles long. Seven of the states mentioned are Texas, New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska and Wyoming.

And this brings to mind the tragic story of disaster in the Southwest recorded in an article in the March issue of Reader's Digest that makes your heart sick to read. It mentions particularly fourteen counties, of which Karnes County is the center, that have been so terribly hurt by the seven years of drouth. And add to this Frank Dobie's recent article in the Sunday edition of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram in which he tells of going back to Liveoak County, the scene of his early life, and on observing that nearly all the liveoak trees were dead, he said a newcomer might well ask how the county got its name "Liveoak." Dobie then tells of a journey up a river of that area that has forever been famous for its wild pecans and he found seventy-five per cent of all the pecan trees were dead. And now a postscript: The other day some farmer of a county in the vicinity of Wichita Falls said they are having too much rain and that farming operations cannot be carried on normally until dry weather comes. We might ship him some of our dry weather—if it can be bundled, baled, sacked, or herded.

# CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SATURDAY FOR MRS. TULL THOMPSON

Funeral services were held Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Carlton Church of Christ, for Mrs. Tull Thompson, who passed away at her home March 7 after a long illness.

She was 54 years, 6 months and 15 days of age at the time of her death.

Mary Ray Elms, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry and Tinnie Elms, was born in Gustine August 20, 1902. On October 3, 1925 she was married in Comanche to Tull Thompson of Carlton, and to this union 5 children were born, all living, and who were present for the funeral.

Her survivors are her husband and children, who are: Mrs. Pat- sally Gillispie, Dallas; Mrs. Wanda Norris, Lubbock; Mrs. Dora Hobbs, Hale Center; Miss Tinnie, Thurman, Jimmy and Tommie, all of the home; Harold Tull Thompson, U. S. Navy; five grandchildren, two brothers and two sisters, Roy Elms, Gustine, Ed Elms, Cisco, Mrs. Ira Poindexter, Dallas and Mrs. Evelyn Hampton, Brownwood; many other relatives and a host of friends.

The services were conducted by Minister Billy Patterson of Gustine, assisted by her pastor, Minister Paul Phillips of Abilene. She had been a member of the Church of Christ since early youth.

Burial was in the Carlton Cemetery with the Harrel funeral directors in charge.

Palbearers were O. P. Mercer, Henry Spurger, Ben Thompson, Cecil Mercer, Neal Gossett, and Bill Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Crowover of Odessa were recent visitors with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rance Sowell.

Mrs. Eula Brimer returned home Monday after an extended visit with her son, Woodie Brimer in Segundo, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Clark were visitors Thursday in Cleburne

with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Laura Clark and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Sowell spent last week end in Pasadena with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Roy Dove and son, Joe Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rey Walton and children of Fort Worth were visitors the past week with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Montie Walton and Mrs. Sam Sharp and family. His parents accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Taylor of Austin, Mrs. J. T. Dean and Vic of Fort Worth, and Mrs. L. L. Warren of Pleasant Grove visited the past week with their grandparents and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall.

J. C. Wilson of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ford of Fort Worth spent Sunday with their mothers, Mrs. Norma Wilson and Woody, Mrs. Pearl Fisher and Mrs. R. D. Ford Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Neel of Lamkin visited Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mrs. R. D. Ford Jr. and daughters, Jo Lee and Velma Mae of Fort Hood visited Monday with her mother and aunt, Mrs. Pearl Fisher and Mrs. Norma Wilson and Woody.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and daughters of Dublin spent the week end with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye and Mrs. Dow Self and family.

Mrs. Raymond Wenzel, Brenda and Karen of Alean were Monday visitors with her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor and Louetta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Thompson of Lamkin attended services Sunday night at the Carlton Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson of Hamlin spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Coffman and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Samford visited Sunday afternoon in a rest home in Hamilton with Avery's father, Deck Coffman, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt and Mrs. Bertha Baird were Hamilton visitors Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Short and Mrs. C. N. Wade, patients in a Hamilton rest home.

Mrs. Hattie Sowell is visiting in Stephenville with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Sherlene Sowell and three daughters.

## REED FAMILY SELLS LAUNDRY AND MOVES

We have sold our laundry in Hico, and have moved to Hamilton.

We wish to express our thanks to our many friends and customers for the nice patronage we have received the past eight years we have been in the laundry business in Hico. We appreciate your kindness to us during our many hours of trouble and sickness; having such friends made our burdens much easier to bear. Thanks a million for your business and friendship.

MR. AND MRS. WILL REED AND FAMILY.



Joe M. Worley Is New Sales Representative For CPS Central Division

Joe M. Worley has been added to the staff of Community Public Service Company as division sales representative in Central Texas towns served by the power firm, according to local manager O. L. Davis.

Worley will be headquartered at Community's division office in Clifton but will be a frequent visitor in Hico.

A native of Whitney, where he and his family now live, Worley grew up near Lubbock. He served with the Navy in the South Pacific during World War II and was discharged as a gunner's mate second class in 1945.

For the last eight years he has been employed as salesman for a Hillsboro furniture and hardware firm.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the Hico Fire Department for their efforts in trying to extinguish the fire at my home early last Tuesday morning.

RICE EDWARDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McFarlin of Hamilton are the parents of a daughter, Vickie June, born March 9 at Hico Hospital.

## BLACK STUMP VALLEY

By MRS. W. J. MAGEE

We are glad to report Mrs. Strong able to be home again.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage and Jimmie Ramage visited last week in Hooks with Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Ramage and children.

Roy Lee Magee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Magee and John D. Magee and family Blackwell over the week end. Several from Dublin attended Church at Plainview last Friday night. Jim Nath Mulloy and wife visited in the Magee home last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Will Magee visited.

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- Armour's Vegetole Shortening . 3 lbs. 69c
- Nestles Coconut Choc. Bar . . . 10c—3/20c
- Deckers Iowana Br. Oleo . . . . . 21c
- Jello . . . . . 3/25c
- KIMBELL'S 300 SIZE
- Green Shelled Blackeye Peas . . . 4/49c
- Diamond Br. Turnip Greens No. 1 10/49c
- Boneless Stew Meat . . . . . lb. 35c
- Chuck Roast . . . . . lb. 35c
- Loin & T-Bone Steak . . . . . lb. 45c

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