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**Draft Board Lists  
Names of Men Called  
To Active Duty Feb. 1**

The following men have been ordered to report to Abilene on February 1 for induction into the Armed Forces. A pre-induction physical examination call has been issued to 40 men for February 28.

Seth Lamar Turner, Ireland, Texas  
William Raymond Melton, Gatesville, Texas  
Gene Tunney Eary, Jonesboro, Texas  
Rufus Coleman Taylor, Jr., Stephenville, Texas  
Travis Eugene Manning, Jr., San Angelo, Texas  
Milford Watts Sims, Gatesville, Texas  
Leonard Lee Limmer, Ireland, Texas  
Bryan William Bottlinger, Hamilton, Texas  
Robert Bertie Beechley, Levita, Texas  
Harvey Ted Wulstinger, Pottsville, Texas  
Jesse Chapman Coker, Hico, Texas  
Orbery Glynn Walker, Pearl, Texas  
Nicholas Doyle Hunter, Hico, Texas

Sgt. and Mrs. Doyle Nix visited several days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nix. Doyle returned Sunday to Texarkana, where he has been stationed at Red River Arsenal, but expects to be sent overseas soon. Mrs. Nix left Monday for Blanket to make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackmon, while he is gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hicks and son, Cecil, were recently in Waco, where Cecil enlisted with the Navy. Word has been received by his parents that he reached San Diego last Friday to begin basic training.

**Dr. Victor E. Schulze  
To Direct UT Medical  
Branch at San Angelo**

Austin, Tex., Jan. 29.—The Board of Regents of the University of Texas has authorized three important moves to improve the University's medical and dental training and service:

1. Establishment of the San Angelo Division of the University's Postgraduate School of Medicine and the appointment of Dr. Victor E. Schulze as division director and professor of clinical medicine.
2. Activation of a teaching program for practicing dentists at the Post-graduate School of Dentistry, a division of the School of Dentistry at Houston.
3. A call for bids to be opened March 6 on furniture and equipment for the new John Sealy Hospital at the University's Galveston Medical Branch.

(Dr. Schulze, who will be in charge of the San Angelo Division, is married to the former Esther Golden, who previously lived here. She is a sister of Mrs. Goodwyn Phillips of Hico).

A San Antonio Division of the post-graduate School of Medicine, which has headquarters in Houston, already is in operation.

The first post-graduate short course at Houston for practicing dentists will be in restorative dentistry and the new airbrasive technique which substitutes for the rotary drill and bur and taking care of cavities and provides a quicker way to clean teeth.

**GREAT NEW BRAZOS SPAN**

Erection crews of U. S. Steel's Virginia Bridge Company have completed the steelwork on this huge Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad bridge across the Brazos River valley near Whitney. The 50 massive girders in the bridge's 25 deck plate girder spans are the largest ever fabricated in Virginia Bridge Company's Birmingham, Ala., plant. The great crossing will carry rail traffic across the immense lake being backed up by the U. S. Corps of Engineers' Whitney Dam on the Brazos River. Cement for the 24 gigantic concrete piers supporting the steel bridge-work was supplied by Universal Atlas Cement Company, another U. S. Steel subsidiary, from its Waco plant. The structure, 3,052 feet long, is the longest steel railroad bridge to be built in Texas since World War II. It is part of a 10.9-mile Katy relocation resulting from the Whitney project. Contractor for the relocation job is Winston Brothers and Massan Construction Company. The company performed the substructure work. The big girders weigh nearly 89,000 lbs. each.

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**Porch Light Marchers Find Over 7,000 Anti-Polio Dimes**



**DOLLARS AND DIMES** are poured out of money-bags Friday night by captains of each district of the town, as Mrs. Wm. D. Bradley Jr. (right, front), co-chairman of the March of Dimes drive, records the amount. Others shown, left to right, are Miss Louise Blair, Mrs. Odie Petsick, Mrs. L. H. Davis, Mrs. Truman E. Roberts, Mrs. Morse Ross, Mrs. Marvin Marshall and Mrs. B. B. Gamble. Not shown in the picture was Mrs. R. B. Jackson, also a captain.



**EVEN OUT OF THE CITY LIMITS**, workers responded to gleaming porch lights when they saw them. Mrs. L. H. Davis is pictured accepting the donation of Kay Goodloe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. (Parker for short) Goodloe. Kay's boots aren't fully shown, but they were brand new, a gift from her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dalby of Asperment.



**THE MEN HELPED, TOO**, in Friday's one-hour March on Polio. Firemen assisted with sounding the siren and patrolling the streets. Odie Petsick and Mrs. Wm. D. Bradley Jr. are pictured in the foreground, above. Other workers distinguishable in the picture (left to right) are Mrs. J. B. Woodard, Mrs. Weldon Pierce, Mrs. Morse Ross, Bonnie Pierce, Mrs. B. B. Gamble, Mrs. J. W. Fairley, Mrs. Truman E. Roberts, Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. O. C. Cook, Mrs. L. J. Chaney, Mrs. W. H. Greenslit, Mrs. Odie Petsick, Truman Roberts, J. B. Woodard, W. R. Hampton, Mrs. S. W. Everett, Richmond Herrington, O. L. Davis and Mrs. A. E. Duzan.

**Successful Drive for  
March of Dimes  
Gathers Over \$700**

As the March of Dimes drive reached a close this week, following the climax of the Mothers' March on Polio Friday, the total amount collected was over \$707.00. Of this amount, \$532.17 was collected in the one-hour period Friday, during which those who wanted to contribute to the fund signified their intention by turning on a porch light or placing a candle in the window.

Odie Petsick and Mrs. Wm. D. Bradley Jr., who headed the drive locally, expressed appreciation to the assistant workers and to those who contributed toward making the drive the success that it definitely was. All the workers in the drive are grateful for the hearty reception and generous gifts to help fight polio.

Mrs. Bradley stated that the drive was met with approval and enthusiasm generally, and she was more than pleased with the results. She gave credit to the committees who worked on the drive, the firemen, who assisted in notifying people of the "Mothers' March," the local clubs which donated to the cause, the Hico Theatre for taking collection at the movie house, all the merchants who ran advertisements on the drive, and to the Hico News Review for assistance with publicizing the campaign.

Youth played its share in the drive also. A contest was staged by all the teachers in grade school, and students gave up their cold drinks at recess to give to the March of Dimes. Second grade, taught by Mrs. J. T. Appleby, ranked highest in the amount contributed; sixth grade, with Mrs. Bradley as teacher, placed second, and the fifth grade, under the supervision of Mrs. J. E. Lincoln, was third.

The local Girl Scout troop and the Cub Scouts, Pack 97, each made a contribution from their treasury. The Junior Pep Squad of Hico Grade School donated also.

Response to the drive in Hico was more than double the usual quota expected here, which has previously been set at \$300. No limit was set this year, however, as the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis was in need of an extra contribution on the part of each area.

**Weather? Let's Change the Subject**

**EVERYBODY TALKS ABOUT IT... HERE  
ARE MANY OTHER TOPICS DISCUSSED**

A comparative look at the weather this week shows that there is "nothing so bad that it couldn't be worse."

The cold spell coincides almost exactly with the one of two years ago, but the blizzard in 1949 brought thermometers down to 11 degrees below zero on January 31, after a cold wave struck the week before. From that reading, the temperature rose to seven degrees, on February 1, 1949, the same reading as was recorded for that date this year.

Although school was closed most of the week through Friday, due to the cold, conditions in Central Texas have not been so bad as in other parts of the state, where fires took a huge toll of damage. There have been several minor fires, and Otho Horton claims he is going to collect a cup of coffee from Jack Mayfield for

fire-fighting which he and Cecil Warren did when they discovered part of the pasture burning during the sleet storm Monday morning.

Morgan Moon said it was hard to make people believe that there was really a grass fire that same morning, when the Hico fire department was called to the old Giesecke homeplace near Miller-ville. This fire burned off 15 or 20 acres as snow and hail pounded the firemen who were putting it out.

Another minor fire about noon Thursday was started from a kerosene heater at the T. A. Casey home. Firemen were again called to prevent the fire from spreading, but the house was not burned.

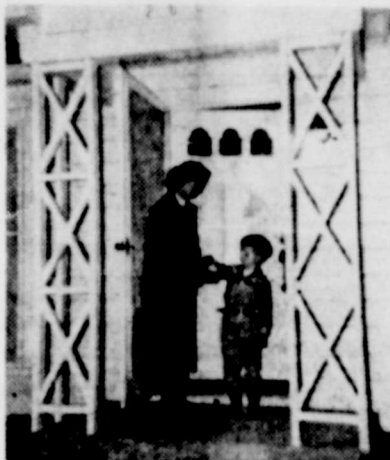
**One Inch of Snow Recorded.**

Discomfort and inconvenience caused by the cold spell was strongly outweighed by the benefits of moisture to crops. One inch of snow was measured by L. L. Hudson, local weather observer, who estimated the total amount of snow and sleet to be about 1.25 inches. This was the first reading of any moisture since October of last year.

Yes, old man winter was slow in arriving, but he came to stay awhile this time. The cold wave, predicted for Saturday afternoon, crept in on the heels of an extremely warm day. By Sunday, temperatures were recorded slightly below freezing. The mercury has continued to drop since then, until Thursday morning, when Mr. Hudson recorded a low of seven degrees.

However, the sun shone brightly Thursday and began to melt the snow, which had frozen solidly during the night. Icy winds prevailed in spite of the sunshine.

The prediction from weather bureaus in cities is for more cold weather, but this paper is not addicted to making any weather forecasts. At any rate, if the sun keeps on shining, and if superstition holds true, perhaps the groundhog will see his shadow and go back to cover to hide from more of this wet stuff, which is so badly needed by ranchers and farmers of this section.



**ON THE LIGHTED PORCH** of the M. L. Knudsen home, "Futeh" Knudsen gives his donation for the March of Dimes to Mrs. W. B. Coats, worker in that block of the Hillcrest Addition.



**MOTHER TAKES SONS' CONTRIBUTIONS** to the March of Dimes. Mrs. W. B. Coats stands in front of her doorway, as Sons David (left) and Jimmy come outside to give their money.

**CRAWLS IN DAD'S  
FOOTSTEPS**

"Is it news to you that a six-weeks-old baby can crawl?" It was to us, when Mrs. G. K. Lewallen telephoned in to ask that question. We decided that maybe the baby inherits her agility from her father, who is an experienced bronco- and bull-rider and is well known to rodeo fans. He entered the bull-riding event at the Fort Worth Stock Show rodeo this week.

G. K. is proud of the baby, too, in his own modest way. "You know, my wife has almost taught her to chin herself now," he said. Tula Raye Lewallen, who could hold her head up when she came home from the hospital, can crawl alone on a bed where the blankets are wrinkled, and with little assistance on a smooth surface. She has been trying to crawl since she reached the ripe age of one week.

Tula Raye doesn't show any other unusual characteristics, her mother said, and her sister, Cindra Kae, 19 months old, did not learn quite so fast. Tula Raye was born in Temple on December 7, 1950. She weighed 6 pounds, 12 1/2 ounces, and has gained 2 pounds, 3 ounces since then.

**Local School Board  
Entrusts Retired Bus  
To Future Farmers**

The Hico school board gave the International school bus, recently retired from service, to the Hico FFA Chapter. This bus, known as "Roy French's bus," was given to the vocational boys so they would have a means of transportation to make field trips in their study of agriculture. The school board's decision was made at a meeting last Thursday night.

According to J. Doyle Love, local teacher at the Hico High School under the administration of J. E. Lincoln, the bus will be kept in the ag shop at the school and will be cared for by the vo-ag boys. They also intend to rework the seats, and do other jobs on the bus that will make it nice, and put it in good running order.

The group of agriculture students can readily put this bus to use as it will help keep all the boys together to and from the place they are going and will also help out in such a way that their boys will not have to bring their own cars. "The vo-ag students want to thank each and everyone and especially the school board for putting this bus in their trust. It is very nice," Love said.

**WEATHER REPORT**

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

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Jan. 24	64	26	0.00
Jan. 25	60	35	0.00
Jan. 26	75	34	0.00
Jan. 27	79	54	0.00
Jan. 28	56	25	0.00
Jan. 29	15	13	0.10
Jan. 30	22	13	0.00

Total precipitation so far this year, .10 inch.

**Third Generation, Pioneer Family**

**DURING ADDRESS AT FORMER SCHOOL  
ROY BARBEE SAYS HOBBIES ARE USEFUL**

Leroy Barbee, a native of Hico who attended school here until 1917, when he entered service with the Marines, believes that everyone should have at least one hobby, and perhaps many hobbies.

Prominent as owner of several hatcheries with main offices in San Antonio, Mr. Barbee came back to his alma mater last week and presented the Senior Class of Hico High School with an oil painting, asking that they leave it with the institution when they graduate. Boline Chaney, president of the class, accepted the painting, which is a typical scene of Texas countryside, featuring a field of bluebonnets.

After an introduction by High School Principal O. C. Cook, Mr. Barbee offered good philosophy to the assembly of high school students. He said that if they are looking for a hobby, art is one that should not be overlooked.

"The more hobbies you have, the more possibilities there are that you are going to do something about them," he said, "and they might later lead to a vocation."

Mr. Barbee's avocation of art began as a hobby when he was in school here, and he used to draw cartoons in "The Rock," high school annual publication of that day. Former classmates can remember when he was rebuked by one teacher for drawing turkeys free-hand on the blackboard during class.

Yes, much water has gone under the bridge since he was in Hico High School, at the time when both schools were housed in the present grade school building. He and two of his brothers were on the football team at one time, as well as three Vickrey boys. This made introductions easy in towns where they played football, says Mr. Barbee, "because all the girls just knew if you were on the team, you must be either a Barbee or a Vickrey."

He was elected captain of the team of 1917, but joined the United States Marines before the year was over, and served in France, where he was wounded. He was returned to a naval hospital in Chelsea, Mass., and was the first wounded Texan who had served with U. S. troops to return from war.

Then Leroy (better known as Roy) Barbee studied architecture at Texas A. & M. College and later at the University of Illinois.

He started with his own business in San Antonio in 1924, after he had received 18 months of veterans' vocational training at Veterans' Agriculture College, located on the site of Peaseock Military Academy, San Antonio. At the time his business opened, he said, large hatcheries were so unusual that people came all the way from the Rio Grande Valley just to see a 10,000-egg-capacity incubator.

"Dollars Not Everything."

He has spent 26 years in the hatchery business, and at one time made so much money that he was accused of worshipping the "Almighty Dollar." This set him wondering. "After all, dollars don't mean everything." So he sold one hatchery and put the other three under the care of five families, and went into semi-retirement. Now he has more time to hunt, fish and paint. He spends much of the time out-

**Boy Scouts Mark 41st Anniversary**



Official poster marking the 41st birthday.

President Truman will greet 12 outstanding Boy Scouts in the White House on Feb. 6 opening the 41st anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Boy Scout Week will be observed Feb. 6 to 12 in every part of the nation by more than 2,750,000 boys and adult leaders "Strengthen Liberty" is the birthday theme.

At "birthday parties" during Boy Scout Week throughout the nation each member will repledge himself to the Scout Oath or Promise. In each community representatives of the churches, schools, government and business will observe the anniversary with their Scouts. At Unit "open house" parties, parents, relatives and members of the chartering institutions will hear a review of the year's program features, service projects and membership gains.

During Boy Scout Week members of the organization will develop window displays and demonstrations on civil defense and conservation. Each member will inspect his home to make certain no hazards exist. Surprise mobilizations will test Scout efficiency should emergencies arise.

Since 1910 more than 17,000,000 boys and men have been identified with the Boy Scouts of America.

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# Fairy and Carlton Schools Are Participating In School-Community Survey Program

School systems at Fairy and Carlton will use materials furnished by the Texas Education Agency to make a detailed survey of their schools and community, according to announcements from Irvin Jones, superintendent at Fairy, and Herman E. Walton, superintendent at Carlton.

More than 800 schools over the state are expected to take part in the school-community survey program.

This material is now being used by high schools with fewer than 100 pupils. If the results of the program are satisfactory, all high schools in the state may eventually take part in the survey, according

to a statement from J. W. Edgar, State Commissioner of Education.

Purpose of the program is to gather information about the local community which will help school leaders in planning a better program of education for the school and community.

Because the good school is so closely tied to community life, many of the questions will be concerned with community resources, Edgar said.

After the material has been collected by the teachers and pupils of participating schools, a group of local citizens will be asked to examine the results in the light of their knowledge of the community.

Edgar recently pointed out that facts and figures alone cannot tell a complete story. People who know local conditions must express judgments in order to give the facts their proper meaning, he said.

Superintendents Jones and Walton recently attended a meeting in Hillsboro at which members of the Texas Education Agency staff explained the use of the study guides. It was pointed out at this meeting that collecting the desired material should give pupils and teachers a new knowledge of their community and furnish the basis for a new understanding of such material studied in the school.

When all communities of this size have reported their findings the state education agency will have a body of information about education in Texas that could not be obtained from any other source. The rapid changes that have taken place in our social and economic life in the past few years have made available information out of date, officials of the agency said.

Teams of students will begin the community survey in Carlton about Feb. 7, Walton said, and Jones stated that he expected to have the Fairy survey under way about Feb. 20. People of the community are requested to help supply the information requested. None of it will be made public as an individual report, he said. It will be collected into a general report on the entire community.

# Nothing Better Than Good Food, Says Ohio Man

If a man isn't able to eat the foods he likes he's in mighty sorry shape—imagine going through life without being able to enjoy a fine big platter of bacon and eggs. That is the way Joseph N. Damillot, 3414 E. 5th Street, Dayton, Ohio, used to be, but since he has been taking HADACOL, he feels just fine and is able to enjoy lots and lots of fine foods. Mr. Damillot found that taking HADACOL helped his system overcome a deficiency of Vitamins B<sub>1</sub>, B<sub>2</sub>, Niacin and Iron.

Here is Mr. Damillot's statement: "My first bottle of HADACOL convinced me that HADACOL was what I needed for the gas on my stomach at night. I could not keep food on my stomach, but after the first bottle I was going great. Now I eat that never would stay with me. I also can sleep well at night. Thanks to HADACOL I will never be without it, and can recommend it to all who suffer from the above ailments that I had. I know because I have suffered for quite some time."

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FOR GOODNESS SAKE!  
Hazlewood Milk  
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# YOUR brain budget

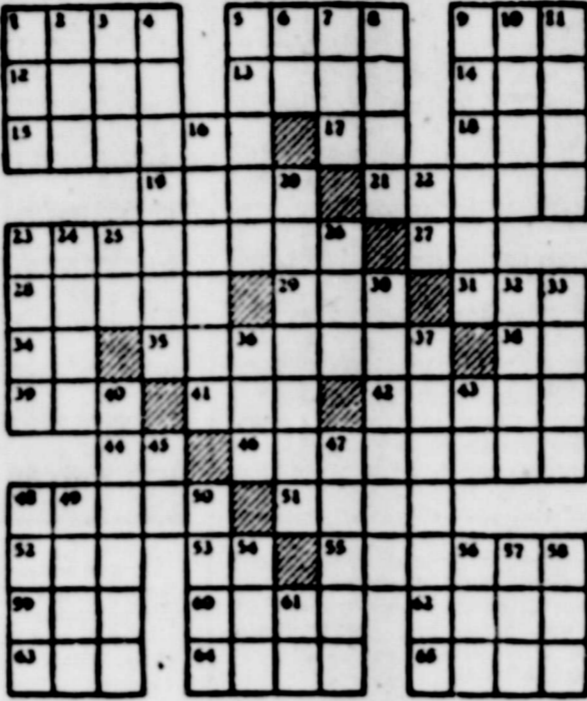
1. At what age is the mortality rate lowest for the entire population? (a) 15 to 20, (b) 5 to 14, (c) 20 to 25, (d) 35 to 40.
2. Which of the following words suggest the most complete emotional experience? (a) thrill, (b) glee, (c) rapture, (d) joy.
3. Astigmatism pertains to the (a) eye, (b) ear, (c) liver, (d) heart.
4. Which of these European countries has the largest population? (a) Spain, (b) Sweden, (c) Switzerland, (d) Finland.
5. A canape is a (a) soup, (b) meat course, (c) appetizer, (d) dessert.

ANSWERS  
1.—(b) 5 to 14.  
2.—(c) Rapture.  
3.—(a) Eye.  
4.—(a) Spain.  
5.—(c) Appetizer.

# Puzzle Crossword

## HORIZONTAL

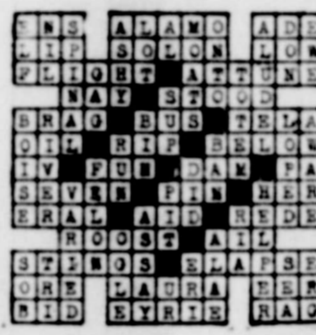
- 1 Lima is its capital
- 5 Store
- 8 Distast
- 12 Soup
- 13 One of the apostles
- 14 Yale
- 15 To determine
- 17 Toward
- 18 Color
- 19 Penny
- 21 Flutters
- 22 Imperishable
- 27 Note of scale
- 28 Girl's name
- 29 Through
- 31 To immerse
- 34 Chinese measure
- 35 Ancient capital of Assyria
- 36 Negative
- 39 Furrow
- 41 Malay gibbon
- 42 Portlands
- 43 Colloquial elevated railway
- 46 To handicap
- 48 To permit
- 51 Specks
- 52 Unit of reluctance
- 53 French for "and"
- 55 To reveal unintentionally
- 59 Funs
- 60 King of Israel
- 62 European country
- 63 Rule
- 64 To depend
- 65 Male sheep



# Puzzle No. 118

- 34 Definite article
- 56 Inlet
- 57 Upper limb
- 58 Affirmative
- 61 Symbol for Aluminum

## Answers to Puzzle 118



# Clairette

By Mrs. Henry Mayfield

Rain, rain! We need rain! January will soon be gone, gardening time is just around the corner and it's too dry to plant anything. Today (Friday, Feb. 2) is ground hog day. We hope the ground hog will bring a rain and not six weeks more of just cold weather. It is 16 degrees and sleeting as this is written (Monday).

Several were on the sick list the past week. Some of the school children were not able to return to school. It was reported some had whooping cough, but we are glad they do not have.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haynes received word Monday that their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clifford Haynes of San Angelo, passed away. Funeral services were held Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Haynes and parents of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. John Noland and Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Holder attended the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lary of Weatherford visited Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Richbourg.

Mrs. W. T. Stamford was able to return home from the Hico Hospital last Tuesday. Her daughter, Mrs. Jennie Hoffpouir of Brownwood, came last week to take care of her mother.

Mrs. Jim Eward visited her children in Dallas last week.

The Busy Bee Sewing Club met Thursday with Mrs. L. Dowdy. The club decided to give Mrs. Bill Head a handkerchief shower, as she will move this week to her new home between Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Roberson, and Buster Roberson of Fort Worth visited with Herman Roberson and family over the week end.

Charles Goughly left Saturday to enter Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Mrs. Pearl Durham visited Mrs. Edna East and family of Stephenville part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Johnson attended the elimination of cutting horses at the Fort Worth Stock Show Thursday.

Mrs. Bill Alexander gave her husband a surprise birthday party Tuesday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. John Goughly and Betty, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander and Betty Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield and son visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Salmon and girls. Mrs. Salmon has been on the sick list and is still under her doctor's care.

Mr. Reno Dunbar was confined in bed with a severe cold and fever two or three days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lee of Den-

ver City were home this week and visiting their parents. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wolfe Jr. and Mrs. Willie Wolfe of Dublin visited with relatives here Saturday.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!  
Hazlewood Milk  
CHICKEN PALACE

# GOOD NEWS

WE HAVE SOME MIGHTY GOOD NEWS FOR THE PEOPLE IN AND AROUND OLIN COMMUNITY—

MR. TOM HALE is now our Associate Dealer and will handle Purina Chows at his store in Olin. He does not have room to carry a large stock, but he can draw on our stock at any time. His price will be the same as ours.

We are happy to welcome Tom into the Purina Family and have him as an Associate Dealer for Purina Chows.

# Now would be a mighty good time to Book Your Baby Chicks

in order that you may get them when you want them.

We do not make a lot of wild claims for our chicks, but we do have high-quality chicks that will live, and make hens that will lay.

# McLendon Hatchery

PHONE 244 — HICO, TEX.

At various states in the present dispute with the brotherhoods of railroad operating employees... the railroads agreed to arbitrate. The union leaders refused.

... the railroads accepted the recommendations of President Truman's Emergency Board. The union leaders refused.

... the railroads accepted the White House proposal of August 19, 1950. The union leaders refused.

Finally an Agreement was signed at the White House on December 21, 1950. Now the union leaders seek to repudiate the Agreement.

The railroads stand ready to put the terms of this Agreement into effect immediately, with back pay at the rates and date indicated.

The Agreement is given in full below.

# RESPECT...

# What is the TRUTH?

the Railroads  
the Labor Unions  
seek to

# REPUDIATE

this agreement!

## MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

Washington, D. C.  
December 21, 1950

1. Establish 40 hour week for yardmen with increase of 23 cents effective October 1, 1950, and additional 2 cents effective January 1, 1951.
2. Set aside 40 hour week agreement until January 1, 1952, and establish 6 day work week for yardmen. Effective with the first pay roll period after 30 days from the date of execution of the formal agreement, yardmen required by the carrier to work on the 7th day to be paid overtime rates except engineers who shall receive straight time rates for the 7th day. This does not create guarantees where they do not now exist. On and after October 1, 1951, three months' notice to be given of desire to go on 40 hour week. Provide for consideration of availability of manpower and 4 cents per hour if and when the 40 hour week actually becomes effective.
3. Settle rules for 40 hour week and 6 day week.
4. Grant yard conductors and brakemen other rules such as daily earnings minimum, car retarder operators and footboard yardmasters as recommended by Emergency Board No. 81.
5. Settle following rules:  
Initial Terminal Delay (Conductors and Trainmen)  
Interdivisional Runs  
Pooling Caboose (Conductors and Trainmen)  
Reporting for Duty  
More than One Class of Service  
Switching Limits  
Air Hose (Conductors and Trainmen)  
Western Differential and Double Header and Tonnage Limitation (Conductors and Trainmen, All Territories)
6. Road men to receive 5 cents per hour increase effective October 1, 1950 and additional 5 cents per hour increase effective January 1, 1951.
7. Quarterly adjustment of wages on basis of cost

of living index (1 point to equal 1¢ per hour. First adjustment April 1, 1951. Base to be 176).

8. Agreement embodying principles applicable to yardmasters to be entered into for benefit of yardmasters.

9. Effective October 1, 1950, the basic hours of dining car stewards shall be reduced from 225 to 205 hours per month; no penalty overtime to accrue until 240 hours have been worked, the hours between 205 and 240 to be paid for at the pro rata rate.

Effective February 1, 1951, overtime at time and one-half shall accrue after 220 hours have been worked. The basic monthly salary to be paid for the 205-hour month shall be the same as that now paid for the 225-hour month. Except that four dollars and ten cents (\$4.10) shall be added to the present monthly rate effective January 1, 1951.

10. In consideration of above, this agreement to be effective until October 1, 1953, and thereafter until changed or modified under provisions of Railway Labor Act. Moratorium on proposals for changes in wages or rules until October 1, 1953, as follows:

No proposals for changes in rates of pay, rules or working conditions will be initiated or progressed by the employees against any carrier or by any carrier against its employees, parties hereto, within a period of three years from October 1, 1950, except such proposals for changes in rules or working conditions which may have been initiated prior to June 1, 1950. Provided, however, that if as the result of government wage stabilization policy, workers generally have been permitted to receive so-called annual improvement increases, the parties may meet with Doctor Steelman on or after July 1, 1952, to discuss whether or not further wage adjustments for employees covered by this agreement are justified, in addition to increases received under the cost of living formula. At the request of either party for such a meeting Doctor Steelman shall fix the time and place for such meeting. Doctor Steelman and the parties may secure information from the wage stabilization authorities or other government agencies. If

the parties are unable to agree at such conferences whether or not further wage adjustments are justified they shall ask the President of the United States to appoint a referee who shall sit with them and consider all pertinent information, and decide promptly whether further wage increases are justified and, if so, what such increases should be, and the effective date thereof. The carrier representatives shall have one vote, the employee representatives shall have one vote and the referee shall have one vote.

11. If the parties cannot agree on details of agreement or rules they shall be submitted to John R. Steelman for final decision.

The usual protections for arbitrators, miscellaneous rates, special allowances, and existing money differentials above existing standard daily rates will be included in the formal agreement.

\*\* The foregoing will not debar management and committees on individual railroads from mutually agreeing upon changes in rates, rules and working conditions of employees covered by this agreement.

*J. B. Steelman*  
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By Mrs. Fred Geys

Mrs. George Driver is announcing the marriage of her daughter, Miss Betty Lee Fairy, to Cpl. James R. Cole Jr., on Jan. 25 at 8 p. m. in the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cole Sr. at Chandler, Texas. The pastor of the Church of Christ read the wedding vows in the beautiful double ring ceremony. The bride and her husband have the very best wishes of her many friends at Carlton for a very happy marriage as they travel life's pathway together.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lee and Kenneth of San Antonio spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Dock Lackey, and family and Mrs. Lee's brother, Otho Stuckey, and family.

Mrs. W. H. Vick visited in Stephenville Saturday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wisdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bingham of Vernon visited Friday with their uncles and aunts, Uncle Ben Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith, Mrs. Robert Smith; and their cousins, Mrs. Dock Finley and husband and Mrs. Joe Bush and husband.

Bain Woolley of Dallas, who has been very ill for several weeks, with heart trouble, is visiting his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Vaughn. He is still confined to his bed most of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Corkey Lee and children of San Antonio spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitehead, and Helen.

Mrs. John Price was a patient the past week in the Hico Hospital.

Mrs. M. D. Powers returned home Tuesday after a week's visit in Throckmorton with her son, Hubert Powers, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Anderson of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blanchard of Stephenville were week-end visitors with their mother, Mrs. Lillie Anderson, and their grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Tull.

Mrs. Ophelia Upham returned Tuesday from Waco where she had visited with her daughters, Mrs. L. C. Vaughn and family and Mrs. Stuart Partin and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thetford visited Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Austin Bertrand, and family at Purnella.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Roberts and daughter, Kay, spent Sunday at Clifton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hoff.

Miss Peggy Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Sharp, has been a patient in the Hico Hospital since last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lefty White and children and Mrs. J. T. Butler and children of Irving spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Sharp Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyer and Mrs. Lorena Stidham were week-end visitors in San Angelo with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Littleton and family and Pete and Wayne Stidham and families.

Week-end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chailey Proffitt, were all their children: Mrs. Douglas Vaughan and family of Fort Worth, Mrs. Jesse Longino and family of Lake Jackson, Adolph Proffitt and family of Comanche, and Mrs. Lamon Smith and husband of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Birdsong and daughters, Ruth Ann and Wilma Jean, of Hamilton, visited last Sunday with his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush. They accompanied them to Hamilton for a visit, returning to their home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Pruett of Hamilton were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Lowery of Waco visited Tuesday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hubbard and daughter, La Quita, visited last week with Mrs. A. M. Kinser at Marble Falls, who is Mrs. Sam Hubbard's grandmother, H. L.'s great-grandmother, and little La Quita's great-great-grandmother who will be 94 years old Feb. 11.

Mrs. C. L. Kinser, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hubbard visited Saturday with their son and brother, Melvin Kinser, who has been a patient in the McClosky Hospital at Temple since Feb. 14 of last year.

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### History of Hico Area Might Win Prize for High School Student

Austin, Tex., Jan. 29.—Texas high school students have a chance to win a \$100 prize or eight other prizes by writing an historical story about the town or region in which they live, or on any other topic in Texas history. The Junior Historian, published by the Texas State Historical Association at the University of Texas, is sponsoring a writing contest open to regular Junior Historian chapter members and to any Texas high school student who becomes a member-at-large by subscribing to the magazine. Details and contest rules may be obtained by writing to the Junior Historian, Box 2131, University Station, Austin, Texas.

### Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Jackson and her mother, Mrs. Webb, of Moran, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones Thursday night and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parish of Comanche visited Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and daughter, Janice, were Dublin visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller of Harbin visited Mr. and Mrs. George Barnett and sons Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and baby, Darlene, of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly Saturday night and their little daughter, Delores, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham of Carlton visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones and Martin Bingham a while Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Jones of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly and Delores Jones a while Wednesday night.

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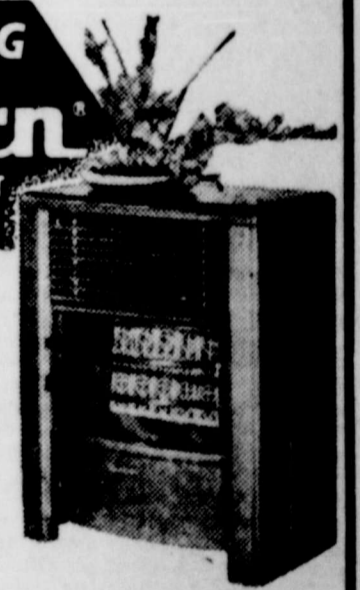
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Waco, Tex., Friday, Feb. 2, 1951.

Soil Conservationists To Discuss Problems at Oklahoma Conference

Elmo Newsom, secretary of the Hamilton-Coryell Soil Conservation District board, attended the State Association of District Supervisors in Mineral Wells Thursday, January 18.

The regular monthly meeting of the local district's Board of Supervisors was scheduled for January 31, at two o'clock p. m. in the Soil Conservation Service office at Hamilton.

More than 2,000 farmers and ranchers will converge on Oklahoma City February 20 for a three-day conference devoted to the one interest common to all of them—conservation of the nation's soil and water resources.

The occasion is the annual convention of the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts, expected to attract the elected leaders of soil conservation districts in all parts of the nation and from its territories.

Oklahoma City's central location, increasing interest in soil conservation, and the key spot occupied by agriculture in the nation's defense picture are factors which make Waters S. Davis Jr., association president, confident that attendance at this year's meeting will top 1949's Atlanta convention figure of 1,500 by at least 500 persons.

Davis, South Texas cattle rancher, and other association officers have arranged a varied and comprehensive program which includes speeches by Secretary of Agriculture Charles F. Brannan on the convention's opening day, and Dr. H. H. Bennett, chief of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, on February 22.

The program also includes meetings devoted to regional soil and water problems, panel discussions led by nationally recognized conservationists, presentation of achievement awards, election of new officers and directors, and a full round of entertainment for delegates and their wives.

Slated at a time when the American citizen is openly concerned about the prospect of world conflict and what it could mean, the convention promises to be a brass-tacks "do-something" affair. The work of soil conservation districts in developing a more dependable wartime agriculture, the speeding up of the job of protecting and improving the nation's productive land, and water conservation and river basin development—these are among the problems to be discussed by the convention delegates.

Commented President Davis: "I am counting on every delegate to roll up his sleeves and help us plan working policies. With the present international situation, these policies will help gain recognition of soil conservation districts and their program as one of the most important elements of our long range national planning."

Visitors interested in agricultural flood control may see an outstanding example of this work on the Washita River watershed in Oklahoma. Many thousands of acres of Washita River bottomland that were unprofitable are now turning in as the result of the protection they are getting. And in the other aspects of soil and water conservation, Oklahoma offers the visitors a splendid chance to see the effectiveness of many other coordinated practices, which keep soil in place and provide for continuing soil improvement.

All Boys' District Cage Tourney Starts Wednesday at Fairy

Superintendent Irvin Jones of Fairy Schools has announced that All Boys' District Basketball Tournament will be played at the gym in Fairy beginning Wednesday, Feb. 7, probably lasting through Saturday.

Seven schools will enter teams in the tournament: Pottsville, Turner, Carleton, Copperas Cove, Ford, Jonesboro and Fairy. These games will be played each night, with the first one to begin at 8:00 p. m.

District Tournament, Boys' and Girls' Games Begins at Hico Monday

The girls' and boys' basketball preliminary zone tournament for district championship in University Interscholastic League will begin Monday night, Feb. 3, in the Hico Gymnasium. The site of the tournament will rotate between the five schools participating: Hico, Kopper, Iredell, Walnut Springs and Morgan.

Boys' teams will play a double elimination tournament, whereas the girls will play in single elimination. The two tournaments will be played together, to be followed by a two-out-of-three series with zone winners from the other zone. Teams competing in the other zone are from Meridian, Valley Mills, Cranfills Gap, Moheim and Clifton. The second series is scheduled during the week of February 12-17, to decide the U. I. L. district champions.

Coch Willie Sirman of Hico has released the following schedule for games next week:

Monday, two boys' and one girls' games at Hico; Tuesday, two boys' games at Kopper; Wednesday, two boys' and one girls' games at Walnut Springs; Thursday, one boys' game, one girls' game at Iredell; Friday, girls' and boys' finals at Morgan. On nights when three games are played, the time for the games will be 6:15, 7:30 and 8:45 p. m. Girls' games will be at 7:30 p. m.

The Monday night games are as follows: 6:15 p. m., Hico boys versus Kopper boys; 7:30 p. m., Hico girls versus Iredell girls; 8:45 p. m., Hico girls versus Iredell girls; 8:45 p. m., Morgan boys versus Iredell boys. Officials will be C. L. Mohon of De Leon and Rabon Balch of Waco.

Due to the fact that there are two girls' leagues this year, and Hico girls' team is entered in both, Coach Sirman has issued the following explanation to avoid confusion among fans.

In the U. I. L. (University Interscholastic League) the set-up is the same as for boys' tournaments in regard to district members. The district champions go to regional tournament (probably in Dallas) and the regional champion goes to Austin for the state meet. The U. I. L. is also broken down into Class "A" and Class "B" for girls' basketball.

The Old League (State of Texas Girls Basketball League) is broken down to county champions, who go to district. District champions go to Waco for State play-off. The play-off with Aleman last week was for county championship under this league.

Chamber of Commerce Meets Tuesday Night For Routine Business

The Hico Chamber of Commerce met in regular session above the City Hall Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, with 11 members present. Routine business matters were discussed. The following account is taken from the minutes of J. R. Bobo, secretary.

Truman E. Roberts, president, opened the meeting and announced appointment of committees as approved in last week's meeting of the board of directors.

Odis Peticick read a letter from the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show boosters, stating that they appreciated the reception given them on their trip here by the firemen's escort and local businessmen's attitudes.

Discussions were made in regard to refinishing Chamber of Commerce signs. O. L. Davis was appointed chairman of a committee to arrange to do this. The president appointed a committee composed of Weldon Pierce, chairman, and Paul Neel to get the businessmen's decisions on closing dates for the year 1951. The secretary was instructed to have Chamber of Commerce cards printed for the business houses.

A suggestion was made that the organization have a banquet one night of the year, and invite a good speaker. This plan would be substituted for the custom of a dinner at each meeting.

In regard to the proposed idea of renewing the Trades Day event, Wm. D. Bradley Jr. suggested that neighboring bands be invited to present concerts on those days, if the idea is approved.

O. L. Davis made a report on the remodeling now in progress at Firemen's Hall, and thanked the Chamber of Commerce for its nice donation.

Mrs. Wm. D. Bradley Jr. sent her thanks to the C. of C. for their help in the March of Dimes drive.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

WHITHER BOUND?



BARBEE TALKS

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times. These are just her hobbies, though. She plans to study medicine at SMU next year. "The way I talk about Barbara," Mr. Barbee told the high school students here, "you all might get the idea that I think she's about the only talented girl in the world. But I don't, because I have two other daughters, and they're just as smart as she is."

Mrs. Barbee has executed several paintings for baptisms.

Barbees Came Here Early. In 1921, while Leroy Barbee was in college, his family moved to Mercedes in the Magic Valley and began operation of a rooming and boarding house, named the Barbee House, which still stands and still bears that name.

On the trip south, his grandfather, John G. Barbee, falling in health and around 90 years old, died.

"My grandfather, said Leroy, "was the earliest settler in these parts." He came here in 1849, before the country was populated, and liked the area around Hico so well that he encouraged others to stay, in spite of the drought which followed him here.

This pioneer ran a general store, and had in his possession cattle and lots of land. Just as the people began to settle down, a drought laid waste to some of the land, and they wanted to move on. But for the faith in the land which John Barbee had, many of them might have gone on to greener pastures.

By the time his son, E. A. "Doss" Barbee, was grown and had a family, the town of Hico was around 2100 population and cotton ginning was a booming business. Other industries thrived too, coats, fruit trees, pecan trees—diversified farming was popular. Turkeys were driven down the streets of the business section, and many people made a good living raising turkeys.

Around 18,000 bales of cotton a year were ginned at the Barbee gin. The family lived in the house which is now J. P. Rodgers' home.

There were four Barbee sons in Leroy's generation. W. T. (Terry) was superintendent of Weslaco schools when he died. His widow still lives there, and the Weslaco athletic field which bears his name is a living memorial.

Herman Barbee, another brother, works for a petroleum company in a suburb of Los Angeles, Calif. Paul H. Barbee is civilian chief of the Inspection, Surveillance and Security Division of the Red River arsenal near Texarkana. The story of his training and experience is so detailed that it would take another column to tell. But some time, if he comes to see us, we'll write him up too.

Reader's Letter Recalls '29 Cyclone

Speaking of the Weather, It Could Be Much Worse

A letter from a subscriber in Phoenix, Arizona, recalls to mind the terrible cyclone of 1929 which struck near Fairy and Iredell. Charles Darwin Hoover writes that his wife and he are assembling a family album.

"In the above mentioned issue," the letter continued, "is an article concerning a cyclone in which my father was an active participant" and his description of the twister has been printed. We would like to have this entry for the album."

We are indeed sorry that we cannot accommodate, but we have only one copy of that issue, and that is in our files. We did think the account was interesting though and pass it along to our readers, some of whom will remember the twister, which struck about 4:00 p. m. Friday, April 19, 1929.

Four miles southeast of Iredell, where the damage was greatest, the homes of Conrad Phillips and Ben Jackson were destroyed, and the Jerry Phillips home was partially demolished. Several members of the three families were injured. We quote, in part:

"Following the course of the mountain about one mile west of Fairy, the twister played havoc with the J. M. Harper, the Walter Whitson, the C. H. Richards, the Henry Davis and the White places, and left several injured persons."

"One of the heaviest rains in the history of this section fell in some parts of the storm area, and the accompanying hail storm seriously damaged fruit and grain crops. A few Iredell business and residential buildings are reported to have been damaged to some extent, but the twister failed to strike the town of Fairy in destructive force."

Friends in both communities and Hico rallied to the assistance of the stricken families, the newspaper stated, "and rehabilitation is fast under way" (one week later).

As sidelines to the main story, the paper carried features entitled "Twister Smashes Chicken House but Leaves Hen in Tub" and "Residence in Fairy Neighborhood Goes On Tour During Wind Storm." The latter was an eye-witness story of Elmer Hoover, "Fairy resident and star spectator and performer in Friday's cyclone."

The article relates that he saw the cyclone coming and wrapped himself around the base of a tree. The house which was blowing away came toward him with a terrific speed and swerved just when he thought it was "all up with me," spun around and went back to its original place, except that it was completely turned around. It traveled possibly 40 yards in its tour.

All of which perhaps goes to prove that there are some conditions worse than drought and below-freezing temperatures.

Mrs. G. A. Lancaster, whose subscription goes to Dallas, sent in a renewal this week and wrote, "we enjoy each issue very much."

A. D. Shipley, Route 4, who has been a subscriber since December, 1939, said that he knew we would know better than to cut his paper off before he had time to come in and pay, but that his wife had told him to get on around here.

F. T. Tyler, Route 3, mailed his renewal in a letter which implied he had despaired of ever finding us in the office. Sorry you missed us, Mr. Tyler—we must have been out for coffee.

HCL Goes Easy On Hico Schools—

For 25¢ a Meal, Child Can Eat Well at Lunch Room

(Waco News-Tribune) Serving between 230 and 240 lunches at the local school lunchroom each day, Mrs. J. E. Slaughter usually judges the amount of food required so accurately that she has no more than a cupful left over after the children are fed.

She has been supervisor for the lunchroom for the past seven years, every year since the opening except the first; knows every child's tastes, and can always tell which child will come back for a second helping of a favorite dish. "I get terribly attached to those children," she said. "I can't please every one of them every day. I just laugh at them if they don't like the menu. Next day they probably will. We have to have limas some days for variety."

No Left-Overs. The children are never fed left-overs in any form. Menus are made out for the week, and groceries are bought fresh every day. Mrs. Slaughter takes no chances on ptomaine. Anything left over and all table scraps go to the pigs.

Twenty children get free lunches for helping Mrs. Slaughter in the lunchroom. They cook, serve, sweep, wrap silverware, etc. The rest pay 20 and 25 cents for their lunches. With this money and government surplus groceries, Mrs. Slaughter has always operated in the black.

"I have to be careful," she said, "but we never go into the red. Surplus goods have been nice this year. Canned tomatoes, cherries, raspberries and others. We have to pay the freight, and freight on potatoes is almost as much as the cost of potatoes in the stores, but we do get them a little cheaper. This year we had turkeys, too. Before Thanksgiving and Christmas, two turkeys feed the whole school for one day, with no left-overs."

They Like Soup. Mrs. Slaughter was less enthusiastic about the peanut butter, which she usually uses in cookies, and the dried milk and eggs. Most of the time there is enough money for fresh milk and eggs and good creamery butter.

"Soup is the dish the children like best," she said. "They ask for soup every day, but I only give it to them on the cold days. Soup with cheese sandwiches. They all eat well this time of the year. In the Spring their appetites are jaded. I'm saving the chickens and hams until then. Steak they like and get at least once a week."

"What I'd like most in the world," she said, noting the crumbling plaster and the baseboards standing away from the walls of the 50-odd year old schoolroom, "is a new kitchen on the ground floor of a new school building."

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HICO CEMETERY ASSOCIATION, Inc. RECEIPTS— Cash in bank Jan. 1, 1950 1,035.48 Sale of twelve burial plots at \$35.00 each 420.00

TOTAL 1,455.48

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TOTAL 1,455.48

ONLY the Ladies Auxiliary Association account is used for maintenance of our cemetery. Its only sources of revenue are from the interest received on investments held by the Hico Cemetery Association, Inc., and parties having an interest in its upkeep.

Each and every lot is worked at least twice each year, at which time the lot owners will be notified.

Make all remittances to the Ladies Auxiliary Cemetery Association, Hico, Texas.

Respectfully submitted, J. P. Rodgers Jr., Pres.; E. H. Randals, Sec.; D. F. McCarty

THE INVESTMENT ACCOUNT of the Hico Cemetery Association, Inc., now consists of the following securities:

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# Personals.

Angell and Frances McHugh were among the students who came in Friday to visit their parents between semesters. They are students at the University of Texas.

Mrs. Bruce Lee of Denton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lee, in Hico and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee, in Hico.

Mrs. H. V. Hedges returned home Friday after spending the last week in San Antonio where she attended the 15th meeting of the International Post-Graduate Medical Association of Southwest Texas.

Mrs. James L. Rainwater of Fort Worth spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater and Mrs. Rex Ellis. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Tressler and young Dennis, of Fort Worth also were in the Ellis home.

Mrs. W. F. Gandy returned recently of the birth of her granddaughter, Olivia Flowers, born to Mr. and Mrs. Granville Flowers of Fort Worth. Mrs. Flowers is the daughter of Mrs. Rita Gandy.

Mrs. Fred Dalby of Denton spent the week end in Hico with her daughter, Mrs. Goodloe, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe and son, Roy, were in Hico for the Fat Stock Show and Exposition Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leach and daughter, Jacqueline, of Cleburne were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Leach and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Leach.

Billy Jackson came home Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jackson, between semesters at Hardin-Simmons University. They all spent the week end in Fort Worth with Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Jackson, and Billy left for Abilene from there to register for his last semester at the university.

Mrs. Albert Vickers of San Antonio visited this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ramage, and with her brother, Jewel Ramage, and family. She was accompanied by Mrs. Audrey Elkins, also of San Antonio, who visited in the Ramage home and with her father, Mr. Hollis, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crist and baby daughter, Lydia, returned Wednesday to their home in Odessa, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crist. They attended funeral services Tuesday for his grandfather, George W. Crist. Mrs. Addie Warren of Fort Worth was also here for her father's funeral and remained to visit in the home of her sister, Miss Rhoda Crist.

the muscles of the throat, voice box and esophagus. If it gets out of line it may affect the heart, stomach or any one of the many abdominal organs.

The spinal nerves move right down the segments of the backbone, reporting on feeling and motion of the area they serve. The first group of the 31 spinal nerves is made up of eight segments that handle the nerve supply to the neck, shoulder, arms and most of the parts of the hands. Sometimes one group of these nerves cross over into another territory, such as in the case of two of the thoracic nerves (second group) crowding in on the cervical crew (first group) and taking over the functions of the little finger and inner side of the arm.

There are 12 of these thoracic nerve segments, over the chest, taking care of the skin sensations and muscles in their domain.

The next group, five nerves called the lumbar nerves, start at the waistline in back and the groin in front. They swirl out in sensations and muscular motion to cover wide territory, running from the lumbar region down to the feet.

Just as parts of the hands are controlled by two different groups of nerves, so are the feet and legs. The soles of the feet and the outside of the legs come under the influence of the sacral segments, which are five in number. These sacra nerves and the coccygeal report to the buttocks and the seat in addition to horning in on the leg and foot duties of the lumbar nerves.

The road each one of these nerves travel and the muscles they control make the testing and ex-

amination of the muscles an important part of the physical examination. It isn't always done as a separate part of the check-up, but any report of pain in organ or muscle may lead to a more thorough investigation of the nervous system.

## Bro. Patterson Holds Funeral Monday for Mrs. Ella Patterson, 90

Rev. J. Fred Patterson, pastor of the Hico Methodist Church, was in Miles, Texas, Monday to assist in conducting funeral services for a cousin, Mrs. Ella Mae Patterson, 90, who passed away at her home near Iredell Sunday morning.

He was accompanied to Miles by Mrs. Patterson's son and two daughters, Pittard Patterson and Miss Vera Patterson of Iredell, and Mrs. Ruth Guyer of Brownwood. The funeral services were held Monday at 2 p. m. in the Miles Methodist Church, with Rev. T. M. Mitchell, pastor of that church, also officiating. Interment was in Miles Cemetery, with Barrow-Rutledge, Hico funeral directors, in charge of arrangements.

A member of the Methodist Church, Mrs. Patterson had lived near Iredell since November, 1948. She was born at Mt. Pleasant, Tenn., June 15, 1860. Survivors besides those named above, are two grandchildren.

Some of these radio announcers should change their line and frankly say: "Due to conditions beyond our control, we present the program originally scheduled for this time."

## Future Farmer Day at Fort Worth Stock Show Enjoyed by 23 Boys

An annual event the Future Farmers enjoy is making a field trip to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show and Exposition on Future Farmer Day, to see all the show cattle, hogs, sheep, chickens, turkeys, horses—and the carnival grounds.

Twenty-three boys and their sponsor, J. Doyle Love, from the Hico Chapter visited the Fat Stock show Saturday and were highly enthused to see so many fine animals. A group of four of these boys participated in a Grass Contest while there. They were Alva Shipley, Ansol Shipley, Bruce Slaughter and Sammy Collins. In competition with 30 other teams these boys placed about 16th, and hope to enter in the Grass Contest at the San Antonio on February 17.

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The nerves are the communication system of the body from the central office, the brain. The nerves, very much alive, send messages to organs and muscles that keep you breathing and moving. Just as some emergency communications such as "fire" or "help, police" go directly to the office required rather than through the central switchboard, so you have some nerves that do their job automatically without sending messages to the brain. If you poke your hand in a fire, your nerves automatically work on the muscles that pull it out.

The central nervous system is made up of nerves originating in the brain and spinal cord. There are 12 cranial nerves, those originating in the brain, and 31 spinal nerves.

The cranial nerves are mainly those responsible for the sense of smell, the sense of sight and the movements of the eyes, the sense of taste, muscular control of the tongue, jaw and face, sensation of feeling of the face and throat, sense of hearing, and the ability to wiggle your ears, shrug your shoulders, and turn your head in "no's." You nod your head in "yes's" with a message from a combination of cranial and spinal nerves.

There is one cranial nerve, however, that controls the sense of feeling and motion of a great deal more of the body than the head, and that is the vagus nerve, the tenth one. This is the hard-working nerve that tells you about a pain in any part of the chest or abdomen, which covers a lot of territory, as well as in the throat and esophagus. This nerve works

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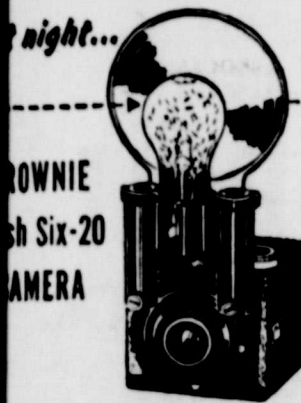
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On this Lord's Day, everyone who comes to our Father's house will receive a special blessing, for one of our own boys, Bro. Jack Partain, who is a student in Baylor, grandson of W. D. Partain and nephew of J. D. Partain of Hico, will bring the MORNING MESSAGE.

This fine young man—only 17 years of age—preparing for the mission field in Japan, deserves the prayers and presence of everyone.

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## BAND NEWS

The District Band met at Dublin Saturday, January 27. The members who represented Hico were Betty Shook, Wilma Woodard, Shirley Prater, Peggy Goodloe and Dorothy Randolph.

Hubert Johnson and Eugene Smith were also chosen, but were unable to go.  
 Several other members went along to hear the concert. There were about 155 band students there representing about 15 schools.

## HHS

### HICO GRADE SCHOOL PLAYS THREE-WAY AND DUFFAU

The Hico grade school girls played Three-Way last Tuesday. Three-Way won with a score of 8-9. Peggy Warren was Hico's high point girl.

The boys played Duffau at that time. The scores were very close, with Duffau winning 20 to 16. Ronald McKenzie was high point scorer for Hico.

## HHS

### HAND PAINTED PICTURE PRESENTED TO SENIORS

A special assembly was held on the afternoon of January 23. Mr. Roy Barbee presented the Senior Class with a beautiful picture he had painted. The picture was presented on behalf of his daughter, Barbara, who is a senior at a San Antonio High School. Mr. Barbee is a former student of Hico High School.

The picture has been hung in the Senior home room and is enjoyed by everyone taking English, as well as the Seniors. Everyone is invited to come up and look at it.

The picture will be presented to the Seniors of 1931-32 in a formal presentation near the end of this year.

## HHS

### WORMS' EYE VIEW

Wedding bells have rung again around Hico High School. Jo Sult was married to Ralph Jaggers two weeks ago, in case you haven't heard.

Jo is a favorite of everyone, from the teachers down to the lowliest little Freshman. She has been voted favorite of her Sophomore class, High School Favorite and Best All 'Round Girl. Also she has been co-captain of the girls' basketball team for three years.

She has been active in sports her entire high school career. Jo plays forward on the basketball team and is a wonderful athlete. Because of an injury to her leg she had been forced to quit playing for a while. We are all glad to see her back on the team!

Just in case you don't know this swell girl, here is a brief description—she is about five feet nine inches tall, with blonde hair and grey-blue eyes.

Even though I am just a lowly worm I want to wish Jo and Ralph all the happiness in the world. I'll bet you do, too!

## HHS

### IT'S A FACT

Love is like the measles. We are not apt to have it severe but once. Love is a deep well which you may drink of often, but into which you may fall but once.

## Iredell Honor Roll Substantially Larger Than Previous Months

Honor rolls for the Iredell Schools were released today by Superintendent J. M. McCroskey, and show a substantial increase over last six weeks periods.

Honor rolls for the third six weeks include the following:

### High School—

La Rue Houston

Le Roy Koonsman

Jean Moore

J. B. Word

Sue Montgomery

Celia Ann Parsons

Ruby Arnold

Gene Blakley

Kenneth Davis

Jo Ann McCoy

### First Grade—

Jerry Blakley

Donna Neatherlin

Sue Woodson

### Second Grade—

Larry Burns

Peggy Davis

Emilie Sowell

Patsy Zimmerman

### Third Grade—

Nicki Beth McAden

Johnnie Ruth McCoy

### Fourth Grade—

Ann Sadler

Amy Sue Cunningham

### Fifth Grade—

Harold Oldham

Jo Ann Sowell

Doris Mitchell

Sixth Grade—

Karolyn Head

Joyce Barnhill

Seventh Grade—

Maudane Litch

Eighth Grade—

Dorothy Bateman

Nelda Gosdin

Jimmy McCroskey

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to everyone who assisted us in any way or consoled us during the illness and at the death of our loved one, G. W. Crist. May God bless you all.  
 THE CRIST FAMILY.



BY DOROTHY BOYS KILIAN

A SHORT STORY

"THIS IS REALLY the life, isn't it?" Jack rested his paddle across the canoe and leaned forward towards Marianne.

"I feel like a queen," Marianne laughed, and her yellow hair glowed like a golden crown in the late afternoon sunlight. She leaned back against the cushion and dangled her hand in the water. "But you really should have let me take a paddle too. I'm not used to such idle luxury."

"Today is different. I always treat my girls like ladies," Jack said significantly.

She knew what he meant. Yesterday he had been loitering on the public dock when she had come in with Bill and tied up after an afternoon of fishing.

"For gosh sakes get us tied up tight this time," Bill had yelled at her from the stern of the flat-bottomed boat where he was yanking the outboard motor clear of the water. "Last time, your fancy knot slipped loose and I almost lost my boat."

Just because he had known her since they were children Bill thought he had a right to talk to her that way. Well, she was fed up with his "honey touch" and his old scow which was so full of nets and bait boxes and buckets that you could hardly find room to sit down, not to mention the faint fishy smell that clung to your clothes long after you'd gone ashore.

When Jack had asked her for a date for today she had really enjoyed telling Bill, for once, to go catch his own fish.

"It would be nice if you'd slide down this way a little closer," Jack interrupted her thoughts. "There's nothing too romantic about even a canoe if the boy and girl are so far apart."

"Canoes are too tippy for any monkey business," Marianne laughed evasively.

"You're not going high hat on me, are you, Marianne?" Jack's tone seemed to carry a reminder that she was just a village girl, after all.

Suddenly she felt chilly. And in a second she realized that it wasn't just because of Jack. A light wind was beginning to ruffle her hair. She turned around to look across the lake, and saw that the sun had dipped behind a solid curtain of dark clouds.

"We'd better turn around, Jack," she said quickly. "Look's like a storm coming up."

"Don't be melodramatic," Jack protested. "See, the water's as calm as a mill pond."

But even as they looked at it, ripples began to crease its smooth surface and they felt the faint movement of the canoe rising and dipping. "This is fun," Jack grinned. "Put's a little more pep into the ride."

"Listen, Jack," Marianne leaned forward earnestly. "If you'd lived around here as long as I have, you'd know it's time to cut for home. When a storm starts whipping across this little lake, it churns things up so fast you hardly have time to run for shelter."

"Take it easy, there is plenty of time. Let's enjoy this for a minute or two anyway," Jack dipped his paddle in with extra fervor and the canoe shot jerkily through the choppy water.

"If you wait until it's really rough, you won't be able to turn around at all!" Marianne was getting frantic. "You can't turn a tippy canoe broadside to a big wave."

She saw Jack's eyes widen as he stared across the bow. Turning around, she saw it coming—a solid dark silver sheet of rain riding on white-capped waves swept towards them. And then it was upon them.

"My gosh, what'll we do?" Jack looked just plain scared.

"Try to keep us headed straight into the waves and hope to heaven that we can ride it out," Marianne said.

"My arm's about to drop off," Jack wailed, minutes later. "I can't—"

"Listen!" Marianne sat up straight. "Hear that chugging sound? Oh, if it's just—it is!" she screamed.

Plowing steadily towards them was that sturdy old fishing boat, Bill waving to them from the stern. In silence and with the sure hand of an old salt, he got them into his boat, and the canoe tied on behind.

"Take that bucket and get to balling, will you Jack?" Bill spoke at last as they started shoreward. "I've taken on quite a load of lake."

Marianne, wet through, and feeling very humble, sat on a pile of nets close to Bill in the stern, her feet propped up on the old green livebait box.

"I'm about the dumbest fish you ever caught," she said meekly, after a long silence.

Bill looked at her and smiled. "Have I caught you for keeps, though? That's all that matters."

Marianne laughed and squeezed his arm. "Just try to shake me off your hook!" she said happily.

## Fairy

By Mrs. Eunice Massengale

At this writing (Monday) we are in the grip of severe winter weather, and according to predictions this will be about the worst of the season. Some sleet has fallen. What we would like to see most would be a good rain or snow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and her sister, Mrs. V. H. Heyroth, were in Fort Worth Friday of last week on a shopping tour and attending the Stock Show and Rodeo.

Mrs. Emma Ogle was out making a tour of the community last week in search of a yearling which had disappeared from her pasture. A neighbor was attracted by the lowing of the mother of the yearling and notified Mrs. Ogle. Should it have strayed to some other pasture, we hope this news item will bring about its recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Springer of Miles, Texas, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and family. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sellers, Bobby and Barbara of Hamilton were visitors in the home in the afternoon.

Thomas Slater, who is attending school at Waco, spent the week end with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Slater and Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dansbee have sold their farm, known as the Elder place, east of Fairy. We understand that they have purchased another farm near Fairy, but will not be able to get possession of it until the end of this year.

The writer and her son-in-law, Carl Ray Sellers, were employed at Carlton last week, razing a barn and shed and erecting another at our farm there.

Work is progressing rapidly, according to reports, on the farm home of Audie Clark. They have been fortunate in having ideal weather most of the time since the beginning of construction until at present.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Heyroth were business visitors in Stephenville Saturday.

The writer attended singing at Littleville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Winford Gardner are entertaining a new son at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Massengale visited a while Sunday afternoon in the home of his niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lovell and family of Hico, and to be with his sister

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and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pendleton of Winters, who spent the week end at Hico with her daughter, Mrs. Lovell, and family. The Hamilton County Baptist Workers Conference will be held at the Fairy Baptist Church next Monday, February 5. The ladies of the Fairy School will serve lunch at the noon hour.

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### Future Farmers of Area IV Anticipate Happy Summers At Possum Kingdom Camp

At their mid-winter conference January 6, the teachers of vocational agriculture in Area IV and their supervisor, J. B. Payne of Stephenville, voted unanimously to take over the Bobby Holder campsite on the Possum Kingdom Lake.

Some 10 years ago a young boy, named Bobby Holder, living in Breckenridge, accidentally shot himself. He was an All-American boy just as we have All-American boys in every town. Everyone in Breckenridge knew Bobby Holder as he always had a smile for everyone, and always "sirred" the older men and "ma'am'd" the ladies of the town, and was a friend to everyone. The whole town loved Bobby Holder, and when he died, they started sending flowers. It took only a few hours for the flower shops to run out of flowers, then they started sending money.

The sum grew from about \$50.00 to a total of almost \$18,000. With this sum of money, put in trust of a group of trustees from Breckenridge, they decided to build a memorial to Bobby Holder. These trustees procured, by leasing, a five-acre island in the lake and about seven acres of lake shore from the federal government. On

the island they built a large stone assembly hall, put in a water system, and built a causeway from the shore to the island. This camp site, some 23 miles from Breckenridge on the Breckenridge side of the lake, was at first put in trust to Boy Scouts, but they were unable to care for it as it was supposed to be cared for.

And because this Bobby Holder Camp was set up for the youth of Texas, the trustees decided to give the FFA boys of Area IV a chance to use and care for it. Right now, so that the camp may be used as soon as possible, there is a lot of work that needs to be done for comfort while camping there. The causeway needs to be raised three feet, a shower and bath-house combination needs to be built, and a lot of cleaning and landscaping needs to be done. To take care of all the business of both the camp and area business, 10 teachers from the area were elected to serve as an Advisory Council for the Area IV. The Area Supervisor, J. B. Payne, is to be chairman of this board. The teachers serving with him are: J. I. Moore, Abilene; M. D. Fox, Eastland; O. B. Edmundson, Cross Plains; Ralph Moser, Stephenville; A. E. Boyd, Sidney; J. Doyle Love, Hico; S. E. Skiles, Weatherford; Bill Colson, Wiley; Bill Fox, Winters, and Jim Wilkerson, Breckenridge. It will be up to these 11 men to guide the area business and the camp site into a bright future.

It is hoped that this camp will be set up and run in such a way that all the boys going there to camp during the summer will not only have comfort but will enjoy their stay while there. Something like this camp has been needed by the area teachers so they can have a place to carry these boys during the summer months where there will be good supervision and a lot of it.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON CRIST

### George W. Crist, 96, Closes Career Of Long, Healthy Life

George Washington Crist, oldest male settler of the town of Hico, who was still a resident, departed this life Sunday at 6:00 p. m. in the home of his daughter, Miss Rhoda Crist. At his death, the townspeople witnessed the passing of a gentleman of vivid recollections of Old Hico and events in the history of the town.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel by Rev. L. H. Davis and Sister Dolly Litch. Interment was in Hico Cemetery.

A native Texan, he was born near Fairfield on July 19, 1854, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jedgee Crist. His father died of a wound inflicted during service in the Civil War, and one year later, his mother passed away, making him an orphan at the age of three. With two sisters and a brother, he came to Hamilton county at the age of 12 to live in the home of his grandfather, Thomas Malone.

He was converted under the evangelistic ministry of Major Penn when he was 25, and became a member of the Baptist Church. In the year 1879 he was married to Mrs. Martha Ann Faggard Malone, who preceded him in death in 1899. They were the parents of five children, all surviving.

Mr. Crist was later married to Mrs. Cynthia Sawyers in the year 1907. She also preceded him in death.

The old log house where he lived more than 50 years and raised a family still stands on the line between Hamilton and Bosque counties, three miles out on Highway 6. He had spent 84 years as a resident near Hico. He lived in Old Hico on Honey Creek until the town was moved two miles to its present location. He could remember when the present site was just cow country, and when it was later laid off in lots to be sold in 1880. He had seen five wars during his lifetime, and many Indian raids.

His friends here always turned to him for information about past events, as he was recognized for his clear memories and good nature.

Survivors include three sons, Edward W. Crist of Hico, Z. D. Crist of Hillsboro and Roy T. Crist of Waco; two daughters, Miss Rhoda Crist of Hico and Mrs. Addie Warren of Fort Worth, a step-daughter, Mrs. Junie Bryan of Dallas; 20 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren, and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

Palbearers for the funeral services were Jack Malone, W. A. Malone, Fort Worth; Harold Crist of Odessa, Nelly Crist of Waco, Ardis Warren of Fort Worth, and Joe Taylor of Waco.

Among the cut-of-town relatives and friends present at the funeral services were Mrs. Addie Warren and son, Ardis, Jack Malone and Wade Malone, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Jones and Mrs. R. E. Warren, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crist, Mr. and Mrs. Nelly Crist and children, Nelly Jo and Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, all of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crist and baby, Lydia, A. J. Barbee and son, A. J. Jr., all of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mohon, De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Crist, Hillsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Laminack, Iredell.

### Amateur Talent Show To Be Sponsored by Band Mothers' Club

The Hico Band Mothers' Club is planning an "Amateur Night" program to be presented in the Hico Gymnasium the night of Tuesday, Feb. 13. Local talent will be presented, and a number of invitations have been sent to out-of-town entertainers.

Opening with a style show in which only male citizens will be the models, the program also will include singing, dancing, an old fiddlers' contest and other numbers. Modest prizes will be awarded, and a nominal admission charge will be made.

Proceeds from this program will be used for the improvement of our band, so everyone is urged to cooperate. Anyone desiring to make an entry and try for a prize may see Mrs. Will Horsley.

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### BELOW ARE OUR PLANS

We will be glad to continue to charge through February — after this we will begin to liquidate for cash — our buildings, merchandise and fixtures will be sold. The only way these plans may be changed is through the fact some merchant may buy our merchandise, fixtures and buildings.

You know from our past advertisements that we are believers in Hico and its people — there are very few towns in Texas the size of Hico that do as much grocery business. We have several grocery merchants in Hico — all doing a nice volume of business, and they are all what we term good merchants.

Below is the volume of grocery business we have done in the past eight years as reported to our government —

1943 . . . . .	\$142,292.05
1944 . . . . .	\$126,827.41
1945 . . . . .	\$116,139.97
1946 . . . . .	\$147,139.14
1947 . . . . .	\$162,795.50
1948 . . . . .	\$165,370.36
1949 . . . . .	\$150,559.80
1950 . . . . .	\$161,541.77

One Million, One Hundred Seventy-Two Thousand Dollars Worth of Groceries Sold In Hico by Randals Brothers In Eight Years.

—The balance of our life will be spent in Hico —

# Randals Brothers

E. H. Randals      T. A. Randals      Lusk Randals

HAVE YOUR FREIGHT TO BE SHIPPED BY Central Freight Lines Shipments from Waco, Dallas and Fort Worth each night. D. R. PROFFITT, AGT.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE! Hazlewood Milk Randals Brothers

## 10 GOOD REASONS To Shop HOFFMAN'S

Friday - Saturday - Monday

DOROTHY PERKINS Cleansing Cream 1/2 Price Reg. 2.40 size	FINAL CLEAN-UP LADIES' WINTER HATS \$1.00 each
GARZA SHEETS \$2.98 each 81 x 99	WASH CLOTHS 7¢ each
UNBLEACHED DOMESTIC 22¢ yd. Reg. 29c	CANNON TOWELS 2 for \$1.00 Reg. 1.00
36 IN. PRINTS 29¢ yd.	ANKLETS 10¢ pair
HAWK BRAND OVERALLS \$2.98	ARMY KHAKI SUITS \$5.00

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