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Here In HICO

Again we see an opportunity to save on postage and serve a double purpose by getting off a few notes in this column which really should be taken up by letter. Those who are not interested in strictly personal matters would do better to skip the page and read the condensed story or the want ads—or perhaps that big ad of Max Hoffman's.

First we want to acknowledge receipt of a large box from Galveston, marked "Glass—Handle With Care" on the outside. Before you jump to conclusions, let us explain that it was from Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Peek, with a return notice to Mrs. C. H. Peek. Although we will have to admit we are not privileged to be acquainted with the latter, and the contents of the package were sour mixed pickles, packed by Heinz John Nolan of Brownwood (please notice), Dick and Mary, on a recent vacation trip to Hico, had heard us complain about not being able to buy sour mixed pickles any more, so they bought up a batch in the Texas seaport and supplied our needs for the next few months. Thanks, pals. Anytime you want to trade pickles for steaks, just let us know.

Mentioning steaks reminds us that we'd better tell one Bill Holford of Garland (the editor's father) that we don't know anything about buying meat or cooking it.

Last Saturday afternoon we accepted an invitation to come up to the Jungle, his newly-acquired rustic hangout in Dallas County (only 130 miles from Hico) and partake of some real steaks, broiled over an open fire at the barbecue pit, which is something in itself.

After eating two or three pounds of the tender, juicy meat, which had been wrapped in bacon and properly treated with some kind of mysterious sauce before being placed on the fire, we inquired how he did it.

"Well," he said, "I just go into the cooler and get a hunk of cow and tell the butcher where to cut. Then I cook it to suit myself."

Which, although it sounds a little risky, results in a very tasty morsel. Maybe we'll try his system sometime. But we hesitate to compete with perfection.

A dispatch in the daily papers bears the information that John L. Gorman has been elected treasurer of the Brownwood Traveling Men's Club.

If "Speedy" will handle the affairs of the club with as much astuteness and foresight as he uses in taking care of his own business, the club will have a very successful year financially. For he carries one of those Scotch coin purses, and we've never seen anyone using one of those contraptions yet that didn't find more trouble getting the money out than putting it in.

About the time we get someone sold on us, he or she ups and makes some kind of arrangement that hails up the works.

Maud Green, whom you've heard us mention recently in this column, bragged quite a bit on our last week in her Snoopin' Around column in the Nolan County News. Then she wound up with her swan song in columning, conveying the sad news that she is moving from Sweetwater to Stamford, where her husband, Charlie, is serving as secretary of the chamber of Commerce.

Best of luck, Charlie and Maud. And don't lose your typewriter touch, or your nose for news—as if one could.

C. H. Sisson, ambassador without portfolio for the Du Pont company, crippled in last week with a catch in his back which he said was caused from something or other, and which was giving him trouble with his golf.

After making him admit he was the sender of a recent anonymous communication extolling the merits of a fellow named Wilkie, he thought struck us that maybe his system was poisoned with some kind of anti-New Deal stuff going around over the country.

Charlie told us some interesting facts about the company's business, among which was the statement that munitions composed only a very small part of Du Pont's gross sales, even during the last World War.

Then this week in blows one James Alton Hamilton, Cleburne custodian of the fortunes of the Dallas News, who has a lot to out-live besides having been born in Garland and snatched up as a neighbor to this writer.

"Sassage," as his friends know him, has been hanging around the wrong crowd also, for he sat right here in the office and tried to say something about politics which would make us boil. Not today, brother. As dumb as you are, you can't believe that stuff.

NEW DIRECTOR TAKES OVER SCHOOL BAND; TO ORGANIZE JUNIOR BAND

With the opening of school next week, work will begin in earnest on the reorganization of the High School Band, according to the new director, Roy C. Boaz, who already is making extensive plans for building the band into one of the best in this district.

Mr. Boaz comes to Hico from Stinecatt and previous to that he was director of the Clovis (New Mexico) High School Band.

Included in the new equipment being added to the band department at the school are 25 new music stands, a director's stand, drum stand, 36 new steel folding chairs, uniform lockers and a music cabinet. New music has also been added to the library, Mr. Boaz stated, and some new instruments will be purchased.

A junior band will be organized in the grades which will function as a separate unit from the senior band, and if enough pupils between the ages of 8 and 12 are interested in a drum corps, such an organization will be promoted. Parents of children in this age range who are interested should consult Mr. Boaz at the Russell Hotel.

Mr. Boaz has enjoyed unusual success with bands which he has directed in the past, and he comes to Hico with an abundance of enthusiasm which he would like to share with other Hico folks interested in building up the band and willing to cooperate toward that end.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SATURDAY AFTERNOON FOR MILT WALLACE

M. Y. Wallace, 52, long-time resident of Hico who died suddenly at his home here about 1 a. m. Friday, was buried Saturday afternoon in the Hico Cemetery. Funeral services were held at the grave at 3 p. m. by Rev. Alvin Swindell, pastor of the Hico Baptist Church.

Mr. Wallace is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Bolton of Wharton; four brothers, Doc Wallace of Big Spring, George Wallace of California, Will Wallace of Oklahoma, John Wallace of Johnsonville, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Powell of Big Spring and Mrs. Jake Like of Bluffdale.

Pallbearers were I. J. Teague, J. B. Ogle, J. C. Prater, J. R. Bobo, S. J. Cheek and John Simonson.

Mr. Wallace was born Jan. 5, 1888 in Johnson County and moved to Duffau in his early boyhood. Soon after he moved to Hico where he had lived continuously ever since. He was married to Miss Ola Sutton at Hico in 1908.

Mr. Wallace had dealt in cattle and stock trading all his life and his numerous contacts with farmers and ranchmen in this community had acquired for him a large circle of friends who were grieved to hear of his sudden passing.

Among those from out of town here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Doc Wallace and family, Mrs. Henry Powell, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bolton, Mrs. George Becher, Wharton; Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and family, Johnsonville; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Like and family, Bluffdale; Henry Shipp, Russell Sutton and family, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lorenz, Bartlett.

Wylie McFadden Gravely Ill

Wylie McFadden, well known farmer residing on Route 5 near Hico, was taken to the Gorman Hospital Tuesday morning in a critical condition following an attack of appendicitis.

His daughter, Mrs. Oscar Thompson, and his two grandchildren, Miss Jane Thompson and W. L. Thompson, all of Big Spring, were called to his bedside.

Because of Mr. McFadden's weakened condition an operation had not been performed Wednesday and relatives said his condition was grave.

Observe Changes in Law

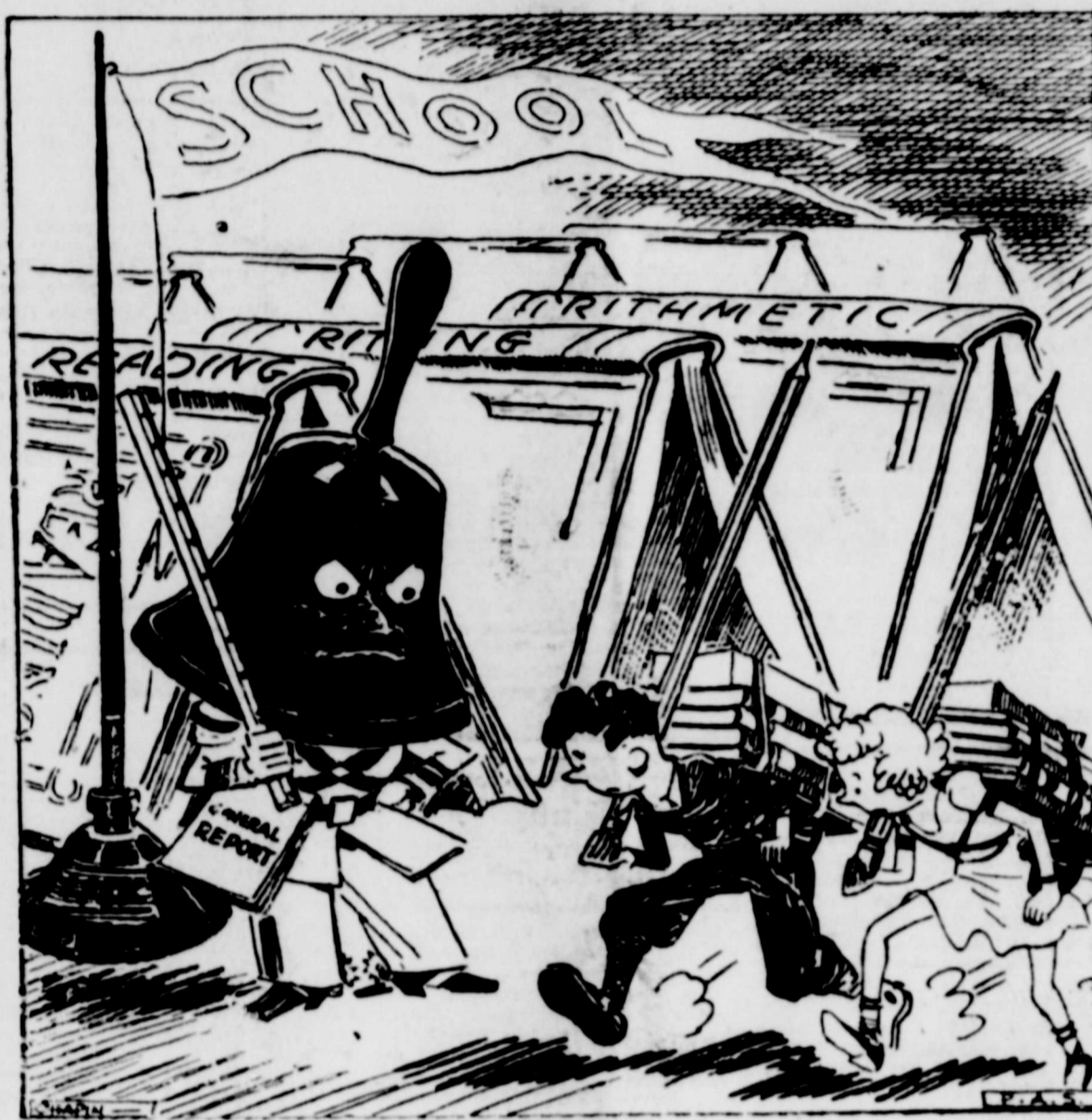
Because it is necessary to print the blanks for state hunting licenses weeks before federal regulations, to which Texas laws conform, on migratory waterfowl are announced, hunters are warned that some information on the back of their license is in error.

Hunters can now shoot only 12 doves a day and have 12 in possession. The duck limit remains at 10 per day and 20 in possession, but note that a hunter can now legally shoot only 3 geese and have 6 in possession.

Mrs. Romans Injured In Fall

Mrs. E. E. Romans, 83, mother of John Romans of Hico, is in a serious condition in the Lampasas Hospital suffering from injuries she received in a fall last Friday afternoon at the home of her son near Hico.

Get Ready, Kids---Next Monday's The Day



HEALTH OF NATION IS GREAT CONSIDERATION IN WAR PREPAREDNESS

Austin, Sept. 3.—"This country has embarked upon an unprecedented defense program. Billions have been appropriated for battle-ships, tanks, dive-bombers, and many other war implements. The public graciously has accepted the situation realizing that 'billions for defense are cheaper than even one small war.' However, despite the inventions that have made modern war mechanism so devastating, man power of the most vigorous type must be relied upon to produce and operate them," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"That this fact needs emphasis is indicated by the intensified interest in the physical condition of the nation's men, women and children and the medical profession generally.

"This attitude is logical since present-day war preparedness is not limited to combat forces. Never in history have wars been waged so far in advance of the actual fighting. Preparedness calls for vigorous efforts of millions of men and women who, in addition to those in uniform, are a vital part of a nation's defense system. The physical condition of everyone not only is a matter of individual but national concern.

"In the production of defense material, certain standards can be demanded and achieved. On the other hand, vigor of body and mind is entirely too personal to be affected directly by governmental decree or public health regulations. Nevertheless, it is reasonable to suggest that the health of all citizens should be developed to as high a plane as possible and be maintained at that level. Moreover, it is definitely one's patriotic duty to see that this is done.

"For example, a physical check-up by the family physician for those of mature age is likely to bring to light any existing latent condition and thus make remedial measures promptly possible. On the assumption, however, that many of those submitting to the test will be free of any incipient disease or physical defect, this professional contact will afford an opportunity to obtain advice on habits of living. Some practices indulged in daily, in thousands of individual cases, now represent the difference between maximum vigor and a condition short of actual illness. And maximum vigor now is the national need. Such habits include lack of exercise, insufficient rest, and relaxation, excessive reliance upon stimulants of various kinds, improper or unwise food consumption, and other activities frowned upon by nature.

"In short, the general development of a positive, rather than passive, attitude toward health looms large as a personal patriotic and preparedness duty. Incidentally, such an attitude conceivably can add years to one's life and generate a physical zest which will mean much in terms of efficiency and happiness," concluded Dr. Cox.

MRS. S. F. ALLRED BURIED MONDAY AT HONEY CREEK

Mrs. S. F. Allred, who passed away at her home in Carlton Sunday night at 8:15, was buried in the Honey Creek Cemetery Monday afternoon after funeral services were held at the Carlton Baptist Church.

Five children survive: Miss Lillie Allred, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Velma Smith, Sentinel, Okla.; Oscar Allred and Mrs. Oda Thompson, Carlton; Mrs. Susie Moore of El Centro, California.

Pallbearers were Bernard Birdsong, Clyde Lefevre, A. L. Montgomery, Charles Harvey, Cecil Kavanaugh and Brooks Wilhite, all of the Carlton community.

Mrs. Nancy Emma Nash Allred was born in Alabama in 1864. Shortly after her marriage to Solomon Franklin Allred, they came to Texas to live. Of the eight children born to this union, five are now living.

Among relatives and friends from out of town who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Nash, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Allred, of Roosevelt, Okla.; her cousin, Miss Gena Boone of Stephenville; and Mrs. J. B. Ogle, Mrs. Grady Hooper, Mrs. Tyrus King, Mrs. B. A. Prater and R. L. Prater, all of Hico.

Hamilton Loses Railroad

Abandonment by the Stephenville North & South Railway Company, Berryman Henwood, trustee, of a 32.72-mile line in Coryell and Hamilton Counties, extending from Gatesville to Hamilton, was authorized in an order by the Interstate Commerce Commission Friday. Abandonment was opposed by the Railroad Commission of Texas, numerous shippers in the territory served by the line, and by labor and civic organizations of the two counties. The plea was supported by the committee for the protection of bondholders of the Texas line.

Biographical Drama At Palace

"Lillian Russell," the story of one of the most colorful women who ever dominated the stage of an American theatre, will be screened for the last time here at the Palace Theatre tonight. The biographical drama stars Alice Faye in the title role as the famous Lillian Russell. Aibly supporting Miss Faye are Henry Fonda, Edward Arnold and Don Ameche.

Weather Report

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
Aug. 28	100	92	0.25	clear
Aug. 29	103	79	0.00	pt cdy
Aug. 30	95	65	0.00	pt cdy
Aug. 31	98	65	0.00	clear
Sept. 1	101	69	0.00	clear
Sept. 2	109	75	0.00	cloudy
Sept. 3	99	76	0.00	pt cdy

Total precipitation so far this year, 19.24 inches.

INSPECTION OF DWELLINGS VERY IMPORTANT PART OF FIRE PREVENTION

AUSTIN, September 3.—The inspection of all dwellings twice a year is a very important part of an adequate fire prevention program, and it is particularly desirable that rooming houses be checked frequently, according to Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner.

Within the next few weeks thousands of Texas youngsters will be returning to college. The Commissioner said, pointing out that all rooming and boarding houses should have two means of exit, front and rear stairs, halls open and unobstructed, all buildings over two stories to be equipped with standard fire escapes, and attics permanently inaccessible.

Hall said many students in college towns throughout the state have been living in virtual fire traps, and that the operators of these places should seek the aid of the local fire marshal to eliminate hazards which might escape attention of the layman.

Other recommendations were for rigid gas stove connections, the testing of all gas piping, space heaters to be closed type and to be vented vertically through heat insulated flues whose tops are two feet above roof, all hot water heaters to be vented the same as space heaters above and not into attic space, approved chemical extinguishers in kitchen and upper hall available to all sleeping quarters.

Commissioner Hall also reminded that state law delegates to city councils the authority to establish such regulations for the prevention of fires as the council may deem expedient.

Meeting Closes At Unity

The revival meeting at Unity conducted by Rev. Frank McClure closed Sunday night with several additions, four by letter and three by conversion, being made to the church.

R. B. McClure was in charge of the singing during the meeting and Mrs. R. B. McClure had charge of the junior work.

Lucian Hardin In Air Corps

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hardin received word Monday that their son, Lucian, who left last week for Dallas to enlist in the air corps of the U. S. Army, had been accepted and left Dallas last Thursday for Denver, Colo., where he has been stationed.

Highway Patrolmen Here

State Highway Patrolmen R. G. Ray and Tom Gallamore of Waco stopped in Hico a short while Tuesday morning to obtain information on a recent accident for state highway department records. They were en route to Stephenville on a similar mission.

Mrs. Mary A. Holland, after having visited with her son at Corpus Christi and her daughters at Nederland, Henderson and Dallas, visited here this week with another daughter, Mrs. Roland Helford. She will go from here to Chickasha, Okla., to spend the winter with her oldest daughter, Mrs. E. P. Terrell, and children.

NAVY WANTS CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT IN U. S. NAVAL RESERVE

The U. S. Navy wants candidates for Appointment as Midshipmen in the U. S. Navy Reserve, training for Commission of Reserve Officer.

Accepted candidates will be enlisted as apprentice seamen in class V-7, thereafter they will be placed on active duty and transferred by commercial transportation, including necessary expenses enroute to a Naval Ship designated to cruise these candidates. The active duty during this cruise will be performed without pay, but with subsistence, upon arrival on board the cruising ship, they will be furnished at no expense, their initial outfit of uniforms, clothing and equipment. In this enlisted capacity they will be cruised for approximately 30 days during which time they will be trained in the fundamentals of military discipline, shipboard life and Naval procedure, and will be under critical observation for demonstration of those basic mental and moral qualities demanded of all Naval Officer Personnel. Upon completion of this cruise, those candidates recommended by the Commanding Officer of the ship will be issued appointment as Midshipmen, U. S. Naval Reserve and ordered immediately to a three months course of instruction at a designated school ashore, or ordered home at Government expense and placed on inactive duty to await orders to such courses at a later date. In this connection, consideration will be given to completion of the candidate's civil education, if he is a student. While on active duty, including period under instruction each Midshipman will be entitled to receive the same pay and allowance as Midshipman of the regular Navy, namely \$750 per year and daily ration allowance of 75c, in addition medical care and treatment as is prescribed for a member of the regular Navy. Midshipmen are officers in a qualified sense and take precedence next to Aviation Cadets. Satisfactory completion of three months course of instruction will qualify Midshipmen for a commission as Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve. The second cruise will be made by three Battleships and will start from East Coast ports on 15th of August and be completed September 14. Applicants who desire to make this cruise should state in their letter: (a) Applicants to be eligible must present transcript of college credits showing that they have satisfactorily completed two full years (60 hours) from one of the colleges or Universities, (b) Be native born, unmarried, and between 19 and 26 years of age, (c) Meet physical requirements for Ensign, D-V (G), U. S. Navy Reserve (d) Be of good repute in their community, (e) Properly authenticated transcript of educational record (f) Two letters of recommendation from reliable citizens who may be interviewed for further information regarding the applicant, (g) Produce Original, or certified copy of Birth Certificate, (h) Parents consent of a minor.

Application should be made at Room 212, Post Office Bldg., Navy Recruiting Station, Waco, Texas.

MITCHELL BALES GETS PREMIUM FOR FIRST BALE OF 1940 COTTON

Mitchell Bales received the \$18.15 premium donated by Hico business men for the first bale of 1940 cotton ginned here last Friday by H. K. King, gin. The bale weighed 461 pounds.

The list of donors included the following: Chamber of Commerce, First National Bank, Hico Confectionery, H. C. Connally, A. A. Brown, E. H. Henry, J. C. Rodgers, S. W. Everett, Hico News Review, Lynch Cafe, Hudson's Holy's Packer, N. A. Leeth & Son, T. A. Randall, Barrow Furniture Co., J. B. Ogle, Duzan Motors, Keeney's Hatchery, J. W. Richbourg, W. L. McDowell, Lynch Hardware, Herrington Grocery, Wiseman Studio, Higginbotham Bros. & Co., Hoffman's Dept. Store, S. E. Blair, Buckhorn Cafe, Willard Leach, Grady Hooper, Moon & Embanks, Barnes & McCullough, and Mark Waldrop.

Attend Funeral Of Cousin

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Malone and Mrs. M. D. Booth were called Tuesday afternoon to the bedside of Mrs. Rosie Farmer, cousin of Mrs. Malone and Mrs. Booth. Mrs. Farmer had been suffering for about ten days from a knee injury. She died Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in a Cleburne hospital and funeral services were held for her at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Lone Willow Church. Burial was in the Bono Cemetery.

No Singing Convention

The semi-annual Hamilton County singing convention which had been announced for Sunday at the Hamilton County courthouse will not be held, according to word received from J. W. Jordan, president of the organization, and Miss Faye Henderson, secretary.

Keeping Up With Texas

Was Stork, Not Gull

August Petersen, 64-year-old San Angeloan, born five days out of New York City on a German-American liner, had a ready answer for alien registration questions asked here. Queried as to his classification on the ship bringing him over, Petersen answered: "I guess I must have been a stowaway, since I wasn't registered when the ship left Europe."

Injured In Aerial Venture

Nan Tull, 3-year-old daughter of Capt. and Mrs. L. H. Tull of Brooks Field, was lucky in her first aerial venture. Nan plunged more than twenty feet from an upper story window onto a concrete driveway at Plainview. She received a slight ear injury and minor bruises, said physicians at the hospital where she was receiving treatment Monday. Capt. Tull and his family, on their way to Stockton, Calif., where he had been transferred to Army training school from Brooks Field, were visiting there in the home of his brother, H. V. Tull Jr. Nan heard children playing in the yard and leaped out of the window, she told her parents after her fall.

Tyler Without Auto Deaths

Tyler officials Friday attributed the city's record of no traffic deaths for a year to rigid enforcement of moving traffic regulations, rigid prosecution of offenders in city court and a press campaign. Tyler finished a year without a fatality at 9:15 o'clock Thursday night. The city of 28,000 had its last fatal traffic accident August 29, 1939, when Lula Johnson, a negro, was the victim. Chief of Police J. J. Ray pointed out that the officers kept a strict watch for drunken or careless drivers and prosecuted offenders in city court, where heavy fines were assessed.

Wed 68 Years, Celebrate

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Sewell of San Antonio, 95 and 90 years of age, respectively, Thursday observed their sixty-eighth wedding anniversary here.

Sherlock Holmes Falls

Detective Vic Register of the Dallas police department's bunco squad stopped a man on the street Monday for routine questioning. "I beg your pardon, friend," said the detective smoothly, "but I'm an officer and I'd like to ask you a few questions. Your face looks familiar, but maybe you're just a type. Have you ever been in trouble before?" "Yes," said the suspect after some hesitation, "how did you know?" "I didn't. What kind of trouble was it?" "I was at a beer tavern and a policeman told me to go home." "Yes?" "Well, I wasn't ready to go home." "What did you do?" "I went home." The detective went away.

207 Graduate at Kelly Field

In ceremonies marked by several departures from customary exercises, 207 students of Kelly Field Friday were graduated and their responsibility to "defend two continents and two oceans" stressed in a graduation address delivered by Col. Millard F. Harmon, Jr., commander of the Gulf training center for the air corps.

Two Ride Fiery Plane To Escape

Two Oklahoma City men rode a flaming airplane in a 2,000-foot dive to earth Monday near Wichita Falls and escaped with burns. V. V. Van Landingham, 29, the pilot, suffered burns on his limbs, face and back. His condition is serious. A passenger, W. L. Barnett, 24, was burned severely on the hands. Witnesses said when the ship suddenly burst into flame, Van Landingham immediately put the plane into a dive and whipped out the fire. After landing it in a wheat field, it was discovered the fuselage covering was burned away and the control stick handles burned off. Only the wings remained covered.

U. of T. Obtains Tracks

The University of Texas Friday displayed 15 tons of rock bearing the bathtub-sized footprints of two dinosaurs which roamed a prehistoric riverbed west of Glen Rose centuries ago.

Mann Wins Up Reporting

The work of the Attorney General's office in carrying out the legal business of the State had been reported on Wednesday by Attorney General Mann, back in Austin after a month-long speaking tour of the State. Mann made his one hundred sixty-fourth speech of an extended "reporting" tour Tuesday night when he spoke to Austin citizens. Unopposed for re-election, Mann made the speaking tour to let the people of Texas know what the Attorney General had been doing for the last two years.

IREDELL ITEMS

By MISS STELLA JONES, Local Correspondent

Mrs. J. A. Jones visited friends here this week.

Miss Vada Hudson spent from Sunday until Tuesday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Hudson of Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Hudson and two children of Dallas spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hudson and other relatives. He is on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hindin have returned to their home in Mangum, Okla., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Nystel and son of Meridian spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Loader.

Emma Mae and H. Lassiter are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Adams of Clifton.

Mr. J. W. Perry, who is making his home with his children, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDowell and children attended the funeral of his brother, Mr. Macey McDowell of De Leon, who died Thursday morning of the sleeping disease. He was buried in Lingville Friday afternoon. He was well-known here from his visits. He was ill for

a few weeks before he died. Survivors are his wife and two children and a host of other relatives.

Mr. A. B. Russell and Mr. Sam Looney were in Lampasas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. McElroy and children attended the funeral of their friend, Mr. Mill Wallace, at Hico Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. Harris is confined to bed, due to illness. It is hoped she will recover soon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Little and children visited their son and brother at Duffau Sunday of last week.

Tom Conley of Dallas spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Meadows and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Meadows spent Friday in Stephenville with their uncle, Mr. Hiram Goodman.

Guy Frank Main has returned from summer school at A. & M. Miss Doris Heim has returned to Arizona where she has a place in school there.

After a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell, Bobby Tidwell returned to the army at Hensley field at Dallas.

Mrs. John Appleby of Meridian visited her mother, Mrs. A. L. Harris a few days this week.

Faye Hensley gave a slumber party to the following girls: Deloris Kay Davis, Peggy June Tidwell, Norma Jean Cavaness, Syble Pylant and Faye Fallis at her home Thursday night. Some boys came and stayed awhile. Raye Hensley, Raye Holt, Byrum Loader, Dick Burns Jr., and Lamorne Fuller.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell and children Harris, Bobby and Peggy June, spent Tuesday afternoon and part of the night with their son and brother, Dr. D. D. Tidwell and wife at De Leon.

Wilma Raye Burns is visiting in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mitchell and son spent the week end in Meridian with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey.

Randolph Griffiths left Thursday to join the navy. The government furnished the material and cotton for the making of mattresses, and several nice mattresses were made at the school building. Mrs. Dick Appleby and Mr. Shirley were overseers of the work this week. Some more will be made.

Mrs. Frank Cunningham and son accompanied Frank to Tyler where he is working.

Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell of De Leon spent Thursday night here with his parents.

Faxon Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs. Smith, is ill. He has had fever for a few days, but is improving now.

Mrs. Pike spent the week end in Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Goodman accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley and children spent Sunday in Bluffdale with her mother, Mrs. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones of Fort Worth spent the week end through Labor Day here.

Remember the Bosque County singing convention will be held here the third Sunday in September at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and son, John D., spent from Saturday

until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Joe Golborn of Adicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Whitlock have returned from a visit with relatives in El Paso.

Mrs. Crow, who is going to a beauty school in Waco, spent the week end and Monday with her father, Mr. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris and daughter of Houston, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. A. L. Harris and other relatives.

Miss Thelma Patterson of Clifton spent Monday with Miss Pauline Burch.

Mrs. Fouts, Mrs. Laswell, Misses J. Hewson and Louise Hinsley attended the Worker's meeting at Cranfill's Gap Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones, Mrs. Burson, Willie Phillips, Mrs. Jack Blakely and son, Gene, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mamie Young and daughter of Meridian.

The Iredell school will start on Monday September 9th. All the children are getting ready. The bus drivers are having their buses checked this week.

Mrs. J. L. Newsome left Friday for a visit of ten days with her children in Big Springs.

Miss Madeline Harper spent the week with her cousin, Mrs. Neighbors of De Leon.

C. D. Sharks of Tahoka is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Lawrence.

Clairette

By NILA MARIE ALEXANDER

Don't forget that the home coming starts next Saturday night, September 7, through September 8. Miss Mable Roberson of Fort Worth visited her mother, Mrs. Mark Dowdy, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Erman McChristal and children of Levelland visited Mr. McChristal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McChristal, last week.

Miss Zelma Penley spent Tuesday with Virginia Ponder of Alexander and Virginia returned with Zelma and spent the night with her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Golightly and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hobby Sunday.

Miss Faith Elliott and a sister, Jo, also two cousins, Mack Kennedy and Paul Heathington of De Leon were guests in the home of Mrs. L. F. Fenley and daughter, Zelma, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Baldwin and daughter, Betty, of Beaumont visited Mrs. Laura Baldwin over the week end.

Mrs. J. H. Roberts of Hico was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Woodward and Mrs. H. F. Sellers came for her and spent the afternoon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Alexander of Waco were guests in the home of Mr. Alexander's father, R. M. Alexander Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Golightly attended conference at Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hub Alexander and daughters, Nila Marie and Elizabeth Ann, and a friend Mrs. J. H. Roberts of Hico, visited the Burks bird farm north of Clairette Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Phillips of Kilgore were guests in the home of Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe, Sunday night. Mr. Phillips returned home Monday leaving Mrs. Phillips for a visit with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hobby, Joan, Charles and Betty Golightly visited the Burks bird farm Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baldwin of Stephenville were guests of Mr. Baldwin's mother Sunday.

Mrs. Dela Baldwin and children, Nona and Otha, of Sedwick, visited relatives here Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John East Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Trice, son and daughter, Shuler and Lillian of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fin-cannon and daughter of Lamasa and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCleskey and little daughter of Dublin.

Those visiting in the home of T. M. Lee and other relatives last week were Mrs. Sam Thompson and daughter, Mary Sue, of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of Mexia, Mrs. Sam Wolfe and son, Sam Jr., of Dallas.

Mrs. John Golightly and Mrs. Bonnie Alexander, visited at the side of Mr. Willie McFadden at the German Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. (Aunt) Mary Dowdy and T. M. Lee were honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday at the tabernacle with one hundred and twelve guests registering. A large table was spread at the noon hour. Billed with all sorts of delicious foods.

A family reunion was held Sunday at the Dowdy Mill for the Turner relatives. Those present were Mr. John Turner Denison, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son, Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Little and family of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stipe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stipe and daughter, Duffau, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stipe and Miss Louise Stipe Denison, Mr. and Mrs. John Maxwell and Miss Juanita Hardin of Dallas.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee, Gilmore, Texas.

Mrs. Conda Salmon honored her little daughter, Patsy Jo, with a birthday party Tuesday.

Altman

By MRS. J. H. McANALLY

Mrs. Maggie Carmefax and Will Everett had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carmefax and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carmefax of Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montgomery and daughters, Louise and Janice Lynn, of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curbo and baby daughter of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coston and children of Evant visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles Tuesday. Their little daughter, Mary Nell, remained until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Strickland and daughters of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mobley of Tulsa, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Land and daughters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Waldrop have named their baby daughter born August 26, Carolyn Rebecca.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday at the club house at Hico. Their children and grandchildren brought well-filled baskets and a beautiful dinner was served. All enjoyed the get-together very much. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Montgomery and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montgomery and daughters, Louise and Janice Lynn, of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery of Mead-ow, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Montgomery and children of Carlton, J. P. Montgomery and daughter, Patsy, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Bingham and children of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curbo and baby daughter of Dallas, Fred, Jim, Edwin, Edgar, Walter and Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery, all of Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery received many useful gifts.

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Mrs. S. S. Johnson and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. L. J. Jordan of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Duke of Clifton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patterson and son, Kenneth.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendricks of Millerville.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Johnson and family were: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Lorand Heffley of Stephenville and Owen Heffley of Bluffdale.

Falls Creek

By LULA MAE COSTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Trammell and daughter of Old Hico and Jim Sneed of New Mexico visited Mrs. W. W. Foust Sunday.

Virginia Coston, who has been visiting in Northwest Texas, has returned home.

Judge Key and wife and daughter, Miss Key, and Mr. J. N. Sims

Unity

By MRS. L. A. COLE

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kidd and little son visited his father J. L. J. Kidd for the holidays.

The protracted meeting was held at Unity last week, closing Sunday night. Brother Frank McClure led the preaching, with his cousin, Boyd McClure, leading the song service. Mrs. Frank McClure played and also Mrs. Boyd McClure played and taught the Juniors.

Seven joined the Hico Baptist Church, 4 joined by letter and 3 to be baptized.

Gerald Griffiths of Fort Worth was home for the week end.

Mrs. Jim Adkison left Saturday for West Texas to visit her daughter and son-in-law and children.

Mrs. Lewis Mather, who has been visiting at home left Saturday to visit her daughter at Fairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stormy Wright have a new boy born August 24 and given the name of Bobby Eugene.

Mr. Sid Rainwater has been ill for several days with a bad tooth. We hope that he gets better soon.

The Zion Club Ladies will meet in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Koonsman for all day quilting the 12th of September.

Mrs. M. N. Hipp is visiting her father and mother's sister at Blackwell.

Mrs. Earley and daughter of Gustine, and Mrs. Ray Morgan and two children of Hico visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rance McElroy one day last week.

Spring Creek

By LOUISE HYLES

Mrs. John Price and daughter, Pauline, and a friend, Mr. Claude Lewis of Midland, returned home last Tuesday after a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lela Mae Walker and children and Mrs. Agnes Price, her mother-in-law.

Mr. E. J. Land and daughter, Nora, visited a little while Monday evening in the Simpson Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crist and daughter and son-in-law, Dale and J. D. Lowe, have been visiting them.

Mrs. Lela Walker visited Mrs. Mattie Hyles Friday morning.

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Pleas Lambert, who has been visiting in the Walker home, has gone to Abilene.

Mr. W. B. Walker came home Sunday from Winters, where he has been visiting for several days.

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Greyville

By NELLIE V. MULLINS

Supper guests of Miss Nellie V. Mullins were Mr. Homer Tapp, Mr. Charlie Beavers of Brownsfield, Miss Mattie Greer of Dry Fork and Miss Imogene Patterson of this community.

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By CORRESPONDENT

The farmers of this community have started picking cotton.

Vera Couch of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and daughter, Donnie Nell, visited Saturday night with her brother, William Hicks, and family of Dry Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosell and family of near Iredell spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Totten and daughter, Helen.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Taylor of Hamilton to our community. They moved to the house vacated a few weeks ago by Mr. and Mrs. Andy Totten.

This community was sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Stanford of Hamilton. Mr. Stanford was the father of Mrs. Charlie Roberts of our community. The entire community extends its sympathy to Mrs. Roberts and her family.

Mrs. J. C. Branson, who has been visiting the last three weeks with relatives in Oklahoma, has returned home.

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C. H. King was a Hamilton visitor Tuesday.

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Mrs. Johnson Patterson attended the funeral of Mrs. Alfred of Carlton Monday. She was buried in the Honey Creek Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hickman, Wilford and Arietta of Gustine visited in the home of Tado Fabianke Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carroll Anderson and Bill Faye spent last week from Tuesday until Friday with her brother and wife of Stephenville.

Mrs. J. A. McCarty and son, Wendell, visited in the home of Mrs. Mason of Purvis Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Basham and sons visited in Dublin Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richardson were in Hico Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sowell, Oms Weaver and Damon King of Houston spent the week end visiting here.

Jesse Miller Pool was in Hamilton Saturday afternoon.

Buck Springs

By LORENE HYLES

Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter and children, Elizabeth and John D., visited Mrs. Lemons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol McLendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Houser and daughter, Mildred, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths Sunday of last week. Mrs. Knight and three of the children remained for a longer visit with her parents.

Thomas Slaughter of Brownwood visited John D. Slaughter Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendricks visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Grant Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson and children awhile last Friday night.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rainwater recently were: Mrs. Rainwater's mother and two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Stringer and Miss Ethel Stringer and Mrs. W. P. Huddleston of Hamilton; also another sister from Amarillo, Texas.

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For District Attorney: H. WILLIAM ALLEN (Re-Election)
For District Clerk: C. E. EDMISTON (Re-Election)
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For Sheriff: HOUSTON WHITE (Re-Election)
For County Clerk: IRA MOORE
For County Treasurer: MRS. H. A. (Skinney) TIDWELL
For Co. Tax Assessor-Collector: O. R. WILLIAMS (Re-Election)
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THUNDER FROM THE STANDS by Vincent Richards

Chapter V SYNOPSIS Len Rollins, tennis ace, dreamed of fame and glory when, as a member of the Davis cup team he would play for America. But he falls in love with Grace Worthington, rich and socially prominent, who is willing to defy her family and marry him—if he gives up tennis. Fate intervenes. He injures his ankle and the doctors say he will never play again. He and Grace are married and live blissfully on the salary he earns as salesman in a sporting goods shop. As his ankle heals he is tempted to return to the courts. He has agreed to play in a tournament on the Sunday Grace's family invites them both to the country for a week end. Grace goes alone.

He could not sleep Saturday night. Sunday morning he tried to read, but Grace's condemning eyes were on every page. He threw the book from him and turned on the radio. But the music failed to soothe him. He kept wishing that Grace were present so he could have it out with her and have the subject finally decided. He thought of telephoning her, but decided against it; doing that would make him appear guilty. Appear guilty? Good God, he was guilty! Guilty as hell!

It was an easy victory. So much easier, he reflected as he took his shower, than would be his conquest over Grace. With her, he wasn't sure. He stayed at home all of Sunday evening, but she did not return. Finally he went to bed and fell into a restless, troubled sleep. When he arrived home from work the next day she was there. And Richard Whyte was with her. "Hello." Her voice and the lips she raised to his were cool. "Dick drove me in from Easthampton. I made him stay to dinner." Len shook hands with Whyte. "Of course. Glad to see you." Studying Richard Whyte seated in the big chair near the window, Len was more acutely aware than ever before of the other's good looks, his poise, his social grace. "I hear you're doing awfully well." Whyte said. "Cracking the business world the way you used to crack a tennis ball."

told me about the invitation to Easthampton. I let you know frankly and honestly how I felt about going out there. Then later I realized that if I mentioned anything about tennis it would appear—

She nodded without interest, made no reply. "All right," he went on, "all right. So you don't believe me?" She leaned forward in her chair. "No. Absolutely not."

time to prepare himself, to regain his equilibrium. The sharp intake of Weir's breath and his own short cry were simultaneous with the scraping of the ladder as it went out from under him. One thought flashed penetratingly through his mind as he felt himself whirling through space—the ankle! His hands flayed for something to hold to; his feet, legs, and body prepared themselves for the shock they knew must come on collision with the hard cement of the stock room floor.

"Then open the door or I'll—" he threw himself against it. The lock turned over. He twisted the knob. Opened the door. A great and overwhelming relief flooded him. There was neither razor blade nor iodine bottle in sight. She was merely sitting on the black and white hamper, sobbing quietly.

It was stock checking time at the shop and Len was counting and rearranging equipment. Perched ten feet above the floor he took the boxes Weir handed up to him, stacking them on the stock room shelves. Another row and the ladder would have to be moved. He considered changing it even before starting the next shelf, but decided to reach the distance. By stretching, arm fully extended, he could manage. The first box was placed. The second one sid as he tried to put it on top of the first.

And then miraculously he was standing there, shaken, white-faced, breathlessly amazed that he was safe, and Weir was inquiring solicitously if he was hurt. He shook his head, still puzzled at the marvel that he had managed to land upright. That he had landed, the full weight and force of his six feet and one hundred and eighty pounds, almost upon the weak left foot. And the ankle had not given way!



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Jured? Weir queried, his voice a little strained, his face flushed from the fright of having seen young Rollins come hurtling through space.

Dr. Leonard Weingrat was a short, totally bald man with large, owl-like eyes. The specialist listened carefully while Len told him everything about the accident. The removal of the bandages, what the hospital doctors had said about his never being able to play again, of his fall from the ladder, not once did Dr. Weingrat interrupt, but when Len had finished speaking he nodded thoughtfully.

"So far—what, Doctor?" "All right. Perfectly all right. But I can't be sure, young man—yet." He wagged a finger. "But I'm not often wrong, you see. No, not often." He crossed the room and wheeled the X-ray machine into position. Four pictures were taken—one from each side, one from the top and another from the bottom. "Come tomorrow at this time," Dr. Weingrat said unemotionally, "and I'll let you know."

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During the next month Len played at different clubs against men who were ranked in the first ten. Topnotch competition quickly brought back his game. He was, in fact, better than he had ever been before. Since his enforced retirement his stroking and service appeared to have improved

both in power and skill. The newspapers gave him columns of space and mentioned him frequently in connection with the Davis Cup team.

There was a change in his relationship to Grace—subtle, but definite. She dined alone now when he was late, instead of waiting for him and often was not home when he came in. No longer did she storm or plead with him about running off week ends leaving her alone. It seemed, after that first stormy scene when he had told her about Dr. Weingrat's diagnosis, that she had resigned herself to the inevitable.

But it was Frank Wheatley who first opened Len's eyes and then Len blamed Grace and not himself. He went directly home following a match to have it out with her, but she was not there. By the time she did arrive, he had exaggerated the truth a hundred-fold.

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IREDELL ITEMS

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Tom Conley of Dallas spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Meadows and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Meadows spent Friday in Stephenville with their uncle, Mr. Hiram Goodman.

Gay Frank Main has returned from summer school at A. & M. Miss Doris Helm has returned to Arizona where she has a place in school there.

After a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell, Bobby Tidwell returned to the army at Hensley field at Dallas.

Mrs. John Appleby of Meridian visited her mother, Mrs. A. L. Harris a few days this week.

Faye Hensley gave a slumber party to the following girls: Debra Kay Davis, Peggy June Tidwell, Norma Jean Cavness, Syble Pylant and Faye Fallis at her home Thursday night. Some boys came and stayed awhile. Raye Hensley, Raye Holt, Byron Loader, Dick Burns Jr. and Lamolne Fuller.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell and children Harris, Bobby and Peggy June, spent Tuesday afternoon and part of the night with their son and brother, Dr. D. D. Tidwell and wife at De Leon.

Wilma Raye Burns is visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mitchell and son spent the week end in Meridian with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey.

Randolph Griffiths left Thursday to join the navy.

The government furnished the material and cotton for the making of mattresses, and several nice mattresses were made at the school building, Mrs. Dick Appleby and Mr. Shirley were overseers of the work this week. Some more will be made.

Mrs. Frank Cunningham and son accompanied Frank to Tyler where he is working.

Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell of De Leon spent Thursday night here with his parents.

Paxton Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs. Smith, is ill. He has had fever for a few days, but is improving now.

Mrs. Pike spent the week end in Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Goodman accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley and children spent Sunday in Bluffdale with her mother, Mrs. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones of Fort Worth spent the week end through Labor Day here.

Remember the Bosque County singing convention will be held here the third Sunday in September at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith and son, John D., spent from Saturday

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By CORRESPONDENT

The farmers of this community have started picking cotton.

Vera Couch of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and daughter, Donna Zell, visited Saturday night with her brother, William Hicks, and family of Dry Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Rozell and family of near Iredell spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Totten and daughter, Helen.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Taylor of Hamilton to our community. They moved to the house vacated a few weeks ago by Mr. and Mrs. Andy Totten.

This community was sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Stanford of Hamilton. Mr. Stanford was the father of Mrs. Charlie Roberts of our community. The entire community extends its sympathy to Mrs. Roberts and her family.

Mrs. J. C. Brannon, who has been visiting the last three weeks with relatives in Oklahoma, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Taylor spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Totten and daughter, C. H. King was a Hamilton visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Anderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burnett of Carlton.

Mrs. Johnson Patterson attended the funeral of Mrs. Allred of Carlton Monday. She was buried in the Honey Creek Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hickman, Wilford and Arletta of Gustine visited in the home of Tado Fabianke Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carroll Anderson and Billie Faye spent last week from Tuesday until Friday with her brother and wife of Stephenville.

Mrs. J. A. McCarty and son, Wendell, visited in the home of Mrs. Mason of Purvis Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Hasham and sons visited in Dublin Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richardson were in Hico Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sowell, Ona Weaver and Damon King of Houston spent the week end visiting here.

Jeane Miller Pool was in Hamilton Saturday afternoon.

until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Joe Guborn of Adicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Whitlock have returned from a visit with relatives in El Paso.

Mrs. Crow, who is going to a beauty school in Waco, spent the week end and Monday with her father, Mr. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris and daughter of Houston, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. A. L. Harris and other relatives.

Miss Thelma Patterson of Clifton spent Monday with Miss Pauline Burch.

Mrs. Fouts, Mrs. Laswell, Misses Joe Heyworth and Louise Hinsley attended the Worker's meeting at Cranfill's Gap Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones, Mrs. Burson, Willie Phillips, Mrs. Jack Blakely and son, Gene, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mamie Young and daughter of Meridian.

The Iredell school will start on Monday September 9th. All the children are getting ready. The bus drivers are having their buses checked this week.

Mrs. J. L. Newsome left Friday for a visit of ten days with her children in Big Springs.

Miss Madeline Harper spent the week with her cousin, Mrs. Neighbors of De Leon.

C. D. Shanks of Tahoka is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Laurance.

Clairette

By NILA MARIE ALEXANDER

Don't forget that the home coming starts next Saturday night, September 7, through September 9.

Miss Mable Roberson of Fort Worth visited her mother, Mrs. Mark Dowdy, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Erman McChristial and children of Levelland visited Mrs. McChristial's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McChristial, last week.

Miss Zelma Fenley spent Tuesday with Virginia Ponder of Alexander and Virginia returned with Zelma and spent the night with her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gollightly and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hobdy Sunday.

Miss Faith Elliott and a sister, Jo, also two cousins, Mack Kennedy and Paul Heathington of De Leon were guests in the home of Mrs. L. V. Fenley and daughter, Zelma, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Baldwin and daughter, Betty, of Beaumont visited Mrs. Laura Baldwin over the week end.

Mrs. J. H. Roberts of Hico was a week end guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander and Mrs. H. F. Sellers care for her and spent the afternoon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Alexander of Waco were guests in the home of Mr. Alexander's father, R. M. Alexander Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gollightly attended conference at Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hub Alexander and daughters, Nila Marie and Elizabeth Ann, and a friend Mrs. J. H. Roberts of Hico, visited the Burks bird farm north of Clairette Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Phillips of Kilgore were guests in the home of Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe, Sunday night. Mr. Phillips returned home Monday leaving Mrs. Phillips for a visit with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hobdy, Joan, Charles and Betty Gollightly visited the Burks bird farm Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baldwin of Stephenville were guests of Mr. Baldwin's mother Sunday.

Mrs. Dela Baldwin and children, Norma and Otha, of Sedwick, visited relatives here Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John East Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Trice, son and daughter, Shuler and Lillian of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pincannon and daughter of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCleary and little daughter of Dublin.

Those visiting in the home of T. M. Lee and other relatives last week were Mrs. Sam Thompson and daughter, Mary Sue, of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of Mexia, Mrs. Sam Wolfe and son, Sam Jr., of Dallas.

Mrs. John Gollightly and Mrs. Bonnie Alexander, visited at the side of Mr. Wylie McPhaden at the Gorman Hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. (Ann) Mary Dowdy and T. M. Lee were honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday at the tabernacle with one hundred and twelve guests registering. A large table was spread at the noon hour, filled with all sorts of delicious foods.

A family reunion was held Sunday at the Dowdy Mill for the Turner relatives. Those present were Mr. John Turner, Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baldwin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son, Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Little and family of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stipe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stipe and daughter, Duffau, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Stipe and Miss Louise Stipe, Denton, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield and Miss Juanita Martin of Dallas.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee, Gilmer, Texas.

Mrs. Conda Salmon honored her little daughter, Patsy Jo, with a birthday party Tuesday.

Altman

By MRS. J. H. McANALLY

Mrs. Maggie Carmefax and Will Everett had as their guests Sunday Mrs. and Mrs. Ray Carmefax and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carmefax of Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montgomery and daughters, Louise and Janice Lynn, of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curbo and baby daughter of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coston and children of Evans visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles Tuesday. Their little daughter, Mary Nell, remained until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Strickland and daughters of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mobley of Tulsa, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Land and daughters Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Waldrop have named their baby daughter born August 26, Carolyn Rebecca.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday at the club house at Hico. Their children and grandchildren brought well filled baskets and a beautiful dinner was served. All enjoyed the get-together very much. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Montgomery and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Montgomery and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Montgomery and daughters, Louise and Janice Lynn of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Montgomery of Mead-ow, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Montgomery and children of Carlton, J. P. Montgomery and daughter, Patsy, of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Bingham and children of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Curbo and baby daughter of Dallas, Fred, Jim, Edwin, Edgar, Walter and Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery, all of Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery received many useful gifts.

Unity

By MRS. L. A. COLE

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kidd and little son visited his father J. L. Kidd for the holidays.

The protracted meeting was held at Unity last week, closing Sunday night. Brother Frank McClure did the preaching, with his cousin, Boyd McClure, leading the song service. Mrs. Frank McClure played and also Mrs. Boyd McClure played and taught the juniors. Seven joined the Hico Baptist Church, 4 joined by letter and 3 to be baptized.

Gerald Griffiths of Fort Worth was home for the week end.

Mrs. Jim Adkison left Saturday for West Texas to visit her daughter and son-in-law and children.

Mrs. Lewis Mather, who has been visiting at home left Saturday to visit her daughter at Fairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stormy Wright have a new boy born August 24 and given the name of Bobby Eugene.

Sid Rainwater has been ill for several days with a bad tooth. We hope that he gets better soon.

The Mt. Zion Club Ladies will meet in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Koonsman for all day quilting the 12th of September.

Mrs. M. N. Hipp is visiting her father and mother's sister at Blackwell.

Gilmore

By MRS. RUBY JOHNSON

Miss Marcelle Johnson spent last week end in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McClendon and daughters of Greystone were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tolliver.

Mrs. S. S. Johnson and son, Kenneth, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. L. J. Jordan of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Duke of Clifton were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patterson and son, Kenneth.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendricks of Millerville.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Johnson and family were: Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Lorand Heffley of Stephenville and Owen Heffley of Bluffdale.

Falls Creek

By LULA MAE COSTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Trammell and daughter of Old Hico, and Jim Speed of New Mexico visited Mrs. W. W. Foust Sunday.

Virginia Coston, who has been visiting in Northwest Texas, has returned home.

Judge Key and wife and daughter, Miss Key, and Mr. J. N. Sims

Spring Creek

By LOUISE HYLES

Mrs. John Price and daughter, Pauline, and a friend, Mr. Claude Lewis of Midland, returned home last Tuesday after a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lela Mae Walker and children and Mrs. Agnes Price, her mother-in-law.

Mr. E. J. Land and daughter, Nora, visited a little while Monday evening in the Simpson Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crist and daughter and son-in-law, Dale and J. D. Lowe, have been visiting them.

Mrs. Lela Walker visited Mrs. Mattie Hyles Friday morning.

Mrs. Pauline Hubbard and son, Billy Joe, and Mrs. Hubbard's sisters, Dorothy and Doris, went to Fort Worth last Friday morning to visit their brother for a few days.

Pleas Lambert, who has been visiting in the Walker home, has gone to Abilene.

Mr. W. R. Walker came home Sunday from Winters, where he has been visiting for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hyles and children visited S. J. Land and daughter, Nora, Sunday afternoon.

Greyville

By NELLIE V. MULLINS

Supper guests of Miss Nellie V. Mullins were Mr. Homer Tapp, Mr. Charlie Beavers of Brownfield, Miss Mattie Greer of Dry Fork and Miss Imogene Patterson of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Killion and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Killion and Mrs. Opal Hendrix and family of Hico.

Several young people enjoyed a party given Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. George Greer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hicks and family of Dry Fork visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Greer and

Buck Springs

By LORENE HYLES

Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter and children, Elizabeth and John D., visited Mrs. Lemons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol McLendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Houser and daughter, Mildred, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths Sunday of last week. Mrs. Knight and three of the children remained for a longer visit with her parents.

Thomas Slaughter of Brownwood visited John D. Slaughter Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendricks visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Grant Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson and children awhile last Friday night.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rainwater recently were: Mrs. Rainwater's mother and two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Stringer and Miss Ethel Stringer and Mrs. W. P. Huddleston of Hamilton; also another sister from Amarillo, Texas.

HAMILTON COUNTY WORKERS' MEETING SET FOR MONDAY

Rock House Baptist Church September 9, 1946

10:00 a. m.—Devotional—Raymond Sims.

10:15 a. m.—Some Privileges and Responsibilities of Church Membership—E. N. Strother.

10:35—How Can We Strengthen Our Sunday Schools?—John P. Cundieff.

11:00—What a Training Union Is Worth to a Church—T. Lynn Stewart.

11:20—Miscellaneous.

11:30—Sermon—Allen Dehart.

12:15—Lunch.

1:15—Executive Board and W. M. U. Meetings.

1:45—Devotional—Clifford Hampton.

2:00—Benefits of a Graded Woman's Mission Society in a Church—S. W. Miller.

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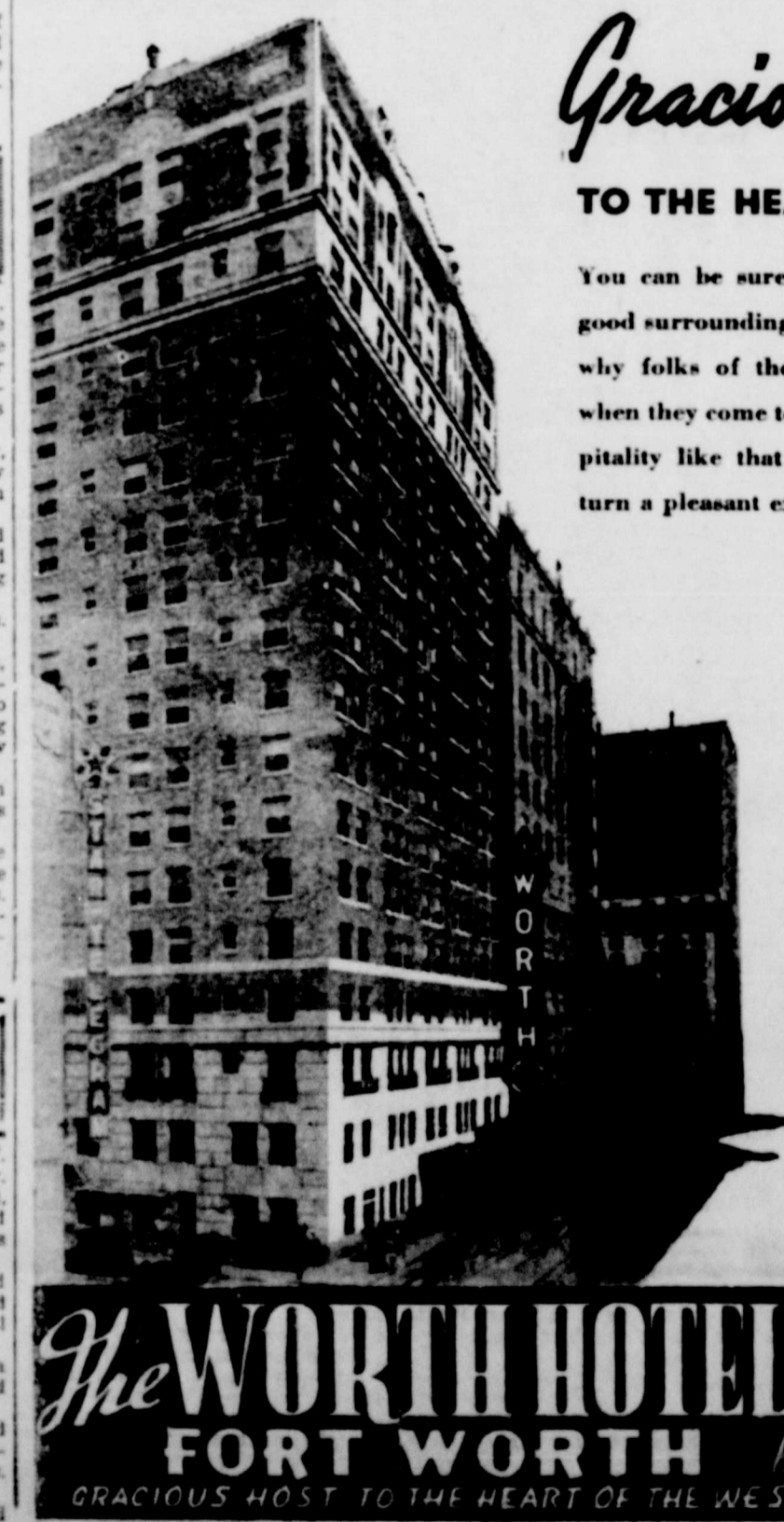
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For District Attorney: H. WILLIAM ALLEN (Re-Election).

For District Clerk: C. E. EDMISTON (Re-Election).

For County Judge: J. B. POOL (Re-Election).

For Sheriff: HOUSTON WHITE (Re-Election).

For County Clerk: IRA MOORE.

For County Treasurer: MRS. H. A. (Skinney) TIDWELL.

For Co. Tax Assessor-Collector: O. R. WILLIAMS (Re-Election).

For Commissioner, Prec. 3: R. W. (Bob) HANCOCK (Re-Election).

Erath County

For County Clerk: ELMO WHITE (Re-Election).

THUNDER FROM THE STANDS by Vincent Richards

Chapter V SYNOPSIS Len Rollins, tennis ace, dreamed of fame and glory when, as a member of the Davis cup team he would play for America. But he falls in love with Grace Worthington, rich and socially prominent, who is willing to defy her family and marry him—if he gives up tennis. Fate intervenes. He injures his ankle and the doctors say he will never play again. He and Grace are married and live blissfully on the salary he earns as salesman in a sporting goods shop. As his ankle heals he is tempted to return to the courts. He has agreed to play in a tournament on the Sunday Grace's family invites them both to the country for a week end. Grace goes alone.

He could not sleep Saturday night. Sunday morning he tried to read, but Grace's condemning eyes were on every page. He threw the book from him and turned on the radio. But the music failed to soothe him. He kept wishing that Grace were present so he could have it out with her and have the subject finally decided. He thought of telephoning her, but decided against it; doing that would make him appear guilty. "Appear guilty? Good God, he was guilty! Guilty as hell!"

It was an easy victory. So much easier, he reflected as he took his shower, than would be his conquest over Grace. With her, he wasn't sure. He stayed at home all of Sunday evening, but she did not return. Finally he went to bed and fell into a restless, troubled sleep. When he awoke he found her work the next day she was there. And Richard Whyte was with her. "Hello." Her voice and the lips she raised to his were cool. "Dick drove me in from Easthampton. I made him stay to dinner."

Len shook hands with Whyte. "Of course. Glad to see you." Studying Richard Whyte seated in the big chair near the window, Len was more acutely aware than ever before of the other's good looks, his poise, his social grace. "I hear you're doing awfully well," Whyte said. "Cracking the business world the way you used to crack a tennis ball."

Len could not explain to himself just why he resented Whyte. There was something in his tone, perhaps. "I've had one or two good breaks, I guess," he replied with a smile. Grace said: "But he's still a tennis player at heart and not a business man. Dick. Aren't you, darling?"

Len bit his lip. What the hell was Grace doing—making sport of him before this other man. He was in the wrong; he knew that. But he'd been wrong before about things and she'd never acted this way. Was this her idea of punishing him? Conversation during the simple dinner was for the most part friendly, but cool and restrained. At last they had cigarettes and coffee in the living room. Then Whyte took his leave. He thanked them for their hospitality, complimented them on the charm of the apartment and hoped they'd be out at Easthampton very soon.

Grace walked from the foyer back into the living room and switched on the radio. She sat in the big chair which Whyte had recently vacated. For some reason this bothered Len. But he kept his voice level, unexcited, when he spoke. "I want you to know," he said, "why I didn't tell you about my being scheduled to play yesterday afternoon. I meant to tell you that same evening that you

told me about the invitation to Easthampton. I let you know frankly and honestly how I felt about going out there. Then later I realized that if I mentioned anything about tennis it would appear—"

She nodded without interest, made no reply. "All right," he went on, "all right. So you don't believe me?" She leaned forward in her chair. "No. Absolutely not."

He felt anger surging through him and groped for something to say that would hurt her. "You're leaning backward just because of your silly prejudice toward something I once loved as much as—"

He didn't finish the sentence, in his own surprise and discomfort at the words he had spoken. Tears came into her eyes. He jumped up and switched off the radio. "Now we'll settle this thing once and for all," he shouted. But she rose and walked from the room. He followed her. She

"Then open the door or I'll—" he threw himself against it. The lock turned over. He twisted the knob. Opened the door. A great and overwhelming relief flooded him. There was neither razor blade nor iodine bottle in sight. She was merely sitting on the black and white hamper, sobbing quietly.

It was stock checking time at the shop and Len was counting and rearranging equipment. Perched ten feet above the floor he took the boxes Weir handed up to him, stacking them on the stock room shelves. Another row and the ladder would have to be moved. He considered changing it even before starting the next shelf, but decided to reach the distance. By stretching, arm fully extended, he could manage. The first box was placed. The second one slid as he tried to put it on top of the first.

It happened even before he had time to prepare himself. To regain his equilibrium. The sharp intake of Weir's breath and his own short cry were simultaneous with the scraping of the ladder as it went out from under him. One thought flashed penetratingly through his mind as he felt himself whirling through space—the ankle! His hands flayed for something to hold to; his feet, legs, and body prepared themselves for the shock they knew must come on collision with the hard cement of the stock room floor.

And then miraculously he was standing there, shaken, white-faced, breathlessly amazed that he was safe, and Weir was inquiring solicitously if he was hurt. He shook his head, still puzzled at the marvel that he had managed to land upright! That he had landed, the full weight and force of his six feet and one hundred and eighty pounds, almost upon the weak left foot. And the ankle had not given way!

Unbelievably, his breathing not yet regular, he trotted around, experimenting. Why, the ankle felt fine! Showed the least bit of strain under the terrific jolt it had just withstood. "That the foot that was in-



She sat on the hamper, sobbing quietly.

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jured?" Weir queried, his voice a little strained, his face flushed from the fright of having seen young Rollins come hurtling through space. Len nodded. "Yes. Funny, isn't it? They told me it anything like this ever happened it would—but it's funny. Very damn funny! I wonder—he shrugged. "Shall I shall we finish up?"

Dr. Leopold Weingrat was a short, totally bald man with large, owl-like eyes. The specialist listened carefully while Len told him everything about the accident, the removal of the bandages, what the hospital doctors had said about his never being able to play again, of his fall from the ladder. Not once did Dr. Weingrat interrupt, but when Len had finished speaking he nodded thoughtfully. "So—so—," he said, then ordered Len to take off his shoe and sock. The doctor placed the foot up on an ottoman under a dazzling white light. His fingers moved swiftly, surely, over the skin and flesh and bone. He slapped gently, twisted. "Hurt?" he grunted. Len shook his head. "That?" Another twist. "That?" Still another twist, the other way. Five minutes of this, then he growled. "We'll X-ray it—that is best. So far—," he shrugged his heavy shoulders.

"So far—what, Doctor?" "All right. Perfectly all right. But I can't be sure, young man—yet." He wagged a finger. "But I'm not often wrong, young man. No, not often." He crossed the room and wheeled the X-ray machine into position. Four pictures were taken—one from each side, one from the top and another from the bottom. "Come tomorrow at this time," Dr. Weingrat said unemotionally, "and I'll let you know."

"So," Dr. Weingrat greeted Len when he was ushered in next day. "on time, eh?" Sit down. He came to Len with pieces of something that looked like photograph film in his hand. Then punctuated his speech with flourishes of the hand that held the X-ray revelations. "Young man," his voice was gruff, but kind. "Your case is a very strange one. There is a small bone in the ankle—," there followed a detailed scientific and technical explanation which Len somehow survived.

and therefore," Dr. Weingrat concluded, while Len hung breathlessly on every terse word as it came from the specialist's thick lips, "there is no reason none at all, why you shouldn't play tennis if you want to. That ankle you need never worry about again. It is as strong as—well, strong as that of a young horse!" The room was spinning. Len, trying to keep his voice from cracking, merely said, "I'll leave my name and address with the nurse so you'll know where to send the bill."

And then, in a daze he found his way out into the street. People were passing by and automobiles were humming along—Park Avenue, losing themselves in the maze that ran around the Grand Central Building. But Len was not entirely conscious of his surroundings. The people, the traffic, the sounds of the city, the heat of the day, his own moving body—were vague. He was on a court, wide with perfectly-chalked lines, running parallel and others intersecting at given distances.

And over open grass gleaming white-clad figures were swinging rackets as a white ball flew over a correctly sloping net, and there was applause that sounded like rain beating heavily on a tin roof. And one of the players was himself. During the next month Len played at different clubs against men who were ranked in the first ten. Topnotch competition quickly brought back his game. He was, in fact, better than he had ever been before. Since his enforced retirement his stroking and service appeared to have improved

both in power and skill. The newspapers gave him columns of space and mentioned him frequently in connection with the Davis Cup team. There was a change in his relationship to Grace—subtle, but definite. She dined alone now when he was late, instead of waiting for him and often was not home when he came in. No longer did she storm or plead with him about running off week ends leaving her alone. It seemed, after that first stormy scene when he had told her about Dr. Weingrat's diagnosis, that she had resigned herself to the inevitable.

But it was Frank Wheatley who first opened Len's eyes and then Len blamed Grace and not himself. He went directly home following a match to have it out with her, but she was not there. By the time she did arrive, he had exaggerated the truth a hundred-fold.

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Local Happenings

Bill Elkins of Dallas was a visitor in Hico Monday.

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Jack Hooker of Dublin was a visitor in Hico last Saturday afternoon.

Aubrey Duzan and George Christopher were business visitors in Fort Worth Monday.

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Mrs. J. H. Goad left last Friday for Cisco to visit her sister, Mrs. H. D. Blair, and Rev. Blair.

Miss Nola Jones of Longview is here visiting her brother, J. D. Jones, and family.

W. M. Marcum was a business visitor in Bellville Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Charlie Harber of Abilene and Mrs. Dora Foster of Dallas were Saturday night guests of W. T. Rodgers and family.

Misses Mable and Hester Jordan and Marcelle Johnson were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Heffley in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith and two daughters of Temple were here Sunday visiting his father, J. J. Smith.

Mrs. Frank Parrish of Stephenville and Mrs. Martin of Oklahoma visited in the home of W. T. Rodgers and family last Friday.

J. W. Jordan returned Sunday from a ten-day visit in Galveston with his daughters, Mrs. George Wright and Mrs. D. Massengale.

Mrs. Willie Platt returned Monday from Stephenville where she visited her son, Bert Platt, Mrs. Platt celebrated her birthday there Sunday.

Miss Ruth Phillips, Mrs. W. G. Phillips, Mrs. E. H. Handala Sr., and Mrs. E. H. Handala Jr., were visitors in Fort Worth last Thursday.

Miss Quata Woods, a teacher in the Dallas schools, returned there Monday to resume her duties after spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Woods.

Miss Betty Barkman, formerly a teacher in the Hico schools and now a member of the faculty at Odessa, was here Monday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hedges and Mr. and Mrs. Arlice Brooks of Bangs were guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. H. V. Hedges and daughter, Julia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McClure had as their guests last week Mr. McClure's grandmother, Mrs. Alice McClure, of Morgan. Mrs. McClure is 87 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McClure of Morgan returned home Monday after spending a few days with their son, Frank McClure, and family.

Bill Pontremoli has returned to Hico to attend school this year after spending the summer in Odessa where he has been working in the Mobley Bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Barrow and daughters, Selette and Jimmie Gail, and son, Jerdine, of Alpine are spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barrow.

Delores and Bobbie Louise Roberson are recuperating nicely at their home following operations for the removal of their tonsils at Dr. H. V. Hedges' office last Friday.

Mrs. W. E. McAnelly was brought home Sunday from Baylor Hospital in Dallas where she has been for treatment and was reported slightly improved early in the week.

Miss Mattie Clark left Wednesday for Lubbock after spending the summer vacation here with her father, S. A. Clark. Miss Clark has taught in the Lubbock schools for several years.

Miss Oleta Hughes, who teaches at London, near Corpus Christi, returned to her school Wednesday after spending the summer here with her mother, Mrs. T. G. Hughes.

Miss Saralee Hudson left Monday for Schulenburg, where she has been teaching for several years, after spending the vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hudson.

Mrs. George Stringer, Mrs. Annie Waggoner and Miss Mary Jo Alexander took George Martell Stringer to Gorman Tuesday afternoon for examinations and treatment of his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullican and four children and Mrs. Jones of Wink and Mrs. C. W. White of Big Spring were Saturday night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mullican.

Mrs. J. H. Adkison left last Saturday for Muleshoe to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ross Harvell. Mrs. Adkison will keep house for Mr. and Mrs. Harvell, who both teach in the Muleshoe schools.

E. S. Jackson and Bill Nix were in Coryell County, near Gatesville, at the ranch Monday.

E. L. Hancock and family, who have been living in Meridian, moved back to Hico this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Holley and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Holley and family spent Sunday in Glen Rose.

Mrs. Zona Faggard returned last week to Kansas City with her son, J. W. Faggard, and family for a several weeks' visit.

Miss Isabel Quinn of Comanche spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson and Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McClure spent several days this week fishing on the Colorado River near Lometa.

Mrs. M. Y. Wallace will leave the latter part of this week for Wharton to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Bolton, and Mr. Bolton.

Julius Barnard of Lindsey, Oklahoma, returned home last Friday after spending the summer here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McFadden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harvey of Hamilton visited her son, Tullus Carpenter and family in the Unity community Tuesday and Wednesday.

H. H. Howard, accompanied by his brother, P. C. Howard, and family of Brazos Point, was in Fort Worth over the week end. The Howards enjoyed a family reunion with their sister and six brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bracewell, son, Elroy, and daughter, Velma, and his sister, Mrs. Felder, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Jackson and Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower. They are nieces and nephews of Mrs. Ridenhower.

Mrs. Jim D. Wright spent last week in Dallas with her daughter, Mamey Louise, and was accompanied home for the week end by Miss Wright and Miss Leona Jones. The latter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, and family.

George Hardy, recently of Dallas, was in Hico several days last week visiting his mother, Mrs. W. H. Hardy, and his sister, Mrs. Tom Johnson. He left the last of the week for Odessa where he has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Massey and little son, Patrick, of Hamilton were guests Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ridenhower and numerous friends here. Mrs. Massey is the former Miss Jane Adams.

Mrs. J. F. Cope and daughter, Johnnie Louise, of Paint Rock and Nettie Jo and Billy Curry of Blanket were guests several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keeney. Accompanied by Mrs. Keeney, they were visitors in Pardon Friday.

Mrs. Mark Waldrop, Mrs. Ed Ford and Mrs. Paul Wren visited in Goldthwaite Tuesday with Mrs. R. C. Epperson, sister of Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Waldrop. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. T. McFadden, who visited Mrs. Horace Chandler.

Mrs. Cecil Segrest and son, Richard Barnett, returned Tuesday night from a visit in Fort Worth with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Maloney Jr. Richard had been visiting his aunt there for several weeks and returned home with his mother to enter school here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths and son, Don, have moved to the residence owned by D. L. Cox across from the Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lane, who formerly lived there, have moved to an apartment in the A. A. Brown residence.

Mrs. A. D. Buchanan of Childress accompanied by her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton McLarty, of Fort Worth spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. R. F. Duckworth. Mrs. Buchanan is a sister of the late R. F. Duckworth. The McLartys also visited other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meador have moved to Stephenville where Mr. Meador is employed in the shop at the Dook Pardon motor company. He formerly was manager of Mr. Purdom's shop here. Other Carlton accompanied them and will also work in the Stephenville shop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rodgers and daughter, Miss Nettie Rodgers, and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bowles spent the week end in Tyler with their son and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Rodgers, on Monday they took a trip through the Arp, Henderson, New London, Kilgore and Gladewater oilfields, and returned home by way of Jacksonville, Palestine, Mexia and Waco.

STUDIO TO OPEN SEPT. 10th. Mrs. Chas. W. Froh will begin her piano class in September at her studio in the home of Mrs. Louise Bryan Angell.

She will be glad to call upon or make arrangements with anyone interested in their children's music study for the coming season. She will be in her studio each Tuesday and Friday beginning Tuesday, Sept. 10th. 15-1p

Ray and Olin Ridenhower of Junction were here last Thursday and Friday visiting their mother, Mrs. E. K. Ridenhower, and sister, Mrs. E. S. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton S. Barrow and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rountree of Hamlin returned home late Sunday after a week-end visit with Mr. Barrow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barrow and other relatives.

Mmes. H. E. McCullough, H. F. Sellers, E. H. Persons, and C. L. Woodward were in Hamilton Wednesday afternoon attending a bridge party given by Mrs. Sidney Wiser, the former Miss Jane Wolfe of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stelling and son, Jimmy, of Fort Worth visited Sunday night and Monday in the home of her brother, W. T. Rodgers and family. Also in the Rodgers home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rodgers and Miss Della Rodgers of Fort Worth.

Cecil Coston returned home Wednesday afternoon from San Diego, California, where he and his sister, Miss Elsie Coston, of Clifton had been to attend funeral services for their brother, Ralph, who was killed instantly in a plane crash there last week. They went by plane and returned by train.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wall of Brady were here over the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shelton and S. W. Wall, and were accompanied home by Mr. Wall's sister, Miss Annie Mae Wall who has accepted a position in Brady with the Rosenberg ready-to-wear shop.

Miss Winnie Eakins and Miss Winnie McClain of Dallas have returned home after a vacation trip to Carlsbad Caverns, the Davis Mountains, McDonald Observatory and other points of scenic interest in West Texas and New Mexico. They were accompanied on the trip by Miss Rosalie Eakins and visited in Pecos with their cousin, Mrs. Charles Shelton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Pool Entertain Commissioners and Families

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pool entertained the Hamilton County commissioners, members of their families and a few invited guests at a barbecue supper last Thursday evening at their country home in the Olin community.

Miss Oran Jo Pool and Miss Jessie Miller Pool assisted their parents in entertaining, and the barbecued goat was prepared by G. P. Harris of Waco.

The guest list included Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Swindell, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ridenhower, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hancock and daughter, Willa Dean, all of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. F. Waggoner of Pottsville, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sumnerford of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Harris of Waco, Olin Ridenhower of San Antonio and Ray Ridenhower of Junction.

Loraine Fellers Weds Cranfill's Gap Man

Miss Loraine Fellers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fellers of Hico, and Mr. Emory Christensen, son of Pete L. Christensen of Cranfill's Gap, were married Sunday, Sept. 1, at the Lutheran parsonage at Cranfill's Gap, with the Rev. Makkestad reading the sacred rite in a ring ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Hico High School, of Wayland Baptist College at Plainview, and attended New Mexico State Normal at Las Vegas. She has taught for the past five years.

Mr. Christensen is a graduate of the Cranfill's Gap High School and of Hebron Junior College, Hebron, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Christensen will make their home at 607 West Main St., Fairfield, Ill., where he is employed by a pipeline company.

MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE OF HICO AND SURROUNDING TERRITORY

I wish to take this method of thanking all my friends in this section who supported me in the recent election. It seems from reports that I was chosen Representative and I want to assure each of you that I will serve you to the best of my ability. To those who saw fit to vote for the other man I hold no ill will and I shall deal fairly and honestly with you as well and will serve you also whenever possible.

Respectively,
EARL HUDDLESTON.

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Miss Katherine Massingill is Bride of Ivan Painter

The marriage of Miss Katherine Massingill to Mr. Ivan Elwood Painter of Devine was solemnized Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Massingill, in Hico. Rev. Alvin Swindell, pastor of the Hico Baptist Church officiated in the ring ceremony.

The wedding party stood before an improvised altar banked with ferns and Easter lilies, flanked by crystal vases of ferns and pink gladioli. Tapers burned in floor candelabra during the ceremony.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Curtis Keeney Jr., who wore a street-length frock of navy.

Paul Wren attended Mr. Painter as best man.

The bride wore a navy blue street dress with navy accessories except for her gloves, which were white. Her shoulder corsage was of white orchids.

At a reception held after the wedding Mrs. Paul Wren presided at the bride's cake, which was decorated with miniature gladioli and nestled in a center piece of ferns and gladioli.

Misses Margaret Reilhan and Ann Persons presided at the punch bowl.

The guest list included the bride's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Yarbrough and three children of Carlton, Mrs. R. O. Moffatt and daughters of Hamilton and Curtis Keeney Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Painter left immediately for Dallas and a short wedding trip after which they will be at home in Devine, where Mr. Painter holds a responsible position with the R. W. McKinney Construction Co., of Nacogdoches.

Bursday Thurpers Have Parties On 3rd Anniversary

The Bursday Thurpers, social club of the younger set, observed three years of active weekly meetings with a dinner, theatre party, midnight ice cream supper, slumber party and sunrise breakfast Thursday night and Friday morning.

Ruby Lee Ellington was the hostess at the dinner which was also in honor of the birthday of Sarah Frances Meador, to whom the hostess presented a gift. After the theatre party, the group were guests at the home of Miss Meador where the ice cream supper and slumber party were held. The members participating in the activities were Misses Golden Ross, Carroll Anderson, Roberta McMillan, Emogene Latham, Letha Mae Beaman, Ruby Lee Ellington and Sarah Frances Meador.

The members unable to attend were Misses Priscilla Rodgers, Louise Blair, Mary Ella McCullough and Mrs. Babe Horton of Austin. CONTRIBUTED.

Mt. Pleasant Industrial Club Met With Mrs. Abel

The Mt. Pleasant Industrial Club met with Mrs. J. W. Abel and Miss Nora Abel Wednesday August 28.

The ladies quilted on two beautiful quilts and some pieced a friendship block. Punch and three different kinds of cake was served to the following: Mmes. H. R. Brummett, Berniece Parks, Coyt Clark, Herman Dennis, S. A. Abel, Ben Abel, Jetty Farmer, Coy Smith, Hubb Pitts, Ben Wright, John Abel, Lloyd Needham, Lesley Arrant, Emmett Anderson, Jeff Patterson, Roscoe Curtis, Zack Dennis, Horace Moore, Ben Gleason, Will Jones, B. L. Hargrove, W. T. Slater, Ella Shepherd, H. E. Wilson, Ovie Clark, Minnie Eoff, Ted Arrant, George Lintner, and Misses Geraldine Burmnett, Johnnie Broyles, Ima Pitts, Martha Ann Abel, Joylette Abel and Willioa Slater.

We were glad to have as visitors from other clubs and communities Mmes. Berniece Parks, Will Jones, Hubb Pitts and Miss Ima Pitts of Fairy; Mrs. George Lintner of Dallas; Mrs. Jeff Patterson, Horace Moore and Miss Johnnie Broyles of Agee.

Everyone reported a nice time and the next time we will meet with Mrs. Ben Gleason September 18 and then with Mrs. Minnie Eoff September 25. CONTRIBUTED

Mrs. J. D. Lowe and Daughters Honor Mr. Lowe On Birthday

Mrs. John D. Lowe and daughters, Ruth and Ruby, entertained at a dinner recently in honor of the birthday of their husband and father, John D. Lowe.

Mr. Lowe received a number of nice birthday gifts on the occasion. Included in those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowe Jr., of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Danil McPherson and son, Bobby Dan, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe and daughter, Joyce Ravey, all of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Loden, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Loden, Millerville; and Jackie Hudson, Iredell. CONTRIBUTED

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind in assisting us after the death of our beloved husband and father. Your kind expressions of sympathy will forever be remembered by us.

MRS. MILT WALLACE
MR. AND MRS. J. W. BOLTON

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Words cannot express our appreciation to our many friends who assisted us in any way during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. May God bless each and every one of you is our prayer. The Allred Children and Grandchildren.

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News of the World Told In Pictures

Art Treasures at Fair



"Caroline, Duchess of Marlborough," by the celebrated English artist of the eighteenth century, Sir Joshua Reynolds, is one of the priceless treasures of art included in the \$20,000,000 exhibit of Old Masters now at the Palace of Fine Arts of the Golden Gate International Exposition on Treasure Island. Other world famous artists represented in the show, are Titian, Leonardo da Vinci, Rubens and Rembrandt.

Corn Husking Agriculture Head



CAMDEN, Indiana . . . Claude R. Wickard, former Under-Secretary of Agriculture, pictured husking corn on his farm near Camden. Wickard was appointed Secretary of Agriculture, succeeding Henry L. Wallace, Democratic nominee for the Vice-Presidency, who has resigned. The new Secretary entered the Agricultural Department's Corn and Hogs Division of the AAA in 1932. He later became head of the AAA and was appointed Under-Secretary last February 1st.

The Farm Comes to the Fair



NEW YORK, N. Y. . . Two men and a menagerie came 3,000 miles from Iowa to attend Farm Week at the New York World's Fair. O'Haddi, the bull, looks a little sad because he has just been told that Elsie, the Burden cow, has left for Hollywood.

German Bomber Downed



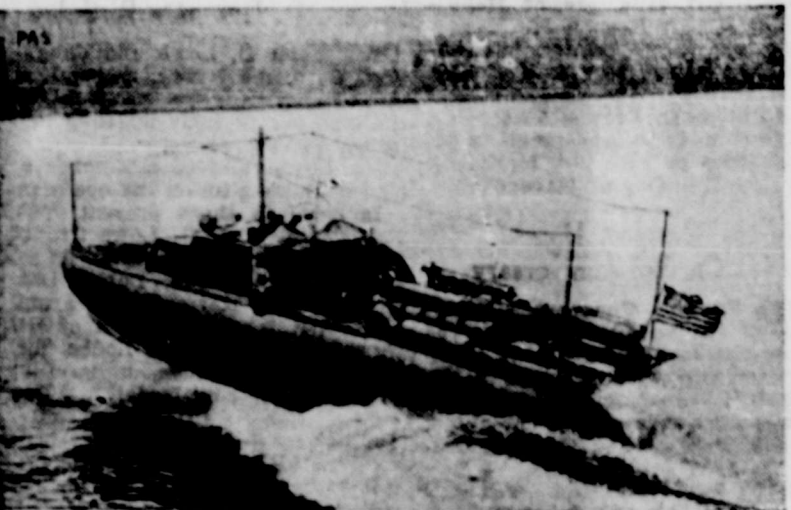
SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND . . . British officers examine wreckage of a huge German bomber which crashed into houses of an English town after being shot down by British anti-aircraft guns. The huge craft did almost as much damage itself as one of its bombs would have.

Here's How!



CHICAGO Ill. . . Members of the W. C. T. U. drink milk as a toast at the organization's sixty-fifth annual convention in Chicago. Left to right: Margaret C. Munns, Treasurer; Mrs. Leigh D. Colvin, Vice-President; Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith, President; Mrs. Nellie G. Berger, Recording Secretary, and Mrs. Ann Marden De Yo, Secretary.

Killer of the Sea



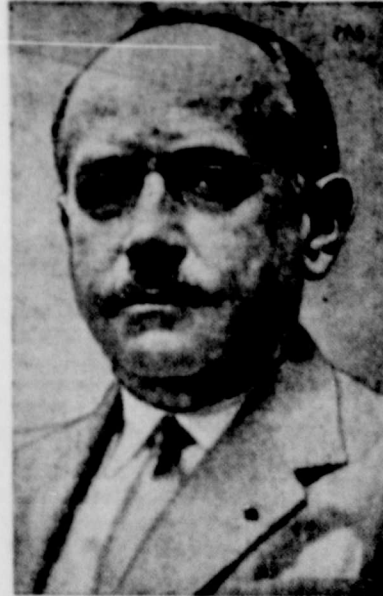
WASHINGTON, D. C. . . A swift and deadly "Mosquito Boat", newest addition to our Navy, churns Potomac River waters into spray as it is put through its paces before high-ranking naval officers and members of Congress. Torpedo boats like these are taking part in the "Battle of Britain."

National Guard Tastes War



OGDENSBURG, N. Y. . . This attack plane surprises a reconnaissance detachment of men, tanks and trucks as it swoops down during recent army maneuvers in northern New York.

French Envoy



PARIS, France . . . Perhaps the most delicate diplomatic job in the heavier, grayer at the temples, but world is that held by Henri Haye, still ready for duty as Air Marshal new French Ambassador to the W. A. Bishop, V.C., as he joins the United States. Conditions have Canadian service in an administrative France in the position of vice capacity, Marshal Bishop, with puppet of Germany in the eyes of 72 German planes to his credit in American citizens. Haye's policy in World War I, was Canada's first with interest.

Another War



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The Great Dictator



HOLLYWOOD, Calif. . . "The Great Dictator", Hollywood style, Harry Nicholls learns that her husband climaxes a rousing speech with a band who died in action, had been left-hand salute, Charlie Chaplin, awarded the first Victoria Cross of famous comedian portrays the title this war. Mrs. Nicholls shows her role in this picture, believed to be baby daughter, Carol, one of her cross seems to be the insignia of for winning the amateur heavy-weight boxing championship in 1935.

Proudest Widow



LONDON, England . . . Mrs. Nicholls, Hollywood style, Harry Nicholls learns that her husband climaxes a rousing speech with a band who died in action, had been left-hand salute, Charlie Chaplin, awarded the first Victoria Cross of famous comedian portrays the title this war. Mrs. Nicholls shows her role in this picture, believed to be baby daughter, Carol, one of her cross seems to be the insignia of for winning the amateur heavy-weight boxing championship in 1935.

Highland Refugee



NEW YORK . . . Yvonne McNish, aged 6, and possessor of an Edinburgh Scotch "Burr", indicates that she is glad to be in the United States. Yvonne was one of the 138 child refugees from Great Britain who arrived on the liner Samaria.

Tobacco Queen



SOUTH BOSTON, Va. . . Miss Martha Scott, who has accepted the invitation of the National Tobacco Festival to serve as queen on September 5 and 6. There will be over 100 pretty girls who will make up the new queen's court.

Where's Pa?



BALTIMORE, Md. . . It looks like pa robin will never get here with that supper. Ma keeps craning her neck as she tries to catch a glimpse of her mate who is out hunting supper for these hungry mouths.

Third Twin Generation



LAKEWOOD, Me. . . Quite a record for twin births is held by the Lander family which boasts three sets of twins in three generations. The above picture was taken as they attended the annual twin party held at Lakewood, Maine.

Rulers of Bahamas



HAMILTON, Bermuda . . . En route to Nassau in the Bahamas where the ex-king will take up his duties as Governor General and Commander-in-chief, the Duke and Duchess of Windsor posed for pictures.

Fashion

For Today

Cooling Off
What a joy it is on a hot and sticky day to have a perfectly simple dress like this, of freshly washed cotton ready to put on. It looks cool, it feels cool, and it will seem fresh at the end of the day, because there's nothing about it to get crushed and mussed.
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Pattern No. 8750 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20; 40 and 42.



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Mrs. E. J. Conner Given Birthday Shower At Stamford

STAMFORD—Friends and relatives of Mrs. E. J. Conner surprised her with a birthday shower on her 53rd birthday, August 27, at the home of her son, A. L. Conner, near Stamford.

Farm Security Administration

The time for the renting of farms is approaching and the same old woeeful cry is in the air. "What are we going to do? We can't find a place for love nor money."

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After the gifts were opened and viewed by all, the guests went into the dining room for refreshments. There, a huge white birthday cake, decorated with 83 candles and six tiny pink candy doves, was holding the place of honor on the dining table.

Miss Mary Gandy Given Shower On Birthday Mrs. W. D. Gage and Mrs. J. W. Graves were joint hostesses Thursday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Gage honoring Miss Mary Gandy on the occasion of her birthday.

So it goes on down the line for year to year, each berating the other for his shortcomings and neither has given the other a fair chance to show what he can or will do under normal conditions.

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MODERN Women

By DR. M. L. MAFFETT President of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc. Lea Halpern, called the Van Gogh among potters, brought over some of her delicate and beautiful pottery pieces to display in Holland House, Rockefeller Center, New York, and the collection will now remain in the United States indefinitely.

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