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Instigator of Cherry Tree.

February is the birth month of the greatest president that this country has ever known—George Washington. Children think of George Washington as the most truthful of all persons having heard from early childhood about his trouble with a certain cherry tree. To adults, he is pictured as a great figure, towering far above them in both intellectual and spiritual qualities. He is thought of as a lonely figure of lofty intellect and tremendous moral force. He has a remarkable brain and Washington stands as a type and has stamped himself on the world's imagination. In the program of time, he has become more or less mythical and the real Washington has become almost lost to sight.

It was Washington who merited this tribute from Byron: "Washington's a watchword, such as ne'er, Shall sink while therein echo left to air."

Another 'Come-Up'

Those who came 'up' to Wilma Walton's home Saturday night were: Mayo Hollis, Mildred Thomas, Flossie Randalls, Mary Smith, Kelly Thomas, Emory Gamble, Jack Vickrey, Leighton Guyton, Chalk Horton, Buster Shelton, F. S. Little, D. F. McCarthy, S. E. Blair, and Hector Hollis.

Hilarious Heart Hunt.

Miss Flossie Randalls entertained with a Valentine party at her home Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

Old relic pictures of everyone present were dug out of albums and the game of "Who's Who?" prevailed.

Jack Vickrey won the prize for making the most words of the letters in Valentine.

Bridge and forty-two were played in two delightful methods. After the first hand of the first game, the couples losing were made to hold a lolly pop, much too large for an ordinary sized mouth, in their mouth during the remainder of that game. The penalty for removing the same, was 100 added to the opponent's score.

The second was to be a silent game (silent except for grunts). If anyone talked, 100 points were added to the score of the opposing side. In bidding, all bids were motioned.

Numerous hearts were bid in the room, and a "heart hunt" nearly ransacked the room.

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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD HERE WEDNESDAY FOR MRS. WOODWARD'S SISTER

Monday evening, February 20th, as the light of day faded into the west at Brownwood, Texas, so passed from earthly existence the soul of Miss Lota Roberts, a sister of Mrs. C. L. Woodward of Hico, and well known locally through frequent visits here. Miss Roberts and her mother, Mrs. J. H. Roberts, had just returned to their home at 1303 Coggin Avenue in Brownwood Sunday, after having visited in Hico for several weeks. Although the condition of Miss Roberts' health had been delicate for a number of years, her death came suddenly and unexpectedly, and was quite a shock to her many friends who had grown to love her and admire her for the tenacity and courage she evidenced in overcoming obstacles and remaining cheerful under conditions which would have made an ordinary person morose.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodward, conducted by Rev. I. K. Floyd, pastor of Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church in Brownwood, who eulogized the life of this faithful member of his congregation and read from Scriptural passages applying to her worthy life on earth.

The body was laid to rest in Hico Cemetery, amidst abundant floral offerings, and in the presence of hosts of friends who had assembled to pay their last respects to a life that should serve as an example for the weary and heavy-laden, as well as those who should feel thankful for health.

Palbearers at the funeral were: F. E. Sellers, H. E. McCullough, E. R. Lynch, H. N. Wolfe, F. M. Richmond, and R. L. Wolford. Miss Roberts is survived by her mother, Mrs. J. H. Roberts; one sister, Mrs. C. L. Woodward and one brother, E. L. Roberts of Beaumont, all of whom were present for the funeral. Among the out-of-town attendants were Dr. and Mrs. Lankford and son, Mrs. J. W. Lawson, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Galloway, Miss Eula McFarland, Mrs. Middleton, and Mrs. Looney. Rev. I. K. Floyd and son A. C. and members of Miss Roberts' Sunday School class, all from Brownwood, Mrs. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Joe Montgomery and Mrs. McEldred of Walnut Springs; V. H. McDonald and E. L. Roberts of Beaumont; Mrs. Mason Cleveland, son and daughter, John Frank and Miss Mary, Mrs. J. C. Lees, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Richardson and Mrs. Rosenbaum of Cleburne.

FORMER HICO MAN DIES AT WACO HOME

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Compton's Chapel in Waco, with Rev. A. J. Holt officiating, for Marshall Alford, 60, who died Monday at his residence, 926 North 25th Street. Burial was in Rosewood cemetery at Waco. Palbearers were: F. A. Waldron, Frank John, Jim Crippen, R. M. Cooper and Harry Wrenn.

Mr. Alford was a son of the late Dr. J. R. Alford of Hico, and resided here for a number of years. He and his family have lived in Waco for some time.

Surviving Mr. Alford are the widow, two sons, W. L. and C. M. Alford of Waco; three brothers, Aaron of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, John of Point Alexey of Seminole, five sisters, Mrs. Emma Steiner of California, Mrs. John Fatter of Ranger, Mrs. W. A. Cox of Seminole, Miss Ursie Alford and Mrs. Etta Nance of Dallas; his mother, Mrs. L. E. Alford of Dallas.

ADD'S GROCERY STOCK TO PRODUCE BUSINESS

Watt M. Ross, manager of the Ross Poultry & Egg Co. announces this week that he has severed connections with Armour & Company and will operate his produce business independently. He also has added a nice line of groceries, and declares he will sell groceries at a close margin of profit in order to be of benefit to his customers.

He invites the public to see his new line, and also asks for a portion of their produce business.

M. E. CHURCH YOUNG FOLKS TO ENTERTAIN UNK

Friday evening, February 25th, at 7:30 o'clock, the young people of the Methodist Church will entertain the Young People's Union, composed of the Epworth Leagues of Carlton, Hamilton and Ireland.

Flossie Randalls will be general chairman; Shirley Rusk, Hector Hollis and Charlene Malone, committee of refreshments; and Martha Porter, Morse Ross and Mrs. W. P. Cunningham, committee on entertainment.

CHURCH NOTICE

Otis Gatewood who is a student in the Abilene Christian College, will preach at the Church of Christ in Hico next Sunday, Feb. 26 at 11:00 o'clock, also on Saturday night at 7 o'clock.

This young man is only twenty one years old and has been preaching several years. He lived near Hico when a child and has relatives and friends who will be glad to hear him.

The public is cordially invited.

Carlton Post Office Now On List of Periodic Burglars

Burglars were active at Carlton early Thursday morning of this week, when the post office and the Pierce & Griffin Drug Store were broken into. The robbers escaped, but officers are hot on their trail, and developments are expected at any time.

Deputy Sheriff A. I. Pirtle received a call early Thursday morning from Carlton, notifying him to be on the lookout for two or more men in a car, who had escaped from a posse at that place about 4 a. m. According to this information, the men had robbed the post office and secured some sacks of mail, stepping on a piece of tin and alarming some of the citizenship who immediately started a watch and apprehended them in the drug store, across the street.

The person watching the back door of the store left to use the telephone, it is said, and the burglars made a run for it. They were shot at, and one of the bags of mail was hit with shot from the gun. The mail pouch was found afterward, but the men escaped. Mr. Pirtle took two men in an automobile into custody at Hico Thursday morning, but released them later in the day.

This is another of the series of robberies which have been perpetrated on this neighboring village in the past few months, in one of which just before last Christmas a Deputy Sheriff was slain. The scene had been quiet Wednesday night of last week, when the depot was broken into. Then on Friday night the Pierce & Griffin drug store was burglarized, and again on Thursday morning of this week as mentioned above, the burglaries broke out again.

Fairy By FAIRY CORRESPONDENTS

We have been having ideal weather the past few days for farm work. Farmers are very busy resowing their oats as most have been killed by the recent freeze. We fear those left will be a very poor stand. Some farmers are planning to plant more row crops since the grain has been killed.

There was a large crowd at our P. T. A. program last Friday night and a fine program was rendered which was enjoyed by all present.

Those from here attending singing at Hico Sunday were: W. F. Clayton and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson, Mrs. E. M. Hoover and daughter, Daphne, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brummitt and daughter, Miss Mona, Mrs. B. Grimes, Roy Davis and sisters, Misses Ruby and Odah, Speck Wright and Dick Allison and probably others whom we failed to mention.

Mrs. John Garren and daughter, Miss Lorene, of White Hall, were visiting friends here last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Atchly of Olney were here the past Sunday visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cox. Mrs. Atchly remained for several days to assist her mother with the household duties, while she is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Russ Brummitt and little daughter, Nellie B., and son-in-law, Reuben Anderson, and two children, went to Waco Sunday to visit Mr. Anderson's wife, who is in the Providence Sanitarium there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hoover enjoyed a pleasant week end visit of Mr. Hoover's niece, Miss Cud, of near Pankake. She was accompanied by a friend, Miss Scott.

T. L. Betts and sons, Lester and Joe, motored to Waco last Sunday to visit Mrs. Betts, who had been in the Providence sanitarium there for the past two days, having undergone an operation for appendicitis and other minor ailments. She was able to accompany them home and is rapidly recovering at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burris and little daughters, Jimmie Dean and Betty Erlene, of Carlton visited friends and relatives here the first of the week.

Virgil Blakley, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Blakley, of Agee, who has been very ill with pneumonia for several weeks, was carried to the Hamilton Sanitarium last Sunday. Last reports are that he was resting fairly well.

We sincerely hope the little fellow will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hartgraves and Will Jones attended the funeral of a young lady friend, Mrs. Julia Cook, at Jonesboro Monday afternoon. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband and a two week old infant besides a host of other relatives and friends. They state that funeral services for a granddaughter of Rev. White, former pastor of the Baptist Church here and at Agee, who had been in ill health for some time, were also held the same afternoon.

Miss Mona Brummitt was a dinner guest Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson.

Mrs. Della Seago visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison Monday of this week.

MRS. MACK PHILLIPS PASSED AWAY AT HICO HOME ON TUESDAY OF THIS WEEK

Mrs. Mack Phillips, who had been in ill health for several months, passed away at the family home here in Hico on Tuesday of this week. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. L. P. Thomas, pastor of the Hico Baptist Church, and interment made in the Hico Cemetery.

Palbearers were J. W. Richmond, A. A. Fewell, A. T. McFadden, L. N. Lane, Make Johnson, and John Leach. Flower girls were Mrs. E. W. Luckie, Oleta Hughes, Glendene Bass, Christine Fewell, Mable Anderson and Hamsie Lee Richmond.

Mrs. Phillips was born in Bosque County April 26, 1864. She was married to Mack Phillips Sept. 21, 1882, having been Miss Mattie James before her marriage. She moved to Hamilton County a number of years ago and has resided in Bosque and Hamilton Counties her entire life. She was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church and was very active in church work. She always attended services while her health would permit.

Mrs. Phillips was a lady endowed with a sweet disposition, spreading sunshine among her friends at all times. She was a loving wife and kind mother, and will be greatly missed by her loved ones as well as her many friends.

She is survived by her husband and the following children: John Phillips of Illinois, Rufus Phillips of Hico, Frank Phillips of Lampasas, Mrs. T. M. Gandy of Coleman, Mrs. Edna Strickland, and a number of grandchildren, one of whom is Miss Evelyn Anderson of Hico, who was reared by Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, and who was loved dearly by her grandmother.

Those from out-of-town attending the funeral services were: John Earnest, Misses Lois and Agnes Patterson, Mrs. Jim Handley, Mrs. Greer, Mrs. Tom Summerville, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips, all of Lampasas; Mrs. G. O. Gann and Mrs. J. B. Bonner of Dallas; and Mrs. T. M. Gandy and two children of Coleman.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD AT HAMILTON WEDNESDAY FOR MRS. R. ADAMS

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Hamilton Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for Mrs. R. Adams, who passed away Tuesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Jones in Hamilton. The services were conducted by Rev. Shaw and Rev. Williams of Clifton, and Rev. Morton of Gatesville, and the body laid to rest in the Pottsville cemetery.

Mrs. Adams, who had reached a ripe old age, had been in ill health for the past year. She was quite well known in Hico, having visited frequently in the homes of J. M. Adams, J. N. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richmond. The Adams family resided at Carlton several years ago.

Mrs. R. Adams preceded his wife in death by several years, but she is survived by the following children: Mrs. Walter Ratliff, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Tom Adams, Oakland, Calif.; Marion Adams, Stephenville; Bill Adams, Childress; Mrs. L. Williams, Spurlin; and Mrs. J. Frank Jones, Hamilton.

Neal-Gibson.

On Tuesday, Feb. 14, Miss Anna Lou Gibson of Llano County, and Mr. Henry Neal of Hico, were united in marriage by Rev. Thompson at 8 p. m.

Only a few intimate friends witnessed the marriage.

Anna Lou is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Gibson of Llano County, and is a high school student of Marble Falls. She is favorably known and well liked.

The groom is a man of sterling character and has many friends. The young couple will make their home on the Randalls Ranch in Llano County.

BOOST YOUR FAVORITE RADIO ACT: SEE IT IN THE FLESH!

"The Big Broadcast," a romantic comedy of radioland, featuring Stuart Erwin, Bing Crosby, Leila Hyams and a large cast of national radio favorites, opens at the Palace Theatre Friday night and will be shown again on Saturday night.

Producers of the picture selected the various radio stars featured in it—Crosby, Burns and Allen, Kate Smith, the Mills Bros., the Boswell Sisters, Arthur Tracy (The Street Singer), Vincent Lopez and his Orchestra, and Cab Calloway and his Orchestra—because they were in the most popular of all stars on national hookups.

Don't fail to see this great picture.

While driving to a cemetery to visit the grave of her husband, Mrs. Elma Ivy St. Clair, 73, of 318 North Wilmette, Dallas, was injured fatally at 3 p. m. Sunday when the sedan in which she rode turned over. Mrs. St. Clair died an hour and a half after the accident. Her son, R. E. St. Clair, 33, of Wichita Falls, suffered serious back and internal injuries. They were taken to a hospital.

NEWS FROM IREDELL COMMUNITY

By MISS STELLA JONES

Miss Ruth Miller spent Sunday with Miss Nell Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stevens and children of Gorman spent the week end here.

Miss Frances Pylant spent Sunday with Miss Maxie Ruth Dawson east of town.

Little Miss Paul Marie Morgan, who lives north of town, spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Mina Laughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schoemacher and baby of Clifton visited here this week. They were called here on account of the illness of Mrs. W. F. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Myers and his nephew, Master Billie Ray Trimmer of San Antonio spent the week end here. Willard married a few days ago. The bride isn't known here but the groom is well known. He was raised here and has a host of friends who wish for them a long and happy life together.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Thompson and baby spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap.

Mrs. C. A. Gregory chaperoned a jolly bunch of girls and boys to a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Saturday evening, February 18. Several games were played. Syrup candy was made and pop corn was popped and all had a fine time.

G. L. McCauley, who has been ill for some time, is now able to be around. He was at Sunday School Sunday of which his friends are glad to know.

Miss Lois Hensley spent the week end in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Cairo, Ill., visited Mr. and Mrs. Dearing and Mr. and Mrs. Laswell this week. Mrs. Dearing is her aunt, and Mr. Laswell is her uncle.

William Prater and Miss Attie Conley of Hico were married by Rev. Rhodes February 12.

Miss Kathryn Oldham has returned from a visit at Gorman.

Mrs. Dick Berns and children spent the week end at Cleburne.

Mrs. Viola Loader, who was very ill, is now so she can be around and is able to come to town. Her friends are glad to see her again.

Mr. and Mrs. Heyroth and children visited in Hamilton Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Koonsman was called to Abilene Friday to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Adelle Rogers Baggett, who died in a short time after she arrived. She was buried Saturday afternoon at Abilene.

J. L. Dawson of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Washam of Fairly visited here Sunday.

Mrs. I. D. Hurt and children spent Sunday in Carlton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tillingham.

Mr. and Mrs. French, Mrs. Ray, Mrs. Charlie Myers and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Mino Laughlin and Tom Gregory enjoyed an oyster supper at the home of Mrs. Clara Richardson on Friday evening at Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Prater, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prater and Mr. and Mrs. William Prater of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Prater and baby of Duffan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson have returned from Colorado and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sadler and son who have been here for some time visiting, left this week for Beaumont where they will reside. They formerly lived in Austin. Edgar had a crippled foot and now the foot is well of which his friends are glad to know.

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Local Happenings

Mrs. Hattie Busch and Morris J. N. Adams of Carlton was a Hico visitor Tuesday.

J. Clifford Malone and Robt. L. Jenkins were business visitors in Hico Wednesday.

Miss Mamie Bakke spent the week end in Clifton with her parents.

Misses Saralee and Lucy Hudson and Mrs. Roland L. Holford were Dallas visitors Saturday.

W. P. Briley and daughter, Anna, of Carlton were Hico visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Homer of Dallas spent the latter part of the week here with friends.

E. L. Roberts and V. H. McDonald returned to their home in Beaumont Thursday after being here to attend the funeral services of Miss Lota Roberts.

W. E. Petty was in Dallas Thursday buying merchandise for their store.

Mrs. Johnnie Farmer spent last Friday in Carlton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Allred.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leeth spent a part of the week in Fort Worth on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Higgs and young son of Stephenville were in Hico Sunday visiting friends.

R. M. Davis of Dallas was in Hico Monday on business with R. F. Wiseman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Petty spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wall in the Paluxy community. Mrs. Wall, who has been ill for the past year and a half, is reported to be improving.

J. W. Marrs of Waco was a week end guest of John B. Sampley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horton and children and Mrs. Horton's brother, G. L. Phillips, spent Sunday in Dallas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dellis Seago spent Sunday in the Gum Branch community, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seago.

Miss Brunette Malone, who has been here for sometime visiting her mother and family, returned to Rule Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Petty of Carlton were here Tuesday visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Pittman and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blair, Miss Vieta McAnelly and Mrs. Clyde Pittman were Waco visitors Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Bird and son, V. H. Jr., spent Sunday in Hamilton with Mrs. Bird's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McCullough and daughter, Mary Ella, were week end guests of relatives in Goldthwaite.

Miss Clota Wyatt of Stephenville is here spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. R. D. Robbins and husband.

Mrs. C. L. Lynch, Mrs. C. L. Woodward, Mrs. H. F. Sellers, and Earl R. Lynch were visitors in Fort Worth last Friday.

Misses Lois and Gladys Segrest were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Adis Emmett and son, and Mrs. Thomas Emmett of Hamilton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson and son, John L. Jr. and Mrs. Lucille Parker and daughter Marie spent Sunday in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Johnson.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Miles spent the past week end in Decatur with Mr. Miles' brother, Vaden Miles, who teaches in the Decatur school system.

Mrs. W. T. Williams, son, Gordon, and grandson, Don Harold Williams, and Mrs. A. G. Bailey of Carlton were Hico visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawes of Waco were here Sunday, guests of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. V. Hawes, and his sister, Mrs. Chester Stanford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Autrey and Mrs. C. M. Langham and children spent Sunday in Hamilton, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Huddleston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Briscoe of Rule spent the latter part of last week here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Simonton and other relatives.

C. P. Coston, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horton and Miss Mamie Bakke were in Hamilton last Friday afternoon attending a meeting of Texas-Louisiana employees.

Miss Mary Beth Norwood, accompanied by her brother, Edwin Norwood, of Marlin spent the week end in Houston and Galveston with relatives.

S. E. Blair Jr., who is attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blair Sr.

Albert Horton of Big Spring was here over the week end visiting his children, Marguerite, Otho, Gene, and Ralph, and also his mother, Mrs. M. E. Horton, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Coston, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horton and Miss Mamie Bakke were in Clifton Wednesday attending a district meeting of Texas-Louisiana Co. employees.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Dupree of Waco spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Dupree. Mrs. Freeman Dupree went on to Dublin and visited her relatives.

Ernest Cannon of Stamford was here Tuesday visiting Earl R. Lynch. The Cannon family were former residents of Hico. Ernest and W. H. Black were in the produce business here for several years.

Mrs. Louise Baldwin, who is assistant nurse in John Tarleton College, Stephenville, and Miss Mary Smith, who is a student in the college, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith.

The old home of the late Mrs. W. E. Kirklen located just south of the home of Miss Jonnie Hutchinson, is being razed this week, lumber of which will be moved to Glen Rose to erect tourist cottages. The house belongs to the youngest Kirklen child, Mrs. Cortez Howard of Walnut Springs. This building is one of Hico's oldest landmarks.

PALACE THEATRE Friday and Saturday "The Big Broadcast"

Featuring
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Kate Smith, Bing Crosby, Cab Calloway, Mills Brothers and many other favorites.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss and family were in Dublin Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wilkerson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Ford and family of Arlington were here Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Clyde Pittman and husband, enroute home from the Honey Grove community where they were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burden.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown, son, Rudolph, and daughter, Mary, of Austin were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leeth and other relatives here. The Brown family seem well pleased with residing in the capitol city.

Miss Evelyn Gollightly, who is a student of T. C. U., Fort Worth, and a friend, Miss Phyllis Burman, of Loveland, Okla., who is also a student of T. C. U., spent a short time here Saturday, guest of Miss Mary Smith, enroute to Hamilton where they were week end guests of the former's father, Geo. B. Gollightly.

R. L. Autrey and son, T. J., and sister, Mrs. M. E. Horton, who have been living at the old Russell home in the south part of town, owned by Will Autrey, left this week for Mineral Wells to make their home. Mr. Autrey has employment there. Mrs. Irene Houston and children have moved in the house vacated by the Autrey family.

Mrs. J. Frank Hobbs, nephew, Master Charles Clark Jr., and brother, D. F. McCarty Jr., of Abilene were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty Sr. D. F. Jr. is a student of Simmons University at Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark Sr., parents of Charles Jr. are in St. Louis, Mo., with their young daughter who is there for a serious operation. The many Hico friends of these people hope they will receive encouraging news at an early date.

Mrs. Terry Thompson, Mrs. Daisy Dankers and Jim Thompson were called to Temple Friday on account of the serious illness of their son and brother, Fred Thompson. Mrs. Thompson remained to be at his bedside while Mrs. Dankers and Jim Thompson returned to Hico Sunday. Fred, who is well known to Hico people, has been in a Temple hospital for the past five weeks, had pneumonia, then suffered a relapse and little hope is held for his recovery. His Hico friends hope that he shows some signs of improvement at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Farmer, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Farmer and son of Stephenville, spent Sunday in Iredell visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Strong and Mrs. R. J. Farmer, Mrs. Hushel Williamson and daughter, Billy Jean, who had been in Iredell for several days, accompanied them to Hico Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Strong are moving their store from Iredell to Sweetwater next week, and they will sell only dry goods.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Nichols of Wichita Falls, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hudson of this place, spent from Thursday of last week until Tuesday of this week in San Antonio, at the bedside of Mrs. W. J. Schmidt, who is critically ill following a major operation. Mrs. Schmidt is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nichols, and a sister of Mrs. Hudson.

Miss Thoma Rodgers Hostess To Tuesday Evening Bridge Club
The Washington motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments by Miss Thoma Rodgers Tuesday evening when she was hostess to members of the Tuesday Evening Bridge Club. High score was won by Miss Saralee Hudson.

At the conclusion of the games, cherry tarts topped with whipped cream and coffee were served to those present. Cherry trees decorated each table, and little hatchets were used as plate favors.

The personnel included Misses Tot Wood, Marguerite Fairry, Saralee Hudson, Mamie Bakke, Mary Ellen Adams, Mary Beth Norwood, and Mrs. V. W. Miles.

Hico Boy Weds Iredell Girl, Marriage Kept Secret

The marriage of Miss Maxidene Sadler of Iredell and Mr. Bill Elkins of Hico occurred January 9th at Shreveport, Louisiana, and was kept a secret from their many friends until last week.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler of Iredell. She graduated from the Iredell High School and attended college in Oklahoma City, Okla. She has recently been employed in Glade-water.

The groom is a son of E. H. Elkins of Hico, and has many friends here. He has always been popular and well liked by everyone.

They are at present making their home in Fort Worth where the groom is attending a school of pharmacy.

Mrs. R. W. Purdom Entertained Sunday School Class With Party

Mrs. R. W. Purdom delightfully entertained the members of her Sunday School class with a party at her home last Friday evening. Various games were played until a late hour after which fruit, nuts and popcorn were served. The guests declared Mrs. Purdom to be as good an entertainer as she is a teacher.

Those present were, Tom Herbert Wolfe, Guy Eakins, A. T. McFadden, Wayne Langham, Lusk Randsall Jr. O. W. Hefner, Morris Blair, Ralph Horton, Charles French, Helon Louise Gamble, Jean and Jane Wolfe, Anna Lee Persons, Mary Jane Clark, Daisy Ruth and Jeanette French, and Mary Louise Purdom of Stephenville.

C. G. Masterson Is Dinner-Bridge Honoree

George Washington motif was carried out when Mrs. C. G. Masterson was hostess at a dinner-bridge honoring her husband, C. G. Masterson, in celebration of his birthday anniversary, last Thursday evening at their home here.

A two-course dinner was served consisting of turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, English peas on potato patties, jelled fruit salad, celery, coffee, hot rolls, ice cream and angel food cake.

During the bridge games, fruit punch and delicious candy were served. High score went to Mrs. H. E. McCullough for ladies and R. L. Holford for men. Low went to Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames C. L. Woodward, H. F. Sellers, H. N. Wolfe, H. E. McCullough, R. L. Holford and C. G. Masterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Massingill and daughter, Katherine, spent Sunday near Carlton visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Yarborough and sons, Rolene and Farrell.

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GIVE STAR PARASITE REMOVER in their drinking water and disinfect all nests and roosts by spraying each month. It will destroy disease-causing germs and worms, rid fowls of the premises of all lice, mites, fleas and blue-bugs; tone their system, keep them in good health and egg production and prevent loss of baby-chicks. Begin its use now. Germs and worms always come with the hatching season. No trouble to use, cost very small and your money back if not satisfied. For Sale by Porter's Drug Store.

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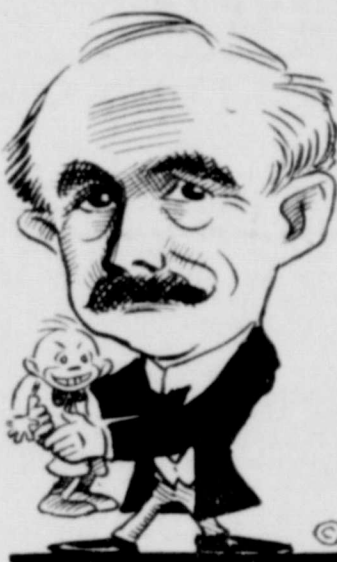
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Any little soreness in the throat grows rapidly worse if neglected. Crush some tablets of genuine Bayer Aspirin in some water, and gargle at once. This gives you instant relief, and reduces danger from infection. One good gargle and you can feel safe. If all soreness is not gone promptly, repeat. There's usually a cold with the sore throat, so before gargling take two tablets to throw off your cold, headache, stiffness or other cold symptoms. Bayer Aspirin relieves neuralgia, neuritis, too. You may use it freely, it does not hurt the heart.

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Grocery Department:

SUGAR—10 Lbs. Only 39c

BACON—1 lb. package Sliced Bacon 2 for 9c
SAUSAGE—Bologna, per lb. 10c
BACON—Dry Salt, lb. 7c
JOWLS, lb. 5c
PEPPER—2 oz. cans Black (Not 1 1/2 oz. cans) only 5c
OATMEAL—5 lb. bags, good to eat, only 12c
COCOA—1 1/2 lb. can Sunlight, only 8c
CRACKERS—2 lb. box salted crackers, special 19c
PEANUT BUTTER—5 lb. pails, only 47c
COFFEE—2 lbs. Good to Drink, only 25c

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE

3 Lb. Can 71c
1 Lb. Can 24c

PEACHES—No. 2 1-2 cans Del Monte 15c
APRICOTS—No. 1 cans Fancy Table 9c
APRICOTS—No. 2 1-2 cans All Gold, extra fancy 18c
PRUNES—Dried Prunes, per lb. 5c
APPLES—Bright Fruit, per lb. 7c
SWEET POTATOES—No. 2 1-2 cans, extra special 6c
SYRUP—1 gal. Golden Staley's, only 45c
SYRUP—1-2 gal. Plate, only 24c
CATSUP—1 gal. cans only 48c
FRUIT CAKES—1 lb. Cellophane Wrapped, only 13c
CORN FLAKES—Crispy and fine, per pkg. 10c

SNOW DRIFT LARD, 6 Lbs. only 63c
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BULK AND PACKAGE GARDEN SEEDS
Complete Stock Purina Chicken Feed

10 lbs. No. 1 Spuds 17c
Lettuce, nice sized 4c
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Walnuts, lb. 19c
Oranges, each 1c
Carrots, bunch 5c
Green Beans, 2 lbs. 25c
Vanilla Wafers, bulk, lb. 19c
1 lb. Black Pepper only 25c
10 bars Laundry Soap 18c
50 lb. Sulphur Stock Bk. 50c
50 lb. Plain Stock Block 40c
10 lb. can Morton's Salt 65c
2 lb. can Morton's Salt 13c
Table Salt, pkg. 3c
Borax Wash. Pdr., pkg. 3c

Hardware & Variety Dept.

SYRUP PEPSIN—\$1.20 size bottles, only 89c
ASPIRIN—12's Rigo, special 5c
EPSOM SALTS—Bulk 3 lbs. 25c
WINDOW SHADES—3x6 Chamels or Green, each 49c
WORK SHOES—Men's, \$1.50 value, only \$1.19
WORK SHIRTS—Men's special value, only 35c

Horse Collars 95c to \$4.50
Hoe Hooks 5c
Trace Chains, pair 75c
Steel Single trees 50c
Axe Handles, special 17c
Hoe Handles, special 15c
10 in. Hack Saw, frame and blade 15c
10 in. Files, special 15c

COOK STOVES—Wood \$8.50 & \$12.50

BARBED WIRE, POULTRY WIRE, NAILS AND STAPLES
HARNES AND HARNES SUPPLIES OF ALL KINDS
ROPE, PLOW HANDLES, GARDEN PLOWS, BOLTS
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Mt. Pleasant
By
S. N. AKIN

Well, the ground hog came out and saw his shadow and has gone back to stay his full forty days, just like he is supposed to do. And we have come out with the news from here again. We hope we don't see our shadow.

G. T. Hollis and wife of Spring Creek visited their daughter, Mrs. P. C. Clark, and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Essie Mae Herricks of Fairly visited Annie Allison Sunday.

O. J. Ford and family of Arlington visited S. N. Akin and family Sunday.

Leslie Arrant and family visited in the P. C. Clark home Sunday.

There was a party at C. O. Hollis' Saturday night which was enjoyed by a large crowd. There has been some moving since our last report. Ovee Clark and family who have been living in the Long Point community, have moved where Ted Arrant and family have been living. Mr. Freeman is living where C. M. Brown and family lived.

Flag Branch
By
HAZEL COOPER

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Mings spent awhile Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gosdin.

A. A. Dunlap and J. B. Dunlap were in Walnut Springs on business Friday.

Mrs. Jerine Graves and son spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Graves.

J. A. Flannery and family of Stephenville visited Claud Pruitt and family Sunday.

G. W. Mings and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Mings awhile Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Dunlap is visiting her son, Austin Dunlap, and family of near Fredell.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Mings visited their son, Sylvester and wife, and while there helped them kill hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Bandy were guests of F. D. Craig and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moore of Underwood visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooper Wednesday. Little Miss Billie Moore, who has spent the past week with her grandparents, returned home with them.

Carlton
By
LOLA REDDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Oats spent from Sunday until Thursday here visiting with relatives and friends.

Don Williams spent last week end in East Texas attending to business matters.

A new son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones last week. He was given the name Carrol Dunn.

Dock Finley made a business trip to West Texas first of last week.

Mrs. J. P. Chidress and M. E. Bell were Hico visitors Friday afternoon.

Rudy Young and family of Roswell, N. M., are here visiting relatives and friends.

A musical entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Upham, last Friday night. It was enjoyed by a large attendance.

E. L. Pines and daughters, Gwendolyn, and Maxine spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Minter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thompson were Dublin visitors Monday.

Sometime last Wednesday night the Carlton depot was broken into and an attempt to open the safe was made. The burglars gained entrance by prying open a window in the office. The dial was knocked off the safe but they were unable to get the door open.

The drug store owned by Pierce & Griffin, was burglarized last Friday night, last report no arrests had been made.

Millerville
By
ONETA GIESECKE

This pretty weather farmers are rushing their farm work. Corn planting is near at hand.

Geo. W. Loden and family visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lowe at Hico Sunday.

Elmer Giesecke and family of Duffau and Mrs. Holland attended church here Sunday and visited his brother, C. W. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hunter and daughter are attending the bedside of Mrs. Hunter's brother, Mr. McAdams at Cranfills Gap. He is very ill and his age makes it doubtful of his recovery.

H. J. Howerton resoved his oats last week that zero weather took several days ago.

Linnie Giesecke of John Tarleton visited homefolks last week end.

Eraxton Miller surprised his folks, C. H. Miller and family, Tuesday of this week, coming in from the west. He has been gone eight years in California, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and practically all the western states. Braxton was a World War veteran. Those who saw him said he looked well.

MH Giesecke and wife visited Will Rogers at Salem Saturday night and Sunday.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Several good milk Cows.—Farm Imp. Supply Co. 31tf

FOR SALE—Sweet Potato Seed, 50c bushel. See T. G. Hughes. 38-2c

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Some used implements.—Petty Bros. 37-tc

ROOMS for Rent.—Mrs. Willie Platt. 38-2p.

Practically new wardrobe trunk, for sale or trade for cow or bedroom suit. Phone 179. 35-tc.

SETTING EGGS FOR SALE.—From American White Leghorn pedigree stock, 5 cents above market price.—J. M. Blacklock, Fairly, Texas. 39-3p.

FOR SALE—First year Harper cotton seed. Grown on my farm and ginned on my private gin. Recleaned new sacks. Fifty cents per bushel. F. O. B. Albany, Texas. F. W. Alexander. 38-12p.

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By
MRS. G. W. CHAFFIN

Mrs. Frank Lester is visiting Homer Lester and family for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daves of Iredell spent this week end with Mrs. Sparks and daughter, Ola.

Miss Virginia Lester spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hanshaw at Flag Branch.

Those who visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lester Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Hanshaw and Ernest, Miss Dorothy Hanshaw of Flag Branch and Milton Stroud.

Mrs. G. W. Chaffin spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Minnie Perkins.

Mrs. Sowell spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Newton.

Miss Maria Gosdin spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris' girls.

Carl Stroud spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin, and with his brother, Milton.

Mrs. Hubeat of Stephenville spent this week end with her sister, Miss Ada Airhart, as Sunday was both of their birthdays. Mrs. Nathan Mings gave them a birthday dinner Sunday at Flag Branch.

Miss Maria Gosdin spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hughes of Spring Creek Gap.

Bud Smith and family and Allen Dawson of Black Stump were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith.

Mrs. Newton spent a while Friday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. Chaffin.

Bill Myers and Mrs. Helm and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and children.

Frank Hughes and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gosdin.

Mrs. Bud Smith and daughter spent awhile Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bryan Smith.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks and appreciation to the many good friends who were so kind and sympathetic during the hours of our greatest sorrow, the passing of our precious mother. Such kindness shall ever remain with us, a sweet and comforting memory.

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