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Tragedy Nears Texas Parade
A concrete railing at Houston lined with spectators watching an Armistice Day parade...

String Makes Boy Cough
Ray Steel, 15, Tyler school boy, coughed up a piece of red string eight inches long Saturday morning...

Urges Texans to War On Waste
Wage war on waste Wednesday, Governor Stevenson urges. As a feature of Defense Week Wednesday was War Against Waste Day...

Thousands Visit Observatory
A total of 8,875 persons visited McDonald Observatory on Mount Locke, near Fort Davis, from May to the end of September...

Women Named J. of P.
Mrs. Minnie Miller, widow of L. L. Miller Jr., who died recently at his home in Farmersville, Monday was named to succeed him as justice of the peace in Collin County...

Temple Firm Gets Big Contract
Representative Poage, Texas, announced Wednesday the War Department had awarded a \$490,000 contract to the American Desk Manufacturing Company at Temple, Texas, for the construction of munition boxes...

Keist Estate \$3,700,000
A preliminary report on the estate of the late E. J. Keist, Dallas newspaper owner, show assets estimated at \$3,700,000...

Feed Dealers At 2-Day School
Approximately 50 feed dealers and salesmen within a radius of 300 miles of Fort Worth were in that city Thursday and Friday to receive training in the most modern methods of profitable care and feeding of livestock and poultry...

Four Injured In Accident
Four persons were resting well in Waco City Hospital Tuesday from injuries received in an automobile accident Monday morning while en route to their home in Hamilton from Waco where one of the four, Julius Scheu, was granted final citizenship papers by Judge Charles A. Boynton in federal district court that morning...

New Testament Translation
After ten years of labor, a committee of church scholars has produced a new translation of the new Testament in "Basic English." "Basic English" had been developed by C. K. Ogden, of the Orthological Institute of Cambridge, England, and it is said that by means of 850 "basic words," used in accordance with a few simple rules, any idea can be expressed in the English language.

Circus Aerial Queens Coming to Hico



A group of beautiful young female performers will thrill circus crowds in Hico when Dailey Bros. Circus gives exhibitions here Wednesday, November 19th.

Women Seek Support In Efforts to Beautify City

Every woman, boy and girl in Hico interested in making our city beautiful for Christmas time, is asked to meet us at the City Hall Next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons to make cedar garlands for street decorations.

Sale of Bonds and Stamps Rises During October

Washington, D. C.—Sales of Defense Savings Bonds increased 15.5 per cent in October over September, the Treasury Department announced last week. Total sales for the six months since the Defense Savings Program was launched on May 1 last are \$1,775,124,000.

Health Dept. Joins Move to Prevent Accidents

Austin, Texas, Nov. 12.—The Texas State Health Department has joined the President in his effort to prevent accidents. The rising accident toll is a menace to our national defense program and, unless checked, can seriously hinder our efforts.

Red Cross Roll Call Quota Set; Drive to Start This Morning

A breakfast at the Russell Hotel opened the 1941 Red Cross drive this morning. The breakfast was attended by the chairman and nine workers, with the hopes of obtaining the goal set before night, according to a statement given out by E. H. Henry, local chairman.

As America has called her young men to the colors she has called her young women to the home front. America is now ready for full steam ahead in the Defense Savings Program.

Officers of the Hamilton County Fifth Sunday Singers Association, Orlie McDermitt, president; J. W. Jordan, vice-president, and Hazel Curry, secretary-treasurer, make announcement of the date and place for holding the convention this month, as follows:

Choral Clinics to Be Conducted in High Schools

Austin, Nov. 12.—The State Department of Education will conduct a series of 28 high school choral clinics this fall with first Texas All-State High School Chorus to be held in Austin on November 18 and 19. L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Schools, announced today.

Committee Named to Make Canvass On Stamps, Bonds

Claud Jones of Hamilton, chairman of the Defense Savings Committee for Hamilton County, was in Hico Wednesday checking up on the local committee of which J. E. Harrison is chairman, and arranged for a meeting of the committee which was to be held at City Hall in Hico Thursday night at 7 o'clock.

The following letter from Mr. Jones to Mr. Harrison explains the duties of the committee and what it is hoped may be accomplished.

Hamilton, Tex., Nov. 8, 1941. Dear Mr. Harrison: I appreciate receiving your recent letter. We have quite a big job to put over in this county, and it will be comparatively easy if the proper cooperation is received.

Mr. Scofield's letter, further explaining the plan, follows. Austin, Oct. 29, 1941. Dear Mr. Harrison: At the request of the Honorable Claud Jones, Chairman of the Defense Savings Committee for Hamilton County, you are hereby appointed a member of that Committee to serve throughout this unlimited emergency of our country with your Chairman in the organization and sale of Defense Savings Stamps and Bonds in Hamilton County.

Singing Convention to Be Held Nov. 16 At Liberty-Ohio

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Students Pilo. Deadliest Dive Bombers



Two of the United States navy's newest and deadliest dive bombers are shown flying over Miami, Fla. At the controls are student pilots from a U. S. navy air training station, where pilots for these ships receive special training. Experts say these planes are more efficient than Germany's famed Stukas.

Tigers "Prime" For Gorman Game Tuesday Night

The Hico Tigers will meet Gorman in their annual clash in the Hico Stadium Tuesday, November 18, at 7:30 p. m., according to an announcement from the office of the superintendent, who adds the following interesting information about the game:

The standing of the two teams is as follows: On paper and in conference standing, Gorman has a little better record than Hico. They have won two conference games and Hico, so far, has won only one conference game.

Every man on the Hico squad is in fine shape. The boys have improved one hundred per cent in their blocking and tackling. Especially in their downfield blocking have they improved.

With the blocking and running of Capt. White, Pete Russell, Currie Polk, Thurman Bradford, Billy McKenzie, George Stringer and Walter Ramey, it is hard to say which ones will start the game but every one of them will play a part of the game.

Table with 4 columns: Date, High, Low, Prec. Day. Rows for Nov 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11.

NYA Operating 73 Special Defense Projects In Texas

Austin, Nov. 12.—In the past three months the State Council of Administrators, in charge of the national defense training program in Texas, has added 29 National Youth Administration Special Defense Projects to the original 44 which were designated as such upon August 1, according to C. Kellam, state NYA administrator.

Under this joint program of the three agencies, the TSAS selects NYA youth who are qualified for defense training and later assists in placing them into defense occupations; the NYA provides work experience which helps to qualify the young people for jobs in defense industries; and the State Board for Vocational Education, in cooperation with the local schools, provides instructors for related training classes.

NYA Defense Projects, where Texas boys and girls are receiving work experience and related information and training in welding, sheet metal, machine shop, ground aviation, airplane mechanics, radio forging, power sewing machine, and shop construction work, are located in Ranger, Marshall, South Houston, Inks Dam, Burnet, Dallas, Bonham, Waco, Meridian, Lufkin, Hillsboro, San Augustine, Smeletown, El Paso, Brenham, Laredo, San Antonio, Seguin, McAllen, Houston, Cuero, Cleburne, Fort Worth, Denison, Palestine, Navasota, Port Arthur, Liberty, Tyler, Kennedy, Corpus Christi, Austin, Graham, Kaufman, Prairie View (Negro), Waxahachie, San Marcos, Bastrop, Paris, Greenville, Gladewater, and Camp Normoye, San Antonio.

Thirty-First Call For Selectees from Hamilton County

Hamilton County Local Board No. 1 received its 31st call for White Selectees this week for eight men to be delivered to the Induction Station at Dallas, Texas, on December 10, 1941. No registrants have been directed to report on this call date.

Methodist Church

Rev. Floyd W. Thrash was returned to the Hico pulpit for another year when the appointments of the Central Texas Conference were read by Bishop Ivan Lee Holt last Sunday afternoon in Fort Worth.

Firemen Will Sponsor Circus Here Next Week

After a lapse of many years Hico and vicinity are to be entertained by a real circus, one of merit. Dailey Bros. Circus is the title of the attraction, the date will be Wednesday, Nov. 19th, and the Hico Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor the event. This is one of those three-ring affairs that see it all. Claiming to be very different from other shows on account of the unusual variety of its two hour circus program and the fact that most of the acts are new and sensational, the Dailey Circus boasts of the quality of its performances rather than the quantity.

Due to the wars in Europe most of the circus celebrities of the war ridden countries fled to America for work and many of these are now on the Dailey Bros. Circus presenting their sensational, thrilling acts and mysterious novelties for the first time in this country. Trained wild and domestic animals; beautiful aerial queens in elegant costumes; a circus concert band that keeps the feet of the spectators in motion; a company of clowns presenting clean, original comedy; these incidents blended together make a circus entertainment not soon forgotten.

A large group of beautiful young feminine arena stars, any one of whom could win a beauty contest on account of her beauty and perfect figure, will thrill the crowds by their reckless performance of dangerous stunts. After each thriller and the company of clowns rush upon the scene to help the spectators relax from the tension caused by the daring work of the brave young girls. One of the most charming, dainty little performers is Little Norma Davenport, twelve years of age, and as clever a performer at that age as are most adult actors.

Town Will Take Thursday, Nov. 27 For Thanksgiving

Hico business houses, schools and the citizens in general will observe the traditional date of the last Thursday in November for Thanksgiving, according to information received by the News Review in a check-up made Thursday, in which several businessmen, the mayor and the superintendent of schools indicated that November 27 seemed to be the preference of the general public and that they had made announcements to that effect.

P.-T. A. to Meet

The Hico P.-T. A. will meet Wednesday, Nov. 19, in the high school auditorium at 3:30 p. m. The delegate to the State convention will give her report. Our teachers are cooperating 100 per cent, and we want the parents to be interested, too.

DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q. When will the "drive" to sell Defense Savings Bonds begin? A. There will be no "drive." Many people think of the Defense Savings Program as like the Liberty Loan campaigns of the first World War, which were conducted for stated periods to raise specific quotas. The Defense Savings Program is a long-range, continuing effort to stimulate the public to buy more and more Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps month by month, and is essentially a program to promote mass saving, as well as to provide money for defense.

Troops Take Over Defense Air Plant



U. S. army troops are shown lined up in front of the Bendis, N. J., plant of Air Associates, Inc., after the army took over the defense plant in accordance with orders given by President Roosevelt, to insure production of vital aircraft equipment for the defense effort.

'REDELL ITEMS

By Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. Homer Woody, who has been in California for some time, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. Moore is at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Myers of Fort Worth.

The turkey picking started here Tuesday night; picking day and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whitley bought the Scales house, where the telephone office was.

Mrs. F. M. Collier returned Sunday from a visit to her children in Marshall, Arkansas.

Marshall Plummer returned Saturday from the training camp in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Mino Loughlin and children of Dallas spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Collier and children of Abilene spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. F. M. Collier.

Miss Jeanne Parker, who works in Dallas, spent the past week end with her mother, Mrs. R. D. Ford.

R. Y. Gann, who works in Fort Worth, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Albert Polnac and children of Dallas spent the week end here.

Miss Dorothy Nell Jaehne went to Fort Worth Monday.

Tom Conley, who works in San Antonio, took the flu and came home Thursday.

Misses Kathaleen Hughes, Wilma Russell, and Lucille Owens who are working in Fort Worth spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Bethel Hughes went to Walnut Springs after them.

Miss Charlene Conley, who is in John Tarleton, spent the week end at home. She was accompanied by a college girl friend.

Miss Helen Harris attended the state convention of the Eastern Star Lodge at Amarillo this week. She was accompanied by her mother.

Mr. Miller, a teacher in grammar school, has been ill for a few days with a severe cold. He is now well again and able to teach.

Mrs. Ida Honeycutt has returned to her home in Alabama after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Appleby, and other relatives. Her husband came and visited here a week and accompanied her home.

Mrs. Addie Scales and daughter, Miss Nell, and her dog of Austin visited here this week.

Mr. Brantley Hudson of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hodges and baby and her mother, Mrs. Cavett, all of Stephenville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Laswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Fouts of Dallas spent the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Long of Bluffdale is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. J. E. Lawrence, Susie Freeman and Johnny Jean Harper were in Meridian Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Squires spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. John Pruett, at Spring Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Tidwell of San Antonio visited his parents and other relatives here Monday.

Rev. Candiff preached a fine sermon Sunday on Armistice Day. A large crowd was present, some of them being ex-soldiers. C. R. Self and Billy Royce Newsom played special pieces on their horns, which all enjoyed. Miss Charlene Conley gave a reading. All was very nice and in keeping with Armistice Day. The church

was decorated with the United States flag.

Mrs. Burnet Whitlock spent the week end in Waco.

Mrs. John Prater of Duffau visited Miss Stella Jones Monday. Her daughter, Mrs. Louie Sonntag of Meridian, came after her to visit her a few days.

Rev. Morphis was returned to Iredell another year, of which all are glad. He will preach here Sunday. All come and hear him.

Mr. Cox, a brother of Mrs. Purdue, now deceased, who has been at their house all summer, was there before Mr. and Mrs. Purdue passed away, left this week for Spur to make his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Oldham and son spent Sunday in Hico with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Phillips, and went to see their new daughter, born Tuesday, Nov. 4. They are at the home of her grandmother.

The W. M. S. had the Week of Prayer. Had some last week and finished up Monday. All the Methodist ladies are invited to attend these meetings every Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McLendon Sunday.

Buck Springs

By — Lorene Hyles

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Oakley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Parker and family Sunday night.

Mrs. Carroll McLendon visited Mrs. Floyd Crafton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McLendon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Hicks Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Odell recently.

Mr. Gene Johnson visited Russell and Ray Johnson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hyles and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnson and family Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McLendon Sunday.

Millerville

By — Chas. W. Giesecke

A large frost and some ice were seen here Wednesday morning.

Clarence Higginbotham took some lambs to the Stephenville market Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Shaffer attended church services at Unity last Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Mankin of Bisbee, Arizona, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Phipps, for a few days.

Lawrence Thornton visited his uncle at Chalk Mountain Tuesday.

L. B. Giesecke and daughter, Oneida, were in our vicinity Monday.

M. E. Giesecke was in Stephenville last Monday on business.

Mrs. E. B. Conner visited her sister, Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, one day this week.

Falls Creek

By — Lula Mae Coston

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Cook and children of Stephenville spent Sunday in the Grady Coston home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russ Brummett of Fairy spent Tuesday with Mrs. Copeland and Mr. and Mrs. Whitlock.

Mr. Ted Chesley and Mr. John Sullivan of Hamilton visited Mr. Grady Coston Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coston and Lula Mae were in Hamilton Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williamson of Hico spent Sunday with Mrs. W. W. Foust.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths and son, Don, of Hico visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Woodward, Miss Fannie Wood and her mother of Hico visited recently with Mrs. Copeland and Mr. and Mrs. Whitlock.

Clairette

By — Nila Marie Alexander

Rev. Clifton Mills of Naples filled his regular appointment here Sunday night.

I. E. Durham of Belton spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. S. O. Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cosby of Carlton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Cosby.

Mary Jo Alexander of Hico spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown of Stephenville were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wolfe Sunday.

Miss Florine Havens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Havens, who is attending Sellers Beauty School in Fort Worth, won first place in the Sellers hair-styling show that was held Thursday night, November 6th. She received a gold loving cup as an award for first place.

Miss Havens styled the hair of Miss Vonelle Wright of Iredell, who is also a student in the Sellers school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lila Lee of Mineral Wells spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lee.

Lila Sherrard of Mineral Wells spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard.

Rita Hardin spent Sunday with Elizabeth Alexander.

Miss Billie Elliott of Comyn spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Head and children and Mrs. George W. Salmon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Havens and R. M. Alexander attended the Sellers Hair Styling Show in Fort Worth last Thursday night.

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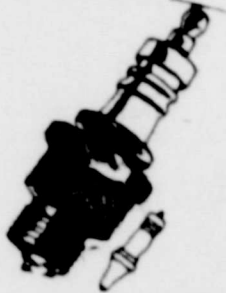


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Salem

By — Mrs. W. C. Rogers

We are enjoying some nice cool sunshiny weather which is fine for the fall work that is being done at this time.

The Salem Club met at the teachers last Thursday and quilted one quilt. A covered lunch was served in the school lunch room to about twenty-five women.

Mrs. C. D. Cunningham of Stephenville spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. T. R. Laney, and John Laney.

Mrs. J. A. McEntire, Mrs. W. D. Nelms, Mrs. T. A. Laney, Mrs. H. G. Driver, Mrs. W. C. Rogers, and Mrs. J. S. Anderson and son, Jackie Dean, of Duffau, carried covered dishes and enjoyed a ground spread Monday noon honoring Mrs. W. M. Roberson's birthday. Miss Loeta Roberson filled in the gaps with other good things. Mrs. Cristy Roberson and Mr. W. M. Roberson also took dinner there. Everyone had a good time and wish Mrs. Roberson many more happy birthdays.

Duane and Harold Crist of Fluvanna, Texas, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crist, and daughter, Miss Mary Alice.

The Selden basketball teams came here and played Friday afternoon, both Selden teams winning.

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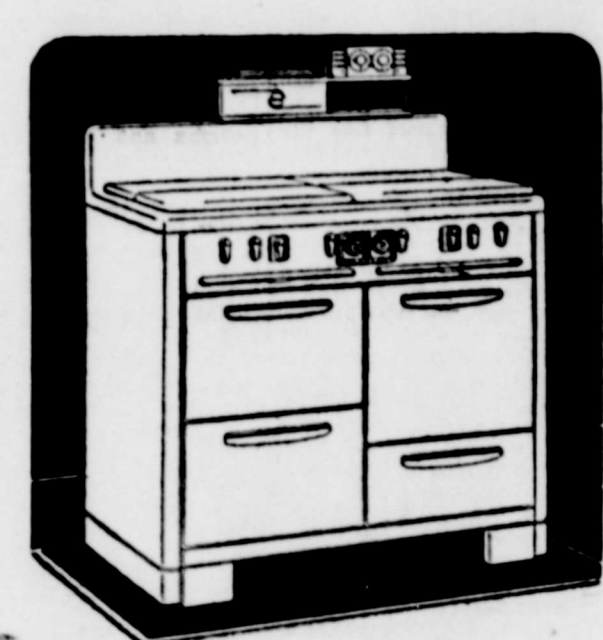
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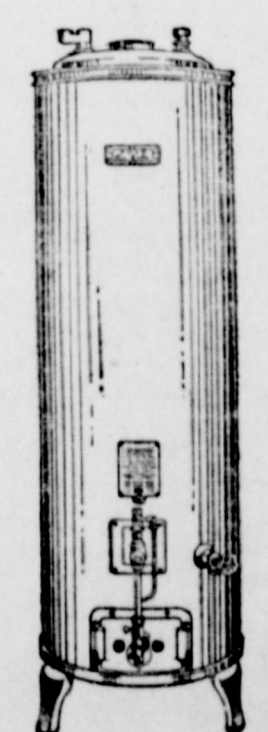
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Local Happenings

Mrs. May Bates spent the week end in Dallas visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lackey and Miss Florence Chenault spent Sunday in Waco visiting relatives.

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Mrs. J. J. Harvey of Hamilton was in Hico Thursday visiting old friends and relatives.

Misses Thoma Rodgers and Jewell Shelton spent the first of the week in Galveston visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roberson.

Jim Carmean and daughter, Carlone, of Fort Worth were in Hico Saturday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bellville of Stephenville visited friends in Hico Armistice Day.

Mrs. Ardis Shook and Mrs. Anna Driskell were Meridian visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Cate of Fort Worth were Hico visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Albert Buhl Sr. and Mrs. Manila Pitts of Stephenville spent Friday here visiting Mrs. Roy Meador.

C. A. Waddell of Taylor, who made his residence in Hico a number of years ago, was here Thursday visiting old friends.

Mrs. R. C. Epperson and daughter, Anna Merle, of Goldthwaite spent Sunday here with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird of Matador were in Hico Thursday and Friday visiting her brothers, S. E. and Penn Blair, and their families.

Mrs. Harold Goolsby returned to her home in San Antonio Saturday after spending a few days here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Phillips of Pittsburg, Texas, spent the first of the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane, and family.

Grady Brown, who has been visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, for the past twenty days, returned to his duties at Ellington Field Wednesday.

Mrs. Young of Anson was a Sunday visitor in the home of her sister, Mrs. M. A. Cole.

O. W. Hefner Jr., third class yeoman in the U. S. Navy, is here on a ten-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hefner.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson of Dallas spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ford. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Make Johnson, in Hamilton during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Harris of Albany and Mrs. Horace Chandler of Goldthwaite were here Sunday visiting with friends and looking after their parents' graves in the Hico Cemetery.

Mrs. James Ross and Miss Frances Vickrey of San Angelo were here last week end visiting their mother, Mrs. A. A. Vickrey. She accompanied them home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Collins, accompanied by Mrs. Wade Greenhit, went to Fort Worth Sunday. Mrs. Greenhit remained in Fort Worth for a visit with relatives and Mr. and Mrs. Collins, who are on their annual vacation, plan to visit other points before returning home.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Swindell, E. S. Jackson, and Mrs. C. W. Shelton are in Abilene this week attending the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Five thousand Baptists are expected to be in attendance at this annual meeting which convenes from November 11 through November 14.

Misses Joyce Latham, Grace Holton, and Betty Jo Anderson and Ray Cheek and Dewayne Needham spent last Tuesday, Armistice Day, visiting in Fort Worth. A. C. Odell Jr. of T. C. U. returned with them Tuesday night. The group visited Mrs. Ellen Holton, who has been ill for the past month. She is the second grade teacher in the Hico Public Schools. Her condition has not been improved much, but she is doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. J. H. Morrill, the former Miss Mary Helen Hall, who was married here on August 31 and later went with her husband to Mattoon, Illinois, where he has been employed as a geologist, this week wrote the News Review saying she was delighted with married life and also enjoyed reading the Hico paper. She added in the note, changing the address of her paper: "This week we are moving about 30 miles south of Mattoon to a place very similar to Hico in size, but not as nice, of course, since it isn't home. However it is closer to St. Louis." The new address of the Morrills is 433 N. Main St. Altamont, Ill.

Mt. Zion

By Louise Hyles

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Shipman of Hamilton visited her brother, Si Rainwater and family, recently.

Mrs. Si Rainwater attended the P-T-A. meeting in Hico Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. B. F. Ince, Mrs. Fred Hyles and Mrs. Si Rainwater attended the Mt. Zion club's meeting at Mrs. Dock Simpson's Monday.

Mrs. Fred Hyles and little daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ralshack of near Lamesa, recently.

HONEY GROVE H. D. CLUB MET WITH MRS. BASHAM

Thursday afternoon, Nov. 6th, the Honey Grove Demonstration Club met with Mrs. E. E. Basham.

Officers were elected for 1942: President, Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr.; vice-president, Mrs. W. A. Moss; secretary, Ana Loue Moss; reporter, Mrs. Fern Jordan; educational committee, Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr.; program committee, Mrs. Walker Currie; exhibit committee, Mrs. Virgil Battershell; treasurer, Mrs. Lynn Harber; parliamentarian, Mrs. E. E. Basham.

Other business was attended to. Mrs. Basham made an uncooked jelly and how to decorate cakes for different occasions.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr., Mrs. Virgil Battershell, Mrs. J. W. Jordan Jr., Mrs. W. A. Moss and Ana Loue, Mrs. W. S. Price, Mrs. C. H. King, Mrs. Fern Jordan, Mrs. R. T. Battershell, a visitor, Mrs. Johnson Patterson, and hostess, Mrs. E. E. Basham.

Next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Virgil Battershell, November 28.

REPORTER.

MT. PLEASANT INDUSTRIAL CLUB MET OCTOBER 29

The Mt. Pleasant Industrial Club met with Mrs. Ben Wright Oct. 29.

The quilters came and spent the day. We quilted two quilts. Each lady brought a covered dish. At the noon hour a delicious lunch was served.

The ladies present were Meses Emmett Anderson, Ocie Clark, Leslie Arrant, S. N. Akin, John Abel, Hubb Pitts, Coyt Clark, J. J. Jones, Curtis Wright, W. T. Slater, J. W. Abel, Ella Shepherd, T. R. Parks, Clair Brunson, Glenn, Ted Arrant, and Misses Jimma Gann, Nora Abel, Loretta Lane, Oetha Blakley, and Wilhola Slater. We were happy to have as visitors Mrs. Clair Brunson, T. R. Parks, Hubb Pitts, and Miss Jimma Gann of Fairy; Mrs. Curtis Wright, Miss Loretta Lane, and Miss Oetha Blakley of Hico.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. W. Abel November 13.

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JENNIE MAE McDOWELL AND HENRY A. WIESER WED

(Hamilton Herald-Record)

Miss Jennie Mae McDowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDowell Sr. of Hico, became the bride of Henry A. Wieser, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wieser of Hamilton in a quiet ceremony performed Saturday evening, Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Walter Guin, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Golightly at Hamilton.

The vows were read before an improvised altar formed by two tall white columns topped with sprays of pink button chrysanthemums. Other floral decorations were sea island palms, baskets of glant white chrysanthemums and clusters of deep red dahlias.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wieser, brother and sister-in-law of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Golightly were the only other witnesses.

The bride wore a blue wool costume suit with black accessories, and her flowers were red rosebuds. She attended Mary Hardin-Baylor College at Belton and was graduated from the University of Texas at Austin.

Mr. Wieser is a graduate of New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell.

After the ceremony, refreshments were served by Mrs. Golightly, assisted by Mrs. Wieser, after which the couple left on a short wedding trip.

The ceremony was the first ever performed by Rev. Mr. Guin, who only recently was ordained as a Presbyterian minister and pastor of the Presbyterian church at Hamilton.

Moved to Avoca

Mrs. E. J. Parker, a long-time resident of Hico, rented her apartment house to Mrs. Nettie Meador and moved last Friday to Avoca, where she will make her home with her son, W. M. Looney.

Mrs. Parker, who has been an invalid for several months, had business qualifications and managed her own affairs well and engaged in the civic life of the town. She loves Hico and has always been loyal to her neighbors, friends and church, doing what she could for their advancement.

She has another son, Sam Looney, who has always lived near her except when in World War I. He will greatly miss her and so will all her friends. We are hoping that her health may so improve that she may come back to live amongst us again.

A FRIEND.

Greyville

By Nellie V. Mullens

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Lambert of Dallas spent the week end in the N. A. Lambert home.

Several families have moved to our community. They are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hendrix, Mr. Bee Greer and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney McCandless and baby. We are glad to welcome them to our community.

Misses Nellie V. Mullens and Mattie Greer of Brownwood spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mullens.

Mr. and Mrs. Funk of Honey Grove visit J. B. Bolton home last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Le and family and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson attended church in Sunday.

P. B. Bolton, editor in Hamilton.

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IT'S YOUR LIFE!

Texas Safety Association Austin

The Typical Accident Victim: He was a pedestrian. He was over 40 years of age—by no means decrepit; nevertheless his eyesight and hearing had passed their peak efficiency and he was less alert and agile than he had been only a few years ago. He had the usual worries that go with the adult life of the family bread-winner; he was frequently preoccupied, and occasionally downright absent-minded. He probably had had a couple of drinks.

He had never learned to drive a car, and his walking habits had been formed when automobiles were both fewer and slower than they are now.

He was wearing dark clothing, and while the headlights of the oncoming car seemed blinding to him, his outline was scarcely discernible to the driver against the dark background of the pavement. It was between six and seven o'clock on a late autumn evening, and he was struck just as he stepped out from between two parked cars preparatory to crossing between intersections on an unlighted street in a fairly large city. It can be you!

Save Peas and Beans

Peas and beans will soon mature and should be carefully conserved. One farm girl recalls that in 1917 she saved a quantity of dried black eyed peas by placing an open container of carbon disulphide (high life to you) in the top of a barrel of dried shelled peas. Local merchants paid \$14 for the peas in the spring of 1918.—The Progressive Farmer.

"The Flower of 101 D..." Flower of 101 D... that ours began blo... the earliest on rec... and will bloom on t... maintain that "no... known to man furnis... beauty for so long a... little trouble"... that you look out no... myrtle trees of colors... ly like and make cu'p... this fall. Look, too, to... hibiscus. And holl... planted now will pla... dividends in beauty... Dr. Clarence Poe, in... sive Farmer.



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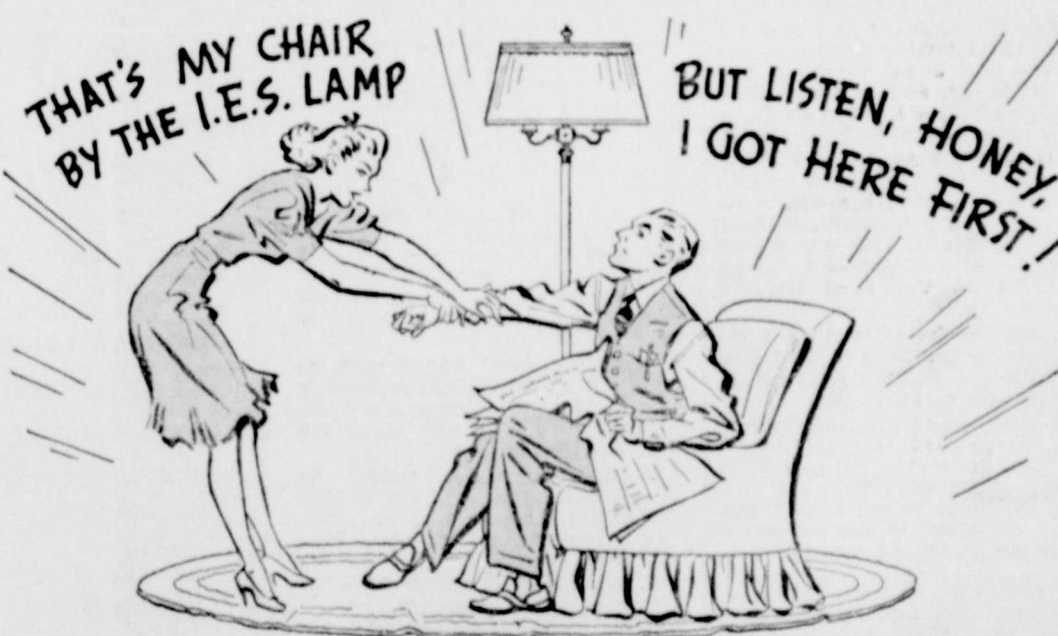
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'REDEPPHRES and DIAMONDS

by Miss Soby DOROTHY CRIDDLE TROWBRIDGE

Mrs. Homer Worth, California for turned home West. Mr. Moore is daughter, Mrs. Worth.

The turkey whose older sister, Maxine, is a Tuesday night star, is ashamed of night.

Mr. and Mrs. she pretends to Nancy, her grandmother does telephone office. From Harry Wilson Mrs. F. M. tests by chance she borrows day from a visit as an engagement ring. Marshall, Arkansas much interested in the Marshall Pike to see the man. When urday from the ring, Maxine asks a Louisiana. decides to tell her grand-children of end with hi-



"Well, putting it in another way," Gran began again, "which detective method do you use?"

Mr. and Mrs. children of Abby, she said finally. end with his don't approve of hav- Collier. detective come. I just Miss Jean going to get us all in a Dallas, spie. How did he happen with her me and know about you?" R. Y. Gann spring to Maxine.

Worth, spent at the studio in Holly- home. he was in Chicago he Mrs. Albert West Coast studios of Dallas spie, him that I was stop- Miss Dorot- a little visit before I to Fort Wor- so he came down Tom Conk- make sure that there Antonio, too- change in my plans. home Thurs- think I would arrive Misses Ka- ne in the hotel say he ma Russell- e today, so he called who are wr. He wanted to see me spent the w when Peggy suggested Bethel Hum come out to look for Springs at, he said all right. And Miss Ch- ing out in the morning. I John Tarl- be I had better explain at home. ate for breakfast. I think a colleg- ue best for Gran to ask me Miss Her questions. Peggy would state cor get all mixed up.

Star Lane had already made her ex- She wone the next morning when her two girls reached the dining Mrs. Horton looked up at ut is they entered.

ma was dear," she said, addressing dave. "I feel so badly to hear our engagement ring has been Mrs. ed while on a visit to us. I to her: that this young man-New- visit id you say his name was, and - will be able to find it came for you. Maxine assures secum I am among the best in his Miss carefully over your actions visited, you last saw your ring.

Mr. yes, Mrs. Horton, quite sp- ly."

It do seem to take the matter sensibly, I am sure. Peggy looks more as if she had not slept than you do."

It was true that Peggy had not slept well. She had been out of bed several times to look again among the clothes she had worn to the train. Could it be possible that she had dropped it on the old wood- en platform of the station when she went to put it into her bag? Or had it just dropped in plain sight of anyone who might come along and pick it up? But she remembered so well putting it into the bag and closing it.

It on each was she going to say to Harry next Wednesday if she had not found it by then? So her mind had raced throughout the night. No wonder Gran thought she looked as if she had not slept.

"Of course I am worried, Gran. To have Nancy lose such a gorgeous ring here!"

Her grandmother smiled at her. "But, my dear, rings cannot run away. And we know that there is no one here who would have taken it, so that leaves it simply misplaced. I feel sure that Mr. Newton will be able to suggest the place where it must be. Oh, that must be. I hear an automobile. We will go into the front parlor and see him there."

Maxine followed William to the front door while Mrs. Horton and the two girls crossed the hall and entered the front parlor. Peggy was surprised that her grandmother had chosen this place to receive a detective. It was here that Gran usually greeted her more important guests.

The old lady settled herself in a high backed chair with her back to the window, her tiny feet placed daintily side by side on an ottoman, the covering of which had been woven by her mother-in-law. When Mrs. Horton sat in that big chair with her feet on the ottoman she was like some little powerful judge who passed sentence on those who were brought before him. Peggy understood that now. Her grandmother was going to judge this Mr. Newton whom Maxine was recom- - Peggy had not thought of judging a detective, except by his speed in taking over the job and finding the ring.

"Well, putting it in another way," Gran began again, "which detective method do you use?"

She smiled to herself as she thought of some big Irishman— weren't all detectives Irish, or did that only apply to city cops?—coming into this room of her ancestors and being judged by Gran. She remembered a detective she had seen in one of Maxine's pictures. He was a large fat man who wore a derby hat on the back of his head, and who seemed always to have a long cigar stuck in the corner of his mouth. Suppose that was the man she could hear Maxine talking to now in the hall. Could Maxine really know someone like that? If a fat man with a derby on the back of his head and a cigar in the corner of his mouth entered this room he might just as well give up all thought of his helping her find the ring. Gran would get rid of him without giving him a chance, she was sure.

"Oh, I hope he won't be too bad," she prayed fervently as she heard footsteps crossing the hall. She shut her eyes, waiting to hear how Gran greeted him before she looked to see what he was like.

"Gran," Maxine was saying, "this is Stanley Newton, a friend of mine from California. My grandmother, Mrs. Horton, Stanley."

"I am delighted to meet you, Mr. Newton," Gran sounded as if she really meant it, and the muscles around Peggy's tightly closed eyes began to relax.

"I can't tell you—" Peggy didn't hear any more. Her eyes were open now. Wide open. She knew that voice. He wasn't fat, he wasn't wearing a derby, and he did not have a cigar in his mouth. Mr. Newton was the Man from California. So that was what a real detective was like.

"And my sister, Miss Margaret Horton," Maxine was saying, after she had introduced him to Nancy. Peggy had been standing in the shadows of the room and he evidently had not seen her until Maxine spoke. Recognizing her now he started eagerly forward.

"How do you do?" was her chilly greeting.

He stopped abruptly. "How do you do?" he answered with no inflection.

"Is the man crazy?" Peggy thought. "Imagine Gran's expression if I had rushed forward and we had shaken hands. Nice explanation. We had talked twice without either of us knowing who the other one was. Yes, that would have gone over big. I can see where he and Gran will not get along at all."

But on the contrary he and Gran seemed to be getting along famously. She had been watching Mr. Newton closely, and now smiled at him—one of Gran's nicest smiles—and he smiled back, and Peggy felt sure it was one of his very best, also.

"You won't think me presumptuous, will you, Mr. Newton," Gran began, "if I ask you which you consider the greatest—Sherlock Holmes, Philo Vance or Hercule Poirot?"

Mr. Newton drew his chair a little closer to the high backed one that held his hostess and leaned forward with enthusiasm.

"Presumptuous? I should say not, but you see that is something I would much rather discuss with you than just answer right off. As I see it Sherlock Holmes had—" But Peggy lost track of the conversation as she turned a puzzled face to Maxine, who shrugged her shoulders and looked blank. What on earth were they talking about? Of course she had heard of Sherlock Holmes, but what had he to do with these other two men? And what did Gran know about detectives? Peggy felt sure she had never seen one before.

"Well, putting it in another way," Gran began again, "which detective method do you use?"



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"THE FAIRIES"

Editors: Joylette Abel and Wilma Dean Mason

Seniors

We Seniors are very proud of our duchess, Joylette Abel, who was crowned queen of our Halloween carnival of 1941. Our blanket was given away to Mrs. Cliff Tinkle that night.

We have bought three pigs and are feeding them on the scraps from the lunch room. We hope that they bring us a good profit in the future.

Juniors

The Fairy boys and girls played Pottsville boys and girls in basketball Friday night. Even though we were defeated we had an enjoyable time. Everyone seems to have had a nice time over the week end as they are all smiles this morning.

We wonder what Winnie and Cecil have in common.

And also we wonder why Louise is courting an ex-soldier boy.

Wonder what Blondie said to Cecil that was so funny.

It seems that a certain boy in our class is getting along fine with the Senior girls.

The Junior girls seem to be taking up with the Sophomore boys. "You wouldn't know, would you, Imogene?"

One girl seems to like certain red-headed boys. Of course Norma Ruth is innocent.

Wonder why Jonnie can't understand Geometry?

Wonder who Peggy came back from Carlton with three weeks ago Saturday night?

Wonder what the boy's name was from Dublin that Margaret is courting?

George, did you make a hit with a certain girl in the Junior class?

Wonder why Maude moved to Fairy?

Sophomores

Our class had two booths Halloween night. With our money we used to buy play books and playground equipment.

We will take our three weeks tests this week.

Our class is enjoying our hot lunches.

We are expecting to go to the show this week.

Freshmen

Everyone had a nice time at the carnival Wednesday night. We had a nice crowd and had a nice time. The Freshmen made \$3.04 for their duke and duchess.

Wonder why Mary Alice wouldn't tell where she went Saturday night?

Wonder why Nelda Joy is so happy?

Wonder where Patsy Ann got her apple?

Wonder how Marcelle got to Fairy Saturday night?

Seventh Grade

We all had a nice time at our Halloween carnival. We made \$1.55 off of Thomas Slater's and Louise Parks' cake. We made 85c on the former and 80c on the latter.

We had a new student to start in our class this morning, who is Kathleen Shields, who lives about five miles from Fairy.

The most popular boy in our class for this week is Robert Clonch. He has blonde hair, blue eyes, weighs 120 pounds, and is about five feet tall. His boy friend is Billy Hutton.

The most popular girl in our class for this week is Stella Edmondson. She has blonde hair,

Toy Preview



America's way of living was the keynote of the 1941 Christmas toy-land offerings as previewed by the toy manufacturers in New York. Little Craig Smith, 4 1/2, is banking for a turn in his toy airplane at the exhibit.

brown eyes, and weighs 116 pounds. Her favorite sport is basketball and horseback riding. Her girl friend is Louise Parks. She brings up all of her daily lessons.

First and Second Grades

Mrs. Akin brought us some lovely flowers Thursday, which we appreciated very much.

The following names are the ones that went to Sunday school Sunday: Thomas Abel, Virginia Slater, Wynell Trantham, Dorothy Lambert, Louise Jackson, and Wilma Grace Goyne.

Wilma Grace Goyne visited relatives in Fort Worth last week end.

Everyone in our room is eating hot lunches.

We are very sorry to lose Barbara Lightfoot, who was a pupil in the second grade.

Girls' Sport News

We basketball girls are joining the High School Girls Basketball League of Texas. We are very proud of our coach, Miss Neal, and we are working hard to make a good team. Our girls who have suited up this year are Lola Mae Todd, Joylette Abel, Myrtle Duncan, Wynell Parks, Maudie B. Whitaker, Barbara Jones, Winnie Martin, Peggy Allison, Dorothy Duncan, Leona Simpson, Imogene Jameson, and Jimmie Ruth Thompson.

We are to play Carlton here next Tuesday night, and we go to Lamkin Friday night to play in the tournament.

Glee Club

The Sophomore, Junior and Senior girls met Tuesday, November 4, and organized a glee club. We elected the officers, who are as follows: Sponsor, Miss Neal; president, Wilma Dean Mason; vice-president, Joylette Abel; secretary-treasurer, Peggy Allison; reporter, Jimmie Thompson.

Program committee and leaders of the Senior class are Joylette Abel and Leona Simpson; leaders of the Junior class are Peggy Allison and Winnie Martin; Sophomore leaders are Charlene Richardson and Jimmie Thompson.

We plan to buy popular music each month.

Daphne Hoover is pianist.

Boys' Sport News

The Fairy boys' team have played

Pottsville twice and we were defeated each time. Carlton won when we played their team November 4. Our next game is to be with Carlton Tuesday night, November 12.

We hope to win some games in the tournament at Pottsville which starts Friday night.

On our first team are: Ray Arant, forward and captain; George Glynn, forward; Cecil Trantham, center and co-captain; George Walker, guard; and Edward Grimes, guard. Other players with suits are James Haile, Charles Abel, R. T. Simpson, Cecil Mackey, and Vernon Moore.

Our coach, Mr. Grisham, says that we can play hard if we try.

DEDICATED TO THE LATE DR. W. E. RUSSELL (Of Duffau and Hico)

By ROY B. MEPPERD

Being the son of a pioneer country doctor

He was well aware that pain and suffering were everywhere.

In the open spaces to manhood, he grew.

Never dreaming that country doctor he would be, too.

With a wife and three children to urge him to do his best,

At the end of four years study, tedious and hard

He returned to his beloved home to become blest.

The namesake of many and the angel of mercy to all hearths.

Friend to all, foe to none, for more years than two score

Answering calls to one and all time and again

With babies galore and patients sick and sore,

He worked day and night without thought of personal gain.

He came at last to three score and twelve years, his allotted

He with love and respect the multitude did show;

Still intent on relieving pain and misery to the last chime.

Without any thought of other honors frail man can bestow.

Finally he, too, fully aware that his race had ended,

Committed himself into the hands of the architect supreme,

Bade farewell to loved ones after pledges anew were mended.

Folded his span of earthly tenure about him and passed on to be serene.

"Well done, thou good and faithful servant" came.

His soul from mortal body had spun.

Memories of former mercies urge us on again,

And remind us that immortal life had well begun.

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Men's All Wool Belted Coat in Plaids	\$8.75
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Palace Theatre HICO, TEXAS

7.30 & 9.15—
"WILD GESE CALLING"
HENRY FONDA
JOAN BENNETT

7.30 & 9.15—
"BORDER VIGILANTES"
WILLIAM BOYD
RUSSELL HAYDEN

Also—
First Chapter of New Serial,
"SEA RAIDERS"

AT MIDNIGHT—
"MARRIED BACHELOR"
ROBERT YOUNG
RUTH HUSSEY

7.30 & 9.15 (NEXT WEEK)—
"DRESSED TO KILL"
LLOYD NOLAN
MARY BETH HUGHES
SHEILA RYAN

7.30 & 9.15 (NEXT WEEK)—
"SUN VALLEY SERENADE"
SONJA HENIE
JOHN PAYNE

Oven Drying Is Easy
You know that corn dried in an oven is just as palatable as home-canned corn and is absolutely safe from botulism (food poisoning)?
Vegetables and fruits are especially recommended for those who do not have a pressure cooker. First, give all products a thorough cleaning, then wash in bluing water or live steam for 10 minutes. A dehydrator made of wood and wire can be used on the stove, but a great deal of drying can be done in the oven. Temperature for drying should not exceed 150 degrees which can be maintained with a very limited quantity of fuel. Keep the oven slightly open to allow the steam to escape so that the products will actually dry. The length of time varies from 2 to 3 hours for leafy vegetables, up to 6 or 8 hours for peas or cut string beans.

Howitzer Shells For Hitler



Passed by Censor.
THIS small corner of a munitions plant somewhere in Canada which is manufacturing howitzer shells gives an idea of the vast munitions program upon which the Dominion is engaged. In the manufacture of shells, chemicals and explosives, Canada has assumed a position of supreme importance in the war. Nine of the Dominion's twelve chemical and explosive plants (one of them the largest in the British Empire) are producing and the

Further Cut in Cotton
Secretary Wickard's recent address in Waco indicates that the Department of Agriculture has in mind a further adjustment in the cotton acreage. He stated that even if the United States is able to export 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 bales annually after the war, a further reduction in production would be required.

We agree with Secretary Wickard that "this is the time of all times for the South to make further adjustments in cotton." At present there is a market for all the dairy products, the meat, vegetables, chickens, and eggs the South can grow, not only for Great Britain but our own people too. The time would seem to be made to order for the South to get its carry-over cotton down so that when and if world markets open up after the war, we shall have our cotton business on a sound basis. Right now the world needs no more cotton. It needs food. Later we may have no such mar-

ket for food, and it will be fine if meanwhile our cotton supplies have been brought to normal so we may go ahead and produce a fair-sized crop.—The Progressive Farmer.

Help the Neighbor Down the Road
"Don't stop with your own pantry shelves. Help the busy neighbor down the road to reach her canning budget," says The Progressive Farmer, and adds the following timely suggestion for young people in rural communities: "Keeping in mind that the heaviest responsibility for food preservation will fall on the farmer's wife, we feel it would be a splendid move if, in every community, the girls could organize a volunteer canning corps. These girls, by offering their services at least one day each week, could give a tremendous amount of help to busy homemakers—homemakers who because of small children, illness, lack of training, or other handicaps, are sorely in need of an

extra pair of willing hands, particularly during the canning season. What better way for a farm girl to do her part in our national defense program than to contribute toward an adequate diet for the farm people in her own community? Round up the girls in your community and start now."

Grated-Corn Bread

If you have ever wondered what could be done with fresh corn, too hard for roasting ears, here is the answer in a delicious bread made from fresh grated corn. We are indebted to Miss Nettie Schultz, home demonstration agent, Cooke County, Texas, for this recipe:
Grate 1 pint corn, add 2 eggs, slightly beaten, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1 tablespoon flour, 1 tablespoon melted butter, and enough milk to make a thin batter. Stir well. Bake in hot greased pan in moderate oven (325 to 350 degrees).—The Progressive Farmer.

JOE GISH



"I SAY 'ONLY TH' RICH DRIVE BIG IMPORTED CARS,' AIN'T EXACTLY CORRECT...SPECIALLY AFTER THEY FINISH TH' PAYMENTS.."

Hoffman's Fall SALE

Dress Sale
\$3.88
Sizes 9 to 46
Hoffman's are including their sparkling stock of dresses just to dress this sale up a bit—and you, too, ladies.
All Regular \$4.95 Values

Wholesale prices have advanced so rapidly in many cases they are higher than our retail prices! However Hoffman's anticipated these advances and are now able to offer you merchandise as cheap as you could buy from the wholesaler. Check these prices closely and buy your needs for some time to come.

Blanket Sale
Double Cotton Blankets \$1.15 r.
5% Wool Double Blankets \$1.98 r.
25% Wool Double Blankets \$2.98 r.

DOMESTIC 7c
36 In. Unbleached d.
9-4 Bleached Garza d.
SHEETING . . . 3c

OUTINGS 1c
36 In. Solid Color f.d.
Broadcloth . . 1 1/2c

WOMEN'S SHOE SALE
\$2.99
Reg. \$3.95
Stock of Women's Suede Dress Shoes
On Sale
Just when you need them to spruce up your winter costume. Plenty of Low Heels — Blacks & Browns.
Sizes 4 to 9 — Widths AA - B
Reg. \$2.49
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LEATHR JACKS \$5.99
Reg. \$8.00

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Reg. \$4.95
Corduroy Jackets
For Women Red - Brown - Blue

Men's Sanforized Pr.
Khaki PANTS \$25
Men's 8 oz. Sanforized Pr.
OVERALLS \$39

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After Dark!! ... by Rice
YOUR SILHOUETTE CAN SAVE YOUR LIFE!!
This is why
IN FIGURE 1 YOU BLEND WITH THE BACKGROUND YOU MAY NOT REFLECT ENOUGH LIGHT FROM THE MOTORIST'S HEADLAMPS FOR HIM TO SEE YOU BY.
IN FIGURE 2 MODERN SAFETY LIGHTING CREATES A BRIGHT ROAD SURFACE AGAINST WHICH THE PEDESTRIAN OR OTHER OBJECTS CAN BE SEEN.
On Unlighted Highways your Safety is your Own Responsibility

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The duke of Gloucester, brother of King George of England is shown (left) with Engineer Col. Fordham as they emerged from one of the tunnels that run through the great fortress Rock of Gibraltar. Military experts look for lightning at Gibraltar should the Russ stall the Naal drive for the winter.

COTTON QUIZ

WHAT IS THE STRENGTH OF COTTON AS COMPARED WITH STEEL?
WHAT IS THIS?
THE TENSILE STRENGTH OF COTTON IS GREATER. LABORATORY TESTS SHOW THAT COTTON FIBERS HAVE A TENSILE STRENGTH AS HIGH AS 100,000 LBS. TO THE SQUARE INCH, AS COMPARED WITH STRUCTURAL STEEL'S 60,000.

JOE GISH

"JOE CURRICK'S BOY WRITES: 'I HAD TROUBLE GOING ON SUCCESS AVE. AS LONG AS I KNEW IT ALL — BUT NOW THAT I HAVE MY DOUBTS, I'M GETTING PLACES...'"