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THE MIDDLES By Bob Carp



IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. Wilburn Phillips is in the Stephenville Hospital. His wife is with him in the daytime.

After a week with her grandmother, Mrs. McAdoo, Mrs. Thelma Hicks returned to her home in De Leon Sunday.

Tuesday morning Mrs. Quince Fouts had the bad luck to lose all of her clothes. She hung a garment on the bathroom door. It was close to the heater and caught afire and caught all her clothes afire. They called for help and soon the fire was out, but her nice clothes were gone up in smoke. Some dresses were given to her and she will soon have plenty again. All are sorry of her bad luck.

A. C. McAden got badly burnt Saturday night. He had been some place and had taken off his coat and had his back turned to a hot plate that was setting on a table and his shirt caught afire and burnt his back and right side. He was taken to the hospital. His parents and his brother went to see him. He was moved to the Veterans Hospital in Temple. He is getting along nicely.

Miss Ada Heirheart spent the week with Mrs. Ewell Thompson.

Mrs. Mollie Graves is visiting relatives in Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb and his sister, Linnie, of Illinois are visiting his aunt, Mrs. Deatherage, and his uncle, Mr. Dunlap, and family.

Mrs. Howard Myers and baby visited in Dallas this week.

John Davis Jr. of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reinke and children of Meridian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Friday night. Their son remained over till Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Turper of Brownwood visited here Saturday. She went on to Walnut Springs to visit her sister, Mrs. Daves.

Rev. and Mrs. Oral Bowman of Brownwood spent the week end here. He preached out at Flax Branch.

Mrs. John Wyche was in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. Cora Mitchell spent the week end in Wichita Falls with her son, Roi, and wife.

Mr. Fuller is confined to his bed.

Mary Wayne is keeping house for a minister and his wife at Hamilton.

Mr. Wilburn Phillips was operated on Saturday and is getting along fine.

Mrs. Luther Wellborn is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Williams, and family at San Antonio.

Mrs. Willis and children of Wichita Falls spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McHee.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McElroy spent Sunday in Fort Worth with their son, J. D., and wife and son.

Next Sunday, March 9, there will be a business meeting at the Baptist church at the morning hour. This will take the place of the preaching. All members are urged to attend.

March 8th is my birthday. Will be glad to receive cards from the readers who care to write.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell and young son of Brownwood spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. R. S. Echois and Mrs. McElroy were in Hico Monday.

Rev. McBurnett of Fort Worth preached here Sunday morning and night. Both sermons were fine. He was accompanied by his wife and son. She played on a Viola harp. The music sure was pretty, and was enjoyed by all.

All the week has been cold and bad and am sorry there isn't much news—too cold to visit.

Howard Myers spent the week end in Dallas. He went after his wife and son, who had been visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fallis left Monday for San Antonio to witness the marriage of their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and children have moved here from Dallas and are living in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Baake.

go to the back door. The woman was cold and hungry, and perhaps sick also. The rich lady heard the maid talking and told the ladies, "I am going to see who that is." One lady said, "Maude, don't go out there, you are always lending aid to some old thing. I am above that." "She may need some help," Mrs. McNeil said, "and I will see."

The woman was ready to turn and go to the back when she came out on the porch. Her name was Mrs. Martha Smith. She told her that her husband had left her with two children to care for and she needed help. "The children are at home alone," she said.

She took her in and had a servant to give her a nice warm lunch and she gave her a good warm coat and she put it on.

The rich woman's chauffeur took the poor woman home in their big fine car, which was nice and warm. Mrs. McNeil phoned to the grocery store and had her a large amount of groceries sent out to her and the children. Mrs. McNeil gave her a neat sum of money, of which she was very glad.

Her friends thought she was out of her place; they didn't approve of it. She told them she was going to help all that are in need, for the Bible says to help the needy and we are doing for Christ when we help someone.

"Mrs. Smith, are you able to do your housework?" asked Mrs. McNeil. "Sure," she replied, "and I wish I could get some more to do. I need work." "I know of a family that needs a housekeeper," Mrs. McNeil said. So in a day or so Mrs. Smith was keeping house for a well-to-do family. All of her relatives lived a long way off and so she had to take the children. They were given a room and she moved her things there and was well satisfied.

She bought herself and the children some clothes with some of the money that Mrs. McNeil gave to her.

Mr. and Mrs. McNeil were faithful members of a large Presbyterian church and gave a large donation every Sunday. Her pastor heard about her good deed and told her she was like Mary of old. "She hath done what she could," for she helped others. She will get a great reward for it.

She did her good deeds to others for the glory of God, and not for the people. THE END

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

A Definition of Our Town

Somebody define our town just the other day as "A place where the people talk about you behind your back, and come to wait on you when you're sick."

I've got to admit there's something to it. A lot of our folks are inclined to be pretty outspoken and quick to criticize ... even about little things, like a woman's hat, or a man's preference for a glass of beer, or the color of Cy Hartman's new barn.

But when anyone's in trouble, those differences and points of

criticism are forgotten ... and folks become neighborly and helpful, like they really are.

From where I sit, criticism never did much harm to anybody, so long as folks don't let it guide their actions ... so long as they respect our individual preferences, whether they apply to hats or beer. That's the way it is in our town, anyway, and I hope that it's the same in yours.

Joe Marsh

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LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Have you got a plane that zig-zags in a northeasterly direction?"

The Mirror

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SPORTS NEWS

Tuesday night, February 18, the Hico girls and boys basketball teams played Iredell at Iredell. The Hico second string boys played Iredell's second string boys and won with a score of 20-15.

The next game was played between the Hico girls and the Iredell girls. Both teams played a hard game and the scores were tied 25-25. Even after playing the tie off, the scores remained 25-25.

The last game was played between the Hico boys and the Iredell boys. The Hico boys were defeated.

The Hico boys and girls teams entered a tournament at Alexander Friday, February 21.

In the tournament the Hico boys first game was scheduled at 4:00. Their opponent was Dublin's B team. The Hico boys won with a score of 28-16. Their next game was to be played Friday night at 8:00 with the Stephenville B team. They were defeated 30-15. This meant they were not to play again in the tournament.

The Hico girls played their first game in the tournament Friday at 3:00, their opponent being Hockaby. They were defeated but were to play again at 12:00 on Saturday. This was to be a consolation game. Their next game was at 6:00 Saturday with Iredell. The Hico girls won 33-22. Winning this game meant they had won the consolation, and a prize of \$5.99.

February 25, the Hico boys and girls played Lanekin at Hico. The Hico boys won with a score of 33-20. The Hico girls won 27-17.

BAND NOTES

Several of the members of the band—Betty Jo Hefner, Charles Gollightly, Betty Jane Gollightly, and Connie Joe Meador—were absent this week. We hope that they are back soon.

We have several new pieces of music such as "The Tiger Rag," "Them Basses," and "The Washington Post March." We will be very happy when we learn them, and somehow we got the idea that Mr. Macy would be right well pleased, too.

SENIOR NEWS

The saying, "Good news travels fast" was proved Thursday. A notice was placed on the bulletin board stating that there would be no school Friday. Within a split second, everyone in high school had heard the good news. Ralph Ellis was the only one who voiced an opinion against the notice. It seems he had an appointment with a Plane Geometry book.

All the Seniors were carrying around a huge stack of books this morning, not only for the exercise, but to study, too. Rumor has it that this is test week.

Ten pages of the annual have been completed and sent in. I guess you think we don't feel proud!

JUNIOR NEWS

We all enjoyed our holiday last Friday, so you can be sure we must have spent it studying.

Everybody is very busy—or at least they should be—studying for our six weeks tests which come this week.

By the way, it isn't hard to tell that some of the boys and girls who play basketball are Juniors. What players?

Again we interview somebody. This time it's Louise Higginbotham. Louise is five feet and one-

half-inch tall. She has green eyes and blonde hair (not bad). Her favorites are as follows: Sport, basketball; subject, Biology; Actress, Jeanne Crain; Actor, Cornel Wilde; food, sauerkraut; color, pink; boy friend, all of them.

FRESHMAN NEWS

We're back in school today after the holiday given us Friday, which we welcomed with open arms.

This week Louis Randolph and Vaima Norrod will be interviewed. Lois has dark brown hair, brown eyes, a dark complexion, and she is approximately 5 feet, 4 inches tall. Her favorites are as follows: Food, fried chicken; dessert, ice cream; subject, Algebra; color, red; actor, Gary Cooper; actress, Diana Lynn. Her hobby is collecting post cards.

Velma has light brown hair, green eyes, a fair complexion and she's 5 feet, 4 inches tall. Her favorites are as follows: Food, chili; dessert, ice cream; actor, Eddie Bracken; actress, Jane Russell; color, red; subject, Homemaking; and her favorite sport is baseball.

HOMEMAKING NEWS

Ah, how good it is to be back in the Homemaking Cottage and to inhale the fragrance of burned toast as we enter. Loretta and Gayle are at it again!

Everyone was having a wonderful time last Friday. All the teachers went to a meeting at Brownwood and they wouldn't trust us at school all by ourselves, so we got a holiday.

Betty Hefner has been out of school with the whooping cough. We hope she will be able to return soon.

WORM'S EYE VIEW

Nilly isn't too particular about the girls he likes; he goes for just about any of them. That's why he is so fond of Janelle Dowdy; our apologies to Janelle. He really is quite fond of her. She gets away with murder on him; he would even let her cut him open in Biology. Come to think of it, she almost did! But all is well again and we are lovey-dovey as ever. Imagine that combination, the Worm and the Wolf, and you can decide which is which.

CRYSTAL BALL

I just got back from a trip around the world, so my crystal ball is in excellent working order and I have quite a few interesting incidents to relate.

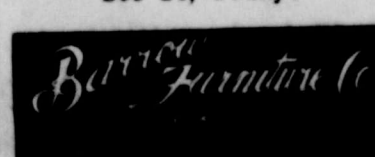
For instance, I saw Margie Land

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having a gay old time in Dublin over the week end. Am I dreaming, or could that be Billy Ellis with her?

Jean Caughey was with Coolidge Jackson Saturday and Saturday night. Jo Nell C. was with Bobby Jack Rainwater Saturday night, and Max Burgan Sunday night.

Flossie Bolton still thinks of Lelon Wolfe with many sighs and flutters of the heart. Think she likes the old boy?

They say that Red Phillips was unhappy about not going to Granbury over the week end. She wanted to see Joe Tom.

We have an idea that Erma Talley had a date with George Buras Friday night.

Since Wendell K. said that he did not go anywhere Saturday night, we guess he parked.

Wonder what Billy J's mother said when he came home Thursday. Was that lipstick behind his ear?

What has Leo got that no one else has? Just ask Frances. Mildred was annoyed again Saturday by that pest, Norman. Mildred says he isn't a pest. In fact, he is far from it.

WHAT KIND OF PEOPLE?

By NELL DUNN (8th Grade)
What kind of people are in this world?

Healthy people, wealthy people. Sick people, and poor people? That's the kind of people that are in this world.

What kind of people are in this world? Lazy people, working people. Fast people, and slow people? That's the kind of people that are in this world.

What kind of people are in this world? Smart people, dumb people. Town people, and country people? That's the kind of people that are in this world.

What does it all add up to? Healthy, wealthy, sick and poor. Lazy, working, fast and slow. Smart, dumb, country, and town. That's the kind of people this world is made up of.

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Food authorities say that "red meat" will continue to be scarce for at least another year. And in the meanwhile millions of Americans who never before tasted turkey — except possibly during the Holidays — are learning to enjoy the Great American Bird, every week in the year.

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THIS AND THAT By JOE SMITH DYER

SOMETHING LOST: A certain man felt that he was always careful enough because he placed everything on his desk in the proper position.

He was one of those people who insisted on doing every little detail, like washing the windows and cleaning the cuspidors.

Every little thing had to pass through his hands for he was so very very careful.

Since that day this certain man has hunted in his home, in hotels here and abroad for the thing he lost.

MEMORIES OF FRANCE, 1932: The view up the Rue Laffitte on a lazy morning. There's nothing finer in Paris.

GOING! GOING! GONE! Before your hair is all gone try DURHAM'S RESORCIN.

harin who chewed gum all the while he was dancing with his patroness.

The portions of the foundations of the original Bastille that crop up on the platform of a metro station.

Daybreak at Quiberon Point. Watching the sun come up like thunder out of Carnac, 'cross the bay.

Another tourist to a guide: "Now tell me honestly, guide. Couldn't I get along just as well without you?"

All pleasures are tasteless without health. Sickness serves cruel.

Veterans' News

The aid of press, radio and veterans and civic organizations in acquainting veterans with their rights to reinstate lapsed National Service Life Insurance was sought this week by Thomas G. Lanphier.

Following President Truman's approval of a bill extending the February 1 deadline for reinstating GI policies without a physical examination, Lanphier directed VA officials to use every source available to inform World War II veterans of the benefits of NSLI policies.

In accordance with the legislation, VA has set a new deadline of August 1, 1947, for reinstating NSLI. Veterans reinstating before August 1 have only to sign a comparative health statement and pay two monthly premiums.

"A large number of World War II veterans in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi dropped their GI insurance after leaving military service," Lanphier said.

Nearly 1,000 veterans are being treated in VA hospitals in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi for tuberculosis, VA's Medical Service reported this week.

By 1943, when the peak load is anticipated, VA hospitals in the tri-states served by the Dallas Branch Office will need approximately 2,000 beds for tuberculosis veterans, it was added.

VA is attacking tuberculosis not only as a medical problem but as one which has other important social consequences on the veteran and his family, VA doctors said.

Only 25 out of 16,045 students X-rayed at the University of Texas were found to have any trace of tuberculosis, University Health Service officials report.

Veterans Administration to date has approved for guarantee about \$2.5 billion in business, farm and home loans for World War II veterans.

Weekly SURPLUS NEWS WAA

As of the close of business February 28, the Dallas and Fort Worth regional offices of War Assets Administration were officially merged.

More than 600,000 surplus all-wool Navy dress and undress jumpers will be offered for sale on a competitive bid basis, WAA has announced.

WAA announced this week that approximately 13,500 unused surplus hospital and laboratory type sterilizers that originally cost the government \$2,800,000 will be offered in a competitive bid sale from March 19 to April 7.

WAA is offering to all priority claimants concurrently electric motors and starters, nails, plywood, hand tools, electric chain hoists, compressors, paint pressure units, blowers and air conditioning equipment in a site sale to be conducted at the Bluebonnet Ordnance Works near McGregor, Tex.

A sweeping three-fold plan to liquidate all remaining salable surplus aircraft has been announced by WAA.

Chickenpox Has Increased 50 Percent In Last 7 Years

Austin, March 3.—With the incidence of chickenpox more than 50 per cent higher than records indicate for a seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, issued a statement today declaring, "It is a great mistake to treat even a light case of childhood diseases such as chickenpox, measles, mumps, scarlet fever or whooping cough as though they did not amount to much."

"Some of the most serious outbreaks of chickenpox which we have had, have been traced to mild cases—that is, to cases too light for the doctor to be called. In some instances the children have continued to go to school and to associate and play with other children. In others, after they have been kept at home for a few days, they have returned to school and have scattered these germs around among their schoolmates."

CARD OF THANKS: We want to thank everyone that contributed anything to replace what was destroyed last Tuesday, February 25, when the Roy Davis home was destroyed by fire caused by a defective flue.



VOICE OF U. S. A. . . V. Fran-dusoff, employed by International Broadcasting division of the U. S. office of international information and cultural affairs, "the voice of U. S. A." as he broadcasts to Russia. There were 80,000 radios capable of picking up his message.

Omar Burleson Addresses Congress For Second Time

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—Congressman Omar Burleson made his second address in the 80th Congress today, speaking in support of his bill (HR 2143) which was introduced on February 21st to amend the Articles of War and the Articles for the Government of the Navy.

The measure affords certain fundamental legal rights, such as the presumption of innocence until guilt is established, the reasonable doubt theory of law and the making of confessions, and other basic principles which, Congressman Burleson says, "are not adequately recognized in military court martial procedures."

A TRIBUTE TO Alexander Graham Bell



This month marks the 100th birthday of Alexander Graham Bell—it also commemorates the 71st anniversary of the telephone, product of his inventive genius.



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Hamilton County Goes Over Quota In Sister Kenny Fund

Houston, March 1.—Hamilton county raised 473% of its quota in the 1946 campaign to raise funds for the Sister Elizabeth Kenny Infantile Paralysis Foundation.

The remainder of the funds will be held in trust toward establishment of clinics in Texas where the complete Kenny method of treating infantile paralysis may be made available to all Texans who are so unfortunate as to contract the disease.

OLIN H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. HUNTER NEWMAN

The Olin Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Hunter Newman on Thursday, Feb. 27, for an all-day "re-upholstering" demonstration by County H. D. Agent Miss Ethel Hander.

A divan and platform rocker were worked on, from the replacing and tying of springs, padding, and finally the making and tacking on of the finished upholstery.

During the business session, Mrs. Hunter Newman was appointed club and community recreation chairman, and Mrs. James Sparks was named education and expansion chairman.

Those attending the demonstration were: Mimes, A. J. Patterson, Wallace Halle, T. J. Hale, Weldon Pierce, Avery Coffman, a visitor from Carlton, and Miss Hander.

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Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones were business visitors in Dallas Monday.

R. L. Howard from Winters visited his mother, Mrs. W. A. Howard, the past week end.

P. H. Benson of San Antonio spent the week end here with his wife, and visited other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rosamond and daughter, Dot, of Dallas spent the week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Persons.

Claude Christopher, student at Hardin College in Wichita Falls, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Christopher.

Mrs. Guy Wille, accompanied by a friend, Miss Maidel Frederick, both of Austin, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown returned home early last week from San Antonio where they visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Horton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Gamble of Wichita Falls were week-end guests in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater.

Mrs. P. T. Hammack of Winnaboro was a week-end guest here in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Blair Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Connelly and children, Donna and Nancy, of Whitney spent the week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Moon and children, Douglas and Judy.

Carolyn Holford, a Senior student at the University of Texas, returned to Austin Sunday afternoon after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Holford.

The dead line for filing Income Tax Returns is just one week away. Let me help you today. L. L. Hudson. 42-11c.

Mrs. C. B. Segrest spent Saturday in Eastland with her son, Thurman Segrest and family. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Segrest and Billy returned here for a week-end visit in the Segrest home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Aycock and daughter, Sandra Kay, have recently moved here to the Aycock ranch south of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aycock, who have been living out there, have moved to town. Cecil has been in charge of the ladies' shoe department of The Dunlap Company at Midland. His wife is a former Midland girl.

Week-end guests in the home of Mrs. J. R. McMillan were Mrs. Ira Scudder and children of Grator and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snyder of Sanger, who will reside in Denton as soon as their new residence is completed. Mrs. Snyder is the former Miss Pansy McMillan, whose marriage last October was recently announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spaulding, who have been making their home in Dublin for the past several months, have been visiting for the past ten days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Spaulding and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stanford. They left this week for Greenville, where they will visit with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spaulding.

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Mrs. Rodgers Weds William R. Jones In Rites In Kentucky

In a quiet ceremony read Wednesday of last week at 6:30 o'clock Mrs. Artie Rodgers of Lone Oak Ky. daughter of Mrs. Margaret Tolliver of Hico, Texas, was married to William Russell Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry A. Jones of La Center, Ky. The Rev. Athel Shepherd read the single ring and delight ceremony before a small group of relatives and friends. The altar of the Lone Oak Methodist church was banked with ferns and bridal flowers for the wedding.

The bride wore an original suit by LilliAnn, in misty green. Her hat, a combination of beige and brown felt, was off-the-face with feather trim. Her accessories were brown and her flowers pink rose buds.

Mrs. Jones is a graduate of the Irredell, Texas high school and of Draughon's Business College at Paducah, Ky. She was formerly employed by the Alam National Bank in San Antonio, and the San Antonio Aviation Center. For the past year she has been with Time Finance of Paducah.

Mr. Jones was graduated from Ballard High School, and Manchester College, North Manchester, Indiana, and after serving four years as lieutenant, junior grade, in the Navy has been connected with the Jones Funeral Home in La Center, Kentucky.

The couple left for a short honeymoon trip to Texas, and will be at home after March 1 at 2829 Griffiths Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio, where Mr. Jones will attend the Cincinnati Embalming School.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Cox and Mary Nell Jones of McGregor spent the week end here in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones. Sunday afternoon visitors in the Jones home were Virginia Wallace, Dillon Hughes and James V. Burns, also of McGregor.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Margaret Tolliver and sons, W. D. and Donald, were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones and daughter, Silva Lea Rodgers, of La Center, Kentucky; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox of Stephenville; Mrs. Cora Jones of Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tolliver; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tolliver and son, Charles, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Crow and children, Wanda Lea, Joyce, and Lawrence Everette, Lloyd Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Latham, son and daughter, Walter and Frances, and Mrs. Mary Belle Lively and son, Kenneth, all of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pearcey of near Salem, Oregon, have been visiting with relatives in and around Hico and Fair, and at Fort Worth and Walnut Springs. Mrs. D. O. Newton and Mrs. John Huckabee of Fort Worth also have been visiting relatives here. Mrs. Tom Pearcey is a daughter of Mrs. Addie Grimes, a Fair resident until her death. At a celebration at Johnny's given Thursday of last week, all the children were present except Mr. Henry Grimes of Henrietta, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pearcey visited with his mother, Mrs. Ella Pearcey, at Walnut Springs the first of the week. This is the first visit that Mrs. Pearcey has made to Texas in almost thirteen years. She enjoyed a very good trip to the top of the lone mountain where she played when she was growing up.

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MISS ZONELL FUNK WED TO R. T. SIMPSON JR.

Miss Zonell Funk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Funk and Mr. R. T. Simpson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson Sr. were married at the home of Elder Stanley Giesecke Sunday afternoon, March 2, at 2 o'clock, in a double-ring ceremony.

They were attended by Miss Leona Simpson of Fort Worth, sister of the groom, and Mr. Vernon Funk, brother of the bride.

The bride wore a teal blue suit with black accessories, and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Simpson was a graduate of Carlton High School and worked in Littlefield for the past several years. R. T. left high school in 1943 to enter the U. S. Army, in which he served in the Pacific Theatre for 31 months. This couple is from prominent Hico families and have the best wishes of their many friends in Hico and Carlton.

They left Sunday afternoon for a short wedding trip, after which they will make their home in Hico. CONTRIBUTED.

DOUGLAS MOON HONORED ON HIS FIFTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Morgan Moon entertained a group of children in her home last Saturday afternoon honoring her young son, Douglas, on his fifth birthday.

Entertainment was provided by a musical gift received by the honoree. The gift was a comic orchestra simulating the comic strip characters, Mummy and Pappy Yoakum, Daisy Mae, and L'il Abner.

Refreshments of angel food cake and hot chocolate were served to the following guests: Billy and Patsy Gandy, Julia Ann and Alan Hedges, Wayne and Archie Allison, Kenney Hoffman, James Armond Eubank, Linda, Larry, Jimmie and Paula Eakins, and Judy Moon. Out-of-town guests were Mary Lyn and Jimmie Adams, Mrs. B. Johnson and Mrs. J. L. Adams of Meridian, and Mrs. Earl Connelly and children, Donna and Nancy, of Whitney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones have announced the arrival of a great-grandson, William Ross White, who was born on March 1 to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. White in Richmond, Calif. The Whites' other child, Devalca, who has been in the Children's Hospital in San Francisco for several months recovering from poliomyelitis, is reported by Mrs. Jones to be still improving.

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Boys' Sports

The Fairy Tigers were defeated by Blue Ridge last Friday night. The scores were 31-15. James Abel will start playing with us this week. Just watch us get in there and play ball.

Seniors

Well, we are all back this morning except Winnie Riley. We hope she will be back soon.

The good news came last week about Tuesday, to be exact. The Seniors received their necklaces and pins to match their rings. They were all very happy to receive them.

Well, folks, here comes the news that you have all been waiting for. The Seniors have set the date for their play. Stop! Look! Listen! The event is set for March 21. We will let you know more later. Now for a brief summary of "Mama's Baby Boy."

A widow about 40 years old tries to impress herself to be about 30 to a widower she thinks is rich. The widower, who is also about 40, tries to impress the widow to be about 25, who he thinks is rich. The widow dresses her son to be five years younger than she is.



YOUNGSTER SIGNS WITH INDIANS . . . Lee Carey, 17, Tucson, Ariz., who has been signed by the Cleveland Indians baseball club reportedly for a bonus of \$15,000. The sum is the highest ever paid by Cleveland for a rookie.

Then the friends, grandmother, maid and all, dress up in youthful fashion, too. This is a play that all of you will want to see. Don't miss this hilarious play designed for both young and old.

Juniors

The Juniors are going to interview Edward Jenkins. Edward is about 5 feet 8, has black wavy hair, and gray eyes. His favorites are: Sport; fishing; girl; friend well; just guess; subject: Algebra; teacher; he likes all of them; actor; Gregory Peck; actress; June Haver. All in all, Edward is a pretty swell guy and has lots of friends. We are sorry to hear that Joe Blackley is absent this morning, due to illness. Lloyd is absent, too, but we are sure nothing is wrong with him.

Sophomores

We are all proud to be back in school after our Friday holiday. Those dreaded six weeks tests are over and almost everyone got passing grades. Most of us are hoping the county tournament will be held this week end, but there are a few who are tired of playing basketball. We are proud of the members.

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of our class who have recovered from the mumps and are back in school.

Freshmen

Boy, are we disappointed over our last grades! But you know, you can't make over a hundred. Milton Clark was sick last week. A certain black-headed girl seems to be happy because he's back again.

Pansy N. thinks she has met her one and only. She seems to like to go to Hico pretty often. Could it have anything to do with the Western Auto Store? Wish us luck on our county tournament.

First and Second Grades

Imagine our surprise Wednesday when the teacher announced that we were going to have a holiday Friday. Were we glad? We can surely say we were. Most of us spent the day playing and having a good time. But we were glad to be back in school Monday. We were especially glad to see J. C. Driver back Monday. He has been absent two weeks with the mumps. We are sorry to report that Patsy Dansbec has the mumps now. We hope she will soon be well and back in school.

We first grade pupils have a new reading book. The name of it is "Nip the Bear." Nip certainly is a clever little bear. We have just finished reading our book, "Happy Playmates." It was good and we always enjoyed our workbook lesson periods as we worked with it.

Third, Fourth and Fifth Grades

We enjoyed our holiday last Friday when Mrs. Bertelson went to the teachers' convention at Brownwood.

We are finishing our poem books and prayer book this week. They are very pretty.

Sixth and Seventh Grades

We are happy to be back in school. We had Friday off because of a teachers' meeting at Brownwood.

We have finally finished our frieze. It looks very nice. Our radio is ready to be installed. As you know, we sold magazine subscriptions to earn one. The girls won the contest and the ice cream. Mrs. Goynes added enough money to our fund to buy the radio. So now all we need is an electric outlet, and Mr. Columbus is going to supply that very soon.

Clairette

By Mrs. H. Alexander

The Busy Bee Sewing Club met last Thursday with Mrs. Grady Wolfe.

Mrs. H. K. Self of Stephenville was in Clairette visiting last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kibler and Mrs. Alice Fenley of Fort Worth visited in the home of Mr. R. M. Alexander Sunday. Mrs. Fenley remained over until Tuesday.

There have been quite a number on the sick list here. School was closed a few days last week.

Mr. G. H. Goughly is in the Hico Hospital. Last reports were that he wasn't doing too well. John Goughly and daughter, Betty, have also been ill and in the Hico Hospital, but are better at this writing and Betty has been brought home. John remained to be with his father.

Mr. T. M. Lee is ill at this writing. A daughter, Eunice, has been ill but is up and about now.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander visited in Stephenville Monday at the bedside of their grandson, James Harold Denton, who is ill. Last report was that he was some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Sherrard were in Fort Worth Tuesday on business.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lee and sons of Fort Worth spent the week end here at the bedside of their father and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sherrard of Fort Worth visited here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Green of Dallas visited here the past week in the home of Mrs. Dowdy, who is ill.

Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Jesse Bingham, who had been visiting his grandparents and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham and Martin Bingham, the past two months, left Thursday for his home in Moses Lake, Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Scales in the Palm Rose community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Partain in Carlton a while Saturday night.

The Blue Bonnet Club met Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 5, with Mrs. R. W. Bingham. Members present were Mrs. J. B. Roberts, Mrs. Harve Yocham, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Wayne Cozby, Mrs. Dock Kirby, Mrs. J. H. McAnelly, and the hostess, Mrs. Bingham. Visitors were Mrs. Jim Parrish, Mrs. Tull Thompson, Mrs. Truett Jones, and Mrs. H. E. Jones. The afternoon was spent quilting on a quilt. Next meeting will be Wednesday afternoon, March 12, with Mrs. Harve Yocham.

Vermont Browning has purchased a new tractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson have moved to the place vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Dickey some time ago.

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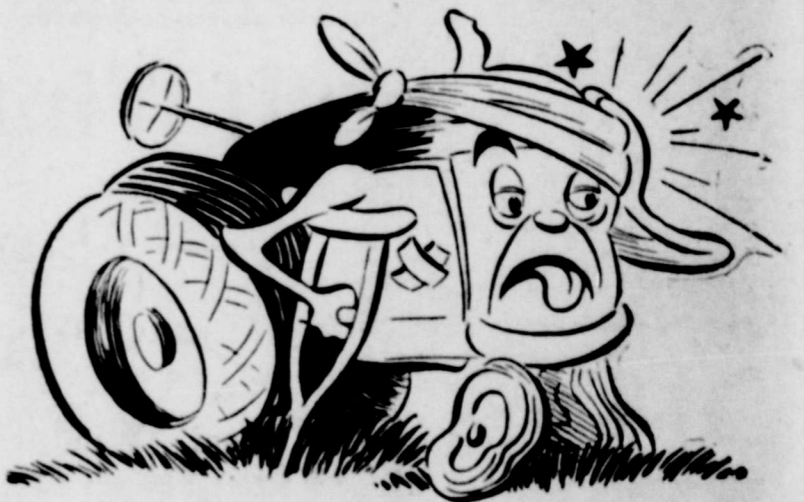
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Supt. J. E. Lincoln is enumerating all students of school age in the Hico district. If you reside outside of the Hico district and are not enumerated in your district, it will be impossible for you to transfer to any other district.

If your child has not been counted, see the enumerator in your district.

Hico School Board

Church News

Church of Christ

The weakness of our own Wisdom concerning the things of God should lead us to look to Him for guidance in all things. Wisdom is knowing what to do with our knowledge.

Your presence is invited. Bible study, 10 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

STANLEY GIESECKE, Minister.

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. and Sunbeams, Monday, 3:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday Evening, 7:00.

O. D. CARPENTER, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Church School 10 a. m. Tyrus King, Superintendent. A class and a place for all. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Worship with us.

J. L. RAY, Pastor.

First Christian Church

We invite you to hear Brother William Le May of Dallas preach each Sunday. Sunday School begins at 10 o'clock, and preaching at 11. Everyone is welcome, and especially do we invite each person who has no church home.

Pentecostal Church

Study School Service at 10:00 o'clock each Sunday morning. Preaching services each Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Everybody has a welcome to worship with us.

DOLLIE LINCH, Pastor.

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Regular meeting, second Sunday in each month; Saturday morning and Saturday night before in each month.

ELDER J. W. WEST, Pastor.

Duffau

By — Elmer Giesecke

Edd Phillips, George Bowie and Felix Landers were Fort Worth visitors Monday. The 4-H Club boys, girls and teachers, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Minard and Mrs. Phillips, will attend the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Monday, March 10. The teachers of Duffau School attended the teachers' meeting at Brownwood last Friday, and report a profitable trip. The E. B. Prices transacted business in Granbury Saturday. Mrs. E. E. Minard and daughters spent the week end in Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sandlin and two children have moved here from Odessa and we are happy to have two more bright pupils in our school.

Fairy

By — Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We have had winter weather again for the past week and most all farm, yard and garden work has been at a standstill. We are sorry to report Grandmother Shields ill at this writing. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. A. J. Baker of Roy, N. M., who had spent the past two weeks here visiting in the home of his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks and family, returned home Sunday.

Rev. Norris of Iredell filled an appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning, and held services at Lanham Sunday night. Those from here attending services at Lanham were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Carolyn and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyno and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brummett and Mrs. Brittle Little visited Friday of last week with Mrs. Brummett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kavanaugh of Sunshine. Mr. Kavanaugh has been a semi-invalid for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lackey and family have moved to the old Lackey homestead near Long Point which they recently purchased. We have been informed that Dock Lackey of Carlton purchased the Isbill place vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lackey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and children, Ruby Jean, Mr. and Darrell of Dublin spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison and family, and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Richardson and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Allison, motored over to Dallas Saturday, where they visited in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Driver and family of Dallas spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Driver and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks and family.

Milton (Mutt) Blakley of John Tarleton College spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blakley, and family. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover visited Sunday in Gatesville in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Heyroth and daughter, Mrs. Maxine Newton, and little daughter, Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Selheimer and Danny of Lund Valley spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison, and family.

Carl Ray Sellers and his brother-in-law, Wesley Jones, and J. W. Ballard of Lanham attended the Methodist Conference in Meridian Tuesday.

We were sorry to learn of the misfortune of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and family of Hamilton, who lost most of their household effects and clothing when their home was destroyed by fire last week. They are former residents of Fairy.

The writer attended singing at Hico Sunday afternoon and returned by way of Dry Fork community. Believe it or not, it was our first time to travel this route since Highway 281 was built. You can just guess we missed the road for so many changes had been made it got us completely turned around. Seeing we were headed in the wrong direction, we stopped at the Shook home, where we were given the information we expected, so we headed back and got on the right road, driving on until we came to a recently-erected neat bungalow. Here we stopped to do a little more inquiring (not in regard to roads this time, for we were near Mrs. John Latham's home and we knew then just where we were). To our surprise, Mrs. Sam Tudor came to the door, seeming a bit surprised herself. We just had to have a little chat with her as it had been several years since we had met. We then drove on out by where the old school house used to stand, where we had once attended church and singings, and on to the Box home. Here we were met by Mr. and Mrs. Box at the road near their home, and stopped for a few words with them. The old surface well with a cement curb was all that looked natural at their place. They had razed their old dwelling and were erecting a new home across the road from the old homestead. They have been residing in a large chicken house since, and are quite anxious for some warmer weather so that work on their new home might be hastened. We drove on to the Giles Driver home, Mrs. Driver meeting us at the door. We thought she seemed a bit distant when we asked how she was, but after going on in and joining the other members of the family, in some manner she let it be known that she hadn't recognized us. After being informed by members of the family she seemed quite surprised, as we had met many times at the old Dry Fork school house. We enjoyed our short visit in the Driver and Tudor homes very much, and were also glad to meet with Mr. and Mrs. Box and say a few words. Mr. and Mrs. Adams are also erecting a neat little residence near the Driver home. Mrs. Adams is the former Miss Opal Driver. Yes, folks, isn't it too bad that we all just busy ourselves with our work so much that we go for years not seeing friends whom we know for many years and who live only a few miles away, and when we meet we're almost strangers. Well, here's best wishes for all of you good folks and here's hoping we meet again before another eight or ten years pass by.

Six-Inch Sermon

By REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

Intimate Words With the Disciples.

Lesson for March 16: John 14: 1-6, 12-18; 15: 1-6.

Memory Selection: John 15: 14.

The lesson chapter at once suggests those chapters of John which tell of the Lord's talk with the disciples in the upper room.

The hearts of the disciples were heavy with mystery, foreboding and sadness, as Jesus told them of his approaching death. He first comforted them with assurances of the place he would prepare for them in the "house of many mansions."

He also comforted them with the promise of the Holy Spirit, who would be another Comforter, and bring to their remembrance what he had said unto them and guide them into all truth.

Jesus then implied that nothing would ever separate them. Perhaps pointing to a vine, symbol of Israel since the time of the Maccabees, growing about the doorway, he said: "I am the vine, ye are the branches." As the life throughout the vine is one, the life of Jesus and the disciples is the same. Nothing but their unbelief could ever separate them.

This intimate union with Jesus was not for their own saving alone—they were to bear fruit, and so glorify the Father whom he had revealed unto them.

Jesus then gave them the commandment to love one another. Loving him they would keep his words and be his friends. The life of love is true discipleship. Are you a disciple?

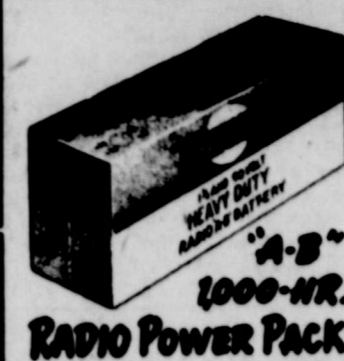
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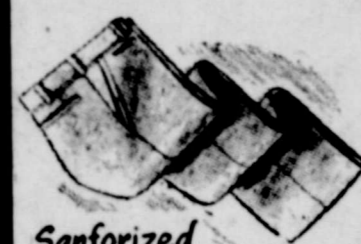
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