



# IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oldham were in Stephenville Wednesday here with Mrs. Frank Cunningham and children are living in the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. Mollie Horton and son of Hico were recent guests of Mrs. Squires.

Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Vernon Jones, who died Wednesday morning. He was the son of Mrs. W. V. Jones of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jim Ford is in Matador with a sister, who is ill.

Mrs. B. R. Rose of Waco and Mrs. John Kaylor of Meridian visited Mrs. G. W. Chaffin Wednesday, as she is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Henderson and daughter of Tahoka visited here this week with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell.

Mrs. Clara Golden has returned from Texarkana.

Marshall Houston, who is in John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the week end at home.

Mary Wayne has returned from Dallas. She returned to Dallas Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Parks left Tuesday night for Big Spring to accompany his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Newsom, and Mrs. J. O. Newsom to California to visit their sons who will go overseas.

Mr. Harris Tidwell of New York came in Thursday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Bob Frank Harris returned from San Antonio and is going to John Tarleton College.

Mrs. Leo Johnson and son of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loader.

Mrs. Ralph Wingren of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Mrs. Chester Gosdin spent the week end in Glen Rose with her husband's parents.

Bobby Gene Patterson of Wichita Falls came in Saturday night, accompanied by Mr. Thompson.

Emmett Maness, Jack Harris, Jap Fallis Jr., and the Greenwade boys were in a car wreck a few nights ago. They were down by the Koa Barry place, and their car turned over. The car was pretty badly damaged. It was Mrs. Greenwade's car. Emmett was hurt worst of all. He is confined to his bed at home. It is hoped they will all be O. K. soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyer and son of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

Mrs. John Appleby of Hico spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Harris.

Miss Wilma Chaffin, who is in college at Denton, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Echols spent Sunday in Waco with their son, Ralph, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Nystel and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loader.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roberts of Stephenville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell. They were accompanied by his sister, Cheryl.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright of Meridian spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. Patterson, and wife.

Mrs. Blanche Royal of Waco and her sister from De Leon visited their mother, Mrs. McAdoo, this week.

Mr. Slater, who has been here with his wife for some time, has returned to his home in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Lelan Neighbors and son of De Leon spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence.

Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Daves of Hamilton spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell.

Mrs. Martha M. Shanan was buried here Monday. Will have a write-up next week.

Thomas Ray and Cara Von Tidwell of Meridian spent Friday night and Saturday with their grandfather, T. M. Tidwell, and wife.

Mrs. Herman Munnerlyn and daughter and Mrs. Roy Sears of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell Sunday night.

A big rain is coming down today (Monday).

Wives of Regular Army men may now join their husbands overseas wherever adequate food, housing and medical facilities are available.

## Fairy

By Mrs. J. O. Richardson

Heavy rains fell in this section Monday, with indications of more rain.

The boys' basketball tournament is being held at the gymnasium here Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights of this week. Admission will be 15c and 25c. All are invited to attend.

Our school superintendent, Mr. Columbus, was unable to be on duty a few days last week due to illness.

Mrs. Saunders, who has been a member of our school faculty part of last term and up until the past two weeks of this term, has resigned and returned to her home at Cranfills Gap. Her husband has returned from overseas service and she is now needed to carry on her home duties. We are very sorry to lose Mrs. Saunders, as she has proven so capable in helping carry on the school work. A Mrs. Gregg of near Hamilton has been employed for the vacancy.

Edwin Seilheimer of Camp Bowie spent the week end here with his wife and his parents of Hamilton. Please pardon our failure to mention rank, as we just can't seem to keep up with our boys of late.

Milton (Mutt) Blakley, one of our ex-service young men, and now of Stephenville, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakley. Mutt is attending John Tarleton College.

Misses Mary Alice Jackson and Nelda Joy Cunningham of Dallas spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham.

Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Carolyn visited Sunday afternoon with her aunt, Mrs. Gladys Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brunson visited last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Brummitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hutton of Hico visited with relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and children, Ruby Jean and Darrell of Houston, were visiting here from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Nathaniel Grimes is visiting at this writing with relatives in San Antonio.

The writer and Mrs. Bettie Little attended singing at Hico Sunday afternoon. Mr. Nat Grimes and daughters, Otha May, Ola Frances, and Oleta Fay, were also in Hico Sunday afternoon. Mr. Grimes attended singing while there.

The writer and daughters, Mrs. D. E. Allison and daughter, Ruby Jean, of Houston, and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and little daughter, Carolyn, spent Wednesday of last week in Dublin. While there they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hoover, former residents of this place.

Rev. Homer L. Fort of Cranfills Gap has assumed the pastorate of the Fairy Methodist Church and will preach regularly each second Sunday morning at 9:45, beginning Sunday, Feb. 10. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parks had all of their children home Sunday, except Mr. and Mrs. Marvin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Varnell and daughter, all of Odessa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston McKinley and daughter of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Totten and daughter of Waco came in Saturday night for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parks, and Cleo. Present Sunday for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Homer T. Olson and daughter of Cranfills Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parks and children of Azee, and Grandpa Parks. Visiting Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Parks, Mrs. H. E. Wilson and Raymond, Misses Annie and Dora Sikes, Mrs. Ella Sheppard, and Mr. and Mrs. Doby Hutton and sons of Cranfills Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Shields and children visited a while Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parks and Cleo.

We are glad to see Bill McCoy back in our community again.

Mrs. W. L. Jones and Mrs. J. O. Richardson will serve as joint hostesses honoring Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wolfe with a house-warming at their new home Friday night, Feb. 22. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy the occasion.

So goes the topsoil, so goes the people.



## A Healthy Citizen Is Usually a Good Citizen

By Dr. J. B. Warren



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Hico, Tex., Friday, Feb. 8, 1946.

#### ANOTHER STEP DOWN

The day of heroic leadership seemed to be passing as General Charles de Gaulle, fiery French patriot, stepped down in that country as had wartime leaders in many other nations. Churchill, whose intrepidity and eloquence had spurred Britain in its darkest hours, had already sunk to the post of minority leader. He was currently taking it easy in Florida, and would not even criticize the party in power while vacationing.

De Gaulle, it was announced, would soon be a tourist in Canada. The world, which in the not too distant past could trace the course of history in the actions of a few outstanding men, now finds things more complicated. Men who are only average, or comparatively unknown, in many cases hold the reins of government.

The people of the world are fearful of putting their faith in these men's leadership as new scientific discoveries are announced. The significance of human leadership pales in view of the power of the atomic bomb and of the new radar contact which has been made with the moon. We wonder if any leaders, no matter how brilliant, will be able to steer us on the right course during the portentous years ahead.

#### GOOD WEATHER AHEAD

Improved weather reports—which may save farmers millions of dollars—are expected as a result of the weather bureau's decision to use balloons, radio and radar to gather information twelve miles above the earth.

The method is highly technical—but there is ever reason to believe that it will result in greatly increased accuracy, both for short and long-term reports. Present methods of observation are greatly handicapped by fog and clouds, but the new method, known as "rason", will have no such handicaps.

By 1947 it is expected that "rason" reports will have replaced the present methods of getting weather information. From there on, there will be few arguments with the weather man. When he says "rain," the chances will be ten to one that it will rain.

But already the weather bureau is protecting itself against wrong predictions by pointing out that even the "twelve-mile-up" reports will not be perfect. The next move, already under consideration, is to get reports from the upper stratosphere—sixty miles up. When that plan has been worked out, our weather prediction problems will be over.



**HERO OF THE STORM . . .** Russell Price Jr., 17, Utica, N. Y., saved himself when five Canadian air planes were flying low over his home. He ran to a nearby field and with his flashlight, guided the troubled planes to safety.

### Wee Bits of GESTURE

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

As we look into the conference room of the United Nations, we find seated at the conference table two of UNO's outstanding delegates: John Bull representing Britain, and Uncle Sam "going to bat" for America. Piled high upon the table in front of them one may see the paper pledges of the United Nations, some of which are written in "invisible ink" with the wording, "We the undersigned do hereby agree only to disagree." All was quiet in the room as the two delegates read and re-read these documents. Suddenly, there came a knock upon the door and the small voice of Iran from without was heard to inquire, "Gentlemen, may I come in? There's a large Russian bear in my garden stamping down my pretty flowers and won't allow my people to work in their own garden." "Why certainly, son," replied Uncle Sam, "come right in; after all, that is exactly what the UNO was organized for, to see that you smaller boys are not imposed upon by larger ones. Why, John Bull and myself will catch that bear by the tail and we will . . ."

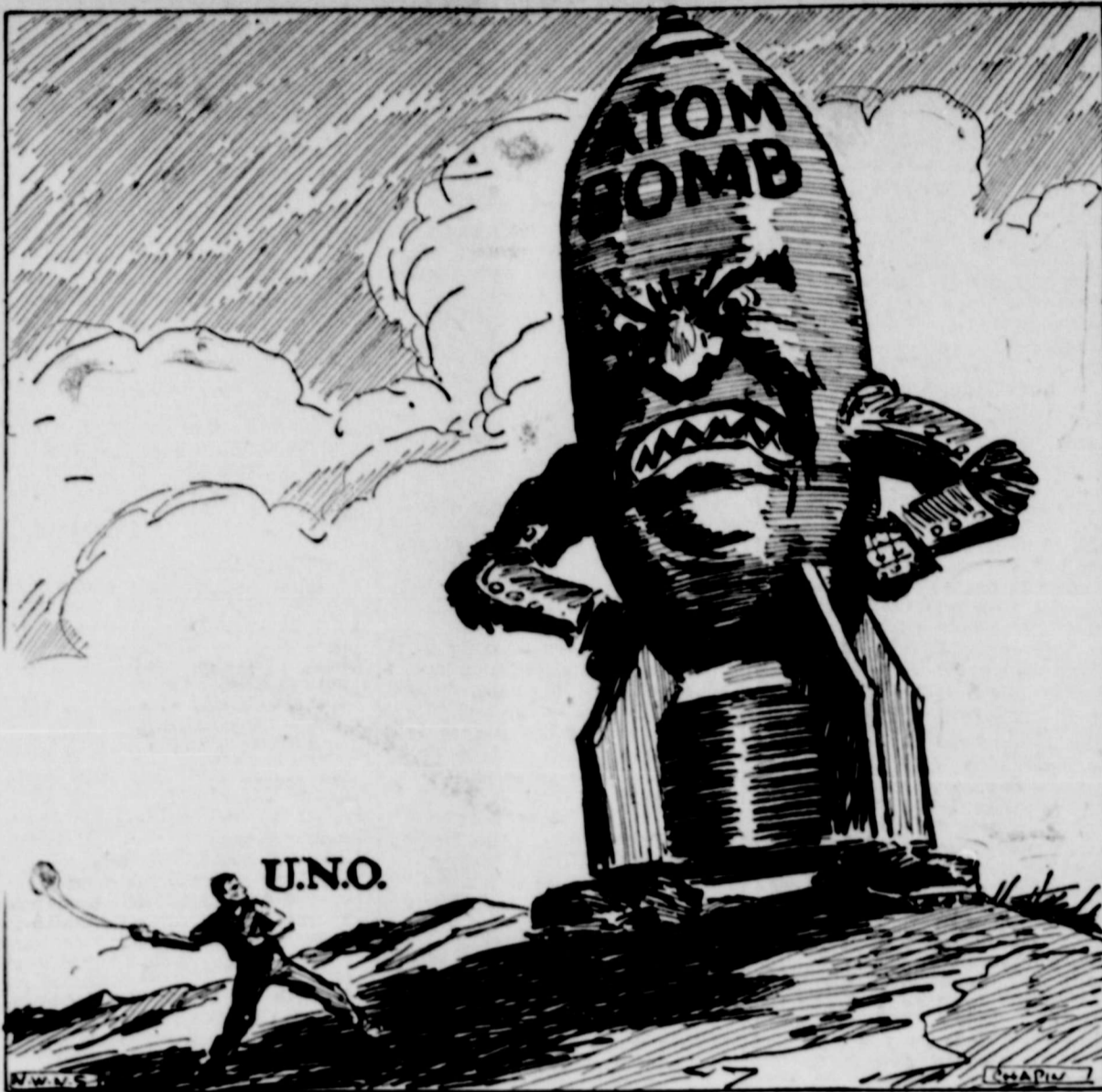
But just then a loud growl from the bear outside interrupted Uncle Sam. John Bull, his face as white as a ghost, was upon his feet instantly.

"Sam!" he fairly screamed, "did you hear that? What will we do? I can't help you hold that bear's tail, my hands are too 'Grecsy'. Besides, I am almost a helpless disabled man. All the lend-lease equipment you sent me has long since been sent to Greece, India, and Indonesia. I tell you, Sam, I'm broke and helpless. Are you right sure we are not sticking our necks out on this Iran-Russia problem?"

"Now, now, John. Get control of yourself, this one is on me too. I'll protect you," answered Uncle Sam reassuringly, as he stroked his white chin whiskers and spat tobacco juice clear across the room. "You see, John, in my country we talked 'Democracy' longer and longer than you folks did over here and even now you can still hear it mentioned some during election years. So you just leave this Iran-Russia matter up to me and I'll do it just like we do it at home. If it gets too hot to handle, I'll bury the blame thing in the Committee Room."

—By Printis (Hang) Newman.

### David and Goliath



MOON CONTACTED VIA RADAR AGAIN . . . On January 26, the moon was contacted from the earth via radar for the second time. From the Evans signal laboratory at Belmar, N. J., using a radar set specially designed for the purpose, a group of signal corps scientists shot a beam of high frequency energy at the moon and received an answer. The above is a signal corps sketch of the radar contact.

### This Week in WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C. (CNWS).—"Filibustering while Rome burns" is the apt phrase used by a state department official to describe the shameful action of the United States senate since its return to Washington.

The filibuster, which has delayed action on all vital legislation, was particularly disgraceful in view of President Truman's plea for an end of delays by congress. Not only has the senate deliberately defied the President, but it has also ignored the demands for action from thousands of citizens inspired by the President's plea.

According to the southern senators who started the filibuster, the blame should be put on the shoulders of Senator Chavez of New Mexico, who, in a surprise move, took to the floor of the senate the highly debatable Fair Employment Practices act, which would forbid discrimination in employment because of race, color or religion. Although the measure is on the President's "must" list, it was realized by most senators that its introduction would result in a filibuster in the same way as anti-poll tax legislation has in the past.

Senator Tydings created considerable excitement in discussing the measure when he asked the senators supporting it if they would be willing to include a provision which would forbid discrimination against any man because he was or was not a member of a labor union. By this suggestion he tied up the measure closely with the debatable problems of labor legislation, which may be next on the senate calendar.

The fact that a small group of senators can bring congressional action to a standstill by the filibuster method points the need for a revision of congressional procedure which would prevent such interruptions in the future.

At present the only means of stopping a filibuster is to invoke the closure rule which limits debate on a measure. But that method is considered by many to be an un-American procedure.

The President's refusal to meet with the heads of industry, as suggested by Benjamin Fairless, president of U. S. Steel, for the purpose of arriving at a satisfactory answer to the strike problem, is believed to have increased the bitterness between management and labor. It is becoming clear that the strikes are now more than a problem of dollar-and-cents wage increases and do, as the President has said, constitute a struggle for power between industry and the unions. Indications are that the struggle will be a long one and that, although some strikes may be settled soon, the number of men out on strike will, for some time to come, seriously interfere with reconversion.

The danger of widespread inflation continues to mount as production of goods falls off. Annoyed over having to wait indefinitely for goods which they expected to have soon after the end of the war, there is a growing temptation on the part of the people to pay whatever is asked to get what few supplies are available. The danger of growing black markets in the automobile field, as well as in the electrical appliance field, is apparent.

During the war, price ceilings did much to keep prices from shooting too high, but now, without the incentive of war-inspired patriotism and with the increasing irritation of the people over not being able to spend their savings for the goods they need, the price situation is nearing the exploding point. The only remedy seems to be a quick return to production.

### SIX-INCH SERMON

Good deeds are not usually measured by inches, nor can we apply a yard-stick to the inspiration of a sermon. But a reader's time may be reckoned in inches, and with this thought in mind Rev. Robert Harper compresses into a few inches of type all the gems one might expect to find in a much longer sermon. Take the few minutes required to read the 6-INCH SERMON—now!

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# Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wren and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Keeney were visitors in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Crews of Stephenville spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks.

Emory Gamble of Fort Worth visited here Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble.

Mrs. Joe Robertson and young son, Joe, of Waco were week-end guests in the home of Miss Thoma Rodgers.

Mrs. C. C. West and son, Larry Mack, and T. B. McCall of Waco spent Sunday here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Christopher.

Mrs. Charles F. Burns of Port Arthur is visiting her father, Dale Etkins, and her aunt, Mrs. Clara Duzan.

Miss Wynonne Slaughter of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Slaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Herricks of Carlsbad, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks Monday and Monday night. Mrs. Hicks is still improving.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gleason and daughters, Annette and Merrijo, returned to Lott Thursday after several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Benn Gleason.

Harold Stevens of Wichita Falls visited here last week with his wife and daughter, who are visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. F. M. Mingus.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meador and children, Pat and Sonny, visited last Sunday in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meador and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador.

Jess Askey left Tuesday for Austin where he will spend several weeks taking a refresher course with the State Highway Patrol.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mayor and Mrs. J. C. Barrow were Clinton S. Barrow and Bill Roundtree of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Russell and daughter, Glenda Maude, of Dallas.

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**HICO FLORIST 38-1tc**  
Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caffey and young son, J. E. Jr., of Abilene. Mrs. Caffey is the former Roberta Beaman.

Mrs. J. S. Justin Jr. of Fort Worth and her mother, Mrs. Edith Reed of San Antonio visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Meador from Wednesday to Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Duckworth and son, Charles Irvin, of Quanah spent the week end here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Blackburn and family.

A note received this week from H. G. Gregory, now with the A. L. Lumber Co. at Midland, reads in part: "Please send the paper for another year as I sure want to keep up with what is going on in the old home town."

Bert Crockett returned home last week from Clifton Hospital, where he underwent a major operation. He is recovering nicely at his home here, according to his wife who stayed at Clifton while he was a patient in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Burden and Mrs. Douglas Burden and children of Dallas visited here last week end in the home of Mrs. W. L. Appleby and other relatives. Adrian, who received his discharge from the Navy last November, is now employed with an air-conditioning machinery firm at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Currier of Vernon visited here last week end with Mrs. Grady T. Coston. They all went to Hamilton later for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Currier is the former Lula Mae Coston.

Miss Mary Jane Barrow and Miss Mary Helen Hollis, both students at John Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Barrow and Mrs. Maye Hollis.

Cecil Reeves, who is employed at Weslaco, came up Monday for his wife and son, Danny, who have been making their home here with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Meador, until he was able to find living quarters there.

Rev. J. W. Logett and wife of Odem visited this week in the homes of his sisters, Mrs. W. E. Ford and Mrs. John Leach. Other visitors were Mrs. R. C. Epperson and daughter, and Mrs. Kelsa and baby, all of Goldthwaite.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Malone, who recently moved back to their home in Hico from Robstown where they have been living for several months, were Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Saunders Jr., of San Antonio; Mrs. Douglas Burden and children, Rebecca and Sonny, of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Malone and daughter, Mary Jane, of Waco.

Mrs. Tom Herbert Wolfe left Monday for Wortham, where she will visit with her parents before returning to her home in Houston, after a visit here in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe. She was accompanied as far as Waco by Mrs. Jean Brockenbrough who will visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Brockenbrough.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
Donna Isbell, granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Isbell, observed her sixth birthday Friday, Feb. 7, with a party. Games were played, then the honoree opened her gifts. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, each guest cutting his own slice of cake. Alan Hedges drew the dime in his piece, which means riches in future life. Virginia Jones found the button in her slice, which designates poverty.

Favors were small wax bottles of fruit juice.  
Following were the ones present: Christine and Virginia Jones, Kay Jameson, Karen Ann Carpenter, Julia and Alan Hedges, Martha Lou Hanson, Judy Griffiths, Barry Brooks, Donald Hughes, Mrs. D. F. Couch, Mrs. Harold Hanson, Mrs. Milton Isbell, Mrs. J. F. Isbell, and the hostess.  
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**CARD OF THANKS**  
Speaking as a member of the committee appointed to solicit funds for the construction of the new building to house the Primitive Baptist Church, I take this method of thanking the public in general for their contributions. May God bless each of you.  
**MRS. J. O. BODIFORD,**  
Chairman.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Thanks a million for the co-operation of the public which made a success of our local drive for the collection of old clothes. Each one who contributed has my personal thanks, and special appreciation goes to the ladies who helped so much in handling them.  
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## HOUSE AND HOME

By MARY E. DAGUE

Every mail brings seed and shrub catalogues for us to study—and I mean study. It pays to go over the lists of flowers and vegetables very thoroughly, comparing the offerings until you find the variety best suited to your individual needs. Most nurserymen go to great pains to make their catalogues both helpful and attractive.

First of all consider your limitations and needs. The soil, drainage and exposure are important factors in the growth of all plants. If your garden spot is well shaded choose flowers that will do well in shade. The soil, too, should be considered.

Then the height of the plant and its blooming period also enter into your choice of seeds.

All this essential information will be found in your seed catalogues so that you will have no disappointments when your garden begins to grow.

If you have a very small place for flowers you may find it more satisfactory to purchase seedlings. Full directions for the planting and care of tiny plants are furnished by the nurseryman and whether you order your plants from away or get them from your local greenhouse you must follow the instructions explicitly.

Make up your mind what you want your flowers to give you and fit the flowers to your needs. Perhaps your aim is to fill the perennial border to make a colorful picture all summer. This is a practical plan because you will also have a few cut flowers for the house.

Some of us like to have an abundance of flowers for cutting. In this case choose your annuals for their effect in the house regardless of garden color. You will need at least five feet of a row to give any abundance of one variety. Rows planted about three feet apart are easy to cultivate and pick from. Flowers need room so thin out the seedlings, leaving at least 12 inches between plants.

This year we are being warned that the necessity for ordering early is more urgent than ever. Phenomenally increased buying of plants and shortage of manpower have brought about a critical situation in many branches of the nursery trade. The seed industry is in a far more favorable position, but whether considering seeds or plants, order early.

The alert gardener is on the look-out for improved varieties in both flowers and vegetables and replaces the common just good by the new and better. He will not only be growing new and better plants but he will also be using new materials in combatting plant diseases and pests.

Mrs. E. A. Herrin received a clipping this week from her daughter, Mrs. Ed Nix of Edouech, telling of the death of Gip G. Killion, 17, who died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Killion, in Combes, Texas. Mrs. Herrin is a niece of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Killion of Santa Maria, who are well known in this section.

Nurse Naomi Jones returned to her home at Hamilton Saturday. She spent the previous week here in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks, nursing her grandmother while she was very ill. Mrs. Hicks is now improving nicely.

The government pays \$2 extra per month to Army men holding the Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross, Distinguished Service Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, or the Soldier's Medal.

Poor soil—poor people. Rich soil—rich people.

## Church News

**Methodist Church**  
Church school, 10 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. Subject, "Heaven and How Shall We Think of It?"  
Preaching 7:15 p. m. Subject, "Paul As Pastor."

A good many problems and difficulties in the church would readily be solved if every member of the church would remember that the church is his church. Each member ought to feel that the responsibility of the church is his.

A church is like its members. Let us make our church better and a greater power for good by being better members.  
Worship with us.  
**J. F. ISBELL, Pastor.**

**Baptist Church**  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 6:15 p. m.  
Preaching, 7:00 p. m.  
W. M. U. Tuesday afternoon 3:00, Sunbeams Tuesday afternoon 3:00.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday night 7:00.

Hamilton County Baptist Sunday School Training Course, beginning Feb. 11, through Feb. 15, First Church at Hamilton, at night.  
**O. D. CARPENTER, Pastor.**

**Church of Christ**  
Meets every Sunday.  
Bible Study 10 a. m.  
Sermon and Worship 11 a. m.  
Evening Services 6:30 and 7:00.  
Midweek—Wednesday 7:00 p. m.  
**STANLEY GIESECKE, Minister.**

**First Christian Church**  
Preaching service first Sunday morning of each month at 11:00 o'clock.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.  
You need your church and the church needs you. Come worship with us, your presence is greatly needed.  
**J. L. FUNK,**  
Supt. Sunday School.

## Six Inch Sermon

**REV. ROBERT H. HARPER**  
*A People Disciplined.*  
Lesson for February 10: Numbers 14:11-24.

The lesson presents a striking contrast between Moses and the good spies on the one hand and the mass of the Israelites who knew nothing of the value and the mastery of discipline.

After the people had heard the report of the evil spies, they gave way to despair and upbraided Moses. In his appeal to God, Moses presumed to tell God what He of course knew—that the ruin of the Israelites would be a scandal among heathen nations.

God promised Moses that He would bring the nation into Palestine but those men who had disobeyed and provoked God would never enter the Land of Promise.

Because Caleb had a different spirit, the Lord promised him honor, blessing, and a goodly inheritance when the Israelites should possess Canaan. We find that this promise was literally and abundantly fulfilled after the conquest.

The chief value of the lesson is the record of success of the men whose courage was founded upon God—also the dangers of undisciplined living.

Let us beware in this age fast and loose of the drink habit and of everything that will undermine character and betray a man to the enemy of souls. Nothing on earth can so weaken a man's will to resist other evils as the continual givinal honor, blessing, and a goodly inheritance when the Israelites should possess Canaan. We find that this promise was literally and abundantly fulfilled after the conquest.

## RIGHT FOR A WEEKEND

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# Announcing

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● We have disposed of our John Deere Agency to Bernard and Wauwic Ogle and take this method of thanking our friends, many of whom have patronized us in this line for the past 35 years or more.

We trust you will accord the new firm, which will be known as the HICO IMPLEMENT COMPANY, the same friendliness and patronage that you have given us all through the past.

● It's been a pleasure to serve you through these many years, and we feel quite sure that when better implements are built, JOHN DEERE will build them.

# J. W. Richbourg

**ARCADE QUADRUPLETS EXPECT SISTER OR BROTHER . . .** At eight months of age, the famous Arcade "quads"—three girls and a better—now weigh over 400 pounds and are making better than average gains at the Drye, Ky., farm of Charles Lucas. They are looking forward to March 5, when at least one new arrival is expected in the family. The "quads" weighed only 60 to 80 pounds at birth, but now are above average weight. The sister in the photograph is Miss Maureen Colma.

**DON'T FORGET**  
The Little Tot

Have a picture made to send to Daddy in the Service.

**THE WISEMAN STUDIO**  
HICO, TEXAS

**Workers Conference**  
**Hamilton County Baptist Association**  
Meeting With  
**First Baptist Church at Hamilton**  
February 11, 1946

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|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 10:00 A. M. | Song Service                      | Mr. A. M. Abernathy   |
| 10:15 A. M. | Devotional                        | Rev. L. C. Sparkman   |
| 10:30 A. M. | Sunday School Objectives for 1946 | O. D. Carpenter       |
| 10:45 A. M. | Testimonies                       | On Sunday School Work |
| 11:00 A. M. | Announcements                     |                       |
| 11:05 A. M. | Special Music                     | Mrs. A. M. Abernathy  |
| 11:10 A. M. | Sermon                            | Rev. J. D. West       |
| 12:00 Noon  |                                   |                       |

AFTERNOON SESSION

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|------------|-----------------------------|
| 1:15 P. M. | Board Meetings and W. M. S. |
| 2:00 P. M. | Song                        |
- Adjourn.  
**ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL TRAINING SCHOOL**  
Feb. 11-15 — First Church, Hamilton  
Beginning Tonight at 7:00 O'Clock
1. Outlines of Bible History . . . R. C. Tension
  2. The Spade and the Scriptures . . . O. D. Carpenter
  3. The Vacation Bible School Guide . . . C. Sylvester
  4. The School In Which We Teach . . . Mrs. Tension
  5. The Baptist People . . . Rev. John D. West
  6. The Furtherance of the Gospel . . . Mrs. Abernathy
  7. Messengers of Light (Inter) . . . Mrs. C. Sylvester
  8. The Junior and His Church . . . Mrs. Parnell
  9. Bible Stories, Book II . . . Teacher Supplied from Hamilton Baptist Church
- Signed: O. D. CARPENTER, Associational Supt.



**DI MAGGIO WORKS OUT . . . Ex-G.I. and former star of the New York Yankees, Joe Di Maggio, gets in shape for the coming baseball season by workout with ball—medical not baseball—at New York athletic club. He has recently been discharged from the army.**

**Clairette**  
 — By —  
 Mrs. H. Alexander

Dr. Little, pastor of the Methodist Church, filled his regular appointments here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mayfield and children of Fort Worth spent the week end here with relatives.

Miss Lila Sherrard of Mineral Wells spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherrard.

Guests spending the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Alexander were Mrs. W. A. Denman, Robert Dunagan, Mrs. Lucile Doyle and daughter, Kay, all of Waco, and Miss Aline Dunagan of San Antonio.

Mrs. Sam Thompson of Colorado City is spending the week with her father, T. M. Lee, and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander and daughter, Betty Lou, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander, a while last Tuesday night.

Games of "42" were enjoyed by the group. Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served by Mrs. Alexander, honoring her husband, that being his birthday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stanford Sunday were Mrs. Jennie McAnally and sons of Brownwood: T. L. Thompson of Arlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

J. C. Hubbard and a brother, Buck Hubbard, both of the U. S. Navy, are here on furlough, each being from different parts of the world, and neither one knowing the other was coming, but what a glad surprise to both as it had been three years since they had seen each other.

Mrs. Bunnie Alexander was called to Kerrville on account of the illness of her daughter-in-law, John Alexander left Monday for Georgetown, where he will work.

Mrs. Don Carter has returned to the home of Mrs. W. Z. Carter after visiting her parents at Leander.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee have been visiting relatives in West Texas.

Mrs. Conda Salmon and children received a call from Conda that he had arrived at San Antonio and would be home this week.

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ramsey of Georgetown accompanied W. Z. Carter who is working there home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mayfield, Miss Vieta Mayfield and Etheridge Mayfield, all of Fort Worth, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mayfield, last week.

Robert Partain, recently discharged from the Army, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Partain and little daughter of Stephenville were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Alexander Saturday night.

Miss Florine Havens of San Antonio spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Havens.

**Carlton**  
 — By —  
 Mrs. Fred Geye

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stuckey and son, Charles, of Waco spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey, and other relatives.

Miss Modesta Ellison of Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellison and two daughters of Purves visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bollier and her aunt, Mrs. E. Cantrell, of Hamilton surprised Mrs. Lee Reeves with a birthday dinner Sunday, Feb. 3. Among the many good things they brought to eat was a 6-pound birthday cake, baked for this occasion. Mrs. Reeves was presented with nice gifts from her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hamilton and son of Gatesville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ledbetter.

Mrs. Eric Adams and daughter, Mrs. Loyd Langford and baby, of Goldthwaite, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan. Mrs. Langford has returned home, and her mother remained for a longer visit.

Rev. and Mrs. John R. Smallwood and son, John R. Jr., of Dallas visited Friday with Rev. and Mrs. F. V. Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson of Cisco are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher.

Mrs. J. B. Lowe returned home Tuesday after a month's visit with relatives at Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ward, who were teachers in our local school, resigned their positions Friday and moved back to Greenville, their former home. Mr. Ward was superintendent, and he and his wife made many friends while here, who regret to see them leave.

We are happy to have our former superintendent, M. J. Carmichael and wife back in school. He recently received his discharge from the Navy. His wife will fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Proffitt and daughter of Comanche spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt and Melba Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobdy Thompson and children, Don and Shirley, were Sunday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Thompson in Abilene.

Mrs. Ed Chambers and son, Welton, returned home Friday after a week's visit in Oklahoma City with her daughter, Mrs. Adolph Helton and family. Mrs. Helton and baby daughter accompanied her mother home for a visit.

Darrel Ledbetter is visiting in Fort Worth with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Teague.

"Sonny Boy" McDaniel accompanied his father, Roy McDaniel, to his home in Pampa Sunday for a visit.

Raymond Geye and son, Jeffrey, of Marble Falls and his brother-in-law, John Marcum and son, Phil, of Hamilton visited Saturday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Longino and three sons moved Saturday to Sweeney, Texas, near Freeport, where he is employed at the Dow Chemical Plant at Freeport.

Mrs. Longino and children made their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Proffitt, while her husband was in the Navy.

**Altman**  
 — By —  
 Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ballard and sons, Clyde, Bryce and Weaver, of Lanham were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hyles, Sunday.

Wiley Edward Bennett of Hamilton spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones were in Stephenville Tuesday visiting their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Truett Jones, who is employed at the Trewitt Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cozby and daughter, Waynell, were in Hico Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bingham, and son, Jimmy, in Hamilton Saturday. Mrs. J. E. Hyles and Mrs. Jeff Bennett accompanied them and went shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Foster in the Palm Rose community Thursday.

Mr. Allen is visiting in Dublin with Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Graves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore and Mrs. J. M. Moore of Carlton visited Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Janice Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly were in Alexander Sunday to help celebrate the first birthday of their little granddaughter, Delores Jones, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones. A delicious dinner and the white three-tier birthday cake with only one tiny pink candle were prepared by her mother and served at the noon hour.

Those present were the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly and an uncle, Dewey Jones; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones, and the honoree, little Delores Jones. Each one enjoyed the occasion very much and wished her many more happy birthdays.

Regular Army men and other members of the Armed Forces will receive free mailing privileges until Dec. 31, 1947, under current government policy.

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Lost and Found

LOST: Man's gold wedding band. Liberal reward for return to Herrington's Grocery. 38-tfc.

LOST: Short, stocky dog marked as Collie, 10 mos. old. \$10 reward for return to W. C. Fouts, Rt. 4, Hico. 38-tfc.

Wanted

NOTICE: Any one needing names and dates put on monuments, see me at once. Frank Mingus. 37-tfc.

I will do your ironing at my home. Mrs. Eva Mae Ash. 37-2p.

IN THE MARKET for 1944 Loan Cotton. Max Hoffman. 37-tfc.

Hester's Radiator Shop—We clean and repair any type of radiator. New and used radiators. All work guaranteed. Located in Stafford Bldg., Stephenville, Tex. 36-47p.

FOR FREE REMOVAL of dead, crippled or worthless stock, call COLLECT Hamilton Soap Works, Phone 303, Hamilton, Tex. 15-tfc.

Livestock and Poultry

For Sale: Thoroughbred big-bone Poland China female pigs. Also have service boar. J. C. McBee, Hico Rt. 1. 37-2tp.

BABY CHICKS FOR SALE

We have installed a new incubator, and are equipped to handle your trade.

Will do custom hatching on both chicken and turkey eggs, so bring your eggs, and let me book your order for some chicks before the rush.

Will appreciate your business. HANCOCK HATCHERY 34-tfc.

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For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE: '34 Chevrolet sport roadster in good condition, perfect rubber. Ogle Bros. 38-tfc.

FOR SALE: Electric refrigerator. See Geo. Tabor. 38-tfc.

FOR SALE: '29 Model A Coupe, good condition, practically new tires. Roy Williams, Carlton. 38-1tp.

FOR SALE: Complete set-up for 182 ft. water well, pump jack, galvanized pipe, wood sucker rod and cylinder. Good condition. Grady Wolfe, Clairette, Tex. 38-3tp.

FOR SALE: Eight window shades in good condition, \$2.00 each. Mrs. Lawrence Lane. 38-2tc.

Just received a shipment of GOOD Used Ford Tractors; Models 1940 to 1945. Also John Deere and Farmalls. Loyd Hines Tractor Co., Phone 161, Dublin, Tex. 37-4tc.

Dandy 6-volt Wincharger, \$19.00. Used only 3 yrs. Also wagon \$7.50. See E. G. Shaffer, Rt. 5, Miller-ville. 37-2tp.

FOR SALE: New 5-room house with bath; 4 acres land, 1/2 mile S. of Hico on Hamilton Highway. F. H. Simons. 37-1tp.

SEE ME for Radio A-B Batteries and Radio Tubes. Morse Rosa, 1/2 block S. E. school house, Phone 179. 36-tfc.

FOR SALE: One milk goat. See J. C. Blackburn. 36-tfc.

FOR SALE: Mowing rake, double-row stalk cutter, 2 section harrows. \$75.00. B. S. Washam. 36-3tp.

FOR SALE: 1 brand new No. 6 McCormick Deering hammer mill. Neel Truck & Tractor Store. 35-tfc.

For Hicks Star Oils and Grease, see J. A. Hughes. 11-3c.

TRACTORS: We have twenty late model used John Deere, Farmall, and Allis Chalmers. Farmers and dealers welcome. Barbee Implement Co., Box 444, Dublin, Texas, Phone No. 5. 29-13p.

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FOR SALE: One-room house in Hico, to be moved. New galvanized roof. Dewey Spinks. 37-2tp.

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LET ME INSURE your farm property. Shirley Campbell. 37-tfc.

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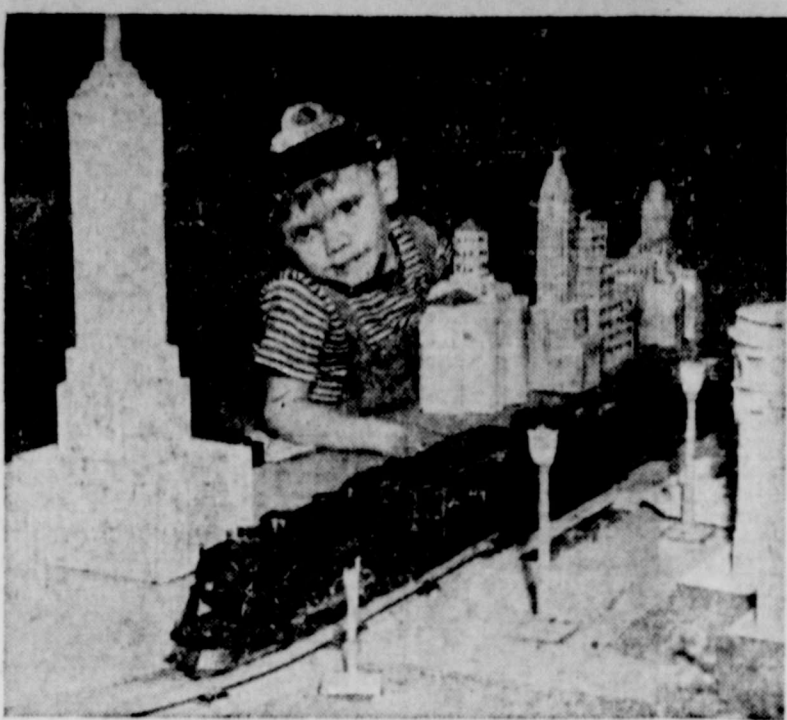
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CARRY 100,000 DIMES TO WHITE HOUSE . . . Donald Anderson, Princeton, Ore., "Poster Boy" of the March of Dimes campaign, is the engineer for the model railway train in New York's Grand Central terminal, which will carry 100,000 dimes between miniature Manhattan and model White House.

ORPHAN AREAS OF EUROPE



Boundaries as of Jan. 1, 1938 — — — Boundary Before World War I — — — © National Geographic Society

Trieste, Fiume, and the rocky peninsula of Istria rising between them have in modern times been bones of contention gnawed at by four countries. Italy and Yugoslavia, today's claimants to the area, were preceded before World War I by Austria and Hungary. Internationalization of Trieste would give all countries free access to that important port.

Italy Gained Control. Treaties following the First World war took all non-Germanic lands from Austria, and all non-Magyar territories from Hungary.

Large steamers dock in an ample harbor naturally protected by a fortunate drift of currents from the silt that eventually clogs most north Adriatic ports. Man-made moles and breakwaters help shelter the harbor from the effects of the bora, fierce northeast wind. The Grand canal, leading from the waterfront, brings colorful fishing boats and other small craft into the city's heart.

defense, and is also disputed. Italy calls Istria and the narrow frontier strip north of it Venezia Giulia — the Giulia a reminder of the region's historic name, the Julian March. A mountain pass leads both ways and Rome was the first organized power to push through and seize the Julian March.

Austria In Control. Many Italians remained in Trieste or were attracted there for commercial reasons. The city played second fiddle to nearby Venice for centuries. To escape the dominance of the Doges, Trieste in 1382 asked for Austria's protection. From then until 1918, except for two short periods when Napoleon gave Italy a taste of Trieste, Austria feasted alone on this morsel of land. Austrians called it Triest, giving its name a fourth spelling and pronunciation. The disputed area (roughly the department of Venezia Giulia, east of the Isonzo river) had a prewar population of less than a million. More than one-fourth of these lived in Trieste, Fiume, Pola and Gorizia had more than 50,000 persons each. The cities are largely Italian, Trieste about 85 per cent so by most estimates. Fiume, however, counting the suburb of Susak — Yugoslavia's thin slice of the Istrian pie — was almost evenly divided between the contending nationalities.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News Review will accept announcements for district and county offices in the order they are received, each to be carried through the first and second primaries unless otherwise eliminated. Rates for the various offices are listed below:

Table with 2 columns: Office Type and Rate. Includes District offices (\$17.50), County offices (\$12.50), Commissioners (\$12.50), Justice offices (\$7.50).

All political advertising is payable cash in advance. A free news notice goes with each announcement placed to be written and signed by the candidate.

The News Review is authorized to publish the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

- Hamilton County
For Congress, 17th District: WILLIAM W. BLANTON
For Representative, 94th District: EARL HUDDLESTON (Re-Election), BYRON L. MCELLELAN
For District Attorney: H. W. (BILL) ALLEN (Re-Election)
For District Clerk: C. E. EDMISTON (Re-Election)
For County Clerk: IRA MOORE (Re-Election)
For County Treasurer: MRS. H. A. TIDWELL (Re-Election)
For Tax Assessor-Collector: JACK CATES, J. LAWRENCE DRAKE
For Sheriff: N. Y. TERRAL (Re-Election)
For Commissioner, Precinct 3: R. W. HANCOCK (Re-Election)

Erath County

- For County Treasurer: BEULAH JOHNSON (Re-Election)
For County Clerk: ELMO WHITE (Re-Election)

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In  
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Sat. Mat. & Night, Feb. 9—

JIMMIE WAKELY  
DENNIS MOORE

In  
**"SONG OF THE RANGE"**

Also Chapter 13 Serial  
**"SECRET AGENT X-9"**

Preview Sat. Night, 10:00 P. M.—

LEON ERROL

In  
**"MAMA LOVES PAPA"**

Sun. Mat. & Night &  
Mon. Night, Feb. 10 & 11—

CLAUDETTE COLBERT  
DON AMECHE

In  
**"GUEST WIFE"**

Tues. & Wed., Feb. 12 & 13—

**DOUBLE FEATURE**  
CLAUDETTE COLBERT  
WARREN WILLIAMS

In  
**"IMITATION OF LIFE"**

— Plus —

BILL BOYD

In  
**"40 THIEVES"**

Thurs. & Fri., Feb. 14 & 15—

JOAN LESLIE  
ALEXIS SMITH  
CHARLES COBURN

In  
WARNER'S  
**"RHAPSODY IN BLUE"**

## WITH THE COLORS

(Continued from Page 1)

### THREE HICO MEN GET DISCHARGES FROM NAVY AT NORMAN, OKLAHOMA

Special to The News Review:  
NORMAN, OKLA., Jan. 27.—The following personnel from the Hico, Texas area today received an honorable discharge from the United States Navy at the Navy Separation Center at Norman, Okla.  
Charles Clifford Herrington, Motor Machinist's Mate, First Class.  
Edgeworth Muse Kidwell, Gunner's Mate, Third Class, Route 1, and  
Albert Carroll Brown, Seaman Second Class, Hico.  
Herrington's last duty station was with the 146th Battalion on Okinawa. He served 16 months overseas in the Pacific and European Theaters.  
Kidwell, whose home address is Route 1, Hico, served 22 months overseas in the European and Pacific Theaters. His rating at time of discharge was that of Gunner's Mate, Third Class, and his last duty station was on the U. S. S. S. C. 1311.  
Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown of Hico, has a wife and daughter who have been living with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Latham, at Dublin. His rating at time of discharge was that of Seaman Second Class. He had served 15 months overseas in the South Pacific area, his last station being aboard the U. S. S. Colorado.

### HARTUNG TO STAY IN ARMY DESPITE GIANTS' CONTRACT

Special to The News Review:  
SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 31.—Despite the fact he was recently purchased by the New York Giants for \$25,000, Big Giant Hartung, Minneapolis star ball hurler, has decided to remain in the Regular Army for the next year. He re-enlisted for 12 months.  
A native of Hondo, Texas, Hartung believes he will have a better chance of sticking in the major leagues by spending all the 1946 baseball season in the service and reporting to the 1947 spring training camp.  
He has reported for duty here at Fort Sam Houston. Hartung also established a good record with the Minneapolis Club as a first baseman and outfielder.

### ENTIRE GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL CLASS SELECTS U. S. ARMY

Special to The News Review:  
SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 4.—Just after they had collected their high school diplomas, the entire mid-term graduating class of Aransas Pass High School reached an agreement.  
The next three years, the class decided, would be spent in the Regular Army. So all of the graduates—five young men—entered the service just three days after completing high school.  
They are Floyd H. Spears, Robert H. Laylock, James C. Barker, Joel S. Collins and Boyd P. Pearce.

### BILL NIX IS SOJOURNING ON THE DANUBE, BUT STILL THINKS A LOT OF TEXAS

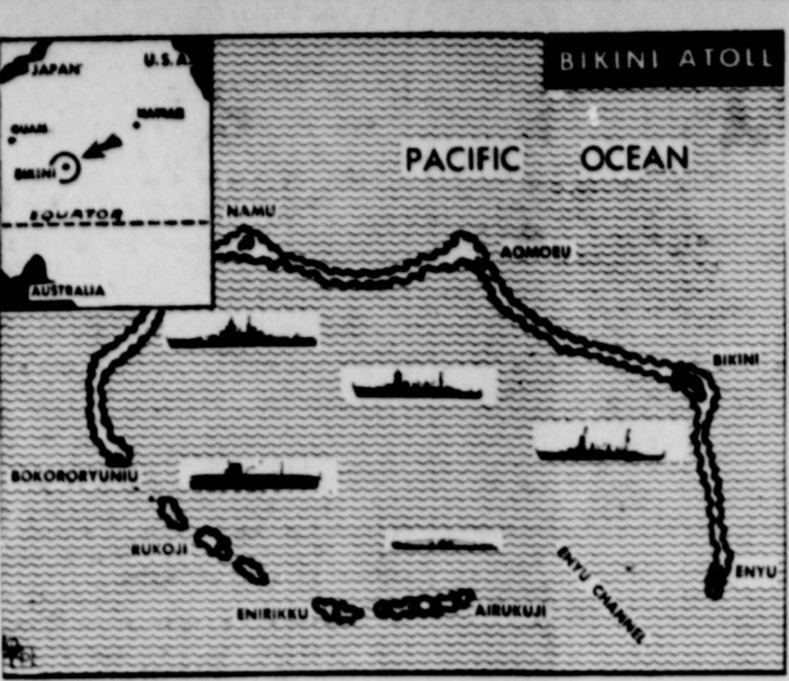
Passau, Germany  
January 14, 1946  
Dear Mr. & Mrs. Holford:  
I have been receiving the paper very nicely, for so many miles to travel. I enjoy reading it very much, and like to know who is getting out of the Army even if I can't.  
This city is located on the Danube River in Southern Germany, and in the Bavaria section. The country isn't in such a bad condition, and everyone is moving about at some kind of a job.  
I wish you would change my address from the Evacuation Hospital to the 15th Station Hospital, APO 178, in care of Postmaster, New York, N. Y. You may also change my rating from Corporal to T-4.  
The 125th is being torn up, and the high point men coming home. We low pointers were transferred to different units, and will probably stay a while. I am in the unit now that relieved us here the first of the year. We have been here since Oct. 1, 1945.  
If my subscription is about out, I wish you would let my wife know at Stephenville, Tex.  
Thanking you for your kindness, and wishing for you a happy and successful New Year. Hoping to see everyone in that good old State of Texas soon.  
Yours truly,  
BILL  
(T/4 Wm. C. Nix 3868252)

### CORPORAL FRUIT IS ON HIS WAY HOME

Special to The News Review:  
PEARL HARBOR, T. H. — T/5 Walter Pruitt of Hico, Texas, is one of 1,900 veterans returning to the States aboard the U. S. S. General Ernst, which left Yokohama, Japan, January 17, and is scheduled to arrive in Seattle about January 28.  
The U. S. S. General Ernst is one of the Navy's tremendous fleet of transports and cargo ships which supplied air, sea and land forces throughout the Pacific as the U. S. offensive moved westward to the shores of Japan.

### IT'S A LONG WAY TO GUAM

"Hate to bother you," says a note from J. O. (Rooster) Wilson, now with the Navy at Guam, "but you'll have to change my address again. I've got industrial and made Seaman First Class. Also changed my division. My proper address is enclosed. Came the long way to Guam but finally got here from San Diego to Midway to Wake to Saipan to Guam. This ship, the U. S. S. Bushnell (AS15) is the only ship in the First Submarine Squadron which consists of 13 subs and one tender."



WHERE ATOMIC BOMBS WILL FALL . . . Lonely reef capped by 21 islets of which only 8 are big enough to bear names, Bikini atoll, in the Marshall Islands, will be in the spotlight of world interests when history's third great atomic bomb explodes there in May. Chosen by the navy for its first test of the bomb's effect on vessels, the lagoon within the atoll will hold 97 ships of the "suicide fleet."

### BLANTON (Continued from Page 1)

Judge Blanton believes that the men returning from all over the world will never forget that the present union leadership has used the war and its aftermath as a golden opportunity to increase their own power and wealth, without regard to the sufferings of others. He cites the wartime strikes, the strike which has tied up the lumber industry of the Northwest since October in the midst of our greatest housing shortage, the hundreds of strikes which are too small to reach the headlines but which are sapping our national strength and the great steel and automobile strikes, which are making it impossible for the veteran returning and setting up anew to get the things he needs, and which can only result in higher prices when he is able to buy.  
"It burns a veteran up," he said, "to have to buy a license to work from the men who are running that sort of show before he has the right to earn his living in his own country, and to have to pay over any assessments they choose to make against him and to fall in with their propaganda line to keep from losing his union card once he has got it."  
"We are not out to break up labor unions, but to clean them up," he continued, "and it is essential to destroy the dictatorial power of the group now in control, which is too great a power for any group to have in a free country, even though their freedom and intentions were of the best."  
Judge Blanton will make a vigorous campaign, in which he expects strong opposition, either open or concealed, from the Political Action Committee of the CIO. He will speak for the principles in which he believes, and will see as many of the people of this area as possible before the Democratic Primaries in July. He asks that readers watch for further statements by him in the columns of the News Review.

### THIS AND THAT

By JOE SMITH DYER

BLUEBIRD:  
There is a small bird with prevailing blue above, common to all Americans, and in that masterpiece Maeterlinck calls that "Bluebird" the symbol of happiness.  
Most people have read that story and still there are a few who have missed it—so I shall try to condense that story into a few words.  
A rich man and his wife went searching all over the world for the Bluebird of Happiness, failing completely to find it. They looked high and low and finally gave up and returned to their mansion disheartened, discouraged and depressed.  
In that fine home of theirs they had a blackbird—a jet black bird. One evening a neighbor, belonging to their high society set, told them of a poor sick child who was constantly calling for a bird. Instantly they sent for their limousine and a few moments later they walked into the sick child's room with a bird cage in which was the jet black bird.  
With gloved hands the woman presented the bird to the child.  
Suddenly the bird, which had been very black, turned into a bluebird. On discovering the magical change the diamond-studded fingers of the woman closed around the body of the bluebird and she placed it back into the cage and with the bird the people with plenty of money returned to their home on the avenue, happy because they had at last found the bluebird that they had searched for all over the world. Elated, the searchers for the true symbol of happiness entered their palatial home with broad smiles on their faces. Under a light from an expensive chandelier with cut glass pendants, the overjoyed pair took another look into the cage and lo! the bird was black again—much blacker than before.  
They could give a poor child the Bluebird of Happiness but for some reason they were not able to "cage" that happiness in their own home.  
This brief story serves to illustrate that the "bird" we call happiness is one that will never fly through our window unless we let it fly out.



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