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Girl Scouts Begin Annual Cookie Sale Wednesday

When doorbells started ringing Wednesday at 4 p.m., people in Hico knew that the 18th annual Girl Scout cookie sale was underway. Dates are Feb. 17-27.

Five different kinds of cookies are being sold: assorted sandwich, mint, butter flavored shorties, peanut butter, and pecanettes, a new cookie added this year. The packages sell for 50c each or \$6 a case. There has been no increase in the price of the cookies to the customer since the Council started selling cookies 18 years ago.

The 1971 Council goal is to sell a total of 90,000 packages or 7,500 cases. "If this goal is met," Scout officials said, "it will help to wipe out the indebtedness incurred last year when the third of the four planned units for the Heart of Texas Girl Scout Camp was constructed."

The camp now has a Brownie unit—which consists of five camper buildings, a latrine, and a unit shelter; a Junior unit—which consists of 10 camper tent frames, two staff tent frames, a latrine, and a unit shelter; and a combination Cadette and Senior Unit—which consists of six camper tent frames, one staff tent frame, and a combination latrine-unit shelter.

The camp features a number of modern structures in addition to the structures in the camper units. It has a large, modern dining hall which will accommodate 120 campers and staff. An infirmary for treating minor accidents or illness among campers and staff is also a feature of the camp. The camp has a swimming pool large enough to accommodate the needs of the camp for a foreseeable future.

When camp is in session, the infirmary is supervised by a registered nurse under the direction of a licensed physician from Brownwood. A caretaker is employed the year around to care for the camp and to help process troops in and out of camp.

"With the development and maintenance of a first class girls' camp as a goal toward which to work, I'm sure the Girl Scouts in Hico will be working hard to sell their quota of cookies. We are again asking the support of friends of Girl Scouts in making this annual sale the best yet," Mrs. Dan Bell, cookie chairman emphasized.

Funeral Services Held Sunday Afternoon For Johnnie E. Grimes, 71

Funeral services for Johnnie Edward Grimes were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14 in St. Olaf Lutheran Church in Cranfills Gap with Rev. Marvin Ottmers officiating. Burial was in Spring Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Grimes, 71, was born July 1, 1899 in Hamilton County, son of Malcolm D. and Beatrice Tellus Grimes. He passed away Friday, Feb. 12 of an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Grimes was a retired farmer and was a lifetime resident of this area. He was a member of the St. Olaf Lutheran Church in Cranfills Gap.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ella Grimes; one daughter, Mrs. Norma Fitch of Fort Worth; one son, James E. Grimes of Bryan; three sisters, Mrs. Julia Brunson of Hico, Mrs. Mamie Piercy of Independence, Oregon and Mrs. Esther Huckaby of Burleson; two brothers, Nat Grimes of Santa Ana, Calif. and Henry Grimes of Henryetta, Okla.; and five grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Bruce Slaughter, Glenn Ross, Jake Trimmier, J. C. Braune, Johnnie Jackson and Jess White.

Wednesday Morning Rites Conducted For Mrs. Ethel Ferguson

Funeral services for Mrs. Ethel Ferguson, 67, were held Wednesday, February 17 at 10 a.m. in the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, with Bro. Austin Emery officiating. Burial was in the Hico Cemetery.

Mrs. Ferguson died Monday in her home.

She was born August 9, 1903 in Hico, daughter of Mrs. Maude Gregory Tyson and the late Mr. John Gregory. Mrs. Ferguson had made Hico her home for the past nine years. She was married to Pete Ferguson, who was deceased Sept. 21, 1968. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her mother, Mrs. Maude Tyson of Hico; two sons, C. B. Price of Tyler and Douglas R. Price of Morgan; one sister, Mrs. Naomi Knudson of Hico; one brother, Lee Gregory of Morgan; eight grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Willard Leach, Hershel Sherrard, Thurman Bradfute, Arnold Harris, Pat Harris and J. C. Needham.

CUB SCOUT BANQUET SCHEDULED FEB. 25

Cub Scouts Pack 378 will have their annual Blue and Gold Banquet Thursday night, Feb. 25, at the Hico First Baptist Church, beginning at 8 o'clock.



AWARD—L. F. Stewart, representative for the Texas Advisory Committee on Conservation Education, presented outstanding achievement plaque to Hico Ag teacher Harold Walker at a recent P-TA meeting. He is shown here with Mr. and Mrs. Walker.

Harold Walker Receives SCS Outstanding Teacher Award

By FRANZ PITTMAN
Soil Conservation Service

A recent Hico Parent-Teacher Association meeting, Harold Walker, Hico Vocational Agriculture teacher, received an award of outstanding achievement in the field of conservation education. He was recommended as outstanding teacher by the directors of Hamilton-Coryell Soil and Conservation District. O. C. Cook is board chairman.

In recognition of this achievement Stewart, field representative of Texas Advisory Committee on Conservation Education, presented Walker with a plaque. This is given each year to teachers who do an outstanding job of conservation.

Walker devotes about 80 hours of classroom instruction per year in conservation education. Many visual aids are used to show the importance of soil and water conservation.

Local Soil Conservation Service personnel, along with other agencies, are used to help stress evaluation, utilization of grass, identification, wildlife, soil, and many other aspects.

A life unit is taught to show economic, aesthetic values, and essential factors along with conservation.

Conservation education projects and activities are sponsored and supervised by the teacher. The FFA and Hico Public Schools sponsor a number of years served for the Upper Bosque, Updeon, and Hamilton-Coryell and Water Conservation Districts.

Hico Future Farmers have won 40 awards given in grass, range, and pasture judging contests. Six scholarships have also been won by chapter members as individual awards. Hico has won the State Champion award for the past two years in range and pasture judging. The Texas Section of the American Society of Management plaques were presented to the Hico Chapter.

Recognition from local news media clubs and other organizations has been given for these achievements.

Community projects are also sponsored by the FFA Chapter to help the need for conservation. The chapter owns a coastal grass sprigger, and maintains a weed and brush sprayer used by local farmers.

O. C. Cook, superintendent of Hico Schools, said "Mr. Walker is an outstanding teacher in the Hico School System. He and his judging teams have won a number of recognition for the Hico teaching of Vocational

Agriculture and related subjects has helped to improve farming and ranching in this area. He is an asset to the community and a very active member of many civic organizations. It is a privilege for me to recommend Mr. Walker to be a recipient of your award for Outstanding Achievement in teaching of Conservation."

Junior-Senior Pancake Supper Nets \$273

Aunt Jemima and several of her descendants were present last Thursday night at the School Cafeteria when the Junior and Senior students sponsored a pancake supper.

Junior students presented a skit during the evening and group singing was enjoyed.

A total of \$273.00 was netted from ticket sales, with the seniors winning in the contest. Proceeds will be used for expenses of the Junior-Senior Banquet and Senior trip.

JAMES GOSDIN ON DISTINGUISHED LIST

James Gosdin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Gosdin, was named to the Distinguished Student List for the Fall semester at the University of Texas in Austin.

Gosdin has been made a life member of Phi Sigma fraternity which is a national honor society. He is majoring in law.

Gosdin Foodland Now Open For Business in Iredell

Gosdin Foodland, the completely new food store located in Iredell on Highway 6 and Spring Creek Road is now open for business.

Nova and Chester Gosdin, owners of the store, are well known in this area having owned and operated a feed store in Iredell since 1955.

The modern, new store is constructed of Speed Fab Crete and contains 4000 square feet of floor space, with the latest, most modern equipment. The store contains a complete stock of groceries, a health and beauty aid department, a housewares department, frozen foods, self-service meat counter, and also a fresh meat counter. The Gosdins also purchased an ice maker and will have bagged ice for their customers.

In a display ad elsewhere in this issue of the paper, the Gosdins list food specials for this week. A formal opening will be held in the near future.



FREEDOM AWARD WINNER—Miss Barbara Baley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baley of Hico, has been awarded a Freedoms Foundation Award, according to news releases in area daily newspapers. Miss Baley is a freshman student at Tarleton State College. She was nominated for the award by the Texas Farm Bureau, and by the Vocational Teachers Association. The award, the George Washington Honor Medal, plus a \$100.00 cash stipend, will be presented Miss Baley in public ceremonies at a place and time set later. Freedoms Foundation was founded in 1949 at Valley Forge, Pa., and is dedicated to preserving and perpetuating the American way of life. A detailed story will be published at a later date.

★ IT'S OFFICIAL—HICO INHABITED BY 975 SOULS!

Hico's official population is 975, according to figures released last week by the Federal Census Bureau. This is 13 less than the unofficial figure released last June, which was 988, and 35 less than the 1960 census.

Hamilton's figures gained from the June release with a count now of 2760 as compared to the previous 2729, but is still the lowest since 1940 when the population was 2716.

Hamilton County has an official population of 7198 for 1970. Stephenville's population increased more than 26 percent during the last 10 years. The 1970 population is 9,277 compared to 7,357 in 1960.

Burning Grass Keeps Firemen on the Run

Hico Volunteer Firemen were kept busy last Wednesday and Thursday when grass fires started on the farms of W. W. Gleaton and the late Frank Jordan. Thursday night the fires gained such headway due to high winds, the Hamilton and Stephenville departments were called to assist. Two county maintainers were used to make fire lanes, and the flames were brought under control about 10 p.m.

The department answered a call to the Jim Bob Thomas place Saturday, located on the Glen Rose Highway, which was a trash fire and was under control when firemen arrived.

FROM FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parks and daughters of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Seago. Sunday afternoon the group attended the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Massengale.

NEW EMPLOYEE

Robert Jackson is a new employee at the Jack Leeth Warehouse and feed store in Hico.

\$130 Added To Little League Fund

Contributions the past two weeks for the Little League baseball park amounted to \$130.00, according to Lou Carrington, who is in charge of construction of the facilities.

Added to previous contributions of \$182.71, the total now stands at \$312.71. Estimated cost of the youth facilities is \$2,088.00.

Latest contributors were Genevieve and Toe Horton, \$50.00; Anonymous \$20.00; Marvin Walters \$5.00; Ralph Turner \$20.00; Roy Seal \$5.00; Les McClammy \$5.00; and A. H. Lackey \$25.00.

Contributions may be made to Carrington, Civic Club Secretary Roy Ellenburg, or to any member of the organization.

Iredell and Meridian Win Junior High Cage Tournament

Hico Elementary School Basketball Tournament got underway last Thursday night, Feb. 11, with four games being played.

Dublin and Meridian girls were matched in the first game, with Meridian winning 20-17. Dublin boys won over Meridian 21-15.

Hico girls and Iredell girls then took the court, with the locals winning 18-17. The boys game followed with Iredell getting 26 points to Hico's 15.

Winners advanced to the finals Friday night, with Hico teams playing Meridian. The boys won 24-18, and the girls were defeated 27-14.

The Dublin teams ended the tournament playing Iredell. Dublin girls won 23-11 and the Iredell boys defeated Dublin 30-27.

Iredell boys placed first in the tournament, Dublin second and Hico third. Meridian won the girls division, Hico was second and Dublin third.

OUTSIDERS TOURNAMENT SLATED FEBRUARY 25, 26, 27 IN HICO SCHOOL GYM

A school sponsored men's outsiders basketball tournament has been scheduled at the local gym for Feb. 25, 26 and 27. All proceeds will go to the school athletic fund.

Teams participating are Evant, Jonesboro, Hamilton, Cranfills Gap, Dublin, Fort Worth and Hico.

Four games will be played Thursday night, beginning at 6 o'clock.

Hico outsiders team has won six of eight games played this year.



1,000 Gallon Irrigation Well.

Fairy Community News

By MRS. EUNICE BANTON

Sorry to report the death of Johnnie Edward Grimes, who passed away at the H. G. Shields home Friday morning. He had gone to the Shields home to make some phone calls, as his telephone was on the Iredell system. He was met at the front yard by Mr. Shields and had only said a few words when he suddenly slumped to the ground and only breathed a couple of times and was gone. An ambulance was called and his body was carried to the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home. Johnnie Edward Grimes was born to the late Malcolm and Addie Grimes in July 1896 at the Grimes home place 7 miles northeast of Fairy. He was married to Miss Ella Wiese on October 23, 1929. Following their marriage his mother and brother, Henry, moved to Fairy and Johnnie and wife took over the Grimes place where they have been residing since. He later purchased the place. His health became impaired some time back and he had to retire from farming. He and his wife had purchased a home in Clifton and had planned to move Tuesday of this week. In fact we understand they had moved some things. She plans to go ahead and carry out their plans as she can't live alone on the farm. Johnnie was a man of many friends and will be greatly missed from the communi-

ty. Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday at St. Olaf Lutheran Church in Cranfills Gap, where they attended, with the pastor, Rev. Marvin Ottmers officiating. Burial was in the Spring Creek Cemetery where they have an infant buried. Mr. Grimes is survived by his wife; one son, James Edward Grimes of Bryan; one daughter, Mrs. Norma Ruth Fitch of Fort Worth; five grandchildren; two brothers, Nat Grimes of Santa Ana, Calif., and Henry Grimes of Henryetta, Okla.; three sisters, Mrs. C. W. (Julia) Brunson of Hico, Mrs. John (Esther) Huckaby of Burleson, and Mrs. Mamie Piercy of Independence, Oregon. All were here for his funeral, with the exception of Mrs. Piercy. Pallbearers were Jess White of Iredell, Bruce Slaughter, Glenn Ross, J. C. Braune, J. T. Jackson, and Jake Trimmier, all of the Hico area. Johnnie is also survived by many nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends. Our deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved family and other relatives at this time of deep sorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Cunningham of Hico and her brother, Mace Coyne of Waco visited Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ruth Cunningham. Mr. Coyne drove on to Lanham and visited awhile with

his brother-in-law, M. C. Broyles. Chock had returned home a few days ago following a visit since Christmas with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones of Alice.

Several from this and surrounding communities attended open house at the J. C. Massengale home in Hico Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m. honoring them on their 50th wedding anniversary. We wish for them many more anniversaries. They are former residents of the Fairy community.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl King have made frequent trips to Brownwood and Ballinger recently due to the illness of relatives. His brother-in-law, Mr. Bill Farmer had surgery recently at a Brownwood hospital and her mother, Mrs. C. H. Midgley, has been a patient for the past several weeks in a Ballinger hospital. We hope all are improved by this time.

Mrs. Lemmie Trantham went to Temple Friday and brought her husband home from the Veterans Hospital, where he had spent the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton and Bobby, and Mrs. Ben Dowdy and children of Fort Worth visited during the weekend with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyno.

Lewis Heyroth has been moved to the Hamilton Nursing Home from the Hamilton Hospital where he had been a patient for several weeks due to Emphysema. We hope he can soon be able to return home.

The writer attended funeral services for Miss Tot Wood at Hico last Tuesday. In the afternoon we accompanied Mrs. Mamie Medlen and Mrs. Ben Wright of Hico to Hamilton where we visited at the nursing home with Mrs. Medlen's mother, Mrs. Pace, the former Mrs. P. C. Clark and Miss Lillie Williams, and at the Hillcrest home with Mrs. Wright's niece, Mrs. Selma Agee and Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Driver of Waco visited Thursday of last week in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan and son of Irving visited during the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Olga Duncan.

Mrs. T. R. Parks, her son and daughter and families, honored Mr.

Parks with a birthday dinner Sunday at their home on his 85th birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Truett Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Turner of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Turner of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Parks and Becky of Grand Prairie, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Webb and Jan of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Parks, Mrs. Lola Taylor and Walter Wagner of Hamilton. Here's wishing Mr. Parks many more happy birthdays.

A double marker was erected at the H. E. Sills lot last week.

The writer attended singing Sunday afternoon at Lund Valley Baptist Church. We were accompanied from Hamilton by Mrs. Hester Woosley. A large crowd was present, including singers from Lometa, Turnersville, Hamilton and other points. All enjoyed a good song service.

Mr. Cecil Grisham of Lanham also attended the singing at Lund Valley.

Mr. Lesley New and Mr. Wadlington attended funeral services for Johnnie Grimes Sunday.

Others attending the funeral of Johnnie Grimes were Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pearcey, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Braune and Mrs. Ruth Cunningham.

Wood was received Monday that the home of Mrs. Ernest Brummett of Alhambra, Calif. was in the section affected by the earthquake, and all her dishes and glassware were broken.

Mrs. Curtis Thompson and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Limmer, Jason and Lorri from Deer Park came in for a visit with relatives, and visited Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. M. C. Anderson, who lives in the Village Nursing Home. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brummett and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brummett, Grant and Nancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Massengale and Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bralley, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Paulson, all of Fort Worth were in Hico for the Jud Massengale golden wedding anniversary. They also visited in the W. P. Brummett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Grisham and the writer attended singing Monday night at Bethel.

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Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

VINITA BLAKLEY
RELIGIOUS SERVICES HELD
MRS. SANDERS
 Religious services for Mrs. Retta Sanders were held Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Loyd Lester officiating. Mrs. Sanders was a native of Iredell, but had lived in Hico for a number of years. She was quite ill from a heart attack several weeks ago. She was survived by seven daughters, Ila Fay, Juanez, Wilma, Iva Lee and Juanita. She has a number of grandchildren; her husband, Plemon Hudson; and her mother, Mrs. Mettie Rhodes. She was buried in Iredell Cemetery.

DEPARTMENT MEETS
 The Fire Department met to remember the meeting of the Fire Department on Monday night, Feb. 22. All members present were urged to attend these meetings. A fire which broke out in a barn at the Mike Phillips home could have been serious. It should be a reason for all to be interested in these meetings to learn how to control these fires which will happen.

RETURNS TO IREDELL
 Mr. and Mrs. Dick Benoit of Yakima, Washington, and children, Darrin and Kim have returned to Iredell where they will live indefinitely. He is out of service and plans to attend Tarleton State College later. Mrs. Benoit is the former Judy Fouts. They will be living at the Fouts residence.
 A belated Christmas party was held by Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Fouts Sunday. Those present and visiting in the home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fouts, Troy and Melissa of Duncanville, Mr. and Mrs. Duff McDonel of Arlington, Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips of Stephenville, Mrs. Vella Harris and Mrs. Charley Myers of Fort Worth, Mrs. Ola Copeland and Mrs. Ethel Williams of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Carney of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wright of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Phillips, Michael, Michelle and Brad, Mrs. Sinia McDonel, Mrs. Polly Clauch, and Mr. Quince Fouts, all of Iredell.

DORCAS CLASS MEETS
 The Dorcas Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. E. B. Vanwinkle

Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 9 for their business meeting and social.
 Mrs. Kirby Martin presided over the meeting in the absence of the president and vice-president. Mrs. Lee Mize opened the meeting with prayer. Miss Mary Odom gave the report on the Love offering. The project for the month was discussed. Mrs. J. T. Wellborn read minutes of the previous meeting and they were approved.
 Attendance records were given by Miss Leila Odom and Mrs. Jeanne Benson.
 The devotional was given by Mrs. Lee Mize from Prov. 10-12 and John 13-35 on Love. The closing prayer was by Mrs. Benson.
 Refreshments of sandwiches, congealed salad, cake, coffee and hot chocolate were served to Meses. Helen Echols, Bill Terrell, Jeanne Benson, Kirby Martin, J. T. Wellborn, Lee Mize, Misses Leila and Mary Odom, and two visitors, Mrs. Tim Bateman and Mrs. Morris Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Dunlap, Austin Ray and Jack of Dallas, Mrs. Mark Dunlap, David and Teresa of Hico were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap.
 James Wellborn Jr. was honored with a birthday dinner Saturday, Feb. 13 in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wellborn. Others present were his wife, Judy, and sons, Jim and Jesse, his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Vanwinkle, Pam and Gary, another sister, Dartha Wellborn, a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bogby Wellborn and Joey of Joshua, who were visitors later that day.
 Meses. Royce Hall, Roy Gosdin and Vinita Blakley were Friday afternoon visitors in the homes of Mrs. Zella Grice and Mrs. Johnnie Grimes near Fairy.
 Mrs. Ione Brooks and Phil of Fort Worth were Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adkison. Also recent visitors in the home were Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Unger of Big Spring.
 Mrs. Mae Linch has received the announcement of a great-grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cur-

tis Atkins Jr. of Houston. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Royce Atkins Sr. of Houston. Mrs. Atkins is the former Janell Linch of Iredell.
 Mr. and Mrs. Gene Linch and daughters of Glen Rose were Tuesday evening visitors in the home of Mrs. Mae Linch.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cunningham returned from Houston Friday.
 Meses. Mike Phillips, W. T. Clauch, Michael, Michele and Brad Phillips were Saturday visitors in Stephenville.
 Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Martin were Mr. and Mrs. David Kloss, Lora and Penny, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kloss of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Martin Jr. of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Royal of Meridian.

Franklin Dee Hall of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. Royce Hall Sunday morning.
 Meses. Fannie Dawson, Kate Chaffin and Ila Bates were Thursday visitors at the Village Nursing Home in Hico.
 Among those attending the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Jud Massengale at Hico Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Royce Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm.
 Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mrs. Rosa McDonel were Mrs. Terri Phillips, Mrs. Alberta McAden, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones and Tyler of Stephenville.
 Funeral services for Mrs. Millie Franklin were held at Clifton Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Franklin is a former resident of Iredell and was a resident of the Geriatric Center at Meridian at the time of her death. Rev. Dale Yant officiated, with burial in Lanes Chapel Cemetery.
 Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moore, Howard and Lynn and a friend, Dorica of Dallas were Sunday guests of Misses Mae and Eva Chaffin.
 Ronnie Helm and Buddy Mains of Arlington were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm.
 Mrs. Sinia McDonel returned from Plainview last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris brought her home, returning Sunday afternoon in the snow.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris of San Antonio were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Rachael Harris.
 Mrs. Grace Morrison of Beaumont is visiting in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Freeman of Abilene were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. W. E. Rogers. They will leave March 27 for an European tour.
 Mrs. W. J. Phillips was a Sunday visitor in Stephenville in the home of Mrs. Frances Boyette and Harriett.
 Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Whitley during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ciccollella and Tracey of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Whitley of Meridian, and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lott of Waco.
 Mr. and Mrs. Grady Spencer returned to their home in Raton, N. M. after a months visit with Mrs. John Tidwell.
 Mrs. Mavis Carr was a recent visitor in Houston. She accompanied two cousins from Oklahoma on the trip.
 Meses. Maggie Tidwell and Vinita Blakley were Saturday visitors at the Stephenville Skilled Nursing Home with Mrs. Rilla Tidwell and Mrs. Agnes Weeks.
 Mrs. Ola Copeland and Mrs. Ethel Williams of Dallas were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Sinia McDonel. Also Mr. and Mrs. Duff McDonel of Arlington.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins of Abilene were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. W. E. Rogers.
 Mrs. Onal Smith and Jean of Fort Worth were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Vinita Blakley.
 Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Myers are announcing the arrival of a baby boy, born at Hico City Hospital Sunday morning, February 14. He weighed 8 pounds 7 1/2 ounces, and

has been named Paul Eric. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Porter. Paternal grandpar-

ents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myers, all of Iredell.
 A thought for the day: Strong

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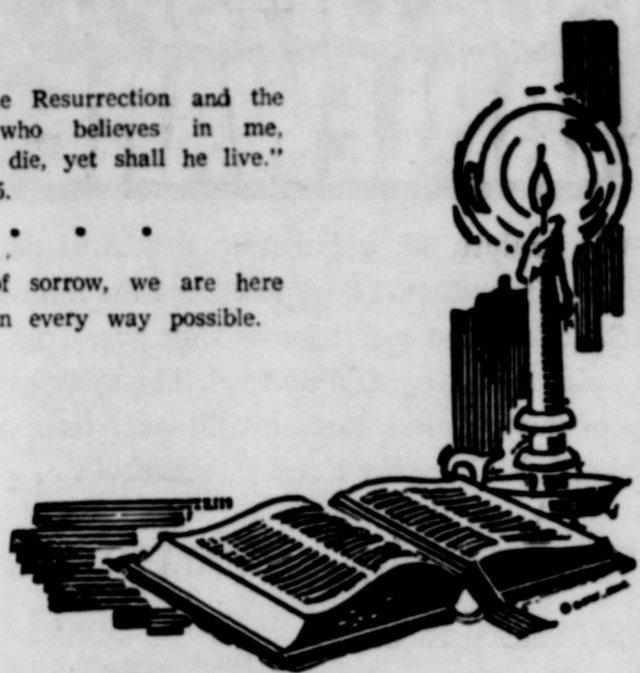
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We take this method of expressing our thanks to the United Methodist Church of Iredell, Iredell High School, Walnut Springs High School, Iredell Chapter No. 850 O.E.S., and each one who expressed their kindness and love through flowers, cards, telephone calls, visits, food and the money memorial in memory of our brother, Glenn C. Long during his illness and death. May God richly bless each of you is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley.
 44-1tp.

A Look at the Past

80 YEARS AGO—FEBRUARY 1933

Citizens of Hico and the surrounding area were shocked last Sunday upon learning that C. L. Lynch Sr. had suffered serious injuries from the accidental discharge of his shotgun while he and his wife were at their hunting lodge on the Leon River, and were more grieved when they heard of his death later that evening.

Miss Estel Jones and Mr. Cecil Herricks, popular young couple of the Fairy community, were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage Saturday night.

A new cream station and produce house has been opened up in Fairy in the Stewart building and is known as the Fairy Produce Company. It is operated by McCollum McGlothlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norrod were presented with twin babies Tuesday, February 14, a boy and girl.

25 YEARS AGO

Miss Elva Jo Rainwater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater of Hico, is the new deputy Erath county clerk, taking the place of Mrs. Sally Jay, who retired last week.

J. B. Pool announces for office of Judge of Hamilton County.

C. C. Christopher and family have moved to the attractive home recently built on the lot formerly occupied by the old Alpine Hotel.

Last weekend for the first time in five years Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cook had all their children and grandchildren at home except one, Andrew Cook of Austin. The reunion was held to celebrate the homecoming of their last son, Pfc. M. C. Cook, and the first birthday of their granddaughter, Jay Dean Crow.

Frankie Luker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Luker of Hico, made the semester honor roll at John Tarleton College where she is majoring in piano.

10 YEARS AGO

An estimated \$500.00 in merchandise was reported stolen from the Hilltop Humble Station Thursday night of last week. At midweek the bandits were still at large.

Buddy Ables, who has been attending Tarleton State College since graduation from Hico High School, is a new employee of Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Home.

A granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Boyd, Anna Marie Harkins of

Fort Worth, is one of the 40 high school seniors in the United States to be chosen from an original field of more than 25,000 as one of the "nation's most promising future scientists."

Mrs. Rushing Will Take Administrators License Examination in Austin

Mrs. Louise Rushing will be in Austin Feb. 17, 18 and 19 to take her Federal and State Examination for Nursing Home Administrators License. She has been attending night classes in Waco McLennan Community College since last July, and has completed 80 classroom hours in General Nursing Home Administration. At present she is attending two nights each week taking Nursing Home Technology and Personal and Auxiliary Relationship.

Mrs. Rushing will take her examination on State guidelines and regulations Feb. 18 and will take the Federal examination Feb. 19.

At present she is acting as preceptor for three other area administrators-in-training, who are also taking the classes at Waco, but who are required to have the full 200 classroom hours plus one year office experience under a licensed preceptor. They are Kaye Wooton, Eunice Uptergrove and Rosalee Barnhill.

School Lunch Menu

Monday: Goulash, English peas, rice, cake, sliced bread.

Tuesday: Dry Navy beans, chopped ham, carrots, green salad, cornbread, peach slices.

Wednesday: Sausage, green beans, corn, peanut butter crackers, apple sauce, batter bread.

Thursday: Steak, baked potatoes, green blackeyed peas, syrup and jelly, butter, hot rolls.

Friday: Hamburgers, candy.

MOVE TO LONGVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Higginbotham were in Longview Monday and Tuesday to visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ross and family, who moved there last weekend from Houston. Mr. Ross will be a coach in the Longview school system.



ARDENT ANGLER Wedge Turner, Hico manager for Lone Star Gas Co., and one of the most dedicated fishermen in this area, caught this whopper bass last Sunday afternoon at Lake Comanche. The huge bass weighed 7 pounds and four ounces.

Turner admitted that he fished a total of five lakes during the day, and the big black was the only one caught. Turner said that this was his ninth bass that weighed over seven pounds in his many years of fishing.

Juniors and Seniors View Moon Rocks at Baylor U.

Hico High School Chemistry students were on the campus of Baylor University Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 10, to view the moon rocks on display in the Strecker Museum of the Sid W. Richardson Science Building. Mrs. Lucille Brummett, local chemistry teacher, and Harold Walker accompanied the group.

The moon rock, viewed by the Hico group, was a sample of the 75 pounds of Lunar materials returned to earth by Apollo 12 astronauts Charles Conrad, Alan Bean and Richard Gordon. The students learned that the sample they viewed, Lunar Olivine Basalt, was once molten about 3.5 billion years ago but was later broken off probably by a meteorite. The moon rock was formed in the absence of water.

Reacting to the trip, one student

explained, "I was a little let down. I expected to see a hunk of green cheese!" Another student related that he was impressed by the accomplishments exemplified by the rock, but it would have been more impressive if it had glowed or possibly been made of blue cheese or gold. Generally speaking, the Hico students stated that they were a bit disappointed in the rock's appearance but the fact that the rock came from the moon, such a great distance from earth, made a lasting impression on them.

While on the Baylor campus, the students were given guided tours of the Armstrong Browning Library and the Texas collection in the Carroll Library. The group was impressed with the beauty and history of the Armstrong Browning Library.

Members of the Chemistry class, all juniors and seniors, making the trip were Jon Bonner, Charles Bowden, Cindy Braune, Andy Canty, Randy Christian, Patricia Cox, Larry Decker, Tom Dowell, Jim Ferguson, Rickie Jaegers, Susan Knudsen, Eugene Lindsey, Charlotte Meek, Kim Patterson, Judi Putt, Lee Ramase, Rita Robinson, Alan Ross, Floyd Theford, Johnette Walker, and Stephanie Walker.

MRS. JOHANSON ATTENDS DALLAS HM MEETING

Mrs. Marilyn Johanson, local Homemaking teacher, was in Dallas Friday and Saturday to attend the State Board of Directors meeting of the Vocational Homemaking Teachers Association of Texas. Mrs. Johanson is a member of the board and director from Area IV. The meeting was held in the Sheraton-Dallas Hotel.

FARM BUREAU SLATES MEETING FEBRUARY 22 AT HAMILTON YOUTH CENTER

The Farm Bureau has planned a covered dish supper at the Hamilton Youth Center Monday night, Feb. 22 at 7 o'clock.

Ralph Barnes, a former County Agent, who is now retired will show color slides of wild flowers in Hamilton County, for the evening program.

Everyone is extended an invitation to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to everyone for cards, flowers, prayers and other acts of kindness shown us since James has been ill. A special thanks to Dr. Hafer and the entire hospital and clinic staff for their devoted care and attention. Your thoughtfulness will always be appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hicks. 44-1tp.

ROWING ALONG...

By RUTH SALMON
League Secretary

Lucille Dayton blasted out the big game last week, putting together a 225, bringing her team, the Operators to a 2-2 split with the Alibies, as June Roberson rolled a 189 game and Judy Keller a 170. Mary Goodman claimed the high series with a 497, and Jim Bullard rolled a 212-556 for the Chokers as they won three points over the Hornets, as Conda Salmon rolled a 510 and Morse Ross a 202-547.

J. T. Butler has been looking for that 500 mark and last week he found it and slipped across the line for a 203-539. Wedge Turner rolled an even 500 as their team, the Bowler Bears won four points over Gemini 4, with Glenn Ross rolling a 519 and Jim Jameson a 198 game. Donald Warren rolled a 180 game for the Good Guys, but the Mixers shook them for four points, with Buddy Randals tossing in two 200 games and a 141 series, and Doyle O'Neal a 172.

Tom Reitzer chalked up a 202-553 for the Jets as they won 2 1/2 points over the Road Runners.

Team Standings:

Alibies	15	5
Chokers	13 1/2	6 1/2
Jets	13 1/2	6 1/2
Gemini 4	12	8
Bowler Bears	12	8
Hornets	9	11
Mixers	8	12
Road Runners	6	14
Operators	6	14
Good Guys	5	15

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to each and everyone for words of sympathy, floral offerings, food, cards, and all other acts of kindness following the death of our husband and father, Johnnie Grimes. May God bless each and everyone of you.

The Family of
Johnnie E. Grimes

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FROM DUBLIN

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Wilson of Dublin were Monday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Johnson, and also visited with friends.

IN FORT WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Conda Salmon were in Fort Worth Monday night to visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hitt of Bentonville, Arkansas, who were there on a business trip. The Hitts are former Hico residents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Partain were visitors Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker and family. Visitors in the home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reuland and family of Austin.

Judge Truman Roberts of Hamilton was in Hico Monday visiting with friends.

News From the Nursing Home

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell had out of town visitors this weekend, including Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Tidwell of Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Dorothy Grant and Mrs. Dorothy Messer-ala and children, Dorothy and Jack from Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Collier of Fort Worth visited Mr. John Collier during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Walker of Fort Worth were visitors with Mrs. Belle Breakey.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. R. Dixon from Tow was a visitor with Mrs. Ethel Looney.

Glenn Hickman of Fort Worth and Opal Nabors of De Leon were visitors with Mrs. Mollie Laurence.

Victor Segrest from Nashville visited with Miss Minnie B. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. D. Iredell and Mark Dunlap were visitors with Phillip Mr. and Mrs. Howard Iredell visited with Abe Mr. and Mrs. Herman San Saba visited his mother, Maggie Kilgo.

Mr. W. E. East spent in Durham with his aunt, Mrs. Durham.

Mrs. Frank Phillips of Worth underwent surgery in last week and is reported ing.

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Arm Roast	lb. 79c
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Sweet Potatoes	lb. 15c

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

SENGALES CELEBRATE 50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY WITH SUNDAY OPEN HOUSE

Commemorating their 50th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sengale were honored with an open house given Sunday afternoon at their home in Hico. Their wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sengale and Tracey of Fort Worth were hosts for the celebra-

Frank Coit Allen, a niece, worth registered guests. Yellow mums were placed in bouquets throughout the house with the exception of a bed where a bouquet of red roses was used. The roses were a Valentine from Mr. Massengale to

White linen cloth bordered in silver covered the serving table. Pieces, Mrs. Lodene Montague of Cleburne, Mrs. Margaret of Clifton, Mrs. Peg Gillespie of Burleson, and a neighbor, Mrs. Rainwater presided. Gifts of gold, silver and white were used. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with gold confection roses topped with a circle framing gold bells and gilt-edged ribbons. A gold high top shoe containing white mums and with gold and a gold ribbon with the numerals "50" also graced the table with a gold punch service.

Gifts in the gift rooms were given by Mrs. W. Lovell of Cleburne and Mrs. Ralph Turner, nieces of the couple. Former Miss Ida Parker and Mrs. Massengale were married February 13, 1921 in the Parker home in the Falls Creek community. Rev. I. L. Yearby officiated. The couple lived on their farm in Hico for 40 years before moving to Hico in 1965.

Attending the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Massengale, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coit Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cross, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bralley, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hillebaum, Mrs. A. J. Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy, Rev. and Mrs. Robert J. Ray and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bishop, and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Parks and daughters, all of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lovell, Mrs. Dora Paulson and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Montgomery and children of Cleburne; Harvey Houston of San Jose, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Chaney and Michel of Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Winford Driver and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Noland, Mr. and Mrs. Don Beck, Mr. and Mrs. James Rucker and children of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harrell of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Gillespie of Burleson; Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brummett and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brummett, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bolstad and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hannon, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Abel, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Gleason, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Timmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley New, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Water, and Mrs. Eunice Daniel, all of Fairy.

Also Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Milligan and Mrs. Dessie Robe of Lufkin; Miss Constance Allen of San Antonio; T. C. Parker of Fairfield; Mrs. James F. Harris and Mrs. Jack Brown and son of Arkansas; Mrs. Charles Wilson of Carlsbad, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dickerson and children of Waco; Mrs. Jess Hickman of Gustine; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm and Mrs. Royce Hall of Iredell.

Also Mr. and Mrs. John Trammell, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith, Mrs. Willie Baldwin, Mrs. John Ogle, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Turner and children, Mrs. R. B. McClure, Mr. W. P. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stipe, Mr. A. V. Cavitt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker, Mrs. Rosa Parker, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Spinks, Mr. O. C. Cook, Mrs. Jessie Richbourg, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neie, Mrs. Ray Proffitt, Mrs. J. B. Woodard, Mr. and Mrs. K. Hunter, Mrs. E. R. Seago, Mrs. Edna Mae Roberson, Bud Roberson, and Mr. A. J. Marlor, all of Hico.

Graves Engagement Revealed at Austin

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Y. Graves, 2703 Kerrybrook Lane, Austin, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Cathy Ann, to Thomas Allen Bible, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Bible. A June 26th wedding is planned at the Crestview Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Lanier High School. Her fiancé, also a Lanier graduate, is employed by IBM. Miss Graves is a granddaughter of Mrs. Mayme Graves of Austin, formerly of Hico.

MRS. BILLY BOOTH HONORED AT DINNER

Mrs. Billy Booth was the honoree at a birthday dinner Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright and Clay. Others attending were Miss Kay Jackson and Mr. Booth.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Nettie Meador and Mrs. Sarah Reeves during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador of Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Meador and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson of Waco, and Melvin Meador of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East and Ronnie, Mrs. John Gollightly, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham of Fort Worth spent Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Smart of Alexander visited Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Henson were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kilgo of San Saba and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson and Kevin of Gatesville.

Hico Members of Beta Beta Chapter Host Luncheon

Beta Beta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met Feb. 13 at Bluebonnet Country Club in Hico for a luncheon. A delicious meal was served to 24 members and one guest, Mrs. Mildred Anderson from Hamilton.

Mrs. Anderson was the speaker. She talked on the Senior Citizen's program which she coordinated. Mrs. Anderson has Hamilton, Boston, Erath and Coryell counties in her district, and her program is to get the Senior Citizens involved in worthwhile crafts and recreation. She stated in a charming way how the elderly person reacted to a program set up for them in their recreational center.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. O. C. Cook, Mrs. Bernell Jernigan, Mrs. O. H. Brummett, Mrs. Lester Timmerman and Mrs. C. L. Mitchell. Reporter.

Friday Bridge Club Members Entertained In Hafer Home

Four games of bridge were enjoyed last week when Mrs. W. F. Hafer was hostess to members and guests of the Friday Afternoon Club.

A Valentine motif was used in decorations in the entertaining room and on the refreshment table.

Mrs. Harry Hudson and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter were afternoon guests, and members present were Mrs. Charles Dayton, Mrs. E. V. Meador, Mrs. Sandy Ogle, Mrs. Ray Cheek and Mrs. M. I. Knudson.

At conclusion of bridge games Mrs. Hudson held high score and Mrs. Hafer held second high.

NEW GRANDDAUGHTER FOR PAUL VERDUZCO

Mrs. Paul Verduzco went to El Paso last Saturday to make acquaintance with a new granddaughter, Jeannette Lynn, born Feb. 11. The little miss weighed 6 pounds and was 19 inches in length at birth. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deane Shirley of El Paso. Mrs. Shirley is the former Rosalind Verduzco.

IN WOOTON HOME

Paul and Angela Wooton of Rainbow spent Friday night and Saturday in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wooton. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Wooton came for them Saturday night. The J. B. Wootons spent Monday night and Tuesday in Fort Worth with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Erick and Steven.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burleson of Austin were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Rands.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan, Paul and Kenneth of Irving spent the weekend at their home here, and also visited with his mother, Mrs. Olga Duncan at Fairy.

Capt. and Mrs. Lynn P. Alexander visited recently with his grandmother, Mrs. Bonnie Alexander in the Village Nursing Home. Capt. Alexander is home on a two-weeks leave from Vietnam and is visiting with his family at Nacogdoches.

'LOVE AROUND THE WORLD' IS THEME FOR ANNUAL SWEETHEART BANQUET

Saturday night, Feb. 13, the annual Valentine's Day Sweetheart Banquet was held at the First Baptist Church in Hico. The Fellowship Hall was decorated to carry out the theme, "Love Around the World," with many people in Hico contributing foreign items for the decorations.

Guests were greeted at the door and served appetizers by two young ladies in Hawaiian dress. Guests then chose to sit at one of six tables, each decorated with an international flavor—Irish, German, Hungarian, Oriental, French and Spanish—and served by young ladies dressed in the attire of that particular country.

The activities of the evening were presided over by the emcee, Reggie Grover. After the welcome and introduction of the servers, Lee Ramage led in prayer. The group then enjoyed a meal prepared by ladies of the church, and consisting of Hungarian meatballs, German cole slaw, Irish potatoes, Oriental tea, French bread, and Mexican pralines.

Following the meal, Grover read results of the voting, presenting Sheila Polk and David Ogle as Hico Belle and Beau. Jerry Gilliland presented them with gifts in recognition of that honor.

Entertainment was provided by Miss Nell Posey of North Texas State University, and consisted of selections of folk music with the general theme of love.

Rev. Jim Keith, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Blum, and former college and professional football player, brought a humorous and inspiring message on the theme, "Choosing Someone to Love." Attendance at the banquet was set at 72, with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cook attending as special guests.

Mrs. Charles Dayton Hosts Meeting For Wednesday Club

Mrs. Charles Dayton entertained the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club last week in her home.

Refreshments were served during the afternoon to Mrs. H. V. Hedges, Mrs. Ellis Rands, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Mrs. Odis Petsick and Miss Mettie Rodgers.

Following bridge play Mrs. Hedges held high score and Mrs. Rands held second high.

Mrs. Gollightly was hostess for the meeting, using a Valentine theme in table decorations and refreshments of heart shaped cookies and red fruit punch.

Following the meeting the group went to the old jail building to observe and make plans for its restoration. Reporter.

IN PROFFITT HOME

Mrs. Ann Harris and a friend, Mrs. Jack Brown and son, Tracy of Mayflower, Ark. visited from Saturday until Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Proffitt. Other visitors during the weekend were Mrs. Josie Wilson of Carlsbad, N.M., T. C. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. McMillan of Lufkin.

ATTENDS CLIFTON BANQUET

Mrs. John Gollightly was in Clifton Saturday night to attend the Central Texas Polled Hereford Banquet. A grandson, David Burden, accompanied her to the banquet. Mrs. Gollightly was an overnight guest in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Burden and family.

Johnnie Kilcrease, a resident of a Stephenville nursing home, visited this week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kilcrease.

Mrs. Merle Ganoe of Stephenville was a guest Sunday and Monday in the home of Mrs. Louise Angell.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Andy Hutton and Mrs. Myrtle Blakley were Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Gruber and family of Irving.

Mrs. Strey Honored By Wesleyan Service Guild for Long Service

Mrs. Wilena Strey was honored Tuesday night of this week by the Wesleyan Service Guild members at their February meeting. Mrs. Strey was presented a lifetime membership and a pin in recognition of her dedication to the Guild and United Methodist Church.

The evening's program, "The Family Cluster—A Reality or Illusion?" was presented by Mrs. H. A. Patterson. She was assisted by Mrs. A. H. Lackey and Mrs. J. W. Hodges who presented dialogues examining the trends affecting family life in America today.

Mrs. E. V. Meador presided during the business session, when Mrs. George Griffiths, secretary, and Mrs. E. H. Rands Jr., treasurer, gave their reports. It was reported the glass collection project was progressing rapidly.

Concluding the meeting, Mrs. Lackey, hostess, served refreshments to eleven members.

FT. WORTH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle O'Neal and Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Needham and children, Mrs. Virgil Ellis and Mrs. May Russell attended a birthday dinner Sunday in Fort Worth honoring Billy Ellis at his home. Others present to enjoy the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis and family, Mrs. James Rainwater and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Pou of Fort Worth, and Neil Ellis of Hurst.

IN FORT WORTH

Mrs. Betty Cason and Paula of Benbrook were weekend visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Addie Adams. A son, Newt Adams, formerly of Mississippi, is here with his mother for awhile.

Monique McCormick Celebrates Seventh Birthday With Party

Mrs. Dixie McCormick honored her daughter, Monique, with a party Sunday afternoon, Feb. 14 at their home. The occasion was in honor of Monique's seventh birthday.

The guests enjoyed pony riding and other games during the afternoon and were served refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and punch.

Present were David Dunlap, Sheila Jackson, Nancy Glidewell, Toby Koonsman, Ronald Shadden, Melodie Flowers, Judy Lively, Kay Collier, Kevin Kash, Jeff Mallicoat, Jackie Putty, D'Ann Meador, Debra Barnhill and Montie and Michelle McCormick.

IN ADAMS HOME

Benbrook were weekend visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Addie Adams. A son, Newt Adams, formerly of Mississippi, is here with his mother for awhile.

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Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

Mrs. Elton Samford of Round Rock came Sunday and stayed through Friday with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Odell. Saturday visitors in the home were Mrs. Adena Haile of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. George Lees of Hico and Mrs. Richard Fackler of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fackler of Stephenville spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt.

Miss Leana Knapp, who attends Baylor University, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. V. Knapp. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Haile of College Station also spent the weekend with Mrs. Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baley and Mrs. Ollie McKnight of Hico visited for awhile in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp and children of Dublin and Kenneth Knapp and girls of McGregor were Saturday luncheon guests of Mrs. M. V. Knapp and Leana. Mr. and

Mrs. Murrell Ables visited awhile Saturday in the home.

Rev. J. C. Collins was a Sunday luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Waddell. He returned to Fort Worth Sunday afternoon, and Rev. Hershel Fortner held the evening services.

Mrs. Johnny Crawford of Hamilton visited her sister, Mrs. Murrell Ables last Thursday.

Miss Janice Adams of Hamilton spent Friday night with Miss Leana Knapp.

Mrs. May Burney spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Murrell Ables.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt attended the Blanchard and Flippen wedding at Fairview Baptist Church Friday night.

Mrs. Virgil Holloway and children of Walnut Springs visited Saturday in the Akard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Parker visited Sunday in Cleburne with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt visited Sunday in Stephenville with their daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fackler. During the afternoon they drove to Morgan Mill to an antique shop.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. Tolon, the nurses and entire hospital staff for the kindness and care shown me while I was a patient in the Hico Hospital. Such care as I received makes the Hico Hospital number one in my book. Also a special thanks to friends who came by to see me.

Robert Dennis.

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CARLTON

By MRS. FRED GEYE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prindle, Bruce and Renae of Corsicana visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Harbour.

Mrs. Mayme Dyer is visiting in San Angelo with her daughter, Mrs. Novice Littleton.

Dub Mitchell and sons, Randy and Lynn, and some friends of Midland, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Mitchell of the Village Nursing Home in Hico spent the weekend in her home in Carlton and with Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Mercer.

Rev. George Whitfield, pastor of the Baptist Church, was ill the past week with the flu. He was able to preach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Geye and Deborah of Granbury visited Sunday with his mother and sister, Mrs. Fred Geye and Mrs. Ruth Self.

Frank Stidham of Fort Worth, formerly of Carlton, was meeting friends in town Saturday afternoon.

Visitors over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lunsford were his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seilheimer of Lorraine, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brown and Damon of White Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Lunsford of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hob Thompson and her mother, Mrs. Bertha Turney visited in Waco Sunday with their children, Don Thompson and family and Mrs. Lee McKnight and family.

Mrs. Jess Reeves, Carlton's Postmaster is a patient in Hico Hospital. Her assistant, Mrs. George Driver of Hico, is working in the post office.

CLAIRETTE

By MRS. LUCILE MAYFIELD

The trailer home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake McGuire was the scene of a birthday party and supper and musical honoring Mr. McGuire, Henry Mayfield and her nephew, Fred Smith of Lamesa, on Feb. 10. Several attended the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Mayfield of Stephenville also honored his father Feb. 10 with a surprise dinner.

The Mayfields were also surprised to have their good friends, Mr. and Mrs. Reno Dunbar from Center, Colorado for a visit Thursday morning. They came on the 10th and found the Mayfields gone. They visited with other friends and spent the night in Hico and returned to Clairette early Thursday.

Mrs. Jennie Huffpaur was host to the Busy Bee Club last Thursday. The club has the beautiful quilt finished to raise money for the cemetery.

Monty McGuire and son of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake McGuire during the weekend.

Mrs. Opal Partain and Mrs. May McAnally of Stephenville visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Zena Havens. Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander were visitors in the home Saturday night, and Monday afternoon, Mrs. Clara Chaney, Mrs. Druscilla Marshall and Mrs. Carrie Mae Neel visited with Mrs. Havens.

Mrs. Ben Jones visited Friday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Alexander attended a birthday dinner Sunday in Stephenville honoring a grandson, Larry Smith, in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith and family. In the afternoon they visited with their son-in-law, Ben Jones, a patient in the Stephenville Hospital.

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By MRS PASCAL BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod vi-
sited Mrs. C. T. Cavitt at Plainview
and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cavitt
of Amarillo during the past week.

Mr. Marvin Lewallen was on the
sick list during the weekend. We
wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Rony Giesecke
and son, Bryan of Hurst visited
during the weekend with his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Gie-

secke. Bryan remained for a long-
er visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ables and
children of Roberson and Mr. and
Mrs. Clyde Herod of Dublin visited
with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod
during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sherling
of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Orville
Edwards and family of Desdemona,
and Mr. and Mrs. Colen Taegel
and children visited with Mr. and
Mrs. Horace Marlor during the
weekend.

Melbourne Giesecke and sons,
Rony and Recie were in East-
land last Sunday to attend funeral
services for Mr. Jim Noonkester.
Our heartfelt sympathy is extended

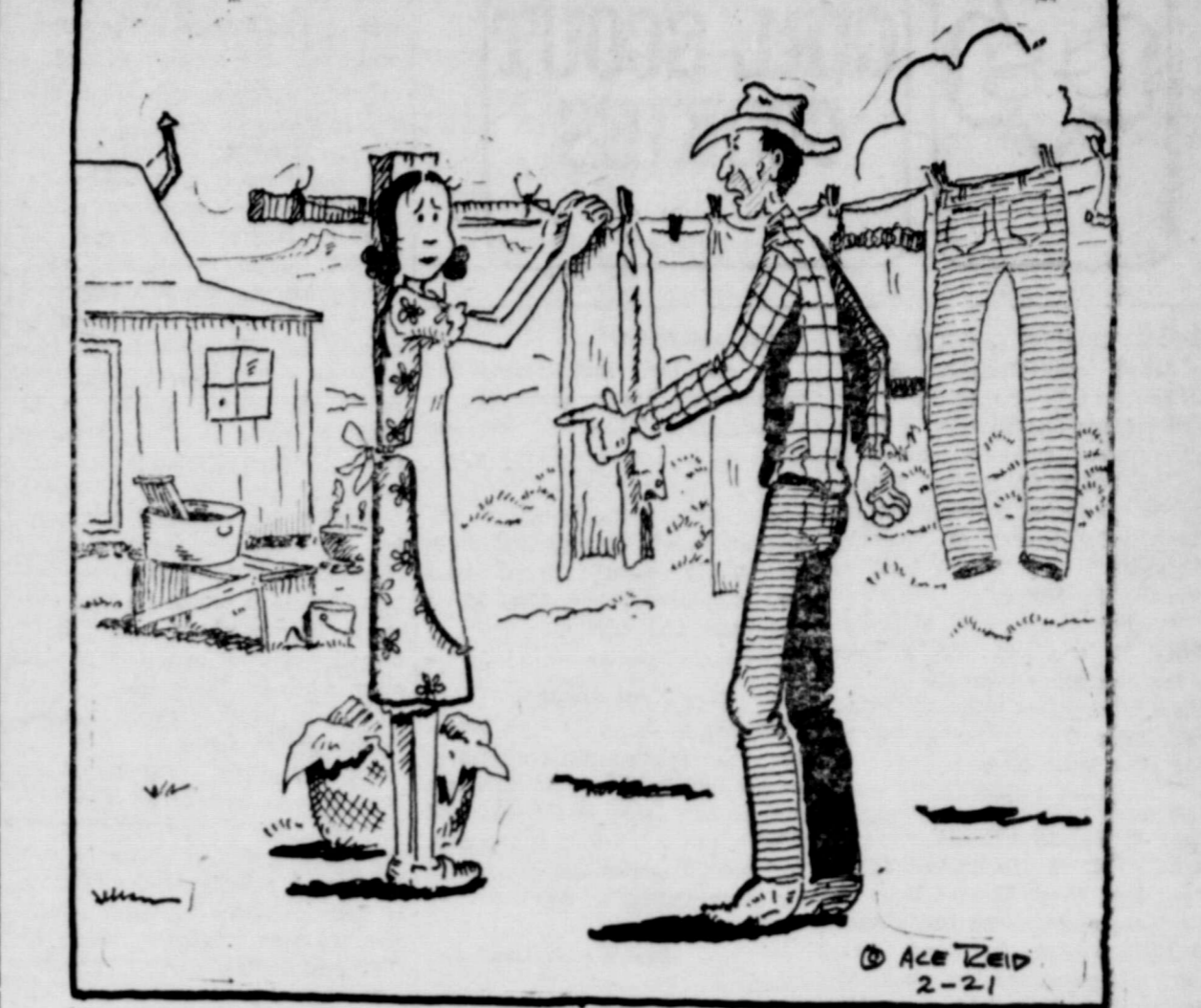
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"Whatta you mean I never take you anywhere, only last week I took you to the grocery store and twice to funerals!"

to the bereaved family.
Paschal Brown returned home on
Friday from Harris Hospital in Fort
Worth where he underwent sur-
gery.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash, Dale,
Wendell and Cheryl, and Steven
and Clayton Whalley of Stephe-
nville, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester
Land and Chester were visitors
with Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown
Sunday.

First Lt. Harry Brown of Viet-
nam visited his wife, Carron, and
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otho
Stuckey and grandmother Fisher
during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and
children of Dallas visited her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown
awhile Saturday.

Enjoying a birthday dinner in
the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B.
Naul Sunday honoring Mrs. Naul
were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul
and children and Linda Naul of
Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Naul
and children of Stephenville.

Mr. W. B. Grant was visiting in
Dallas Saturday with Mr. and Mrs.
Jesse Emmert. Mrs. Grant return-
ed home with him after spending
the week there while her brother
was ill. We hope he is better.

First Lt. and Mrs. Harry Brown
and Mrs. Paschal Brown spent the
past week in Fort Worth to be with
Mr. Brown following surgery.

Visitors with the Paschal Browns
Friday afternoon and night were
Mrs. Wanda Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs.
Marvin Lewallen, Mr. and Mrs.
P. D. Ash and children and Bro.
and Mrs. Clarence Brock of Stephe-
nville.

Roy Dean Land visited with Mr.
and Mrs. Floyd Uptergrove and
sons Sunday.

Mr. Robert Dennis has returned
home from the Hico Hospital and
is doing well. His grandson from
College Station visited him during
the weekend.

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Miss Linda Sue Flowers, a freshman student studying nursing at Central Texas College in Killeen, has been selected to represent the Nursing Department as "Nursing Sweetheart" in a special week of activities in March.

Activities start with a parade March 23, and end with a prom in the evening. All entries are automatically entered in the Miss Central Texas College contest to be held at a later date.

BOULDER BOWLERS FINISH FINE WHITE TOURNAMENT

The Fort Worth Women's City Bowling Tournament, which had attracted Hico bowlers for three weeks, was completed last week, extending Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Conch Salton, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Ruchalski and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Purdon of Stephenville, were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Patterson and Mrs. Grace French.

FROM AUSTIN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rueland and children of Austin were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Knudson and Susan.

Miss Brenda Rainwater, a student at Bethel Beauty College in Fort Worth, spent the weekend here with her mother, Mrs. Marie Rainwater and family.

NOTE OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Hico Volunteer Fire Department for coming to our aid in the grass fires we had at our farm last week, and to all others who helped in any way. The prompt action possibly saved our barn and home. Again we say "thank you."

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Gleason, 4-1-64.

LOVE SWARM NEWS

A birthday dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leonard and family, honoring Mrs. Leonard and her twin brother, E. L. Paris of Fort Worth. Others present were Mrs. Paris and daughter.



WASHINGTON
"As it looks from here"
OMAR BURLESON
Congressman
17th District

Washington, D.C.—It is not the only sure way to break up a far-west pass is to block the passer. Iran, one of the heaviest producers of opium, has applied this tactic to dope peddlers with what they say is maximum effect.

Dopey farmers in Iran are under Government supervision. The acreage devoted to poppy raising is allotted and all production is sold to the Iranian Government at a fixed price. As would be expected there is also a large amount grown outside that allowed. It is sold illegally at a higher price than that sold under regulation. The same situation exists in Turkey, where there is even larger poppy production.

Opium sold on the black market are usually processed in clandestine plants in Iran and Turkey. The rough product is then taken to France where, again, it is illegally refined into heroin and other drugs for illicit sale, a large amount of which finds its market in the United States.

Our country's representatives have been in consultation with Turkey and Iran in efforts to curb the illicit traffic of drugs to this country. A subsidy to the farmers of both countries to reduce acreage has been considered, with the U.S. contributing.

In the meantime, we are discussing with France her responsibilities of taking action against dope refineries. It seems some headway has been made but certainly more needs to be done.

Iran itself has a narcotics problem and has recently invoked the death penalty against peddlers convicted of a second offense. Iran

officials say that since a number of peddlers have formed a firing squad, their drug problem has come under control.

The drug problem in this country is common knowledge. Even one addict is a problem to someone—himself and to the family. Multiplied by two million or more—and no one really knows for sure—it becomes a crisis. To make the matter more sad and alarming is the fact that addiction has spread to grammar school children. This is known to be happening here in Washington and is declared to be the case in a number of our large cities.

Wartime in the first degree, since about the beginning of time, has been the most serious offense under any kind of legal order. In this century the murder of the soul of a child might well be considered a more distasteful crime than the killing of the physical body of a man.

The dope addict not only becomes the victim of the drug seller but a menace to all society. A victim in the awful grip of addiction is under compulsion to satisfy his habit which may run to a cost of \$100 or more a day. As a result a large percentage of the crimes of violence are committed to obtain money to buy drugs. Our Nation's Capital is an appalling example.

Gas saps of money are being spent for the care and treatment of narcotic victims. The numbers continue to grow—the results in treatment appear doubtful.

This is not a dissertation on the moral question of the death penalty—a subject of many dimensions. It is, however, an issue currently debated in many state legislatures.

Also debated is the distinction for punishment between the possession of narcotics by the user and the possession by the dope pusher. There is obviously a great difference if it can be identified.

The observation of President Thomas Jefferson might be appropriate when he noted that "the choice of two evils is often a necessity of political life." The most severe penalty on the dope peddler, as between the conversion of school children to drugs, is the lesser of the evils. It is not a matter of the care of the criminal but rising to the defense of children.

For thousands of years, man has defined crimes against property and against his physical person. It remained for the scientific 20th Century to produce crimes against the soul.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES WILL GATHER AT SNODDER

W. H. Emory, presiding minister for the Stephenville congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, has announced a three-day assembly which is to be held in Snyder March 12-14. "The meeting, to be held in the High School Auditorium, is for planned Bible instruction and a study of modern gospel-teaching methods," Mr. Emory said.

Part of the program is specially being arranged for the youth. Mr. Emory explained, "for that reason whole congregations with their families young and old alike will be in attendance."

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