

# The Hico News Review

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## Security Loan Campaign for Savings Bonds

### \$120,000 Quota For County to Be Raised by June 30

A quota of \$120,000 has been set for Hamilton County in the Security Loan Campaign, April 15 through June 30, according to announcement from C. B. James, county Savings Bond chairman, after receiving the figure from the U. S. Treasury Department.

"This is the highest quota we have received since the war," Mr. James said, "but the threat that today's pentecost inflation offers to our personal and national economic security makes it vital that we achieve the objective. I have no doubt that this county can and will meet the quota."

Continuing, he said: "The United States cannot be strong unless we have a strong national economy," he said. "If the individual citizens of this and every county in the nation provide for their own financial security, it follows that the nation is strong economically. Widespread ownership of Savings Bonds by the people fights inflation, provides a guard against possible depression and allows for the sound management of our national debt. Money received from the sale of Savings Bonds is used to retire inflationary short-term government obligations which are held by banks and large corporations."

## Duffau H. D. Club Reports Two Meetings

The Duffau Home Demonstration Club met March 28 with Mrs. Allie Roach. The meeting was called to order by the president and the regular program was carried out.

The club voted to sponsor a working of the Duffau cemetery on May 7. Everyone is urged to attend and bring your tools and a basket lunch. Those who have moved away and wish to contribute to this cause may send their contribution to Mr. Ed Phillips, his address is Hico, Tex., Rt. 4.

After the meeting was adjourned, punch and delicious home made cookies were served to the following:

Mmes. Hester Anderson, Lucy Bowie, Pansy Anderson, Marie Elkins, French, Giescke, Landers, Lowry, Herrin, Robinette, Roach, Stipes, Talley, Weeks, Caraway, Roberson, Holland, and a visitor, Mrs. King.

The Home Demonstration Club of Duffau met April 13 in the home of Mrs. Nathan Robinette. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Lowry and roll call was answered by each member giving her favorite Bible character. Mrs. Robinette, Mrs. Caraway, and Mrs. Lowry gave talks on the regular program.

Plans were made to have a political rally in Duffau June 25 to make our five dollars grow which was presented to us by Council.

Meeting was adjourned and refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, sweet pickles, cocoonut cake and tea were served to: Mmes. Talley, Robinette, Cornelius, Caraway, Anderson, French, Weeks, Landers, Lowry, and one visitor, Mrs. G. B. Strother of Mound Ridge, Kansas.

MRS. M. C. LOWRY, Reporter.



**WEW AND RARE OFFSPRING . . .** Robert Halbach holds the triplet lambs that were born to a ewe owned by Peter W. Schuler, of Orchard Park, near Buffalo, N. Y., as the proud mother keeps close watch over her offspring. This is the second successive year that the ewe has borne triplets, an extremely rare event.

## PIONEER PHYSICIAN OF THIS COMMUNITY CALLED BY DEATH

Dr. Chas. M. Hall, pioneer physician, large landholder, property owner and long-time citizen of this community, passed away last Friday morning at 8:00 o'clock, after an illness which for some time had kept him from pursuing his usual active life.

He had been in the hospital until about a month ago, when he was returned to his home. But his condition became worse again and he was persuaded to follow medical advice and return to the Hico Hospital of which he was one of the founders. He died there.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday at the Methodist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. L. Rav. Barrow-Rutledge funeral directors of Hico had charge of all arrangements.

Pallbearers named for the services at the church were H. H. Miller, H. D. Knight, J. E. Ogle, Arthur Odell, Leslie Patterson, Alvin Hicks, John Gollightly and H. E. McCullough.

At the grave burial rites were in charge of the local Masonic Lodge, of which he was a long-time member. He was also a faithful member of the Methodist church, and had served for a long period on the board of stewards.

Charles Marvin Hall was born November 24, 1868, in Missouri, the son of G. W. T. and Angeline Hall. He came to Texas in a covered wagon at the age of six, and lived on farms in Dallas and Ellis counties, and eventually in Erath county.

Containing a teacher's certificate at an early age, he taught country schools for two years. He then became a drug store clerk, and later a pharmacist at the old Corner Star Store in Hico, originally the Star Drug.

It was while he was ministering aid to the ill that he felt impelled to become a physician, and decided to study medicine. He was graduated from Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., in 1895. For 56 years he practiced medicine in the role of a typical "country doctor" in this community, and yielded his practice only on account of illness two years ago.

He began his practice riding to his patients on horseback. With progress in transportation, he was the purchaser of one of the first cars in Hico.

Dr. Hall was preceded in death by a son, Charles, who died in 1933. He is survived by his wife, a son, Dr. Wendell C. Hall of Hartford, Conn., who was unable to be here for the services; two daughters, Mrs. H. V. Hedges of Hico, and Mrs. J. H. Morrill of Shreveport, La.; and six grandchildren: David and Jane Hall; Kenneth Hall and Katharine June Morrill, and Julia Ann and Alan Charles Hedges.

## LEGION MEMBERS INVITED TO DISTRICT CONVENTION

Members of the local American Legion Post have received invitation to attend the District Convention, dance and barbecue of the American Legion next Saturday and Sunday, April 17 and 18, in Clifton.

The Clifton Post has invited members from our city to attend the dance at the new club house Saturday night; accommodations will be available for those wishing to remain over.

The Sunday program will begin with church services at the College auditorium at 10:30; the barbecue is at 11:30, and the convention program starting at 1:00 o'clock. The program will include the dedication of the new club house of the Clifton Legion.

## City Golfers' Tournament Is Announced

### Calcutta Pool at Bluebonnet Club Monday Night

H. F. Sellers has requested announcement of a City Golf Tournament for members of the Bluebonnet Country Club.

Qualifying scores for 9-hole play are to be reported to Ray Cheek by Sunday, April 18.

Players will be matched in three flights and will play 9-hole matches. Finals to be played by Sunday, April 25, and finals will be played Sunday afternoon May 2. The Calcutta Pool will be held at the club house Monday night, April 19, starting at 8 o'clock. Entrance fee will be \$1.00.



**WITH THE GIANTS IN OLD ARIZONA . . .** Three of the New York Giants' outfielders find something to talk about during a breathing spell in spring training at Phoenix, Ariz. They are, left to right, Sid Gordon, Willard Marshall and Whitey Lookman.

## Diphtheria Should Not Be Allowed to Take Such A Toll

Austin, Tex., April 12—It is a tragedy that Texas parents continue to allow their babies to suffer and die from that painful and killing disease, diphtheria. This is the opinion of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who says: "It is up to the parents. If they protect their children with immunization, they need not have diphtheria."

Dr. Cox said that it is amazing that this disease should be allowed to take its toll of young lives when it can be entirely stamped out by proper immunization. Yet in the past week, 33 cases were reported in this state. "Babies should be immunized by the age of eight months," Dr. Cox advised. Authorities on the care of infants recommend a first dose by the age of eight or nine months, and sometimes as early as six months. A second dose is usually given later.

To maintain complete immunity, Dr. Cox said that a reinforcing dose of toxoid is advised when a child is old enough to enter school if a Schick test reveals the need of one. Children who have never been immunized certainly should be protected without any further delay, the State Health Officer declared, and added that it is the responsibility of the parents to save the lives of their children.

## Information Available On Small Businesses' Government Licenses

Government licenses required for small businesses are reviewed in a new pamphlet, "Small Business and Government Licenses," issued by the Department of Commerce, Ray L. Miller, Dallas Regional Director of the Field Service, has announced.

Licenses obtained from various Federal departments and agencies, as well as those required by state and local governments, are covered, he said.

One chapter sets forth the more common Federal licenses required for small businesses, the agencies from which they are obtained and directions for obtaining them. It includes licenses required for various manufacturers, processors, wholesalers, retailers, importers, carriers, utilities, and service establishments.

A chapter on state licenses covers both license taxes and regulatory licenses, and gives state requirements for a number of small establishments such as beauty shops, drug stores, contractors, and embalmers.

The pamphlet may be purchased from the field offices of the Department of Commerce at 15 cents a copy.

## MRS. GOLIGHTLY DISTRICT OFFICER OF H. D. CLUBS

Mrs. John G. Gollightly, a member of the Clairette Home Demonstration Club of Erath County, was elected as Vice-President of District 8 of the Texas Home Demonstration Association at the meeting held in Meridian, Texas, April 13 and 14. She will assume her duties in October and will serve for two years.

Mrs. Gollightly had one opponent, Mrs. O. U. Chumbley of Falls county. Both women are well qualified for the position and there was a great deal of interest in their candidacy for the office. Erath county chartered a special bus to take women to the meeting and Mrs. E. W. Holt of the Clairette club made the campaign speech for Mrs. Gollightly. The Chamber of Commerce of Stephenville and the Lions Club of Stephenville sent telegrams of recommendation to the meeting. Hico also claims Mrs. Gollightly as one of their own, and local citizens were also interested in her election. The Hico Chamber of Commerce also sent a telegram of recommendation and a large number of women from Hamilton county went to boost for her.

This is the first time that a club member from this section of Texas has had the honor of serving in this office and the Home Demonstration Club women are very proud to be represented on the State Board by Mrs. Gollightly.

The State Convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association will be held in Temple, Texas, October 13, 14, and 15. Invitations for the District meeting for next spring were extended by Stephenville, Eastland, Hillsboro, and Groesbeck. The time and place will be decided later by Mrs. Gollightly and the District Home Demonstration Agent.

One of the highlights of the Meridian meeting was a talk by Miss Sallie Hill, editor of the Home Department of The Progressive Farmer, who has just returned from a trip to parts of Europe.

## VPW MEETING CALLED

A meeting of the local chapter of Veterans of Foreign Wars has been called for Monday night, April 19, at the Firemen's Hall. The meeting will open at 7:30, it is announced.

All veterans who are eligible to attend this meeting are urged to be on hand.

## West Central Texas Singing Assn. to Meet in Ranger April 17-18

Plans are about completed for the meeting of the West Central Texas Singing Association in Ranger April 17 and 18, according to E. P. Robinson, president of the Eastland County Singing Association, who is the main spark in getting the meeting of next to the largest singing association to come to Ranger.

The singing will be held Saturday night, April 17 and all day Sunday, April 18. Robinson has a large committee working out the details of the arrangements and the convention is expected to draw the largest crowd ever to attend a similar meeting in Ranger.

Committees from the Chamber of Commerce are assisting Mr. Robinson and his committee, and every effort is being made to contact all organized groups and individual singers.

Mr. Robinson asks that if any group or individual has not been contacted, that they please consider this an invitation to be at the convention.

Quartets from all over Texas are expected to be at the meeting, and those attending have a real musical treat in store for them. Rev. Ernest Rippey of Stephenville, president of the association, will be at the meeting, together with his singing associates, as well as other quartets with statewide reputation.

## Girl Scouts Plan to Go Skating At Fairy

We met Monday night, April 12 at the regular place. The roll was called and the minutes were read and approved. There were 26 girls present.

We discussed about going to Fairy to skate in the gym. Some of the mothers are going to take their cars so that we will have transportation. Miss Blair is going to take her car also. We are going to meet at the City Hall and leave at 7:00 o'clock.

We cleaned up the Scout Hall Monday night. We swept and dusted it all over. Everyone did a part of the cleaning.

After we got through cleaning the Scout Hall some of the girls played games. About 9:00 o'clock we were dismissed and went home. "A Girl Scout is clean in thought and word and deed."

WILMA WOODARD, Scout Scribe.

Mrs. Roberta Forgy of Fort Worth spent the week end here in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. R. McMillan. Other guests in her home Saturday and Sunday were another daughter, Mrs. Ira Scudder, and daughters, Linda and Claudia, of Graford.



**ANGRY VETS RETURN DYING COMRADE TO HOSPITAL . . .** An angry and determined group of American Legionnaires look on as Walter C. Ferris, 51-year-old World War I veteran and victim of cancer, is carried from an ambulance into the Manhattan beach veterans' hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., from which he was recently sent home after receiving five months treatment. The Legionnaires took action after Ferris' doctor said he was in constant pain and had only a few more months to live. The hospital claimed he was sent home because his condition had "waxed." He was finally readmitted after a threat by the Legionnaires to leave him on the front doorstep.

## Installation of City Officials Held Monday

### Business Meeting Follows Canvass of Vote, Swearing In

City Council met in called session last Monday night, with Mayor J. C. Barrow presiding. All councilmen were present, including Paul Neel, Roy French, Charlie Meador, O. L. Davis, and Clyde Ogle. Mrs. J. R. McMillan, city clerk, recorded the minutes of the meeting, and also present were G. H. Munnerlyn, water superintendent, and Bill McGlothlin, city marshal.

The purpose of the meeting was to canvass the vote in the recent election, which was promptly done, after which by motion and second, Dr. H. V. Hedges was declared elected mayor, and O. L. Davis, Wallace Ratliff and Bill Norton, aldermen.

Mayor Barrow administered the oath of office to the incoming members of the body and they were duly sworn in.

In relinquishing the post he had held for many years, the retiring mayor smiled at the gathering, arose and tendered his seat to his successor with the terse remark, "So mote it be."

As incoming mayor, Dr. Hedges bespoke the good will and cooperation of the retiring members of the council, which he said he was sure would be forthcoming.

We will need possibly to call on you and every other citizen for counsel and will be glad to make use of your experience for the best interests of the city," he declared. His sentiments were echoed by other incoming members of the council: Ollie Davis, who succeeds himself; Bill Norton and Wallace Ratliff, who assume the places vacated by Charlie Meador and Roy French, who declined to run for reelection.

A general business meeting was called by the mayor and new council.

Ratliff moved and Norton seconded and the motion passed that Paul Neel be appointed mayor pro-tem.

It was moved by Norton and seconded by Ogle that the motion control be left up to the city health officer, Dr. W. F. Hafer, with the full cooperation of the mayor and city council. Motion carried.

Ratliff moved and Neel seconded that delinquent water notices be sent out the 15th of each month and if not paid by the 20th, service is to be discontinued until paid and carrying a 50c penalty. Motion carried.

Norton moved and Neel seconded that a copy of the minutes of each council meeting be turned over to the local newspaper for publication as a news item. Constructive criticism is invited and should either be filed with the city secretary or presented to the city council which meets on the first Monday in each month.

There being no further business, the council adjourned subject to call.

## WEATHER REPORT

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

| Date     | Max. | Min. | Prec. |
|----------|------|------|-------|
| April 7  | 92   | 66   | 0.00  |
| April 8  | 90   | 66   | 0.00  |
| April 9  | 85   | 64   | 0.00  |
| April 10 | 91   | 65   | 0.00  |
| April 11 | 99   | 66   | 0.00  |
| April 12 | 96   | 67   | 0.00  |
| April 13 | 85   | 48   | 0.63  |

Total precipitation so far this year, 7.98 inches.

## WORD FROM GERMANY FROM FORMER HICGANS

Bemberg, Germany  
March 9, 1948

Dear Hoffords:

Hope this finds everyone O. K. We finally got all settled and now we want the paper.

We have a rather nice apartment and Lonnie works across the street. He comes home for lunch.

I was wondering what the date was and I looked up at your News Review calendar and happened to think that I should write.

Enclosed is a money order for subscription to S-Sgt. Lonnie Redden, 26th Inf. Regt., Co. B, APO 139, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Thanks a lot.  
LOUISE REDDEN.

## MOVE BACK TO HICO

Walter Gandy and family have moved back to Hico, after an absence of several months, and expect to continue making this their home.

Mr. Gandy is local representative of the Insuromedic Life Insurance Company, whose offerings are described in a display advertisement in this issue.



**TOKIO RAIDER . . .** A likeness of the late air-minded Gen. William E. Mitchell forms a backdrop for James H. Doolittle, former commanding general of the Eighth Air Force and leader of the historic Tokyo raid, after the latter was given the Gen. William E. Mitchell award. Presentation was made by Aviators' Post No. 763, American Legion, in New York.

**STOP THOSE ARABS!** . . . Here we see two members of the Palmach, the striking force of the Hagana, as they fired through a hole in the wall while training for city fighting in Jerusalem. The Hagana has registered all men and women between ages 17 and 25.

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### Carlton

By  
 Mrs. Fred Geyer

#### VIC HAIL

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Baptist Church for Vic Hail, of Las Vegas, Nevada, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall of Carlton, who passed away in Nevada Monday afternoon, April 5. The services were conducted by Rev. Chester Sylvester, pastor of the Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Carl McKenzie and Rev. Frank Stone, Methodist pastor.

James Victor Hail was born on August 24, 1907, and was married to Miss Ethel Sourrill at Fort Davis, Texas, on Sept. 1, 1935. To this union one son, William Patterson, was born. He is survived by his wife and son, Pat; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall of Carlton, and two sisters, Mrs. George Driver of Carlton and Mrs. Bud Connally of Carrollton; three nephews, one niece, and a host of relatives and friends.

His body was tenderly laid to rest in the local cemetery under a mound of lovely flowers, silent tokens of love and esteem from his friends and relatives of Vic, who had known him since childhood as he was a former Carlton boy.

Pallbearers were Walker Curry, Hobdy Thompson, Sid Pine, Jim Pierce, Harry Yocham, and Lynn Harbour.

Flower girls were Sherle Thompson, Landa Mae Chick, Anna and Mamie Shaw, Margaret Whitehead, and Melba Jean Proffitt.

Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Directors of Hico had charge of all the funeral arrangements.

Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were his cousins, Herman Thompson, Mrs. Sunshine Rothrock, Mrs. Mabel Bell and daughters, Mrs. James H. Fendley and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McGlasson, all of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Carl McWhorter and daughter, Douglasville; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Frazier and son, Ennis; Mrs. Ruth Taylor, Valentine; Mr. and Mrs. Morton Barnett, Valentine; Mr. and Mrs. Vote Hall and son, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Woodruff, Healdton, Okla.; Hugh Hall and family, Rush Springs, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Adams, Canyon, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus King, Hico; Mrs. Frank Jones, Hamilton, and several others whose names we failed to get.

All the friends of the family extend to them their deepest sympathy in the tragic death of their loved one.

Grady Land carried his wife, who has been ill for several weeks, to the Temple hospital Monday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mack Ellison and John Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson and daughter, Diane, of Stamford were week-end visitors with his mother, Mrs. Norma Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hamrick of San Saba; their daughter, Mrs. Jno. R. Lane and daughter, Ann Ward Lane, who have just returned home from Tokyo, visited Sunday with Mrs. Hamrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ward.

Uncle Ben and Claud Smith received word the past week that their brother, Gene Smith, had passed away at his home in Albuquerque, New Mexico, April 8. The funeral and burial were held there on Saturday. Mr. Smith was born and reared here, and lived here with his wife and children before moving to New Mexico.

Friday, April 30, is the time set for the regular cemetery working here. It is requested that all interested in the cemetery be present as it will be the time to elect officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Raymond Burnett and daughters, Dorothy and Beverly, of Paris spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix Cathey; their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Mote, attended the funeral at Purves Sunday afternoon of Mr. Cathey's aged mother of Purves, who passed away Friday night in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mrs. N. A. Turney returned to her home Sunday after a visit at Gustine with her daughter, Mrs. Battle Moore, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Reeves are visiting in Tyler with her brother, Hal Sowell and family, and their mother, Mrs. Hattie Sowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Battershell, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Fine, Mr. and Mrs. Rance Sowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Turney attended the funeral

of Mrs. Cathey in Purves Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williamson and son, Jo, spent the week end in Houston with their sons and families.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell Jr. and two sons of Agee visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Otho Stuckey and daughter, Karen.

Dr. Walter McKenzie of Waxahatchie spent the week end with his brother, Rev. Carl McKenzie, and wife and their sister, Mrs. J. D. Upham.

Mrs. J. W. Morgan, who has been visiting with her children for several months, returned to Carlton the past week and is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Art Ward and Mrs. Nell Clark.

Rudy Pottlett of Cross Plains spent Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pottlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Byrd and son, Eugene, of Stephenville and S-Sgt. Carl Moss of Fort Worth spent the week end with their mother and wife, Mrs. Lilla Byrd and Mrs. Carl Moss and Carla.

Pfc. Billy Byrd from Washington is visiting his mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd. They are visiting in Stephenville with her son, Cecil Byrd, and family.

Mrs. Maggie McPherson of Hico and her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Duzan, visited Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Ida Fine.


Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson of Kempner and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Whitens of Lampasas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moring and daughter, Deborah.

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**Mr. & Mrs. J. L. Goodman**  
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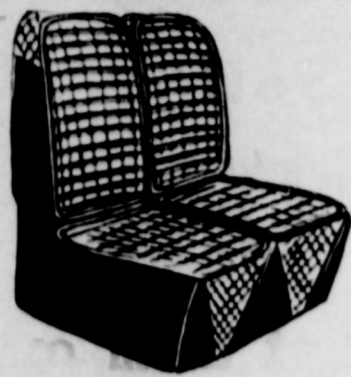
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### Recent Meeting of Review Club Held At Home Ec. Cottage

The Review Club met at the Home Economics Cottage April 9, for the regular meeting.

In the absence of a hostess, each member contributed to the refreshments. (And incidentally, a good feed and an enjoyable time was had by all).

During the business session Mrs. S. E. Blair Sr. was elected as a delegate to the Federation Meeting, to be held at Austin in May.

The subject for discussion was the opera, "Madame Butterfly," by the Italian, Puccini.

Mrs. Odie Peticick and Mrs. L. J. Wood very ably and interestingly reviewed the author's life and opera, respectively.

Quotations follow:

"Puccini was an Italian and lived to the age of sixty-six. He had a vague, withdrawn personality, and a sentimental disposition, blown hither and thither by his own emotions. He was as unstable as the wind, and was quite uncritical of his own work. Puccini is listed as one of the five distinctive dramatic composers of Italy. His first six operas were notable successes.

The opera, "Madame Butterfly" in two acts is a Japanese lyric tragedy—there are eight principal characters. They sing ten songs and there is much fine orchestration.

The characters are:

"Madame Butterfly" — Cho-Cho-San — Soprano.

"Suzuki" — Cho-Cho-San's servant — Mezzo-Soprano.

"B. F. Pinkerton," Lt. in U. S. Navy — Tenor.

"Kate Pinkerton" — His American wife — Mezzo-Soprano.

"Sharpless" — U. S. Consul at Nagasaki — Baritone.

"Goro" — A marriage broker — Tenor.

"Prince Yamadori" — Suitor to Cho-Cho — Baritone.

"The Bonze" — Cho-Cho's uncle — Bass.

"Trouble" — Cho-Cho's child.

Cho-Cho's relations, friends and servants at Nagasaki, Japan.

The story in brief follows:

Lt. Pinkerton has a not-too-prolonged stay in Nagasaki, and while here he is charmed by Cho-Cho-San. He makes love to her and there is a "marriage ceremony." Pinkerton leaves and does not return for a long time. In the meantime he marries an American girl and when his ship anchors in Nagasaki, Cho-Cho-San realizes that her lover does not care for her any more. She plans to commit suicide, and does, after she makes arrangements with Pinkerton's wife to adopt her child.

The scenes are very effective, and the last is wholly Japanese.

The opera is one of the best loved.

REPORTER.

### SINGING TO BE HELD

There will be a singing held at the local Church of Christ Sunday afternoon, April 18, at 2:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend and take part in this singing.

Bring someone with you and enjoy one hour and a half of good gospel singing.

CONTRIBUTED.

### Fairy

By Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We have much cooler temperature at this writing, following a light mist early today (Tuesday). We have good indications of rain, which is badly needed in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Olga Duncan and family and their daughter and little daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Luskie and family of Fort Worth and the former Miss Dorothy Duncan, husband and family of Waxahachie attended the funeral services for Mrs. Pauline Duncan Driver at Dublin Wednesday of last week. Others from here attending included the writer, Mrs. J. O. Richardson.

Mrs. Emma Lackey has returned home after an extended visit in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Walker and son of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Charles Price and little daughter, Cherry Kay of Austin returned home Saturday after a two weeks' visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cox. Her husband came up for her early Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jackson and family of Grand Prairie spent the week end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jackson and family, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Sellers of Hamilton visited Sunday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, and Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Bernal Richardson and family of near Cranfills Gap were also visitors in the Sellers home Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Richardson visited Sunday in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and family of Dublin, and returned by way of Carlton and attended singing there. Her grandson, Darrel Allison, has been ill of the measles, but was much improved Sunday.

Mrs. Ted Arrant, O. J. Clark, and Walter Abel were joint hostesses at a wedding shower honoring Mrs. Leonard Lively of Hico, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Kettie Slater last Friday afternoon. As each guest registered, tiny favors of double wedding bells bearing the names, "Leonard and Katherine" were pinned on each as they passed to the dining room where delicious fruit punch and cookies were served. After a series of games were enjoyed, the honoree followed a string to the huge number of gifts which were in turn opened and passed to each guest for inspection. She received many nice and useful gifts. We wish for them much happiness all through life.

The writer passed another milestone Monday, April 1. Others whose birth date falls in April that we know of is our niece, Miss Daphne Hoover, who had a birthday April 1; our sister-in-law, Mrs. O. L. Jacobs, April 4; and our brother, Prentis Newman, April 23; and our granddaughter, Ruby Jean Allison, April 28. The writer enjoyed a birthday dinner at the home of our daughter, Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, and husband and daughter, Carolyn, Monday. A huge white coconut cake with coral decorations of "Happy Birthday" centered the table sur-

rounded by other delicious eats. And on Sunday we ate dinner with our daughter, Mrs. D. E. Allison, and family, thinking this would be our birthday dinner, but on Monday our daughter, Mrs. Sellers, gave us the surprise of another.

Several from this community attended funeral services for Dr. Hall of Hico last Saturday afternoon, who had served this community as a physician for a number of years.

There still remain unclaimed plates at the writer's home, since the death of my husband, as follows: 1 plain white, 1 glass Pyrex, 1 pink tint cake plate.

### HICO LAD CREDITED WITH JTAC LOPSIDED VICTORY

Stephenville, April 13. — Bill Estes of Hico, John Tarleton senior P. E. major, recently led the Tarleton tennis squad to a lopsided 5-1 victory over Clifton College in a dual net meet.

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### In Dallas Saturday To Attend Wedding Of Granddaughter

Mrs. L. A. Powledge and son, George, were in Dallas last week end to attend the wedding of their granddaughter and niece.

In a ceremony Saturday evening at the Highland Park Methodist Church, Miss Patricia Carolyn Goar became the bride of William A. LaGrange. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. William P. Goar, 3637 Rosedale, Dallas, and the late Mr. Goar, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. LaGrange of Schenectady, N. Y.

Dr. Marshall Steel officiated at the ceremony and the music was presented by Miss Gloria Thornton,

soloist, and the Rev. V. Earle Copes, organist.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. LaGrange will live in Jackson, Miss.

For traveling, the bride chose a chartreuse gabardine suit, which she wore with a navy and chartreuse hat and other accessories of navy blue.

The bride is a graduate of Highland Park High School and SMU, where she was a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and Alpha Kappa Delta. Her husband was graduated from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y., and is an associate member of the American Society of Refrigerating Engineers.

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Hico, Tex., Friday, April 16, 1948.

#### CARD OF THANKS

From the depths of our hearts we wish to express our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and loving words of sympathy in the loss of our son and brother, Vick Hail. We also wish to thank you for the beautiful floral offerings and the nice food. Especial thanks to the ministers and the staff of the Barrow Rutledge Funeral Home for their comforting words. May God bless each and every one of you.

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#### AT THE CHURCHES

##### Church of Christ

This is an invitation for you to attend any of the services scheduled here.

Sunday morning:  
Bible classes for all, 10:00.  
Preaching, 11:00.  
Lord's Supper, 11:45.  
Sunday Night:  
Young People's Class, 7:30.  
Preaching, 8:00.  
Tuesday afternoon:  
Ladies' Bible Class, 2:30.  
Thursday night:  
Mid-week service, 8:00.  
Come worship with us according to the New Testament scriptures.  
J. P. WILLIAMS, Minister.

##### First Baptist Church

Sunday:  
The Sunday school will assemble at 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship at 11:00. Pastor's subject: "Living Water For A Soul-Famishing World."  
The Training Union will meet at 7:00 p. m.  
Evening worship at 8:00. Pastor's topic of discourse: "Apprehension, Quest and Rejoicing."  
Monday:  
The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the church at 3:00 p. m.  
Wednesday:  
A service devoted to prayer and Bible study, 8:00 p. m.  
Most cordially, we invite all who will, to come this way for fellowship and worship.  
O. J. ROBINSON, Pastor.

##### Methodist Church

Church school 10 a. m. Tyrus King, Superintendent. A class and a place for all.  
Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Each member of the church is urgently requested to be present. Visitors will find a big welcome awaiting them.  
J. L. RAY, Pastor.

##### Pentecostal Church

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 a. m., and again at 6:45 Sunday evening.  
Ladies' prayer meeting Tuesday evening.  
Prayer and preaching service Wednesday evening at 6:45.  
Young people's service Friday evening at 6:45.  
Everybody has a welcome to worship with us.  
MRS. DOLLY LINCHE, Pastor.

##### First Christian Church

We invite you to hear Brother William Le May of Dallas preach every first Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.  
Sunday school every Sunday, beginning at 10 o'clock.  
Everyone is welcome, and especially do we invite each person who has no church home.

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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.

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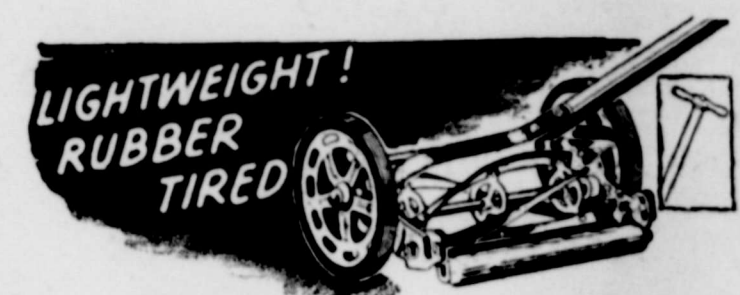
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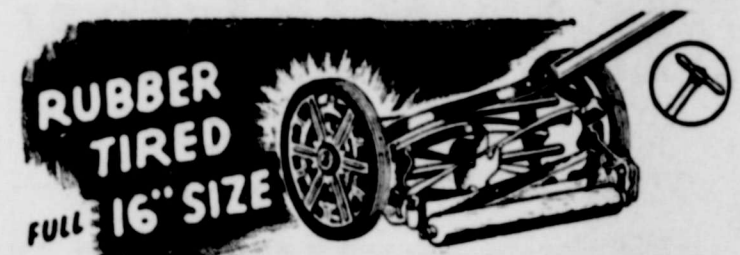
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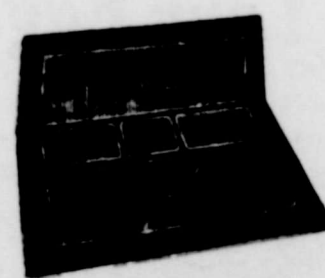
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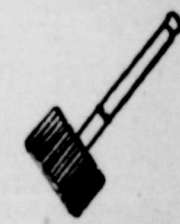
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# Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meador of Waco visited here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Turner and his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Turner, visited in Knox City over the week end.

Mrs. C. A. Scharfer and son, Dan, of Richmond, Calif., visited last week with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Haught.

Miss Carolyn Holford of Austin, accompanied by Miss Ann Parker, Tyler; Don Carroll, Menard; Sam Abraham, Galveston, and George Sherrill, Houston, all students of the University, were week-end guests in the home of Carolyn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Holford.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths and daughter Judy, who moved from here to Midland several months ago, spent Monday night and Tuesday here. They had been to San Antonio to meet their son and brother, Cpl. Don Griffiths, who is stationed with a bomber group at Merced, Calif., and had flown to San Antonio on a special mission. Don is slated for a trip to Tokyo in about a month, to stay for 90 days, his dad said.

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Mrs. Rosa Lee Tolliver has returned to her home between Iredell and Fairy, and is reported by her father, N. A. Lambert, to be recovering nicely from a tonsil operation at the Hico Hospital on Monday, April 5.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Culbreath, former residents of Hico, were here Thursday visiting friends en route from Brady to Mart to visit relatives. The Culbreaths are now making their home in Hot Springs, New Mexico, where Claude is cashier of the Hot Springs National Bank. Their daughter, Annette, is now Mrs. Wade E. Hardie since her marriage in 1943 and is living in El Paso with her husband and young son, Jimmie.

"We are out where it never rains and the sandstorms roll by, and the trees in the forest are very short (about 18 inches high)," writes Louis B. Giesecke from Odessa, Texas. "We like it here fine, but don't intend to make it our permanent home." My wife, Susie, and I are enjoying good health and only need the Grand Old Hico News Review to make life complete. So herewith find the money for subscription."

In ordering a change in the address on her paper to 1114 14th Ave., Texas City, Mrs. Alyce Little, formerly of Hico but who has been living at Stephenville for several years, added a note: "We are all settled now in our new home and it looks like Texas City has gone all out to make us feel welcome—even gave us a book with 30 coupons in it telling us to call and get gifts they had for us. Who wouldn't feel welcome after a reception like that. When you folks up there feel like you need a vacation, come down and we will picnic on the beach and go wading in the Gulf. Say hello to all our friends there."

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hines of Corpus Christi have spent the past week in the home of Mrs. Hines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen, and also visited in Fort Worth where they attended the State Dental and Laboratory convention meetings. Mrs. Hines returned from Fort Worth Monday and she and her parents spent Tuesday in Gatesville and also visited in the Turnersville community where they inspected a monument which had just been placed at the graves of Mrs. Owen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Hines plan to return to their home in Corpus Christi Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Young have just returned home from a visit in Stamford and Sagerton with their children.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Johnson and daughters visited near Dallas over the week end with their son and brother, Ray, and also with Mrs. Johnson's sister and family, Mrs. Wilmon Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howerton returned Sunday from El Campo, where they had been visiting relatives for several days.

Mrs. Andy Hutton visited in Grand Prairie last week with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Wolfe, who have a new son named Ronald Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ramage of Houston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Young and Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Young of Stamford spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Young.

Mrs. Wallace Ratliff visited in Waco last week with her son, Ross Ratliff, and family.

Mrs. Sallie Pirtle, who has kept up with Hico people ever since moving away from here several years ago, has renewed her subscription again from McGregor. She also sent in subscriptions for her two daughters, Mrs. G. M. McBride (Peggy), of Fort Worth, and Mrs. W. E. Smith (Marie) of Waco. "Hope all is going well in Hico and everyone in the best of health," she adds. "McGregor is growing into a little city, but we really need a rain if we make anything."

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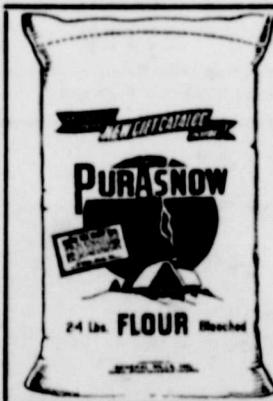
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## IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. Irene Gosdin, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huckabee, has left for overseas. She went to Guam.

Mrs. Blanche Royal and children of Waco were recent guests of her mother, Mrs. McAdoo.

The Senior Play will be staged April 3. Name, "Silas Smidge From Turnip Ridge." It will be very comical.

Mrs. Seward of Hamilton visited Mrs. Patterson Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mary Johnson of Talco spent the week end with her parents.

Mrs. Albert Hensley left Thursday for Breckenridge to visit her sister, Mrs. Silger.

Mrs. John Tidwell, Mrs. Hugh Harris, and Mrs. Joe Tidwell were in Stephenville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Echols of San Antonio visited his parents and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, this week. They attended a convention in Dallas pertaining to cars.

Hudson Johnson and Kenneth Cooper, who are in A. & M., spent the week end at home.

Little Miss Nancy Petty of San Antonio visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, this week.

Mrs. Len Roberts of McKinney came in Friday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell.

Mrs. W. R. Newsom of Big Spring is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks. She was called here the day her mother got burnt. Mrs. Parks is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Homer Woody left Friday for Glen Rose for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Mino Loughlin and family of Dallas spent the week end with his mother and his sister, Mrs. Emily Schumacher.

Mrs. Greenwade of Meridian and her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Stinebaugh of Fort Worth visited Mrs. T. M. Davis Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lee White of Rosenberg spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess White.

Mrs. Noble McPeck and children who have been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap, have gone to Waco to reside. Her husband is in business there.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powers of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Davis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elkins and children of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler and her brother, Hayden.

Mr. Frank Lane and son, Robert, of Fort Worth visited his nephew, Mr. Frank Landis and family, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hester of West Texas spent the week end with relatives. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Woody.

Lamoine Fuller spent the week end at home, also Donald Mitchell. They are students in John Tarleton College.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stockham of Dallas are the parents of a son who was born March 25. She was Miss Bobbie Jean Davis before

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### Duffau

By Elmer Glesocke

Mrs. Pental Elkins returned home from the Hico Hospital after being confined there for about two weeks. We didn't learn what they will call the little girl, but they have a brand new baby.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Dr. C. M. Hall which occurred at 8 a. m. Friday at the Hico Hospital after a lingering illness. Dr. Hall possibly did his first practice at Duffau while he was a young man.

Roy Fallin, our efficient road commissioner, is doing some nice work in our community, which was in dire need of some road repairs.

Earl Shaffer was attending to business in Hico Friday.

H. Gilentine has purchased 20 acres of land from O. E. Boettcher of Clifton and will plant it in peanuts this year.

Now for the weather as much as space will permit: It's just about as dry as we've seen it for years at this season of the year. The high winds have been destructive to these sandy farms. Corn is very late and gardens are horrible.

### AUNT CELIA SHAW'S 102ND BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD

A large crowd attended the barbecue dinner and picnic Sunday, April 11, at the home of John Bunch and wife. (Mrs. Bunch is a daughter of Mrs. Shaw and is 82 years of age). Mrs. Shaw is 102 years of age since Monday, April 12, and a grand old soul she is.

Mrs. Shaw (better known as Aunt Celia) was born in Butler County, Alabama, April 12, 1846, and was married to Mr. Shaw in June, 1865. He served in the Confederate Army under Robert E. Lee and was at Greensboro, N. C. when Lee surrendered.

They came to Texas in an ox wagon in 1877 and settled at Johnsonville, where they operated a store and post office for many years.

They really pulled a barbecue dinner in honor of Aunt Celia, and Bill Nix of the community is some chef when it comes to cooking beef.

Raxley was there from the county seat with his photographic equipment and several pictures were made.

Aunt Celia still has her Bible (nearly 200 years old). She sleeps well, eats well, and takes plenty of exercise. We're guessing, of course, but she looks well for a lady who's 102 years of age, we think—E. E. G.

TRY NEWS REVIEW WANT ADS FOR RESULTS!



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### Now It's Neckties Made of Milk!

Fellow in Andy Botkin's Tavern was boasting about a trick necktie he was wearing made out of a by-product of milk. "Took 33 pounds of milk to make this tie," he says.

Bill Webster was unimpressed. "Personally," he says, "I'd rather have the milk to drink. Just as I wouldn't change one glass of good American beer for a necktie made from thirty barrels of it!"

Yes, modern science being what it is—seems like you can make "anything out of anything" these days. But in the case of milk, well

I guess drinking it is still a whole lot better than just wearing it.

Of course there are lots of other ways of abusing goods and beverages—like a fellow who doesn't appreciate good beer enough to drink it slowly and in moderation.

But from where I sit, most people who enjoy a wholesome beverage like beer or ale are moderate—because beer itself is a beverage of moderation.

Joe Marsh

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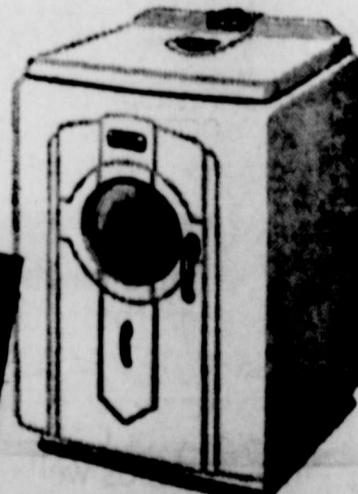
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**BEFORE**

**AFTER** Compare with Bendix results in top picture.

**"HOW THE TESTS WERE MADE"**

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For the germ removal tests the washing procedure as above was supplemented by a pre-determined rinse procedure established from contact with authorities in the field of home laundering including the manufacturers of the machines used. The Bendix was used in accordance with the manufacturer's published instructions. Staphylococcus aureus bacteria (bacteria commonly used for test purposes) were used to measure efficiency of germ removal. The four washers used, three non-automatic and a Bendix automatic Washer, were purchased in the open market by the Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory.

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**LOST, Monday:** Double stranded pearl choker. Reward for return to News Review office. 47-2tp.

**FOUND:** Six goats on my place, four nannies and two weathers. R. E. Turner. 45-tfc.

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If you want to buy or sell property, see Chas. M. Hedges, next door to Texan Cafe. 27-tfc.

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### SENIOR NEWS

We are glad to be through with our six weeks tests. Don't miss the Senior Play, "Feudin' In the Hills" tonight at 7:45. The characters again are: Mr. Martin, the last of his line — Royce Grimes. Mrs. Martin, his wife — Janelle Dowdy.

Edna Mae, their daughter — Patsy Roberts. Zula, their daughter — Erma Talley.

Jed, their son — Walter Latham. Grandma, Mr. Martin's mother — Mary Nell Battershell. Sam Pruitt, Edna Mae's suitor — Billy Ray Ables. Dina Pruitt, his sister — Marlene Adams.

Dr. Ambergrombled, student of philosophy — Don Eakins. Myrtle, his daughter — Dorothy Adkinson.

Don't miss "Feudin' In the Hills", the Senior Play.

### H H S —

### CRYSTAL BALL

What's this? A senior play. Everyone had better come, if you don't, then you are going to miss something. The setting is in the hills where two families the Martins and the Pruitts, live and fight. Pa Martin and his mother are determined that Edna Mae Martin and Sam Pruitt don't get married and lots more things are happening after that. I think you are in for a big laugh if you keep this date, and speaking of dates . . .

Saturday night I see Walter Latham and Imogene Elder, Clinton Robinson and Genelle Elder, Mary Nell Battershell and Harold Norrod, Patsy Roberts and Wendell Knight, Marlene Adams and Garland Latham, Jeanette Dowdy and Truman Loden, Janelle Dowdy and Ralph Loden, Joan Goughly and John Price, Joan Goughly and Ray Keller, Patsy Tooley and Jack Hale, Mary Nell Keller and Dwain Wolfe, Jo Nell Roberts and O. J. Clarke, Betty Jo Hicks and Sunny Christian, Dolores Robertson and James Leath, Betty Hefner and Bobby Ogle, Patsy Meador and "Dub" French.

Dorothy Jordan and Jimmie Reardon, Pat Jordan and Dan who? were seen Sunday.

### H H S —

### WORM'S EYE VIEW

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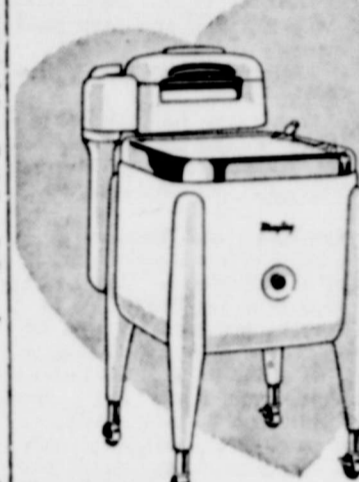
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### Hamilton County

For State Senator, 21st District of Texas:  
**W. A. "Son" SHOFNER**  
 For Representative, 94th District:  
**SID GREGORY** (Re-Election)  
 For District Attorney, 52nd Judicial District:  
**H. B. (BUSS) GORDON**

For District Clerk:  
**C. E. EDMISTON** (Re-Election)

For County Judge:  
**W. EUGENE TATE** (Re-Election)

For County Clerk:  
**IRA MOORE** (Re-Election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:  
**CECIL A. NIX** (Re-Election)

For Sheriff:  
**N. Y. TERRAL** (Re-Election)

For County Treasurer:  
**BILLY G. WOOD** (Re-Election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:  
**FERN JORDAN** (Re-Election)

### Erath County

For County Treasurer:  
**BEULAH JOHNSON** (Re-Election)

For County Clerk:  
**ELMO WHITE** (Re-Election)

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Which just goes to show that on a path strewn with roses you might occasionally step on a thorn. And if you sometimes think you take a beating on your eggs, just remember that the same thing happens to your local egg buyer. But we are still in the market and hoping to make enough off of you to pay the rent.

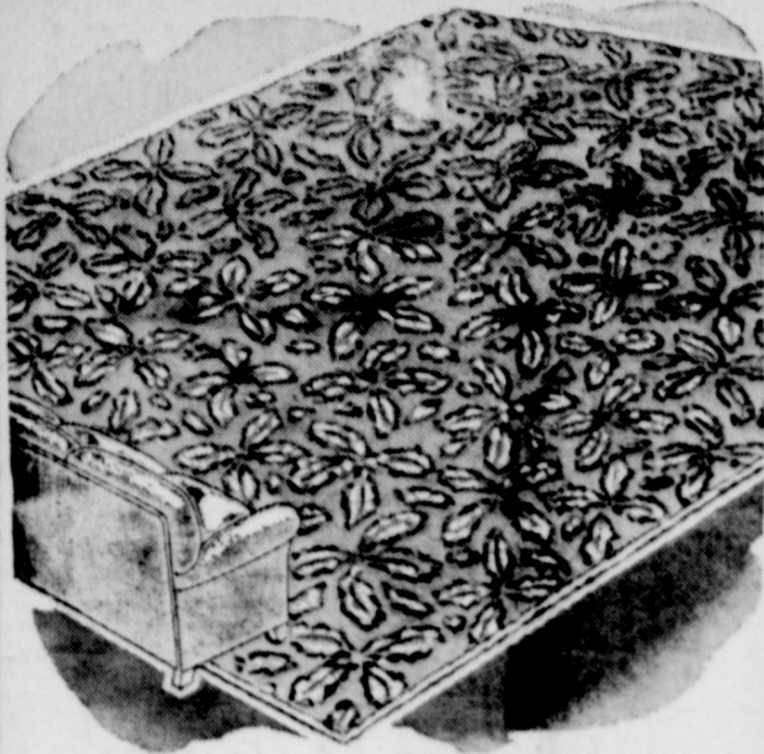
If you are looking for a good place to sell your eggs, cream and poultry --- we wouldn't attempt to tell you how to run your business along that line.

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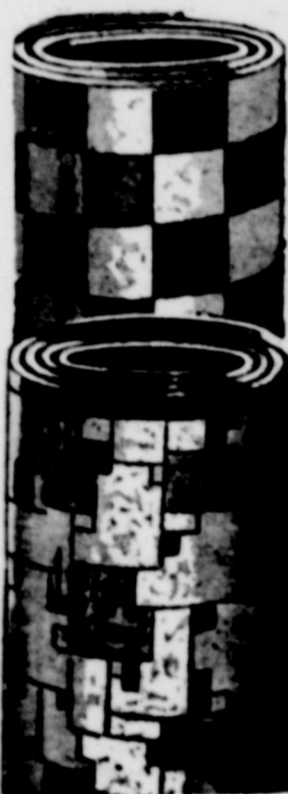
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**Veterans' News**

Veterans who file claims with the Veterans Administration for disability compensation or pension can help speed up service by observing seven simple rules, VA said this week.

- They are:
- (1) Remember to submit complete evidence concerning your physical condition, and the cause of such condition; (2) Spell your name clearly—the same way it appears on your service records; (3) When you are informed of your "C" number, use it in all correspondence with V. (4) Include your correct address in all correspondence.
  - (5) Avoid all unnecessary correspondence; (6) If you find it necessary to write, address your letters to the VA regional office concerned; (7) When requested to report for physical examination, or to submit additional evidence, do so promptly. If you cannot, let VA know.

The Veterans Administration is advertising for bids on the construction of a 20-bed General Medical and Surgical Hospital at Marlin, Texas.

Sealed bids will be received by VA in the Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C., until 1:30 p. m., May 29, 1948, and then publicly opened.

At the discretion of the Veterans Administrator, drawings and specifications may be obtained by contractors interested in submitting bids direct to the Veterans Administration in Washington.

**Questions and Answers**

Q—I have a discharge from the draft of World War I. May I consider myself a veteran?

A—For the purposes of laws administered by Veterans Administration in order to be classified as a veteran, you must have had active military service during a time of war. A discharged draftee is not considered to have had such service.

Q—I received a pension as a Spanish-American War veteran's widow. I have remarried and my second husband is now dead. Am I eligible for a pension as a widow of the Spanish-American War veteran?

A—Yes, if you meet the other requirements of the law and regulations.

Q—May I receive death benefits for both my husband and my son?

A—Yes, if both were veterans and you are otherwise eligible.

Q—What proof is required to obtain death compensation or pension for an illegitimate child?

A—Acknowledgement in writing signed by the veteran, or evidence showing that he has been judicially ordered or decreed to contribute to the child's support or has been, prior to his death, judicially decreed to be the father of such child, or evidence satisfactory to the Administrator of Veterans Affairs that the veteran is the father of such child.

Q—Is it necessary that a child, in custody of the widow, file a separate claim for compensation?

A—No.



The teeth here is Hafez Barakat, reputed leader of the Arab hands operating in the old city of Jerusalem. It is Barakat's men who keep the conflict going in the Holy City, sniping, bombing and mining.

**Tribute to Mrs. Shaw  
And Partial List of  
Her Guests Sunday**

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Jimmie Shaw (better known as Aunt Celia) gathered at the home of John Bunch, a son-in-law, last Sunday where she and her son, Tom Shaw, make their home, to celebrate her 102nd birthday.

A beef was slaughtered and barbecued for the occasion, and served with hot coffee and basket picnic lunches, which were heartily enjoyed by everyone present.

Many nice gifts were brought by her friends.

Ninety-nine callers were registered and a number of others were there who did not register. There were four present who were past 80, and one 89 years old.

Aunt Celia has been a resident of Erath County for some 65 or 70 years, and has lived in and near the same community and attended the same church almost since she arrived at Johnsville.

She is the mother of five children, three of whom are still living. Her husband passed away several years ago after living to a ripe old age. She has always been a very active woman, never having any serious illness, and has been a member of the Johnsville Church of Christ for many years. She never missed a service unless some of her family were seriously ill. She has always had a smile and a word of cheer for everyone. Her doors were open to strangers as well as to friends. She has given kindly and wholesome advice whenever and wherever it was needed, and always lent a helping hand to any one in need. She was never heard to say an unkind word about anyone, nor was anyone ever heard to speak unkindly of her.

On her long journey through life she has gathered friends all along her pathway, like a child gathering wild flowers. I have known her and lived near her for the most of 65 years. She still gets around some. She walked 150 yards to where lunch was served last Sunday.

She has been a diamond in the rough, but some sweet day she will wear a glittering crown which she has so rightfully earned.

**MRS. PEARL BEACH**

**Names of Those Who Registered**

- Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown
- Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richbourg
- Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo
- Mr. and Mrs. Meadow and son
- Mrs. Mary Hurley
- Mrs. Pearl Beach
- Wad Williamson
- Curtis Burks
- K. N. Baxley
- Mrs. Reed Cox
- Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cox and son
- Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson and family
- Mrs. Sid Johnson
- Mr. and Mrs. Tim Johnson
- Mr. and Mrs. Carol Garrett
- Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey
- Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carr and baby
- Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Little and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Stringer and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Will Nix and son, Billy
- Brian Carter
- Jewell Davis
- Tom Woods and Sister
- Mrs. Johnson Linnie
- Don Davis and family
- Luther Jackson and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Talley and family
- Mr. and Mrs. George Sherrard
- Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ramsey and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis
- Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wylie
- A. Barham
- Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eades
- Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wylie
- Mr. and Mrs. Gale Stephens and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carver and son
- Mr. and Mrs. Dickson
- Mr. and Mrs. John Bunch and son, Bill
- Aunt Celia Shaw and son, Tom, and a number of others who were not registered.

**Still A Demand for  
Qualified Workers In  
Employment Office**

The Merit System Council, which serves as a "clearing house" for positions in the Texas Employment Commission and the State Department of Public Welfare, will hold open competitive examinations on May 5, 1948, for a number of positions now open in both agencies, according to Chas. S. Gardiner, Director of the Merit System Council.

Positions to be filled by these agencies consist of Field Worker, Child Welfare Worker, and Senior Child Welfare Worker, Stenographers, Clerk-Typist, Clerks, Receptionist, Junior Tabulating Equipment Operator, and Key Punch Operator. Qualifications for these positions vary from high school graduation to college work and experience requirements.

Gardiner pointed out that application to take an examination must be made on an official application

blank, which may be obtained by writing the Merit System Council, 808 Tribune Building, Austin, Texas, or from the Employment Commission and Department of Public Welfare local offices located throughout the State. "The closing date for submission of applications is April 24, 1948, and applications postmarked after midnight on the closing date will not be considered," he said.

Gardiner also stated that these examinations present to people the opportunity for permanent employment with the Texas Employment Commission and the State Department of Public Welfare.

Tom Collin Sellman, who has been in New York City, N. Y., for several months, attending the New York School of Interior Decoration, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sellman, and with Dr. and Mrs. Willard C. Sellman Jr. of Galveston, Texas.

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PEROXIDE  
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