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BAND NOTES
We would like to welcome Dolores Roberson as a member of the band.

SENIOR NEWS
Our calling cards, invitations, and leather souvenirs arrived last Thursday.

JUNIOR NEWS
Everybody enjoyed the holiday, especially hunting Easter eggs.

FRESHMAN NEWS
It seems as though spring is really here by now, and next week those dreaded six weeks tests are coming up again.

REFLECTIONS
School is ever drawing nearer to its close, and, as ever, the whole population of High School (and Grammar School, too) is looking forward to the long-awaited Summer Vacation.

CRYSTAL BALL
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Table with columns: Date, Max, Min, Prec.
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Garden Club Notes Include Information Of General Interest

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Mrs. Lusk Randaids gave a paper on "Altar Arrangements" which was the subject for the entire program.

Tea was served by the hostesses. At the close of the program there was a plant exchange.

Springtime is clean-up time and planting time. If you haven't already started both at your home don't wait any longer.

Prune shrubs that have flowered—unless they are berry bearing—Transplant at once for autumn bloom.

Especially do we urge everyone to plant the flowers that bloom in the fall—chrysanthemums, marigolds, dahlias, and asters may be added to that list.

The Garden Club plans another flower show for fall and you certainly want some of the prize winners to come from your garden.

Of interest to all in the community will be the May meeting of the Garden Club. The subject for discussion will be "Frozen Lockers."

At the first warning signs recognized, consult your physician. The early symptoms are any sore that does not heal.

Early recognition of cancer symptoms will lead to early diagnosis and treatment, and in many cases the victim can be entirely cured and live out a normal life span.

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Of the questions often asked is whether or not cancer is hereditary in human beings. Tendencies to form cancer may possibly be inherited; however, since the method of inheriting such tendencies is obscure, the presence of cancer in one or both parents should be merely a cause of greater alertness in looking for and recognizing suspicious symptoms on the part of family members.

At the first warning signs recognized, consult your physician. The early symptoms are any sore that does not heal, particularly about the tongue, mouth or lips; a painless lump or thickening, especially in the breast, lip or tongue; irregular bleeding or discharge from any natural body opening; progressive change in the size or color of a wart, mole, or birthmark; persistent indigestion; persistent hoarseness or difficulty in swallowing; and any change in normal bowel habits.

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Generous Support of Easter Seal Sale Will Aid Crippled Children

Dallas, April 8.—The generous support to the fourteenth annual Easter Seal Sale promises the fulfillment of greatly expanded services planned by the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

In undertaking the vast job of aiding the cerebral palsied, the Texas Society is working toward the procuring of additional funds for state agencies and is supporting programs for pre-school nurseries, custodial care and physiotherapy.

The program is an ambitious one, Thomas said. "It is so vast in its scope that only within the last year has any effort been made in the entire country to bring help to these unfortunate youngsters.

He worked for many long, heart-breaking years on his light. His shoulders were stooped, his brain numb; he was a broken old man whose fortune was depleted when finally he attained his ultimate desire.

When Horatio Z. Flapdyke knew his invention was a success, Poor Horatio! When everything went black he suddenly saw the light. What he had worked years to achieve, many people accomplish by flicking a light switch.

The C. B. has many things of interest to offer its readers for this week. So sit down and gaze into the C. B. with me.

"Bulldog" Hill appears to be a wolf instead of a bulldog. He was with a girl Tuesday night and Saturday night. It seems as though her name is Doris Herrin.

Erma Talley was with Hugh Willis Caughey Tuesday night, but Hester Burgan was with him Saturday night.

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Washington.—The Navy is still experimenting on new style uniforms with the aim of modernizing service dress of enlisted men. Recommendations of a permanent Navy Department uniform board, together with suggestions of personnel afloat and ashore, will effect final decisions, although no change is expected for two or three years because of present high prices and the large stock of uniforms on hand.

County-Wide Poultry And Turkey Day On April 17 Announced

A Poultry and Turkey Day will be held Thursday, Apr. 17, starting at 9:30 A. M. in the District Court Room at Hamilton, advises E. R. Lawrence, County Agent. The meeting is county-wide and all poultry and turkey growers are urged to attend.

Perhaps many people living in town will be interested in the first part of the afternoon program. Starting at 1:30 P. M. a discussion and demonstration on "Preparation of Poultry Products for Locker Plant Patrons" will be given.

The full program is as follows: 9:30 to 10:00—Care and Marketing of Chicken Eggs and Turkey Eggs for Hatching, and Chicken Eggs for General Market, Beanblossom.

10:30 to 11:00—Pullets from the Brooder House On, Martin. 11:00 to 12:00—Brooding, Feeding and Management of Poultry to Selling Time, Martin.

1:30 to 2:30—Preparation of Poultry Products for Locker Plant Patrons, Beanblossom. 2:30 on—Sanitation and Disease Control of Poultry and Turkeys, Dr. Gist.

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Various city officials, employees, firemen and other workmen have had a hand in the "face-lifting."

General Wainwright Makes Statement About Army Week

It is nearly two years since V-J Day marked the end of four years of savage fighting. During those war years there was little time for setting aside one week, one day, or even one hour for the purpose of honoring the men and the women of our Army.

Today the diplomats are still gathering around the conference table seeking a way to make the hard won peace a lasting one. Their words are occasionally muffled by sounds of minor conflict in various parts of the world.

While we in America wait for the word which will permit us to look forward to a future unclouded by threat of war, it is essential that the people work with their Army on the question of national security.

Army Week is being celebrated from April 6 to April 12 this year. It is proper that an entire week be so devoted at this time when our nation's conversion to peace-time production has almost been completed.

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National Guard Relaxing Age Limits For Veteran Enlistees

Veterans who have been awarded the Silver Star or a higher decoration may enlist in the National Guard without regard to age requirements until their 55th birthday.

"An exception has been made in the age requirements for these heroes, not only in recognition of their outstanding service to their country but also because they are the type we want in the new National Guard," General Miltonberger said.

Existing regulation had restricted National Guard enlistments to men from 18 to 35 years of age who can meet the same physical and mental requirements as the Regular Army.

Further relaxation of age requirements which would permit veterans to enlist in the National Guard were also announced by General Miltonberger. They are: 1. Men 36 to 38 years of age may enlist if they have had at least one year of service in the armed forces of the United States.

2. Men 38 to 41 years of age may enlist if they have had at least two years of service in the armed forces of the United States.

3. Men 41 to 55 years of age may enlist if they have had at least two years of service plus the number of years the applicant is over 40 years of age.

4. Men 56 to 60 years of age may enlist if they have had at least four years of service in the armed forces of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Barrow have authorized an announcement in another part of this issue of the paper, stating that they are giving up continuous active participation in business pursuits, following doctors' orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Rounsaville, formerly of Antelope, are moving to Hico to lend them a helping hand in the Barrow Funeral Home and Barrow Burial Association, they state, adding: "We highly recommend Mr. and Mrs. Rounsaville to your consideration; they will have quarters at the funeral home, and the business details of the Home and of the Barrow Burial Association will be handled at the office of the funeral home, as soon as details can be arranged."

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By —  
Mrs. H. Alexander

Funeral services were held here Saturday afternoon at 2:30 for Mrs. Parlee Harvey, who passed away Friday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bud Partain, at Stephenville. Rev. Holt, assisted by Rev. W. T. Stanford, conducted the service. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. Era Baldwin, Sedwick; Mrs. Jettie Stone, Selden; Mrs. Bud Partain, Stephenville; Austin and Roy Harvey, Clairette; Hall Harvey, Stephenville, and Dewey Harvey, Fort Worth. All were present for the funeral. She is also survived by several grandchildren and two brothers, R. M. Alexander of Clairette and Billie Alexander of Hico. There are also a host of other relatives. Mrs. Harvey was a true Christian and a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist church. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the loved ones.

The Methodist revival is in progress at the church here, and everyone is welcome to attend. Rev. Weathers of Newcastle is doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mayfield and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Mack McGough and children of Ranger spent the week here in the home of Mrs. Homer Wolfe.

T. L. Thompson of Fort Worth spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Cotton Tutt and son, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Head spent the week end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark.

Sheriff C. G. Alexander and wife of Waco, Mrs. Alice Fenley of Fort Worth attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Parlee Harvey, here Saturday. Mrs. Fenley remained over until Sunday afternoon with her father, Mr. R. M. Alexander.

Mrs. Jennie McAnally and son of Brownwood spent the week end here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Denton and son spent Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander.

Mrs. Billie Hudgens and Misses Eunice and Nola Lee visited in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. May McChristial is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert McChristial at Stamford this week.

Mr. T. M. Lee spent the week end at Dublin with his daughter, Mrs. Sam Wolfe, and son, Sam Jr.

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By —  
Elmer Glessecke

We enjoyed a "quiet" week end and Easter. School dismissed Friday noon for parties and egg-hunts and Sunday was a day of pleasure for the tots and young people.

Joe Caughey and wife of Fort Worth visited his brother, Lester Caughey, and family and attended church at the Church of Christ.

The Home Demonstration Club from Huckabay put on one of the best plays of the year at the gym Friday night. Bring us another one, Huckabay—we all enjoyed it.

Miss Reba Howie of Denton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howie, and other relatives and friends over the week end.

The Prices enjoyed the company of their daughters, Misses Rozelle and Wanda, and Mesdames Amstutz of Austin and L. E. Anderson of Lefors, Texas, over the week end.

C. B. Madden and Lester Caughey were elected trustees for District 23 Saturday.

B. D. Barker and wife and son, David, were visiting in our community Sunday.

**SAVE YOUR CALF!**

A shame to lose one with scours when a \$1.00 bottle of **DURHAM'S COMBINATION TREATMENT** will save it. You risk nothing. If it does not save your calf your \$1.00 will be refunded by **CORNER DRUG CO.**



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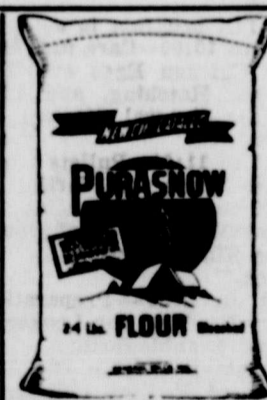


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3. A SPARE TIRE WHEN YOU HAVE A FLAT!
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What do you think railroads make?



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What do you think they should make?

The public thinks 10% would be fair



10%

What are the facts?

Actually the railroads earned only 2 3/4% in 1946.

To provide the service you want, railroads need to earn at least 6%. But estimates indicate that even with the recent freight rate increase, the return for 1947 will be only about half that requirement.



2 3/4%

**Why it takes 6% to make the grade ...**

Impartial research polls show that, on the average, people think we make 15%. They also think a fair return would be 10%.

**What We Make**

But for the year 1946, with the biggest peace-time traffic in history, the railroads earned only . . . 2 3/4%. This is less than one-half the comparable earnings for other industries.

The reasons for this low return are not hard to find. Since 1939 railroad wages have increased 52 1/2% and the prices of fuel, materials and supplies have gone up 61 1/2%.

But freight rates have just recently been increased an average of only 17 1/2%—a year after the effective date of the last big wage increase.

**What About This Year?**

It is estimated that the return for 1947, even with the recent freight rate increase, will be only about half the 6% minimum return required to provide the improvements and service needed. This will be because of increased costs of materials and supplies; because certain wage increases granted in 1946

were in effect for only part of 1946 but will be in effect for all of 1947; because of increased special payroll taxes on railroads; and because of a decline in passenger business.

**What Does This Mean To You?**

The answer is "Plenty!" Your standard of living is the highest in the world because of MASS PRODUCTION. But mass production would not be possible without MASS TRANSPORTATION, which the railroads provide at low cost.

**Why 6% Is Needed**

The kind of service you standard of living requires takes a lot of money for new equipment and improvements. To carry out the post-war improvement program for better equipment, tracks, terminals and modern safety devices, a minimum return of 6% is needed.

So when the railroads make only 2 3/4 cents on each \$1.00 of their net property investment, it concerns you.\*

The funds for future new equipment and improvements must come from railroad earnings and also from investors. They will furnish money on reasonable terms only if they have confidence in the future earnings of the railroads.

**You Have Another Stake In This**

Even if you do not own any railroad stocks or bonds, insurance companies and savings banks do. So you still have a special interest in seeing that the railroads are allowed enough to do a good job . . . for you.

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\*On total property investment, the railroads made only 2.15%.

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**Fairy**

By Mrs. J. O. Richardson

All enjoyed a beautiful Easter Sunday in this section. We believe Sunday was one of the most beautiful Easter mornings we can remember ever having seen. The mountains are very pretty just now and to add to their beauty are many acres of green grain in the valleys by which they are surrounded.

Clair Brunson has returned home from the Hico Hospital, but we are sorry to report him still in a serious condition.

Despite the threatening weather last Friday there was good attendance at the cemetery working and much good was accomplished and the cemetery looks much nicer. Mr. Don Cameron of Meridian, who donated two Cant-Sax Gates, has delivered same. Now we must do our part by getting a fence built. Another \$5.00 has been added to our fence fund, this being donated by Miss Daphne Hoover. We thank you very much, Daphne.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Newman visited a while Wednesday night of last week in the home of her mother, Mrs. Donnie Pendleton, and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Gaston and children of Cranfills Gap, and to see her brother, Elvis, whom she had not seen in nine years.

Mrs. W. L. Jones returned home Friday of last week from California, where she has been at the bedside of her daughter for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Seilheimer and little son, Danny, of Lund Valley spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison and family.

The writer attended singing at Hico Sunday afternoon and after singing hours visited in the M. E. Burnett home. Others from here attending the singing were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grisham.

Mrs. T. L. Betts of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

W. E. Goynne and sister, Mrs. O. E. Whitson and daughter, Mary Ona, attended funeral services at

Star Sunday for a cousin who was past 89 years of age. Mr. Goynne has promised us some data on the life of this aged lady whose parents were killed by Indians when she was a child. Mrs. Goynne was unable to attend the services due to illness of their daughter, Linda Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Grimes and daughters have moved to the dwelling recently vacated by the Harper family. The Harper family moved to the teacherage.

Misses Daphne and Patsy Ann Hoover of Stephenville spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover.

Miss Mary Alice Jackson of Grand Prairie spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson, and family.

J. O. Richardson, who spent last week in Glen Rose, spent the week end at home. He returned Monday morning for another week's stay.

An item of news that might be of interest to many is the approaching marriage of Mr. Charles Darwin Hoover of Winslow, Ariz., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover of Fairy, and Miss Charlene Sidel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Sidel of 1607 Hope St., Pasadena, Calif. Darwin met Miss Sidel at church while he was in the service and stationed near Pasadena. The wedding date has been set for next Sunday, April 13th. They are expected to arrive here the last of next week for a visit with his parents and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Blount visited a while Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers.

Prentiss Newman walked up on the mountain near his home recently to see if he could find a rattlesnake out sunning. Well, he found one almost five feet long and as large around as a person's arm. It had 19 rattles and some had been broken off. So we should be cautious at this time of the year when these monsters are stirring.

Mary Jo and Darline Clark, Ann Hutton, Anita New, Gail and Robert Owen Ruchwig, Johnny Sikes, and Merrijo Gleason, along with their mothers, helped Annelie Gleason celebrate her fourth birthday with a party April 1. The children also enjoyed an Easter egg hunt with Gail and Anita winning the prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gleason had as Easter Sunday guests her father, Joe Joiner of Lott; two sisters, Ann Joiner, a Home Demonstration Agent of Paint Rock, and Mrs. Margaret Wilson and daughter, Mickey, of Lott; his aunt, Mrs. Harry Roddy and son, Leighton, of Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. Benn Gleason, and Mrs. A. Alford.

Midnight Show at The Hico will start at 10:15 P. M. Tickets will admit you at 10:30 p. m. 47-ltc

**Eggs A Dollar A Dozen?**

**Lagging Chick Sales Point to Shortage of Eggs and Poultry By Fall As Expected Surpluses Fail to Develop**

How much money could you make next fall if eggs were selling for a dollar a dozen? It could happen. In fact, in New York last week, the President of the Butter and Egg Merchants' Association said it may happen.

**IT MAY HAPPEN! WHY?**

BECAUSE EVERY SIGN TODAY POINTS TO A SHORTAGE of eggs and poultry next fall. Two months ago—even 30 days ago—nobody would have believed such a prediction. Folks were talking of an egg surplus. The Government said it would support the price of eggs. But what has happened—?

There is no surplus. Eggs are disappearing as fast as they are being laid. And far too few baby chicks are being started to meet the demand for poultry and eggs next fall. Poultry experts don't need a crystal ball to predict this coming shortage and high eggs and poultry prices. They just look at these cold facts of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture which tell the story:

**These Facts Point to High Egg and Poultry Prices**

1. At the season when eggs would normally be moving into storage in great volume, stocks or shell eggs are dwindling.
2. In February this reduction amounted to 70,000 cases. On March 1 there was only about half an egg in storage for every American. A year ago there were 1 1/2 million cases—about 7 times as many.
3. Frozen eggs in storage decreased by 7 million pounds in February as compared to an increase of 6 million pounds in February a year ago.
4. Egg production in February was 4% below a year ago due to 6% fewer layers.
5. Americans are eating eggs at a record rate because of high purchasing power and high meat prices.
6. There were 55 million fewer chickens on Farms January 1 than there were a year ago.
7. Virtually all signs point to an excellent grain producing season in 1947 which normally means lower feed prices. A record wheat crop and another 3 billion bushel corn crop are forecast.

**IT'S A GOOD YEAR TO START CHICKS**

YES, EGGS MAY SELL FOR A DOLLAR A DOZEN NEXT FALL, but you'll have to start chicks this spring — to cash in on this golden opportunity.

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We have reduced prices on 163 models. These cover 12 basic models of farm tractors, 123 basic models of farm machines, 16 basic models of industrial tractors and engines, and 12 models of motor trucks, as well as certain motor truck attachments. The new lower prices are effective as of March 10, 1947.

These reductions were made not because of any decline in demand, but because we believe nothing is more important to this country than to lower the prices of the goods people buy.

While prices have not been changed on all products, we have made reductions wherever possible, in the amounts possible. Prices of many of our most popular products have been substantially lowered.

Altogether, more than half of the company's customers will be benefited by the reductions, which range from 1% to 23.8% and from \$2.50 to \$300 per item, based on list prices, F.O.B. Chicago.

Since the people have demanded that the government withdraw from price control in peacetime, the responsibility to keep prices in check is back where it should be—in the hands of business and industry. The business outlook makes it possible for us to move toward the goal of lower prices, and we have felt a duty to act as promptly as possible.

Our ability to maintain these lower prices will depend on the supply and price of materials we buy from others and on uninterrupted production at reasonable wage levels.

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- Cultivators—13 basic models reduced \$5.00 to \$10.00 (4.5% to 7.4%).
- Liters and Midchubsters—7 models reduced \$5.00 in each case (2.8% to 4%).
- Corn Planters—4 basic models reduced \$5.00 in each case (3% to 4.8%).
- Grain Drills—11 models reduced \$14.25 to \$20.00 (4.4% to 6.3%).
- Mowers—2 basic models reduced \$4.00 and \$11.50 (2.5% and 5%).
- Swamp Bats—1 model reduced \$5.00 (5.5%).
- Pickup Hay Baler—1 model reduced \$75.00 (4.1%).
- Self-Propelled Combines—1 basic model reduced \$122.50 (3.4%).

	<b>FARM TRACTORS</b> 12 Models Reduced \$10 to \$134 (up to 10.6%)
	<b>MOTOR TRUCKS</b> 12 Models Reduced \$50 to \$300 (1.9% to 3.6%)
	<b>FARM MACHINES</b> 123 Models Reduced \$2.50 to \$122.50 (1.9% to 23.8%)
	<b>INDUSTRIAL TRACTORS (Crawler)—4 Models</b> Reduced \$35 to \$50 (1.0% to 1.6%)

- Endage Cutters—3 models reduced \$22.75 in each case (4.8% to 7.1%).
- Endage Harvester—1 model reduced \$33.75 (3.9%).
- Hammer Mills—2 models reduced \$5.00 in each case (1.9% and 3%).
- Lime Spreader—1 basic model reduced \$2.50 (4.9%).
- Power Loader—1 model reduced \$25.50 (8.9%).
- Mower Spreader—1 model reduced \$13.00 (3.5%).
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- Milker Vacuum Pumps—2 models reduced \$17.00 in each case (11.5% and 19.6%).
- Portable Milker Vacuum Pumps—2 models reduced \$17.00 in each case (11.3% and 11.7%).
- Stainless Steel Milker Pails—2 models reduced \$5.00 and \$10.00 (18.5% and 23.8%).
- Cream Separators—4 models reduced \$13.25 in each case (8% to 10.4%).
- Tractor Trailer—1 basic model reduced \$12.75 (5.5%).
- Milk Coolers—5 models reduced \$8.00 to \$18.00 (1.9% to 4.3%).
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- Industrial Power Units—3 models reduced from \$10.00 to \$150.00 (2.3% to 11.4%).
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Hico, Tex., Friday, April 11, 1947.

**Hamilton-Coryell  
Soil Conservation  
District News**

Sid Dickerson of the Fairy Con-  
servation group has recently  
planted three acres of Deer Vetch,  
a new legume in this section of the  
country. It is sometimes called  
Spanish clover or Dakota Vetch  
and is recognized as a legume of  
forage and erosion control value.

Paul Davidson of the Brummett  
group has soddied seven acres of  
cultivated land to permanent ber-  
muda grass pasture in order to  
protect his land from erosion and  
more properly balance his farm  
enterprises. To improve his cul-  
tivated land he has overseeded 26  
acres of oats with Hubam clover  
to be utilized as a green manure,  
grazing and seed crop.

E. B. Stiles of the Union Con-  
servation group is giving especial  
emphasis to the use of legumes in  
a soil improving and crop manage-  
ment program. The following leg-  
umes have been planted and may  
now be seen on his farm seven  
miles south of Hamilton: Twelve  
acres of Alfalfa planted last Octo-  
ber and fertilized with super-  
phosphate that came through the  
winter with a good stand and is  
now growing rapidly; volunteer  
Hubam sweet clover on 13 acres  
of oats and Johnson grass meadow  
is up to a good stand and is be-  
ginning its spring growth. Twenty  
acres of hairy vetch planted in  
rows in the fall has already been  
turned under as a green manure  
crop by planting corn in the mid-  
dles and thus covering the vetch.  
He has 20 acres of Austrian win-  
ter peas, and Dixie Wonder peas  
which are to be turned under as  
green manure in a similar manner  
as the corn except grain sorghum  
will be planted in the middles.

The present indications are that  
the Dixie Wonder peas may mat-  
ure seed, so a part of the crop is  
to be left to mature seed. Twenty  
acres of hairy vetch and speltz  
were planted together in the fall,  
which is to grow together until  
maturity when it will be harvested  
for seed. The present indications  
are that this will make a high  
yield.

Harold Bowen of the Lund Val-  
ley group has overseeded 110 acres  
of small grain with Hubam clover  
which, in addition to soil improv-  
ing will be utilized for temporary  
grazing during the summer and  
thus provide for deferring origina'  
grass pastures and permitting the  
growth and development of the  
highly productive desirable grass.

Make Johnson of the Hico No. 1  
group is sodding five acres of re-  
tired land to permanent grass pas-  
ture. This land in addition to be  
grazed by livestock will be uti-  
lized as an outlet to receive excess  
water from terraces. Mr. John-  
son says that well established out-  
lets are indispensable in a per-  
manent water disposal system.

Several farmers who have co-  
operative agreements with the dis-  
trict are planning to produce leg-  
ume seed for their own use another  
year with the surplus for sale, and  
among these are: J. H. Boatwright  
and Tado Fabianke of the Olin  
group, ten and twenty acres respec-  
tively of Hubam overseeded on  
oats. G. W. Oxley and O. I. Gar-  
ner of the Elza group, 10 acres  
each of Hubam clover. A. D.  
Glover and son of Gentry's Mill  
group, forty acres overseeded and  
ten acres alone. Oscar Witte of  
the Pottsville group, twenty acres  
overseeded.

J. S. Gray, better known here  
as Buck Gray, has been released  
from the hospital in Los Angeles,  
according to his mother-in-law,  
Mrs. S. O. Shaffer, and hopes to  
go home soon. He has been in  
the hospital since Dec. 8, last  
year, with an injury received in  
the oil fields on the 5th of No-  
vember.

Mrs. W. L. Malone of Hico, ac-  
companied by two daughters, Mrs.  
H. T. Bramblett of Lubbock and  
Mrs. B. D. Saunders Jr. of San  
Antonio, spent the Easter week  
end in Waco with their son and  
brother, Clifford Malone, and fam-  
ily. Other guests in the Malone  
home for the week end were Mrs.  
D. H. Burden and children and  
Mr. and Mrs. Pierce McBride, all  
of Dallas.

Bill Long of Dublin was a vis-  
itor in Hico last Friday.

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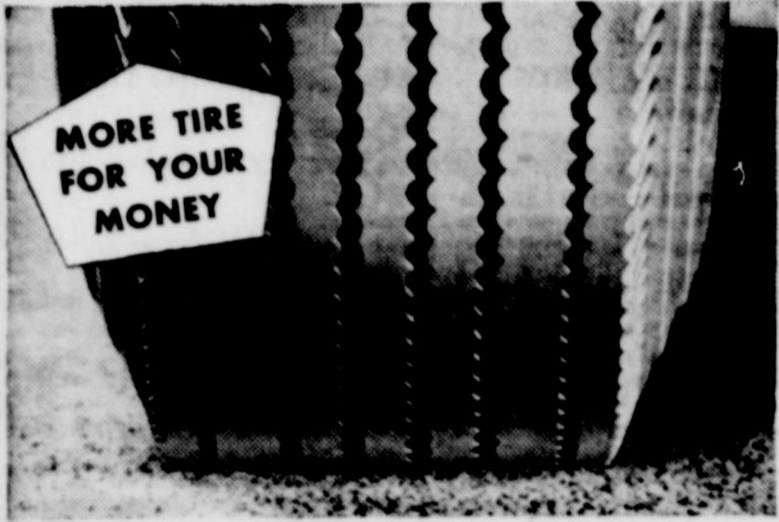


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my health, some of the best Physicians and Clinics in the State have  
advised me that it is IMPERATIVE that we give up a lot of our con-  
tinuous active participation in business pursuits and insofar as possible  
GET OUT IN THE OPEN, and to that end Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L.  
Rounsaville are moving to Hico to lend us a helping hand.

Following Doctor's orders we have purchased a Ranch only a  
few miles out of Hico, but we will be available at any and all times to  
you in case of need or desire on your part.

We highly recommend Mr. and Mrs. Rounsaville to your  
consideration; they will have quarters at the Funeral Home, and the  
business details of the Home and of the Barrow Burial Association will  
be handled at the Office of the Funeral Home, as soon as details  
can be arranged.

FROM OUR VERY HEARTS: THANK YOU for these many  
years of active service to you.

Sincerely,  
*Grady and Lucy Barrow.*

P. S.—All Funeral Directing and Embalming will still be done  
by us, as it has been during the past.

# Personals.

Mrs. C. L. Woodward spent last week in Fort Worth as a guest of friends.

Maynard Marshall, student at NTSTC, Denton, spent the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall.

Miss Dale Randals, student at SCW, Denton, spent the Spring holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Randals.

Carolyn Hofford of Austin spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Hofford.

Jimmie Ramage, student at Texas A. & M. College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Land and daughter of Maplewood, La., spent the Easter holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Land and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Glover.

Notice — "Marge" (in Technical) will show at The Hico Tues., Wed. instead of "The Stranger."

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Miss Bobbie Wilson, student at Baylor University, Waco, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morrison of Millerville visited Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Auther Hendricks.

Miss Jackie Ganoes of Stephenville visited here last Friday with her grandmother, Mrs. Nettie Smith.

Mrs. Mollie Harvey left Thursday for Brownwood to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Thomasson, and family.

Miss Wyvonne Slaughter of Fort Worth spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Slaughter.

Mrs. W. M. Hodnett and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stipe were in Medina recently to attend funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnel J. Kinsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Gamble of Wichita Falls spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater.

Easter guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tullio Carpenter and children were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Thomasson of Brownwood and Mrs. Mollie Harvey of Hico.

Holme Forgy, a student at Texas A. & M., was a visitor here Friday. He was en route to Fort Worth after having visited relatives and friends in Mullin and Hamilton.

Midnight Show at The Hico will start at 10:15 P. M. Tickets will admit you at 10:30 p. m. 47-1fc.

Mrs. Douglas Helvey of Austin is spending the week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ellington, while her husband is on a flying trip to California.

Mrs. H. T. Bramblett of Lubbock and Mrs. B. D. Saunders Jr. of San Antonio are spending the week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Forsythe who are attending school in Denton, spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carmean.

Rudy Segrist, who is employed with the Community Public Service Company in Clifton, spent the week end here with his father, Cecil Segrist, and with his grandmother, Mrs. Sue Segrist.

Easter holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Babe Horton and sons, David and Ralph, of San Antonio, and Kenneth Brown, student at the University of Texas, Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmon Rich and daughters, Donnie Nell and Jimmie Lou, of near Walnut Springs, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Gamble of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Doris Gamble of Fort Worth were visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble, Easter Sunday.

Week-end holiday guests in the home of Miss Grace Phillips were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gray and children, Ben and Carolyn, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phillips of Lampasas.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willie and Bobby Jones of Austin, Jewel Jones Gatesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Toy Jones and children of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dodd and daughters, Bette and Marcelyn, and Louise Higginbotham spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. Dodd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Egger of San Saba, Texas.

Tad J. D. Roberson, Chief BM, who is an instructor in the Naval Reserve in Oklahoma University, at Norman, accompanied by his wife, spent the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Warren.

The following students who attend John Tarleton College at Stephenville were home for Easter holidays with their parents: David Battershell, Jack Neel, Gertrude Brock, Mary Helen Hollis, Helen Spotts, Lloyd Angell, Mary Jane Barrow, Jack Weeks, Mutt Blakley and Billy McKenzie.

Among those from Carlton who attended the matinee at the Hico Theatre Tuesday afternoon were the News Review's correspondent, Mrs. Fred Geyer, and her daughter, Mrs. Dow Self, and sons, Freddie and Jack Henry; Mrs. Lois Pierce, Mrs. Jim D. Wright, and Mrs. Geary Cheek and son, Geary Don.

Among those who were in Hamilton last Sunday afternoon to attend the concert by the Apollo Choir at the high school auditorium were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel, Billy Neel, Mrs. Cecil Segrist, Bobby Ratliff, Mrs. C. L. Lynch, Mrs. H. F. Sellers and Mrs. C. L. Woodward.

Mrs. Jean Brockenbrough, who is attending the Four C. Business School in Fort Worth, spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe. Other children home for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herbert Wolfe of Abilene and Paul Wolfe, student at the University, Austin.

Easter guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bramblett Sr. were their daughter, Mrs. Bruce Ware, and three children, Dwain, Hershell and Cornelia, of Fort Worth, and their son, O. M. Bramblett Jr., of Shreveport, La. Mrs. Bramblett accompanied her son home for a two weeks' visit.

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D. P. Baize, a resident of this section for the past forty years, was a visitor here this week after having spent the last six or eight weeks in Merkel, where his brother, J. R. Baize, recently died after a short illness. He returned Friday to Merkel where he is living temporarily, to assist in the care of his invalid sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Draper of Fort Worth spent part of last week in this vicinity visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Draper is the former Miss Naomi Jones. After a visit with Naomi's parents at Hamilton, the Drapers will go on to Rocksprings for a visit with his parents, after which they will return to Fort Worth and take up their studies at T. C. U.

Mrs. F. M. Mingus spent the Easter holidays with her son, Cecil Cunningham, and family at Vernon and with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Stevens and family in Wichita Falls. Frank went after her Tuesday and they returned home Wednesday accompanied by her little granddaughter, Glenda Stevens, who will spend a week with them.

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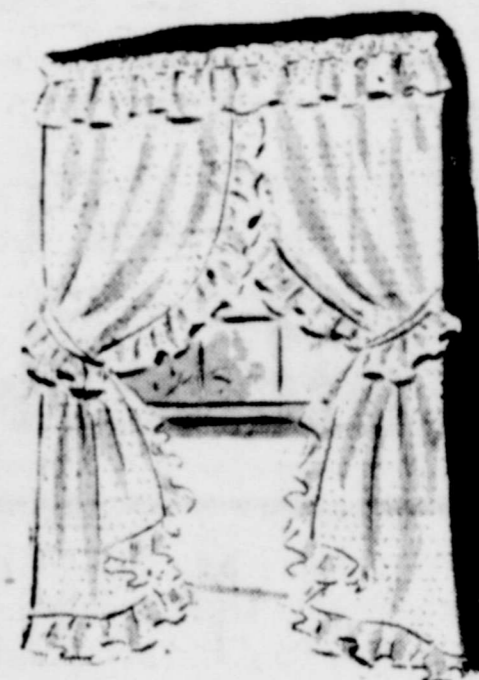
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THURSDAY (NEXT WEEK)—

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# IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

### Died At Meridian

Mr. John Kaylor was born in Alabama and passed away April 1. He was 59 years and a few months old, and died in Meridian. He was converted at an early age and joined the Baptist church and lived a faithful member. He was married to Miss Neta Ross in 1919.

John, as he was called, for years had been an employee of the State Highway Department and county road maintenance department. He became ill about ten days ago while working at Hamilton.

He spent a good many years of his life here. He and Neta were married here and spent many happy years together. He had many friends who are sorry to learn of his death.

The funeral was held in Iredell April 3 in the Baptist church. The church was well filled with relatives and friends who came to pay to this good man their respects. The floral offerings were very large and beautiful. Rev. MacBeath, his pastor, of Meridian and Rev. Lloyd Lester, a former pastor, now of Nocona, conducted the services. He was laid to rest in the new cemetery.

Neta and R. D. and other relatives have the sympathy of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McDowell and two daughters and their son, Hugh H. and wife and baby of Fort Worth spent the week end here.

Mrs. Blanche Royal, Mrs. Jimmie D. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Royal, Mr. and Mrs. Don Copeland of Waco, Mrs. Enla Carlisle of De Leon and Mrs. Estell Parvin of Roscoe spent the week end with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. McAdoo.

Miss Norma Jean Cavness of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roi Mitchell of Wichita Falls spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clardy of Walnut Springs were here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDonald of Dallas spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Reinke and children of Meridian spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davis.

Miss Joyce Deane Myers of Dallas spent the week end at home.

Rev. Oral Bowman of Brownwood preached at the Baptist church here Sunday. He brought wonderful messages at both services.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem McAden visited their son, A. C., in Waco the past Sunday.

Mrs. Sally McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gann and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Patterson of Clifton visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seward visited in Dallas and Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Blue and daughter of Walnut Springs were here Saturday.

Mrs. Emily Schumacher of Tynan spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Turner.

Members of the Baptist church heartily welcome their new pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Tension, into their midst this week. They now occupy the parsonage and he is ready to take over his duties as pastor of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Parr of Stephenville spent Sunday with Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Mrs. Latham Howell and baby have returned to their home in Stephenville after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley.

Mr. Pylant has returned from a trip over in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Self and children of Stephenville spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Turner and daughter of Dallas spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. John Parks is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Newsom, of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McElroy and son of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents.

Mrs. Albert Hensley left Saturday for McAllen to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charles Barham, and family.

Miss Tension of Hamilton spent the past week with her brother, Rev. Tension, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Cas Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sawyer visited their sister, Mrs. Hattler, of Glen Rose on Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell and baby and her mother, Mrs. Turner, all of Brownwood, spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble McPeck and children of Sanatorium, Texas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap and went on to visit his parents for a week. They will come back and spend another week here. He is on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby J. Wilson spent the week in Dallas with her mother, Mrs. Nola Wingren.

Mrs. Bryan Loader, who is in college in Denton, spent the Easter holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pryor, who are in John Tarleton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston.

Misses Mary Johnson and Sammie Potter, who are in college at Denton, spent the Easter holidays at home.

Jap Fallis Jr., who is in college, spent the Easter holidays with his parents.

Mr. Alvin Mingus has returned from Holt Hospital in Meridian, where he was operated on.

B. L. Mitchell Jr. spent the Easter holidays at home. He works in Mexico.

Miss Jo Tomlinson has returned from the Hico Hospital where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. "Shorty" Huckabee are visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Thompson and daughters of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Royal of Waco visited his grandmother, Mrs. McAdoo, this week end.

Lamoine Fuller, who is in John Tarleton College, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hendricks and son of Handley, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Adkison and son of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Vaughan

of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Weston Newton and son of near Hico were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson left Tuesday for California to visit their son. They went by plane.

Mrs. Blanche Jones spent Saturday in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell accompanied their son, Rev. D. D. Tidwell, and wife and son to their home in Brownwood Sunday and returned home Monday. The children brought them home.

Mr. Echols received a phone message Monday from Greenville saying that his brother Charlie had died. He left Tuesday for the funeral.

Mr. H. D. Lester was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at his home. Those who enjoyed the day were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDonald of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey West of Walnut Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hanshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flanary and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craig and family, all of Iredell.

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Joe Marsh

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FOR SALE OR TRADE: Small Delec plant. Wright & Battles. 46-2tc.

FOR SALE: One new McCormick-Deering 10-foot tractor binder. Neel Truck & Tractor Co., Hico. 46-tfc.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 2-row tractor with all equipment except breaking plow. H. J. Moore, Rt. 2, Dublin. 46-2tp.

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FOR SALE: 1941 Ford or 1941 Plymouth, both in good condition. J. R. Bobo, Phone 75. 39-tfc.

## Livestock and Poultry

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## Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Geyse

Mrs. Elva Wallace and daughter of Dallas were Carlton visitors Saturday afternoon, meeting many of their old friends, as they are former Carlton residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Rudd and children of Brownwood visited from Thursday until Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and daughter, Helen Jean, of Waco spent the week end with their parents, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher, and attended a birthday dinner Sunday in the home of her parents, honoring her father on his 77th birthday.

Mrs. Gene Rogers and son returned to their home in San Antonio Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lee, and other relatives.

"Buddy" Ford of Camp Hood visited the past week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher.

Miss Modesta Ellison, Eddie Welch, and Miss Edith Hall of Dublin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Billy Joe Sowell, a student at N. T. S. T. C. Denton, was a visitor over the holidays with his aunt and husband, Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Kennedy.

Miss Mary Louise Fine, a student at Howard Payne College, Brownwood, returned to that city Sunday after spending the Easter holidays with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fine and Mr. and Mrs. James Fine and baby.

Mrs. Bertie Oyer, her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Cole of Plainview, visited from Friday until Tuesday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Self and sons spent Sunday in Stephenville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Harvey of Dallas visited over the week end with his sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fine and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lefevre of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell Jr. and children of Agee, and Mrs. W. S. Cox of Gustine visited Sunday with Mrs. Sid Clark.

Mrs. Lilla Byrd returned home Saturday afternoon from Fairly, after a visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Toye Shaddy and son, Toby.

Mrs. Annie Denman of Lamkin visited Wednesday afternoon with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geyse.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cozby and children of Stephenville visited Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. "Corky" Lee and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Whitehead and children of Dublin visited Sunday in Duffau with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ray Anderson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fine returned home Thursday afternoon from the Gorman hospital where they had been with their baby for several days under the care of the doctors. He was greatly improved on arriving home, and is doing fine.

Mrs. Jim D. Wright and Mrs. Jim Pierce were shoppers in Stephenville Thursday.

Misses Marilyn Pierce, Lou Salmon, Frankie Luker, Alice McLean, and Travis King, students at John Tarleton College, were home on the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Stuckey and their mothers, Mrs. M. B. Stuckey and Mrs. Bertie Fisher, were in Hamilton Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Upham returned home Sunday afternoon from Waco,

where she visited the past week with her daughters, Mrs. Stuart Partain and Mrs. L. C. Vaughan and their husbands.

A meeting was held Tuesday night at the Baptist church to plan for Carlton's homecoming. Your correspondent will try from time to time to publish all the details concerning the future homecoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis McPherson of Dallas returned to their home Sunday afternoon after being with his mother since Thursday. His mother, Aunt Annie McPherson, who fell and broke her hip a week ago, isn't doing so well this week.

D. W. Upham visited at Lamkin Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lynch.

Tom Lowery visited his mother, Mrs. J. M. Lowery, at Alexander Sunday.

Dan Anderson of Temple spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Lillie Anderson, and his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. J. H. Tull and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gerreald.

Misses Marie Lowe and Mary Frances Dodderer of Amarillo were week-end visitors with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richbourg, and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jones of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Bingham of Altman, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks McPherson of Aleman, Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Smith and his mother, Aunt Jennie Smith of Palm Rose visited Sunday with Aunt Annie McPherson and Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Birdsong and children of Hamilton visited Sunday afternoon with his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush.

Mrs. Lula Williams and Mrs. Charley Proffitt are ill and confined to their beds.

Mrs. Montie Carmichael of Lamkin visited Wednesday afternoon with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tiny Carmichael.

Mrs. Dock Finley and Mrs. Joe Bush were visitors in Hico Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Stephens and son of Kilgore spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sharp Sr., and her sister, Mrs. Elmer Chick and family.

Mrs. H. C. Clark returned to her home in Roscoe Tuesday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Fine, and her husband and baby.

Mrs. Lillie Anderson is visiting in Stephenville with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Blanchard, and husband.

Mrs. Norman Swanson and son of Graham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clifton of Stephenville and their daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nix of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Alexander of Hico, were in Hico Sunday.

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I am offered responsible positions with different firms here already and have been asked by my many friends to open a parts business of my own. This I will decide later.

I especially thank Geo. B. Jones, Roy and Marion Barnett. I have never worked with finer people.

**CLARA DUZAN.**

**B. & P. W. Club Met April 1st At Home Ec. Cottage**

The Hico Business and Professional Women's Club met at 7:30 p. m. on April 1 at the Home Economics Cottage for their regular monthly session, with Miss Hester Jordan, Miss Ruth Phillips, and Mrs. Jack Malone as hostesses. The cottage was beautifully decorated with Easter suggestions. A delicious sandwich plate with all the trimmings was served by Miss Rohne, the Home Economics teacher, and some of her students. After the business session an interesting program was directed by the hostesses.

REPORTER.

**LAST RITES HELD APRIL 2 IN TEMPLE FOR DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. C. C. SMITH**

Last rites were held for Ellen (Billie) Smith, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Temple, Wednesday, April 2, 1947 at 2:00 p. m. in the Hewett Chapel, with Rev. Grady Metcalf officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery. Ellen attended church and Sunday school at the First Baptist Church and attended Bentley High School.

Survivors are her parents; one brother, CPO C. R. Smith, U. S. N., of Corpus Christi; one sister, Miss Ina Ruth Smith of Temple, and grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Palmer of Fort Worth and J. J. Smith of Hico; three uncles, J. R. Palmer Jr., R. D. Palmer and J. L. Palmer, all of Fort Worth; seven aunts, Mrs. Henry McNeill and Mrs. Hettie Smith, both of Waco; Mrs. L. W. Weeks, Hico; Mrs. T. J. Kemp, Sweetwater; Mrs. J. J. Parnell, Mrs. B. T. Koepf, and Mrs. W. H. McEwan Jr., all of Fort Worth. Pallbearers were J. A. Ledbetter, S. C. Koepf, Matt Carter, Roy Boutwell, R. N. Allison, and C. W. Moran.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to express our gratitude to the many friends in Hico for their kindness and words of consolation during the illness and homegoing of our loved one, Ellen (Billie) Smith.

MR. & MRS. C. C. SMITH AND CHILDREN, RUSSELL AND INA RUTH.

Tom Collin Sellman from Dallas spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sellman.

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STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS

**MISS STELLA BARNETT WED RECENTLY TO ROY J. DAVIS**

Miss Stella Margaret Barnett, daughter of B. C. Barnett of Hico, and Roy J. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Iredell, were married at 7:00 p. m. February 22, at the home of the groom's parents. Mrs. Harold Walker, twin sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, with Bertice Barnett Jr. serving as best man to the groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Morris of Iredell.

The bride wore an aqua blue suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was of pink and white carnations. The groom was attired in a blue suit, with white carnation adorning the lapel.

The huge wedding cake was cut and served with punch shortly after the ceremony. Several beautiful presents were presented to the couple by those attending the wedding.

Guests included B. C. Barnett of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker and small son, Donny Ray, of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Bertice Barnett Jr. of Stephenville, and Mrs. Pearl Hensley of North Iredell.

The newlyweds are employed and will reside in Fort Worth.

CONTRIBUTED.

Rev. J. L. Ray was in Whitney last week to conduct funeral services Tuesday for Mrs. Ed Boesch, 55, a resident of that city for 64 years and widow of a pioneer merchant. Now pastor of the local Methodist church, Rev. Ray held a pastorate at Whitney before moving here last fall.

Mrs. Sidney Wieser and daughter, Jean, of Hamilton spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wieser's sister, Mrs. Jean Brockenbrough, who had been visiting at Hamilton.

Mrs. B. D. Cole and her daughter, Mrs. Weldon Herman and little daughter, Marilyn, all of Quanah, visited here the first of the week in the home of Mrs. Cole's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richbourg, and with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Garth. They returned home Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Garth, who will make an extended visit with them.

Mrs. Sallie Pirtle of McGregor, in renewing her subscription by mail, said she was in Hico recently but didn't get around to visiting her friends because it was raining so hard. She also found that her mother-in-law, Mrs. M. S. Pirtle had just left for Dallas, so plans to come back again soon.

George Tabor, who is working in Dallas, spent Monday and Tuesday here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Wolfe left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Lamesa.

**Church News**

**Baptist Church**

Rev. Loyd, missionary of Bosque County, will preach Sunday at the First 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.

PULPIT COMMITTEE.

**Methodist Church**

Church School 10 a. m. Tyrus King, Superintendent. A class and a place for all. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Worship with us. J. L. RAY, Pastor.

**Church of Christ**

True worshippers worship the Father in Spirit and Truth—Jno. 4:23. Therefore, in order for worship to be acceptable to God, it must be from hearts that are truly sincere and which are guided by the word of God, which is truth.—Jno. 17:17. Worship with us. Bible study, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. STANLEY GISECKE, Minister.

**Primitive Baptist**

Regular meeting, second Sunday in each month; Saturday morning and Saturday night before in each month. ELDER J. W. WEST, 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 LINCHE, Pastor.

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HELLO,

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—And "So Long" to the many loyal customers who have helped me build up my business in Hico. I have sold out to Glenn Higginbotham and bespeak for him a continuance of the generous patronage accorded me.

Since moving from Carlton to Hico on February 14, 1934 my family and I have received many favors and made many friends. We would not think of moving away, and while continuing our residence here hope to be seeing you from time to time.

Good luck to all of you!

J. D. (DRUID) JONES

I take pleasure in announcing that I have bought and am now operating the auto parts and service station business formerly run by Mr. Jones. We expect to keep giving the very best of service in this line.

We will be remembered as natives and former citizens, but after residing in New Mexico for the past ten years we welcome an opportunity to renew our acquaintance with the good people of this section. Drop in for a visit or for service at your earliest opportunity.

Sincerely,

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<p><b>Women's All Wool Spring SWEATERS</b> Regular \$4.95 \$2.98 Lovely Pastel Shades</p>	<p><b>46 In. OIL CLOTH</b> 39c Yd.</p>	<p><b>BOYS' SANFORIZED SHANTUNG SLACK SUITS</b> \$2.98 Sizes 6 to 12</p>
<p><b>Women's Spring HATS</b> \$1.98 Taken From Our Regular Stock Values to \$4.75</p>	<p><b>WOMEN'S HOUSE SHOES</b> \$1.00 Pr.</p>	<p><b>FLORAL SPUN RAYONS</b> 59c Yd. Reg. 89c Yd.</p>
<p><b>WOMEN'S SPRING BAGS</b> \$1.00</p>	<p><b>40 In. Unbleached L L DOMESTIC</b> 29c Yd.</p>	<p><b>MEN'S NOCONA BOOTS</b> — QUARTER BOX TOE UNDERSLUNG HEEL DIAMOND INLAY Fit Like Slip Made \$20.00</p>
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