

Here In HICO

At last ability and merit have been recognized.

Now we have another card to add to the left-hand corner of our billfold, the only use we have for the latter being for this purpose. However most of the cards filed therein now have cost something. The new addition is free, and was sent by the Terrell Chamber of Commerce. It reads:

"The unselfish sacrifice you have made for the advancement of the civic, social, and industrial welfare of your community has been brought to the attention of the Board of Directors and with that in mind you are presented with this honorary membership in the Terrell Chamber of Commerce."

We sincerely hope the membership of the body mentioned is composed of citizens of the town proper, and not the State institution to the east. No reflection on the Terrell Chamber of Commerce intended, but it does seem strange to a cussed and kicked-about newspaperman when he witnesses a brotherly act such as that mentioned.

We accept the card with thanks, even though realizing that it was undeserved and sent us through mistake. It evidently was intended for Dave McCarty, present President of the Hico C. of C. But there is no use of Dave hogging all the limelight, so we'll keep it and let him rest on the laurels he has received for his service on the local school board.

"American people are peculiar," says an exchange, adding that "the more one does for them the less they think of him and the more they expect of him."

To prove its point, the contemporary cites the following case: Much of the opposition to the Roosevelt administration is from people who have been benefited by the New Deal. Lincoln once was told when he aspired for an office that a certain Judge Smith was strongly opposed to him. The Great Emancipator thought for a moment, then remarked: "I can't see why Judge Smith would be against me; I never did him a favor in my life."

Hunting the above clipping in our archives brought to light the following ditty which it taken lightly, as it is presented, gives some insight into the condition of a tired editor's mind:

The Editor's Soliloquy.
The country editor, old and gray,
Sits in his office at close of day;
His eyes were tired, his head bowed down,
Across his brow a deep, deep frown,
As he wondered why he'd heeded the plea
To publish a paper in that city;
Or why he'd believed the promises made—
Redemption of which were so long delayed.

"Fool that I was; fool that I am!
I've played the game like a true man—
Have tried to help make the old town grow,
What more I can do I sure don't know.
I've given my time and money too,
To boost all good things, both old and new;
I've battled against the mail order house—
The support I've had wouldn't keep a mouse.

I've talked for the stores, and trade at home,
But what I have left wouldn't buy a bone.
I'm sick and tired of it all—
Of runnin' around and hearin' 'em stall!
'Business is dull, ain't sellin' a thing;
'People ain't buyin'— the song they sing.
Or, 'Not this week, but next week sure,'
And the next week—Next week we'll do 'er,
It's 'manana' this and 'manana' that.

But sit on the ad, you can bet your hat!
Their promises aren't worth a little red cent—
They don't buy paper or pay the rent,
Nor clothes, nor food and things I need—
To keep the dollars in their creed,
And they want all the community trade,
But to get it and keep it no effort is made.

Then there are a few men, loyal and true,
Their word is good, they're real true blue—
You can bank on a promise from any of them—
They're the town builders and real men.
So I reckon after all's said and done,
I'll still fight on 'til the battle is won.

—Roderick Nelra.

Local Work Program Achieving Dual Purpose

PLANS MADE HERE FOR FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Pay Roll Provided As Needed Improvement Accomplished Here.

Local Fire Company Asks Cooperation of Citizens In Program.

Laying plans for cooperation in October 4th to 10th, J. R. McMillan, local fire marshal, and J. W. Leeth are working for the greatest benefit from this observance. "This week it was announced that they would urge the careful consideration of all citizens in the program, and would seek full participation in all the phases of the affair."

National Fire Prevention Week has grown to be an annual observance, the underlying object being to promote safety and reduction of fire hazards to the end that preventable fires may be reduced to a minimum. Always in the past Hico has participated in the movement, and this year will probably be no exception.

In their plans, Mr. McMillan and Mr. Leeth pointed out that a majority of fires are preventable. The useless destruction of life and property occasioned by carelessness and neglect has been looked upon as a reflection upon American people, and in the past few years educational work has been promoted with very good effects.

The application of the general analysis, as pertains to the local situation, was clearly brought out, based on an average normal amount of premiums on fire insurance. If through carelessness a city occurs the maximum penalty of 15 per cent, this increases the premiums fifteen hundred dollars. If on the other hand through fire prevention work, good luck and other contingencies the loss may be reduced to a point where the maximum credit of 15 per cent obtains, then insurance buyers are credited with about fifteen hundred dollars on their premiums.

Thus it can easily be seen that it is to the advantage of every individual to reduce losses, since the increase in premiums for fire insurance comes out of their pockets, and in case of a credit the savings effected thereby are theirs.

In connection with the program, the fire marshal has on hand a number of blanks sufficient to supply each school child in Hico. These were sent out by the State Fire Insurance Department. In a letter accompanying the blanks, Raymond S. Mauk, Fire Insurance Commissioner, urged the importance of seeing that these blanks get into the hands of the children, and also the responsibility of teachers, parents and the general citizenship assisting in carrying out the program.

"The plan is this," Mr. Mauk said in his letter in connection with the school tie-up. "Monday morning, Oct. 5, these inspection blanks should be placed in the hands of every school principal, and distributed to every individual pupil by the respective teachers with a few appropriate fire prevention remarks. They should be returned during the week properly completed and in turn delivered to the fire marshal for inspection. Please do not destroy the completed blanks as they may form the basis for some later program."

Further announcement of details of the program will be made next week, according to Mr. Leeth, who is anxious to have the local fire department function with the greatest efficiency. "And remember," he warned, "when you have a fire don't wait until the building is burned up to call the fire department. Give us a chance, and we'll do our best."

Inspect Real Estate.
In this section on a tour of inspection of farm and ranch property between Hico and Carlton, a party of men from the Black Belt of Central Texas were here a short time Tuesday.

Included in the party were Webb Benson of Grandview, C. W. Davis of Waxahatchie, and Joe C. Martin of Itasca. The latter is postmaster at Itasca. The visitors said they had received rains in their section that were beneficial to cotton, and that crop was thriving. They praised this section, however, for its adaptability to diversification, and said things appeared to be in pretty good shape here.

Back From Europe.
Collin Sellman, who makes his home with his aunt in California, was in Hico the first of the week accompanied by his aunt, for a visit with Collin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sellman. Collin and his aunt have just returned to the United States from a tour of Europe and other points. We understand Collin will enter the University of California for the coming term.

COUNTY JUDGES ASSURED ELECTION SUPPLIES WILL BE SENT IN AMPLE TIME

Austin, Sept. 19.—B. P. Matocha, Secretary of State, reassured county judges Friday that they would receive ample election forms in ample time to have their supplies printed before the general election Nov. 3.

Some judges had expressed concern over their failure to receive anything thus far. Matocha said his department expected to have the sample ballot and the other forms in the hands of the county officials by Oct. 1.

The last candidate to file was Ernest W. Clemens of San Antonio, republican nominee for congress, with his filing, 16 of the 21 democratic nominees for the national house had opponents.

Secretary of State Matocha informs us that with these forms will be included all such necessary information as is needed for the purpose of conducting the election in accordance with the law.

BOY SCOUTS INVESTIGATE HOUSE SAID TO BE HAUNTED

The Boy Scouts of Troop 99, sponsored by the First Baptist Church of Hico, and under the direction of Scoutmaster Bob Jenkins, spent the night in the only "haunted house" that Hico can boast of, as far as they know.

The Scouts present were Joseph Paul Rodgers, Eugene Hackett, Bob Anderson, Clifford Herrington, Max Ragsdale, O. W. Hefner, Raymond Hefner, Glen and Raymond Marshall, Reverend E. E. Dawson and Arthur Burden stayed long enough to get a creepy feeling, then left.

The fact that a man had been buried in the front yard was not discovered until all were safely back home. The haunted house was the old Sunnett house, about 2 1/2 miles out on the Falls Creek road. A large number of rose bushes around the place sprang from a cutting brought from Napoleon's tomb.

After sticking out one haunted house, the Scouts report that they are ready for all comers, and that "haunts" are not as tough as you hear about.

TWO "G-MEN" HURT NEAR STEPHENVILLE TRYING TO ARREST DOPE SUSPECTS

Stephenville, Sept. 21.—Johnny Walker, said to be a resident of San Angelo, was charged with assault with intent to murder to do in justice court after he allegedly shot one federal narcotics law enforcement officer and ran his car into another near here today.

The agents, D. E. Robertson, Fort Worth, and Richard Harvin, San Antonio, were brought to hospital here, but neither was in a serious condition. Robertson's ankle was broken and Harvin received copper slugs in his left arm, leg and thigh.

The agents, with Earl Smith, San Antonio; W. H. Crook and C. R. Brown, Fort Worth, had stationed themselves on both sides of a highway at one end of the Bosque river bridge.

Sheriff Mont Thomas of Erath County, who was following a suspected narcotics peddler in his car, sounded his horn to notify the agents to block the road.

The agents drove toward the center of the road and attempted to halt the suspect. He, however, drove his car into them and fired with a shotgun. He abandoned his car and escaped into the river bottom brush. The agents said \$3,000 worth of narcotics was found in the car.

WEATHER REPORT FOR PAST SEVEN DAYS GIVES LOCAL OBSERVER'S DATA

The following report, submitted by L. L. Hudson, gives conditions locally as reported to the Chronological Service of the Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture:

Date	High	Low	Prec.	Day
Sept. 16	82	71	0.84	cloudy
Sept. 17	86	70	0.06	cloudy
Sept. 18	87	71	0.05	cloudy
Sept. 19	91	67	0.00	clear
Sept. 20	91	68	0.00	clear
Sept. 21	91	68	0.00	pt cdy
Sept. 22	90	72	0.00	pt cdy

Total precipitation so far this year, 14.63 inches.

New Ginner.
Recently employed as ginner at the local plant of J. J. Leeth & Sons, Walter Hollis of Duffau has recently taken up his duties there.

According to the owners of the gin, Mr. Hollis is an old-time ginner, and is amply qualified with experience. He has been employed for a number of years at the Johnsonville gin.

Hico Public School Students Give News About Activities

The Pep Squad.
A meeting was held Monday afternoon to discuss this year's pep squad. We are happy to announce that twenty seven girls make up this organization.

Mayme Louise Wright, Mary Jane Clark, and Jeanette French were popular elected yell leaders. Last year Jeanette and Mary Jane made a grand success of the job and we feel as if it will be marvelous this year with that peppy Mayme Wright to help.

Costumes were decided upon and they will be white corduroy skirts with orange sateen blouses.

We are most honored this year to have a new sponsor, Miss Martha Johnson, who we feel is going to be very helpful and give all the girls lots of pep.

Assembly Program.
Wednesday morning the student body of Hico Public School assembled for a program given by the evelenth grade.

The program was opened with the song "America" lead by Mavis Hardy. Guest of honor on the program was District Attorney, Dick Belcher. He delivered a most interesting speech which was enjoyed by every one.

Last, Mamye Jo McKage played a piano solo "It's a Sin to Tell a Lie."

New Students.

8th grade: Letha Mae Beaman, Bill Hall, Irene Hall, Mautill Mallins, Marie Alexander, Dewane Needham, Bill Pontremall, August Beckett, Mary Evelyn Loden, Helen Jones.

10th grade: B. N. Marcum.

11th grade: Ima Rogstad.

10th Grade Class Roll.
Dorothy Box, Ruby Turpin, Katherine Massingill, Melba Lane, Bernice Abel, Edna Connally, O. W. Hefner, Rollie Forgy, Peggy Pirtle, Erma Dee Homer, Margaret Jaggers, Florence Harelik, Jane Wolfe, Marie Linch, Jean Wolfe, Meredith Woods, R. T. Seay, Kenneth Brown, Marguerite Vickrey, Eileen Christopher, Billy Collier, B. N. Marcum, Darward Polk, Bill Nix, Jack Smith, Max Ragsdale, O. D. Becher, Clifford Earley, Joe Powers, C. A. Glessecke, Cecil Ogle, Mary Jane Clark, Ann Persons, Allene Roberson, Rotha Bulard, B. N. Marcum is the only new boy in our class.

11th Grade Class Roll.
Eula Babs, Glendine Bass, Mildred Hounstead, Opal Driver, Jeanette French, Mavis Hardy, Lavenia Hodnett, Naomi Jones, Nix, Jack Smith, Max Ragsdale, Marie Jo McKage, Louella Odell, Lucille Fatterson, Nadine Perry, Elizabeth Ross, Gladys Snieder, Lucy Mae Wilson, Bernice Wren, Ima Rogstad, O. M. Bramblett, W. H. Brown, Ben Chenault, Johnnie Elkins, Russell Howerton, Walton Gandy, Gerald Griffith, A. C. Hays, Harry Hodnett, Jack Hollis, Dan Holliday, Paul Homer, A. D. Land, Albert H. Little, Lusk Landals, Hosea Warren, Tom H. Wolfe.

Credits Now Held.
English 4.
Science 4.
Languages 4.
History and Social Sciences 4.
Mathematics 4.
V. A. 3.
Typewriting 1.
Bookkeeping 1.

Credits being Dropped.
Physics 1, Latin 2.

Credits Being Applied for this Year.
Home Economics.
V. A. 3.
General Mathematics 1.

Miss Lillian McElroy resigned to accept grade work at Odessa.

4th grade, Ima Mason.
5th grade, Lois Anglin.
High School English, Miss Martha Johnson.
High School Home Economics, Miss Iris Wagstaff.

Mrs. Louise Angell is substituting for Miss McElroy until a new Spanish teacher is elected.

106 Bales To Sept. 1.
Census report shows that there were 106 bales of cotton ginned in Hamilton County from the crop of 1936 prior to Sept. 1, as compared with 88 bales ginned to Sept. 1, 1935.

This report was given out by W. W. Martin, special agent for the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

GOVERNMENT BUYER DUE HERE TODAY TO PURCHASE HORSES FOR ARTILLERY

On a mission of interest to local horse owners, Capt. Clarence W. Bennett is scheduled to be in Hico today (Friday) for the purpose of selecting horses for use in the artillery.

Capt. Bennett will interview owners of animals for sale at the Farm Implement Supply Co. It is requested that all those having animals to sell bring them in to town, as he will not have time to make trips to the various farms.

Specifications for horses wanted were carried in last week's issue of the News Review. Various classes of horses are desired, and will be paid for at a standard price according to the classification. Included in the list are riding horses, age 4 to 7 years; artillery horses, age 4 to 7 years; light riding horses, age 4 to 7 years; and riding horses for field artillery.

KILLED NEAR CLIFTON ON WAY TO ENROLL AT A. & M.

Stephenville, Sept. 21.—A Sunday afternoon automobile accident took the life of one boy and critically injured another as the two were on their way from Stephenville to A. & M. College to enroll for the Fall term.

Tom Drummond and John Skipper, both graduates of John Tarleton College, were riding in Drummond's car near Clifton when the car overturned on a curve. Drummond was killed outright and Skipper suffered a broken jaw and a skull fracture. Both were lying in a ditch when found by a party of Tarleton students who had been visiting in Valley Mills. Skipper was rushed to a Waco hospital, where his condition is critical.

Skipper is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Skipper of Johnsville. Drummond's body was taken to Fort Worth and from there sent to Paducah.

HAMILTON FARMER SAID TO BE NEAR DEATH ON LATE STABBING AFFAIR
Hamilton, September 21.—Wash Thompson, 48, a farmer, was reported at the point of death in a hospital here Monday as a result of a stabbing which occurred near the hospital Sunday afternoon.

Bill Landers, 44, a World War veteran who had been on relief and who was farming a small tract near Thompson's place, was held in a jail on charge of assault to murder.

Earlier Sunday Landers had appeared at the hospital and requested treatment for head and body cuts he said were inflicted with a trace-chain.

Sheriff Houston White, with a warrant charging assault, was seeking Thompson when doctors at the hospital informed him that the man was in their care. He was stabbed in the liver and one lung and two of his ribs were severed. He has a family in East Texas. Landers is unmarried.

Hamilton, Sept. 22.—Wash Thompson, 48, died in a hospital here Monday night of stab wounds received Sunday, and was buried in the City Cemetery Tuesday.

Bill Landers, 44, held in jail on a charge of assault to murder, was charged with murder.

Thompson, a farmer, is survived by a widow, in Lockhart, and a brother in Paint Rock, Landers, who farmed a small place near Thompson is a former convict. He served two years in the state penitentiary in connection with a slaying in Bosque County. His case was before the Hamilton County grand jury Tuesday.

TWO HICO BOYS INJURED IN ACCIDENT AT IREDELL

Resulting from collision with another car, occupants of a car owned by A. A. Brown of Hico were slightly injured on the corner just beyond Iredele on the Walnut Springs road last Sunday evening about dusk.

Claud Christopher and Kenneth Brown, the two occupants, were taken immediately to a drug store in Iredele where their wounds were treated, and then came home. The latter was bruised about the chest and head, while Christopher is said to have suffered a severe laceration of one of his hands and other minor injuries. Both are recovering rapidly.

Mr. Brown reported that his car was a complete loss.

Fencing Farm.
Further moving the progressiveness of local farmers, K. R. Jenkins this week was reported to be fencing his farm sheep-proof.

Mr. Jenkins reports that materials on the job are being furnished by Barnes & McCullough.

Keeping Up With TEXAS

L. G. Phares, chief of the Texas Highway Patrol, reported to the State Public Safety Commission Sunday on his tour of the high way patrol and drivers license headquarters of California, New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, Utah and Colorado. Phares told the commission he obtained some ideas which might improve the Texas patrol but that the trip strengthened his conviction that the highway police organization in this State is highly efficient and that it must be "kept free from politics."

Most Texas universities and colleges opened their doors this Autumn to greatly augmented student bodies, a survey of the State this week revealed. Sharp increases ranging as high as 25 per cent over last year, were indicated as the youth of the State turned its attention again to classroom work and football.

Fire believed to have been set by burglars destroyed the postoffice at Blanco Sunday night. The safe, which contained about \$150 in cash, \$325 in stamps and office records, was found open. The ruins were being guarded Monday pending arrival of postal inspectors from Fort Worth.

Tax collections and permit fee payments brought gross liquor revenues to \$4,641,788.45 for the 10-month period ended Sept. 16, Liquor Administrator Charles R. Miller said Monday. Permit fees accounted for \$709,162.45 and the rest was made up of stamp taxes, sheriff sale receipts, depository interest and beer license fees. There are 74 wholesalers operating now as compared with 109 last year, and 1,774 package stores as against 2,292.

The liberality of the Texas pension law may work hardships other than its expense upon the administrators because of the limitations of the Federal Social Security Board, Governor Alfred said Monday. With only \$46,000,000 appropriated by the Federal Government for pensions in all States, Texas is asking for \$3,000,000 for October. Because the Texas request is much larger than the one-fortieth of the total, many Texans are fearing that the Federal board will require additions of more restrictions.

Birdville, near Fort Worth, opened its schools Monday morning, but with an undercurrent of ill feeling that indicated the community's fight over control of the administration had not ended. Scattered about the playgrounds waiting for the school doors to open were groups of grim-faced women watching carefully to see that their children had nothing to do with those of parents on the opposite faction. The differences, it was apparent, had not been settled. "We're just keeping quiet for awhile," one woman replied when asked if the hatchet had not been buried.

Under a charge of embezzling a letter from the United States mail, Clinton R. Beckett, 55, a United States post office clerk with 26 years' service to his credit, was in the Dallas County Jail Saturday night in default of \$500 bond. The charge was filed by Postal Inspector George R. Gray before United States Commissioner Lee R. Smith. Beckett was arrested at the Young Street Post Office by Postal Inspectors Gray and L. G. Bragdon.

At least one man has gone mad hunting treasure reputed buried in the vicinity of Antelope and Monday a man said "there are eight jackloads of gold buried not far from here." On Squaw Mountain, six miles southeast of Antelope, seven holes have been found within a radius of 160 yards, dug in a futile effort to unearth legendary gold. Even the grave of an Indian woman, from whom Squaw Mountain takes its name, has been dug into so often that the dirt has turned to a powdery dust from constant sifting.

Back From Convention.

C. P. Coston, local manager of the Community Public Service Company, returned last week-end from Dallas, where he had been attending a three-day sales meeting of company officials and employees.

While in the Centennial City Mr. Coston took advantage of the opportunity to see the sights at the big Texas celebration, also going to Fort Worth for a visit at the Frontier Centennial.

Conceived primarily as a relief agency for providing wages to needy laborers in exchange for work, but promoted and enlarged upon with the ultimate purpose of assisting counties, cities and political subdivisions in accomplishing some of their plans toward betterment of conditions and improvement of civic enterprises, the Works Progress Administration program is working out very smoothly when considered from a local angle.

Facts discernible to all residents, backed up by figures submitted this week for publication, prove that WPA is really achieving its dual purpose in Hico, as well as in other parts of the nation. While needy citizens are being provided with work and wages, a storm sewer project has been brought to completion and work started on paving 119 blocks of city streets.

Figures submitted Wednesday by U. D. Brown, project supervisor for the Government, and Robert Jenkins, timekeeper, show that the present pay period, ending Wednesday, Sept. 23, released \$1,076.45 in good American money to local workers as the semi-monthly pay roll was closed. This includes the amount of the Government's pay roll, \$752.60, and \$323.85 spent by the City of Hico as sponsor. The WPA pay roll is made up of salaries for laborers, for the superintendent and timekeeper, and for hire of 6 trucks. Included in the city's part was the supervisory payroll to engineer and foreman, tractor and blade hire, and V-8 pick-up allowance, as well as a number of incidental expenses for tools, etc.

According to Mr. Brown, the present checks will be somewhat smaller than usual, due to the fact that some time was lost due to bad weather. He estimates that the Government is spending around \$2,000 per month for labor, aside from a large amount to be spent later for materials.

Twenty-five to thirty men are being worked regularly now at a time, with two crews being used per month. The men work 84 hours per month, and receive 25 cents per hour for their labor, providing them with a maximum pay check of \$21.00 each.

As work on the streets progresses, details are being ironed out and the work promises to go along smoothly now since the actual start has been made. The work is being concentrated in four blocks of the business section at the present time, and these four blocks have been reduced to grade, a base course of calcium is being applied, preparatory to final application of a surface coat and covering with Uvalde rock asphalt. When these four blocks are ready for finishing, the work will branch out over the rest of the streets, with plans calling for extension of the work probably out Pecan Street next.

City officials repeatedly have been advised that all funds necessary to finish the project have been allocated, and that the project will be continued to completion as outlined in the original application. State and district WPA officials make periodic inspections of the progress of the work, and have expressed satisfaction with the storm sewer project and the initiation of the street work. While minor differences have arisen between the sponsors and the Government representatives, at the present time there is no friction and an effort is being made to work together toward the final accomplishment of the aims of both.

Cleburne Publisher Visits.
Charles C. Woodson, owner and publisher of The Cleburne Times-Review, was in Hico Friday of last week with a party of other Cleburne citizens and business men, distributing advertising for a special trades day. While here Mr. Woodson came by the News Review office and fraternized with the force for a few minutes.

A graduate of Hico High School, Mr. Woodson enjoyed going over old times and recalling incidents about his residence here. He graduated in 1917, later attending Baylor University. Since that time he has owned newspapers at Palestine and Gladwater, only recently having purchased the daily newspaper at Cleburne, where he is enjoying a very satisfactory association as publisher.

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Mrs. L. N. Lane, the Hico Florist, who is spending a part of the week in Dallas attending the National Florists Convention...

While we are speaking along the line of funerals, we shall mention some other people whom we could not do without when death comes into our homes...

In conversation with Carolyn Holford last Saturday, we were asking her all about school...

A person we are glad to welcome back in Hico to make her home after residing for several months near Iredell with her sister...

A Hico kid went into one of the local drug stores the other day and asked the druggist if he would exchange goods that "ain't" wanted...

The Palace Theatre has taken on a new appearance inside with new coats of paint and a new "celatex" ceiling...

Three ways to commit suicide by gas are: Inhale it, ignite it, or step on it.

We heard a person the other day say that it's true that God made little apples, but putting worms in them was the devil's idea.

Rid Yourself of Kidney Poisons Do you suffer burning, scanty or too frequent urination, headache, backache, dizziness, loss of energy, loss of appetite, and swollen ankles and feet?...

DOAN'S PILLS

Fairy By CORRESPONDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Grisham spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Allison.

Mrs. W. E. Goynne and daughter, Wilma Grace, spent Monday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Loden of Millerville.

Mrs. Opal Grimland of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bert Trantham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Edwards and daughter, Bettie Lou, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Loden of Millerville.

Mrs. Tommie Pitts and daughter, Eva Nelle, of Hico, spent Friday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wilford and Mrs. E. S. Allison were in Hamilton Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herrieks and daughter Lucile, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wright and daughter La Nelle, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Malone.

Miss Doris Allison of Ft. Worth spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Young of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. Mont Young Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. C. Allison, Jr., of Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. DeLillis Seago of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hartgraves and Mary Lou of Hamilton, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Allison and family last Sunday.

Lester Betts left last week for Bryan where he will attend A. M. College for the winter term.

His many Fairy friends wish him much success in his school work.

The following Fairy folks were Dallas Centennial visitors last Sunday: Mrs. C. A. Brunson, Lorayne Blakely, Cart Blacklock, Curtis Wright, Weynand Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Red Clark, Lewis Abel, Audie Parks, G. W. Williamson, Grocett Slater, Catherine Slater, Sammy Battershell, Bernice Parks, Pete Parks, Vernon Jackson, Joe Betts, Mrs. Tom Betts, James Dudley Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGlothlin. These folks were taken in Bill McGlothlin's new school bus.

Clarence Trantham, Jim Little, Sammie Davis, Paul Hutton, and Dick Allison were Dallas Centennial visitors last Sunday. Miss Annie Allison accompanied them as far as Fort Worth and visited with her sister Miss Doris Allison who is attending a beauty school in that city.

Rev. Thurman Rucker will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here next Sunday morning and evening. You are invited to attend these services.

Mr. Weynand Allison left Tuesday for Houston where he will visit his sister, Miss Robilee Allison who is a student nurse in the Methodist Hospital in that city.

Misses Lotene and Imogene Pitts attended the birthday celebration of Misses Nip and Tuck Abel which was held at Glen Rose last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blue and children of Spring Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. Clancy Blue Sunday.

Cecil Parks, J. L. Little, and Edward Trantham attended the Centennial at Dallas Sunday.

IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS STELLA JONES, Local Correspondent

James Corley of Breckenridge enroute to A. & M. College, visited his sister, Mrs. B. L. Mitchell a few days this week.

Mrs. John Parks was on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Echols and son, Billie, Mrs. Ralph Echols and Mrs. Dan Pike were in Waco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Collis Glasco of Beumont, visited her mother Mrs. Gregory and other relatives here this week.

Paul Patterson returned Tuesday night from Douglas, Arizona, where he had been over a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Haydon Sadler were in Dallas Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan and children left Thursday for Los Angeles, California, where they will reside. They have lived here a long time and have many friends who wish them success and happiness in their new home.

Mr. Rufus Freeman and son of Abilene, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, her sister Mrs. Chester accompanied her home for a visit.

Mrs. Gregory was in Waco Friday.

Mrs. Grace Pruitt of Hico visited her mother Mrs. Mattie Whitely Thursday.

Miss Pauline Phillips is working in Bryan.

Mr. Reupert Phillips left Friday for A. & M. College at College Station where he will go to college.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boyd and son Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Heyroth attended the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Trammell of Hico on Thursday.

Mrs. Trammell is Mrs. Boyd's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap and Mr. and Mrs. Obie Dunlap and children spent the week-end in Cleburne with relatives.

W. R. Newsom enroute to his home in Big Springs from Fort Worth, visited his parents and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parks a short time Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Esteen and son of Waco spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Word Main.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Deane Huckaby of Dallas, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lawrence were called to Gorman Friday to see their new grandson that was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Neighbors in the Gorman Hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Neighbors live in De Leon.

Mrs. Bill Davis was taken to Gorman Hospital Saturday and was operated on for appendicitis Sunday. She is getting along fine.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell and two children, Bobbie and Peggy June, went to Dallas to the Centennial Monday. Her son, Rev. Tidwell, came after them.

Mrs. Harron has returned to her home in Marlin after a visit here with her niece, Mrs. Pike.

Mrs. J. L. Tidwell will entertain the W. M. S. at her home Tuesday September 29 at 2:30. She will be assisted by Mrs. Pike. All the ladies be there for we will have a "big time".

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ratliff are the proud parents of a son, born September 19. Weighed 9 pounds. Mrs. Ratliff before her marriage was Miss Ethelene Lunberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Appleby have rooms with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley. They have bought the feed store from Mr. Heyroth.

Claude Christopher of Hico was badly cut Sunday evening. He was with another boy whose name was Brown. They were in a car on the Walnut Springs road a short distance from town, when the car turned over and was damaged a great deal. Two girls were in one of the cars and got out some but not bad. Christopher was brought to the drug store here and his wounds were dressed by Dr. Pike. One hand was cut, a cut place on his side and one cut place on his head. His chest was also hurt by the steering wheel. It is hoped that the injuries won't prove serious.

Mrs. Lucy Appleby, who has been with her daughter, Mrs. Tom Strange for a few days, returned to her home Sunday. Mrs. M. Strange came in Sunday and will stay for a few days.

Iredell and surrounding community sure got a good rain last week which is fine. It will put a fine season in the ground. Some fall gardens have been planted.

Mrs. D. E. Cavness returned Friday from Glen Rose and is feeling better.

Rev. Craig preached two fine sermons here Sunday morning and night. The S. S. is some better, some new classes have been organized. Those that are not in the other S. S., please come to the Methodist. On a Sunday morning on the streets in town a dozen or more men and boys are seen sitting on the sidewalk, they would make a fine class in either S. S. but they had rather be in town.

Old Hico By Miss Margaret Proffitt

We had a nice rain the past week.

The Ables family had a reunion at Glen Rose Sunday. Neal Proffitt spent Sunday with Elton Massengale.

Mrs. Chunnely of Evant, spent a few days the past week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jesse Rainwater.

Mrs. Essie Mae Wright of Fairy spent Friday with her aunt, Mrs. Booth.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hunter were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jud Massengale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gossitt and children, Emma Dee Proffitt, visited Mr. and Mrs. Audie Scott of Morgan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Proffitt visited Sunday with her father and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Massengale, Mr. and Mrs. Longbotham, were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer Sunday.

Mrs. Nettie Parks of Fairy visited Sunday afternoon with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jud Massengale.

Allen Gossitt spent a part of last week with his sister, Mrs. Carson Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Massingale spent Sunday afternoon with his father and mother Mrs. and Mrs. S. R. Massengale.

than in S. S. Hope they will decide and go to one of the S. S. Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Parish of Carlton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pylant Sunday.

Miss Stella Jones spent Friday with Mrs. A. T. Gann. I enjoyed my visit very much.

Several of the men and boys went to Meridian Monday as court opened.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hooper who has been very ill, is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Dearing and Josie Harris were in Meridian Monday. Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Strong of Walnut Springs were here Monday.

Passengers in the smoking compartment on my train were arguing about why railroad business is picking up.

A factory owner said it was because of this new Free pick-up-and-delivery of less than carload freight. This is door-to-door service with no extra charge added to the freight bill.

A traveling salesman said it was because so many passenger and freight trains now run on faster schedules.

There was a school principal in the group and he said it was because train travel is so much cheaper for passengers. He said passenger fares are at the lowest point in history, with substantial reductions if you buy a round-trip ticket—and no more surcharge for riding in sleeping cars.

One man, a farmer, said he liked something he could depend on, that's why he was traveling by train.

Another man, a newspaper reporter, said people were in favor of railroad travel because it is by far the safest. He quoted a lot of statistics from a book called, "Live and Let Live."

A banker we all know by name said railroad tax payments mean a lot in this state.

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The issue before the American people today is not Roosevelt versus Landon; nor is it the Republican Party versus the Democratic Party. The issue here is the same as that which rocks the rest of the world, and that issue is regimentation versus freedom and democracy. We are confronted with a change in our form of government from a Democracy, in which the government is the servant of the people, to a Socialistic and Communistic state in which the individual becomes the servant of the state and loses all personal freedom and all property rights.

We charge that Mr. Roosevelt is not a Democrat and never has been in sympathy with the principles of the Democratic Party.

We charge that Mr. Roosevelt aided and abetted the aims of the Socialists and Communists, and has set up a board of advisers known as the "brain trust" which is largely made up of red radicals not in sympathy with our form of government.

We charge that few members of this "brain trust" have ever been connected with the Democratic party prior to the nomination of Mr. Roosevelt for President.

We charge that the key positions in the numerous bureaus set up by Mr. Roosevelt are now held by radical appointees selected for the most part by Felix Frankfurter, known throughout the country for his red radical activities.

We charge that the radicals, whether they call themselves socialists or communists, now have the nation by the throat, thanks being due Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt. Miss Perkins (married woman) following the Russian system of not taking her husband's name, Felix Frankfurter, Rex Tugwell, and others.

We charge that all New Deal acts such as NRA, AAA, and others in which business, farmers, and the rest of us were to be regimented and directed by some bureaucrat are the brain children. We will prove to you before November 3rd, by quoting Mr. Tugwell himself, that he is as red or redder than Stalin, the Russian dictator.

We charge that Mr. Roosevelt has shown no interest in the 1932 platform of the Democratic party except to repeal prohibition.

We charge that most of the New Deal bills he forced through Congress were specifically called for in the 1932 Communist and Socialist platform. We will prove to you before November 3rd by showing you word for word the platforms of these parties and showing you how the New Deal acts met the demand of these platforms.

We charge that when Mr. Roosevelt insisted on having all relief and PWA money given to him to use at his discretion it was for the purpose of getting control of Congress, by denying any Congressman money-spending projects in his district if he voted against the President's bills.

We charge that Jim Farley, the Tammany politician and ex-prize fight commissioner, expended this money in building up a political machine to Tammanize the United States, and has succeeded in doing so to an extent that it is as vicious as it is in New York City.

We charge that the Nation cannot survive the continuation of the present, flagrant, wasteful spending far beyond its income. Mr. Roosevelt expects to continue it. Our national debt is now more than \$35,000,000,000, or approximately \$1,500 for the average family. The interest charges of 2 1/2 per cent upon this debt amount to \$880,000,000.

The President's program of soaking the rich by increasing the taxes on all income above \$50,000 does not provide enough money to pay even the interest charge on this debt. If the entire income of this group were confiscated, it would just pay the interest charges, which as shown by the United States Treasury Department figures for 1934, was \$890,328,297. The New Dealers have put the mill-stone of debt around the necks of our children and our grandchildren. We believe these debts are being piled up for the purpose of bankrupting the Nation to forward the plans of the Communists and Socialists.

We charge that the most active bureau in Washington today is that of propaganda, through which millions of dollars of taxpayer's money is spent to misinform him and sing praises of the New Deal.

We charge that Mr. Roosevelt is wholly unrepentable. His record is one of broken promises. The Nation and business cannot go forward when it cannot rely on the statements of the President.

We claim that Landon and Knox are the only national nominees defending the time-honored principles of Democracy. The most important plank in their platform is that in defense of State's rights to prevent the centralization of power in Washington, where some organized minority can seize control of our government.

We claim that we are going to carry this state against Roosevelt. The normal Republican vote is about 150,000. Add to this 50,000 Republicans who ordinarily do not vote because they feel that it is useless. Add to this 150,000 Democrats who will not vote for Roosevelt under any circumstances. You know your own community is full of this kind of Democrats. You will gladly join us if they think there is any use in voting against him. This alone will mean the election against Roosevelt, but add to this thousands more who will vote against Roosevelt when they are shown the fallacies and frauds of the New Deal. We Democrats are not going to let the New Dealers and Tammany Jim put any collars around our necks. A Texas voter is never a yellow dog unless he is a politician.

We want you to step out on the firing line with us. Are you willing to help us in the distribution of our literature, or in getting money to forward this work? We have a large number of organizations throughout Texas. We want one in every town.

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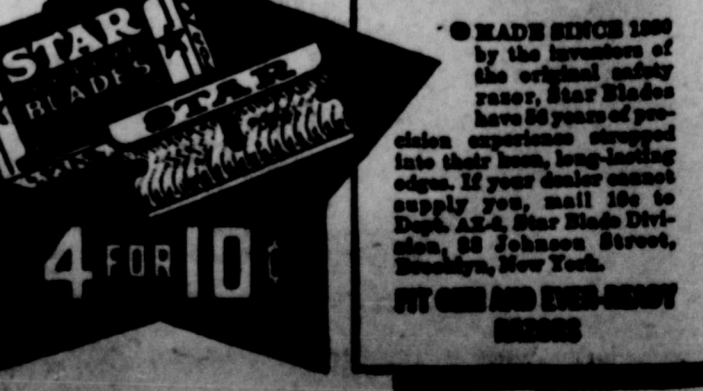
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Make-Believe Bride

by Ruth Harley



Sixth Installment
SYNOPSIS: Maris Trevor is discouraged because Rod O'Rourke spends all his money developing an invention which he hopes will provide an income so that they can marry. Maris thinks they should enjoy the present rather than deny themselves for the future. She becomes uncertain of her love for Rod. Perhaps there would be more happiness with someone else. . . .

She crumpled the note and put it in the wastebasket. They wouldn't likely be home for at least a couple of hours. She's just make a cup of coffee and have some cake, for probably Patsy was going to give them a swell supper. Swiftly she remembered how disappointed Pat had been that Rod had missed the duck dinner.

Maybe she had planned this surprise for him. Pat was always thinking about other folks and doing nice things for them. Well, she would be disappointed once more.

For a moment Maris wondered how Rod was making out, but only for a moment, because she suddenly realized that one of her favorite features was almost due on the radio, and turning the dial, she flung herself down in a comfortable chair, waiting for the coffee to "perk."

Then came the musical motif signifying the approach of the feature and a moment later she was completely transported to other realms. It was not until the players had been on the air for about half an hour that she remembered the coffee. Jumping from the chair, she darted into the kitchen just in time to salvage half a cup, and with that and a piece of cake, she returned once more to the living room to listen to the end of the play.

But she was hardly seated till the door opened and Patsy and Johnny entered.

"Home so soon?" questioned Maris as she greeted them. "Didn't you go to the movies after all?"
"Yes," answered Pat, "but it was a rotten picture. Where's Rod? Hasn't he come over yet?"
"No he left for Cleveland today!"

"He did?" cried Patsy. "What's up—got a new job?"
"No, he's got a chance to demonstrate his radio gadget."

"Say, that's great," remarked Jimmy. "Good old Rod! I sure hope he makes a hit with it!"
"So do I," exclaimed Pat, "but I suppose that'll mean he'll want to marry you right away and take you to the country," she added, looking at Maris as though she expected her to confirm her suggestion.

Maris smiled, but made no remark.

Then, noting the coffee cup on the table, Pat said, "You haven't looked in the ice-box, have you?"
"Of course not, although I'm starving," answered Maris.

"But I thought you'd have a bite before you came home tonight—you usually do that on my night off."

"Oh, it's all right, Pat. I worked late at the office."

"You did?" questioned Pat.

"Yes," replied Maris, almost too eagerly. "I had to see about some stuff in connection with the exhibition—at least Fayson's part in it. And say, Rowene Quirk was in in the morning, all dressed up in the wedding gown she is going to wear at the show. She looked gorgeous."

"I don't believe she's any prettier than you," remarked Jimmy.

"All right, folks, let's eat," Pat said. "You can come and help me, Maris, and Jimmy can get us some good music and not those blood-and-thunder dramas you're so crazy about."

"It's too bad Rod couldn't be here," declared Patsy, opening the ice-box and revealing a sumptuous meal of cold spiced tongue, with vegetable salad and a delicious frozen dessert. "I just hope this trip will bring him some luck. Don't you feel excited about it? Is he going to call you up?"

"I don't suppose so."
"What do you mean, Maris? You're surely not keeping up that silly fight with him, about Dulcie? You must be crazy if you'd let a thing like that come between you—"
Suddenly Patsy stood stock still in the middle of the kitchen floor. "You haven't thrown him over for the chance that one day Stan may talk to you?" Her eyes seemed to pierce the girl beside her.

"Don't you worry, Pats, and work yourself up into a state. I'm not worth it, really. Only you may be interested in knowing that I've a date with Stan tomorrow."

"A date with Stan?" Patsy repeated incredulously. "Oh, Maris, do you know what you're doing?"

"There, Pat, don't get all 'het up.' It's only to tell him something about an announcement for the exposition. Guess he wants my reactions to it." Laughing lightly, Maris shattered the tension of the moment.

"Well, I'm glad, though you had me worried for a minute."

"That's silly, Stan's engaged to Rowene Quirk, so he hasn't any eyes for other girls." (At least not just now, thought Maris to herself.) "If only I'd her money, what stunning clothes I'd have!"

"He's really engaged to her?" demanded Pat.

"Yes; one of the girls saw the

her lips. Now she was glad she had not let herself be carried away by her emotions. She must keep them under control. Whatever came of love matches that folks raved about, but disillusion when the couples came up against the practicalities of life?
But suddenly all her calculated plans received a jar when Jimmy said "I guess Rod will be a rich man one of these days. One of the engineers down at our place was talking about his gadget. He thinks it will revolutionize radio reception."

"That would suit you all right, Maris, wouldn't it?" questioned Patsy.

"Yes, of course," answered Maris, "but no one knows yet. It may only be a pipe dream."

"You don't sound very enthusiastic over Rod's ideas," remarked Jimmy.

"Oh, maybe I've heard so much about this wonderful gadget that I'm not going to believe in its wonderful future. Guess I'm from Missouri, and need to be shown."

There was a note of boredom in Maris' voice as she answered.

"Just wait till Rod comes back from Cleveland. Probably the engine of the train he comes in on will be flying flags. I've a hunch he's going to make good with it all right," announced Patsy.

Of course she would not want to marry that type man—there could be no lasting happiness with a background of this sort.

Surely Jimmy must be mistaken. Everything about Stan Fayson seemed to assure her that he was a gentleman in the fullest sense of the word. Oh, why should he suggest such things, even hint at them, when this dark-eyed, debonaire young man might play such an important part in her life? She tried to banish Jimmy's words, tried to tell herself he was "just talking."

But when she slipped between the sheets and her hot cheek pressed against the cool pillow, there seemed to be something sinister hovering about young Stan Fayson.

Then suddenly all her fine theories of a girl bettering herself by marrying a rich man, seemed to lose their power. Something within her cried out for Rod. He was straight. He was true. He would never link himself with anything shady. Had she made a mistake in passing up the love he offered her? But before she had reached a decision, drowsiness stole over her. Jimmy's pronouncements lost weight. Everything seemed to grow blurred. Maris had fallen asleep.

Next morning when Maris reached the office, she hurried at once to her desk, read the announcement Stan had given her, and finding nothing in it which she could improve upon, she decided to put it on the desk at once. But as she started down the corridor, old Mr. Fayson's door opened, and Stan almost collided with her.

Handing the paper to him, she said, "There isn't a thing to be changed as far as I see."

"That's fine," he answered quickly. "Thanks very much." But as he turned to speak, Maris felt his eyes look questioningly into hers, and her cheeks grew rosy. Something told her he was aware of her for the first time.

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announcement in the papers, so not one of the girls will have a look-in, though it's a darned shame, for rich husbands can't be picked up at every crossroads."

"It's better so," commented Patsy, and for a moment Maris felt furious at her. Even if she was perfectly content with Jimmy Doyle and his future, other girls had dreams of really raising themselves through their marriages to important men.

"Stan Fayson," remarked Patsy, "would probably turn some work-girl's head with his attentions and wealth, and then she'd find herself left high and dry when he got tired of her. Well, I guess we're ready to start. Come on, Jimmy."

"All right, sweetheart," he answered as he came into the dining room and put his arm about Patsy.

Maris caught the look of affection that passed between them. Somehow it annoyed her. Patsy was a jewel of a girl, but how could she be satisfied with Jimmy? Yet she seemed to adore him. Somehow that very fact seemed to make her feel like throwing Rod permanently into the discard. Maris felt with her beauty she should surely do better in the marriage market than marry a man who merely had a job—even if she loved him.

Well, she thought, now, as she glanced again at the couple, she wouldn't make a mess out of her life by letting her heart rule her. What did marrying for love do for anyone? A cynical smile curled at

"Yes," echoed Jimmy. "I feel that way too, although it may take a little while to make adjustments on it, but when it's ready for commercializing I guess the shekels will simply pour in. Say, Maris, you've got a good thing in Rod." And he grinned at the girl.

"Maybe that's what you think," she answered.

After that the conversation swung into a different channel. No further mention was made of Rod or his gadget, and Maris was glad of it. She would not tell them she was no longer interested in Rod.

Late that night as Maris stood at her window, looking across the roofs of Manhattan, a remark of Jimmy's echoed insistently in her ears. "Yeah, it's the rich guys that are the biggest racketeers in the country. Fellows like young Fayson often have tie-ups with folks you'd never dream of. That's why so many of these investigations in-

Unity

By THYRA EARLEY

Mrs. Blue visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop of San Angelo, visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell from Saturday morning until Sunday morning.

Mr. Earley visited Sunday afternoon in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ray Morgan.

Ralph Bush visited in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bush from Tuesday until Saturday.

Mr. Earley, Ray Morgan, and Robert Ogle visited with John Word for a short time Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Morgan and little son, Billy Ray, were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earley from Wednesday until Saturday afternoon.

Martha Rucker visited Friday morning in the home of her sister, Mrs. Connally.

Mrs. Cole visited Friday in the homes of Mrs. Rance McElroy and Mrs. Hooper.

Ray Morgan visited in the Earley home Friday night.

Mrs. Newburn Hanshaw and little daughter, Margie Ann, visited Friday in the home of Mrs. Connally.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard and two daughters were visitors in our community a short time Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Rucker, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Connally and two sons, H. C. and J. W., Mr. and Mrs. Newburn Hanshaw and little daughter, Margie Ann, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Rucker Saturday night.

Mark McElroy, who is working in Fort Worth, spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rance McElroy.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jones and family were guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bush Sunday.

Tayza Earley visited Sunday afternoon with Martha Rucker.

Mr. Bush left on a business trip to Talpa, Monday morning.

Mrs. Bush and daughter visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Earley.

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By OPAL DRIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ables of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders and family were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Needham.

Mr. and Mrs. Roach of Carlton were visitors in the Jack Sanders home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Box and daughter, Dorothy, visited in Sunshine Sunday.

Mr. J. P. Columbus and daughters, Altie and Artie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Tudor.

A big dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis in honor of Mr. Davis' birthday. All the children were present for the occasion.

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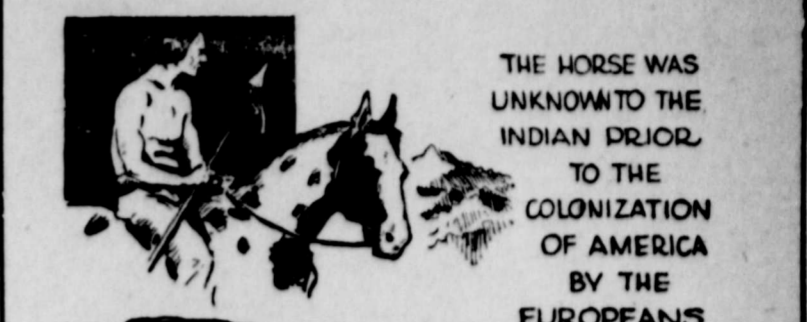
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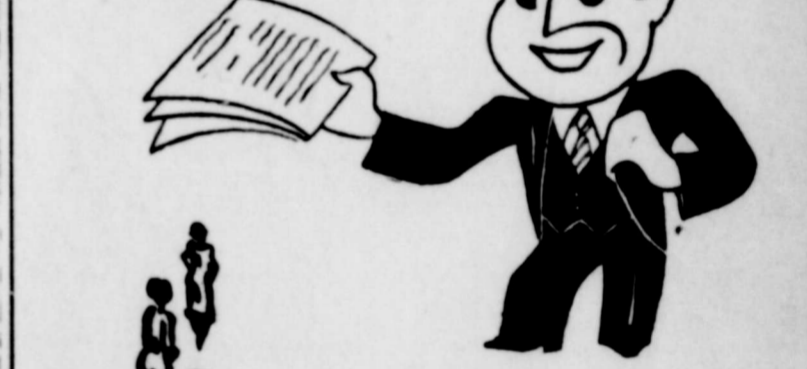
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CONSTITUTION AFTER 150 YEARS

The United States Constitution Sequi-Centennial Commission, under the leadership of the indefatigable Sol Bloom, Representative in Congress from New York City, has got its plans under way for a nation-wide celebration of the 150th anniversary of the states for ratification on September 17, 1787, and on September 17, next year, it will be 150 years old.

Congress appropriated \$250,000 in 1935 for the Commission to use in arousing public interest in the historic document. Through state commissions, educational institutions and libraries the Commission is establishing contacts with millions of students of colleges, high schools and grade schools who will compete for local and national prizes and honors. Orations and essays on the Constitution will be judged by local and state committees and the national contestants will go to Washington to compete for the prize, which will be handed to the winner by the President of the United States.

Full-sized facsimiles of the original draft of the Constitution will be distributed to state capitols, libraries and educational institutions; a series of commemorative postage stamps will be issued and an exhibition of historical paintings and portraits of the signers of the Constitution will be assembled in Washington.

In our opinion this effort to revive interest in and the study of the Constitution of the United States is very timely. All over the world peoples of entire nations are being deprived of their ancient liberties. A widespread understanding of the peculiar liberties which we of America enjoy under our Constitution, which has been described as the greatest document ever forged by the mind of man cannot fail to be helpful.

PEACE OR WAR!

In addressing the third World Power Conference at Washington the Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, remarked that "unfortunately, vastly disproportionate share of the skill and energy of scientists and statesmen alike is being devoted now in many parts of the world to the creation and organization of forces of destruction."

Every thoughtful person with even a slight understanding of the forces which seem to be driving toward another world war will agree with Secretary Hull in deploring the activities of governments and leaders who, under the guise of preparing for national defenses, are stimulating the war spirit and preparing to plunge civilization into chaos.

It has lately been reported that so many of the German people are engaged in the manufacture of arms and munitions of war that an illusion of prosperity has been created. To what end is suggested by the recent remarks of Chancellor Hitler, in which he suggested that Germany might do it she possessed the mineral and agricultural resources of Russia. That, coupled with his demand for a return of the German colonies taken away by the Treaty of Versailles, comes very close to being an actual threat of war.

Russia today has the largest standing army ever known in the history of the world and one of the best equipped. Russia fears attack both from the West and from the East. Japan is reaching farther Northward and Westward from Manchuria and the day seems not far off when the Soviet Republic will be fighting for its life on both fronts. Italy and France both seem to be watching for the time and the opportunity to dismember Spain and parcel it out between them. Britain's colonial empire of another great war, it seems impossible that England can stay out. And it is far from impossible that the United States would also find itself involved.

If ever the times called for the utmost exertions in the name of peace, it is now.

Thy Michael Freidsam gold medal awarded annually to the person who has contributed in the greatest degree toward the development of art in industry, has for the first time been bestowed upon a woman. The winner this year is Mrs. Ellen Dunlop Hopkins, founder of the New York School of Applied Design for women. Her school, founded in 1932, was the pioneer school of the kind for women. The prize was first awarded in 1924.

He is a cheat who would make you believe he is superior to himself.

PLANNING BOARD STARTS SURVEY OF DAMAGE IN FLOODED AREAS OF TEXAS

Austin, Texas, Sept. 23.—Although the flood waters of the Colorado, Concho and Guadalupe rivers are still tumbling down to the sea, an immediate survey of the flood damage has been launched by the Texas Planning Board's water resources committee. The survey is under the direction of C. S. Clark, chairman of the State Board of Water Engineers and planning board member.

A hurried survey of the flood regions by the planning board discloses that property damage will run between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000. Thousands of head of livestock drowned as the raging waters of the three rivers tumbled over their banks and ran rampant over the lowlands. Hundreds of dwellings were torn from their foundations and hurled against the concrete bulwarks of highways and railroad bridges where they crumbled under the terrific pounding of the swirling waters.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN PRIZES OFFERED AT DALLAS POULTRY SHOW

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 22.—Five hundred dollars in sweepstakes prizes will be awarded exhibitors who participate in poultry shows scheduled at the Texas Centennial Exposition, Walter Burton, poultry director, said today.

Birds are eligible in the exposition general show No. 1 that opens Sept. 25 and closes Oct. 1; the October breed shows and the general show No. 2, 14-29. The highest number of points won in any of these shows will determine the winner at the close of the No. 2 show. The breed shows begin Oct. 9 and close Oct. 23.

Winner of the best display solid color birds of one variety will get \$100 of the \$275 purse offered in this class. Second place will pay \$75, third, \$50, fourth, \$35, and fifth, \$15.

Another \$275 purse will be divided in the same manner in the best display parti-color birds of one variety.

Memories

by A. B. Chapin

THE EARLY MORNING START FOR THE COUNTY FAIR

IT'S A GOOD THING WE STARTED AN HOUR BEFORE SUNUP, IT'LL TAKE US 'BOUT FOUR HOURS 'T DRIVE FOURTEEN MILES, AN' I WANT 'T GIT THERE EARLY 'NUFF 'T SEE 'N WOGGS AN' CATTLE AN' HAVE OUR DINNER BEFORE WILLYUM JENNIN'S BRYAN 'STARTS SPEAKIN'—

I WANT TO GET THERE EARLY, TOO, SO I CAN ENTER MY QUINCE PRESERVE IN THE ART HALL EXHIBIT—

YES—AND MY LOG CABIN QUILT

GOODY, GOODY, I'M GOIN' ON 'N MARY-GO-ROUN—

AN' CHRISTINITY, I'M GONNA SEE 'N RACCS AN' FLOON 'N ASEN'NIN

SHEP—! G'WAN HOME!!



Nancy Hart's HOME NEWS

Breakfast gets the most casual attention, and yet it is as important as any other meal... perhaps more so, because the interval between the evening meal and breakfast is our longest period without food. Breakfast should be a substantial meal rather than just toast and coffee. Children, of course, and working men and women—including busy housewives—need to start the day with good nourishing food.

Your neck is a beauty and a health asset or liability, depending entirely upon yourself. If you believe "a woman is as old as she looks," be sure your neck doesn't belie what a well-kept face tells the world. Cleanse regularly as your face, and massage it often, for wrinkles here before they proceed further. If you take care of your neck, the double-chin will take care of itself. Powder well before the neckline of your dress, and if you use a powder base, use it for all the skin you powder, or your neck will be a shade or two lighter than your face.

Bad neck and head posture may be responsible for headaches and a chronic tired feeling. Try walking around with a book balanced on the top of your head. You will have to hold your head up and back, your chin in, and you will feel as if your neck rested squarely on your shoulders, and your head squarely on your neck—as it should.

Household Hint: Ham blends well with leftover cooked meats such as beef, lamb, veal or nut-

ton. Try some for your next pie.

The doctor had promised Muriel that she would be a changed girl after her tonsils were out. A week later mother noticed her staring into a mirror. "I can't see any change," she declared. "I'm just the same old me."

LET'S TALK ABOUT CLOTHES

Denton, Texas, Sept. 22.—Footwear this season, more than ever before, combines comfort and beauty. The war between low and high heels is still raging, with the manufacturers settling the problem by offering both types of heel with each shoe design.

Colleagues are eagerly following the trend toward the high-throated, moderate-heeled style which is being shown with sport afternoon, and street costumes. Suede is the most popular material, and it is trimmed with calfskin, patent leather, alligator skin or novel stitching. Contrasting colors are used in heel and toe trimmings, and latest reports from Paris give nothing smarter than to match the toe of your shoe with leather accents on your dress.

Shoe designers are growing more particular about fitting the shoe to the costume, especially since the fall fashions are featuring patterns taken from other decades and other nations. The shoes are named and confused buyers find such things as "pagoda pumps" to go with Oriental dresses, and Kent oxfords to finish English tweed suits.

Since colors are becoming more popular in every division of the world of fashion, girls at Texas State College for Women (CIA) prescribe the use of a little imagination in the choice of blending shades for a costume. Don't let your blends match too perfectly and "kill" the effect—contrast makes for a smart appearance, and the selection of smart, richly-colored shoes may make or break your new fall ensemble.

Sunday School Lesson

by Rev. Charles E. Dunn

The spread of Christianity. Lesson for September 27th. Matt. 13:24-35. Golden Text: Acts. 11:27.

This is a review lesson. We have been studying the birth and early growth of the missionary movement. Naturally we turn our thoughts to our own day and inquire concerning the spread of Christianity in the twentieth century. Is the missionary enterprise we ask, forging ahead in the spirit of its founders of the apostolic age? A full answer is given in "Re-Thinking Missions," the report of the recent laymen's foreign missions inquiry. "If the future way of the mission is to be—as it can be—the exacting way of the best, its welcome abroad will be secure."

There can be no question that Christianity in the future will be increasingly international. Our world is rapidly shrinking. The old barriers of space and time are disappearing. Think of what the radio and aviation are doing to bring the nations closer! All parts of the world today are in intimate touch with one another. Therefore we are compelled to abandon the old-time distinction between home and foreign missions. The field is now one. It is apparent that the missionary enterprise is one organism, all parts of it inter-related so that the witness for Christ in one area sets in motion forces which change for the better the spiritual atmosphere in all other areas.

But there is a stronger reason for the cultivation of a world view. Not only are we compelled to be world citizens by the revolutionary forces of applied science, but we are forced to think in terms of mankind as a whole by the example of Christ. And let us bear in mind that missions, in all their branches, are well established. There are 52,000 missionaries today, 23,000 Roman Catholic and 29,000 Protestant scattered in all five continents, and in most of the islands of the sea, with about ten million Christians under their charge. The work they are doing is of immense significance.

Advertisement for BRUCE BARTON Soap, featuring a portrait of a man and the text 'Plenty of American Vitality'.

Very Latest



Designed in sizes: 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. Size 8 with short sleeves requires 2 1/2 yards of 25 inch material. With long sleeves 2 3/4 yards plus 1/2 yard of contrast.

Neat School Frock Pattern 8823: With her dainty pleats carefully pressed and her hair ribbon effectively placed this little lady is ready for the first link of the school bell. Her crisp new frock, Pattern 8823, is fashioned of bright plaid gingham and very prettily too. Other suggestions include printed pique, printed challis, and for dress-up wear later, in the long sleeved version, in sheer Jersey or soft wool.

The small Peter Pan collar is sweet and the flaring, shorter skirt most becoming. The Norfolk style panels add decorative lines to its youthful charm. There is no worry or bother about this pattern—you just lay it out and follow instructions. You'll be delighted with the finished piece.

For PATTERN, send 15 cents in coin (for each pattern desired) your Name, ADDRESS, STYLE NUMBER and SIZE to Patricia Dow, Hico News Review Pattern Dept., 115 Fifth Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Better be ignorant than know the wrong things.

The House of Hazards By Mac Arthur

Comic strip panel: YOUR CHOCOLATE SODA, SIR... OH, I'M SORRY!

Comic strip panel: I'M GLAD THE SUMMER'S OVER—EVERYTHING SHOWS ON THESE CONFOUNDED LIGHT SUITS.

Comic strip panel: GOOD OL' DARK SUIT

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Advertisement for The Family DOCTOR by JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

VACCINES AND THE RELIABLE FAMILY DOCTOR. There can be no doubt of the value of certain vaccines in the prevention and treatment of epidemic diseases. By the intelligent use of this method, much suffering can be avoided, and many conditions alleviated. Medical science has practically abolished typhoid fever, malaria, small-pox, yellow fever, and other infectious diseases—and has shorn diphtheria, scarlet fever, tetanus, hydrobia, and other fatal maladies of much of their terrors.

THIS WEEK IN TEX. HISTORY 1838—On September 23 the town of Ruter was surveyed, and two years later a charter was obtained from the Texas government for a college. This was the founding of Southwestern University. 1839—France entered into a treaty with Texas on September 25 and acknowledged her in every respect an independent nation. 1842—The Texans held a meeting at the Alamo on September 25 to hear an address by Colonel Barleson. They were angry at the Mexicans and Barleson's plan for a retaliatory expedition into Mexico resulted in what is now known as the Somervell Expedition. 1871—A tax payers convention was held in Austin for three days beginning September 22 to protest against radical rule and waste of public money—Texas State College for Women (CIA).

Local Happenings

Jack Smith spent last Friday in Waco with relatives.

ROSS SHOP, Jewelry, Watch and Clock Repairing. 23-146

I. J. Teague spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Waco.

Miss Thoma Rodgers and Mrs. J. Adams spent Thursday in Waco.

"Son" Dupree of Waco has been here this week visiting his father, F. Dupree.

Bill Joiner of Waco spent Wednesday and Thursday in Hico visiting relatives and friends.

DR. H. V. HEDGES has opened an office for the practice of medicine and surgery, upstairs over the Corner Drug Co., Hico. 16-3c

Reduced Prices on all Silk Dresses and Hats, Friday and Saturday at Mrs. Gamble's Shop.

Every Silk Dress and Hat in the house reduced for Friday and Saturday at Mrs. Gamble's Shop.

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Mrs. Joe Nelson of Clifton spent yesterday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fairley.

FLOWERS
Distinctive flowers for every occasion. Corsages, wedding bouquets, church decorations. Funeral orders filled promptly.
MRS. LAWRENCE LANE
"The Hico Florist" 18-2c

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Review Club Members Hold First Meeting of New Year.
The Review Club met Thursday, Sept. 17, with fifteen members present. This was the first meeting of the year, and the entire club expressed delight at the attractive yearbooks.

The course of study, "Southern Personalities," looked to be very interesting.

This being "President's Day," Mrs. Lane was hostess, with Mrs. Wolfe leader for the afternoon.

Roll call, "What I purpose to Give My Club This Year," was answered with varied and enthusiastic responses.

Mrs. Lane, in the President's Message, emphasized definite aims and urged members to try to attain them.

At the conclusion of the program a delightful social hour was spent, the hostess serving ice cream, angel food squares, and mints.

The club will meet next October 1 with Mrs. L. E. Abrell, hostess. All members urged to be present.

REPORTER.

Miss Francis Pylant Becomes Bride of Fred Parrish.

A wedding of interest to a wide circle of friends took place in Meridian Saturday night, Sept. 12, when Miss Francis Pylant of Iredell became the bride of Fred Parrish of Carlton.

A ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Pope of Meridian. Those witnessing the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Buck Jordan of Clifton.

The happy wedded couple spent last week with Mr. Parrish's sister, Mrs. Buck Jordan, and husband at Clifton.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pylant of Iredell, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Parrish of Carlton.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Parrish wish for them a long, happy and prosperous life together.

CONTRIBUTOR.

Back For Visit.

After residence elsewhere since 1915, Tom Ridgeway, now of Dallas, spent a few days last week-end in Hico visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. M. Phillips and family.

His cousin, W. G. Phillips and wife, and other relatives and old friends.

Twenty-one years have made considerable change in Hico, said Mr. Ridgeway, but he still remembers the old town as "home."

Most of the older citizens will remember him, though he was quite a young man when he left.

At present Mr. Ridgeway is connected with the liquidating company for Sims Oil Company, which organization was recently purchased by the Tidewater company.

This is the first visit he has made to Hico for some time, except for that sad occasion some months ago when he returned here for the funeral of his father. He was accompanied home Sunday afternoon by his mother, who had been visiting several weeks here with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Phillips.

Revisiting Eye Treatment.

Having been troubled with a growth on her eyes, Mrs. O. L. Davis was accompanied by Mr. J. O. Lockhart, Delores and Bobby Robertson, Donald Ray Davis, Rolene Chaney, Gloria Faye Diltz, Gienna Maude Russell, the hostesses Ila Dee and Allie Dee Leeth.

They returned home that day, but have been going back to Stephenville daily for treatment and details necessary following the operation, which was pronounced a success. Mrs. Davis' many friends hope for a speedy recovery of her normal eyesight.

Saw Lots of Water.

Returning Monday from Altus, Okla., where they had gone Saturday to take Mrs. R. W. Purdom for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Crow, Mrs. Roy French and children, Jeanette, Daisy and R. W., reported a nice trip but lots of water in the streams crossed on the way up and back.

All the rivers were up, according to Mrs. French, but they encountered no trouble from high water.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE ON BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT AT THE PALACE THEATRE

For several days workmen have been busy completely redecorating and modernizing the Palace Theatre, and this local amusement enterprise now represents a new appearance inside and out. Manager E. H. Elkins feels that the improvements being made by him on the equipment and by Mrs. May Petty on the building housing the show constitute everything needed to provide Hico with an up-to-date theatre in every respect.

The walls of the interior have been completely done over, and the ceiling has been lined with Celestex, the new insulating tile board, which improves the appearance as well as clarifying the acoustics. The front of the theatre is now graced with a new varicolored sign.

Mr. Elkins stated also that new equipment is being installed, and that the new air cushion seats are soon to arrive. This will provide comfort to showgoers, and be in keeping with the most modern theatres.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
E. E. Dawson, Pastor.

Last Sunday the largest Sunday school attendance was had of many months. It was enheartening, refreshing and inspiring. But nobody is satisfied with the attendance yet. Everybody studying the Word of God is our goal. Every member of the church is besought most earnestly to join in this program. If the members attend, then with very good grace we can judge others. But should members not attend, it is a constant drawback in the matter of growth. How do you cast your vote, dear member? For growth or against it? Your attendance record is your vote. Come join us next Sunday.

The schedule is as follows: Sunday school 10:00 A. M., Preaching 11:00 and 7:30. Invitation is given to all the people of the whole community. Attend any one or every one of the services, as you will—you will be welcome.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday, Sept. 27, 1936.

10 a. m., Bible School. A class for each member of the family.

11 a. m., Preaching Hour. Subject, "Peter's Defection."

11:45 a. m., The Lord's Supper.

7:30 p. m., Bible Class for all. Taught by Bro. Giesecke. Subject, "The Works of Righteousness."

8:15 p. m., Preaching hour. Subject, "The Great Transaction of the Ages." After preaching we will have the communion for those who cannot attend the morning services.

Bro. Stanley Giesecke will do the preaching. Come to hear him next Sunday, both morning and night. You certainly will enjoy his preaching. We had a good crowd last Sunday at both services. Come and be with us. You have a special invitation.

"We have more than a welcome for you—a message of Life."

REPORTER.

NOTICE

I am now agent for the Standard Mutual Life Insurance Assn. of Hamilton, having been authorized by the State of Texas and the County of Hamilton to sell and collect for insurance for this company.

Those desiring insurance in this company, see me at my office over Lackey's Grocery.

(18-1c) C. W. SHELTON.

One makes enough mistakes when he does his best.

Here From Whitney.
Driving over from Whitney Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holford and daughter, Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mayes were accompanied to Stephenville by them to visit Mrs. L. W. Phillips in the Stephenville Hospital. Mrs. Phillips is rapidly recovering from injuries sustained recently in an automobile accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayes are publishers of the Whitney Messenger, a publication they revived about three years ago after it had ceased publication for several weeks. They have made a very creditable newspaper out of the Messenger, and have done well in their efforts to provide Whitney with a first-class publication.

To Preach at Millerville.
On the fourth Lord's Day in this month, next Sunday, Elder, O. O. Newton of Poitsville will preach at the Millerville Church of Christ. The News Review is requested to announce.

Church members and the general public have a cordial invitation to attend the services.

DR. W. W. SNIDER
—Dentist—
DUBLIN, TEXAS

Office Phone 68
Residence Phone 84

THIS WEEK

NOW IS THE TIME TO LOOK AFTER YOUR POULTRY

Look out for insects—Paint your roosts with Genuine Carbolium, a wood preserver—Destroys the source of Chicken Ticks and Mites—Also aids in reducing troubles from Stick-Tight Fleas, Bird Fleas and Scaly-leg mites.

We Also Have A Fresh Shipment of LEE'S GIZZARD CAPSULES
Chick Size — Pullet Size — Adult Size

Ask us for a Lee Way Poultry Book, 1936 edition—take it home and read it. You will get the most reliable information on Poultry and Poultry Diseases and Treatments that is available in the United States today.

FOLKS, WE URGE YOU TO LOOK AFTER YOUR POULTRY — THE BEST PAYING INVESTMENT YOU HAVE TODAY ON THE FARM.

We Solicit Your Purchases For the Remedies

OUR PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT IS WELL STOCKED

We like this work—and will be pleased to do it for you.

The Family Doctor is closely associated with your family, and your Druggist should be also.

Flexible Note Book Binders 25c

Big High Stacks of MASTERPIECE SCHOOL SUPPLIES

A Nice Amity Full Stock Leather ZIPPER STYLE BILL FOLD for 98c

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"In Center of Hico's Business Activities"

PALACE

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FRIDAY—
Johnny Dawn, Shirley Deane, Dixie Dunbar.
In
"THE FIRST BABY"
NEWS COMEDY

SAT. MAT. and NIGHT—
ZANE GREY'S
"DESERT GOLD"
Tom Keene, Raymond Hatten and Monte Blue.
Comedy and Screen Snapshots

SUN. MAT. & MON. NITE—
888 BUCK NITE 888
JEAN HERSHOT
In
"THE SINS OF MAN"
NEWS COMEDY.


TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY—
George Raft and Joan Bennett
In
"SHE COULDN'T TAKE IT"
COLUMBIA COMEDY

THURSDAY & FRIDAY—
Robert Montgomery and Myrna Loy.
In
"PETTICOAT FEVER"
NEWS COMEDY

GREATER MOVIE SEASON
now ushering in ever where and with comes the Screen's smartest new pictures to entertain you.

Workmen have been busy for many days modernizing your Theatre in every way—Many of us have just now begun to realize what SOUND PICTURES have brought to us—Meet your friends at this Theatre and see for yourself.

STOP AT THE NEW



GULF SIGN

The new Filling Station, Garage and Wrecking Yard located 3 blocks west of Post Office on Highways 66 and 67 has been completed and is prepared to give you A-1 Service.

THANKS . . .
To my old customers who have been so faithful in the past, and I especially invite them as well as new ones to call on me at my new location.

L. J. CHANEY, Prop.

WHAT, Only 2 Cylinders?

SURE; THAT'S WHY I BOUGHT IT!

It Takes Less Fuel — Makes Operating Cost Far Less



John Deere VAN BRUNT Grain Drill
Have Made Their Way By the Way They Are Made
FEATURING THE NEW ALL-STEEL BOX
See This Drill On Our Floor

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News Of The World Told In Pictures.

Tiny Horse Has Giant Godfather



"Tiny-mite," smallest horse in the world, was christened at the Texas Centennial recently. The 21 pound pony was chosen mascot for the Southwestern All Stars in their game against the Chicago Bears at the Exposition. "King," 2,400 pound Clydesdale international champion, one of the biggest horses in America, acted as godfather. He is owned by Thomas E. Wilson, Chicago packer. Ann Combs, who named "Tiny-mite," is shown holding him in the picture.

Texas Queen Crowns Texas Queen



Cinderella could do no better than Geraldine Robertson, 17, of Lamesa, Texas. Salesgirl and daughter of a truck driver, this sagebrush blonde of the Texas Panhandle was crowned queen of the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas by Ginger Rogers, film dance queen, also a Texan. She received a bona fide film contract with the crown.

Heads World Fair



Harry Olmsted, for quarter of a century prominent in Southwestern business and civic affairs, is the new head of the Texas Centennial Exposition. He succeeds to the leadership of the \$25,000,000 world's fair following the recent death of William A. Webb, general manager. Mr. Olmsted was for twenty years a director and for five years president of the State Fair of Texas.

Letters From The 25 Years



NEW YORK. . . On September 23, 1911, flyer Earl Orvington, recently deceased, took off from a small field at Garden City, Long Island, and flew 10 miles to Mineola, L. I., where he dumped a 50 pound sack of mail overboard from his tiny Bleriot monoplane, the field being too rough to land. Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock sponsored that flight. This year, Garden City and Mineola are observing the quarter of a century anniversary by having The American Airline's flagship, a giant Douglas 21 passenger craft, fly the same course, carrying passengers and 2700 pounds of mail and express matter.

Rabbit Gives Tea Parties

DALLAS, Texas.—The March Hare, the Mad Hatter and Alice, characters of the Tony Sarg Mariquette troupe, are hosts at a series of tea parties to children visiting the Texas Centennial Exposition.

More People at Expo

DALLAS, Tex.—Sharp increases in attendance at the Texas Centennial Exposition with the advent of fall is foreseen by Centennial Exposition officials.

Baby Rain Maker



Quite a Change



This fur parka, once worn by Admiral Richard E. Byrd at the South Pole, and which Corrine, sensational "Apple Dancer" in the Streets of All Nations at the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas, wears above, is quite, quite different from her dancing costume.

Little Dorothy Faye Terrell, aged 4, visited the Texas Centennial Exposition last week. She came from Plainview where it had not rained for a while. Confidently she carried her umbrella with her. It rained on Centennial crowds.

Styles are Forward



NEW YORK. . . There is a forward movement in suit styles for fall as shown in the model above. This jacket challenges the back-fare basque. Its front lines get the call. It is a dark brown broadcloth trimmed with marten. Its novel neckline frames an amusing collar on the yellow blouse.

Defeated Talmadge



ATLANTA, Ga. . . Senator Richard B. Russell Jr. (above), led the ticket in the 2 to 1 defeat of Governor Eugene Talmadge, who sought nomination for a Senate seat in the Democratic primary election. The entire Talmadge endorsed slate also trailed far behind.

NUTS AND DOLTS



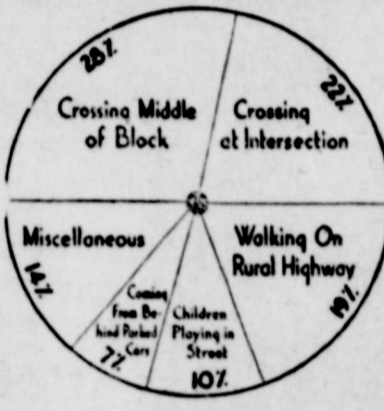
Nocturne—B Sharp or B Flat
The curtain never drops on that great American tragedy known as "Death on the Highways." Night falls and the stage is darkened, but Death stalks on. Indeed, the drama quickens, for under cover of darkness the grim villain of the piece exacts his heaviest toll. Danger looms too suddenly out of the shadows. There often isn't time to avert it. Careless pedestrians fall under speeding wheels. Bright lights glare. Drivers crash into fixed objects and into each other. Statistics prepared by the Travelers Insurance Company show that deaths after dark last year numbered 21,480, while deaths during the normal hours of daylight, when traffic was much heavier, numbered but 14,620. The moral is clear: When the sun goes down, slow down.

D-I-N-NARI!!!



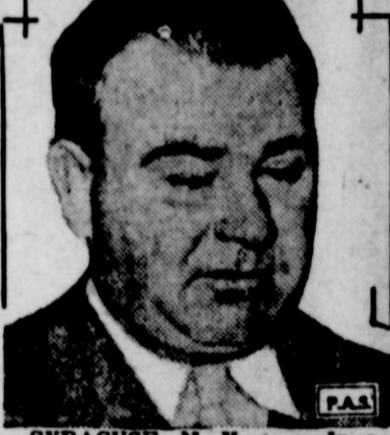
DETROIT. . . Margaret Droop of Oakland County, Mich. (above), can call "d-i-n-n-ar" with such enthusiasm that she made even the judges in the "husband calling" contest hungry, so they awarded her the state championship at the Michigan State Fair.

Pedestrians, Heed!



Slightly more than 16,000 of the total of more than 26,000 persons killed in automobile accidents last year were pedestrians. That this toll of life lost is too large, all will agree. The chart above shows what pedestrians were doing last year when they met death. It shows that 28 per cent of those killed were crossing the street in the middle of the block; 22 per cent were crossing at the intersection; 19 per cent were walking along the rural road; 19 per cent were children playing in the street; 7 per cent darted out into streets from behind parked cars; 14 per cent were indulging in miscellaneous practices. The important thing that this chart brings out is that many pedestrians fail to take the simplest precautions. According to statistics of the Travelers Insurance Company, more than 1,000 pedestrians were killed and 35,000 were injured by crossing against signals; 4,500 were killed and 73,000 were injured by crossing in the middle of the block; 1,140 were killed and 33,000 were injured by darting out into streets from behind parked cars.

Makes Milk Fight



SYRACUSE, N. Y. . . In a state-wide fight for a flat price of \$3 per 100 pounds of milk and elimination of price classifications, Stanley Piseck (above), President of the N. Y. State Milk Producers, waged the battle for dairymen seeking more profitable prices.

JOE GISH!



WHO SAYS JAPAN AN CHINA ARE UN-CHRISTIAN? AINT THAT TH WAY CHRISTIAN NATIONS ACTED BACK IN 1916?

FORT WORTH BANS GYPS

Transport Lines Offer Low Rates to Frontier

A glorified excursion, sans ant-infested lunch boxes, stalled motors and rooks on every corner, awaits the wide-awake this Summer. Rairroads and bus lines are bending over backwards to make things possible and pleasant for Frontier visitors through the Summer. There's no need in backing an unwilling family chariot out of the garage and broncing it all the way in. Besides that, highways may be uncomfortably crowded unless your machine is knee-actioned, free-wheeled and streamlined. Transportation lines are certain of their heaviest traffic in years this Summer, but they're not taking the customer by the heels and shaking out his pockets. There'll be schedules from all points in the United States, and 7-day, 10-day or 30-day excursion rates for cities within a 24-hour radius. Main point is that instead of paying more to get the biggest single show in the history of the entertainment world, you'll be paying less. Same way with buses. Customary rate is a round trip for the double-way fare less 10 per cent. Those who are smart and intelligent and un-loving enough to come to the Frontier Centennial will get a round-trip for a fare and one-half's worth. In addition to paring down the rates to meet the pocketbooks, transportation operators are increasing schedules, adding equipment, installing air-conditioning. Once you get here, Fort Worth will treat you right. Duck into any restaurant and you can purchase chicken and dumpings for the same price as ever. Ask for a breezy southeast hotel room and you'd never suspect it could be rented for twice what you're paying. Souvenirs, necessities, clothing and entertainment will wear the same old price tags. The staggering features of the frontier show itself can be seen for a ridiculously low tax. "We're just square-shooting that's all," says a Fort Worth spokesman.

"Cactus Jack" Welcomed Home



Twenty thousand cheering Texans greeted "Cactus Jack" Garner, vice president of the United States, when the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas celebrated his home-coming recently. The Vice President is shown with Governor James V. Alford of Texas as they entered the Exposition Cotton Bowl.

1-MINUTE SAFETY TALKS



Automobile accident prevention improved greatly in spots in the United States in 1935, although the country as a whole was almost as bad as it was the year before. Deaths from automobile accidents for the whole country in 1935 totaled 36,100, according to The Travelers Insurance Company—one per cent more than in 1934. But five per cent more cars were registered, so the national record was slightly improved—not much. In certain localities, however, the toll was reduced BY AT LEAST ONE-HALF. Exceptional records were made by Providence, R. I., Evanston, Ill., Lynn, Mass., Syracuse, N. Y., Allentown, Pa., Greensboro, N. C., Hoboken, N. J., Lansing, Mich., and Pittsfield, Mass. This spotted improvement is something about which to be glad. If accidents can be markedly decreased in spots, they can be equally decreased nationally . . . eventually. If they can be decreased in spots, it proves they CAN BE decreased. As soon as the public accepts the fact that automobile accidents are a disease that can be stamped out like smallpox and are not merely a calamity that has to be TAKEN, then the battle will be half won. Get behind the safety movement in your town. Make—on leap—your town one of the spots. Ten deaths subtracted here and there will soon add up to several thousand on a national basis. And you, yourself, can be a safety "spot" all by yourself. You may not be able to improve on your 1935 record, but you may be able to improve on your 1936 record. Most of us have our accident and death or injury AHEAD OF US—and THAT is the accident prevention in which we are most interested, after all.



**Observe
These Rules**



Don't use benzine, kerosene or naphtha for cleaning purposes.



Don't smoke when feeling drowsy or sleepy.



Burn trash and rubbish in a spot where there is no danger of fire spreading. Watch all fires closely.

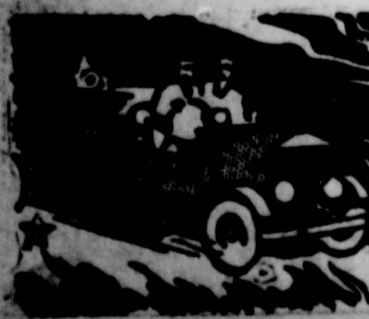


Have electric wiring inspected regularly. Don't disconnect electric equipment by pulling on cord.

Keep matches and fire beyond the reach of children. Keep chimneys and heating system clean and in perfect working condition.

Don't let oily rags or dry waste accumulate in piles or in corners.

Always be sure a burning match is out before dropping it.



FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

OCTOBER 4th. to 10th.

HELP HICO REGAIN AND MAINTAIN HER CREDIT FOR GOOD FIRE RECORD!

In dollars and cents, FIRE PREVENTION PAYS! Hico property owners discovered that fact several years ago when, after enjoying a credit of 15 per cent on all fire insurance policies, they were suddenly penalized for heavy losses to local property. Although no fault of the majority of citizens, this penalty grew until it amounted to 15 per cent.

Computed on the basis of premiums paid in Hico, the annual difference to insurance-buyers of a 15 per cent credit and a 15 per cent penalty is approximately \$3,000.

Isn't this amount worth saving? Insurance companies do not pay for losses—this money comes out of pockets of local people, neighbors who also carry insurance.

Many fires are preventable—in fact most of them are. A little care and caution used in preventing fire losses pays off big in savings, not alone in property, but to those who pay the bills for insurance coverage.

During National Fire Prevention Week, in which Hico Fire Department and other local organizations are co-operating, let's think over these things, and do something definite about them.

For the past two years Hico's fire record has been commendable. Let's be careful to reduce hazards and use caution toward the goal of regaining our maximum credit and promoting safety. Time and thought spent in this direction will pay big dividends in the future.

**CO-OPERATE
WITH THE HICO VOLUNTEER
DEPARTMENT**



**DON'T WAIT
UNTIL YOUR HOUSE BURNS
TO CALL THE FIREBOYS**

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It Pays To Look Neat

Some old bird has said that "Clothes do not make the man." But we say the appearance of your clothes has a lot to do with the way you get along in the world.

A well-pressed suit, though it may not be an expensive one, stamps you as a man careful of his personal appearance. Ladies, too, will readily appreciate our expert assistance in keeping their garments fresh.

It Costs Little to Keep Your Clothing Neat—Send Them to Us For Expert Cleaning & Pressing

BANK DAY last Wednesday called for MAZIE McLARTY

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(By O. D. Belcher)
Hico F. F. A. Pays Dues.
100 per cent is the record of the Hico Future Farmers Chapter on paying their dues to the State National Area and District dues as fixed by the association of Future Farmers of America. The 34 members are very proud of this record as the dues are paid earlier this year than any time since the Hico Chapter was organized. This promptness that the dues were paid shows 100 per cent cooperation on the part of the boys.

F. F. A. Boys Complete Election of Senior Officers.
20 members of the local chapter of F. F. A. met at noon Sept. 22, and completed the election of the Senior Officers. Johnnie Elkins, a senior boy taking Agriculture 3, was elected president. Dan Holliday, a junior president last year, was elected senior Vice-President. Secretary A. D. Land, Treasurer, Bill Nix. Both of these boys were re-elected to fill the office that they held last year. O. D. Belcher, Junior Vice-President of last year was elected reporter. C. A. Giesbeck, reporter last year was elected historian. Joe Powers elected Parliamentarian. W. H. Brown, farm watch dog, Bill Hall, song leader. This completed the election of all officers of the local chapter and all of the officers are ready to carry out their duties.

Hico Future Farmers Local Objectives for the Year
The Hico F. F. A. met and agreed upon 25 objectives that coincide with the National, State, Area, and District objectives which form the Future Farmers of America. The objectives act as a guide for the coming year and stimulate a desire to accomplish them by a set time which makes the progress of the work of our Chapter. The objectives which we hope to carry out are:

1. 100 per cent V. A. students joining F. F. A. by paying dues.
2. 100 per cent of all alumni retain active membership by paying dues.
3. 100 per cent of members have access to an F. F. A. manual.
4. Each chapter be represented in District Leadership Contest.
5. 80 per cent of chapter members beautify home grounds.
6. All officers attend three district training schools.
7. Encourage all members to participate in Chapter Thrift Programs.
8. All members participate in eradicating one pest.
9. Organize one musical group.
10. Reporter contribute news stories to area F. F. A. News Letter.
11. Reporter write or be responsible for a minimum of thirty Vocational Agriculture or Future Farmers News stories per year.
12. 99 per cent last year Green-

Russell Bros. Big 3-Ring Circus And Menagerie Coming

There will be a general exodus of circus admirers from this city and vicinity when Russell Bros. Big Three Ring Circus gives two performances in Stephenville Saturday Sept. 26. Doors open 1:00 and 7:00 p. m.

"When you have seen one circus you have seen them all" was a remark frequently heard in the past, but nowadays it seems as if each of these huge tented attractions is different from the preceding one.

The Russell Circus has a reputation for presenting more actual novel and surprising circus acts than any other show and because of this it claims the motto, "The highest class circus in the world." This Russell Circus is a big show, exhibiting in cities ranging from ten thousand to half a million population and rarely in towns of lesser population. A circus tent crowded for one performance does not meet the expenses of a show of the magnitude of the Russell Bros. Circus. The high pay roll of the performance makes it necessary for such shows to go where there is population, so they plan to exhibit only in spots where they have the chance to get two big crowds.

"Every act a feature" and "A thrill every minute" is the promise of the management of the Russell Circus and according to reports, this is one circus which seems to make good its boast.

REPRESENTATIVE LEAVES FOR SPECIAL SESSION IN AN ATTITUDE OF SERVICE

In a letter to the News Review declaring his intention of leaving Sept. 25th for Austin to be present at the special session of the Legislature, Representative Earl Huddleston states that he desires to help the people of the district with their problems.

Mr. Huddleston's letter follows: "I will be in Austin after the 25th for the Special Session which the governor has called. I am going, as I have on all other occasions, to do my best to work for the people of my district. I want every one to feel free to confer with me on any subject in which you are interested."

"I think the most important question before the coming session will be that of the old age pension. I would like for every person who is interested in this matter to write me your views on this question. I am of the opinion that the aged people of our district and state have not been dealt fairly and I intend to make a fight for them this session as I did before so for this reason I desire all the information possible in order that I may present the same to the authorities at Austin.

Respectfully,
EARL HUDDLESTON.

Brazos Valley District Meets September 29.

Bill Nix, treasurer of the Brazos Valley District and the other officers of the Hico Chapter will meet in Stephenville at John Tarleton College with other District Officers and other Local Officers from Dublin, Stephenville, Tolar, Grandbury, Gordon, and Walnut Springs. These boys will receive training for the different offices they hold in district and local offices. Election of a new district officer will also take place at this meeting.

F. F. A. Boys Have Planned to Attend the Horse Show.

The Hico Future Farmer Boys plan to attend the Horse Show and Parade in Stephenville on Friday September 25. The horse show is considered by many to draw a large crowd and a large number of entries is predicted.

10 V. A. Boys Apply for Greenhand

10 V. A. boys are making applications for Greenhand Degree. The application includes: Selecting of projects and supervise practice jobs and fundamental training in F. F. A. work. As soon as applications are complete, the candidates will be voted on by the local members.

F. F. A. Boys Cull Hens.

Five F. F. A. boys culled 65 hens and pullets from a flock of 480 hens and pullets on Saturday morning. The following boys got practice in culling: Johnnie Elkins, W. H. Brown, Derwood Polk, Waine Polk, Melvin Hunter, and Gus Beckett. These boys say culling of hens will reduce the feed bill and increase the profit by removing those "boarders."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends for their kindness and words of consolation and sympathy during our darkest hours, in the loss of our darling baby, Onen Harold. Mr. and Mrs. Onen Trammell, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Munnerlyn and son, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Trammell.

Mt. Zion

We are glad to report health is good around Mt. Zion at present and every body is glad to see fair weather as cotton picking is the order of the day around here.

Mrs. Allie Adkison is at home after a two weeks visit with Mrs. Mary Sullivan at Walnut Springs.

Norman Howard and wife was in the Grady Adkison home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Freedman visited Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Polnack Sunday.

Grady Adkison and wife, Mrs. Allie Adkison visited in the A. F. Polnack home while Wednesday.

Mrs. Allie Adkison visited Mrs. Bertha Horton Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Montgomery spent last Sunday night near Walnut Springs.

Mrs. Allie Adkison spent Thursday night with Mrs. Emma Montgomery.

C. L. Adkison and wife returned home Saturday, they spent a week with their daughter and husband, near Duffau.

Odell Luckie and wife and baby spent Friday in the W. G. Simpson home.

Charlie Adkison and wife and daughter near Walnut Springs, visited in the Weston Newton home Thursday night.

Harve Sullivan and family visited in the Newton home Thursday night.

Grady Adkison starts with his school bus Monday 21.

Mrs. A. F. Polnack has had a bad hand, she had to have it lanced, but it is some better at present.

Earl Moore and Laurance Howard visited in the Grady Adkison home Sunday.

Mr. Howard and Mrs. Phillips visited Grady Adkison Friday.

Mr. Rouder and family have moved here from Colorado. We are glad to have them with us, and we hope they like their home here. He bought the Bales place.

Tomatoes Are Paying Club Member.

"We have 700 tomato plants that are really paying for themselves," said Mrs. Eugene Harris of the Elza Home Demonstration Club. For eight weeks now Mrs. Harris has sold 54 lbs. of tomatoes at 3 cents per lb. Besides these sales Mrs. Harris has on her pantry shelves the following tomato products: 80 pints tomatoes, 15 pints juice, 4 pints ketchup, 10 pints soap and exchanged 3 bushels tomatoes for 3 bushels of peaches.

SALLY JONES,
Home Demonstration Agent.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD HERE THURSDAY FOR A FORMER CITIZEN OF HICO

Funeral services were conducted from the Hico Methodist Church Thursday afternoon, Sept. 24, at 3 o'clock for C. C. Patrick, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elmer Colwick, in Texas City, Tuesday night. Rev. P. L. Shuler, local Methodist minister, conducted the services at the church, and burial was in charge of the Masonic Lodge.

The body of Mr. Patrick arrived from Texas City Thursday morning and was taken to the home of Mrs. Anna Driskell, an old friend of the family.

Mr. Patrick, a former resident of Hico, was born May 17, 1853, in Humphries County, Tenn., ten miles north of the town of Waverly. When still a young man, he with parents came to Texas, with the parents and family of Hugh Hooper, as they were neighbors in their native State of Tennessee. They first settled in Leon County, Jan. 1, 1881, where Mr. Patrick was employed until the next year when he settled at Old Hico. It was here at Hico that he was married.

Mr. Patrick made hosts of friends during the many years he and his family resided here. He was a life-long member of the Methodist Church, and had been a member of the Masonic Lodge for a number of years.

Mr. Patrick is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Earl Sellers of Del Rio, Mrs. Horace Chandler of Goldthwaite, Mrs. E. J. Colwick of Texas City, Mrs. Morgan Harris of Albany, Lee Patrick, Joe Patrick, Clarence Patrick, and Robert Patrick, all of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Among those from out-of-town who attended the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sellers and family, Del Rio; Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Harris and family, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Chandler, Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Colwick and family, Texas City; Lee Patrick and daughter, Joe Patrick, Clarence Patrick, and family, Tulsa, Okla. A number of other out-of-town relatives and friends were also present.

Greyville

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herrin and family of Cranfill's Gap spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Herrin and family.

Mr. J. O. Bodford has returned to his home after visiting with friends and relatives of West Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brannon and daughter of Near Carlton and Wilmore Rich of Olin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ogle and family.

Mr. J. O. Burnett and three children of Tyler, spent the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Burnett and grandson Ray D.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Seay and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Slim Beckett and family of Millerville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks of near Hico, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks and daughter.

Mr. Jim Alexander accompanied her mother, Mrs. J. I. Stephen to Waco for a few days visit with relatives.

Mrs. Williams of Claiborne spent last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Seay and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson and family spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hicks and family of near Hico.

Mr. Jim Alexander and children spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Alexander of Millerville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. W. F. Killion and Mr. and Mrs. M. Crews and family of near Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Palmer and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Ray and family of Hamilton.

Carlton

Mrs. Burl Cosby who lives in Lordsburg near New Mexico, came in last Thursday to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Byrd and other relatives.

Rev. James A. Carrol and Mrs. Carrol and Mrs. Rance Sowell were in Hamilton last Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Geye spent the week-end here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye. She now has employment at Camp Dublin.

Harry Stephens and George White attended the foot ball game between T. C. U. and Howard Payne College Friday night.

Mrs. Dock Finley was a business visitor in Dublin Friday.

J. W. and Bocky Faulkner from Lamkin visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Lock and family Saturday.

Will Jordan and son J. W. were in Dublin Friday.

Raymond Adams who is attending school at John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the week-end with his brothers, Clyde and Lawrence Adams and families.

Grayville Service.

Our monthly preaching service will be held at Grayville next Sunday at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Everybody of the community invited to attend.

E. E. DAWSON.

Notes From Office Of Hamilton Co. Home Dem. Agent

Reaches Food Budget Goals.
"When I make my hominy next week, I will have 500 containers of food on by pantry shelves for wintertime use," quoted Mrs. Ernest Brummett, food cooperator of the Percival Club. These containers are filled with twenty-five varieties of food. She has seven varieties of green, leafy, and yellow vegetables; five varieties of other vegetables; four varieties of fruits; two of beans; four of pickles; two of preserves and one each of tomatoes and meat. Very little of her meats are preserved as she has chickens at all times of the year and uses her pork and beef that has been cured most of the time.

Good Tomato Crop.
"From 280 feet of tomatoes, I canned 60 quarts and have used fresh tomatoes on my table every day this summer," stated Mrs. J. S. Lemmon of the Honey Grove Home Demonstration Club. On her pantry shelves Mrs. Lemmon has 20 varieties of canned foods besides the 75 lbs. of onions, 150 lbs. of Irish potatoes, 20 lbs. dried pinto, 20 lbs. Great Northern, 6 lbs. dried peas, and 8 lbs. of dried peaches. She does not have canned carrots but keeps them growing in her garden all through the year.

"BARGAINS"

Lace top, Flared bottom
Broadcloth Slip, Special 29c

Full Fashioned Chiffon and
Service Weight Hose 50c

Cannon Towels, 22x44 inches,
4 1/2 lb. Red or Black 25c

89c Dress Silk, 40 inches wide,
Florals and Dots 59c

"BROWN'S"

HICO :: TEXAS

DAUGHTER WRITES LETTER TO PARENTS TELLING OF BAD FLOOD AT SAN ANGELO

Many Hico people have relatives and friends in and around San Angelo, where flood waters last week razed, destroying property and endangering lives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blacklock have received the following letter from their daughter, Margaret, giving description of the situation.

San Angelo, Sept. 18, 1936.
Dearest folks,
Well, we've survived the flood but we had begun to think we would never see you all again.

It started raining and didn't stop until it had rained 26 inches. The North and South Concho would wild. The thing got out all over town. Got over every bridge and who were down town had to stay down there. Trudy came out after Hope to get her on higher ground, they came by the school after me and by then it was 9:30 and we could not get home or out of town. We stayed down all day and watched the water come up on every side of us. 300 homes washed away and water was all over San Angelo except 16 blocks.

We were on Chadbourne Street all day, we could go 1 block east, 2 blocks north, 1-2 blocks west and 1 block south, that's how near we came to be washed down the river. People were down town with their clothes, walking up and down the street, screaming and crying. We almost did it too. We were soaking wet until 9:00 last night when we got home. We got out of the car and walked down to the water to watch it and when we started back it had come down behind us so we had to hold on to each other and wade it up to our knees, the people on the other side helped us out. I nearly died. I was scared stiff. We got in the car and didn't get out any more.

They have stopped school until the streets are fixed. The streets were made of brick and they all washed away. The school buildings are being used for the homeless too. It's terrible and pitiful. A woman took us in last night and we had never seen her before but her bed really felt good. Just as we got settled they opened the bridges so we got up and came home. We were so glad to see home out of water we just cried and laughed. Dick said, "it darn sure looks good."

I can't tell you about it, you would just have to see it to believe it.

MARGARET.

Better be a recluse than keep getting on other people's nerves.

WANT ADS

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished rooms. See Louis Chaney. 16-tfc.

FOR SALE—276 acres 6 mi. south of Hico, Tex., ten dollars per acre. 250 acres 5 mi. east of Hamilton for lease. 150 acres 3 mi. north of Hico for lease. Farms, ranches & city property for sale or trade. A. D. Fulbright, Stephenville, Tex. 18-3c.

FOR SALE—Small place 14 acres up to ranches. Best bargains in Texas.—W. M. Joiner Land Co., Hico, Texas. 18-tfc.

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