

Housewives Warned Not to Lose Value of Their Blue Tokens

Housewives were reminded today by Jess Brown, chairman of Hamilton County War Price and Rationing Board, that if they do not want to lose the point value of their blue tokens they should use them before September 17, because after that date through September 30, blue tokens will be accepted by the grocer only in groups of ten.

Mr. Brown said the following points should be kept in mind by consumers in making use of the blue tokens they have on hand: 1. Consumers may use their blue tokens just as they have always used them, until Sept. 17.

The chairman explained that the tokens grocers receive from consumers may be deposited in ration bank accounts during the period of October 1 to October 9. Where less than 250 are deposited they should be in sealed envelopes with the number marked on the outside.

Erath County REA Recently Allotted Additional Funds

The Erath County Electric Co-operative Association, with offices at Stephenville, Texas, has been allotted an additional \$70,000.00 by the Rural Electrification Administration in St. Louis for line construction and short U-I-c extensions.

Business Meeting of Red Cross Workers Saturday Afternoon

There will be a business meeting of all workers of the Red Cross Saturday afternoon, Sept. 16, in the Red Cross room.

ATTEND DALLAS CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Russell returned Wednesday from Dallas, where they had attended the Democratic State Convention the first of the week.

besides farm, be good neighbors, and correspond for the News Review. They must have an excellent orchard, judging from the specimens of pears they brought in to town one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Akin of the Mt. Pleasant community, near Fairy, find time to do lots of things



ANOTHER NAME ADDED TO LIST OF CASUALTIES FROM THIS COMMUNITY

To the casualty lists which continue to include more and more names from Hico and community must be added that of Staff Sergeant John Harold Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Russell, Route 6, Hico.

Sgt. Billie B. Blakley Receives Air Medal For Service Under Doolittle

Special to The News Review: AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE COMPOSITE STATION, ENGLAND.—Award of the Air Medal to Sergeant Billy B. Blakley has been announced by Lieutenant General Doolittle, Commanding General of the Eighth Air Force.

LOCAL NURSE IN FRANCE FOLLOWING UP ALL THE BIG BATTLES

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jones, Route 1, Hamilton, former residents of Hico, have recently heard from their son and daughter in England.

Had Grandstand Seat for Invasion of Southern France

AT A 12TH AAF AIR BASE IN CORSICA.—Flying as pilot of a B-25 Mitchell medium bomber, Second Lieut. Donald D. Rackley had a grandstand seat to view the invasion of Southern France on D-Day.

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ANOTHER BATCH OF NEWS FROM SERVICE MEN FROM OUR FAITHFUL REPORTER

Dear Editor: Clifford Herrington, whose address is in care of the Fleet Post Office in New York City, writes that he is well and happy as can be expected.

SAILOR BILL D. SMITH ADMITS BEING 'KNOCKED OUT' BY POWDER PUFF

Bill D. Smith, one of the best caddies ever to operate on Hico's Bluebonnet Golf Course, and who was later sought out at Spring Lake in Waco by those who knew how lost a ball could be before he would give up, spun the editor a yarn on his latest visit to his old home.

HICO GIRL'S HUSBAND RECEIVES PRESIDENTIAL CITATION RECENTLY

Special to The News Review: AT A 12TH AAF B-25 BASE.—The veteran B-25 Mitchell bomb group to which Second Lieutenant Donald D. Rackley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer J. Rackley, 1121 Hale Street, Brownwood, Texas, and husband of Sue (Tabor) Rackley of Hico, Texas, is assigned has been cited by the President of the United States for outstanding performance of duty in action against the enemy.

ED ALLISON RECEIVES INTERESTING LETTER FROM CORPORAL J. J. JONES JR.

Chungking, China, September 2, 1944. Mr. E. C. Allison Sr., Fairy, Texas. Dear Mr. Allison: I appreciated your letter very much. The news from home is of far more interest to me than the war news.

Olin H. D. Club Held Community Party In the Basham Home

The Olin Home Demonstration Club sponsored a community party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Basham, Thursday night, Aug. 31.

The subject was "Post War Problems." A round-table discussion was planned, and Mr. W. G. Kennedy had charge. He opened the program by saying this was a free country, with free speech for everybody, and he wanted everyone to feel free to talk during this program.

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B. & P. W. Club Entertained Sept. 5th With 'Tacky Party'

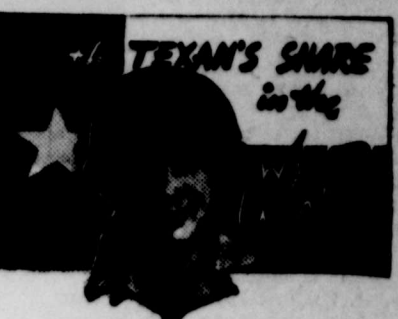
The Hico Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday night, Sept. 5, for their regular monthly meeting, with Miss Fannie Wood, Miss Jessie Garth, and Mrs. S. W. Everett as hostesses.

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Not all of the Texans who are helping to win the war are in uniform. While fighting men this week were drawing the noose tighter around the Nazi throat, and others were blasting their way steadily ahead in the Pacific, hundreds of men and women on the Texas home front were backing them up with activities designed to guarantee to "our own and our allies" all the services that they have a right to expect from a grateful nation.

This column usually concerns itself with the men in the front-line fight. This week, however, it is going to tell the story of the army of community and county leaders that is fighting here in Texas. It is the story of busy business and professional men—patriotic farmers and ranchers—in every walk of life—who are taking time off from their own tasks to devote a period of several weeks to support our fighting forces.

Typical Texans like R. D. Sanders of Sulphur Springs, W. J. Meyers of Pecos, Roscoe Pryor of Harlingen, W. B. Hargis of Pine-land, E. L. Norman of Floydada, and Eck Brown of Dalhart. . . Patriotic county leaders such as Claude Calloway of Crowell, John Harris of Coleman, W. T. Minor of Montague, J. Sherrill Kendrick of Gatesville, Joseph B. Cowan of San Saba. . . Veterans of former war fund campaigns, such as Dr. James Bauer of Refugio, K. M. McFarland of Center, W. H. Morehead of Richmond, James C. Cantrell of McKinney and J. P. Merritt of Colorado City. . . Civic leaders like H. Frank Goss of Ingleside. . . Outstanding women, of whom Miss Patti Reagan of Tilden and Mrs. W. W. Wolfe of Leakey are typical.

These are some of the local leaders who have accepted the task of raising Texas' share in the National War Fund. Together, hundreds strong and backed up by the full support and cooperation of their neighbors, they will raise almost \$5,000,000 during the next six weeks—Texas' portion of the \$15,000,000 which is required for service to our armed forces and our allies, and to relieve suffering among war victims throughout the world.

Their work is unselfish and is done without pay. It is an integral part of the nation's war program—a part that will send to our men the services of USO and USO-Camp Shows—a part that will send books, athletic equipment and supplies of a dozen kinds to our men in enemy prisoner-of-war camps—a part that will save the lives of millions of tiny children and helpless old people in lands blasted by battle.

Now, more than ever before, the work of the war-related agencies of the National War Fund is vital—vital to our fighting men, vital to our allies, and vital to the people of France, Belgium, Holland, Norway, Greece, and all the other war-torn nations.

Through their county war funds, they will call upon every Texan to help with the great cause. And under their leadership, every man and woman in the Lone Star State will certainly "Give a Texan's Share."

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Fairy

By Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We have had several days of ideal weather for farm work. The farmers are very busy combining maize and doing other field work.

Our school began Monday, but being unable to attend the opening (an occasion we seldom miss) and having had no report on the opening attendance, we are unable to give further details.

Rev. Cuiwell will fill an appointment at the Methodist church Sunday. This will be his last appointment before conference. All are invited to attend.

Carl Ray Sellers has been on the sick list for several days, but we are glad to report him improved at this writing.

Mr. Rayburn Noland of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Belcher of Victoria visited Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Noland and family Friday.

Mrs. H. H. Wolfe and Miss Geraldine Brummitt visited in the J. O. Richardson home Monday.

Mrs. Will Jones has returned to her home after several weeks visiting in the home of her children and grandchildren in California.

Mrs. A. R. Hoover visited last Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Emma Ogle and sister, Mrs. Leta Fort.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller recently moved back to Big Spring. Mr. Miller purchased the Deaton farm and they desired to make their home here. But due to the death of a brother-in-law, who was accidentally drowned a few months ago, they were obliged to return to assist his sister in any way possible after the death of her husband.

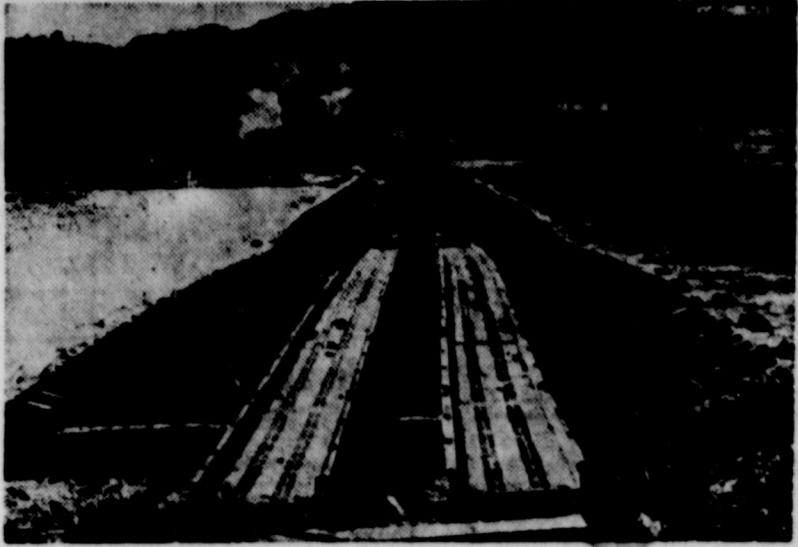
Mr. and Mrs. Miller were fine people and we regret very much their having to move away from our community, and hope that some time in the future they may again see fit to dwell in our midst. Allen Lewis will operate his farm the coming year.

Mrs. E. M. Hoover accompanied her daughter, Patsy Ann, to Fort Worth Sunday to make her home. She entered school at Paschal High School Monday, this being her last year of high school work, after which she will seek employment there. She will reside with her sister, Miss Daphne.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moore and Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Noland and daughters attended a family reunion at the home of J. I. Noland at Seldon Sunday.

Mrs. Brittle Little accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brummitt to the home of Mrs. Brummitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Kava-

Americans Cross Seine River



The first Allied tank rolls over a newly constructed pontoon bridge across the Seine river. The bridge was built by U. S. army engineers to replace one destroyed during German retreat.

naugh, of the Sunshine community, last Sunday after church, where they spent the remainder of the day. Mr. Kavanaugh has been in ill health for several years and we are sorry to learn he is still not much improved. We sincerely hope he will regain his natural state of health in the near future.

The rent house on Mr. I. N. Adams' place is being rocked and undergoing other improvements which add greatly to the appearance and comfort of the building.

Miss Bollier and Miss Kern, members of our school faculty, are residing at the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

We were very sorry to learn last week end of the death of Mrs. J. W. Burden, whose body was laid to rest Saturday afternoon in the Fairy Cemetery. The passing of Mrs. Burden calls to our mind that death has called another of a group of pioneers, who attended a birthday gathering honoring our mother-in-law, Mrs. L. P. Richardson, at the City Park in Hico back in '33 or '34, if our memory serves us right. After the noon hour all enjoyed gay conversation and making pictures, and one of these pictures included just the older group, 13 in number, nine of whom have been called by death. Those in the picture included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burden, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leeth, Mrs. B. A. Grimes, Mrs. Jim Blakley, Mrs. Maggie Patterson, Mrs. Fairy Phelps, and the hon-

ored, Mrs. L. P. Richardson. Only four of this number survive, these being J. W. Burden, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leeth, and Mr. Bob Parks. Those of the group who are now deceased were buried in the Fairy cemetery, with the exception of Mrs. Jim Blakley, who was buried at Hamilton, Oh. How true it is that "Time Changes Things."

Mrs. C. A. Brunson has just received the sad news that her brother, Mr. Jess Simons of Memphis, Texas, has passed away. Mr. and Mrs. Simons formerly lived here, his wife being the former Miss Maggie Purdon. We are very sorry to learn of his death and extend sympathy to his family and other relatives.

Uncle Bob Parks enjoyed having all his children visit him Sunday with the exception of Mrs. Bessie Jordan of Cleburne, who had just visited her father one day last week. Those present Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Willis McAdams of near Cranfill's Gap, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Ercey Parks, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks, and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks. A number of grandchildren were also present.

The R. E. A. employees were in our midst last week, tying on a new member, Mrs. Brittle Little, who will have the pleasure of enjoying the convenience of electricity as soon as she can secure the complete equipment to wire her house and get some of these busy farmers to do the work.

Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Geye

Those from Carlton attending the funeral in Hico last Saturday afternoon of Mrs. J. W. Burden, formerly a resident of Carlton, were Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Miller, Mrs. John H. Clark, Mrs. Fred Geye, Mrs. Sid Clark and her sister, Mrs. Frank Cook of Canyon, Mrs. Frank Stuckey, Mrs. Mack Stuckey, Mrs. Bettie Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Stuckey, Mr. and Mrs. Fern Jordan, Culmer Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Luker, Mrs. E. L. Fine, J. S. Minter, L. D. Sowell Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Clark, Misses Mattie and Alice Rogers, and Mrs. Avery Coffman. Mrs. Burden was the mother of Mrs. Charley Proffitt of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willford and daughter, Jackie, visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Stuckey.

Mrs. Wynne Moore and Miss Ino Mareno of El Paso spent Labor Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dove and son, John Lee, of Fort Worth were week-end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell Sr. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Clark and children, John Ralph and Patricia spent Sunday in Gustine with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Cox.

Pvt. and Mrs. Pat Moore and son of New Orleans are visiting his half-brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright visited Saturday in Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Alfred of Hamilton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harvey, and attended the singing.

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Tull and son, Billy, of Abilene visited over the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Tull, and his sister, Mrs. Lillie Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Vaughn and two sons of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt, and attended the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Burden.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright were visitors in Hamilton Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Turner and

son, Jimmy, of Alexander were week-end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Turner.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Anthony was destroyed by fire early Friday morning. Origin of the fire is unknown, as fire was discovered in the smoke-house near the house, and the family were all still in bed. Most of the household goods were saved.

Mrs. E. A. Blanchard of Stephenville spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Anderson, and grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Tull.

Mrs. Clifford Roberson and daughter left Monday for Dallas to make their home.

Beryl Cosby of Fort Worth spent the week end with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wright of Hico visited Sunday afternoon with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

Mrs. John McKenzie left Sunday for Lubbock to be with her daughter, Mrs. Claud Phillips, who is to undergo an operation this week.

Mrs. George Massingill is visiting in Comanche with her sons, Richard and Aaron, and families.

Seaman Second Class Grady Littleton left Monday for Mobile, Ala. after a visit with his wife and daughter and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor were in Gorman Thursday to have his wife's tonsils removed.

Pvt. Hal Sowell of Fort Sill, Okla., spent the week end here with his wife and his sister, Mrs. Jess Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnett and daughter of Gustine visited Monday with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hale of Olin were Sunday visitors with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ledbetter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Driver and Miss Ethel Murdock of San Antonio spent the week end with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Morgan visited at Jonesboro Sunday with his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Morgan.

Mrs. C. C. Dyer and daughter, Mrs. Grady Littleton, and Mrs. Hattie Fellman, sister of Mrs. Dyer, were in Dublin Monday afternoon. Joe Bush received a message

Sunday afternoon that his brother had passed away in Goldsboro. Mr. Bush left immediately for Goldsboro to be with the relatives and to attend the funeral on Monday.

Mrs. Will Barnett and daughter Latrelle, returned home Sunday

from Fort Worth after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Agatha Prater, and her daughters-in-law, Mrs. Page Barnett and Mrs. Herman Barnett. They accompanied her home, returning to Fort Worth Monday.

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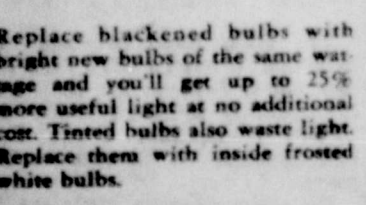
It's HOUSE CLEANING TIME for Lamps and Fixtures, Too!

YOU would be surprised how much dust and dirt hold back light from your reading lamp. Just by washing the bulb and diffusing bowl you can get 25 to 30% more useable light. So don't let accumulated grime rob you of vitally needed eye-sight protection. Wash bulbs, bowls, reflectors and enclosing globes regularly and get all the light you pay for.

Other Ways to Get More Light from Your Present Equipment



If lamp shades are dark or turned yellow inside you may be losing as much as 50% of the light. Clean or brush shades regularly, or if they are too bad retine them or replace them with fresh ones.



Replace blackened bulbs with bright new bulbs of the same wattage and you'll get up to 25% more useful light at no additional cost. Tinted bulbs also waste light. Replace them with inside frosted white bulbs.



Place lamps to make light more useful. By rearranging furniture, one lamp can often serve two or more people effectively. But be sure it isn't too far away from either.



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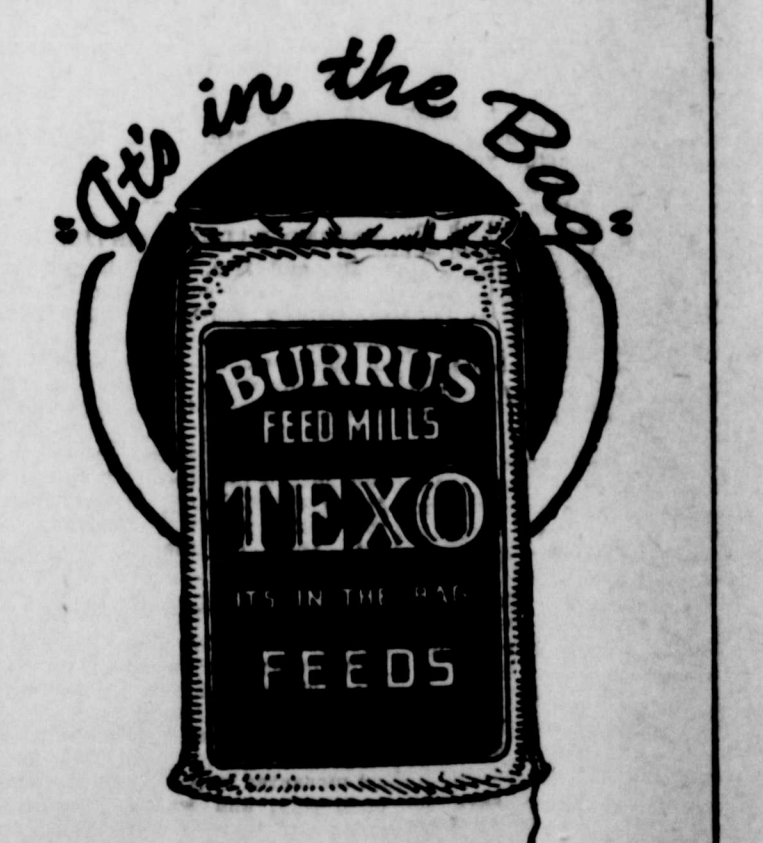
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IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Milam visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap, en route to Sanatorium from Hubbard. They were here from Tuesday till Thursday.

Mrs. Burns visited in Cleburne this week.

Mrs. Wilda Basham was in Fort Worth this week.

Harris Tidwell, who is in the U. S. Coast Guard and stationed in New York, is home on leave with his parents.

Clem McAden was in Fort Worth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis and daughter of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Maness and family have vacated the Simpson residence and moved to the residence vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Huckaby.

Mrs. Louise Griffin of Dallas visited her brother, Mr. Jaehne, and friends this week.

Mrs. Devereaux of San Antonio came in Thursday to visit her daughter-in-law and baby.

Mrs. Hugh Harris was called to San Antonio Tuesday night. Her grandson was seriously ill. He is the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Petty. He died before Mrs. Harris got there. Mrs. Billy Echols and her two brothers, Jack and James, attended the funeral. They were accompanied by Mrs. John T. Appleby of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Allen and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Joe White and son spent Sunday in Moshelm with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin of Rural Grove community visited his brother, who is very ill in the Stephenville Hospital, visited him this week.

Mrs. Bryan Smith has returned from El Paso, where she visited her son who is in camp there.

Cpl. and Mrs. Ralph Echols and J. D. McElroy, both in camp at Waco, spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones of Fort Worth visited here this week end.

Mrs. Janie Main has returned

from De Leon, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Lou Buchan.

Pvt. Jim McCoy of Camp Howze, near Galesville, is home on a furlough with his parents.

W. F. Turner Jr., who is in the Navy, is here visiting relatives.

Guy Frank Main, who is in the Navy, came in Friday from California for a leave with his wife and other relatives.

Mrs. Hayden visited in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Clanton, Mrs. Hayden Sadler and daughter, and Mrs. Aileen Strange and Nancy were in Waco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lott of Dallas visited here this week end.

Mrs. Norma Lee Gray and son are making their home with her father, Mr. Everett.

Charles Appleby of San Antonio is visiting here.

Mrs. Billy Echols and Mrs. R. S. Echols left Sunday for Sacramento, Calif., to visit Billy.

Mrs. A. N. Pike accompanied her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Goodman, to her home in Dallas.

Miss Mildred Harper has returned from Hillsboro, where she worked all summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Turner and son, Edward and family of Dallas, spent the week end here with Mrs. E. H. Turner and Emily.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Appleby and son of Dallas spent the week end with his parents and his sister, Mrs. Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Newsom of Waco spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woody honored Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dawson with a "42" party at their home Friday night. There were 20 there. They presented them with a big, nice blanket. All enjoyed the party.

Mr. Andrew Jackson visited in Fort Worth the past week.

Mrs. Newton is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Sally French. She lives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mitchell were given a nice shower of gifts Wednesday. They were also given some money, which they were very proud of. Mrs. Mitchell is improving some.

Irwin Jackson, who has been in the army six years and some of the time overseas, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jackson, a few days the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. Potter left for the Seminary at Fort Worth, where they will be students.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kennedy of Dallas spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Mrs. Jim Ford is visiting relatives in Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Potter and son and family, all of Joshua, spent Sunday with their son and brother, Rev. Ernest Potter, and wife.

Mrs. Pat Polnac visited her brother, John McElroy, at Waco this week.

Mrs. Roy Mitchell of Dallas visited here this week end.

Mrs. Alice Chester has returned to her home in Cleburne after a

visit to her sister, Mrs. Deatherage, and her brother, Mr. Dunlap, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Phillips of Dallas were here this week end.

Mrs. Ada Bateman of Stephenville is visiting her son, Bryan, and family and other relatives.

I spent on Thursday till Saturday with Mrs. Cheuning and I sure enjoyed my visit very much.

Lester Mize is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mize. He was overseas, and was wounded twice.

Miss Irene Jaehne, who worked in Fort Worth, has returned home.

Mrs. Mianie Rose of Hillsboro spent Sunday with her brother, J. E. Lawrence, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pylant of Dallas visited his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Calvin Pylant is visiting her husband's parents.

Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham are visiting his sister and other relatives at Crosbyton.

Mrs. H. G. Cozby and Mrs. Grace Pittman of San Diego, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cozby and children of Fort Worth visited in the Wayne Cozby home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Coneley and children were shoppers in Stephenville Friday.

H. E. Jones, Martin Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly, and Mrs. Vernon Jones were Dublin visitors Thursday.

O. R. Clifton was in Hico last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham attended the funeral of Mr. Will Christopher in Hico Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stringer and little grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Davis and daughters, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stringer, returned to their home at Enid, Oklahoma, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yocham and children of Carlton visited Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham and Mrs. Ray King and family Wednesday.

Sgt. Vernon Jones of Waco spent the week end visiting his wife and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jones of Palm Rose.

LITTELL'S LIQUID

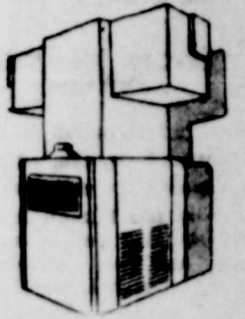
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To maintain our cemetery and keep it as it should be kept and as we all want it kept requires the full time and services of one man. To do this requires an expenditure of not less than Seven Hundred Dollars each year.

The Hico Cemetery Association is endeavoring to maintain our cemetery but the income from investments and other sources is not sufficient. Our income for 1943 amounted to \$401.78, or Three Hundred Dollars short of the required amount.

To continue this work will require each and every one interested to contribute toward its maintenance. Your contribution may be made monthly or in any other manner you may desire, to Mrs. S. W. Everett at Hico.

The Hico Cemetery Association is a corporation fully authorized to continue for all time and is managed by a Board of Directors, its present Board consisting of Dr. Chas. M. Hall as President; Judge E. H. Persons, and E. H. Randals.

Our investments consist of legacies made by good citizens of our community. These legacies are placed in our permanent fund and the principal may not be used for maintenance purposes — only the income may be used. The permanent fund is invested in high grade Municipal and Federal Bonds.

HELP US MAINTAIN OUR CEMETERY — YOUR CEMETERY — by making as liberal a contribution as possible.

DR. CHAS. M. HALL, President
HICO CEMETERY ASSOCIATION.

ALL BUILDING MATERIALS ARE NOT FROZEN

Owing to the publicity given the recent order rationing lumber, many people have a mistaken impression that all building materials are now unobtainable.

THAT IS NOT TRUE. The order in question applies solely to lumber and does not affect in any way the sale of any other building materials, such as Roofing, Windows, Doors, Hardware, Hardwood Flooring, Paint, Cement, Brick, Plaster, Wall Board, Insulation, Mouldings, Gypsum Board, Insulating Tile and Board, Shingles, and many other items.

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Paratrooper Saved



Pvt. W. D. Eason, Seventh Army, who landed in southern France before H-hour, was saved by French Marquis and led by Mlle. Celestine (center) to group of hidden Germans.

THIS AND THAT

By JOE SMITH DYER

GUESSING GAMES: Years ago there were a lot of games called "guessing games."

Then the world was full of guessers, supposers, and speculation and conjecture was an ordinary practice.

Everything had us guessing.

We were always surmising, always fancying.

The storekeeper guessed at a gallon of molasses, and the farmer guessed at a load of potatoes.

Now, everybody wants to know exactly all about too many things.

Definitely the man who says, "I guess" is an outdated number.

SHAKESPERE: Very many people in the literary world believe that Bacon was Shakespeare.

In most of Shakespeare's writings he has no definite way of spelling his name.

It is estimated by authorities that there are over 2,000 different ways of spelling the word Shakespeare.

In Shakespeare's will his name was spelled "Wilm Shaxper" but on the various signs posted about his home in Stratford-on-Avon his name is spelled as we know it—Shakespeare.

The question, "Was Bacon Shakespeare?" is to be debated this month by the debating teams of New York University and the University of Vermont.

DID YOU KNOW THAT: Mother Goose was a real character, that her name was Elizabeth Foster, and that her home was in Boston?

The thermometer sometimes climbs to 156 degrees in parts of Africa?

Joseph Conrad, famous English author, could not speak English until he was 25 years old?

The word "Tip" comes from the initials of the words, "To Insure Promptness"?

Oliver Cromwell was hanged after he was dead?

Wee Bits of JESTURE

[Opinions expressed in this weekly feature are the writer's, and not necessarily those of the News Review.—E.B.]

Well, folks, sometimes I think I'll never make another prediction. There I was thinking that there was going to be a "hundred year" war between those Bulgars and Russians and had already crawled back under the bed to just wait and see how it came out, and look what happened—Russia handed Bulgaria a declaration of war and before the Russian Bear could withdraw her paw the Bulgars grabbed it and stuffed it full of "white flags" and made her take back everything she had said about them.

Yes, I was wrong, but you see I had figured it out this way: Hitler had offered his so-called "protection" that was supposed to have been sponsored by the Divine Powers to the Bulgars and they accepted it, thinking they were going to get a big lot of something for nothing. Of course there's lots of folks who still believe in that, you know. Well, the Bulgars have finally come to the conclusion that getting Hitler's kind of "protection" is about on the same order as wearing a hunk of asafetida around your neck to keep off diseases, the "smell" always gets you first. So the Bulgars, in order not to show any signs of weakness to the world, just decided that two could play that game of declaring war and they got excited and declared war on their "comrades in arms"—Hitler's "protection peddlers" that had been running around loose over there trading their so-called "protection" for both land and liberties.

Well, folks, it's a long lane that has no turning, and at last we have reached that turning point. We now see the boundary lines of "Greater Germany" being drawn so taut around Hitler's neck that one well-directed Allied punch on his "Adam's apple" could cause a mighty great celebration throughout the world.

By PRINTISS A. NEWMAN

Free GI Prisoners



Gen. Nathan F. Twining, commanding general of the 15th air force in Italy, addressing group of American airmen recently released from Rumanian prison where they had been interned.

School Opening May Be Expected to Bring Increase in Mumps

Austin, Sept. 11.—With the opening of the school term an increase in the incidence of mumps is to be expected. This is due in part to the fact that mumps is essentially a childhood disease and the contagion factor exists before the symptoms appear.

Mumps is transmitted by direct contact with an infected person and with articles freshly soiled by the secretions or discharges from the mouth or nose of persons having the disease. It takes from 12 to 26 days for mumps to manifest itself after the infection takes place. The disease can be easily transmitted, but one attack usually establishes immunity although second attacks sometimes occur.

A virus is responsible for this infection, the characteristic symptom of which is a painful swelling of the salivary glands. Sometimes there is an involvement of other portions of the body causing disturbances in the digestive, nervous, circulatory, and genito-urinary systems. The disease is usually accompanied by a temperature rise which more often than not is mild.

The patient suffering with this disease should be isolated from other members of the family immediately upon the suspicion that mumps exists, and the family physician should be called promptly.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, advises: "In the meantime, complete rest in bed is indicated. The doctor's orders should be followed strictly. Violating his instructions can lead to serious injury which may permanently affect the individual."

CUNNINGHAM-PRINZ VOWS TAKEN IN DALLAS SEPT. 9

Miss Katharyne Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham of Fair, became the bride of Walter Prinz of Dallas, Saturday, September 9, at 7:30 p. m. in the parlor of the Tyler Street Methodist Church in Dallas. The Rev. Homer Vanderpool officiated.

Miss Nelda Joy Cunningham of Fair, sister of the bride, and Eugene Washam of Dallas, formerly of Hico, were the only attendants.

The bride wore a powder blue suit with black accessories. She was graduated from Fair High School in 1939 and has been employed at the Federal Reserve Bank in Dallas for several months.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Prinz of Elgin, Texas, where he was reared. He served two years and 10 months in the U. S. Army, until he received a medical discharge. He has since been employed at the North American aviation plant near Dallas.

The couple will be at home at 374 West Twelfth Street, in Dallas.

Out-of-town guests present for the wedding were the bride's parents and her sister, Sherry, of Fair.

SALLY COLE HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. E. A. Cole of Lake Charles, La., entertained with a birthday party for her little daughter, Sally, last Friday, September 8, from 4 to 6 at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Cole. Sally is five years old today, Sept. 15, but celebrated her birthday a week earlier while a guest of her grandmother.

Favors for the little girls were doll furniture and rings, and for the boys, little boats and cars. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and candies were served to the following guests: Linda Scudder, Sissie and John Hobbs, Richard Segrist, Sherrill Wayne Kirk, Julia Hedges, Shirley Prater, and Kenny Hoffmann, all of Hico; Gaylene Eakins, Clovis, N. Mex., and Kay and Kal Segrist Jr. of Dallas.

WEATHER REPORT

The following weather report is submitted by L. L. Hudson, local observer:

Table with columns: Date, Max, Min, Prec. Rows for Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

Total precipitation so far this year, 23.37 inches.

Luck has two chances — one for you and one against you. At best luck is 50-50.

NATURE HAS THE ANSWERS

Recent investigation has proven that electrical waves, similar in some respects to radio waves, are sent out by the human brain and can be recorded and measured.

It also has been discovered recently that the bat, which flies in the dark without bumping into things, is protected by an electrical mechanism which is comparable to radar.

Studies in such fields as these indicate future developments in the understanding of some of the mysteries of life which may be more amazing than anything which has been accomplished in the mechanical or scientific world. And they also prove once again that no matter what great inventions man may concoct, those inventions are merely poor substitutes for things which have long ago been perfected by nature.

STREET CORNER PROPHETS

The desire to appear smarter or better informed than we really are seems to be inherent to some degree in all of us.

Ask any man, no matter how unfamiliar he may be with the facts, who is going to win the election and he'll be glad to tell you. Ask him when the war is going to end and he'll be happy to give you an opinion on that.

In most cases when we make predictions on such complicated problems as those we are guessing in the dark, stimulated by a sort of mental riddiness over the self-satisfaction we get from having our predictions come true.

But it seems a harmless pastime. We are always glad to listen to any man on the street tell us when the war will end, even if Eisenhower himself doesn't know the true answer.

Too Late to Classify—

LOST: Yellow gold wrist watch. Reward \$5.00. Mrs. Roy Leeth. 1p

STRAYED — From pasture near Greenville, young white-face cow with good steer calf, both dehorned, with brand T on right hip. Loyd Trimmer, Hico. 16-1p-tfc.

LOST: No. 4 Ration Book. Please return to Paul Neel. 17-1c

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Personals.

Mrs. Norman Johnson is visiting in Dallas this week.

Dr. Louise Baldwin of San Antonio stopped in Hico last week and for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Jack Hollis and little daughter, Judy Lyn, of Walnut Springs were in Hico Wednesday visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Charles Shelton and children of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Randalls Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellington accompanied their daughter, Mary Nell, to Belton Thursday, where she will enroll as a freshman at Mary Hardin-Baylor College.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leeth and daughters returned to their home in Dallas last Thursday after a week's visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leeth and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Segrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Gensler of Waco, Russell Johnson of Stephenville, also Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Tudor spent the day Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tudor Jr. and Carlton.

Charles Gross came down from Fort Worth last week end for a short visit. When he hadn't gone back the middle of the week, "the Jew" told the editor he guessed he had a right to stay as long as he wanted to. Well.

Mrs. Homer Wilson and son, Jesse Carroll, and Mrs. C. V. Russell and two children and Mrs. Alvin Casey were in San Antonio last week end visiting their husbands. Pvt. Homer H. Wilson and Pvt. C. V. Russell are in Reception Centers there.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Johnson and children, Betty Ruth, Harold, and Eugene, moved from Hico to Plainville Thursday to make their new home. Mr. Johnson has been employed in the meat market at Ogie & Rainwater grocery store for several months.

Mrs. J. E. Burleson returned last week end to her home in Coleman after a visit of several days here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Randalls Jr., and with her young granddaughter, Barbara Ann. While here she also visited with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roy Burleson.

Mrs. H. E. Terry returned home Monday from Memphis where she had been for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White, and to help entertain her little niece and namesake, Rita Dawn, who was born on September 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie L. White in Memphis.

"Just a line to let you know that I want you to change my paper to 236 West Wood St., San Marcos, Texas," is the message on a post card received this week from W. G. Smith, Hicoan formerly at Houston. "They have me over here to start up a kang and put on some Katy yellow paint." Bill's card continued, "and I don't want to miss my paper as I am keeping up with the boys in service."

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Belcher of Victoria were in Hico Monday visiting relatives and friends. The couple were married September 4, at the home of the groom's brother, Weldon Belcher, at Johnsonville, where he formerly lived before moving to Victoria about 12 years ago to operate a bus line. Mrs. Belcher is the former Winnie Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moore of Bluff Dale, and taught a number of years in the Salem school north of Hico.

Mrs. Bill Morris and son, Douglas, of Temple spent the week end here with Mrs. Roy Burleson and Mrs. Anna Driskell.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence A. Morton of Ballinger visited here Monday and Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Newsom left Thursday for their home in Shafter, Calif., after spending the summer here with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Tooley.

Cleo Bullard, who has been employed at the Bluebonnet Ordnance Plant at McGregor for several weeks, visited here the first of the week with his wife and children.

Mary Ellen Haggard is leaving this week for Denton to re-enter Texas State College for Women. She is taking her Senior year's work as a laboratory technician.

Ada Lee Grimes, who has been visiting in Clovis, New Mexico, for the past several weeks, returned to Hico last week to enter school here Monday morning.

Don Griffiths, who has been working for Swift & Co. at Fort Worth, returned to Hico last week end in order to be on hand for the opening of school here Monday.

Mrs. S. E. Blair left last Friday for Brady for a visit with her daughter, Miss Louise Blair, and with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Malone, and family.

Mrs. Z. T. Wilson and daughter, Bobbie, left Wednesday for Waco and from there they went on to Belton Thursday, where Bobbie enrolled at Mary Hardin-Baylor College as a freshman student.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jameson and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jameson and daughter, Kay, spent Sunday in McGregor with the elder Mrs. Jameson's sister, Mrs. Bill Bridges, and Mr. Bridges.

Mrs. Bettie Sowder is spending the week here with Mrs. Eloise Collier and young son, Glen Ray. She was accompanied down from Fort Worth by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carlton, and Joe Hurley.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Wilson and son, Jimmy, of Fort Worth spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Proffitt and son, James Lee. They were accompanied by Mrs. I. D. Brand from Granbury, who remained through Wednesday in the Proffitt home.

Ernest Rodgers and his sister, Miss Mettie Rodgers, carried their mother, Mrs. J. C. Rodgers, to the Provident Sanitarium in Waco Thursday for treatment. Mrs. Rodgers has been ill for several months. Miss Mettie remained with her mother, and Ernest returned home Thursday night.

"Enclosed please find my check in payment for a year's subscription to the News Review," says a letter from W. B. Elkins, Route 2, Hamlin, Texas, who adds: "I used to live in Hico some 26 or 27 years ago. In fact I was born and raised there and was well known at that time, being a good friend of Mr. Straley who used to publish the News Review."

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wright of Coleman visited here Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wright, and with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Randalls Jr., and family; also with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roy Burleson, W. W. (Apples) Wright flew to Hico Tuesday from his station at Sweetwater, where he is a civilian instructor at an air field, and took his father for his first airplane ride.

Funeral Services Held Saturday For Mrs. J. W. Burden

Funeral services for Mrs. J. W. Burden were held Saturday afternoon, September 9, at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Hico, conducted by the pastor, Rev. O. D. Carpenter, assisted by Rev. Floyd W. Thrash, local Methodist minister. Burial was in the Fair cemetery.

Dora Agee was born to Rev. William A. and Narcissa Caroline Agee on June 19, 1866 at Town Creek, Alabama, and departed this life September 7, 1944 at 8:50 p. m. at the family home in Hico.

In young girlhood she was converted and united with the Baptist church. She very often traveled by horse-back with her father to attend revival meetings in which he did the preaching.

She was married to John W. Burden on December 19, 1884 at Town Creek, Ala., and to this union were born 15 children, five of them preceding her in death, namely: John Earl, Marion and Hubert in infancy, Mrs. Annie Massengale in 1908, and Henry in 1939. Mrs. Burden came with her husband and five children to Texas in 1893, locating at Jonesboro, Texas. Later they moved to this vicinity where they have resided for the past 49 years.

Left to mourn her going are her husband and the following children: Alfred Burden of Lubbock; Mrs. Pyrie Wade, Lamesa; Mrs. Della Proffitt, Carlton; Mrs. Marie Ford, Arlington; Mrs. Emma Lucille Snow, Fort Worth; Mrs. Eula Maye Meeks, Arkadelphia, Ark.; Luther Burden, Denton; Mrs. Stella Faye Pittman, Bangs; Mrs. Grace Petry and Arthur Burden of Hico. Two brothers, W. J. Agee of Iowa Park, Texas and Marion Agee of Memphis, Tenn., and one sister, Mrs. J. Bosworth, also survive. There are 37 grandchildren and 34 great-grandchildren. Of the grandchildren there are seven grandsons, three granddaughters-in-law and one granddaughter-in-law in the service of their country. There are three ministers in the family: Rev. Clyde Pittman, Bangs; Capt. Edmond Early, a chaplain in the U. S. Army, and a grandson, Rev. J. C. Wade.

CONTRIBUTED.

Pvt. Joe Adams, who is stationed at Camp Hood, spent the week end here with his family.

C. C. Pierce of Cleburne was in Hico Wednesday visiting with old friends. He reported that his wife was seriously ill in Dallas at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Early, and had been under the care of a doctor for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce are former residents of Hico, having moved to Cleburne four years ago, and Mrs. Pierce's many friends will hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Keeney arrived last week from Pecos for a few days' visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Keeney and Mr. and Mrs. Roy French, Curtis, who is employed with the Border Patrol with headquarters at Pecos, received a severe burn on his back last Wednesday while trying to put cool water in a boiling radiator of his car, and they were unable to return to Pecos. He was reported to be improving as the News Review goes to press.

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Church News

Methodist Church

Sunday school at 10 a. m. "Lying to God" will be the subject of the morning sermon at 11 o'clock.

Evening worship at 8:15. The sermon will be on the subject "The Cure for Divorce." This is the second sermon in a series on some modern problems which the Christian church must face.

We are postponing our Rally Day program one week and will combine it with Promotion Day. Now that school is starting, why not get back to regular attendance at church and Sunday school?

FLOYD W. THRASH, Pastor.

Baptist Church

Sunday services, Sept. 17, 1944; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; Sermon, "Our Children," 11 a. m.

Evening Services— Training Union, 7:30 p. m. Preaching, 8:30 p. m. W. M. U. every Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Meeting for Royal Service.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Book of Acts is being studied by our group. Come and join in with this good class.

Our Sunday school is to have an Enlargement Campaign beginning Sept. 24 and continuing through Sept. 29.

O. D. CARPENTER, Pastor.

SERVICES AT DUFFAU

Regular services will be held at the Duffau Methodist church at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The entire community is invited to attend.

NEW FILMS Are Hard to Get

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HICO, TEXAS

Mrs. Eda Thompson, who taught in the grade school in Hico last year and who has been attending North Texas State Teachers College at Denton this summer, has resigned her position here and accepted a similar position in the Denton Public Schools. She returned to Hico last week end for a few days' visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seago, and with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Perry Thompson and family, before moving to Denton Wednesday, accompanied by her two sons, John and Terry, who had spent the summer here with their grandparents. Her daughter, Jimmie Ruth, will leave this week end for Denton, where she will be a student at NTSTC for the winter term.

NOTICE TO THE PATRONS OF HONEY GROVE SCHOOL:

There will be an election held at the Honey Grove School House Saturday, Sept. 16 to decide whether or not the Honey Grove School District shall be consolidated with Carlton.

W. M. HORSLEY, Supt. Carlton Public Schools

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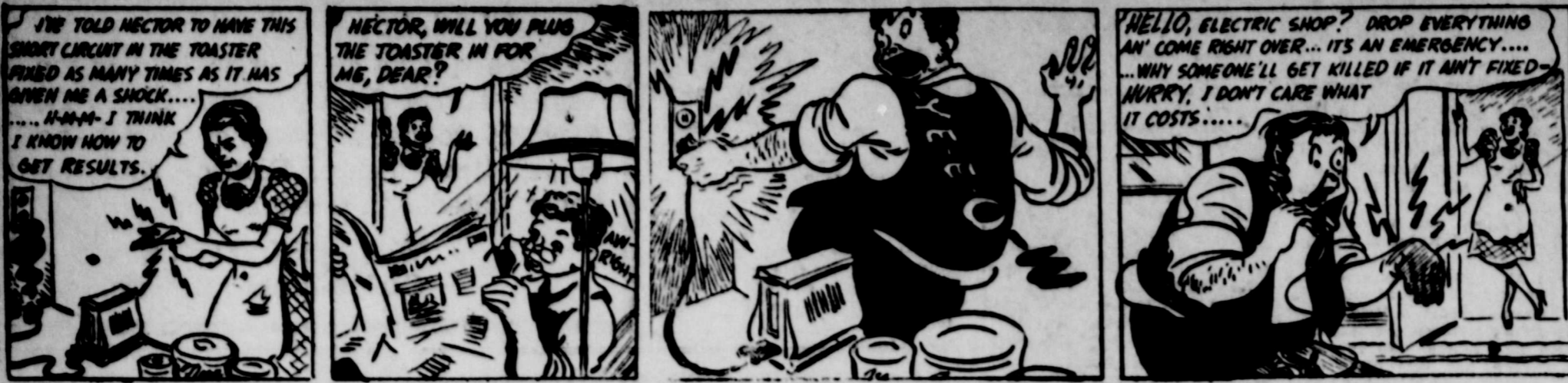
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—by Mac Arthur

The Mirror

Published Weekly by Students of Hico High School

PATSY PINSON, Editor

REFLECTIONS

Old and faithful readers of 'The Mirror', you will find this issue your first experience — allow the new editor a word of warning: Besides being unskilled at the job of assembling and proofreading news, we have undertaken the objective of launching a tradition. Before your very eyes, a column is being born, a column we propose to christen "Reflections." From any mirror must come a multitude of reflections. To picture here a few reflections of Hico High School's "Mirror" is the goal in mind.

Nothing is so uncertain or unstable as budding youth. It is quite evident that our column now stands on wobbly feet. In its immaturity we spring to its defense, requesting you to realize how gradual is growth, how important are the first feeble efforts, and how essential is your support.

The eternal question presents its ugly head: What shall be read in "Reflections"? Weekly happenings too vague for a special head, incidents otherwise unreported, student opinion, faculty views — all these shall offer themselves for useful purposes, perhaps our readers will excuse an occasional editorial spurge along other lines. It is our sincere hope that, if proven successful this year, future editors will see fit to carry it on.

WELCOME, LINCOLNS.

To our community and school have come Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lincoln from Coolidge, Texas. H. H. S. and the Mirror staff wish to extend a cordial welcome to them. May they discover friends who live by Hico's motto, the Heart of Hos-

pitality. And may they soon feel very much at home among people already grateful for what must certainly have been Coolidge's loss.

HICO PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPEN DOORS SEPT. 11

Monday, September 11, the portals of Hico Schools were flung wide, admitting a flock of students eager to begin another year. Ward school reports a registration of over two hundred pupils, ranging from the first through the seventh grades. Due to the teacher shortage the eighth grade moved to High School, making the scholastic content for that building one hundred and twenty-two.

Mrs. Jackson is again handling the little first-graders, Mrs. Appleby tutors the second, and Mrs. Lincoln is teaching the third. Mrs. Rainwater, Mrs. Bramlett, and Mrs. McEver have charge of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, respectively. Mrs. Henry teaches the seventh graders, who believe they are almost grown since they are now the oldest in Grammar School. Mrs. McEver is substituting until a principal can be hired.

High School teachers have fuller schedules than ever before. Miss Hammonds is instructing three classes of Home Economics. Mr. Bramlett is teaching two in Vocational Agriculture besides his shop work, and Mrs. Angell is instructing five Englishes. Mrs. Segrist maintains five Math courses, and Junior Business Training; Mrs. Pinson teaches three histories and two periods of Typing; Mr. Lincoln is our Biology, General Science and Civics professor.

The Band Department has been closed for an indefinite period but the search still goes on for a football coach. As football season draws nearer, the Tigers have become restless at inactivity and turn longing eyes upon our empty stadium. Rumor has it that they are scrimmaging these days, coach or no coach.

NEW STUDENTS

Surrounding districts, as well as South Texas, West Texas and California, have furnished Hico High School with thirteen new students. One boy, Ray Britton, joins the eighth grade from Rotan, Texas. Iredell sends two brothers, Walter and Garland Latham, to the Freshman and Senior classes. New Sophomores include one girl from Clarette, Bonnie Haley, and two boys and one girl from Duffau: Freeman McAnally, Truman Stagner and Mary Annette Phillips. Another Soph addition is L. R. Munsell from Pacific Beach Junior High, San Diego, California.

The Juniors have also profited by receiving Charlene Sherrard from Clarette, Carrie Tulliver from Fairly, and C. L. Colbert Jr. from Alamo Heights, San Antonio. To the Seniors, Carlton and Fairly contributed Martha Putnam and Billy Neil Washam. We are glad to have these new students, for H. H. S. is never so happy as when every desk is taken. So fill 'em up, kids, fill 'em up.

NOTICE

Class reporters had not been elected at this writing of the paper. Next week we hope to get off to a good start with news of all sorts.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of sympathy and kindness directed to us at the loss of our loved one. The lovely floral tribute and kind words were a comfort to our hearts.

J. W. BURDEN AND FAMILY.

"If I don't get this letter off today I am afraid Clifford will quit me," wrote Mrs. C. E. Ogle from South San Antonio in enclosing a subscription last week. "We are both homesick for Hico," she wrote, "but when you are working for the government you can't just quit and not help do your little part. We are all hoping this war can't last too much longer."



Yankee Maid, winner of the 1944 Hambletonian trotting race, weighs 1,020 pounds... largest attendance at the Hambletonian Stakes was 43,000 in 1938... race is run in Goshen, N. Y. Atlantic City Tuna club has made fishing craft available to members of the air force. Paul Dean, now a pitcher on the Little Rock club, will work only in home games... he has to stay around to take care of his barrel stove factory.

Distance between stakes at an official women's horseshoe pitching court is 30 feet, 10 feet less than for men. In the first seven months of the year the leading rodeo bronc-riding cowboy was Louis Brooks of Sweetwater, Texas. Lodi Motorcycle club of Lodi, Calif., is planning a national motorcycle championship contest after the war. The armed services are now purchasing 90 per cent of all sports and game equipment in the United States... the war department buys annually enough baseball equipment to outfit 50,000 regular teams, and twice as many softball aggregations.

Obedience trials for dogs began in 1934... A dog made a parachute jump in 1935... it was dropped from a balloon and descended safely. Dorothy Germain, 19-year-old collegian of Philadelphia, is the seventh player to win the women's Western Open Golf championship two years in succession. Lieut. (jg) Whitmer White, former all-American football star from Colorado U., is rated one of the best heavyweight boxers in the armed forces... he has been on duty in the South Pacific for the last two years. Illinois U. will have the biggest place kicker in the Big Ten this fall... he is Les Bingham, a 280-pound tackle.

Battling Nelson, former lightweight champion, and Johnny Coulon, one-time bantamweight champ, recently boxed an exhibition bout in Chicago.

Mt. Pleasant

By S. N. Akin

E. N. Lambert and family visited with relatives in Waco Saturday and Sunday.

S. N. Akin and wife attended the Workers' Conference at the First Baptist Church in Hico Monday.

J. B. Jaggars and family and Winford Gardner and family visited in the Olin community Sunday afternoon.

N. A. Lambert of Hico is helping his son, E. N., gather corn this week.

O. J. Clark and wife made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

S. N. Akin, wife and son, Floyd, attended the funeral services at the Baptist church at Hico for Mrs. J. W. Burden Saturday.

School started at Fairly Monday. Our community sent a few new students, among whom were Carol Gene Clark, Shirley Ray Clark, and Let Gene Jaggars.



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I want to thank everyone who voted for me and particularly those good friends who actively supported me. Without your help I could not have been elected.

I can justify your confidence in me only by representing all the people in every county in the district fairly, impartially and vigorously. That I shall do to the best of my ability.

From now until the Legislature convenes in January I shall be in my office at the Courthouse in Belton. I cordially invite everyone in the district who is interested in any legislative matter or who has any personal or local problem, in connection with which I might be of assistance, to come to see me or to write me.

Sincerely,

Buster Brown

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WANTED: Man able to raise poultry, sheep, goats, milk cows on good size scale. Good dwelling, plenty grass and water. J. N. Russell, Hico, Texas. 17-tfc.

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WANT a small house to move. Box 202, Stephenville. 17-1p.

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FOR SALE: 507 acre ranch, 9 mi. from Hico, good houses, sheep-proof fence. Price \$35.00. Contact B. H. Wright, Hico. Also other smaller places for sale. 17-tfc.

IF YOU want to buy, sell or trade Real Estate, see D. F. McCarty. ttc

See Shirley Campbell for Farm, Ranch and City Property. 11-tfc

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FOR SALE: Registered Duroc Jersey male, an excellent individual. G. E. Holladay, Rt. 7, Hico. 17-3p

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FOR SALE: 248-acre well-improved blackland farm on school bus and mail route; 130 acres in cultivation with two sets of houses. Located 6 1/2 miles N. E. of Hico. Price, \$30 per acre. Write J. L. Perry, Midlothian, Texas. 16-2tc

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FOR SALE: Aermotor windmill, tank and tower. S. L. Looney, Iredell, Texas. 17-1p.

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Clairette

By Mrs. H. Alexander

Rev. Arch Jones of Dublin filled his appointments here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mayfield were made very happy Saturday when they received a telephone call from their son, Cpl. Howard Mayfield, who had arrived at Abilene, Texas, and was on his way home here. He has served for 27 months foreign service. They were worried very much, as they had not heard from their son in eight weeks, but were very happy that he was home again in the good old U. S. A., safe and sound. Those gathered in the home of a brother, Cleo Mayfield, and family for a family reunion Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mayfield and children, Port Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Lois Mayfield and children, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mayfield and children, Fort Worth, and Sgt. Lawrence Mayfield and wife of Independence, Kansas. They all had a very enjoyable day. Sgt. Lawrence Mayfield and wife left Tuesday for Kansas.

The children and other relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Salmon met Sunday and enjoyed a picnic lunch and got together at the Charlie Dowdy Park on the Bosque River. Those attending were Mrs. R. W. Luckie, Stamford, and a son, Loyd Luckie, and little son, Ronnie, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard and children, Lila of Mineral Wells, Charlie and Mary of the home; Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Sherrard and children, Wilma Jean and Roland; Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander and daughters, Nila Marie of Stephenville and Elizabeth Ann of the home; Mrs. George Salmon and a daughter, Mrs. Bill Head, and little daughters, Janet Sue and Mary Gale; a son, Pfc. Conda Salmon of Camp Hood, and wife and daughters, Patsy Jo and Monett from the home here; Mrs. Bob Ogle, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Etheridge, Stephenville; Mr. R. M. Alexander, an uncle and aunt of the family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. (Dick) Burton of Paoli, Okla. One uncle, Jake Salmon, who was unable to be with the group for lunch, arrived late in the afternoon from Stamford. A son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Salmon of Carlton joined him here. Each one brought well-filled baskets of food and all reported a real enjoyable day. One son of the deceased Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Salmon, Judge J. B. Salmon

of Kermit, was absent but expects to visit here this week. Another son, George W. Salmon, passed away April twenty-second, 1940.

Children and relatives of Aunt Mary Dowdy met at her home Sunday and enjoyed the day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Dowdy, Denison; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dowdy and children and Mrs. Bob Clark of the home; Mr. and Mrs. Green and son, and Mr. Melton Dowdy, Dallas; Mrs. Nora Dowdy, Mrs. Mary Koonsman, Mrs. Mattie Wolfe, Mrs. Ruth Fry, and Mr. John Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Dowdy and family of Rockport visited relatives here last week.

Mr. George Jones of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Clem Jones, who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bunnie Alexander. Another daughter, Mrs. Willie Dunagan of Waco, spent Sunday and until Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bunnie Alexander to be with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stipe and daughter of Fort Worth, Coxswain Arthur Stipe of the U. S. Navy, his wife and baby of Norman, Okla. visited over the week end with relatives here. They, accompanied by other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stipe and children, also Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bishop, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stipe and daughter Sunday.

Cpl. Samuel Giova of Camp Howie was a guest in the home of Gloria Mayfield over the week end.

Mr. Henry Mackey is in the Stephenville Hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harvey and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Williams Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Wolfe and Mrs. Mary Koonsman were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Wolfe and family Sunday for lunch.

Mrs. Alta Dodson of Stamford visited Mrs. Ollie Duncan last week end.

Mrs. Grady Wolfe visited in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Phillips and children, a few days last week.

Miss Betty Lou Alexander spent the night with Betty Jane Go-lightly Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wolfe were in Stephenville Saturday night.

Mrs. Bob Ogle visited her daughter Sunday.

R. W. Sherrard made a business trip to Houston last week.

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HOUSE AND HOME

By MARY E. DAGUE

It's a good idea to put your house in order before the first cold snap comes along. The house as well as the heating system should be given careful attention.

Examine the exterior of your house for cracks where cold air can come rushing in this winter and precious heated air escape. Begin at the foundation. Joints around basement windows often are bad offenders.

Look at the joinings of all doors and windows, particularly the tops and sides. Even a hair crack should be filled if you want to prevent heat loss and rot and decay from moisture seepage.

Inspect the inside corners of wood walls and the chimney—every place where there is a joint.

Masonry houses get leaks, too, remember.

There are firms doing splendid insulating jobs. They will seal all openings and do a complete weather stripping job as well as insulate your house and provide it with storm windows.

Or you can do the caulking job yourself. Try to get a caulking compound that nearly matches the color of your house. Then you may not have to paint. Before filling cracks remove all dust and loose dirt. Apply with a putty knife, bringing the caulker flush with the surface and completely filling the crack. Smooth it off evenly with the putty knife.

A good caulking compound that never hardens completely but will expand and contract with weather changes is essential to a good job.

The storm windows need a good going-over, too. Any hooks that are bent or broken should be replaced or straightened. If the paint is peeling, the frames should be repainted in order to preserve the wood. Unpainted wood exposed to the elements will rot. You will need a good exterior house paint for this job. Smooth all rough spots by rubbing them with sandpaper.

If the surface has been painted many times it may be necessary to remove the many coats of paint with a paint remover.

Broken glass should be replaced and loose panes be reputted.

To reputty loose panes get a good glazier's putty. Then chip out old loose putty and pull out the little three-cornered metals known as glazier's points. It's a good idea to brush a coat of linseed oil in the rabbet. This acts as a filler and prevents linseed oil in putty from being absorbed by the wood. Spread putty evenly and lightly in the groove and fit in glass. Fasten with glazier's points. Work putty into rope form and press firmly into the opening, smoothing it at a slight angle from the glass to the wood with a putty knife.

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"THE NAVY WAY"
ROBERT LOWERY
JEAN PARKER

Buy 'em and Keep 'em **WAR BONDS**

WITH THE COLORS
(Continued from Page 1)

we have one alcohol burning bus line that covers the downtown area, a horse cart company that covers the suburban area, numerous rickshas, and a few sedan chairs. The only amusement here is sight-seeing and one gets enough of that in a very short time.

Things made by hand are far cheaper than things made by machinery. The products here, in general, are far inferior to ours and at least ten times as high. China is completely cut off from the outside world with the exception of what is brought by air over the "Hump" by the U. S. Air Force.

The sanitation, as a whole, is terrible. Chungking once was the most bombed city in the world; now we have air alerts, but nothing ever happens.

It is remarkable what the Chinese do with practically their bare hands, and their patience with doing things the way they do. All their lumber is sawed by hand as there are no lumber mills. They hardly know what a nail is. The house I live in is a large one and I can't find one nail used in its construction. They don't have cement, but still put up houses that look like cement structures. They build bamboo structures, pasty that with a thin lime and mud paste. If it stands through the first rainy season it will probably stand four or five years, with a little patching up from time to time.

The hill behind your house is

Step Closer to the Philippines

The blasting by U. S. bombers of Halmahera, just 400 miles from Mindanao, largest of the Philippine Islands, brings the return of General MacArthur's forces nearer to the Philippines. Late reports revealed the complete destruction of Jap installations on Halmahera, the most important report from the South Pacific for some time. It is said that the Japs withdrew forces and air factors during and after the aerial attacks.

small, compared to what the houses over here are all built on. What keeps them from tumbling down the mountain is a mystery. I never saw so many steps in my life as I see a lot of here.

The customs and religions of the natives are also peculiar, but I think I have written about as much nonsense this morning as I could expect anyone to read, so I won't go into that.

Glad that Waynard and Clarence are close together. I am sure they enjoy a talk about old times when they get together. Since I have been in the army I have not seen one person that I knew in civilian life.

Now, I am in the best of health, but have spent some time in the hospital since being overseas, dysentery twice and yellow jaundice. I work six hours a day, don't shine my shoes, make my bed, do any details, and stand one company formation every three weeks. If the surroundings were the same as in the States and my friends and relatives were here, this would be well. As it is — well, guess it could be worse.

Always a friend,
CPL. J. J. JONES.

S/Sgt. Leonard L. Hargrove, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hargrove, has written home that he was recently transferred from Iceland to England and that he is well satisfied with the change since everything is green in England and he is getting plenty to eat—even fried chicken.

Albert Brown, Seaman Second Class, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, has been transferred from Camp Wallace, Texas to Shoemaker, Calif. Another son, S/Sgt. W. H. Brown Jr., has been sent from Kelly Field to Normyle, another station near San Antonio.

Pvt. Norman Ganoce, who is stationed at the Bombardier School at Midland, spent the first of the week here with his mother, Mrs. Merle Ganoce, and family. Also visiting in the home of Mrs. Ganoce is her daughter, Mrs. William K. Harp of Pomona, Calif.

Cpl. Paul Lane has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lane, that he is now in France. Paul has been in England several months.

4-H Club Goals for New Year Selected At Encampment

With the beginning of a new school year this month, 4-H girls in Hamilton County will begin a new club year. Goals for the year were selected at the annual encampment in August. The girls present decided to add two new divisions, poultry and cooking, to the 4-H army divisions established last year and which include gardening, bedroom improvement, and clothing.

In poultry work each girl who chooses is to obtain 25 baby chicks and manage them until they are at least three months old. The fact that girls are at school during the day is recognized and thus the goal is interpreted to mean that girls can have help from other members of their families, but they must keep records, make plans for keeping and feeding, and do their part of the work themselves. Work includes such things as cleaning the feeding troughs, cleaning the house, etc.

The coopers goal is to compile a book or file of recipes including 25 recipes the girl has tried successfully. Comments about the recipes are to be included in a record kept of the dates each recipe is used.

Further plans for the work of the year will be formulated at the regular 4-H council meeting scheduled for Saturday, the 30th of September. Individual clubs will organize their year's work at their first meeting after school starts.

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If it is good to eat, we have it—
If we have it, it is good to eat!

Randals Brothers

We learned Thursday that W. C. Nix, stationed at Camp Maxey near Paris, Texas, is now private first class. The information came out during an office visit by the serviceman to have a change made in the address of his paper. He and his wife, who is working at Paris, came in last Sunday on a visit during his furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nix and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton. Bill said he'd "been prowling around considerable" and has "found a few watermelon seeds" while managing to stay as far as possible away from hard work, of which he gets plenty in the hospital evacuation outfit to which he is attached. The Nix family heard this week for the first time in over 50 days from another son, Pvt. Travis Nix, somewhere in the South Pacific with the Coast Artillery, and he reported that he was doing all right. He was previously stationed in the Hawaiian Islands.

Mrs. Nettie Meador received a letter this week from her son, Ernest Vines (Buck) Meador, motor machinist's mate third-class, who gets his mail in care of the postmaster at San Francisco, Calif. Buck said that he was really homesick and thought he might be able to get delivery on the News Review now, since he will be located at a certain base for some time. And, of course, his mother had his name put back on the subscription list.

Second Lieut. Mary Elizabeth Ross, ANC, has been assigned to an overseas general hospital unit, and has an address in care of the postmaster at New York, according to a card received here by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon T. Ross. Elizabeth was formerly stationed at Camp Claiborne, La.

James Parker, MM 1/c, returned to his station in New Orleans, La., recently after a few days' visit here with his father, Will Parker, and his sister, Mary Joyce.

Cotton Farmers:

There is a greater difference than usual in various grades of cotton due to the fact that the government as a rule wants middling or better.

PRESENT DIFFERENCES ARE AS FOLLOWS:—

Middling is \$ 6.25 per bale higher than Strict Low,
\$17.00 per bale higher than Low Middling,
\$22.50 per bale higher than Strict Good Ordinary.

From this you will see it will pay you to pick or snap cotton only when dry, if possible. In other words it will pay you to take the best possible care to bring your cotton to the gin in good condition.

● All my gins are equipped with modern machinery to do high class work on either picked or snapped cotton.

— When you gin with me you may be sure of the best —

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