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## VOTE SATURDAY TO DECIDE FUTURE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Saturday is the date set for an election on two proposals which are calculated to decide whether Hico Public Schools will continue to serve this community and build up to take care of increasing demands, or be handicapped through lack of funds with which to keep buildings in shape and finance a program of expansion to take care of existing and expected needs.

Voters of the Hico County Independent School District are urged to turn out and vote Saturday, in view of the importance of the matters to be voted on. There are two ballots to be marked—one proposing issuance of \$50,000 in bonds to pay for a new grammar school building and repairs to existing structures, and another to raise the tax rate from \$1.00 to \$1.40 as an enabling measure to pay for these improvements.

A further explanation of the details of the election will be found in the following statement released for publication by Superintendent J. E. Lincoln and the Hico School Board.

"Since there have been some questions raised in the minds of some of the patrons concerning the bond and tax elections, the School Board feels that there are some things that should be explained a little fuller.

"Some have asked if it was absolutely necessary to enter into a building program at this time since building material and labor were so high.

"The School Board has considered this phase of the program very carefully. It realizes that things are high but the Board also feels that Hico is facing a very serious situation; a situation that cannot wait for a solution. It must be met this year. We can take care of our present student enrollment with our present buildings but they must have some expensive repair work if we continue to use them. Our present elementary school building is in very poor condition and must have immediate attention.

"There is another reason why our program cannot wait. Some of our small neighboring schools will be forced in the near future to seek a home elsewhere for their high school. We could not, under our present conditions, invite them to come to Hico. We could not take care of them properly. We would not be doing them right to invite them to our school unless we could take care of them as well as they could be taken care of elsewhere.

"Since the School Board was fortunate enough to secure nine large buildings at Camp Bowie almost gratis, we feel that this gift will, in a large way, offset the high cost of building at this time.

"There have been several people from our community examined these buildings and those that know, estimate that they will be worth \$50,000 to \$75,000 in our proposed building program. With these buildings and the proposed \$50,000 bond issue we feel that we can make the needed improvements this year.

"For these reasons, and many more that might be mentioned, the School Board has been willing to undertake this program.

"As stated before, the Hico School Board is not trying to dictate to anyone as to how he should vote but we do request and urge that every qualified voter go to the polls Saturday, September 25, and cast his ballot one way or the other."

## Salvation Army Flag Day to Be Observed In Texas Sept. 26

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 20.—The red, blue and yellow flag of an international army which is carrying on a one-world fight in 97 countries around the globe against sin, distress and poverty will be 70 years old September 26.

The flag is the tricolor of the Salvation Army, and Governor Beauford H. Jester has proclaimed September 26 as "Salvation Army Flag Day in Texas" in recognition of the "great work for God which this valiant army is performing among our people in Texas."

Governor Jester commended the Salvation Army as being the agency on the spot at any time and anywhere human need arises in Texas, and ordered the Salvation Army flag to be flown from the Capital dome on September 26.

In announcing the 70th anniversary of The Salvation Army Flag, Lt. Col. Charles H. Dodd, Texas Divisional Commander of the Army, described it as a "flag that is the same the world over—a flag that never has caused trouble; never divided people; never caused bloodshed—a flag that speaks of Jesus, the Prince of Peace, the Saviour of Mankind."

He added: "Few people are familiar with this flag, yet it has brought new hope and a better life to millions of men, women and children in almost every country in the world."

This little-publicized flag was designed by Catherine Booth, wife of William Booth, founder and first general of The Salvation Army.

The flag is red and blue with a bright yellow star in the center on which are the words "Blood and Fire."

Colonel Dodd explained that the colors were designed to symbolize the great end in view. The blue border typifies holiness; the crimson ground a perpetual reminder of the Christian lesson—salvation through the blood of Jesus; the yellow star betokens fiery baptism of the Holy Ghost; and the motto on that star, "The Blood of Jesus and Fire of the Holy Ghost."

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## Roughest, Toughest Prison Rodeo to Give First Show Oct. 3

Huntsville, Sept. 23.—The Annual Prison Rodeo will open on October 3rd for the first of five Sunday shows and one Wednesday Matinee, during October.

Governor Beauford H. Jester will be on hand to witness the first performance, which will feature many star attractions.

This, and subsequent performances, will feature the roughest string of broncs ever corralled and driven to the shutes, according to top hands, now exercising in the yard.

This prediction was made by inmate contestants who are old hands at forking a horse, after viewing the horses and watching some of the best riders, top horses to determine whether or not they are vicious enough.

Most riders are non-committal about their chances in the coming Rodeo, in view of the fact that the stock is the best they have ever seen.

The larger crowds expected this year, will be efficiently handled due to increased seating capacity in the new sections of the million dollar stadium now under construction at Huntsville.

Rodeo dates are: October 3, 10, 13, 17, 24, and 31; with proceeds going to the Prisoners' Educational and Recreational Fund.



## Homemaking Girls Entertain Mothers and Faculty At Cottage

Thursday, September 16, 1948, the Hico Homemaking girls entertained their mothers and the faculty at the cottage at "open house."

The guests were greeted by their arrived by Misses Betty Jane Goughly and Mary Moore. Misses Pat Duzan and Maxine Derrick served lemonade and cake from the table decorated with fuchsia crenery.

Summer project work done by several of the girls was on display for the guests to see.

The following persons were guests at the cottage: Mesdames P. B. Bolton, John Goughly, R. W. Sherrard, John Appleby, H. H. Miller, Hester Bruner, Ruth Roberts, Viola Leath, W. R. Hampton, Louise Bryan Angell, Vernell Jernigan, R. E. Goff, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Parker.

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## Second Troop School of Organized Reserve Units At Tarleton Sept. 22

The second Troop School of September for all members of the Organized Reserve Units of this area held at John Tarleton Agriculture College at 8 p. m. on Sept. 22, 1948, according to a communication from Sgt. Sam T. Jackson Jr., Public Information Officer at Waco.

A general conference to familiarize the reservist with the aims and methods of ORC training for the first year and first phase was held, following by Commanders' time which will be utilized to orient individual units on the aims and methods of their training.

This was of special interest to Reservist of the following groups, 49th Composite Group, Co "M" 358th Inf and Btry. "D" 389th AAA AWps. Bn.

## Girl Scouts Start Program Monday by Cleaning Scout Hall

The first thing we did Monday night was clean the Scout hall.

We have two flags, the United States flag and our troop flag, and we fixed them on poles. Each patrol fixed one. They both look very nice.

The Eagle patrol went out and looked for something to have for their first night patrol. They got some petrified wood. The Pioneer patrol will go out next Monday night.

Next Monday night the Pioneer patrol will have charge of our scout meeting. The Eagle patrol will also have charge some Monday night.

We said our scout promise after Jo Ann Johnson and then we sang our song and was dismissed.

"A Girl Scout obeys orders."

WILMA WOODARD,  
Scribe, Troop 1, Hico Texas.

First flight over the English Channel was by Louis Bleriot in 1909.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

From the Office of Hico Hospital & Clinic

Medical Patients This Week—  
Mrs. Chas. M. Seal, Route 7, Dublin, Texas.  
Mrs. Josephine Duckworth, Hico.  
Mrs. Laura (H. H.) Simpson, Hico.  
Mrs. J. E. Warren, Route, Hico.  
Mrs. Lester Herrod, Duffau.  
Harry Hudson, Hico.  
Edgar Elliott, Hico.  
Mrs. Wallace Ratliff, Hico.  
Mrs. Bessie Williams, Hamilton.  
T. N. Woods, Johnsonville.  
Mrs. Jim Edwards, Route, Hico.  
Clair Brunson, Route 3, Hico.

Surgical Patients—  
Mrs. Annie Washam, Hico.

Births—  
Sept. 14, Virginia Mary Kelley, born to Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kelly, Hamilton.  
Sept. 15, Glyn Dale Gardner, boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Price Gardner, Route 1, Hamilton.  
Sept. 15, Robert Axford Russell Jr., boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell, Route 1, Iredell.  
Sept. 16, Jerry Wayne Aikman, boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Aikman, Hico.  
Sept. 17, Cathy Jean Williams, girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Williams, Route 1, Hamilton.  
Sept. 23, Billy Jack Parks, boy, born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parks, Dallas.

## VITAL STATISTICS

Reported to office of Registrar, L. L. Hudson, Justice of the Peace, week ending Sept. 19, 1948.

Births—  
Son, Jerry Dwain Huffman, to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Huffman of Hamilton at Hico Hospital, Sept. 12, 1948.  
Daughter, Virginia May Kelly, to Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Kelly of Hamilton, at Hico Hospital, Sept. 14, 1948.  
Son, Alvin Dale Gardner, to Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Gardner of Hamilton, at Hico Hospital, Sept. 15, 1948.  
Daughter, Cathy Jean Williams, to Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Williams of Hamilton, at Hico Hospital, Sept. 17, 1948.

Deaths—  
Jerry Dwain Huffman, infant, at Hico Hospital, Sept. 12, 1948.  
Chas. William Diver, at Hico Hospital, Sept. 13, 1948.

## Iredell to Meet Valley Mills At Home Friday Night

The Iredell Dragons play host to the Valley Mills team Friday night as the Eagles prepare to defend their title for another year. Valley Mills has been District Champions for two seasons and last year won the regional title also. Both teams are considerably lighter this season and more even, by matched than last season when Valley Mills defeated Iredell 42-0 in Valley Mills.

Smarting for revenge the Dragons are set to make a game of it and provide rough going for Valley Mills. Game time is 7:45 p. m.

## School Matters Need Best Thinking of All Loyal Texans Now

Austin, Sept. 20.—Local control for some 1179 school districts in Texas is gone. These districts have no schools of their own but send their children to neighboring communities to be educated," according to the Citizen's Advisory Group of the Gilmer-Akin Committee. In January, 1948, there were 4309 school districts in Texas—3529 Common, 980 Independent.

This means that at least one out of every three common school districts in Texas operates no school. Most often these schools contract with a neighboring district to teach their children. Others pay tuition. In either case, "local control becomes a fiction."

The parents of the contracting schools have no control whatsoever over what is taught, how it is taught, the hiring of teachers, the use of the building and equipment, and the general administration of the school. They are outside the school district furnish a school for their children.

To bring local control back to the parents of the children in these 1200 districts, the Citizen's Committee suggested that larger school administrative units are needed. Every person would then live in a district which operates a school. He would then have local control in this larger district.

The best method for such a reorganization needs the best thinking of Texans. It is one of the major problems facing the Gilmer-Akin study.

## Six-Man Football Games to Be Played Here by Visiting Teams

Fairy, Evant and Pottsville have made arrangements to play six-man football under the lights at the Hico Stadium in four weekly games starting next Thursday night, September 30.

The first game will be between Fairy and Evant. A lively performance is promised by the sponsors of this unique sport, and it is believed that a number of home people will want to witness the games, in addition to the fans the visitors will bring along with them. A nominal admission charge will be made.

The three other games to be played during the next month, are scheduled as follows: Oct. 7, Fairy vs. Pottsville; Oct. 14, Pottsville vs. Evant; Oct. 21, Fairy vs. Evant.

## WEATHER REPORT

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

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Sept. 15	88	60	0.00
Sept. 16	90	60	0.00
Sept. 17	88	72	0.00
Sept. 18	89	70	0.00
Sept. 19	90	70	0.00
Sept. 20	91	68	0.00
Sept. 21	94	67	0.00

Total precipitation so far this year, 22.78 inches.

## Hico Future Farmers Elect New Officers and Plan For Busy Year

Due to a change in schedule of classes, we lost our Future Farmers Chapter Officers. We elected new officers to fill out the unexpired terms of the original officers.

Below is a list with the former officers named first, and the present officers second:

President: Wendell Burden, Roline Chaney.  
First Vice President: Glen Ross, Norman Petry.  
Secretary: Valmer Norrod, Kenneth Johnson.  
Reporter: Bobby Ratliff, Joe Thompson.  
Treasurer: Lester Simpson, Duane McCarty.  
Parliamentarian: Kenneth Johnson, Benny Neal.  
Historian: Joe Thompson, James Gillentine.  
Sentinel: Benny Collins, Harold Prater.  
Second Vice President: Clinton Loyd Roberson, Dean Barnett.  
Kenneth Johnson was elected third vice president for the Goldthwaite District of Future Farmers of America and will appear on the program of the Goldthwaite District's Annual Awards Banquet at Lampasas September 28.

Chapter members are planning on entering the District Chapter Conducting Contest in competition with twelve other chapters at Goldthwaite October 25, and the District Grass Identification Contest at San Saba December 4.

Thirty-three members are looking forward to our trip to the State Fair at Dallas on Future Farmer Day, October 16. We are especially interested in this trip because of the Agriculture Exhibits.

The directors of the Hico Annual FFA Livestock Show met Monday night, September 20, to perfect plans for the 1949 show. The members of the board of directors are: General Superintendents: Mr. John G. Goughly and Mr. Jack Nance, Assistant General Superintendent is Roline Chaney.  
Superintendent of Horses: Mr. Wallace Ratliff, Assistant, Joe Thompson.  
Superintendent of Beef Cattle: Mr. J. B. Ratliff, Assistant, Kenneth Johnson.  
Superintendent of Dairy Cattle: Mr. S. L. Whatley, Assistant, Norman Petry.  
Superintendent of Poultry: Mr. J. B. Woodard, Assistant, Dean Barnett.  
Superintendent of Swine: Mr. Webb McEver, Assistant, Harold Prater.  
Superintendent of Sheep and Goats: Mr. Dunklin, Assistant, Kenneth Nix.  
Superintendent of Shop: Mr. L. J. Chaney, Assistant, Martin Matthews.

The Chapter members started their first cooperative project for the year by purchasing two feeder pigs Wednesday, September 15, and placed them on feed here on the school grounds.

The hog committee composed of Harold Prater, Kenneth Johnson, and Martin Matthews are taking applications from members interested in being awarded the two registered Hampshire gilts that the Chapter awards to improve livestock in the community.

JOE THOMPSON,  
Chapter Reporter.

## TIGERS TO BATTLE WALNUT SPRINGS ON LOCAL GRID TONIGHT

The Hico Tigers will battle the Walnut Springs Hornets at Hico Stadium Friday night, Sept. 24, at 8 p. m. A large crowd of local fans could help the home team to anticipated victory, it is pointed out, and at the same time enjoy a real football game in comfort under the lights at the spacious stadium. Admission prices have been lowered from last year, and are now only twenty-five and fifty cents.

The Tigers were defeated by Comanche last Friday night by a score of 18-6. The local boys scored in the last period after having a 30-yard kickoff returned by Bulldog Hill due to a clipping penalty against Hico and an off-side penalty against Comanche. The Tigers' touchdown was made on a pass from Burden to Allen over the goal line. The pass for extra point to Ross from Burden was wide.

Everyone is urged to be out at the Hico Stadium Friday night to see a hard tussle between the Tigers and the visiting Hornets from Walnut Springs.

Probable starting line-up as released by Coach Sirman is as follows:

Left End—Allen  
Left Tackle—Bates  
Left Guard—Terry  
Right Guard—Jaggars  
Right Tackle—Lane  
Right End—Collins  
Quarterback—Ross  
Halfback—Hill  
Fullback—Simpson  
Fullback—Lively

## Iredell Chapter of Future Farmers Holds Meeting to Organize

The Iredell Chapter of Future Farmers held their organization meeting September 20. The following officers were elected for this year: President, Jimmy Plan; Vice-President, Dan Seal; Secretary, A. D. Woody Jr.; Treasurer, Raymond Dunlap and Waline Neale as reporter.

Our Vocational Agriculture instructor, Mr. Jack Barton, will serve as advisor.

Committees to make out a program of work have been appointed and we expect these boys to lead us to a successful and busy year.

FORMER HICO SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT GOES TO PEORIA TO TEACH

A card from Siloam Springs, Arkansas, gives information that Henry F. White, who was superintendent of school at Hico in 1921 and 1922, has accepted a new position.

Mr. White, Professor and Head of the Division of Economic and Social Studies, John Brown University, has resigned in order to accept a full professorship in the School of Business Administration, Bradley University, Peoria, Ill.

Mrs. White, head of the Home Economics Department, John Brown University, likewise has resigned in order to accompany her husband.

Mrs. White will also teach Home Eco. in the Peoria Public Schools.



Angel Cano, Mexican Consul at Dallas, inspects the work of Artist Perry Nichols at Natural Gas Building on the grounds of State Fair of Texas. Nichols is putting finishing touches on giant mural which depicts the cordial relations between United States and Mexico. The mural forms center of decorating scheme of building's interior, which will feature a magnificent display of automatic gas appliances during State Fair, starting October nine.

## IN MEMORY OF OUR YESTERDAYS

By HOMER STEPHEN, Stephenville, Texas

One of the soul-inspiring days of a person's life is a visit to the home of his childhood. It may have been years since you have been to this hallowed place. Isn't it strange how memory has a way of crowding years into moments when we return to this sacred shrine?

At this time we think of the ones who were near and dear to our hearts... our fathers and mothers... brothers and sisters... dear old grandparents and neighbors... many of whom have gone on to look upon the face of Him of Whom the law and the prophets have spoken.

Wouldn't it have been grand if we had lived up to their expectations? I have an idea every person you know and those I know have achieved some good deeds in this old world.

A few days ago two friends of mine made a trip with me. We visited six cemeteries—the old Live Oak, the Pecan, the Barbee, the Turnbow, the Old Dublin, and the New Dublin Cemeteries. At each of these places some of our loved ones or friends are buried. Our thoughts were akin to the things sacred in life... their lives on earth were typical of your own loved ones. The things they stood for were a factor in making this old world a better place to live.

One of the most unusual things about this trip was that my two friends had not been to the Old Live Oak Cemetery since 1903. At that time they heard a debate between S. A. Payne, a Primitive Baptist preacher, and C. C. Nickle, a Church of Christ minister, on the interpretations of the Scriptures. And after all of these long years, when the two gentlemen visited the vicinity of their youth, they still retained a vivid memory of the sincere discussion by those two men of God. At this time they had a church at this little place. It has long since gone the way of many pioneer institutions.


This is a story of real life that is probably typical of many people. It must have been planned for people to think of their early home. As an illustration it has been said the baby salmon can be carried hundreds of miles from the place of its nativity, and after maturity if at all possible will return to the place of its birth.



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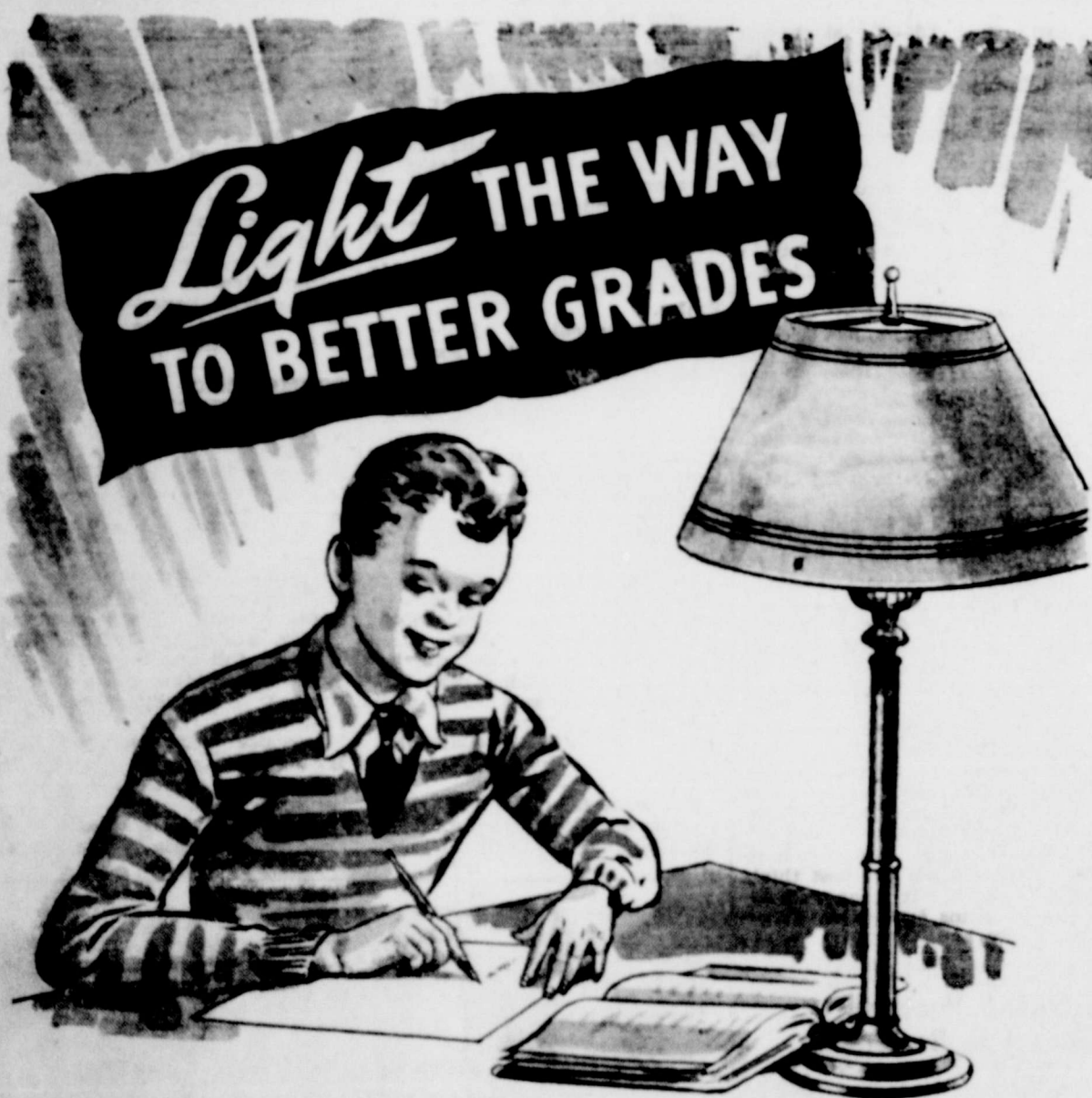
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### Carlton — By — Mrs. Fred Geye

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Thetford celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary and his 82nd birthday, September 12, at Roby's park in Gatesville. They are the parents of 13 children, 7 living and all were present. They were George and Fay Thetford of Carlton, Lee of Hamilton, Dee of Fort Worth and Oran of Dublin. Mrs. Bob Meyers and Mrs. Monroe Chambers of Purnela, Texas. There were 130 guests registered to help this lovely couple celebrate an enjoyable day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland attended the funeral in Hamilton Friday afternoon for C. H. Rabbe Jr., of Shive who died in Cisco Thursday morning as a result of shock sustained when he climbed upon an oil derrick to insert a light bulb about 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Charley Wilhite returned home Saturday afternoon from Grand Prairie where she had visited for several weeks with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Wilhite and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waggoner.

Fonyz Williamson of Houston spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williamson.

Mrs. Watt Sharp Jr. and Bailey Sharp were business visitors in Hamilton Friday.

Mrs. Eva Laws of Cisco spent the week end with Mrs. Zed Laws, who accompanied her daughter, in law home Sunday afternoon for a visit.

Mrs. Sid Clark is visiting at Agee with her daughter, Mrs. L. D. Sowell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland were visitors in Goldswaithe Sunday.

Mrs. Charley Proffitt is visiting at Lake Jackson with her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Longino and family.

Mrs. Katie Hardin of Decatur, Alabama and Mrs. Bertha Anders and granddaughter, Kay Bryant of Falkville, Ala., are visiting their uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Minter and their cousin, Mrs. E. L. Fine and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bone and daughter, Jimmy Ruth and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McKinney and Billy Oxford III, all of Stephenville visited Sunday with Mrs. Bone's mother and sister, Mrs. S. C. Rallsback and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Par-tain.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Littleton and daughter, Annette were visitors Sunday in Hico with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Littleton. Wayne Stidham of San Angelo and Frank Stidham of Stephenville visited over the week end with their mother, Mrs. Rena Stidham.

Don Williams and family of Kermit spent the week end with his mother and brother, Mrs. Lula Williams and Roy.

Those from Carlton attending the State Singing Convention Sunday in Stephenville were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Walker Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Turney, Mr. and Mrs. Hobby Thompson, Mrs. Dow Self, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chick, Mrs. Fred Geye and Misses Sherie Thompson and Peggy Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Birdsong of Alvarado spent the week end with his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush. They all attended the singing in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mitchell and two sons have moved to Baytown to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Thetford visited over the week end in Dublin with their son, Oran Thetford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Kinser and son Darwin Jr., of Atwater, California, visited with his mother, Mrs. C. L. Kinser and sister and husband and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hubbard from September 4 to 14. Mrs. Emma Otten and daughters, Sudie and Mrs. Lena Blundell of Austin spent the week end with Mrs. Otten's sister, Mrs. C. L. Kinser.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hubbard Sunday were Mrs. Emma Otten and daughters, Sudie and Lena of Austin, Mrs. Lula Nobles of Olin, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Kinser and daughter, Margie of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Turner of Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hubbard of Fairy. Mrs. C. L. Kinser who hasn't been well for several weeks, is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Hubbard.

Master Sgt. Luther Jenkins of Denver, Colorado, visited his parents and sister, Luzelle of Carlton Sunday morning. He arrived by air and stayed until Sunday night.

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<b>WHITE SWAN DELICIOUS HALVES</b>	<b>PEACHES</b> _____ No. 2 1/2 Can <b>29c</b>	<b>LENDALE TENDER</b>	<b>JUNE PEAS</b> _____ No. 2 Can <b>17c</b>
<b>CAMPBELL'S RICH</b>	<b>TOMATO-SOUP</b> _____ 2 No. 1 Cans <b>19c</b>	<b>LENDALE TENDER</b>	<b>CUT BEANS</b> _____ No. 2 Can <b>17c</b>
<b>WOLF BRAND MEXICAN</b>	<b>TAMALES</b> _____ Cans <b>27c</b>	<b>CLOVER FARM—APRICOT BLACKBERRY</b>	<b>PRESERVES</b> _____ 16 Oz. Jar <b>25c</b>
<b>STANDARD QUALITY</b>	<b>TOMATOES</b> _____ 2 No. 2 Cans <b>25c</b>	<b>CLOVER FARM CONCORD</b>	<b>GRAPE JAM</b> _____ 16 Oz. Jar <b>23c</b>
<b>AUNT JEMIMA READY MIX</b>	<b>PANCAKE FLOUR</b> _____ pkg. <b>18c</b>	<b>CLOVER FARM PURE</b>	<b>WHITE SYRUP</b> _____ 24-oz. Bottle <b>20c</b>
<b>LOG CABIN</b>	<b>SYRUP</b> _____ 12-oz. Bottle <b>25c</b>	<b>FRESH GRATED</b>	<b>COCONUT</b> _____ 4-oz. pkg. <b>17c</b>

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 Homemaking: Patsy Salmon  
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**FRESHMAN NEWS**  
 All the Freshman boys and girls have hopes that the High School football team will win the game with Walnut Springs Friday night. Some of the Freshman boys will be playing on the team. The girls are in the Pep Squad.  
 — H H S —

**SOPHOMORE NEWS**  
 We are very proud of our football boys for the fine game they played Friday night. Even though they didn't win, we know they will do better next time.  
 I am sure all the F. F. A. boys will be very grateful to all their friends if they will support the contest for F. F. A. Sweetheart when it is staged.  
 — H H S —

**JUNIOR NEWS**  
 We think that we have something to be proud of this week. We hope that you have seen our ribbons. We have our sponsor, Mr. Sirman to thank for this idea. This week we will interview Paul Allen. Paul has some very peculiar habits that most of us are acquainted with. He has brown eyes, dark brown hair, and five feet and eleven inches tall. He likes to play football, and his favorite subject is Physics. He likes to eat anything that is good.  
 We are truly sorry to lose one of our class members, Clinton Spotts.  
 — H H S —

**SENIOR NEWS**  
 Last Friday the Senior class selected our class rings. Of course we think they are beautiful. We also selected our invitations.  
 Each week a senior will be interviewed. This week Jimmie Barnett will be. Jimmie is a very likeable person. She is five feet tall, and weighs 101 pounds. She has pretty brown eyes, and brown hair. Her favorite sport is baseball, her favorite is red, her hobby is music, her favorite food is hamburgers, her favorite song is "A Tree in the Meadow." Bookkeeping is her favorite subject, and Mr. Sirman is her favorite teacher. June Allyson and Van Johnson is her favorite movie actress and actor.  
 The football boys elected their captains, and we are very proud to report that they are both seniors, Odell Terry and Vernon Hill.  
 We are going to sell popcorn at the football game Friday night so bring along some extra money.  
 — H H S —

**HOMEMAKING NEWS**  
 Here we are in the third week of Homemaking.  
 This week we are going to tell you about our teacher, Miss Rhone. She is five feet and five inches tall. She has light brown hair, green eyes and oh! those cute freckles. Her favorite actor is Dennis Morgan, and her favorite hobby is grading papers. I believe all in all she's really swell!  
 The Homemaking III girls have been canning, and the Home-making I and II girls are cooking.  
 Everyone is looking forward to initiation. How about that Freshmen?  
 — H H S —

**THE SPOTLIGHT**  
 Hi! ther, kids, ready to hear all the news? The spotlight is all ready to go and I'm in a fine mood so lets see who went where and who with!  
 What's this I hear about, Wanda Carpenter going with Henry Hyles? Is it true Wanda?  
 Boy! Has Hico got a lot of people that gad about. Don't see why they won't stay home so I can get some sleep. But of course the Spotlight goes along and I have to go too.  
 Let's run over to Fairy and see if the usual gang is there. Yes, there's Jimmie and Milton, O. J. and Jo Nell, Barbara M. and Garland. Don't they run around a lot. I wonder why Wendell, Ione, Raymond and Norma Ruth left skating so early. Wonder what would happen if the spotlight should pick them up and follow them

home? Or should I wonder so much? Tom and Jo went to skate but it's funny they never got on skates.  
 Did you go to the football game Friday night? If you did you probably saw some of the following there; Jo and Tom, Jimmy and Milton, Myrna and Delbert, and Patsy T. and Ralph Ellis. Some of the Hico girls seemed to be having fun with some Comanche boys. Now is that good school loyalty?  
 Do you like to ride around on a Saturday night? You can see more people that way!  
 Up at the corner waiting for the light to turn green sit Charlotte, Buck, Barbara and Garland. Wonder where they've been.  
 Coming into the drug store is Paul and Betty Jane. For an ice cream cone I guess.  
 Have you ever noticed on a Saturday night, that about five until ten, Milton Clark and Ralph Ellis just naturally drift toward the drug store?  
 I see Melvin J. is out with Norma C. As they passed Wendell and Ione they yelled something but I didn't catch all of what they said.  
 Buying tickets for the mid-night show are O. J. Clark, C. H. Mc. and Billy Loden. Jo Nell, Mary Nell, and Mona Ruth stand to one side, waiting impatiently.  
 In the mid-night show sit Myrna and Delbert, Tom and Jo Jimmy and Milton, Patsy T. and Ralph, and Louise L. and Billy Mc. Also saw two dignified seniors running down the aisle. Couldn't have been the "Shadows"?  
 Well look here! Coming in is the larger majority of the Hico boys, and alone! There's Glen, Dub, Bobby Bates, Bobby R., Ralph T., and Raymond Lane. Guess they really like to go stag, or just too timid to ask for a date.  
 Well, guess that's about all to be seen here, besides I'm sleepy after chasing around after the Hico kids all week. So if I don't over-sleep, I'll see you next week.  
 — H H S —

**SPORTS NEWS**  
 Well some were surprised and others were disappointed—that is the public as a whole was surprised to see Hico hold Comanche as close as they did. On the other hand the boys were disappointed not to win and not to have the other touchdown that "Bulldog" made in the fourth quarter on a kickoff. "Bulldog" caught the ball on Hico's thirty yard line and ran all the way to pay dirt; but Hico had two clipping penalties against them. So Comanche kicked off again and a few plays later Burden passed to Allen for another touchdown. The final score was Comanche 18 and Hico 6.  
 Mr. Sirman has gathered all the mistakes the boys made and from now on the boys will work out from 2:30 until 6:00. Hico plays Walnut Springs here Friday night, and we are expecting to see all Hico out to see Walnut defeated.

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**Hamilton-Coryell  
Soil Conservation  
District News**

During the dry weather, immediately preceding the recent good rains, the following Hamilton-Coryell District Cooperators have been receiving technical assistance of the Soil Conservation Service personnel in establishing safe water disposal systems on their farms as a part of their coordinated conservation program:

Mont Young, 16 miles north-east of Hamilton in the Fairy group, has shaped a waterway 4115 feet long covering approximately 9 acres and a second waterway 2760 feet long covering about 3 acres. These are to be immediately seeded to adapted grasses and thus be stabilized before excess terrace water is turned into them. Diversions 3528 feet long have been constructed.

Willard Williamson, 18 miles northwest of Hamilton in the South Carlton group, has shaped and smoothed 565 feet of waterway covering about 1 acre of land, and has constructed 1620 feet of small ridge type terraces.

Mrs. J. B. Pool, 13 miles north of Hamilton in the N. Olin group, has shaped and smoothed 545 feet of waterway covering approximately 1 acre, and has constructed 1840 feet of diversions.

M. V. Knapp, 13 miles north of Hamilton in the N. Olin group, has shaped and smoothed for seeding 615 feet of waterway covering 1 acre, and has constructed 1080 feet of standard diversion.

S. L. Hubbard, 10 miles north of Hamilton in the W. Sunshine group, has constructed 10,279 feet of large channel type terraces in accordance with District specifications.

Earl and Herman McCarty, 11 miles north of Hamilton in the West Sunshine group, have constructed 16,327 feet of large channel type terrace.

Martin B. Pruitt, 8 miles south-west of Hamilton in the Union group, has constructed 9,645 feet of channel type terraces.

L. A. Cook, 23 miles southwest of Hamilton in the South Carlton group, has constructed 5,235 feet of channel type terraces.

O. F. Turner, 13 miles north of Hamilton in the North Olin group, has constructed 15,508 feet of small ridge type terraces.

Lloyd D. Coston, 8 miles east of Hamilton in the Rock House group, has constructed 2,130 feet of small channel type terraces and 850 feet of diversion.

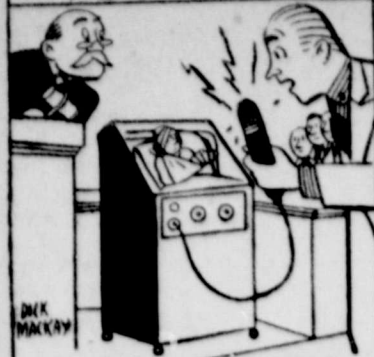
E. L. Chambers, 18 miles north-east of Hamilton in the South Carlton group, has built 12,225 feet of small ridge type terraces, and 482 feet of diversion.

Carter Edmiston has constructed 13,220 feet of small channel type terraces and 1189 feet of diversion.

Fern Jordan, John Pederson, Henry Keller and R. L. Drake, County Commissioners, gave assistance to the District Cooperators in their respective precincts by furnishing heavy equipment for dirt moving construction.

A U. S. Navy submarine commander was distressed when he surfaced after having been depth bombed by the Japanese and found an unexploded bomb lodged on the submarine deck. The resourceful skipper however, loaded the bomb on a rubber liferaft and carefully sailed away.

**LOOKING AHEAD**  
BY LOUIS WOLFE



TRIAL BY TELEVISION MAY BE COMMON IN THE FUTURE. TWO WAY TELEVISION AND RADIO EQUIPMENT WAS USED RECENTLY IN A COURTROOM AND AT THE HOME OF A SICK WITNESS IN CALIFORNIA.

**Largest Automobile Show Ever Held Slated For State Fair of Texas**

The largest automobile show ever held in the South will be a feature of the 1948 State Fair of Texas, Dallas, Oct. 9-24. J. Bruton Orand, chairman of the Automobile committee of the Fair, has announced.

Latest model passenger cars, trucks, and other equipment will be shown and demonstrated. Special factory demonstration equipment—cutaway models of vehicles, engines, and other functional units will be shown, along with allied equipment and supplies, tires and accessories.

The State Fair's exhibit of American and European cars will occupy over half of the 84,000 feet of floor space in the new \$800,000 Automobile, Aviation and Recreation Building, which has just been completed, replacing the structure destroyed by fire several years ago.

The Automobile Show has been revived under direction of the Dallas Automobile Trade Association, which sponsored the show for many years. Arrangements are being made by Miles F. Hall, president of the dealer association, with Irwin W. Walls, chairman of the show committee, other members are Roy Hill and J. A. Treadaway.

the public is willing to accept. He urged that the public patronize "existing establishments which measure up to a high standard of cleanliness."

The State Health Department is making every effort to improve sanitation of eating places. Dr. Cox said, and there is "no excuse for cafe owners not taking advantage of the food handler schools which are being offered all over the state." He added that there are laws, rules and regulations which require the use of approved equipment and methods in such establishments.

"The public should be aware of these sanitary rules and regulations and insist that restaurants observe them. Patrons should realize that tables and counters will be many times cleaner than the kitchen and other places out of sight," he warned.

He urged milk appraisal by the patrons also. Texas law requires that a milk bottle cap state the grade of milk, and whether it is raw or pasteurized. "Insist on having the milk served in its original container, with a covered cap and a legal label," Dr. Cox advised.

"Obviously," he said, "the best in sanitation can be had only by close cooperation between the public and the investigators of the State Health Department."



**MEET MR. JIGGS . . . This is Mr. Jiggs, a baby orangutan recently flown from New York to Denver. He will make his new home at the Cheyenne mountain zoo in Colorado Springs. The diminutive simian, worth \$3,500, poses with Stewardess Betty Haigwood of United Air Lines.**

**Too Late to Classify—**

APARTMENT for rent. See A. A. Fewell. 19-tfc.

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**Last Group of Reserve Officers Leaves Camp Hood**

Austin, Texas, Sept. 11th—The last group of reservists departed from Camp Hood today after having conducted seven training camps throughout the summer of 1948. Colonel Oscar B. Abbott, Senior Instructor of the Organized Reserves in Texas, announced here today.

Nine hundred and fifty Reserve officers and enlisted men attended the seven camps with each Reservist answering frankly and completely a suggestion sheet before his departure. This sheet was divided into three principal sections covering administration, instruction and general subjects. With very few exceptions, the suggestion sheets revealed a pre-dominantly favorable impression of the camps upon the part of the class members, although some changes in the original schedules were initiated as a result of the suggestion sheets.

A feature of considerable value in the Reserve training camps was the attention given by the Camp Hood permanent personnel to groups of the Reservists representing certain arms and services. The Camp Hood Ordnance Officer opened the facilities of his shop to the Ordnance Reservists. Tours and inspections of these shops proved to be of great informational value, while work by the Engineer personnel in the office of the Post Engineer was an outstanding feature for representatives of that branch. Reserve Artillerymen also found interesting work with the Artillery Unit of Camp Hood. In the final phase, the seventh and last Organized Reserve camp of the summer furnished a Major, a Captain and twenty-seven Lieutenants to the training branch of the 2nd Armored Division to assist in the training of the 18-year old volunteers.

Colonel Abbott stated that all ready plans are being made for the 1949 summer camps. It is planned that only Reservists assigned permanently to Reserve units will be eligible to attend camp. This year, any Reservist, regardless of branch of service, could select the unit he wishes to join for the camp and was temporarily assigned to it for the duration of the camp.

"It is difficult to evaluate the cooperation and the interest shown by the 2nd Armored Division in training the 1948 Organized Reserve camps," Colonel Oscar B. Abbott said. He continued, "No request on the part of a Reservist went unheeded and where feasible, such requests were granted. They were hampered by lack of personnel and confronted with extensive training programs of their own, the 2nd Armored Division nevertheless revealed a spirit of generous interest and helpfulness through the seven training phases. Without the assistance given by this Division, the camps would have lacked much of their color, interest and value. Demonstrations, such as tank firing, turret training, a battalion in the attack, night exercises, recoilless rifle firing and many others, required the use of many men and much equipment. The suggestion sheets turned in by the departing Reservists were replete with words of appreciation and praise for the personnel of the 2nd Armored Division."

The camp was initially opened on May 30th. Each camp was of a two weeks duration. Much credit is due the various Reservists in the State of Texas who volunteered to enter upon active duty throughout the summer.

**Public Urged to Insist On Sanitation In Handling of Food**

Austin, Sept. 22 — The Texas State Department of Health cannot maintain daily inspection of all eating places and the public is urged by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer to insist on the proper sanitation of the establishment where they eat. If the public is careless in this respect the incentive to maintain clean food service will be lessened and operators will only maintain the level

**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, 7:00.  
Preaching, 7:30.  
Wednesday night:  
Mid-week service, 7:30.  
Come worship with us according to the New Testament scriptures.  
J. P. WILLIAMS, Minister.

**First Baptist Church**

Rev. Harry Wigger of Brownwood, Texas will be the visiting preacher Sunday. It was decided in Church conference Wednesday night that the Church would consider the matter of calling a pastor at the morning hour Sunday, October 3. Every member is urged to attend.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m.  
PULPIT COMMITTEE.

**Methodist Church**

Church school, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching service, 11:00 a. m.  
Epworth League, 7:00 P. M.  
Preaching services, 8:00 p. m.  
You are cordially invited to be present.

J. L. RAY, 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.

**Primitive Baptist Church**

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

**Unity Baptist Church**

Morning preaching service 11:00 a. m. each and every first and third Sunday.  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Bro. J. C. McBe, Supt.  
Everybody welcome to worship with us.  
Evangelistic preaching Sunday at 8:00 p. m.  
Evening preaching service, 7:30 p. m., each and every third Sunday.  
Everybody welcome.  
R. C. HALLMAN, Pastor.

**Pentecostal Church**

Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Preaching at 11 a. m.  
Ladies' Prayer Service at 2 p. m.  
Tuesday and Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.  
Young People's Service Friday at 8:00 p. m. DOLLY LYNCH.

**Olin Baptist Church**

Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.  
Church Service, 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 6:45 p. m.  
Church services, 7:30 p. m.  
Come to all our services!  
REV. JACK HULL, Pastor.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**Nicest Compliment I've Had**

One of the nicest comments I've received about this column was from an editor in the Middle West I called on. And while I don't like to give myself orchids, I think it illustrates a point.

"Joe," he said, "it so happens I don't agree with everything you say, but I always like to run your column. Because it gets down to earth and talks about the right to disagree. And it only asks for tolerance towards the other person's point of view."

He went on to explain, by way

of illustration, that he never had happened to have a taste for ale or beer. But that when I spoke of the right to enjoy a moderate beverage like beer, well, he was right there with me!

And from where I sit, that's the important thing: not whether you share another person's tastes or point of view—but whether you recognize his right to exercise a free choice in a free land.

*Joe Marsh*



# Personals.

Mrs. R. M. Bowles left this week for a visit in Tyler with relatives.

Madge Moss of Fort Worth spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss.

Miss Annette Phillips left Sunday for Denton where she is a student at TSCW.

Mr. and Mrs. Temple Guyton and daughter, Rilla Gail of Dallas spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. A. Guyton.

AVON Cleaning Creams and Night Creams on sale for 69c plus tax. Mrs. John Rusk. 19.tfc.

Mr. and Mrs. Rispy Newton and children of Plainview came in Saturday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Proffitt.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McCarty with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Clark and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Johnson had as guests last Saturday, his daughter, Miss Ruby Johnson of Melvin and his sister-in-law, Mrs. E. W. Johnson of Hamlin.

Mrs. Louise Angell accompanied her daughter, Miss Frances Angell to Denton Sunday where she is enrolled for her second year at TSCW.

Miss Dale Randalls has returned to Denton where she is a student in Texas State College for Women. She was accompanied there Sunday by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Randalls.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jones and son, Melvin, and Mrs. Netter Killion of Stephenville, and Mrs. Ardis Jones and son, Lynn, of Hamilton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Harvey returned home Tuesday morning from Temple, where she had been visiting a nephew, T. V. Kent, who is recuperating from a recent serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moss and family spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moss. They were returning to Fort Worth after a two weeks' visit in Miami Beach, Florida.

Miss Mary Nell Jones of McGregor spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones. Sunday visitors in the Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Jones of Kosse and Bill Allison of Killen.

Several of her children and other relatives visited Mrs. J. J. Leeth in her home here last Sunday. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sorley and Morse Leeth of Cranfills Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reesing and Gayle and Ronnie of Walnut Springs, Mr. and Mrs. George Leeth of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Trimmer and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Leeth of Hico.

Mrs. Mary Nell Helvey of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ellington.

L. Virginia Ramage and Mrs. Edna Clarkson of Oklahoma City, Okla., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage.

C. W. Blackburn has ordered his address changed to Granbury where he will make his home while he is employed with Convoir in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Spaulding and son, Charles Arthur of Sweetwater visited here Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Wysong Graves and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spaulding.

Otho Horton was in Dallas Tuesday to meet his wife and young son, Edmund Robert, at Love Field, where they returned by plane from Willimantic, Conn., after a five weeks' visit with Mrs. Horton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lazur.

Mrs. S. E. Blair Sr. and daughter, Louise, were in Ireland Sunday to visit her father, J. W. Burks, who is making his home with his son, Henry Burks and family. Mrs. Blair's father was 85 years old Sunday and has been ill for several months.

Jerry Graves, student of Brantley-Draughon Business College in Fort Worth, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wysong Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Graves and Jean and Joyce Thompson carried him back to Fort Worth Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Jagers had a joyful surprise Saturday when all four of their daughters paid them a visit. They were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gallagher all of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey and children of Stephenville.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tudor were Mr. and Mrs. James Duty of Houston, Miss Ruby Lee Vann of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jones and son, Melvin, and Mrs. Netter Killion of Stephenville, and Sam's mother, Mrs. Flora Tudor.

Mrs. J. J. Leeth informs the News Review of the recent marriage of her granddaughter, Iris Sorley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sorley of Cranfills Gap to Bill Hodges also of Cranfills Gap. The ceremony occurred Aug. 28 at Meridian, and the couple went to Abilene to make their home, where he is employed.

## Funeral Services Held Sept. 14 For Charles W. Diver

Funeral services for Charles W. Diver who died in the Hico Hospital last Monday, were held Tuesday, Sept. 14, at the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel. Eld. Stanley Giesecke conducted the services with burial in the Altman Cemetery.

Charles William Diver was born January 15, 1879 near Rockdale, Texas, where he was married to Miss Novie Salisbury Oct. 4, 1896. To this union were born nine children.

Mr. Diver moved his family to Hico in 1908, making their home here until Mrs. Diver died April 6, 1918. They moved back to Rockdale where he lived until most of his children married. He then made his home among the children where he was always welcome. He was one of the best fathers and the greatest of grandfathers.

He is survived by seven children: Mrs. Ben Loden, Hico; Mrs. Ruth Hairston and Clarence Diver, Rockdale; Mrs. Harvey Storey, Fort Worth; Mrs. Buford Lindsey, Rogers; Miss Lorene Diver, Temple and Carl Diver of Waco. Also 21 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

His passing has left a great sorrow but the remembrance of joy and comfort he has brought to others, leaves a shining mark in this world which will long be remembered.

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## Burning Wasp Nests Could Turn Out to Be A Costly Procedure

Austin, Texas.—Burning wasp nest could cost you from \$25 to \$2,300.

At least that is the calculations made by Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, based on experiences of Texans in June.

A \$2,300 fire loss was suffered when a wasp nest in a cedar tree was set fire and in turn ignited the roof of a duplex. The \$25 damage occurred when a man tried to burn a wasp nest off his home with flaming paper. In a third instance, \$200 damage was done in a similar situation.

"In addition to the danger to life and home, there is also the inevitable damage, though usually slight, to that part of the house or shrubbery where the nest is located," Hall commented.

He recommended that a long pole be used to knock down the nest and then that the insects be sprayed with a commercial liquid poison. The nest should be destroyed in the regular trash disposal.

Commissioner Hall said that his method was not sting-proof, but reminded: "a sting can heal."

## L. B. CREATH DIED SUDDENLY SATURDAY SEPT. 18 IN COLEMAN

Luther B. Creath, an automobile dealer at Coleman, Texas, for the past twenty years, died suddenly in a Coleman hospital of a heart attack about 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Nadine Wiseman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wiseman of Hico; four sisters and one brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wiseman and Mrs. May Bates left for Coleman immediately after receiving the message.

Funeral services were held in Coleman before leaving for Hico where interment was made in the Hico Cemetery at 3 p. m. Sunday. J. P. Williams, minister of the local Church of Christ, conducted the burial services.

## "YOUNGSTERS" HOLD REUNION AT HOME OF MRS. NEEDHAM

A very pleasant affair was the family reunion of the Kirkland family held Sunday at the home of Mrs. Virgie Needham.

Among the "youngsters" present were W. A. Smart, 82, Fort Worth; Mrs. E. J. Kirkland, 80, Hico; D. E. Kirkland, 78, Hico; M. H. Kirkland, 76, Comanche; E. G. Kirkland, 73, Austin, and Mrs. D. E. Byrd, 68, of Elk City, Okla.

Others present were Mrs. Lloyd Needham and daughter of, New Braunfels, and Sam Kirkland of Hico.

A bountiful dinner was served and pictures of the group were made.

O. M. Bramblett left Thursday for Shreveport, La. to visit with his son, O. M. Bramblett Jr. and wife and young son. He expects to be accompanied home in about ten days by his wife, who went there for a visit last week.

Mrs. W. B. Hines of Corpus Christi, who had been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen, returned last Saturday to her home. She was accompanied by her husband, who brought her to Hico about two weeks ago and went on to Fort Worth to attend the funeral of his uncle, Dr. Chas. Hines, on Sept. 4, coming back here for his wife the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy O. Eakins have received information that their son, Don Eakins, who recently entered service in the Air Force at San Antonio, has been transferred to Sheppard Field at Wichita Falls for further training. Royce Grimes and Billy Ables, two other Hico boys who went in at the same time, also have been transferred to the same place.

## Gasoline Was Most Frequent Cause of Fire Deaths in July

Austin, Sept. 22.—Gasoline was the most frequent cause of fire deaths in Texas in July, reported Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

Steadily causing an increasing number of deaths and injuries each month, the misuse of gasoline was responsible for 4 deaths out of 21 reported last month.

Commissioner Hall sends out a plea to housewives not to use gasoline for cleaning floors. Such cleaning with this explosive fluid took the life of a young mother and injured her two children in July; and caused a number of other injuries over the state.

The other four deaths from gasoline occurred when escaping fumes from an oil company storage tank ignited and fatally burned four young employees.

An 8-month-old baby boy and a 2-year-old girl were burned to death when an oil stove exploded. Another boy, 2, died in a fire of unknown origin which destroyed his home. One young man, 21, died in the Baker Hotel fire in Atlanta which also started from an unknown cause.

An airplane crash and resulting fire took two lives, and careless smoking, one from smoking in bed, took the lives of a woman, 65, and a Negro man, 28. The collision and ignition of a gasoline truck and fuel oil truck caused the death of the two drivers.

One person was fatally burned in a gas explosion in his room and another was killed when fireworks stored in his garage accidentally exploded.

A two year old child died of burns received from a fall into a tub of boiling water.

Three negro men were burned to death. One death was from suicide and another from electrocution and another was fatally burned when he was trapped in an apartment he had set afire.

Of the 21 deaths, 15 were men. Four were children and 2 were women.

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### Fairy

By  
Mrs. J. O. Richardson

We have had fair weather for the past few days and farmers are very busy preparing land for fall sowing.

Next Sunday is our regular singing day and we are expecting a number of visiting singers and others from over the county. We extend a cordial invitation to all to come and be with us next Sunday at 2:00 o'clock.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Brittle Little ill at this writing. She has been confined to bed the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Miller of Fort Worth visited over the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dickerson spent Sunday in Cleburne in the home of his brother, Walter, who suffered a light stroke of paralysis recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, Carolyn and Jimmie Don visited Sunday in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and family of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and sister, Mrs. Gladys Cox, were shopping in Stephenville last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. W. S. Graves of Hico is employed this week on a paint job at the home of Mrs. J. O. Richardson. The Clifford Tinkle's have recently had their residence and lawn fence painted which adds greatly to the appearance of their home.

Mrs. J. O. Richardson and sister, Mrs. Gladys Cox visited a while Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Blount of near Cranfills Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks and family have moved to the teacher- age recently vacated by the Columbus family. Mr. Hicks is janitor for our school and also drives a bus. Miss Nelda Ruth Poe who is a member of the Fairy school faculty has rooms at the Hicks home and Mr. Green and wife who are also school faculty members here are residing at the teacher- age recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Harper and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferderick Jr., of Venus, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prinz and baby daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fitzgerald of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tooley of Hico were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cunningham and Sherry.

The Mt. Pleasant quilting club meets with Mrs. Walter Abel this month on September 29th. All are invited to attend.

J. N. Pitts of Dallas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pitts and Ima at this writing.

### Butane and Propane Users Warned About Dangers of Conversion

With the coming of cool weather, J. E. Walling, Jr., president of the Texas Butane Dealers Association, issued a warning to users and prospective users of butane and propane gas against trying to convert natural gas appliances to the two gases, and the difference in design of the two types of appliances.

"Not only is this practice illegal according to the regulations of the Gas Utilities Division of the Texas Railroad Commission, but it is also unsafe and minimizes the efficiency of such appliances," he explained.

"Since butane and propane both have certain characteristics which require special engineering adaptations in burner construction, it is considered unwise and hazardous for inexperienced and non-licensed persons to install or adjust appliances using these fuels. Persons getting ready for the winter should have a licensed fuel dealer check their installations and appliances first," stated Walling.

He pointed out that all crews would be extremely busy during the first cold spell and suggested all persons have their equipment checked early.

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Cocoanut, Grated	35c	Haddock	50c lb.	Cauliflower	34c
Peaches	30c	Rock	30c lb.	Corn	30c
Blackberries	35c	Flounder	55c lb.	Green Beans, Cut	30c
Cherries	35c	Cat	55c lb.	Lima Beans,	
Strawberries	60c	Salmon	75c lb.	Ford Hook	37c
				Baby Green	38c
Chicken Pie	40c			Peas	30c
Chicken A-la-King	75c	Cat (Wh., head off)	62c	Okra	38c
Chili	45c	Cat (Cut)	70c	Spinach	30c
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I HAVE A NICE PLACE here in town for sale - 5 rooms, frame building, every convenience, large lot, good poultry house, nice location. This place belongs to an estate and must be sold. D. F. McCarty. 17-tfc.

FOR SALE: House and lot. New house almost completed, good location. Jesse Hefner. 15-tfc.

IF YOU WANT to buy, sell or trade Farms, Ranches or City property, see Hedges & Machen. Next door to Texan Cafe. 9-tfc.

IF YOU want to buy, sell or trade Real Estate, see D. F. McCarty. 17-tfc.

## For Rent or Lease

FOR RENT: Modern apartment. Hot water with private bath. Frank Mingus. 19-tfc.

FOR RENT: One of our best apartments. Mrs. W. F. Gandy. 19-tfc.

OFFICE SPACE for rent in the building south of Ratliff Grocery. Jess Reeves, Carlton. 19-tfc.

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## For Sale or Trade

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FOR SALE: A C Tractor and equipment, also place for lease. 2 miles So. of Olin on highway. Coy Lobstein. 19-2tp.

GARAGE, 10 x 16, and odds and ends of lumber for sale. Ben H. Wright, Hico. 19-tfc.

FOR SALE: One or two cafes in Hico. See A. H. McCook at The Texan or Red's Cafe. 19-tfc.

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FOR SALE: Practically new 16 hole Superior fertilizer grain drill mounted on new 6.50 by 36 rubber tires. Discounted at 20 per cent. Tom E. Denman, Texas Experiment Station, Stephenville, Texas. 19-2 tp.

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FOR SALE: Some office furniture, including a good typewriter. Mrs. E. H. Persons. 18-2tc.

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FOR SALE: One 1937 model Dodge Truck; new tires, new battery, new motor, at a bargain. See Glenn Higginbotham. 17-tfc.

FOR SALE: Gas cook stove, kitchen cabinet, and dining table. All in good condition. Mrs. R. M. Hanshaw. 17-3tp.

FOR SALE: 1934 Chevrolet, engine in A.1 condition. Good tires, new battery, seat covers and paint job. See H. D. Knight, Hico, Tex. 17-tfc.

FOR SALE: Two iron beds, slats and springs; and one sewing machine. F. Chenault. 17-tfc.

FOR SALE: David Bradley feed mill, motor, and scales. See J. W. Lovell. 14-3tp-tfc.

FOR SALE: House to be moved. Printis Newman, Fairy, Tex. 13-tfc.

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I WANT 6 ricks of Heater wood. J. O. Striplin. 18-2tp.

WANTED: Land breaking. George Gillentine, Rt. 4, Hico. 18-2tp.

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WANTED: 50,000 wire coat hangers. Buck Horn Cleaners. 14-tfc.

## Lost and Found

LOST: Heavy duty 700 by 15 tire and wheel for Chevrolet pick-up. Reward. J. M. Lokey, Hico 19-1tp.

# IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Webb spent the week end in Fort Worth with two of their daughters.

Mr. John W. Parks was in Dallas and Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mrs. Plummer who works in Fort Worth, came in Wednesday night and returned Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon came in Saturday and visited his sisters, Mrs. Dawson and Mrs. Mittie. They had been to Mississippi to visit their son. They live in Monahans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Main visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rogers Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Helm and son and her mother, Mrs. W. R. Gosdin were in Stephenville Saturday. Eleanor, Bettye, and Miss Lamonice Lowe, who are in college there, returned home with them and spent the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hindman and daughter have returned to their home in Nacogdoches after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stroud.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hudson have started their residence in the west part of town.

Mrs. Reta Sanders of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hudson, this week. She was accompanied by her son-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie De Jarrette also of Waco.

Mrs. Henry Loader visited relatives in Fort Worth this week. Tom Simpson, who is in John Tarleton, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sawyer of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Turner spent the week end with his mother.

Mrs. Horace Poteet, Mrs. Jack Blackley, Mrs. Luster Simpson, and Miss Stella Jones attended a meeting in Hamilton on Wednesday, Sept. 15, of the W. S. C. S. of the Gatesville District. This was an Education Seminar, the theme being "By His Light Shall the Nations Walk." It was a fine meeting. Most all the Societies of the District were represented. The ladies made good talks, which all enjoyed. The meeting was very inspiring. At noon we went to a nice lunch which was prepared by the ladies of the church. It was in the basement, was nice, and plenty of it. The next meeting will be in Meridian, some time early in November. All enjoyed the meeting very much.

Mrs. Maude Appleby, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charlie Craddock, and daughter visited relatives here this past week. Charlie came after them this week end. They live in Waco.

Ada Airheart visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Thompson this week end.

Mrs. Homer Woody is visiting her son, Homer Jr. and family, in California.

Mrs. Long of Bluffdale is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Bradley.

Horace Monroe Poteet left Friday for Denton to go to college.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris of Houston were recent visitors of his mother and other relatives.

Mr. Will Locker is still confined to his bed. His friends hope he will be up and well real soon.

Mrs. J. E. Laurence is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellis, of Tahola.

Friday night, Sept. 24, the football team here will play the Valley Mills team here. All lovers of this sport should see the game.

The game Friday night was very comical. The men wore ladies' clothes and the ladies wore the men's clothes. The men won the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Milam of Sanatorium, Texas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap. The ladies are their daughters.

Mrs. Welch and son of McGregor are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fallis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Helm of Cranfills Gap visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Proctor's mother (I failed to get her name) is visiting her. She is one of the school teachers. She rooms at Mrs. Laswell's.

The W. S. C. S. met Monday afternoon, and had an interesting meeting. It was decided to meet at 3 p. m.

Next Monday night, Sept. 27, a social of the W. S. C. S. will be held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Mitchell at 7:30. All of the Methodist ladies are urged to attend. The lady teachers in the school that are Methodists are also invited. All be sure and be there at Mrs. B. L. Mitchell's Monday night at 7:30.

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SINGING AT UNITY CHURCH

Notice is given that there will be singing at Unity Church, five miles east of Hico, on the first Sunday, October 3. All have an invitation to attend and enjoy the good singing. We are expecting good singers from several different places. There will be choir singing and special music, quartet and duet singing. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 to 12. Lunch at 12 and singing to begin at 1:30 p. m. Mr. Stevenson of Glen Rose will be in charge of the singing. We welcome you. UNITY CHURCH.

Representative of Waco Social Security Office At Meridian Sept. 27

A representative of the Waco field office of the Social Security Administration will be at the County Courthouse in Meridian on Monday, September 27, at 2 o'clock to transact any business which Hamilton and Bosque county residents may have concerning old age and survivors insurance. R. R. Tuley, Jr., manager of that office reported to the News Review.

Any Hico employers who are having difficulty in getting the social security numbers of their employees are especially invited to meet Joe Clepp or R. R. Tuley, Jr., as scheduled above and receive timely tips on easy ways to comply with the law's requirements that Social Security tax returns contain the correct name and number of all employees, be they regular or part-time workers. Unless accurate information is entered on those returns, some employees will not get credit for their wages and so not receive proper benefit amounts when claims get filed after their retirement or death. With over 90 million account numbers issued to date, there is a great duplication in names; a name on the tax return with either no number or an incorrect one, can be costly to the employee concerned.

Many wage items are difficult to credit because married women have neglected to get their names changed on Social Security records, but have been quick to get their new names on their employer's books. Unless name and number as shown on the tax return match exactly with name and number on the Social Security card, wages cannot be posted to the proper account except after time consuming investigations. Each employer should insist on seeing the card itself when putting a new employee to work.

Although the Navy's submarine service had less than two per cent of the total Navy personnel, the submarine forces sank two-thirds of all Japanese ships accounted for by the Navy during World War II.

Veterans News

World War II veterans can still reinstate their National Service Life Insurance, the Veterans Administration says.

Some veterans are under the impression they can no longer obtain this government insurance. World War II veterans who can pass a physical examination may reinstate their lapsed insurance at any time. The deadline for reinstating NSLI without a physical examination was July 31, 1948, VA explained. Prior to the deadline, a veteran could reinstate lapsed insurance by certifying that his health was as good as it was when the policy lapsed.

This deadline confused some veterans who feel that they can not reinstate lapsed insurance since the deadline passed. That is not correct VA said.

Veterans may reinstate their insurance at any time by passing a physical examination. If the policy has lapsed less than three months, it still can be reinstated without taking the physical examination.

The average age of World War II women veterans is slightly higher than that of their male fellow veterans. The feminine average is an even 30 years, while the average age of the men is 29 years and 9 1/2 months.

The number of veterans of all wars reached 18,744,000 on May 1, 1948, VA says. Of these, 14,887,000 served in World War II. The remainder were veterans of World War I and other wars.

When the nation's population of veterans and members of their families reaches its expected peak of 60,000,000 in 1955, VA predicts that the number of veterans of all wars will be 17,200,000, and the number of persons in their families, 42,900,000.

Thousands of veterans who contracted malaria overseas during World War II have been cured, the Veterans Administration reports.

Within the next few years, the problem of relapse from war-acquired malaria will be an insignificant one, VA added.

The rate of cures is indicated by VA statistics. During June, 1947, approximately 130,000 veterans were receiving compensation for malaria incurred in service. Nine months later, in March, 1948, this number had dropped to 32,000. It is still declining.

The number of relapses also has declined — from approximately 500,000 cases infected during the war to less than 10,000 at present.

The parasite eventually "burns" itself out" in human bodies in from one to three years, although some cases are known to have remained infected for as long as 20 years.

Use of the drugs chloroquine, pamaquine (plasmochin), and the more recently synthesized 8-amino quinolines, such as pentaquine and isopentaquine, have given splendid results, VA said.

Nearly 5,000,000 veteran holders of National Service Life Insurance have not yet converted their term policies to permanent forms of insurance.

The term policies in force represented more than \$31 billion. More than half of the veterans holding converted NSLI policies have selected 20-payment life plans. These number 832,190, or 55 per cent of the 1,512,150 permanent NSLI policies in force on June 30.

Permanent NSLI policies amounted to more than six and one half billion dollars worth of insurance.

Texas Cotton Men Joining Campaign for Promoting Research

Bryan Texas, (Spl.)—Texas cotton farmers, ginners, warehousemen, cottonseed crushers, merchants and other members of the cotton industry are joining in the 1948 campaign in support of the promotion and research activities of the National Cotton Council. George G. Chance, chairman of the Council's Texas Unit and prominent cotton producer and ginner, announced today.

Mr. Chance said the percentage of contributions to the Council's Beltwide finance campaign, now under way, is substantially higher than last year.

"The huge 15,219,000-bale cotton crop, which the government forecasts for 1948, further emphasizes the necessity for backing the Council's activities in developing new market for cotton and in protecting present markets against increasing competition," declared Mr. Chance.

"Texas' stake in the Cotton Council's program to increase cotton consumption can be seen by a glance at the government's forecast. A yield of 3,300,000 bales is indicated for the Lone Star State."

"The fight for fiber markets, both at home and abroad, will be intensified during the period just ahead," Mr. Chance predicted. At the same time he urged all units of the cotton industry to join in support of the Council and the cause of cotton.

Cotton growers are asked to contribute ten cents per bale at the gin. Other segments of the cotton industry are being called upon to pay their proportionate share in the cotton program.



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AAA Administrative Officer Gives Some Timely Information

The Hamilton County ACA office is now issuing approvals and purchase orders for Hairy Vetch and Dixie Wonder Peas. The Government payment is \$13.80 per hundred for Vetch, and the farmer pays \$10.20 per hundred, making a total of \$24.00 per hundred. The government's payment on Dixie Wonder Peas is \$5.50 per hundred, the farmer pays \$4.25 per hundred, making the total cost \$9.75 per hundred.

This office has issued \$2,000.00 in prior approvals for winter legumes up to Friday, Sept. 17, 1948.

The farm limit for winter legumes is \$1.00 per acre on crop land, or not over \$200.00 to a farm. Now is the time to plant vetch and peas. They must be seeded not later than Nov. 15, 1948.

Farmers who have practices completed such as eradication and terraces should report them at once so they can be checked and approved for payment.

There are still a number of farmers who have not furnished us a sketch and measured lengths of their terraces. If you are one of these, please do this now before we have to cancel your approval, and you lose your payment.

We are still taking applications for terraces. Before we can issue an approval for terraces, farmers must have their lines run and furnish the AAA office with a sketch and the measured lengths of each terrace, and be ready to start the work. JIM F. GILBREATH, Adm. Officer, Hamilton Co. ACA



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