

# The Hico News Review

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## Revival Services Set July 9 Through 16 at First Baptist Church

Summer revival services at First Baptist Church will begin Sunday, July 9, and will continue through the following Sunday, July 16.

Services will be held each evening at 8 p.m.

Rev. Brad Helbert, who was raised in Hamilton and is presently pastor of the First Baptist Church at Gustine, will be evangelist. Jan Daehner will be in charge of music.

Rev. R. E. Tatum, pastor, and members of the congregation have issued an invitation to everyone to attend the services.

## Loy Nix Last Rites Held Here Monday at Funeral Home

Funeral services for Loy Nix, 67 of Dublin were conducted Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Bro. Estelle Moser of Stephenville officiating.

Mr. Nix passed away Friday, June 30 in the Knapp Memorial Hospital at Weslaco, where he had been a patient 10 days. He was born April 16, 1900 at Dublin, and had been residing there since 1959. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Muri Nix of Dublin; his step-mother, Mrs. Lula Nix of Big Spring; four daughters, Mrs. George Gross of Dimmitt, Mrs. Bill Burkett, Mrs. Dennis Winslow and Mrs. Bill Plunk of Fort Worth; four sons, James Nix of Fort Worth, Earl Nix of Harlingen, Loy Carl (Spider) Nix of Seattle, Washington, and Dennis (Corkey) Nix of Ft. Worth; two sisters, Mrs. Ernest Taggart of Rotan and Mrs. Eura Locke of Midland; four brothers, Muri Nix of Andrews, Leo Nix of Big Spring, Joe Nix of Tulock, Calif., and Jack Nix of Hawthorne, Calif.; and 20 grandchildren.

Burial was in Hico Cemetery.

## SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICER TO VISIT HERE TUESDAY

A representative of the Temple Social Security office will be in Hico at the City Hall at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 11.

Persons who wish to apply for social security benefits or wish to obtain information about the program should contact the representative.

## CIVIC CLUB WILL MEET WEDNESDAY

Hico Civic Club will meet in regular session next Wednesday, July 12 in the dining room of the former Koffee Kup Cafe building. All members are urged to be present. The club is currently in its summer schedule, meeting only on alternate Wednesdays.

## Happiness Is---Family Reunions, Gatherings and Outings

### Proffitt Family Has Annual Reunion at Hico City Park

The annual Proffitt family reunion was held Sunday, July 2 at Hico City Park.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Proffitt of Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Don Proffitt and children of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hickman of Gustine; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Proffitt of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. George Welburn and children of Fort Worth; James Lee Proffitt and Tena of Dimmitt; and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Proffitt of San Angelo.

Numerous other friends and relatives visited during the day.

### Funk Family Reunion Held June 10 and 11 at Abilene State Park

Abilene State Park was scene for the annual reunion of the family of Grace Funk June 10 and 11. Only five of her ten children could be present for the occasion, but 42 relatives attended. Five generations of the family were represented.

During the business meeting, called to order by the president, J. E. Funk, it was decided the family was to meet in Levelland the 4th Sunday in June for the 1968 reunion.

A large cake trimmed in red roses, with a candy ribbon bow on top inscribed with "The Funks--1967" was made by Mrs. C. E. Funk and enjoyed by the group.

Games, visiting and good food was enjoyed by the following: Mrs. Grace Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson Jr., Mrs. Becky Cook, Mrs. Loyd Funk, Bobby and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Funk, Lloyd and Sonta, all of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henderson and Lee of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Funk of Tuscola; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tankersley of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whatley of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Alton L. Whatley, Weldon and Gary of Electra; Mr. and Mrs. Mark McElroy Jr. and Lisa of Mesquite; Mary McElroy of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Funk of Wickett; Mr. and Mrs. Doug Warren, Stark, Wayne and Robbie of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Funk of Graham; and Mr. and Mrs. George Gafford and Peggy Ann of Weatherford.

### Berkley Family Gathering Held Last Sunday

The annual get-together of the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Berkley was held last Sunday.

Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Harris Chaney and children, Larry, Douglas, Brenda and Rickey of Burleson; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Gallaher, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gallaher and children, Mike, Jerry, Kay and Steve of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Trince Sisk and children, W. L., Belinda, Carolyn and Ronny of Fort Worth; Aneta Curtis and Richard, and granddaughter of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gallaher of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barker of Turnersville; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Berkley of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sims of Irving; Mrs. B. D. McKandless of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Junior Berkley of Hurst.

An enjoyable day was spent taking pictures and visiting.

### R. C. Christian Family Enjoys 4th Fish Fry

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Christian Sr. were hosts at a fish fry at their home the night of July Fourth.

Following the outdoor fish fry games of volleyball were enjoyed.

Attending were the Christian's children and families. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Christian, Belinda, Gaylon and Cindy of Clairette; Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Christian, Mike, Barry, Randy, Jan and Susan of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Christian, Donny, Torrie and Steven of Fair; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Christian, Dale, Gary, Jon Paul and Shirley, and a friend, Neva Nichols of Ranger; and Mr. and Mrs. Gail Christian and Leigh Ann of Hamilton.

Others attending were Dan Pike of Stephenville, Rebecca Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Shadden, Randy and Ronald of Clairette, Jimmy Jackson and Oliver Shadden of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. F. Groda, Mrs. Ruth Cranfill and Marvin Behrens, Marilyn and Lonnie of Clairette.

### Burgan-Higginbotham Family Reunion Held Sunday at Stephenville

The annual reunion of the Burgan and Higginbotham families was held Sunday, July 2 at the Stephenville City Park.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rogers, Marsha, Carol, Wes and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Burgan, Mark and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan and Margaret, all of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Boyd of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Ronnie, Carl and Leslie of Bryan; Mr. and Mrs. Kent Burgan of Mesquite; Mr. and Mrs. Glen E. Whiteside, Gail, Rodgie and Kreg of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Price, Cindy, Tracy and Penny of Dallas; Velma Whiteside of Colorado City;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Higginbotham, Mrs. Lonnie Redden, Debbie and Gayla, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Higginbotham and Cathy, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stringer, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stringer, all of Hico; Calvin and Mozelle Mace, Jerry and Linda Land, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Land and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sumrall, Diane and Clintis of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Boucher, Mike, Debra, David and Mark of Greens Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Morris P. Barker, Melissa, Marsha and Mark of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. David Cleveland, Lisa and Wesley of Granbury; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. James of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Max Burgan, Teresa and Dale of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Dub Howard, Larry and Gary of Granbury; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burgan, Daniel and Cheryl of Arlington; and Claude Higginbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber II, Carl, Kathy and Bonita of Midland visited over the weekend and through the July Fourth holiday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber III. They all enjoyed a camping trip to Lake Whitney, and were joined there Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prater, Sharon and Glen of Arlington visited during the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chock Little and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prater, and other relatives.

### Wesley, Whittington, And Bullard Reunion Held at Glen Rose

Relatives and friends of the Wesley, Whittington and Bullard families met at Oak Dale Park in Glen Rose June 25th for their annual reunion. Sixty-nine were present.

A basket lunch was spread at noon, and the afternoon was devoted to a short business meeting, visiting, taking pictures and swimming.

Among those attending were Mrs. Axie Guest, Florence McKandless, Leroy Haile, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McKandless and Timothy, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie New and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson of Hico; Mrs. Garland Coalsen Sr., Garland Jr. and Earl, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Pres O'Bannon and Mr. and Mrs. David Box, Carolyn and Donna of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haile and Juliann, Nannie Brown, Cora Lee Epperson, Linnie V. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Simpson and Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Simpson and Kim, Bessie Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Debus, Mr. and Mrs. James Gieger, Larry, Randy and Paul Ray Simpson, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bullard and Sharon; and Edward Bullard of Bellview; Edna Bullard Cooley of La Hebra, Calif.;

Also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullard and W. F. Bullard of Banning, Calif.; Hattie Rainey and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Brown of Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Simpson, David and Barry of Glen Rose; Ila Fitzpatrick of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Morris, Ellen and Kay of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hampton of Pottsville; Edward W. Bullard of Bowie; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wood of Burleson; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pruitt and Annie Watkins of Smithfield.

The reunion will be held at the same time and place next year.

### ELLIS FAMILY ENJOYS GATHERING AT FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Willard Tressler and DeLana of Jennerstown, Pa., to Fort Worth Sunday where they visited until Tuesday in the home of their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis and family. They were joined there by their other children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Rainwater and family of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ellis of Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Needham and family of Rio Vista and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle O'Neal of Hico, Janie and Jo Rainwater and Sherry Ellis returned to Hico with their grandparents for a visit.

### GRIFFITTS FAMILY ENJOY COOKOUT SATURDAY NIGHT

Members and relatives of the Griffitts family enjoyed a cookout last Saturday night at the roadside park between Hico and Iredell.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Griffitts, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey Griffitts, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffitts, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ogle, Lauri and Robyn, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle O'Neal, Mrs. Minnie Cole, Horace Griffitts of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt McCormick of Dallas, Mrs. Willard Tressler and DeLana of Jennerstown, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Needham, Hal and Trina of Rio Vista, and Mrs. Mae Russell of Hico.

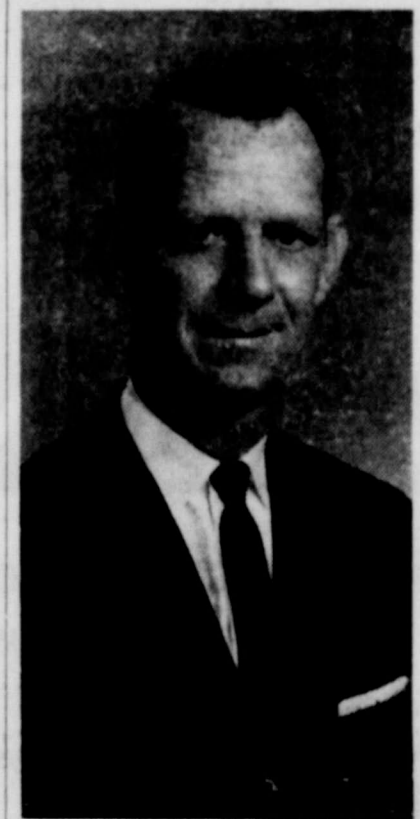
## Senator Word Named To Legislative Council For Second Term

Austin (Spl.)—Lt. Gov. Preston Smith this week announced the appointment of Senator J. P. Word of Meridian to the Texas Legislative Council. Word will be serving his second term on the Council, and during the past interim, he was chairman of the Council's study committee on county government.

The Legislative Council is a permanent legislative service agency with a full-time professional staff, which conducts studies requested by legislative resolution, provides bill-drafting services during sessions, and is also charged with the statutory revision function. Members of the Council, who determine policy and direct the work of this important agency, are appointed after adjournment of each regular session by the presiding officers of the two Houses, who also serve on the Council, with the Lieutenant Governor as chairman and the Speaker of the House of Representatives as vice chairman.

Word began his first term in the Senate in 1963 with the 58th Legislature. He is chairman of the Senate's standing committee on Legislative, Congressional and Judicial Districts, and is also a member of the following committees; Banking, Contingent Expenses, Counties, Cities and Towns, Finance, Game and Fish, Insurance, Privileges and Elections, Public Health, State Affairs, and Water and Conservation.

Miss Claudia Hafer of San Marcos visited during the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer.



REV. JAY DARNELL  
... First Methodist Revival Speaker

## Burleson Minister Will Lead Revival at First Methodist Church

First Methodist Church will hold its summer revival beginning Wednesday night, July 12, and continuing through Sunday night, July 16. Services will be conducted each evening at 7:30.

Rev. Jay Darnell, pastor of Burleson Methodist Church, will be evangelist. Rev. Eugene Roberson, pastor of Dublin Methodist Church, will be in charge of music.

Rev. Darnell is serving his sixth year as pastor of the Burleson church. Prior to his entry into the active ministry he was in the grocery business, which he left to start a new church at Bedford, where he served six years. In the five years at Burleson, he has received some 600 members, many of whom has united in profession of faith. Rev. Darnell has led his church in building a new parsonage, as well as enlarging the sanctuary and educational facilities.

Rev. Hubert Taylor, pastor, has issued an invitation to everyone to attend the services.

## Open Installation Set Monday Night for Officers of 4 Lodges

Open installation ceremonies for four area Masonic Lodges will be held Monday night, July 10, at the Carlton School Cafeteria.

Lodges that will be represented at the installation are Hico, Carlton, Fairy, and Hamilton.

Rev. Wesley Jones of Lanham, District Deputy to the Grand Master form the 11th Masonic District, will serve as master of ceremonies, and will be installing officer.

The meeting starts at 8 p.m. when a barbecue supper will be served for \$1.65 per plate, and will be followed by the installation of officers from the four lodges, plus fellowship and visitation.

The meeting is open to the public, and everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

## Friday Rites Held For Charles R. Appleby, 48-Year-Old Iredell Man

Funeral services for Charles Richard Appleby, 48, were conducted Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel. Rev. Lige Jackson and Rev. Bill Hayes officiated.

Mr. Appleby, who had been in ill health for several months, passed away Thursday at 10:50 p.m. in the Meridian Hospital where he had been a patient four days.

He was born April 16, 1919 in Bosque County, and was the son of Dick W. and Lucy Beavers Appleby. He was a brick mason, and had been living in Iredell the past nine months.

He attended Iredell Schools, and served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Survivors include his parents, of Iredell; one daughter, Miss Bettie Appleby of San Antonio; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Toban of Denver, Colorado and Mrs. Tom Strange of Iredell; and one brother, D. G. Appleby of Iredell.

Burial was in New Iredell Cemetery. Pallbearers were five nephews, Denny Poffitt, Bob Proffitt and Raymond Proffitt, Marvin McClure and Don Appleby, and a friend of the family, Sid McCoy.

## WEATHER REPORT--

The following weather report is submitted by W. R. Hampton, local observer for the Climatological Service of the United States Weather Bureau.

High temperature, June 28 and 29--100 degrees.

Low temperature, June 7--64 degrees.

Precipitation for June, 2.31 inches. Total precipitation for the year, 9.61 inches.

## ENJOY NEW MEXICO TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Wilson enjoyed a vacation trip from Saturday through the Fourth holiday to New Mexico. They attended the horse races at Ruidosa, and toured other scenic points of interest in that state.

## VISITING FROM PENNSYLVANIA

Mrs. Willard Tressler and DeLana of Jennerstown, Pa. are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis and other relatives.

## FLAG KITS ARE AVAILABLE HERE

Hico Civic Club has available to the public, 50 flag kits and poles. Total cost of the kit, which includes an American flag, a Texas flag, and a 10-foot pole is \$3.00.

The Civic Club purchased the flags in an attempt to have every business in town decorated for every holiday. Businessmen and individuals may obtain the kits from Bruce Slaughter, secretary of the club.



JIMMY CHEEK  
Receives A&M Scholarship  
Merit Award Scholarship Winner  
Texas A. & M.

Station (Spl.)—A Tarleton College junior, Jimmy Cheek, Virginia Beach, Va., will receive a Merit Award Scholarship from Texas A&M University.

Two-year scholarship, for a year, is awarded annually outstanding Texas junior college students, according to Dr. C. H. Hall, faculty scholarship committee chairman.

The scholarship program is supported by industry, former students and organization gifts through the A&M Development Fund.

Cheek who had a 2.52 grade point average on a 3.0 system in agricultural education at Tarleton, plans to pursue the same course of study at A&M. The 1965 Corpus Christi graduate was a Distinguished Student, and outstanding fresh-graduate agricultural student at TSC. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Cheek of Virginia Beach, grandson of Mrs. S. J. Cheek and Mr. and Mrs. Jim D. Cheek of Hico.

## RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chaney and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan returned home following an scenic vacation tour through states. Points of interest in the Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, Grand Canyon, Hoover Las Vegas, Salt Lake City, and Yellowstone National Parks Peak, and other places Colorado Springs. A special occasion was a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Chaney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chaney also visited G. Paddock and family in Vegas.

## RETURN FROM LOUISIANA

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, and Scottie of Lafayette, La. returned here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baley, Jeannie and Chuck. Visitors in the home Sunday night and Mrs. C. L. Cozby of Vegas.

## BOWLING ALONG...

League Secretary

Salmon took the Skippers himself, while Pat and Glenn were up in the cool country. He rolled a 518, but Joan Keller over-powered him with Pete turning in a 423. Ruth Salmond took Glenn's game, and Ruth Salmon had series, as they split 2-2 with Gators as James Autrey rolled out a 158 game and wife a 154. Kilgus are holding their record winning three points each with Marlene scattering pins in 104 game and George rolling for their win over the Ham-

Standings	Points	Games
The Skippers	13 1/2	6 1/2
The Wobblers	13	7
The Wahos	12	8
Alley Gators	11 1/2	8 1/2
The Swifties	10	10
The Widows	10	10
The Pluggers	9	11
Alley Oops	8 1/2	11 1/2
The Daisies	7 1/2	12 1/2
Poodle Papas	5	15



## Fairy Community News

By MRS. EUNICE DANIEL

We received 2 1/2 inches of rain Saturday, and from all reports it seems the rain was pretty general. We surely hope so as some parts of this area were very dry.

The writer was in Evant last Tuesday to attend funeral services for James McDonald, 53, held at 2 p.m. We learned from relatives while there that what was thought to be his wife's remains had been found in the burned ruins of their home in Tombs Brook, Virginia.

We were sorry to learn of the passing of Mr. Henry Box of Dublin, whose funeral was held there last Sunday week. We overlooked reporting it in last week's news. He was 77 and a brother of Jack Box of Hamilton.

Mrs. Oran Willeford and Delia, and her mother, Mrs. Jessie Edwards of Hico visited Tuesday of last week in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perry, and Mrs. Willeford's sister, Mrs. Mildred Allison. Delia visited the rest of the week with her sister, the Perrys, who brought her home Saturday and spent the weekend. Other visitors in the Willeford home during the weekend and holiday were his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Britton Willeford, Britta and Larry of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyne returned home Friday afternoon following a two-week vacation trip to Barre, Vermont and Montreal, Canada. They accompanied their two daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton and Mr.

and Mrs. Ben Dowdy of Ft. Worth. They state they saw many sights of interest and beautiful country.

We received a phone call from George Duncan of Long Island, New York the day of their arrival home wanting information of the Goynes' whereabouts. George takes the News Review and had seen in our news where they were on the trip and was in hopes he could catch them. Sorry George, they said they would have liked to have seen you.

Peter Jameson Hoover of Daly City, Calif. is visiting in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and assisting his grandfather to break stubble land. His parents, the Darwin Hoovers, plan to visit here the last of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wood, Ronnie and Charles of Garland visited during the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl King.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison of Stephenville visited awhile Saturday afternoon in the home of her sister and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Janice, and this scribe.

While talking with George Duncan by phone he told us how he enjoyed the Fairy news. So you see folks, you never know who is hearing from you through these news letters. Your folks appreciate hearing from you and everyone should turn in any items of news of interest to your folks. Not just the Fairy news, but all community

news letters.

We were sorry to learn of the passing of Herman Davidson, 66, of Arlington, whose funeral was held there June 22. Herman was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davidson of the Lanham community and brother of Mrs. Pedro Jones, and uncle of Robert Jones of Lanham and Mrs. Frank Hanes of Pottsville. The Hanes and possibly others attended the service. Mrs. Jones was unable to attend. Herman died of a bone malignancy. He is survived by his wife and two sons, the sisters, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Ethel Broyles of Evant and a brother, Quince Davidson, and possibly others. Our sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

We were sorry to learn of the misfortune of Sidney Wallace of Pottsville who lost his home and contents by fire last Sunday week while he was away. Sidney is the bachelor son of the late Mrs. Mattie Wallace who was a roommate of the late Mrs. Brittie Little while a patient in the Willeford home.

While in Evant last Tuesday we visited with Mrs. Ozra Newton, who fell recently while in Lubbock and broke her hip. She looks well and was bright and cheerful and stated her doctor said he thought she would be able to try to walk some soon with the aid of a walker. Ozzie Dean of Lubbock had received a fall and cracked her knee cap and she was out there to be with her and had only been there two days when the accident happened. She said her daughter was able to do her housework with the aid of a wheel chair.

While making inquiry as to the

location of the January care home to visit Mrs. Newton we stopped at a home and knocked. The husband came to the door and was giving us information when his wife came to the door and was peeping around the facing. We told her to stick her head out, that we believed we knew her. She in return told us she was thinking the same. We told her she was the former Viola Wolf of Fairy. We were schoolmates back in 1904 to 1906 probably. We had met her one time since they moved from here, residing on the Deaton place. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Wolf. They lost an 8-year-old daughter, Blanche, while living here, who is buried at Fairy. While at the Murphy cemetery we came across the parent grave. His marker bore the name William Wolf. It was near the grave site of Mr. McDonald and we asked the undertaker, Mr. Hamilton, if that was Mrs. Viola Arnold's parents' grave and he said it was. That he went to West Texas at some point and picked up Mr. Wolfe's body. His wife had passed away while they lived at Evant and was buried there. Mr. Wolf was an uncle of the late Hub Wolf.

The writer attended singing at Indian Gap Sunday afternoon. Mrs. M. C. Anderson accompanied us from Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mason also attended. A good crowd was present, including visiting singers, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pendleton of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Herring of Morgan, and Mrs. Clara Gray of DeLeon. All enjoyed a good song service.

Mrs. J. H. Davis recently returned from Scott & White Hospital where she had a checkup following recent surgery. She got a good report which her many friends will be glad to learn.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Duncan of Fort Worth spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Olga Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Miller and Ronald of Fort Worth were Monday visitors with her mother and brother, Mrs. M. E. Parks and Audie.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Becky of Fort Worth and Grand Prairie spent last week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Streater. They spent the greater

part of the time camping on the Leon River fishing and report a good catch. They were joined on Wednesday to Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Wayne Turner of Killen, and Bobby Turner also joined them later in the week.

Mrs. Mauzee Whitson of Hico visited Sunday in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyne, and Mrs. Ruth Cunningham. Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Pitts of Hamilton also visited with Mrs. Cunningham Sunday afternoon.

Birthdays for July which we have are: Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers, July 9; Cathy Taegel, July 14; Jimmie Sellers, July 31; Mrs. Frank

Driver, Clifton, July 7, and Mrs. M. E. Parks, July 30.

In our trip to Indian Gap Sunday we saw that they are very dry from Hamilton on west to Indian Gap. Their crops will be cut short unless they get rain soon. The best maize was seen on our former home place, now owned by Carl Sellers, and Walter Abel is said to have some pretty maize and there may be other fields also. Our county agent reports dry conditions as far south as Lampasas. We hope they get some rain this time, but west of Hamilton didn't.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones have announced the engagement of their

daughter, Miss Roberta Kay Gap, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Nelson. Miss Jones attended P. High School. Their marriage will be an event of Saturday, August 4 at 8 p.m. at the Lanham Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bullard, and Donna of Arlington spent weekend with his parents, Mr. Mrs. C. A. Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrel Bullard and baby of Hurst visited the weekend with his parents, and Mrs. Justin Bullard and family, and with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bullard.

## JULY CLEARANCE SALE

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 Regular \$16.00 and \$17.00 ..... NOW \$13.00  
 Regular \$18.00 and \$20.00 ..... NOW \$15.00

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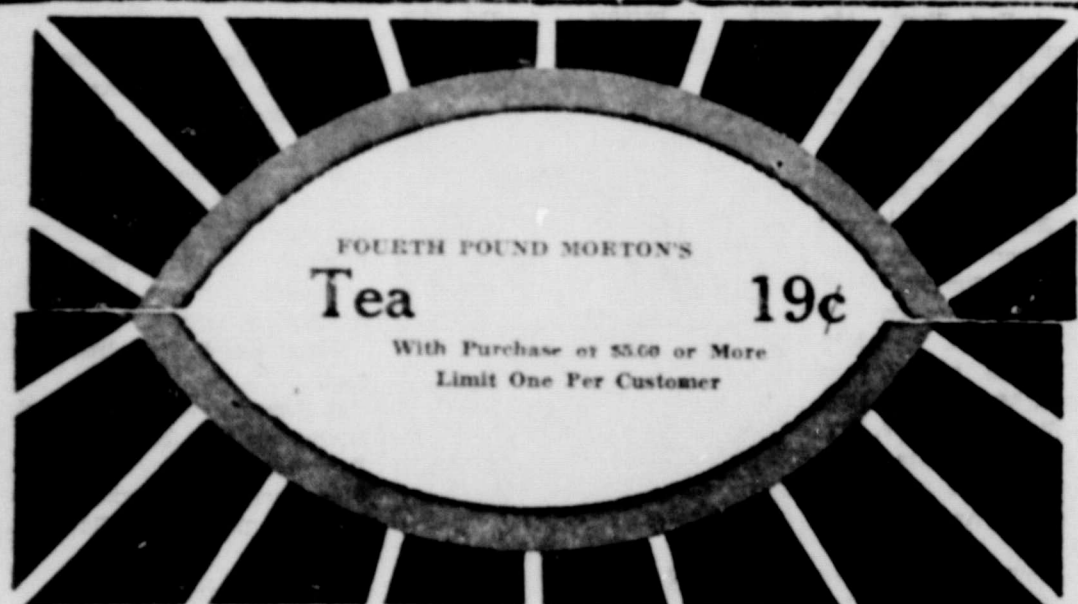
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10 OZ. INST. MAXWELL HOUSE <b>Coffee</b> \$1.19	3 POUND CAN MOHAWK <b>Hams</b> \$2.39
1 POUND CAN SHURFINE <b>Coffee</b> 59¢	SHURFRESH <b>Oleo</b> 19¢
46 OUNCE HAWAIIAN <b>Punch</b> 29¢	SHURFRESH <b>Biscuits</b> ea. 6¢
MY-T-FINE REGULAR <b>Puddings</b> 3/25¢	ALL MEAT <b>Bologna</b> lb. 39¢
4 OUNCE LIBBYS <b>Viennas</b> 2/35¢	12 OZ. SHURFINE <b>Orange Ju.</b> 4/\$1.00
3 1/2 SIZE VALVITA <b>Peaches</b> 2/39¢	10 OZ. FOOD KING <b>Strawberries</b> 19¢
5 LBS. GLADIOLA <b>Flour</b> 49¢	1/4 GALLON AFFILIATED <b>Mellorine</b> 3/\$1

## H. & B. FOOD STORE

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WE DELIVER

HICO, TEX

### DUFFAU

By MRS. PASCHAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fallin and daughters of Fort Worth visited with old friends and at the home of Stanley Roach Saturday.

We received 3.4 inches of rain Saturday, which all appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Howard and Larry of Granbury visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan.

Mrs. E. G. Shaffer of Hico spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer and family.

Mrs. A. C. Sumrall and Mrs. Bud Stringer visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burgan Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weadon and children of Arlington were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Preacher Bowie.

Mrs. Reba Dick and Danny of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul, and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Naul visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hoffman of Seagoville and attended the Naul reunion at Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and children of Dallas visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul and Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed and sons of Fort Worth and Bill Elkins of Dallas were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Festel Elkins and family during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and family and Paschal Brown were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Killian at Iredell Saturday night.

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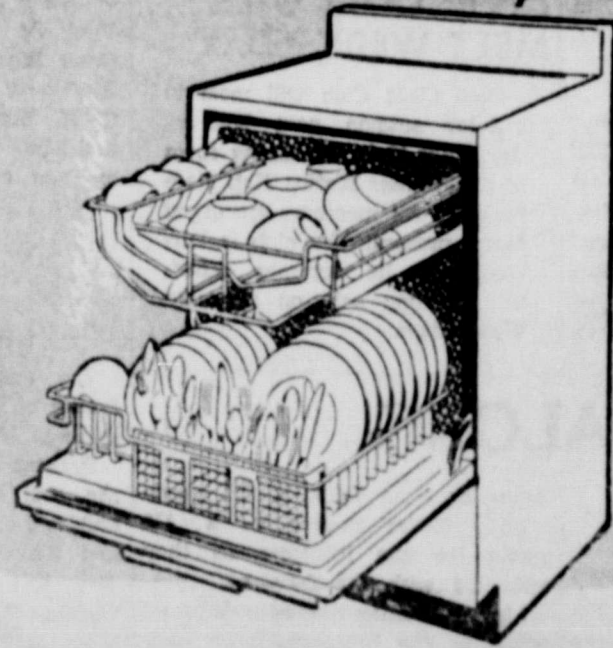
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## Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

Thursday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Haile and Ray were Kathrine Lang of Ireland, Mr. W. F. Lang of Laport, and Mrs. Emma Fabuen of Ireland. Friday visitors with the Hailes were John Timmons of Houston and Mrs. Cloe Jones of Mosheim.

Mr. Rudy Dolkas of Fort Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akard, James and Elise. His son, who had been visi-

ting in the Akard home, returned to Fort Worth with him.

Mrs. Garland Parker and Mrs. A. E. James were in Cleburne shopping last Thursday, and had lunch with Mrs. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp and two sons of Dublin visited awhile Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Paine and Bishop spent the weekend in Comanche with his mother, Mrs. B. M. Paine.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bradley of Dublin were visitors for a time Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James.

Mrs. J. P. Merritt and Jerry Beth were shopping in Hamilton Saturday.

Mrs. V. Dolkas of Fort Worth is visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akard, James and Eloise.

Rev. and Mrs. Sam Johnston of Lampasas were luncheon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Trammell, following services at Olin Baptist Church Sunday.

Kenneth Knapp and two daughters of McGregor came Saturday and stayed until after the holidays

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Haile of College Station came Saturday and remained through the holiday with their parents and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Haile and sons and Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Parker spent the weekend on Lake Whitney fishing.

Jerry Garner, who works in Fort Worth spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Garner.

We wish to extend sympathy to Mrs. A. C. Odell and her family in the loss of her brother-in-law, Mr. Loy Nix of near Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King took Miss Dana McCaulley of Goodyear, Arizona and Mike Taylor of Phoenix on a sight-seeing tour Tuesday of the dinosaur trail along the Paluxy River near Glen Rose.

These tracks were made in prehistoric times by dinosaurs that roamed this beautiful river valley. We found it very interesting and an attraction for tourists who visit the Lone Star State.

We also toured the museum, seeing a very old still used at one time for making whiskey; also a Singer sewing machine 146 years old with brass attachments, and many, many historical and age-old things. We toured the court house, built in 1893, which has had very few changes made since construction. Then a swim in the large pool filled with mineral water.

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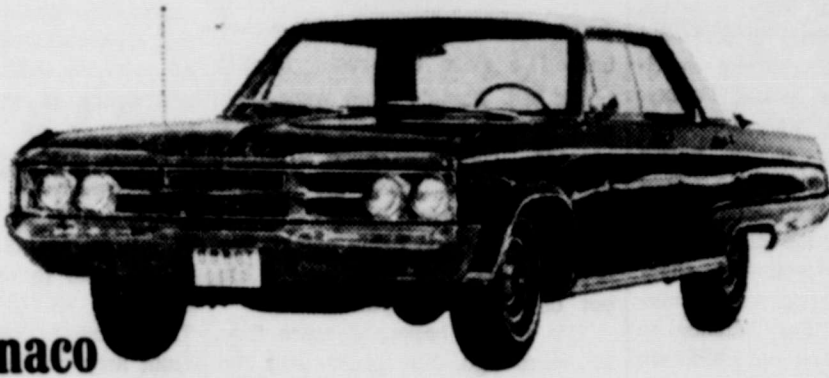
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# Fractured 'Philosophy...

By J. Rayford Wooton

## "Tragedy of an Empty Echo"

We stood on the table top rock jutting out from the cliff—listening. The silvery darts of the pale moonbeams were stabbing at the glistening hoarfrost that lay heavy on the mountainside. The cold chill in the still night air crept through, to send tingling shivers up one's spine, and the stillness of the night pressed in upon our ears with a crushing silence. We had not heard any sound for more than ten minutes. The last bugle call of the *baying* of Ponto, had let us know he had hit a very cold trail, and was working hard to get it straightened out. We waited.

The Paluxy River lay perhaps one thousand feet below where we stood. The shimmering water of the river looked like a silver ribbon in the pale halocast the moon shed over the countryside. The scraggly trees on the upper slopes of the mountain seemed to tumble down to blend into the tall stately ones that grew along the river's bank. On our right, Straight Creek cascaded along its very crooked, rock cluttered channel through the Devil's Gorge, to spill its swirling waters into the placid Paluxy. The Devil's Gorge was not more than 50 feet wide at the mouth of the crooked, meandering Straight Creek, but the smooth face of the rock walls rose to the dizzy height of more than 300 feet. The sheer drop to the rocky bed below caused us to respect the distance to the edge of the rock on which we waited.

Lewis and I had been hunting partners since childhood, and we were now enjoying one of the greatest thrills a man can have—waiting in suspense for the chase to get underway. Ponto was one of the best 'coon hounds that ever sniffed a track, and we were sure we could depend on the music of the race, and eventually another 'coon pelt to add to our increasing number. "Old Mr. Booger" was a very sharp and cunning racoon. He had made his escape several times, despite all of the best efforts Ponto had to offer. We broke the silence to comment that we hoped this was Mr. Booger that Ponto was trying to get running tonight. Momentarily we were rewarded. The still silence was broken as the ringing bay of Ponto echoed across the valley below. We knew he was still on the trail and now shorter howling echoes pierced the stillness of the winter's cold, relayed the message that Ponto was about to get Mr. "Coon straightened for the race. Excitement stirred our veins, and the warmth could be felt as a radiant, intoxicated glow. The chase was on.

"Old Mr. Booger" tried every trick he was capable of, but Ponto was determined tonight. The chase lasted for almost two hours, and finally Mr. Booger knew the end was near. During the long chase, there were times when the 'coon had led the way for several miles from where we were, but we knew he would be back to his regular haunts. At last the heavy *baying* of the hound started up the steep slope of the mountains, just across the gorge from where we stood transfixed in thrill and anticipation. We knew Booger was trying to make it to his den among the rocks of the Devil's Gorge. Ponto was in close pursuit, we could tell by the sound of his voice. The 'coon and hound had reached the top of the walls of the gorge, when suddenly the action of a brief encounter of battle reached across the narrow stretch then all was quiet. We listened—we called—but only the hollow, empty echo of our call resounded back to our ears and beyond, to die among the jagged rocks of the Devil's Gorge. Finally, with heavy hearts, we gave up and went home. Daylight of the new morning would tell the story.

At the earliest light of dawn, we were at the scene of the hunt. The story was plain — Mr. Booger was not more than four feet from the entrance of his rock den, high on the walls of the gorge, when he was overtaken by the hard pursuing hound, Ponto made an attack, and in the ensuing struggle of battle, both hound and racoon had toppled over the breath-taking wall to the depths below. The battered and broken bodies of our

# On the Home Range

By SONDRA CRAIG

Home Demonstration Agent

Most homemakers have a problem keeping glassware shining and clean. Minerals in water often result in such cleaning problems as lime deposits and surface discolorations. To remove the lime deposits from the bottoms of pitchers, bottles, or decanters, put tea leaves on the stained surface and fill the container with a vinegar solution. For surface discoloration on decanters, rub the glass with half a lemon, or wash it with vinegar, or partially fill with uncooked rice and vinegar and shake vigorously. Stains in flower vases can be cleaned with a chlorine bleach solution. To brighten glass coffee makers, use a teaspoon of baking soda in the rinse water.

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favorite 'coon hound, and the unusually large carcass of the old boar 'coon, who thought he could outsmart any dog, lay together bashed against the rocks in the creek bed. Ponto's fangs were sunk deep into the throat of the giant raccoon. The determined strength to win had not made the courageous hound release his grip. Ponto had won. The end came quickly for both, as the long fall crushed life out of both participants.

This tragedy happened more than 35 years ago, but come with me tonight, and as we climb out upon the top of Devil's Gorge and stand

on the same spot where Lewis and I stood those many nights gone by, we shall get the impact of the moral of this tragic incident. If we call, the hollow, empty sound of the echo shall come back again and again. If we stand in silence, the secrets of this tragedy, and many more, shall be held in the stern bosom of the walls of the great Gorge of the Devil. The moral is this—Never in life may we be able to accomplish the victory that we may gain in death. The ultimate endeavor of achievement may not be ours to claim until death has taken away our awareness of the attainment.

# Clairette Community News

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

A wonderful rain started falling here early Saturday morning. 3.7 inches fell at my place. Others reported 3½ to 4 inches.

The Busy Bee Sewing Club members, their husbands and friends enjoyed a picnic supper and party Thursday night, June 29 at the Les and Arvy Dowdy roadside park. After supper, the group enjoyed visiting and looking over the park and surrounding scenery. South of the park lies a field, then Greens Creek, backed by hills covered with beautiful trees. The land was donated to the Highway Department by Les and Arvy Dowdy in memory of her parents, the late Jake and Mattie Carter, who owned the land before they passed away. Everyone in this area should be proud of the very nice park. Visitors attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head of Cleburne, Mrs. Nilla Denton and Miss Smith of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCain of Fort Worth, Mrs. Iva Golightly and Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Carter of Clairette. The club will disband through July and August, meeting again the first Thursday in September.

Mrs. T. F. Hill went to Sterling City for her mother, Mrs. A. W. Dearen Saturday, who will be visiting in their home for awhile.

Mrs. Jim Trammell of Weatherford came after her daughters, who spent a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Noland.

Phillip Carr is ill in the Veterans Hospital at Temple. He underwent surgery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head of Cleburne spent their vacation at their place here recently. They attended services Sunday at the Methodist Church. Their daughter, Mary Gail Magee and family of Burleson was here over the weekend.

Mrs. Nora (Reagor) Read of Waco and her daughter, Mrs. Vera Mayfield of Abilene stopped by to see Mrs. Myrtle Thompson Wednesday. They spent a week at Mrs. Mayfield's home at Abilene. She

has been staying with her mother for sometime due to her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Salmon of Stephenville visited Sunday afternoon in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Alexander were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carlson of Fort Worth, Gage McAnally and daughter of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hoffpouir and Mrs. Myrtle Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCain of Fort Worth visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Hoffpouir recently.

Capt. and Mrs. Fred Wilson Jr. and daughter, Sharon LaRay were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boone. The Wilsons are enroute to Berlin, Germany after being stationed with the U.S. Army at Fort Knox, Ky. Capt. Wilson recently graduated from the Armor Officers Career Course, and will command Co., F, 40th Armored Brigade in Berlin.

Bob Boone was a weekend visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boone. He is a student at the University of Texas. Miss Sharon Howard, student at Southwest Texas State, San Marcos, was also a visitor in the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Simons and Darla spent Tuesday at Stephenville visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Thurman and sons. They all enjoyed a picnic at the Stephenville Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Berna Jr., Calvin and Penny of DeLeon visited during the weekend in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Essie Luckie and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Berna and Jerry.

Carolyn Wooton and Nellye Wolfe, who are attending college at San Marcos, visited during the weekend in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wooton and Mrs. Marguerite Wolfe and family.

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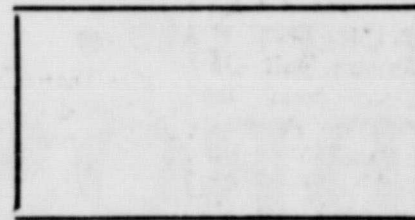
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Libbys Grapefruit Ju.—46 oz	3 for \$1.00
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MRS. ALVIN DEAN HALLER

## MARY JO CLARK, ALVIN DEAN HALLER ARE MARRIED IN STEPHENVILLE CEREMONY

Mary Jo Clark of Ft. Worth was the bride of Alvin Dean Haller of Grand Prairie in a double ceremony read Saturday evening, July 1, in First Baptist Church, Stephenville. Rev. Emil ... pastor, read the vows at ...

Harry K. Thornton of Gustine, both sisters of the bride. Bill Babylon of Pleasant Hill, Mo., uncle of the groom, served as best man. Other attendants and ushers were Bill Beaty of Raytown, Mo., brother-in-law of the groom, Graham Davis of Seattle, Washington, Joe Dale Kennedy of Fort Worth and James Abel of Sidney.

A reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church, before the couple left for a honeymoon trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Haller is a 1963 graduate of Stephenville High School, and is employed with Texas Electric Co. in Fort Worth. Mr. Haller attended Central Missouri State College, and graduated from the University of Missouri. He is a member of Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity and of the Missouri Professional Civil Engineer's Association. He is employed at LTV in Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Winford Parr, Michele and Michael of Stephenville visited during the weekend and holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Vinson.

## Mrs. Duncan Hostess To Hi-Lo Bridge Club Party Last Friday

Members and guests of the Hi-Lo Bridge Club were entertained Friday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. B. E. Duncan.

The hostess served a refreshing plate to her guests preceding games of bridge.

Mrs. Glen Marshall, Mrs. R. B. Jackson and Mrs. L. J. Chaney were guests, and members present were Mrs. Frank Bonner, Mrs. Robert Lee, Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Fred Rainwater, Mrs. Rusty Roberson and Mrs. H. W. Sherrard. At conclusion of bridge play, Mrs. Lee was winner of high score and Mrs. Bonner won second high.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wooton Sunday were their children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mayfield and Terri of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wooton of Granbury, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stringer and D'Ann.

Paul Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Campbell of Dallas, is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barnard and Kimberly of DeSota were Sunday guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan. Their son, Dale, returned home with them after a visit with his grandparents. Other visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Don Jernigan of Waco, Mrs. Pearl Jernigan and Mrs. Zuella Strother.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parks were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parks, Rickey and Tjuna of Wichita Falls, Teresa Parks of Lake Charles, La., Mrs. W. B. Fenton of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter and Kelli.

Miss Sharon Howard of San Marcos visited during the weekend and holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wooton of Granbury visited during the weekend in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Louise Rushing and Henry, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wooton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Walker of Stephenville visited Saturday night in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Simons and Darla.

Sgt. and Mrs. Alvin McNaughton and family of Morgan visited during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McClure and Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cox of Stephenville visited Sunday in the home of their granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Simons and Darla.

Mrs. J. P. Clepper returned home Saturday following a week's visit at Lamesa with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clepper. The Cleppers accompanied her home and visited until Sunday.

Mrs. L. D. Galloway and Nancy of Dublin visited last Thursday in the homes of her cousins, Mrs. W. L. Malone and Mrs. Geo. Christopher.

## RETURN FROM VACATION

Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor and John returned home June 29 following an 18-day vacation trip to Mesa Verde, Colorado, Salt Lake City, Tacoma, Wash., Yellowstone National Park, Rocky Mountain National Park, and Colorado Springs. While at Tacoma they visited with his sisters, Miss Jeannie Taylor and Mrs. Harold Brooks.

## ENJOY VACATION TRIP

Mrs. A. H. Lackey returned home Friday night following a 10-day vacation trip. She accompanied her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McArdle of Galena Park on the trip. They visited at Bentonville, Arkansas with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ivy and at Baxter Springs, Kansas with Mrs. Nell Arnold. The McArdles accompanied Mrs. Lackey home and remained for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fowler, Randy, Danny and Mike of Beaumont have been visiting the past two weeks in the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Jaggars, and with other relatives. Other visitors in the home over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jaggars, Curtis, Larry and Montie of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Jaggars and Freida, Mrs. Billy Booth, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stone of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus King attended the Carlton Homecoming held Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mote and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Prater, Sharon and Glen of Arlington spent July Fourth at Meridian Lake.

Melody Vance of Paris and Vivian Vance from Grand Prairie returned home Sunday after visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Eula V. Vance.

Mrs. Lurline Medlin of Phoenix, Arizona visited last week with her brothers, J. B. Mayfield of Hico, Thea Mayfield of Duffau and Claude Mayfield of Stephenville. She also visited at the Clairette Cemetery where her mother and father, the late Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mayfield, and other relatives are buried. She visited in Fort Worth with her sisters, Mrs. Irene Crow and Mrs. Opal Cozby, and in Graham with another sister, Mrs. Jessie Pool.

Kathy Barber of Midland is visiting this week in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber.

Kathy Higginbotham of Dallas visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Higginbotham.

Mary Ann McClure of Dallas visited during the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McClure and Raymond, who is visiting his parents from Houston.

Randy Scott of Fort Worth recently spent several days in the home of his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Von Scott Devonna and Tanja.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jernigan of Waco visited during the weekend in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Jernigan and Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Akin.

Bill Lackey of San Antonio was a Hico visitor last Friday.

## Bridge Party Enjoyed Friday Afternoon in Knudson Home

Mrs. M. I. Knudson was hostess in her home last week when she entertained members and guests of the Friday Afternoon Bridge Club with a party.

Refreshments were served during the afternoon when four games of bridge were enjoyed.

Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. Buddy Randals and Mrs. Charles Baley were guests, and members present were Mrs. Sarah Reeves, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. Sandy Ogle and Mrs. E. V. Meador.

Following bridge play, Mrs. Meador was winner of high score and Mrs. Randals won second high.

## ENJOY NEW MEXICO TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ross and children enjoyed a camping trip last week to Red River, New Mexico. They also toured other points of interest in that state.

## ENJOY TRIP TO OKLAHOMA

Mrs. B. E. Duncan and Mrs. Bess Mingus returned home last Tuesday following a trip to Oklahoma where they visited at Hollis and Mangum with relatives. Enroute home they visited at Spur with relatives.

## ARIZONA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Marshall and Merry are visiting here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall. They are moving to Cipecue, Arizona where he will be principal of an Indian school on the reservation there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flores and children of Dallas visited Saturday in the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Woody Wilson.

## BABY SON FOR OGLES

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ogle are proud parents of an adopted baby son, Robert Wayne. The young lad was born Thursday, June 15, and weighed 7 pounds. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ogle, and great-grandmother is Mrs. Jessie Connally.

Mrs. W. B. Fenton of Snyder visited last week in the homes of her daughter and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter and Kelli.

Dwain Fail, who is employed in Fort Worth, visited during the holidays in the home of his mother, sisters and grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor and Paul of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Taylor and John.

## VISITORS FROM AFRICA

Visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Adcock and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Loyd and daughters this week are Mrs. Thelston Bullard and children of Tripoli, Libya North Africa, Mrs. George Bullard and children and Miss Betty Coffey from Crane.

## DIES IN GERMANY

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Tatum received word from their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Robert Tatum Jr. that her father, E. A. Froesclike passed away June 27 in Germany. Mrs. Tatum and daughter have been in Germany with her father, and plan to return home soon. Her mother is also planning a visit to America in the near future.

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By OMAR BUKLESON, M.C.  
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Washington, D.C.—How can governmental expenditures be substantially reduced?

One would think this is a question that could readily be answered by any member of Congress, but a lot of us, including the Chairman of the Appropriations Committee, remain in a state of real quandary as to just how it can be done.

Anyone, of course, would know that if we simply reduced the scope of the numerous Federal activity it would cost less money.

But the situation is simply this: There are 14 Departmental Appropriations, not including what we call supplemental. Supplemental are those funds voted for the overall operation of all departments when, at the end of the fiscal year, it is found that more money is needed.

Each of these appropriations is handled by a sub-committee which sits for months, going over each item with a fine-tooth comb. When it finally reaches the point of debate in the House of Representatives, each becomes the most important appropriation, and the 13 others are not seen at the time. The overall picture can not be seen until all appropriations have been concluded. This is usually near the end of the session of Congress.

Unless substantial budget cuts are made in this new fiscal year, which just began this July 1, a gargantuan deficit must be faced.

Like the old soldier who never dies, so do obsolete federal programs. New programs often come under attack because they have not been in existence long enough to build up a group of beneficiaries who will fight tooth and toenail

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to see that benefits continue to flow. Yet, older programs which may be well outmoded continue because of empire-building in the Executive Branch and the efforts of a select group of program beneficiaries.

In the late 1940's the rules were changed to bring all appropriations bills under debate at one time. In other words, it was a packaged deal. This procedure was abandoned because it found too difficult to handle them all at one time and careful consideration was lost. There is talk of returning to this system in the hope of establishing priorities to establish a balanced look at appropriations in their entirety.

There is proposed legislation to create a Government Program Evaluation Commission to analyze old and Federal programs to determine whether they are cost effective, whether they should be continued, and what priority they should be assigned. The Commission would report to the President and Congress on or before February 1, 1969. It would be composed of members from private life appointed by the President, the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate.

Many times the appointment of another committee, commission or the creation of another agency is a waste of time and money. On the other hand, a point of desperation has been reached as to how to better control the huge expenditures of the Government.

Aside from the fact we are having to finance a war in Viet Nam, Government costs continue to increase by leaps and bounds. Not only has the cost of Federal Government increased tremendously with all its new activities, but costs of government at all levels are adding to the burden of paying taxes, and unless better controlled, a point of no return is rapidly approaching.

Each department of government feels that what it is doing is the most important part of the Government's entire operation. This

way of thinking extends to the individual members of Congress in the various programs which directly affect their constituency and their area of the Country. There are those intensely interested in the conservation of natural resources, which is divided between the Department of Interior and the Department of Agriculture. There is special interest in labor, health, education and welfare. The State Department, Justice Department and Commerce Department come in for their partisan support. Public works are important to every Congressional District in the United States. Defense and military construction is a must. The big cities are interested in housing and transportation.

There has got to be some limits, somewhere.

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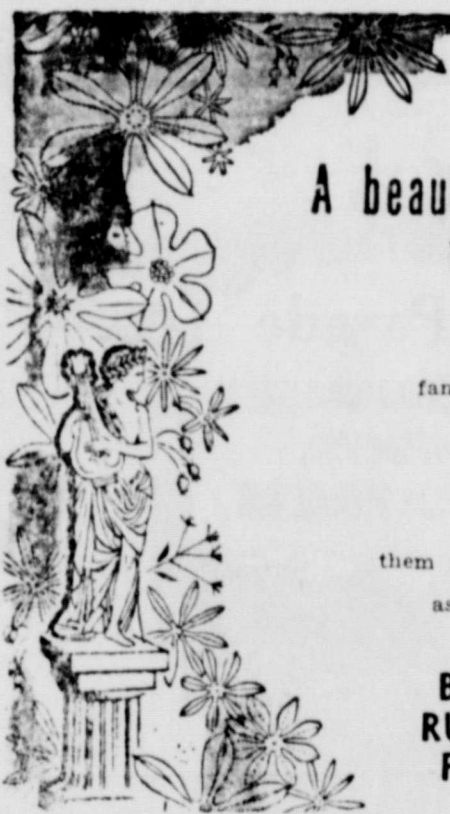
By BILL McCUTCHEON

Rainfall in Hamilton for the first half of 1967 is 9.68 inches, according to Bomer Harris. This is about nine inches or more shy of our normal rainfall for this period and tells a sad story for farmers and ranchers. Particularly since almost no measurable rain fell in the county last fall and winter. This is shaping up to be one of those years that I have heard Grandpa talk about.

The southern part of the county is really hard hit as they have not had most of the rains that we have had in Hamilton. Grain sorghum crops in the south of the county are burning badly and most fields are just in the early boot stage. Rain will have to come soon to be of any help in this area as far as the grain sorghum and feed is concerned.

In the northern section of the county rainfall is above the Hamilton level and crops and pastures are holding up fairly well. Some grain sorghum crops in this area could be very good if more moisture is received soon.

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By Ace Reid



"Hey boys, pull this feller off me before he ruins my reputation of being the toughest man around here!"

I checked several fields of grain sorghum last week and the early part of this week for sorghum midge and could find only a very light population. With all the grain sorghum late this year because of the drought I expected that we might run into heavy midge damage. I would urge farmers who have good grain sorghum crops to continue checking for this most destructive pest.

Although I found very little midge I did find locally heavy populations of the corn earworm. In some areas there were as many as two to three worms per head in the grain sorghum fields. They were consuming a lot of grain and causing a blasting appearance in spots in the fields.

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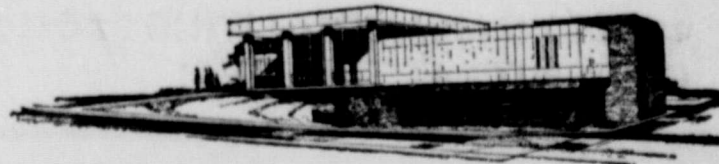
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By MRS. DORIS WILLIAMSON  
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Open house from 2 until 5 Sunday afternoon, July 2, was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris. Their children were hosts, honoring their parents on their 50th wedding anniversary.

250 guests registered or sent gifts. All six of their children and families were present. They are Anna Maude Petty of San Antonio, Kathryn Bloodworth of Corpus Christi, Georgella Echols of Houston, Robert Harris of Helolis, James Harris of Waco, and Jack Harris of Alexandria, Virginia.

Sisters and brothers of the couple that were present included Mrs. Willie Fouts of Vernon, Howard Myers of Dallas, Charlie Myers of Fort Worth, Ida Helm of Cranfills Gap, Jewel Myers of Waco, Ola Miller of Wagner, Okla., Lola Trimmier of San Antonio, Mrs. J. T. Appleby of Arlington, Mrs. C.

R. Conley of Stephenville, Mrs. Roy Harris of Houston and Mrs. C. L. Tidwell and Miss Maggie Harris, both of Iredell. Mrs. Q. A. Fouts was unable to attend.

Other out of town friends and relatives here to help celebrate the occasion were Mrs. Rex Chenault of Memphis, Tenn.; Mrs. W. W. Myers and Judy, Myra Jo Manning and Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marrek and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tidwell, all of Waco; Valerie Brock, Treacia and Robbie, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ford of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kusenberger and Dr. Eddie Weatherford of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. David Jenkins, Mrs. Joan McCord, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gray, Mrs. Vella Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyer and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Myers, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fouts, Miss Judy Fouts, Dick Benoit, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perkins, Rev. and Mrs. Andy McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stephens, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Fouts and Mr. Q. A. Fouts of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Pruett, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and Mrs. Frankie Dawson of Hico.

Mr. James Wellborn Jr., who is with the State Highway Patrol at Comroe, and a friend, Miss Karen Sue Reinke of Belton spent Wednesday with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wellborn and Dartha.

Richard and James Farron spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Curry. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Adwell of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jefferies of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Word, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Guinn and Arthur Guinn were in Dallas last Thursday to attend the funeral of their niece, Mrs. Ruth Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Evans visited in the home of her mother,

Mrs. W. E. Rogers, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gosdin last Sunday. Their son, Randy is spending the summer in Germany. He was sponsored by the German Air Lines and is stationed in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews and four daughters of California visited last Monday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden, and Mrs. Fannie Blue. Other visitors in the Golden home the past week were Mrs. Vinita Blakley of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Patterson of Clifton, Mrs. Neva Patterson of Denton and Mrs. Red Hancock of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oldham were in Dublin Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. Tom Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wayne, Gail and Jeff of DeSota, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mitchell, Chuck and Debbie, and Steve Smith of Dallas spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. C. A. Mitchell.

Mrs. Thelma Scott of Arlington, Mrs. Lillie Ross of Poolville, and their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson, also of Poolville, visited last Wednesday with Mrs. Ida Wyche.

Jimmy Rodgers left from Love Field Saturday for Oslo, Norway to accept a position with the Falcon Seaboard Drilling Co. He will be working off ship 150 miles from shore, in the North Sea. Mrs. Rodgers and girls will be visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gatewood until she joins her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kyles of Odessa visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oldham.

Jimmy Wyche and family of Hurst spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Ida Wyche. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson also visited Mrs. Wyche Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wellborn and Dartha were dinner guests Saturday night of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Wellborn. They also

visited Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vanwinkle, Pam and Gary of Flat Top Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gandy and small son of Lockney visited Saturday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden. They were on their way to Fort Worth to spend the weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Dunlap and Austin Ray of Dallas spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dunlap, who returned to Dallas with them, and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap and daughters in Irving. Roy and family brought them home and spent Sunday night, returning to Irving Monday.

Friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Cooper honored them with a house-warming in their new home Friday night. 72 registered and were served refreshments during the evening.

Mrs. B. W. Hutton of Arlington spent the weekend in the home of her mother and aunt, Doris Williamson and Dora Strong. Debra returned home with her Sunday.

Mrs. R. O. Burns and Mrs. A. W. Musick were in Temple on Wednesday to be with Mrs. Burns' brother, Mr. J. F. Conner. He was operated on Wednesday morning, and is in Santa Fe Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. A. W. Musick and Mrs. Joyce Putty were in Fort Worth on Monday to take Joy to a bone specialist. She will have surgery Thursday morning.

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Everett were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Averitt and children, and J. H. Montgomery, all of Dallas.

James Proffitt and Tina of Dimmitt visited during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Von Scott, Devonna and Tanja.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller, Curtis and Brent visited during the weekend at Tyler in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Lightly and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Malone of Waco were Sunday visitors in the homes of their mothers, Mrs. W. L. Malone and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr.

Miss Mary Jane Malone of Huntsville visited Sunday in the homes of her grandmothers, Mrs. W. L. Malone and Mrs. J. W. Jordan Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Duncan of Waco visited during the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Buster Duncan.

Little Miss Lisa McElroy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark McElroy Jr. of Mesquite spent four days recently visiting her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whately.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hopper and Randy of Bedford visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McLendon and other relatives.

Marjean and Andrea Henderson of Lampasas visited from Thursday of last week until Tuesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hutton. Other visitors in the home Sunday were Mrs. Billie Hutton and Debbie of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Barkley Dowell of Hereford were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton. Mrs. Dowell is a sister of Mrs. Hamilton.

Randy and Paul Ray Simpson of Fort Worth are visiting her with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson. They were all visi-

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