Those pretty blue flowers which have adorned the front counter of the News Review to start off Reunion Week were sent in by Mrs. W. A. Moss, who said they were bluebells, one of the 5000 varieties of wild flowers.

Now aren't you glad somebody made the arrangements to have

another Reunion? Or are you? From the griping we hear from some of the natives previous to the staging of each year's picnic we are almost made to think that they are in earnest. Then we remember that we personally gripe about lots of things ourselves, and then later find that the comment was uncalled-for, and allow our neighbors the same privilege.

The greatest criticism we've ever heard of the Reunion committee is that they make a finanthe next year and to be used for office he now holds. worthy causes upon which the With favorable weather, a record

the News Review has no apology to make for its publicity efforts. We make a legitimate charge for from their governor.

Agriculture: Date Date July 30 legitimate advertising, and give Late Wednesday indications were If there are those who yield to coming in, and that a large persome soft-soaping talk of an out-centage of the invitations sent out of-town peddler we don't have had been heard from in the afthat way, they perhaps would an-

ask that the citizens keep their for second table" in deference to eyes open and see whether the the many visitors. celebration is justified and how it could be improved. Then before another year rolls around, let's get together with the old Hico spirit Moves to Make Way and unite our efforts for a successful Reunion-or let's just call For Service Station the whole thing off with the excuse that we were wrong once brag to its neighbors.

. . . newpapermen as a whole, we contend. And when they are called upthe extent of their ability. But are only human, and no one could blame them for becoming fed up with giving away their space while the big papers get paid advertising from the same sources.

The Hamilton County News recently editorialized on the unfairness of this situation, followed by "all-out" issue of the Corvell County News in which there was no local news-only government bureau free publicity. Our neighbors ought to be pleased to note that they have at least one defender in Congress, as demonstrated by the following letter:

Mr. Harry L. Stimpson, Secretary of War:

Hon. Frank Knox. Secretary of the Navy; Washington, D. C.

My dear Friends: I am addressing you this joint letter in reference to a matter that has come to my attention and which I believe has been caused By an unintentional mistake on the parts of the War and Navy Departments in advertising their pro-

According to a recent news magazine, the United States Navy, through a New York advertising agency, is spending \$1,500,000 on Navy recruiting campaign and the Army Air Corps is spending something like \$250,000 advertising for flying cadets. The advertising is placed with large daily papers and mat services are sent to the weekly newspapers to be carried in their columns without charge. Be it said for the patriotism and fine cooperation of all of these pers consider it a privilege of this Government advertising, ton. since they not only reach large Failing to get in touch with any that all persons and companies historical data with Mr. and Mrs. advertising is a fine thing and I station they stopped going to Carlam for it 100 per cent, and I be-Here that by calling your attention The pictures, made with a Kodak, to this discrimination against the were not suitable for reproduction, weekly and country papers that but the story they left is interest-

both of you fine gentlemen will ing and worth-while as a historimmediately contact the responsible | ical sidelight. officials in your departments and are given their share in this pro- Miss Eliza Sparks in Mississippi

attention to this matter and with He was a Texas surveyor, fought cordial good wishes, I am

Sincerely your friend NAT PATTON, M. C. 7th District of Texas.

# The Hico News Review

HICO, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, 1941.

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# Reunion Off to Good Start

### Stevenson's Speech Here Will Be First As Texas' Governor

Although Coke Stevenson has been governor since early last cial success of the affair. Never Sunday when W. Lee O'Daniel left has there been any huge profit, the State, his Hico appearance will but every year to our knowledge mark another milestone in his cathe undertaking has paid out with reer since it will be here that he a little left over, which is kept on will make his first public aphand to assure a similar Reunion pearance as a representative of the

fund is called from time to time. breaking crowd is expected to Naturally there is some graft- hear him at City Park Thursday by L. L. Hudson, gives conditions ing engaged in. You can't have Evening at 8 o'clock. And whether locally as reported to the Chronoanything without some outsider it rains or not, it is definitely as- logical Service of the Weather Butrying to gig the merchants. But sured that there will be lots of reau of the U. S. Department of

away about twice as much as we that a record-breaking crowd for Aug. 1 sell. And we've found that think- an affair of its kind locally also Aug. ing merchants and business men would be on hand for the dinner appreciate this fact. They have to be given in Governor Stevenproved it by supporting our prop- son's honor at the Russell Hotel ositions almost one hundred per prior to his speech. J. N. Russell cent each time they are presented. reported that replies were still too much sympathy for them, for firmative. He urged, however, that if they didn't poop off their money all those who had bought tickets come ahead, even though some of the homefolks might have to During this Reunion we again "stand up in the kitchen or wait

## **Church Property**

H. E. McCullough announced each year for fifty-nine years, and Saturday that Barnes & McCul- Senate as its president, and pre-kill one more project that has lough had closed a deal for the viously he had twice been Speaker given Hico something of which to property formerly used as the of the House. Methodist parsonage, and would move the house off to another lot and Representatives to assemble No more patriotic set of Ameri- to make room for a modern new in the big hall of the latter and cans can be found than small-town service station to be built to the troleum Company. The contract order at noon, on for any kind of patriotic or civic service they usually respond to section of Highways 281 and 67, of Seguin, president pro tempore where the new Chalk Mountain Road, No. 220, branches off.

The Methodists have purchased oath of office. from L. W. Roberson the residence known as the Mrs. Ida Porter der of the Supreme Court will house, and the pastor and his administer the oath as Stevenson family will move into their new places his hand on the Bible that home immediately after completion reputedly has served such a purof remodeling and decorating which | pose for all the Governors of Tex

## Has Job In St. Louis

N. D. Crow, writing from St. Louis to give his new address at 1338 Goodfellow Street, says he venson and succeeded him in the Washington, D. C., July 28, 1941. paper and is anxious to get the lieutenant-governorship. change made.

> my many friends around there," quest of Stevenson, who automaton a Government job."

THE WEATHER



The following report, submitted

High Low Prec. Day 100 73 0.00 clear 100 73 0.00 clear July 31 100 72 0.00 clear 100 69 0.00 clear 0.00 clear 99 72 tr. clear Aug. Aug. 5 100 67 0.00 clear Total precipitation so far this year, 30.85 inches.

#### Plans Complete For Stevenson's Inauguration

AUSTIN, Aug. 6 .- Plans for the nauguration and installation of Governor Stevenson Friday were completed Tuesday by a committee of the Legislature and others.

Although the Legislature will not be in session, many members of both Houses will attend the ceremonies. As Lieutenant-Governor. Stevenson for the last two and one-half years presided over the

The program called for Senators for Speaker Homer Leonard of specifications of the Magnolia Pe- McAllen to rap the assembly to

> ad interim of the Senate, who will call for the administration of the

Chief Justice James P. Alexan-

Senator Weinert will next intro duce Representative Gilmer of Rocksprings, who in turn will present Stevenson for an address Gilmer is a close friend of Ste

The ceremonies have been held "I send my regards to Hico and to a very simple plan at the reoath as United States Senator.

## Former Hico Newspaperman DEFENSE QUIZ Finds City Changed; Praises Efforts of Reunion Manager

joy and sadness, of appreciation and pain, of surprise and disappointment, these are my sentiments upon my return to Hico," remarked A. Garland Adair, former manager of the Hico News Review upon ar-rival here Wednesday to present for Reunion visitors The

Cavalcade of Texas. Explaining this statement, he added: "I am glad to see many old friends whom the years have been so kind to; I am sad because of the great numbers no longer here; I am grateful for the fact that some remember the Adair family and pained when I remember that many of those who did much for Hico two decades ago have joined that unnumbered throng across the eternal river: I am surprised at the many improvements here, including a better Hico News Review under the most capable manage-ment and ownership of Reland L. Holford, and am disappointed in that there is no change in the old story that a few splendid patriots yet have to bear the brunt and burden of public service."

While here the former Hico publisher was reminded by several citizens that their scrap books contained accounts that he wrote in the local newspaper of births, weddings and deaths in their families. He stated that he always did his best when he wrote such items as he believed that it was the duty of the editor to rejoice with those who rejoice and to weep with those who

He came here with his young bride just after the World War Number 1. His first-born, a boy weighing 8 pounds, was born in Hico. The son now weighs 208 and is 6 feet four, his doting daddy said, and is

Southwestern conference champion javelin hurler. their removal two daughters have been added to the family circle, Sarah, 18, and Marie,

Coming here at the close of World War I at the invitation of the chamber of commerce, Mr. Adair was elected secretary of that organization, serving two years in that relation. That was his first public service and he devoted so much time to the job that he lost his business. He was chairman of the Hamilton County Democratic Convention in 1920 and a delegate to the national democratic convention the same year. In 1921 he moved to Mexia. In 1932 he moved to Austin. In 1920 when the Mexia post of the American Legion was organized he became a charter member with a number of others who are still there. Since then Adair has been fifth division commander, department historian for five years, editor of the Texas Legion News, assistant state adjutant of the American Legion Texas Centennial Committee, sponsors of the million dollar Texas Memorial Museum at Austin where he is now serving as Curator of History. He originated the Texas Centennial silver 50-cent piece which netted \$81,000 for the museum and refused appointment as state department adjutant of the American Legion to put the museum project over. At present he is also serving as general commissioner for the Texas Centennial of Statehood in 1945-

"Hico should greatly appreciate Mr. S. J. Cheek said while here. "The Hico Reunion is now a distinct contribution to the state and his work in that connection is most remarkable.

## Stores Cooperate

mount stamps of 25c up.

for \$18.75, \$37.50, \$75, \$375, or \$750. Hico Reunion. The prices of Series F Bonds range from \$74 to \$7,400; Series G Bonds in the decorations and stagings, from \$100 to \$10,000.

and Stamps, go to the nearest post per the line weaved its way from office, bank, or savings and loan City Hall through the business association; or write to the Treas- streets and to City Park, where urer of the United States, Wash- visitors were officially greeted by ington, D. C., for a mail-order Mayor Lawrence Lane. The mayor

#### Football Coaches Attending School At **Houston This Week**

H. T. Pinson, head football coach at Hico High School, and Fred G. Schwarz, line coach, left Sunday Cheek, for Houston, where they will be in attendance at daily sessions of a football coaches' training school throughout this week.

Fall.

dates on the five home games with Stephenville, Gustine, Walnut Springs Comanche, and Gorman, and for out-of-town games with Dublin, Hamilton. Weatherford. and De Leop. The Nov. 11 date is still open.

The calendar calls for dedication of the new stadium at the opening game with Stephenville Sept. 1: although progress of improvements and completion of the stadium will project. Later definite announce ments will be made in this con-

## Methodist Church

The regular schedule of services will be resumed at the Methodist to the fact that we have the great-Responding to a petition circu- worship services both morning and beneficent government on the face lated earlier in the week by J. N. evening. Church school will begin of the earth." Frequent applause Russell, most Hico stores closed promptly at 10 a. m. At 11 a. m. from his listeners interspersed the the pastor will preach a brief ser- speaker's remarks. holy sacrament to the congrega- locally of the Movietone film, This was the only day store tion. All members of the church Tuesday and deposited it with owners were asked to close, al- are urged to be present. At 8:15 similar collections from other though similar action on the part p. m. "Your Faith and Your Life" he wrote. "St. Louis is one swell ically became Governor Monday city and we like it fine. I am here when W. Lee O'Daniel took the contained 460 pounds of the covthe young people will be at 7:30.

### Patriotic Theme Predominates In **Most Parade Floats**

There have been longer parades Q. In what denominations are staged on the streets of Hico and Defense Savings Stamps available? there may have been floats in A. Ten cents, 25 cents, 50 cents, years gone by that were larger \$1, and \$5. An album is given free and carried more people, but never with first stamp purchase to was there a parade with more timely entries, or floats that bet-Q. In what denominations are ter portrayed the spirit of the Defense Savings Bonds available? times than did that one Wednes-A. You can buy a Series E Bond day which opened the 59th Annual

A patriotic theme predominated and in a profusion of flags and NOTE: -To buy Defense Bonds bunting and tri-colored crepe paafter a few remarks on past and present times, presented J. N. Russell, president of the Hico Chamber of Commerce, who in turn introduced the guest speaker of the afternoon, State Senator John Lee Smith of Throckmorton, on hand for the occasion upon invitation from and through arrangements by Reunion Manager S. J.

#### Senator Smith Speaks

In a talk that reached its zenith of interest when patriotic refer-Shortly after their return to ences to the privileges of living in Hico they plan to start practice America were made, Senator Smith for football, with intensive train- reminded his audience that there ing and workouts expected from has never been a government that the material at hand which will was as generous with its people, include a number of new men this and plead with them to remember that it has a right to expect some-The schedule for the coming thing of us. "The time has come," season, recently released, gives he said, "for us to arouse ourselves

#### PARADE PRIZE WINNERS Most attractive float: Barnes

& McCullough, 1st, \$7.50; Palace Theatre, 2nd, \$5.00. Best patrictic entry: Cham-

ber of Commerce, 1st, \$7.50; Barrow Furniture Co., 2nd,

Most comical entry: Travis Holley, \$3.00.

Best pioneer Kenneth Wolfe, Bobby Bates, Thomas Ray Coston, Eugene Ramey, \$5,00.

Best horse entry: Mrs. Pauline Hubbard, 1st, \$3.00; Perry Clepper, 2nd, \$2,00,

church on Sunday. There will be est, the most generous, the most

Wednesday night the crowds "Cavalcade of Texas," being presented free through the courtesy of Karl Hoblitzelle, Dal-

## Clouds Threaten Briefly

Low-hanging clouds that for a ime threatened to break up the parade just before the appointed hour of 2 o'clock arrived, relented as to loosing their precipitation very profusely. Undaunted by the angry elements the participants started the parade and all went well until near the end of trek through the streets, when sharp, sudden gusts of wind wreaked havoc with the more delicate of the presentations.

Worst sufferer, perhaps, was the float of E. H. Henry, Palace Theatre manager, whose cheese cloth-covered frame blew off his Packard just as he turned onto the highway on the last lap of the journey. "Hurricane Henry" took it in his stride, though, and dismounted from his car to start picking up the wreckage from the street. "I didn't intend to use it tomorrow anyhow." he philosophically answered his sympathetic

Doubtless the miniature storm detracted from the enjoyment the parade, since things had to be rushed up somewhat. And certainly the ensuing light shower lessened the numbers who otherwise would have gone on to the park to hear

## Iredell Sends Band Float

Through an unfortunate misunderstanding, the lovely float prepared by the band mothers of neighboring city of Iredell failed to make the entire parade line of march. But the decorated truck, resembling a ship and exhibiting the fruits of long hours of toil in its preparation, carried 22 members of the Iredell Band to City Park and served its anticipated purpose of arousing admiration from all who happened to gaze upon it.

Representation of business firms

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## Monument Erected At Grave of Pioneer, Samuel E. Rogers, Killed By Indians In 1863

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Rogers, this daughter (the visiting Rogers' who live at 3815 Case Street, Hous- mother) dragged her father-in-law ton, were in Hico last July 4 on dians. A negro boy wrapped the their way to the grave of his body in a blanket and helped bring and magazines, while "free" copy grandfather near Carlton, to erect him to the cabin. They dragged a monument to the memory of that him to the house on a door from hero of early-day life in Texas. when Indian fights were frequent.

fine little country papers that ev- pictures in their possession, ineny article given them has been cluding besides a picture of the run if it were possible. These pa- monument, a view of the cabin to home of his mother and father, anhave these articles, but certainly other cabin that figures later in it appears to me that these weekly this story, and a tree on the Old papers are entitled to and should Bowie Ranch, Miss Willie Johnreceive their proportionate share son's place, one mile west of Carl-

numbers of people, but because it members of the News Review force family during his absence. Rogers is the democratic way we have on the holiday, they left the picere in the United States to see tures and some very interesting are treated equally, I think this Willard Leach, at whose service ton and again on their way home.

Samuel E. Rogers Sr. was born see that these weekly newspapers in Tennessee in 1809. He married and came to Texas in 1833, settling to the house had it not been for Thanking you for your prompt with a colony near Nacogdoches. in the Texas Revolution, and was captured and killed by Indians on May 3, 1863. The small cabin mentioned was a smoke house where

the smoke house, which had rawhide hinges.

An account of the killing of following excerpt from the book,

Frontier' On the 3rd of May 1863, Mr. Rogers was at the house of Mr. Secrest. Secrest had to leave home to be gone all night, and, fearing Congressman Russell was called free from obstruction to view. This overlooking the valley. While there the presence of Indians in the neighborhood. Secrest requested order of business had progressed Howards lived half a mile east of horseback rapidly approaching and Rogers to stay all night with his into the afternoon. readily consented.

owned by Captain Bowie, situated the road in the early part of the of Indians, who at once gave chase. Rogers was mounted on a small pony, but made all the speed he could toward his son's house, and probably would have made it law-making body. some Indians who were near the trying to steal some ranch. horses. The Indians falled in their raid, as the horses were so situ-

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### 460 Pounds of **Aluminum Collected**

In This Precinct R. W. Hancock, commissioner of from 2 to 5 Wednesday afternoon, mon on the significance of the has missed three issues of the House when Stevenson ran for the Hamilton County Precinct 3, took during and immediately after the Lord's Supper and administer this were witnessing the first showing the aluminum collection to Waco parade.

eted metal, which was placed in to their individual discretion. bins at Hico and Carlton, 350 pounds here and 110 at he latter Hancock said that the total col-

lected from the three other precincts of the county amounted to only 640 pounds, which makes the local showing flattering.

The organizations sponsoring the patriotic movement report that success of the campaign throughout the country has exceeded expectations, and the officers and sponsors wish to thank the citizens for their cooperation.

#### Congressman Sam Russell Designated Temporary Speaker

Washington, July 7 .- Congress-Mr. and Mrs. Rogers had several Samuel Rogers is contained in the man Sam Russell of the Seven-dent," written by A. J. Sowell. teenth District of Texas was the "Indian Fights On the Texas designated Speaker of the House of Representatives in this after- ton county a small log house. A On the day and about the hour noon's session. The elected Speaker beautiful valley three quarters of mentioned, a daughter of Alexanmay delegate this authority to an- a mile wide and one and one-half der Powers was at the door, which other Member of the House and miles long spread out in front was on the south side of the house to act as Speaker shortly after the was called "Worlene Valley." The she discovered a party of men on

> Although Congressman Russell is serving his first term in Con- Powers lived one and a half miles standing at the door and looking the visiting speaker Rogers started the next morn- gress, he is recognized as one of South, but behind a high hill. The ing to his son Jim's house, which the ablest Members of the Texas Massengills, Ganns, Strangeline, was known as Rocky Ranch, now | delegation. From his record he has Cole Kuykendall and James Kuy- looking at some persons in the valdemonstrated his ability in the kendall lived up the river within about one mile East of Carlton, procedure of the House and has, two miles. J. B. Hendrix and sons, Texas, Hamilton County. While on on several occasions, appeared on Crockett and Abe, lived two miles, the floor as a speaker in matters Judge D. C. Snow and Uel Livingmorning he was attacked by a band of important legislation. Ordinarily ston lived three and four miles, and a Congressman must serve his the Pierson Ranch was six miles to be so foolish as to talk about first term, which is referred to as below. The town of Hamilton was Indians, as the men were cowhunthis "Freshman Term", before he six miles southwest of the school ers. is able to gain recognition in this house

man Russell as a presiding Judge in Texas District Courts viewed with interest the ease and efficient manner in which he presided over the actions of Congress while acting as Speaker of the House.

## Story Recalls Tragic Death of Hamilton County Teacher At Hands of Comanche Indians

bank of the Leon river in Hamil- while out hunting stock.

the school house.

At the time the incident took them. Those familiar with Congress- place of which we write, Miss Ann n. m., July 11, 1867," (See Wiltarger's Indian Depredations.) The took her little brother by the hand loss of the schoolhouse were unhown and the spaces between were

The following interesting story left open so that it was an easy handed the Comanche Chief by matter to see inside the building Mrs. Teck Whitney, was run in a they wished to. There was a small recent issue of that paper. The window cut in the north side and story was originally published in without a shutter. Olivia Barbee, the Hamilton Rustler, August 12, about 12 years old, daughter of 1902, and was taken from the John Barbee, who lived northeast Houston Post, appearing under the ten or twelve miles, was boarding heading. "A Texas Frontier Inci- in the neighborhood. Her father was a stockman and was expected In 1867 there stood on the south to come by and see her that week,

was almost certain they were In-Ezekiel Manning and Alexander dians. Miss Whitney, seeing her so steadily, asked her what she saw. The reply was that she was ley who were coming towards the school house, and she thought they were Indians.

The school mistress told her to come away and be seated and not Miss Barbee and the others did not look to see anything about The Powers girl, however. was still uneasy, and soon went to hitney was teaching this border the door again and took another "The time was Thursday. look, crying as she did so, "They are Indians," and running back

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[The following letter from a former Hico boy in the service of his country is published in the belief that it will be interesting to our readers. Others having similar letters are invited to submit them for publication.-ED.]

Julius M. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jones of Hico, volunteered in the Air Corps from Waco early last October. He was sent to Brooks Field, San Antonio, and later transferred to Ellington Field Houston, About a month ago he was selected as one of the five men out of a class of 200 to go to Boston for special instruction.

Last week Julius, better known to his many friends in and around Hico as "Peck" wrote to his parents as follows:

Boston, Mass. July 28, 1941.

Dear Mother, Dad and All: I hope all of you are getting along just fine. I am doing just fine. I passed the first month and have a pretty good average on the new course. We take our final exam on it tomorrow. That will leave promised to let him ride on the in the seat of his pants. All of us nine more subjects or 18 weeks until I come home.

The school up here sure is inevery day. It rained nearly all We have had some inspecting offi- the front seat. cers at the school all day. I think they will be here tomorrow too.

ternoon. We had a pretty nice time. We rode most of the time, but we saw some very pretty scenery, form of it, Ivan had another form pleased to. Everything up here sure is old- of it, while Maria Ann had still After this John got back in looking. Practically all of the another form of it. Even poor corner where Fritz couldn't get to fences are rock and the ones that are not rock are made of poles. We stopped at one place and gathered a bunch of blueberries. I vaccinated or something, they Also he and Sam told Jap where guess ft was the first ones I had ever eaten. I don't remember ever eating them before.

Univresity and the Bunker Hill until it was too late to doctor her. Lexington Cemetery, where all the ease affects peoples' minds. The soldiers of the 1776 war are buried. different forms of it affect their I have also seen Paul Revere's minds differently. home. Longfellow's home, the Old North Church, the Old State House short time, but pretty soon all Museum has some of the prettiest didn't pay much attention for a pictures I have ever seen. They long time. The kids in the back have some tapestries hanging on seat quarreled among themselves the walls that were woven in 1500, and stole each others' play purties They sure are beautiful and would and then told on each other. John cost about \$500,000.00 if you tried and Sam would speak to them to buy them. They are not for sale. about it and then forget. Before a same medicine. And so it stands. Nothing in the museum can be great while each one was grabbing bought. Some of the pictures and statues couldn't be bought for didn't make much difference who any price. It is one of the most

living up here.

this time. Write when you have him where to head in, so Jap could time and let me know how all of you are getting along.

Love always,



going badly for more than one the little kids and taking every hundred and fifty years. England thing they had, John and Maris (John Bull) has been at the wheel Ann both got mad and undertoo steering it most of the time. The to put Fritz back in his seat. Bu

back seats and fighting among

themselves almost all the time. Uncle Sam and Martha Ann (France) have ridden on the front seat with John some of late. Sam has driven some lately, but Maria Ann merely looked on while some of the big boys in the back seat tried at every fork of the road to get John or Sam (whichever was driving) to take tthe opposite road from what he did. Finally they (the big boys in the back seats) decided that they needed a new bus and a different driver alto-

About 1914 Fritz (Germany) raised a "ruckus" and tried to take charge of the bus and run it himself. John, Maria Ann, Dago (Italy) and Ivan (Russia-one of the big boys in the back seat) with a little encouragement from Jap (Japan-another big boy in a back seat) undertook to put Fritz back in his seat so they drive on. Fritz knocked Ivan "as cold as a wedge" and was kicking John, Maria Ann, and Dago around to beat sixty when Uncle Sam stepped in and kicked Fritz's britches; after which they all put poor Fritz back in a back seat and told him to attend to his own knittin' from then on.

All went well (with John, Sam and Maria Ann) for a while. Then John, Sam and Maria Ann all rode in the front seat. John and Sam took it turn about doing the driving. Maria Ann was only an pants, and kicked the little kids honored spectator while Dago had o ride on a back seat with the knocked Maria Ann unconscious other boys. He said that John had Also he gave John another kick front seat if he would help put Fritz back in his seat where he gave John some of his old britches belonged. Nobody paid much at- to pad the seat of his pants with. teresting. I am enjoying it more tention to what he said. He was as This made Fritz mad at Sam. He mad as a wet hen about it. Also (Fritz) told Sam to mind his own night last night and all day today. Jap thought he ought to be on knittin or he (Sam) might get his

all these kids had a disease called it. Also that was the slant that Sam Three other boys and I went to socialism which gradually got took of it. Sam sassed him back, York Beach, Maine, yesterday afseemed not to be all affected with he (Sam) would give his old the same form of it. Fritz had one britches to whomever he durned Chink (China) seemed to have it. him to kick him any more. John John and Sam both pretended that caught Dago off by himself and they didn't have it. They had been spanked him good and proper. claimed; but they too had a form to head in. All this made Fritz so of H. Maria Ann had an awful mad that he decided to help poor form of it, but John and Sam Dago a little, which he did. I have been over to Harvard thought she didn't have it at all kicked John some more and then Monument. We went out to the As you know, perhaps, this dis-

As I said, all went well for a ad the Museum of Fine Arts. The weren't so well. But John and Sam it belonged to, just so he thought he could whip him. They even This is a very interesting and formed games to whip and steal He and Ivan both want a socialistic historic country up here, but I from others that were too weak bus. Their ideas of the new bus

I guess I had better close for ganged up against Ivan and told Chink without interference from Ivan. They also ganged up against John and Sam and Maria Ann, but didn't come out and tel them so in plain language as they did Ivan. However when two little Spanish boys got to fighting the not to fight each other. Fritz im The bus of World State has been mediately went to cuffing aroun other kids have been riding on the Fritz kicked both of them in their



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## On Turkey's Line of Defense



Troubled Turkey, caught between the Nazi-Russian rossfire, has at least some fully equipped tank units such as these to help maintain the "neutral" status of her territory. Russia informed Turkish officials that a Nazi attack on the strategic Dardanelles was sure to come so that Germans could gain control of the Black sea.

some more, then turned and this made Sam so mad that he own pants kicked. We think Dago If you will remember, almost and Jap premised to help him do

spanked some of the little kids that had been fighting Dago.

All of a sudden Fritz forgot that he and Ivan had agreed not to fight each other. So he swatted poor Ivan one. It seems that his mind is not just exactly normal, poor fellow! Ivan is affected by the same disease (so they say) but it is in a slightly different form. Do you remember how Ivan treated Napoleon once? He might decide to give Fritz some of the Fritz is awfully jealous of Ivan.

He (Fritz) thinks that bus service will start soon and he is afraid that Ivan intends to put on brand new one and drive it himse widely differ, but their main dif-Eventually Fritz, Dago and Jap ference is, "Who'll do the driving?

COMING EVENTS

August 11-Large scale U. S. army maneuvers get under

August 11-Western Hemisphere Encampment of Girl Scouts and Guides. August 15-National Semi-Pro base-

Wichita, Kans.

ball tournament at

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It is not believed probable that oil will continue to replace the use of coal during the next 10 years at the rate it has done it in the past 10 years. The development of the use of either will be determined by ease of transportation, price and taxes, but in general the use of oil will probably be more or less limited to transportation whereas coal will continue to be the most popular fuel in industry.

In home heating the present prob-

lem of transporting oil to the East, due to those 50 tankers which we a gave to England, is expected to turn the trend back to coal, at least temporarily.

If we look far into the future, the

use of various fuels is quite unpredictable. It may even not be too far off when we will have learned to get most of our needed energy

RESOURCES . . . unlimited

When we hear about the millions of barrels of oil and billions of tons of coal which this nation consumes each year, most of us wonder when the oil wells will be pumped dry and when the last of our mountain of coal will finally be shoveled into the nation's coal bins.

But actually, there isn't much to worry about for a long time to come, if ever According to the national re-

sources committee, our present re-serves of these fuels amount to about 3,000,000,000,000 tons of coal and over 15,000,000,000 barrels of necessary, would undoubtedly pro-duce additional fuel to fill all of our needs for many years.

It is estimated that the average demands for power in America, when all demands for industry, home heating, transportation and other uses are all grouped together. amount to 40 horse power per hour for every hour of the year.

Natural gas looks like one of the

hest bets for the fuel of the future. In the last few years it has be-come a major source of fuel in certain sections. Because of a plentiful supply and ease of use it is expected to be given more and more preference.

Natural gas is generally found in the same sections as petroleum. Within range of the gas fields it has been found an economical as well as the most simple fuel to use for heating purposes. It seems probable that pipe lines will eventually be built so that natural gas can be sent distances without great expense and then natural gas will used in countless industries and homes.

But no matter what fuels become most popular, there are no dangers of fuel shortage in this country. Referring to the energy resources of this country, H. C. Dickinson of

the bureau of standards said: "Solid, liquid and gaseous fuels will almost certainly be available from stored-up supplies for several thousands of years at the present rate of consumption.

OIL . . . Russia

One of the chief reasons the Germans went into Russia was to get oil. Russia is one of the leading producers of oil and has vast fields of it which have not been tapped. But so far as production of oil is concerned, the United States has a big lead over every country in the

In 1939, figures of the United States bureau of mines show that the United States produced 61 per cent of total world production of o Russia was second, but produced only 10.3 per cent of the total and Rumania, which is world-famous for its rich oil fields, produced only 1.7 per cent. Venezuela wa's third. producing 10 per cent of the total.

These are production figures and to not give a clear picture of the apacity of the world's oil fields. But they do indicate the comparaoil. In addition, there are plenty tive output possible with the equip-of unexplored reserves which, if ment which each country used before the war broke out and show that by any measure the United States has a big lead over all.

Although there are 13 states in the United States which produce considerable oil, by far the greatest production is in Texas which. in 1939, produced 38 per cent of our annual supply. Other states which are known for their oil producing capacity are California, which proced 18 per cent of the supply. Oklahoma, 13 per cent, Illinois, per cent and Louisiana, 8 per cent. The other states which produced the remaining 15 per cent of our oil supply are: New York, Penn-sylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Kansas, Wyoming and Ar-

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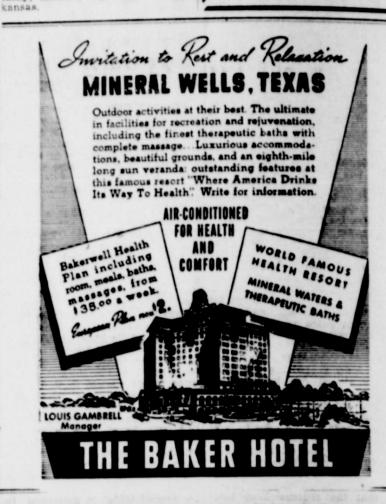
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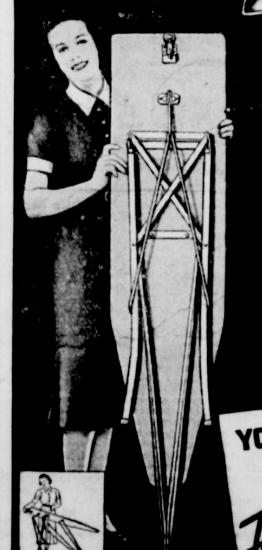
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## The RUAD to BAGDAD by GEORGE BIBBS

CHAPTER XI

Beautifu' Camilla Dean is touring Egypt and Palestine with a party of Americans, including Slim McManus, in love with Camilla, and Michael Gay, an engineer who hopes to establish a bus line to Bagdad. Among her other admirers are a wealthy Syrian, Hassan isar—alias Joseph Asad—leader of fanatical Arabs in Palestine, and Ronald Barker—El Kerak—leader of tribes opposed to Hassan. Camilla encourages Hassan's attentions to gain information heipful to Barker, but refuses to marry him. Barker warns her of danger, but she crosses the Syrian desert with Michael Gay—accompanied by a group from the boat, and Zaagi, Syrian guide. Zaagi drove the car off the road into nearby hills. SYNOPSIS

"Get back to the road," Michael commanded, with a sudden realiza-tion that the bus had somehow got into a difficult position. "I'm not going to smash this bus on her trial

Zaagi moved one shoulder slightly and, putting on power, seemed to be finding a way between the jutting stones that would bring them back to safety, when miraculously there appeared out of nowhere among the rocks in front, beside and behind them, groups of mounted Bedouins galloping to the car, gesticulating with their rifles and shouting incomprehensively.

"What does all this mean, Zaagi?" Michael demanded.

"I don't know, monsieur. It is a branch of the Anazeh and they come branch of the Anazeh and they come to welcome us to their country."

Zaagi opened the door and there was a short colloquy. When the conversation was ended Zaagi turned with simulated despair. "They ask tribute for passing through their lands," he said. "It is the custom of the country, they say."

A man in a red pelisse who seemed to be the leader of the group now raised a hand command-

group now raised a hand command-ing attention. He was taller than the others, wore a small brown beard and, judged by the standards of his people, was handsome of face and well formed in figure.

"He says," Zaagi translated. that he wishes to examine your luggage and requests that you all step down while he does so."

"I'm darned if we do," Michael

There was a moment of silence while the sheik sat gravely with an air of great dignity and patience, smiling at last as if in commisera-tion of their unreasonable attitude. When he spoke it was with a stern-er expression. "He says," Zaagi interpreted, "that it will be much better if you do what he asks. He will perhaps detain you a very few

The situation crystallized almost immediately as Michael took Zaagi by the collar of his tunic and threw him from behind the wheel, falling into his seat and turning on the power. Zaagi put a hand into his shirt and drew out a knife which he swung with a dangerous motion to-word Michael. But Slim fired quickthe feet of an Arab who had come up the steps. That was the begin-ning of the trouble. Michael was trying to get the car in gear when somebody shot at him. Slim's automatic came into line again and fired several times. The sounds of firing now came from all directions, Michael had been hit in the shoulder and crumpled over the wheel, but he fired a final shot at a man clambering up the steps toward him while glass clattered and Janet Priestly's tiny revolver sounded like the yapping of a fox terrier above the roar of the heavy rifles. Camilla, still bewildered by the sudden conflict, rushed forward to pick up Slim's gun from the floor of the bus, when she was seized violently and carried bodily

It was lively while it lasted, and fatal at least to poor Slim who had fallen prone, bleeding badly from a wound in his chest. Michael Gay still sagged over the wheel, a bullet in his shoulder, and Janet looked disgustedly at her little empty pistol and let them hustle her out to the ground. Doc Williamson, who was unarmed, obediently followed the directions of the bandits. To-relli was giving aromatic spirits of ammonia to Kitty Trimble, who had

Camilla was aware of the man in the red pelisse urging her again toward the horse, and as she did not try to help him two men lifted her bodily and put her in the saddle. She was sure that it was useless for her to struggle, so she submitted, permitting them to lead the horse away from the group and over the hill to a flat plain which seemed limitless in every direction, except toward the mountains which

they were leaving behind them. There was no chance of escape. Two men rode with her, one on each side. She spoke to one of them in English, then in French, asking when they were going but she got no reply—unless his for-bidding silence could be considered one. She tried the man on the other side with the same result.



ermitting them to lead the horse away

It was then that the sheik in the scarlet pelisse, who had been rid-ing behind her, rode up and took the bridle of her horse from the man on her right who drew rein and took up the rear. "I regret, madem-oiselle," he said at last, in execrable French, "that I was obliged to make you come with me against your will. But you will not be hurt or treated badly if you do as I command.

"But what of my friends who are still alive! What of the bus with no one to drive it?" He made a deprecatory gesture.

"It was bad that the big man should kill my companions. If he had not shot them no harm would have come. Helas! He will shoot no

"You haven't heard the end of this," she said angrily as her courage returned. "There must be some law, even in this God-forsaken country..."

"Pardon, mademoiselle," he said, with polite incomprehension.

"Where are you taking me?" she asked. "Who is the man who planned this crime? And why do you take me instead of the others?" The sheik moved one shoulder and a hand as a gesture of incom-prehension. There seemed no hope for her, less hope even than for the other survivors of the disaster. It was toward the middle of the afternoon that Camilla's captor rose

in his stirrups and pointed to a hill that rose above the surrounding plain. As they drew near she saw at its base the black goatskin tents of a Bedouin encampment. Horses, camels and dromedaries were tethered to ropes pegged along the ground. "We shall rest there," the sheik said politely.

She made no comment and rode forward, trying to find new courage for the new adventure, whatever it Palm trees grew near the hill and extended out into the desert beyond. At the flap of the largest tent she was invited to dismount, to her chagrin she had to be lifted to the ground.

Then with the assistance of a girl who had now appeared she sank upon a divan in the tent and, with difficulty, relaxed her aching limbs. The girl brought water to drink and a bowl to bathe the dust from her face, then stood by as impassive as the riders who had brought her

Apparently Camilla was to be treated with politeness, for after a while the Bedouin girl brought a dish of lentil soup, a red pottage of the same recipe, probably, for which Esau sold his birthright. This did much to restore her mind and body. As she sipped the soup she asked questions, but the girl gave signs of incomprehension, her slow bovine gaze completing the conviction of ignorance and stupidity Then, as if to atone for her mental deficiencies, she carefully arranged the pillows on the divan and by childish pantomime suggested that Camilla should go to sleep.

And now while she tried to think of poor Josie, Janet and Mrs. Williamson, and to wonder what might be done to help them, she sank back in utter exhaustion. Poor Slim! He was in her last waking thought. Slim had been the cause of the bloodshed and had paid heav-

ily for his impulse. It was quite dark when she awoke, dark and cool. She pulled the silken robe over her and wondered how long she had been asleep; then remembered that it didn't really matter what time it was. Of course escape was impos-sible and even if she had ever considered it, the distant sounds that now came to her—the sharp yelps from a pack of jackals fighting over a dead animal somewhere, the howl of a wolf or the distant wailing laugh of hyenas—would soon have driven the thought of escape from her head . . . But after a while these sounds diminished, became a part of the night itself, and with the moaning of the wind, the quivering of the tent flaps made a desert symphony that soothed her to sleep again. a dead animal somewhere, the howl

In the morning the Bedouin girl, whose name Camilla never learned, came into the tent with Camilla's dressing case, a larger basin of water, towels and soap, and placed them on a table. And when she had bathed and taken coffee, Camilla found a cigarette and smoked. As she did so, her mind clearing rapidly, the thought of Hassan came to her again. Hassan and not Ronnie. Hassan more ominous than ever after what had happened. Who else but Hassan would have selected her from among her com-panions and brought her here into this far-off place? She remembered with clearer comprehension the slow smile of her captor when the name of Hassan Isar had been mentioned. Hassan had planned this abduction just as he had planned the conspiracy against Ronnie. She was sure of it now and she was frightened. Her insincerity and disloyalty to Hassan now came to

Whatever Hassan's sins against Ronnie, he had committed none against Camilla. From the beginning he would have done anything she asked. She had betrayed him again and again, and now her transgressions were finding her out. If Hassan had made her a prisoner she had little to hope for, and she was willing to admit that whatever nappened to her would be nothing less than she deserved Ronnie had said that Hassan was politically powerful in this country otherwise, she now realized, his men would not have dared to hold

up Michael's bus and kill Slim. Just after sunset there was a sound of a rifle shot in the distance. an answering shot near-by, and an immediate commotion outside. The Bedouin girl rushed from the kitchen and the brigand who had captured Camilla yesterday passed be fore the flap of the tent in the sunlight and leaped on his horse. She wanted to run outside, but the Bedouin girl interposed, pointing to a camp chair that she had brought series of grunts which Camilla in-terpreted to mean that she was not permitted to leave the tent.

And yet in spite of her knowledge that she had brought all this upon herself she could not feel that Hassan would dare molest her on his own terms. Wasn't the reason why he preferred her because she could deceive him as she had always done? Wasn't this abduction merely his own way of making their cara-van into the desert an accomplished

fact in spite of her opposition? His entrance at the flap of the tent was not in the least alarming. "Of course you know that if it hadn't been for your friend Slim, nothing would have happened yes-

His voice was deep but mild and he gained courage. "Nothing, of she gained courage. "Nothing, of course," she said, "but the holdup of an American bus and the abduction of an American girl travel-

ing in it."
"Granted. I intended to bring you here no matter what happened." "And how are you going to an swer for it?"

"I don't intend to answer at all. I'm not supposed to know anything about the holdup or about you." 'My government will have a word to say when it knows the truth."

"Who will tell?" "Dr. Williamson, Torelli, Janet, "And how will they learn that had anything to do with it?'

"I will tell them after you let me go."
He laughed jovially. Apparently he had determined to get as much pleasure out of the situation as pos-sible. "Come, Camilla," he said.

"Let's wait and quarrel after din ner. I hope the meal will be a good one." He clapped his hands three times and a tall Nubian ap-peared wearing the linen cap of a chef. He bowed as Hassan spoke and then the Bedouin girl returned, setting the table with a fine lines cloth and proper silver and porcelain furnishings.

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### MONUMENT-

(Continued from Page 1) ated that it was impossible for

them to get at them. Just as these Indians started to leave the ranch they met Rogers Adams, celebrated their birthday making for the house with the other Indians in hot pursuit. The old man, seeing he was between Sue was 3. At noon there was two fires, turned his course. He delicious dinner served to all made his way to a small bunch of present, which had been prepared live oaks at which place the In- to get the names of all who atdians closed in upon him, killing tended, but they reported a wonhim and scalping him.

The clump of live oaks which mark the spot where the old man met his fate at the hands of the savages is located about 400 yards South of where the Rev. Shelby King's dwelling now stands. Anyone now traveling along the road can see the live oaks plainly.

After the killing the Indians struck out across Resley's Creek and were discovered by someone who immediately spread the news. and in a short while a small scout party was organized and took the trail, the Rev. Sam Powers being in command. The Indians crossed the Leon River and went up the North side of Rush and Copperas Creeks, making good time, but the boys were equal to the emergency. They overtook the Indians late in the evening, and a running fight ensued for several miles, but the Indians managed to get away.

The boys wounded several them and captured all the horses except those the Indians were ridng. They also captured several blankets and other luggage that the Indians dropped during the

## Millerville

— By — Chas. W. Giesecke

There was a petition circulated n this vicinity last week praying that the school district be consolidated with the Hico Independent School District. An election has been set for August 21.

meeting at Duffau last Sunday. Chas. L. Conner and wife of Pineland are spending a few days with his parents, C. L. Conner Sr. and wife. He has a job at Beaumont, and leaves this week for that place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shaffer and daughter, Miss Leola, visited their son-in-law and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Marta Hipp at Unity Sunday. Mrs. Hipp had invited her brother Earl Shaffer, and family of Old Hico and some other friends. Mr Shaffer was sixty-one years old and his daughter also has the same birthday. A pleasant day was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Nix of Purves were down Sunday to get their daughter, Naonise, who had spent the week with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix.

Lawrence Thornton left this week for West Texas. Some fellow wanted him to do some tractor

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Columbus and daughter of Greyville were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hooks, daugh-

ter and son, of Mineola visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Bramblett, Saturday and Sunday. They also visited her brother and family. Chris Nachtigall. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Howerton had several of their relatives Saturday and Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Press Ludwig of Marshall, her brother; another brother, John (Hun) of

Borger: Mr. and Mrs. Cardin of

Missouri, her sister. All returned

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Mr. Sid Fines is sick at this writing. We are hoping he will

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Clark, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Burden and children are visiting in the West Texas and

Plains country. Miss Ida Fines, who has been visiting relatives in West Texas, returned to her home Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowe and daughter, Miss Mary Lee Lowe. spent Sunday in Fort Worth. and Mrs. John Cox of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cox, and family.

Mrs. D. A. Graves and son and Mrs. Clayton Lefevre and daughter. Clayta Sue, spent Tuesday in Carlton, Mrs. Ellen Graves spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lefevre.

Rev. S. W. Miller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dove and son are on vacations in Col-

J. E. Mitchell of Fort Worth is visiting E. A. Lefevre. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leech and family of Hermleigh are visiting

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyer. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Steele and daughters of Wilson, Okla., spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe King. Mr. Steele is a nephew o Mr. King's

Miss Katherine Morton of Graham was in Carlton Tuesday and was elected by the school board as Several attended the protracted a teacher for the coming year. The Methodist meeting began Sunday. Everybody is invited to



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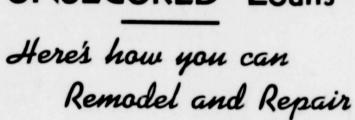
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#### Hico, Texas, Friday, Aug. 8, 1941. NEW SAFETY DEVICE

Newspapermen in Minnesota recently previewed what could develop into a major change in highway safety supervision - a signboard which automatically tells the automobile drivers when they are going at a dangerous

The sign, which was prominently placed before a highway junction. read: "Junction ahead! Your speed over . . . " and as each car approached the sign the speed at which the car was traveling was recorded

There is no magic about the way the sign works even though the psychological effect upon the motorist is most startling. Two photo-electric cells are placed along the right of way approximately 750 feet ahead of the sign and 36 feet apart. As a car passes the first detector the sign lights your neck, face and arms with cool up and as it passes the second water. detector the speed is instantly recorded on the board.

inventors, L. T. Mark of St. Paul combed your hair, stretch every muscle in your body. Lift the arms apolis, say that it is adaptable to high over the head and s-t-re-t-c-h apolis, say that it is adaptable to dangerous curves, approaches to cities or towns and can even be used in unison with a second sign approaching from the other side your arms or legs. I think you

tribution to the safety of the mo- warmest afternoon. torist of the future, except for one used in the first demo under the line about the speed were big lighted letters reading. "Home Brand Coffee."

If this safety device is going to be used for highway advertising. thus placing advertising at the most dangerous point on highways. it would seem that the danger feature of such signs would more than offset its safety possibilities But advertising evidently is the plan, for the manufacturers have stated that the signs will be leased for advertising purposes only and not for speed trap use.

We hope the manufacturers will have a change of heart, however. We can imagine every local police department recommending such signs, but if they are just to be an advertising novelty then it wou be better to forget them and wait for other safety inventions spon sored by firms with more humanitarian interests.

#### ENGLAND'S GASOLINE RATIONS

Although in many sections o this country we are being asked to cut down on our consumption gasoline and oil, our possible sac rifice on that score amounts to little compared with that of the people of Great Britain.

When the British faced a short age the petroleum board promptly rationed the use of gasoline for all vehicles. The rationing for cars for private use was the most stringent. Each automobile owner was issued a coupon book good for one month, the number of coupons depending upon the horse power of his car. For a car similar to the average one in the United States, the coupons entitle the car owner to buy approximately 10 gallons per month-enough to go about 40 miles per week.

Doctors, as well as others with a good reason for having more gasoline, are given extra books. And trucks are permitted from three to as many as 23 gallons a week. depending upon their weight, but even for commercial purposes there has been a drastic reduction

In most of the world today, the automobile which has become a necessity to Americans, is being trepted as a great luxury and in very few countries is it being used at the present time for pleasure driving.

In England, the smaller automobiles, which consume a minimum amount of gasoline, have been the best-sellers for some time. It will be interesting to see, as we gradually tighten our gasoline belts if the smaller, more economical automobiles will replace the large cars on our highways, if bicycles will become a popular means of bonnet transportation, or if Mr. Ickes make! will get our oil problems worked out so that we can continue to use automobiles with the present disregard of gasoline consumption.



Milk Esseutial in Reducing Diet

If you are trying to reduce, don't make the common mistake of cutting down on your milk supply. It is important for everyone to drink nimum of one pint of milk each day, preferably twice that much, whether he is interested in gaining weight or losing it. Of course, some modifications are in order. Skimmed milk is usually dvised for the overweight person while half milk and half cream is recommended for anyone who is very much underweight. However, t is never to be eliminated from

the diet. In view of the fact that it contains all the essential food elements -protein, carbohydrates, calcium nd other minerals along with a generous supply of the protective itamins-milk has frequently been alled the most nearly perfect food. No diet is well balanced without it If you dislike it as a beverage, then make a point of getting your daily supply in other forms. Milk can be used in the preparation of neats and vegetables, in creamed soups, sauces, desserts and flavored drinks. Cheese, too, is a milk prod-uct and helps add to the daily

For the normal, healthy individual. I never recommend going on the periodical milk diet favored by so many faddists. I do not believe that this is necessary and, in any event, it should never be under taken except on the advice of your physician. However, if it were necssary to make a choice I believe I should rather have a person take plenty of milk and nothing else than him eat everything else and void this all-important health food.

### Time Out to Pep Up

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## CANADA - OUR NEIGHBOR

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which is approximately ten to one. attractions. In other words, 16,205 entering The point of origin of those leav-Canada for the fiscal year ending ing this country provides another

habitants. the exodus from the United States Canada. mounted from 5,748 in 1940 to 7,443

in 1941. Most of the Americans migrate California to Ontario, There seems to be definite link between the tour movement and the migration, f the figures show the largest numb of persons entering Canada fro the United States for permane residence during the months June, July, August and Septemb after which the number tapers reaching the low point in Janua and February. Inasmuch as the bu of the American automobiles ent and leave Ontario it is reasonal to assume that the prospective en grants look over the ground, ma a personal survey and reach an i

'ITH a general European war | mediate decision, However, Ontario raging it is obvious that immi- also gets more Europeans than any gration in Canada would be ma other Province of the Dominion. terially curtailed during the last In attempting to analyze this

wo years but it is interesting to movement further several reasons note that while there has been a may be attributed for the selection marked decrease from the continent of Ontario. In classifying the immithe influx of Americans into the grants from the United States those Dominion has shown an increase of placed in the category of mechanics wenty-nine per cent for the fiscal ranks first, the trading classes secyear ending March 31 compared and, and the farming class third. with the same period of 1940. Pres Thus, we can understand why Onent indications are that the move tario would get more than twice as ment is gaining more momentum many Americans because that Provand this percentage will be further | ince is the important industrial and

Another factor for the selection Statistics, as a rule, do not make of Ontario would be the close simivery interesting reading but figures larity between living conditions compiled for this correspondent by there and in this country. English the Department of Mines and Re is the universal language, all Amerisources in Ottawa on Canadian im- can products or their counterparts n for the last two years are are available, so there is not such significant from various interpreta a radical change in the general ions that can be placed upon them. family life. Furthermore, Ontario is The numbers are small and the only well governed under the shrewd way to conjecture upon similar ab political management of Premier sorption by the United States is to Mitchell F. Hepburn, there is a tomultiply the figures by ten based tal absence of nuisance taxes and upon the ratio of the population of tolls, and it offers all the advanthis country compared with Canada tages sought for healthy outdoor

March 31, 1940 would be equivalent interesting point. Eleven States. to about 162,050 added to our in- with an extensive rural population. At the conclusion of the present in 1940. The largest drop occurred lost fewer residents this year than fiscal year the Dominion opened the in the number going from Vermont. gates to 11.496 or a decrease of 29.1 Nebraska, Idaho and the Dakotas. per cent. This drop is attributed to The following are comparative figthe restrictions upon Europeans ures of the States with the largcoming over but at the same time est exodus of residents bound for

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Massachusetts -	554	662
Michigan	816	927 226
New Jersey	148	226
New York	1.129	1,624
Ohio	237	249
Pennsylvania	161	282
Texas	41	282 82
Washington	298	386
From Europe t	o Canada:	
English	2,489	2,408
Iriah	375	221
Scotch	643	406
Welsh	5.9	5.5
Belgian	100	30
Dutch	264	51
French	152	129
German	1.021	3.5
Hebrew	1,021	284
Italian	186	284 43 44
Japanese	36	44
Polish	1,509	21
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Ruthenian	1,509	

Sails Early to Avoid Freezing



## MODERN . Comen

SAFE AND SOUND CROWDING MORE ADVEN-TURE into 12 months than the average young woman does in a lifetime, Miss Josephine Porter Winbulance under fire, for 10 months in Bordeaux, she escaped the Germans by going to Spain where she was promptly arrested as a spy. Spending 11 days in a Spanish jail. finally convinced the St. Louis young woman that the states were best after all.

REPUSE GERMAN OFFER

DECLINING AN OFFER from a German submarine captain to take them aboard, for safety, after sinking their oil and bomber laden ship. U. S. naval units rescued them near Iceland. They are Ra-chel St. Pierre, Marion Blissett, Victoria Pelc and Lillian Pesnicak.

A CHARLESTON, S. C., HOUSE-WIFE used her head. She confided in friends that she had reached an agreement with a chef at a nearby restaurant whereby the latter would supply prepared meals secretly for several days so that the little lady could get proper recognition from her visiting in-laws.

SEA OF MATRIMONY

GIBL LIFE GUARDS will replace men in the Boston, Mass., area if the heavy demand for males in defense industry continues Authorities fear a rapid rise in the num-ber of "man overboard" cases.

BLONDE THREATENS

LUCILLE WILDE, 18-year-old high school girl, is said to be the first of the "weaker" sex to actually appear to have the qualification to lift the crown of aquaplane champions, Bob Brown and Don Berry. The annual race for supremacy in this sport will be run off next month at Catalina.

TRIPLE PLAY

BLUE-EYED movie actress, Sig-rid Gurie is involved in a naturaliation controversy that reads book. Born in Brooklyn, billed as a Norwegian discovery by Holly wood, it develops now that she regained her Norwegian citizenship through a unique treaty the U. S has with Norway, when her parent took her with them on a trip to the country. She has applied for U. S tizenship.

WOMEN DEFENDERS

AMERICAN LEGION POST No. 211 of Philadelphia, Pa., has enranks of defense for the city. They

## NEWS QUIZ

1. How's your memory? Give within two days the date of Germany's start in the invasion of Soviet Russia.

2. A fifty per cent reduction in the production of autos has been called for by Leon Hender-son. Did the U. S. last produce about: (a) 1,500,000; (b) 3,700,-000; (c) 6,200,000 (d) 7,500,000 passenger automobiles?

3. The U. S. and India are exchanging diplomatic representa-tives. Which country has the larger area; the greater popula-

NEWS QUIZ ANSWERS June 22, 1941, India's area is as large as that he U. S. east of the Rocky moun-states. Her population is 353,-800 and that of the U. S. about

### Falls Creek - By -Lula Mae Coston

Visitors in the A. O. Allen home this week were Judge and Mrs. E. I. Key and Miss Alyne Key of Denton, J. M. Sims and Miss Edith Sims of Joshua. Other visitors Monday night were Mrs. Minnie Pierson and Mrs. A. A. Fewell of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Allen and Paul Jr. of Brownwood.

On July 27 the Griffitts family met at Wiseman Park for a family reunion. The occasion was to celebrate the birthdays of the two oldest Griffitts children, George and May. A bountiful feast was spread at noon and the occasion was enjoyed by all present, including Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffitts, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Russell, and daughter, Wilma, Mr. and Mrs. George Griffitts and son, Don, of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey Griffitts and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffitts and son, Mrs. H. D. Knight of Greyville, also two granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Griffitts, Margaret and Peggy El-

lis of San Antonio. Mrs. J. W. Sowell of Greyville spent Friday night and Saturday

with Mrs. W. W. Foust. Mr. and Mrs. Royce Hall returned home early Sunday from Waco, where Mr. Hall has been in the hospital. We are glad to know he is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goff of Dallas spent Friday night with Mrs. W. W. Foust. R. J. and Mary Frances Russell

of Hico visited in the community Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rainwater and daughter of Red Hill and Elfleda

len, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coston and children spent Saturday night on the Bosque River fishing. Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Pratt of Cam-

Turner of Lubbock, Margaret Al-

eron spent Saturday night with Mrs. W. W. Foust. Mrs. Royce Hall's mother, Mrs. Evans, and her brother, Marvin

Evans and wife of McGregor spent Sunday in the Royce Hall home. Mrs. Dugar Foust of Fort Worth spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. W. W. Foust. Mrs. Bob Brown and daughter

of Gatesville visited Tuesday with Mrs. Brown's parents. Mrs. Brown returned home Tuesday evening. ter, 25, has returned to the U.S. Martha Claire stayed on for an from Europe. After driving an am- extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Allen and her aunt, Miss Constance.

## Duffau

Mrs. W. A. Deskin

Miss Belle Cox of Abilene is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Fouts, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Giesecke four American Red Cross nurses and daughter. Mrs. Lee King Jr. drifted with others in he open of Fort Worth are here attending boat for 12 days in the North At- the revival being conducted at the Church of Christ by Eld. Roy

Tidwell of Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dowdy and children, also Sam Kirkland of Hico attended church here Sunday

night. Mr. Ira Johnson and daughters of Greyville attended church here

Sunday night. Mrs. J. W. Snow of Stephenville spent a few days the past week with her daughter, Mrs. R. O. Wysong, and family.

Mrs. Lucy Eowie and Mrs. W. A. Deskin attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Anna Hardy, at Hico Monday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hancock attended the Hancock reunion held at Stephenville Park Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Arnold and children of Fort Worth are spend-

ing a few days this week with relatives. Mrs. Ferril McAnally and baby of Post City are visiting H. H. Hancock and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Smart of Salem spent a while Monday with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Arnold. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roach Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Jones and children of Amarillo

spent a while Sunday afternoon 281 is routed alongside City Park. with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fouts. Pearl Fouts of this community and Mrs. Boodie Lawrence of Iredell made a business trip to Brownwood Monday.

#### Engineers and **Doctors Needed In** Naval Reserve

New Orleans, La., Aug. 4 .- Highly trained men in specialized fields rolled a number of women in the of civil life should apply now for commissions as volunteer officers are training weekly in smart new in the United States Naval Reserve, according to Captain T. A. Thomson Jr., Acting Commandant of the Eighth Naval District, who announced today that candidates are being sought in almost all branches, particularly in the medical and engineering branches of he Reserve.

Procurement quotas for Reserve Officers have been increased recently and the eight states of the Eighth Naval District have been called upon to add approximately 250 to the commissioned ranks of the Reserve in the next few months. Emphasis was placed by Captain Thomson on the splendid opportunity which this extension of quotas provides for professional men who wish to place the needed services at the disposal o their country in this time of un-

limited national emergency. Only the quota for the Supply Corps remains filled and vacancie in virtually all branches. Those who have degree in civil, mechanical, chemical and electrical engineering are especially fitted for commissions in the En-

## In "Too Many Girls" At Summer Casino





Miss Paula Stone, daughter of the famous Fred Stone, will head the cast in "Too Many Girls," which follows "The Desert Song" at Fair Park Casino. "Too Many Girls" is a swingy musical comedy by two of Broadway's most modern and successful composers-Rodgers and

The return of Jack Sheehan to the cast at Fair Park Casino has been heralded with enthusiasm throughout the state. Sheehan made particular hits in "Rose Marie" and "Countess Maritza."

"Countess Maritza."

Three other new leads will be introduced in "Too Many Girls" among these are Rodney McLennan, Jack Goode and Nina Olivette. Miss Joan Roberts, who sang the role of Kathe in "Student Prince," also returns to the cast of "Too Many Girls."

gineering branch of the Reserve

Doctors and dentists are needed for service in the Medical Corps and Dental Corps. Five will be commissioned in the Eighth District as Chaplains. There also is a demand in the aviation branch and it was said these men do not

necessarily have to be pilots, since

many will perform administrative work at various shore establishments when called to active duty Ranks to which individuals may apply for appointments are determined by their age and experience. In general, candidates must have a college education, plus practical experience, but under certain conditions applications are accepted from those who have had sufficient professional experience in certain fields to offset their lack of a college degree. All applicants are subject to a physical

Full information regarding necessary qualifications, as well as the method of making application for the various branches of the reserve may be obtained at the nearest Navy or Naval Reserve Recruiting Station or inquiries may be addressed directly to the Director of Naval Reserves. Eicht Naval District, Federal Building,

examination and minor physical

defects may be waived in certain

#### New Orleans, Louisiana. Patrolman Here

G. W. Modesette, patrolman out of the Waco office of the State Highway Patrol for this district. arrived in Hico Wednesday morning to assist in handling traffic and keeping order, if needed, was ing the Reunion.

In spite of the fact that Highway Reunion site, caution and cooper ative effort in past years have kept accidents at a minimum. It is hoped that this record may be perpetuated this year, and that no rious accidents or occurrences will mar enjoyment of the picnic.

## Supplies At Bank

T. D. Craddock, county agent, in Hico Wednesday requested the News Review to announce that merchants may obtain their cotton stamps and supplies at the First National Bank.

The program, now getting under way in this county, has been previously explained in this and other papers, and most farmers and merchants are familiar with the provisions of the program.



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Mrs. G. C. Keeney.

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Mary Helen and Robert, of Dallas

came in Wednesday for a visit

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pasas with her aunt, Mrs. Frank

attend the Hico Reunion.

here from Dallas visiting her cousin, Miss Carolyn Holford.

Mrs. Mae Bates and Miss Elizabeth Hughes spent the week end in Dallas visiting friends.

George Hardy of Corpus Christi is here spending the week with his brother, W. B. Hardy.

Misses Laverne and Dorothy Jane Golden of Dallas are here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Grover Jackson of Stephenville visited with friends and rel- Jerry, and wife.

atives in Hico Saturday.

Miss Mary Helen Hall returned home Wednesday after visiting the first of the week in Waco and Groesbeck.

Mrs. P. L. Maxwell and daughter, Mrs. Hogue Williams of Hamilton were visitors in Hico Satur-

Mrs. John Files of Austin and visiting for three weeks in Quansh Miss Martha Cayton of Groesbeck and Stamford, returned home Sunspent the week end here with day accompanied by her grand-Miss Mary Helen Hall.

It is here. Come and see it. Everett's Tailor Shop. 11-1c.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hudson ac- home last Thursday from a visit companied by Miss Lucy Hudson with friends and relatives in Fort spent Sunday in Brownwood, San Worth and Dallas. She left Sun-Angelo, and Garden City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hooper and O. F. Jackson, and family. daughter, Alora Marie, of Wichita Palls came in Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hooper, Mr. Hooper returned to Arizona, spent Wednesday night in Wichita Falls Sunday night, but Mrs. Hooper and Alora Marie remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. John D. Higgins and daughter, Coleen, went to Baton Rouge. La., Saturday with her brother, L. D. Hopper, and wife, who had came through Hico Wednesday been visiting here with them and morning on their way to Austin Mr. Higgins. They will remain in and made a short visit here with

Misses Lela and Charley Riley and Miss Mable Jordan came over from Brownwood one night last day from a 11-day visit during week for a short visit with rela- which he visited in Waco and later tives and friends. Miss Jordan re- at Port Lavaca with his daughter, mained several days to attend the Mrs. R. B. Cunningham, and fam-Jordan family reunion held at the city park in Hico.

Mrs. W. I. Chenault and son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bailey came Waco are visiting here with her over from Corpus Christi and home Wednesday night and Mrs. mother, Mrs. J. H. Cox, and Mrs. spent Saturday night and Sunday. J. F. Chenault and other relatives while Mr. Chenault is in Washington, D. C. He left last Friday for Miss Della Rodgers, brother and family. the capitol city and will remain sister of W. T. Rodgers, were here there through next week to attend last Friday from Fort Worth visconferences with the Southern iting with Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers week end in Fort Worth visiting Division on the cotton program, and daughter, Ruby. It has been her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. making plans for next year. He 21 years since they lived here, the Raymond Brown. She returned next year's program.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Gamble and they can. son, Max, and daughter, Mrs. Nadine Ladd with her children, Powell and Darlene, of Yuma, Arizona, Mrs. E. S. Rhoades over the week | Visitors in the home of Mr. and are visiting relatives and friends end were their great-niece, Mrs. Mrs. A. M. Corbett last week end this week. The Gamble family were 'ng on a three-weeks surprise visit to her mother when the telfor the funeral last Monday.

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Eugene Hackett of Sherman came in Wednesday to spend his vacation with relatives and friends and attend the Reunion.

Little Miss Kathleen Ritchie of Fort Worth, who had spent several weeks here with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greenslit, returned to her home Brownwood visited with Mr. and last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo P. Cloud Jr. and children spent the week end Miss Eleanor Metcalf of Belton in San Antonio visiting his parcame in Wednesday to visit with ents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo P. Cloud Miss Mary Ella McCullough and Sr.

> Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble spent the week end in Houston visiting their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Swor, and

Miss Lucy Hudson, who is atfrom Weatherford, where she had tending North Texas State Teachspent two weeks with her son, ers College at Denton, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hudson.

Mrs. W. J. Rhoades and daugh-Pilot Station, Alaska, is nere on an

R. McRee Davis, representing the bond firm of James, Stayart & Mrs. J. A. Garth, who has been Davis of Dallas, spent a short while in Hico Wednesday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Daugherty daughter, Miss Beulah Dee Cole of Quanah, who remained over for and two daughters and one granddaughter of Arlington spent the oree with several gifts. week end here in the home of her brother, Judge J. B. Pool, and fam-Miss Minnie Jackson returned

Mrs. Will Farrow of Dallas spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. day for Brundage where she will visit two weeks with her brother. J. A. Garth. Other visitors in the Mrs. Willie Denton and family of Roline Forgy. Mrs. Nadine Ladd and Max Gam-McMinville, Tenn. ble, visitors here from Yuma,

Rev. Floyd W. Thrash has returned from meetings held at Dallas as guests of their aunt, Mrs. Evant and The Grove during the Lyle Golden. They were accompapast two weeks. He reports good nied by George Hardy, en route to results at both places. Rev. Thrash led the singing at Evant and did Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Jenkins and the preaching in the meeting at daughter, Loretta, of Brownwood The Grove.

and Mrs. Alvin Swindell went to Brownwood Tuesday mora-Louisiana for a several weeks' his mother, Mrs. Lora Jenkins, who ing, where Mrs. Swindell was in visit with relatives and friends. went to Austin with them to spend attendance at a meeting of the Woman's Department of the Baptist Church. They also visited in Joe Collier returned home Mon- the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ralph B. Griffin, husband and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Snoddy of Bluffdale, former residents of Hico, came in Wednesday to witpleasant stay at Port Lavaca, as ness the parade and attend the he got to see all his grandchildren. Mr. Snoddy returned Reunion. Snoddy remained the rest of the week for a visit here with her Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Rogers and daughter, Mrs. Cicero Ritchey, and

Mrs. W. H. Brown spent the will also study the insurance pro- visitors said when they dropped home Tuesday, accompanied by gram which will be included in by the News Review office, but her grandchildren, James and they still remember lots of peo- Frances Brown, who will visit ple and enjoy coming down when with their grandparents and other relatives and friends for a few

Visitors in the home of Mr. and in Hico and Dallas for two weeks. Almeda Bruce, and daughter of were her brother, Ray Wallace, Mrs. Gamble is the daughter of Hollywood, California; Mrs. Fannie and wife, and her sister, Mrs. A. Mrs. Annie Hardy, buried here Blakley of Stephenville, and Mrs. L. Shahan and son, Arthur, of J. W. Strickland of Jonesboro, Mr. Graham. Other guests are Virginia Rhoades and Mrs. Strickland were Wallace and Glenn Wallace Jr. of friends when they were children, Wichita Falls, her niece and egram announcing her demise ar- but hadn't seen each other in 40 nephew, who are spending several rived. They reached here in time years although they had been liv- days with her and Mr. Corbett at their ranch near Dry Fork.

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The engagement of Miss Mary Helen Hall, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall, to Mr. J. H. Morrill, son of Mrs. E. P. Morrill of Mobile, Ala., was announced here Saturday afternoon at a bridge party given by her sister, Mrs. H. V. Hedges, at her home.

At the conclusion of the games

Julia Ann Hedges and Frances Mc-Cullough appeared as special delivery messengers and delivered miniature letters to each guest revealing the date of the marriage, August 31. The wedding will take place at the home of her parents. An ice course was served to the following guests: Mrs. John Files, Austin; Miss Martha Beth Cayton, Groesbeck; Mrs. Grover Jackson, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. H. J. Leach, and Miss Margaret Leach. ter, Jane, of Breckenridge are Stephenville; Mrs. Hogue Williams here visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. S. and Mrs. P. L. Maxwell, Hamilton; Rhoades, and attending the Hico Mrs. Harry Hudson, Miss Saralee Hudson, Mrs. J. W. Fairey, Mrs. Earle Harrison, Mrs. J. B. Ogle, Mrs. J. N. Russell, Miss Irene Frank, Mrs. H. F. Sellers, Mrs. H. N. Wolfe, Mrs. Grady Hooper, Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Miss Mary

> E. H. Persons, and Miss Hall. The hostess presented the hon-

> Ella McCullough, Mrs. Shirley

Campbell, Mrs. L. N. Lane, Mrs.

#### ENTERTAINS WITH PICNIC SUPPER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Mrs. J. Earle Harrison entertained with a picnic supper on her lawn Tuesday night honoring Miss Garth home Sunday were Mr. and Roberta McMillan, bride-elect of

> Miss McMillan's approaching marriage, August - 11, was announced last week.

The guest list included Misses Pansy McMillan, Priscilla Rodgers, Louise Blair, Sarah Frances Meador, Ruby Lee Ellington, Carroll Anderson, Joyce Latham, Nell Patterson, Betty Jo Anderson, Dorothy Ross, Mary Effa McCullough. Golden Ross, Eleanor Metcalf of Belton, Mrs. Albert Brown, and the honoree.



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## STORY RECALLS—

(Continued from Page 1) dow with her, ran away. Miss when she had succeeded in done so the Indians were close upon her. She, however, was a brave young lady and navor lost her presence and after seeing the men, told the lady and never lost her presence children they were Indians and of mind. that they were taking "Mary." Plying her whip vigorously, she Mary was the name of a fine saddashed away from her pursuers and headed atraight for Basical

When she became satisfied who the Baggett home. the men were, she shut the door and told the children to escape by the window, so the Indian scape by the window, so the Indians couldn't ed suddenly to one side just as the in front. All did this except Mary Jane, a daughter of Ezekiel Mannings, who was sick and the Manhorse. She was not both sons and a little daughter of James M. Kuykendall. Miss Whitney was

M. Kuykendali, Miss Whitney was very large and fleshy, weighing killed at the school house and the school house are school house as the school house are school house and the school house are school house as the school house are school house and the school house are school house as t very large and fleshy, weighing about 230 pounds, and could not other two ladies being chased east of it, a man named Strangeline had entered at the West end of

house and many ugly faces were seen at the cracks between the logs. One fellow indulged in a few children were wounded.

With him. He was killed but not through the window while the Inthe valley recovered.

Many sorrowing hearts followed the remains of the dead young the remains of the remains of the dead young the remains of the remains of the dead young the remains of the rema oaths in broken English.

The unfortunate young lady and bloodthirsty looks of the sav-fate her thoughts turned to the

ing to her. Miss Whitney walked from side to side of the room. In and all the time entreating for the lives of the little children on the little children on the little children.

On the Strangeline family and being joined by those around the little school house, rushed at full speed to cut Miss Howard off from the little children on the littl The Indians finally came in front and commenced breaking in the door, and Miss Whitney, although lady; much more so in this young

less rider and gentling a young horse for her own use and her sister-in-law was keeping her com-

They saw the Indians at the school and at first took them to be cowhunters. They were discovered by the Indians before they had ridden far up the valley and two of them rode out to meet them The ladies soon discovered their mistake and turned to run to the house of Mr. Baggett, toward the

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east, which was nearer than their own home, on the west and getting him out of the win-difficulty in turning her horse, but dow with her, ran away. Miss when she had succeeded in doing so the Indians were closed to the sorter of the sorte

dle animal, the pet and property of Miss Whitney. She often made headed straight for Baggett's to make her of Miss Whitney. She often made horse leap it if she could. For this the remark, "if the Indians ever purpose she lashed him furiously take Mary, I want them to take me and he cleared it in a single bound and horse and rider escaped to

tence and the Indians got horse. She was not badly hurt, and

set out of the window nor hope to escape by running out the door. Many of the children instead of house and there witnessed the terrible scene witnessed the thoward place and dispute.

The Indians soon surrounded the was moving and halfway balance and who were leaving Mr. Strangeline doubt halfway and Peru in their border witnessed the flareup between his country and Peru in their border.

Who was recovered six months lattender outsides and the saw Pierson's party at last remaining strength, her body and to who when halfway surrise and it was then the Indians and took to the brush and scattender. On which he was not allowed to he was moving and peru in their border.

fate her thoughts turned to the high settlers of the presence of and addressing the Indian who had have to ride almost in the dirac.

| Caping from the valley and warn-ling the settlers of the presence of the Indians. To do this she would ans and that the fate of the children was unknown. What awful

The sick little Manning girl clung to the skirt of her teacher's she again cleared it, putting whip hest speed. Miss Howard was well to her horse, she urged him to his horse without a saddle, not taking horse without a saddle, not taking to adjust one, and notified Mr. Housto began to pour upon the floor and run through upon those under it, they did they left off the attack up-pierson ranch, the eldest son, J. G. W. Pierson, was east of the Leon started before the Indians discov. Livingston, who lived a not taking ered what her aim was as discov. Livingston, who lived a not taking livingston.

marking every footstep with blood and all the time entreating for road. This was a heroic undertaking for any man to attempt even return until nightfall, when they and commenced breaking in the door, and Miss Whitney, although reeling and staggering in death, assisted the two girls in getting out of the window, but Miss Kuykendall depending on her skill alone in killed in taken into continuous. of the window, but Miss Kuykendall depending on her skill alone in she went through, by an Indian bridge wise and the append that she that she the day had been intensely she went through, by an Indian the teacher and the two Kuyken and the two Kuyken findian entered to complete the ments of the fearful scenes.

Indian entered to complete the ments of the fearful scenes.

Indian arrow in the back as managing an unbroken horse not bridle-wise and the speed that she and young Pierson and the Howard boys were very hot and the form and their horse badly jaded, but there was not time to get fresh dall boys in the house and another work, but too late to do any further harm to the young lady. She was down and gasping her last ments of the fearful scenes.

She beat the race a few rods and swept past the Indians, gain—
while the Indians hurriedly turned ments of the fearful scenes.

She beat the race a few rods ones. With a hasty farewell to mother and younger brother, month before) Pierson called his

there harm to the young lady. She was down and gasping her last.

The Indian who could speak was putting her house house of the children under the foor and pulled Offvia Barbee out and was putting her up behind him saved mer from death or capitity, away and gained the woods on by speak may and gained the woods on by speak may she was found the following day she was found the foll

ran, so that he had to chase and run her down, before bringing her in. She, however, soon recovered the attack upon the school house, two ladies rode into the valley Amanda Howard and Mrs. Sarah Howard, the latter being the wife in the little ones go, and with her if that would suffice and into the wife in the little ones go, and with her if the school the dead young lady at the school t



The Hirst National Bank HICO, TEXAS FIFTY-ONE YEARS IN HICO

**Misses Trouble** year before when young Pierson



Agustin Arroyo, son of the presi-dent of Ecuador, arrives in the

ages, but regardless or ner own fatcher the indians of the presence of the presence of the process of the presence of the indians of the indians who had if it would satisfy them to kill her and let the others go.

The Indian addressed held up the others go.

The Indian addressed held up the consence of the indians and outride that led to high hill represent the lower settlement on the balance and person that led to high hill represent the lower settlement of the logs.

The Indian addressed held up that led to high hill represent the lower settlement on the balance and being cut off from above the south determined upon this, she mounted that led to high hill represent the logs.

The Indian and that the fale of the children was unknown. What awful the remains a sunknown. What awful dren was unknown. What awful the remains a sunknown. What awful the remains a sunknown. What awful the fale of the children was unknown. What awful dren was unknown. The chart was unknown. D. C. Snow's and, the men being this week in Abilene visiting relaxatives

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Phillips of

Houston spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe.

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to have made remarks to some girls on a golf course. Our papers have been publishing what General Lear had to say papers have been publishing what General Lear had to say about the incident and in the same issue what his critics had to say only from pending both sides of this countries. had to say. Only from reading both sides of this question are you and I in position to form an opinion as to who was right. We were not present. In dictator-controlled Germany, Italy, Japan or

Russia there would never have been one word in print. You would never have known that anything happened, You would never have known that anything happened, even if your son had been one of the soldiers punished. The greatest protection your son in the service has

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all & John

Albert S. Johnson President

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visit with relatives in Tennessee.

Paul Patterson, who is in

visited for some time.

Mrs. Johnson and baby of Ste-

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Howell of

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam of Waco

son left Saturday for Corpus

Bruce Myers of Fort Worth is

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lindermon

Pemm Sawyer. Their son extended

Mr. and Mrs. Mino Loughlin and

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sawyer and

ing his parents. Mr. and Mrs.

Pemm Sawyer. He is on his vaca-

from Orange. Her father, Mr. White,

at the Methodist Church, conducted

fin of Dallas is visiting her uncle,

Mrs. Bozark returned

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prices down.

Mrs. Echols returned Saturday

ley were in Meridian this week.

phenville spent the week with her

sister, Mrs. Chessie Webb.

this week end.

his visit.

end with his parents.

confined to her bed.

isn't much better.

with relatives.

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## **IREDELL ITEMS**

## by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Chaffin and | joined there by relatives and go daughter of Chicago, Ill., are visiting his father, J. E. Chaffin, and his brother, Lee, and family.

Mrs. Albert Hensley filled 44 quart jars with cucumbers which came from only three vines. Who day to visit relatives. can beat that?

Mrs. Tom Ellis and some of her

children from Tahoka are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. E. Lawrence. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hoffner and Nelson. All were sure glad to see to the Methodist Church. baby came in Wednesday for a Paul. visit with her father, Mr. Clem

Howell, and other relatives. They live in San Francisco, California, Newman. and this is the first trip for the young daughter. She is a sweet here Sunday. baby, and good as can be. They visited friends in Dallas a few days, came back here, and then visited her mother, Mrs. McAden,

at Sanatorium on the way home Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Davis and week. sons and her sister, the former Miss Annie Cox of Tallahassee, Alabama, visited relatives and

friends here this week. Mrs. Rema Davis and son of Meridian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, Friday. Mr. Bill Helms was taken to Munday visited her niece, Mrs.

the Stephenville Hospital Thurs- Otis Oldham, Saturday. day and was operated for appendicitis. His wife and some of his came in Saturday for a visit with other relatives were with him. It her sister, Mrs. G. W. Chaffin. is hoped by his many friends that Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Newsom and he will get along fine and will be

Christi, where he will work. Mrs. C. A. Mitchell and baby left Friday for McKinney to visit Falls. relatives. visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Young and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis and Mirene were in Mineral Wells Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Fouts of and son of Fort Worth spent the

Dallas spent the week end here week end with his sister, Mrs. with relatives. Mrs. Minnie McAdoo returned Saturday from a visit to her brother, Mr. New, who lives below children of Dallas spent the week

Mrs. Annie Goodman left Friday night for Arizona to be at the bed- with Mrs. Eakins of Hico. She is side of one of her brothers, who is very ill. She was accompanied by her nieces, Misses Locille and daughter of Fort Worth are visit-Loraine Segrist, and their brother,

Kal, of Hico. Mr. Albert Mize and two chil- tion. dren, Elmer and Thelma of Aquilla spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Thompson.

Edward Dunlap returned Wednesday from Sanatorium, where their reunion the 9th and 10th of te has been visiting relatives since August in the Kaylor Park.

Mr. Virgil Erley, who is working and son spent Sunday in Hico. in San Antonio, spent the week end with his family T. M. Tidwell made a business Thursday in San Angelo. trip to San Angelo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wingren Mrs. Frances Gustafson returned and children, Joyce, Faye, and Friday from Fort Worth, where Bobby, spent Sunday here. Wingren came to be with her broshe has been working. Mrs. Ed Dunlap spent Tuesday ther, Paul Patterse and part of Wednesday in San has been here visiting for some Antonio with relatives. time, returned home with them.

Miss Dorothy Nell Jachne re- Joyce Faye remained for a longer turned Thursday from Houston, visit with her grandarents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. where she has been working. Two of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson's Mr. Jeff Woods died Tuesday in sons and families from Oklahoma a veterans' hospital in East Texas. came in Friday night to visit them. His body was brought here Wed-

They have an apartment with Miss nesday for burial. The funeral was Mittie Gordon. Dick Pruett of Seminole is vis- by Rev. Hutchins. He leaves four iting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. brothers. Burial was in the new

A. C. McAden visited in San A daughter of Mrs. Walter Chafus to handle. V. H. Bird and Fred Antonio this week. Mrs. Helen Mingus is working Mr. Lee Chaffin, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff McDonel and home in Llano Sunday, their son, Wallace and family, left Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson Saturday for Dallas, They will be sons of Cisco spent the week end

with her parents, Mr.

Mrs. Gann spent the week Meridian Guy Main Jr. of Dallas spent the

week end with his mother. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bowman and daughter of Merkel spent the week end here with relatives. Jobe Schenck of Shamrock spent Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Loader of Monday here.

Dallas spent the week end here The Baptist meeting came to a Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowman and conversions, and 19 joined the son of Richardson came in Satur- church and were baptized. Rev. Cundieff did some very plain preaching, showing some of training camp at Camp Polk, La., church members and sinners where spent the week end with his par- they were, and that is the way to ents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson. He do. May the good that was done was accompanied by Mr. E. R. go on. One of the converts went

The Methodist meeting will start Mr. and Mrs. Robert Latham of Thursday night on the Methodist McAden, and her brothers, A. C., Handley spent tthe past week with Church lawn, with day services in her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. the church.

A nice pounding was given to Mr. Frank Day of Dallas was Rev. Cundieff and family Sunday

night. Miss Charlene Conley returned Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dennis, who Monday from Houston where she lived in a rent house of Mr. Ed Greer, lost nearly everything and Georgella Harris and Peggy their house too by fire a few days June Tidwell visited in Hico this ago. Some things were given them, and they want to thank their Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gibbons of many friends very much. The fire Stockdale visited relatives here started from the flue.

## Clairette

Nila Marie Alexander

Rev. L. L. Broughton filled his Mr. and Mrs. Alton Partain of comanche spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Harvey. Several from this community at ended singing at Cottonwood Sunwas transferred from Wichita

> Mrs. Lura Hollingsworth spent last week in Stephenville with relatives.

Helen Stephens and Faye Hens-Mr. and Mrs. Earl Austin and daughter, Tessie Ann. of Bauxite. Ark., spent Saturday night with R. M. Alexander. The Austins left Sunday morning for Sidney to attend the Austin family reunion. Those accompanying them to Sidney were Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Alexander of Waco, R. M. Alexander and Nila Marie Alexander of this Mrs. Myrtle Duncan is staying ommunity.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Montgo and daughters, Maxine and Montie June of Austin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thompson.

Tuesday night, August 12, the Clairette H. D. Club is sponsoring free picture show at the gymnasium and is giving away a chest of cup towels.

Grady Mayfield of San Angelo The Appleby relatives will have spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mayfield Andy Duncan of Fort Worth i Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Hudson at home on his vacation visiting friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyer and

Ethridge Sherrard who is in his father spent from Monday till school at Fort Worth spent Sunday with homefolks.

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THURS. & FRI. (NEXT WEEK) "DEVIL DOGS OF THE AIR" JAMES CAGNEY PAT O'BRIEN DON AMECHE BETTY GRABLE

### "Opera Under the Stars" to Continue 2 Additional Weeks

Dallas, August 6 .- Opera Under the Stars at Fair Park Casino will the sign that adorned the back of Brummett. Wautvic Ogle. A. be extended for two weeks, accordand "Chocolate Soldier" will be the two additional shows.

"The Firefly" by Rudolf Frimi kado", it was also announced. "The Firefly will follow "Too Many Stephenville, presented through and Ione Arrant. Girls" on August 14.

The extension of the season will make the first Opera Under the Stars season one of 12 weeks, the same as played in St. Louis.

"Irene" which will be one of the two additional productions, was produced earlier in the season in Louisville and St. Louis and broke all existing records at both places.

ANNUAL COZBY REUNION TO BE HELD AT PARK AUG. 16-17 The annual Cozby Reunion will be held August 16th and 17th in

the City Park at Hico, according to a member of the family. Friends and neighbors of the family are urged to be on hand.

## KAIN or Shine the Telephone is ready to run



Gulf States Telephone Co. HICO, TEXAS

## **Patriotic Theme**

(Continued from Page 1)

and individuals in the parade was so general that it would be impossible to name each and every one. At the head, as usual, was Tyrus King as standard bearer, while Confederate flag on his mule. Mr. date of August 2, 1941. Powledge said that the ages of the pair totaled 107 years. "I'm 82; and my mule is 25," he said. Other mounted riders included Brushy Bill (O. L. Roberts), Mrs. Pauline Hubbard, Mrs. Bryan Carl, Mrs. I. N. Russell, Uncle Dock Alexander, Arch Corbett, Buddy Carl, J. T. King, Perry Clepper, P. B. Bolton, L. A. Hicks and daughter, E.

Holley, and a number of others. These were followed by a carontaining the mayor and president of the Chamber of Commerce. Decoated floats and cars among the entries included those from the Palace Theatre, L. B. Bowman. Hoffman's, a number of bicycles and riders, Barrow Funeral Home. Hico Fire Department, Ladeane Attractions, American Legion, Hico Chamber of Commerce, Hico P.-T. A., Lynch Hardware, C. M. Barnes & McCullough, Irezan Motors, Stuart's Pontiac Co.,

and the Hico School Bus.

arrangements with Capt. L. F.

Bredberg of that city The Hico Band and Drum Corps. Mrs. E. X. Brummett. the direction of Roy C Roaz, added a lot to the carnival

atmosphere during the parade. Indicative of the patriotic trend of the entries was the first prize winner in the division for most attractive floats, won by Barnes & who announced his retirement bea "Statue of Liberty," portrayed pointed this week by the Commis-by Miss Eleanor Metcalf of Belton, sioners' Court to fill the office of

Worth Defending."

Hoffman's ftoat, on which Max Mr. Dempster has many friends Worth Defending." able comment. The patriotic entries life of the Chamber of Commerce, first rize winner, and of Barrow Furniture Co., second prize winner lso were colorful and fitting.

#### HONEY GROVE H. D. CLUB MET LAST WITH MRS. PRICE

The Honey Grove Home Demonration Club met with Mrs. W. S. rice Thursday, July 31, 1941. Plans for next year's meetings ere discussed and voted on. Old nd new business were discussed. The Achievement Event to be aged at the home of Mrs. J. W.

rdan Jr. in August was not com-

ern Jordan and Fern Gene. Fred Anderson, Mrs. W. S. Price r., and Myril Kilpatrick of Breck

## Salem Revival

The Baptist revival at Salem will begin Sunday night. August 10th, with Rev. Hollis Yielding from Brownwood preaching, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Jenkins.

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"Dear Mr. Rodgers: Our records Hico in 1888 with Mr. F. H. Snider. July 17, 1891 the agency was transferred to H. L. Dyer and P. Rodgers. May 2, 1892 the agency was transferred to J. P. hope that I will be among those present when the medal is presented to you.'

#### MT. PLEASANT INDUSTRIAL CLUB MET WITH MRS. ARRANT The Mt. Pleasant Industrial

Club met with Mrs. Ted Arrant Tid- on July 30.

We quilted two quilts and delidell Band, J. W. Richbourg. Du- cious punch was served to the following: Mmes. W. T. Slater, Herman Dennis, A. C. Odell, Wal-"Hico Reunion Are Bust" was ter Abel, Coyt Clark, H. R a hack carrying Bobby Bates, Paul Rachnik, E. Z. Brummett, Leslie ing to advices received from J. J. Kenneth Wolfe, Eugene Ramey, Arrant, Benn Gleason, Geo, Lint-Schubert, Saturday, and "Ireng" and Thomas Ray Coston. They won ner. Thompson, and the hostess, Mrs. Ted Arrant; also to Misses An unanticipated but appreci- Nora and Joylette Abel, Geraldine ated addition to the parade this and Nellie B. Brummett, Willola will be substituted for "The Mi- year was a representation of the Slater, Wilma Dean Mason, Wy-Texas Defense Guard unit from nell and Louise Parks, Alta Mae

> Everyone reported a nice time REPORTER.

## Court Names J. P.

J. T. Dempster, prominent county officer for a number of years. McCullough. This entry featured fore last year's elections, was apwith a miniature home in the Justice of the Peace at Hamilton. background and the wording made vacant through the recent

Hoffman, Henry A. Wieser and in and around this part of the Dave Foust depicted "The Spirit county who will be interested to '76" also groused much favor- learn that he is again in public

#### Show At Clairette

Mrs. J. G. Golightly announced Tuesday night. August 12. under and visiting with friends. the auspices of the Clairette Home nstration Club

In addition to the free showing of a popular picture, a cedar chest of towels will be given away. she said, and there will also be a variety of other entertainment.

## Home Ec. Meeting

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## JORDAN REUNION HELD AT CITY PARK LAST WEEK

The fifth annual Jordan Reunion was held in the city park in Hico, Texas, on July 30 and 31, at which time 94 relatives and 15 visitors companies, has received annual affair and has been held her daughter in Dallas, August 2, recognition of his long service in for the past three years in the 1941, on the hour previously set the form of a letter from the dis- park at Leuders. Texas. There are for her departure for a visit in her dan living, and five of them and and beloved friends here. The letter, signed by P. L. Mc- their families were present for this meeting, as follows: A. J. Jordan, L. J. Jordan, Hico; B. C. Jordan. Tyler: Mrs. P. E. Gill. show that the Hartford was planted Bradshaw; Mrs. A. S. Page, Ballinger; and Mrs. Lydia Carver.

A list of the relatives present Rodgers and J. C. Rodgers trading included Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jordan as Rodgers & Brothers, so you will and Hester, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Jorbe entitled to the Gold Medal on dan, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Golightly May 2, 1942 and it is my earnest and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tolliver and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McLendon and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Thornton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Oxley, all of Hico: Mr. and Mrs. D. Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Poston and children, Anton; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Jordan and Miss Mable Jordan, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jordan and children. Duffau; Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Deskin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tidwell and Mrs. Joe Tidwell, Iredell; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hefley and Mrs. R. L. Kel-Shephenville: Mr. and Mrs. E. Gill, Bradshaw; Mrs. Tom Middleton and children. Abilene: Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gill, Hondo, New Mexico: Mrs. Lydia Carver, Inez Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carver pain throughout the last two and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl decades of her life, no words can Carver and children, O'Brien; Mrs. express the deep and abiding love F. Walker, Sudan; Mrs. Tom and the next meeting will be with Osborne, Knox City; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Pape and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Arnis Pape and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pape and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs.

> James Reece, Ballinger. The following visitors were pres-Mrs. W. J. Parrish and daughter. Dorothy Joy. Carlton; Donald Partsh, Indian Gap; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bodiford, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gore and daughter.

At a business meeting held on Thursday afternoon it was decided as Reunion visitors their held at Ballinger, Texas, on July Kornegay of Hamilton. 30 and July 31, 1942.

CONTRIBUTED.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Mann and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. this week that there would be a children, former residents of Hico, George Jones, They were en route free picture show and entertain- now of Granger, were here Wed- to their ranch near Hamilton and ment at the Clairette gymnasium nesday for the Reunion parade were accompanied by her aunt,

#### Funeral Services **Held Here Monday** For Mrs. Hardy

Annie Laura Slaughter was born were present. This reunion is an 25, 1862. She died at the home of six children of the late J. D. Jor- old home, Hico, with her many

She grew to young womanhood at the place of her birth, united with the church there, and later met and married William Henry Hardy, Jan. 21, 1881, who ceded her in death, Sept. 2, 1937. O'Brien. B. C. Jordan of Tyler

The pioneering couple with rapidly growing family lived for was unable to be present for this some time in the Indian Territory before returning to Texas and settling near Hico, where, at various homes they dwelt for nearly half a century, living from 1916 in

Of the children born to this union, seven reached maturity one, James Emmett, dying in 1937 Six children survive the mother Mrs. Ollie Gamble and C. B. Hardy, Yuma, Arizona; Mrs. T. J. Johnson and W. B. Hardy, Hico; Mrs. Lyle Golden, Dallas; and George Hardy, Corpus Christi. She is survived also by a brother. Rufe Slaughter of Big Spring, and a sister, Mrs. Lou Sutton, Hico.

She was laid to rest beside her husband and son at Hico Cemetery, Aug. 4, at 2 p. m. Services were held at the grave, Rev. Alvin Swindell officiating. Ike Malone, Arthur Hendricks, Shady Williams, Silas Johnson, P. B. Bolton, and Herman Munnerlyn were pallbear-

In failing health and constant she lavisha on her children; no phrase tells of her great goodness; and for the sweet memory of her which blooms in the hearts of all who knew her there is no word. CONTRIBUTED.

#### CARD OF THANKS We cannot begin to find words to express our thanks for presence of our friends during

our recent bereavement and for their beautiful floral offerings. These expressions of sympathy Mrs. Eddie Gore and daughter, have meant more to us than words and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Reynolds, can tell .- THE HARDY FAMILY. Mr. and Mrs. George Jones have

that the next rennion would be nieces, Misses Betty and Marie son. Hugh, of Dallas visited here

Mrs. Geo. Jones.

Names of those who have visited he News Review office and registered since the list printed in last week's paper appear below. (Unless otherwise indicated, the paries are from Hico.)

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