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**READY FOR PLAY** — Hico's Little League ball park took an appearance of being ready for play for the forthcoming season last Thursday when crews from Community Service Co. erected poles

## Light Standards Erected Last Week at Ball Park

for the Little League ball park as a step nearer completion this week after Community Public Service Co. employees erected the light standards and fixtures. Work on the concession stand has also started. The Hico Review Club donated for the concession stand, and the Patterson is building the roof with the help of Charles Garner. Little League teams were organized this week by coaches Rutledge and Roy Ellenburg. Teams will play in a league with teams from Pearl and Evant. The Hico Review Club donated \$50 to the fund for the concession stand. The total now stands at \$965.16 and a goal of approximately \$1,000.

and light standards at the park. Shown here are three of the fixtures. Eight poles carrying 60 light fixtures were erected, insuring sufficient light for night games. The season will get underway soon.

## POSTAL RATES DUE INCREASE SUNDAY

After Saturday, it will cost you two cents more to mail that letter to Aunt Jane, and if you just want to write a post card, it will cost you one cent more. New postal rates go into effect Sunday, May 16. Some of the most important changes are first class mail, up to eight cents from six; post cards, up to six cents from five; and air mail, up to 11c. Nearly all other classes of mail go up in proportion, including second, third and fourth class.

## LADIES SOFTBALL TEAM

Any lady or girl interested in playing softball for the summer months is asked to meet at the City Park Thursday at 7 p.m. to help organize a team.

# Four Amendments On Tuesday Ballot

Hico voter, along with those over the state, face their first special election of the year Tuesday when they will vote yes or no on four Constitutional Amendments. Text of the four amendments in the order that they will appear on the ballot follows: SJR 15—To establish an official state commission to map ethical standards for state legislators and other officials and to set their pay. HJR 21—To permit submission of future constitutional amendment proposals in special as well as regular sessions. SJR 5—To remove the Constitutional ceiling on aid to the aged, blind and disabled and fix a \$55 million maximum on aid to families with dependent children. An

\$80 million ceiling now applies to all four categories. SJR 17—Authorizing a \$100 million bond issue to finance state aid to local units of government on water treatment plants. In addition, discussion was held concerning the relationship of the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts, especially concerning the Webelos who will soon become Boy Scout age. Tentative plans were also formulated for an Explorer Scout Crew for those ages 14 and over. Participating will be the Beginner, Intermediate, Marching and High School Bands. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Fire Truck Funds Still Solicited

Hico Fire Chief Jerry Casey said this week that the department still needs funds to pay indebtedness on a bank note which the volunteer unit had to secure to complete paying for the new rural truck purchased last year. Casey expressed the appreciation of the department for the contributions that have been received, which totaled over \$7,000.00. The new equipment cost \$10,411.08 and over \$2,000.00 is still needed to retire the debt. He asked the people to consider this project for what it is, and to help if they possibly can.

## Boy Scout Court of Honor Scheduled Thursday, May 27

Troop Committee for Hico Boy Scouts met May 6 in Firemen's Hall. A board of review for three boys advancing to Second Class rating was held, and all three members successfully passed. Austin Emery, Advancement Chairman, announced a Court of Honor for the Scouts is scheduled for Thursday, May 27. In addition, discussion was held concerning the relationship of the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts, especially concerning the Webelos who will soon become Boy Scout age. Tentative plans were also formulated for an Explorer Scout Crew for those ages 14 and over.

## Funeral Services Held Thursday Morning For Robert L. Prater, 85

Robert Loyd Prater, 85, longtime Hico resident, passed away Tuesday, May 11 in the Hico City Hospital after an extended illness. Funeral services were held at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning in the Barrow-Rutledge Funeral Chapel, conducted by Rev. J. W. Hodges. Burial was in Hico Cemetery. "Uncle Bob" Prater, as he was known by his friends, was born August 9, 1885 in Piedmont, Ala., son of the late B. A. and Viana Sherbett Prater. Mr. Prater was a retired farmer. He had lived in the city since 1921 and had been a resident of Hico Nursing Home the past five years. He was a Methodist. Survivors include five nieces, Mrs. Clayton Lambert and Mrs. J. E. Bethune of Fort Worth, Mrs. C. C. Parr, Hico, Mrs. Louie Sonntag of Meridian and Mrs. Louise Cox of Bridgeport; five nephews, J. C. Prater and Lee Prater of Hico, M. L. Prater of Terrell, William Prater of Fort Worth and Raymond Prater of Durango, Colo.

## Mrs. Fellers Will Present Recital

Mrs. E. B. Fellers will present her students in recital Tuesday, May 18 in the school auditorium at 8:30 o'clock. The program will feature piano solos, duets, trios, guitar solos and duets, and guitar and piano trios; also reading. Music students are Cindy Christian, Debbie Barnett, Dana Roberson, Evlyn Holley, Patty Hyles, Todd Hicks, Ashley Smith, Sylvia Dayton, Kendall Walters, Jackie Putty, Brett Flowers, Pam Addison, Kim Fillingim, Annette Ellichman, Monti McCormick, Allison Campbell, Judy Lindsey, Nancy Brummett, Yvonne Cavitt and Vicki Pierce. Students studying art are D'Ann Meador, Clarice Huggins, James Horton, Jacky Putty, Debbie Barnett, Vicki Pierce and Dana Roberson. Also appearing on the program will be D'Ann Fillingim and Sherri Barnett.

# Baccalaureate Services Start School Closing Activities

School closing activities will get underway Sunday, May 16, when Baccalaureate services for the senior class will be held at 8:15 p.m. in First Baptist Church. The service will mark the beginning of a week of activities which will close the 1970-71 term. Last day of the current school year is Friday, May 21, when classes will be dismissed at 2:30. Students will return Monday, May 24, for a brief time to receive report cards. Buses will run at the regular time, but will stay at school only 30 minutes. Speaker for the Sunday Bacca-

laureate services will be Dr. W. V. Bane, District Superintendent of the United Methodist Church. Dr. Bane is from Cleburne, and has been pastor of several large churches in the state. Other participants on the program will be Austin Emery, Hico Church of Christ minister, who will give the invocation; Rev. J. W. Hodges, First Methodist pastor, will read the scripture; and Rev. Eddie Malphrus, First Baptist pastor, who will give the benediction. Lynn Christie, youth director of First Baptist Church, will direct singing and render a special.

**Eighth Grade Graduation** Eighth grade graduation will be held Thursday, May 20 at 8:15 in the school auditorium. Bro. Austin Emery will be the speaker. The salutatory address will be given by Melanie Bonner, and the valedictory will be given by Melody Leonard. Other members of the eighth grade class are Catherine Sue Ashby, Kenneth Black, Austin Blackburn, Lawrence Blum, Yvonne Cavitt, Phillip Cox, Mark Emery, Nel-

## Hico Students Place In State UIL Meet

Hico students who competed in the recent State Interscholastic League Meet in Austin didn't win the highest honors, but placed near the top among Class B schools from over the state. The one-act play, under direction of Mrs. W. B. Hill, placed third in the contest. In literary events, Miss Patricia Cox placed second in Ready Writing, and Galen Lindsey won seventh in the 100-yard dash.

Jack Vickrey, Vice President and General Counsel of Atlanta based Colonial Pipeline Company, has been awarded the American Petroleum Institute's 1971 annual Certificate of Appreciation. This signal honor was presented to Vickrey at the 22nd Annual Pipe Line Conference in recognition of his "meritorious service to the industry."

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**High School Graduation.** Commencement exercises for the senior class will be held at 8:15 p.m. Friday night, May 21. The Honorable Truman Roberts, Judge of the Texas State Court of Criminal Appeals, will be speaker. Valedictorian of the class is Patricia Cox, and Rita Robinson is salutatorian. Judi Putty is third ranking class member, and Larry Decker is the highest ranking boy. Other students having grade averages of 90 or above are Rickie Jaggars, Donna Patterson, Floyd Theford and Johnette Walker. Other members of the 1971 class are Marilyn Behrens, Wendell Bell, Linda Bullard, Melba Busby, Andy Canty, Andrea Carrington, Tom Dowell, Jim Ferguson, Carol Fail, Reggie Grover, Chester Land, Eugene Lindsey, Carolyn Murphy, Alan Ross, Devonna Scott, Nora Walker and Jean Ann Wolfe Flanary.

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Mr. Vickrey, a native of Hico, has held his present position with Colonial, the world's largest petroleum products pipe line, since the company was organized in 1962. Prior to moving to Atlanta, he was an attorney for Mobil Oil Co., one of Colonial's owners. His contributions to the industry include service as industry counsel for Region III of the Natural Petroleum Council, a member of the Executive Committee and Advisory Board, Texas Transportation Association of America, lecturer on oil and gas conservation regulations at the Southern Methodist University Graduate School of Law, Chairman of the State Affairs and Legal Committee of the Association of Oil Pipelines, and a member of the A.P.I. Policy Committee on Standards and Regulations. Last year he successfully represented the pipeline industry in safety hearings before the United States Department of Transportation.

# High-Speed Chase Ends With Capture Of Gatesville Youth

A high speed chase ended Sunday afternoon 5 miles north of Morgan Mill when law enforcement officers were successful in stopping a 15-year-old Gatesville State School escapee.

Seven law enforcement units were involved in the chase before the youth was finally apprehended, including all of Hamilton County's officers, and three units from Erath County.

The chase started when the youth ran a road block east of Hamilton. Hico Constable Buck Shepherd was notified, who in turn set up a block south of Hico on Highway 281.

The escapee successfully eluded both road blocks and another near Stephenville before finally being caught near Morgan Mill.

Officer Shepherd said that speeds of up to 120 miles per hour were reached during the chase.

Shepherd, Hamilton County Sheriff Boots Young, Erath DPS Patrolman Coffey, and a Stephenville city officer finally made the arrest, and the youth was returned to Gatesville and lodged in jail.

## BAND MEMBERS VISIT SIX FLAGS

Twenty-five band members and their teacher, Mrs. Mary Denison attended Six Flags in Arlington last Saturday. They were accompanied by bus drivers Gene Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lively and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ladyman, Karen, David and Sylvia, and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bobo, Cathy, Carla and Gary spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bobo, and they received a telephone call from their other son, James Ray and family of San Antonio. The LeRoy Bobos also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les McClammy. Mrs. Ladyman and Karen visited until Tuesday.

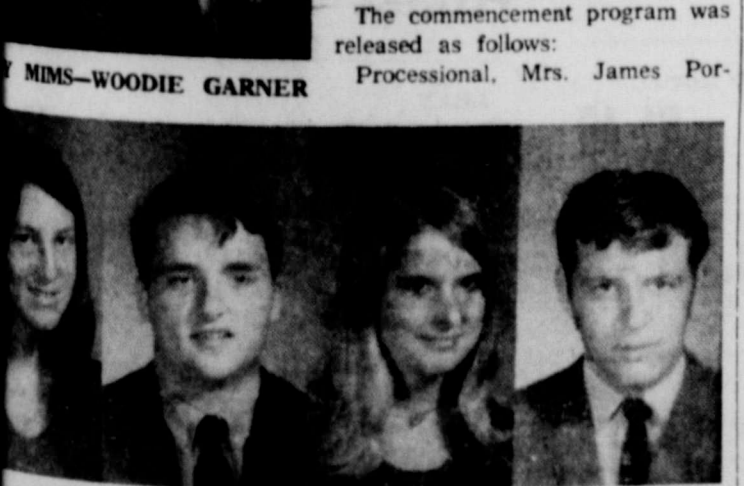
HOUSING GOING UP—Work started in earnest last week when pre-built frames were being put up on Hico's housing project. The picture here shows

part of a duplex being raised. Thirty units are under construction, with a fall completion date scheduled.

## Iredell School Closing Slated

school closing activities will get way at Iredell this Sunday evening, May 16, when baccalaureate services will be held for the class in the Baptist Church o'clock. Commencement exercises for the

eight seniors, and the elementary school class will be held Friday evening, May 21, at 8 o'clock. Mary Mims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mims, is valedictorian of the eighth grade class, and Woodie Garner, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Garner, is salutatorian. High school honor graduates are Debra Mims, also a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mims, who is valedictorian, and Mike Musick, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Musick Jr., is salutatorian. Other members of the class are Don Maness, Vance Hutton, Ronnie Turner, Karen Dunlap, Danny Guinn and Danny Flanary. The commencement program was released as follows: Processional, Mrs. James Por-



MIMS—WOODIE GARNER



MIKE MUSICK KAREN DUNLAP DON MANESS

## Hico Residents Injured in Accident

C. L. (Pete) Norwood and his son, Cecil, were reported in satisfactory condition in the Stephenville Hospital Tuesday after being injured in a two-car collision five miles south of Stephenville on Highway 281 about 4:30 p.m. last Friday. Mr. Norwood sustained a knee injury and cuts and bruises. His son received a mild concussion, a broken left arm, cuts and bruises, and also lost some teeth. Miss Vickie Vaughn was driver of the other vehicle.

## FAMILY NIGHT PLANNED SATURDAY, MAY 15TH AT COUNTRY CLUB

A family night with covered dish supper has been planned for Saturday, May 15 at Bluebonnet Country Club at 8 o'clock. All members, their families and guests are invited to attend. The supper will be followed by a social hour with games of bridge, forty-two, and visiting.

DANNY FLANARY VANCE HUTTON RONNIE TURNER



### Fairy Community News

By Mrs. Eunice Danoff

We received about one-half inch of rain Sunday afternoon. However the Claude Holleys reported 2 1/2 in. at their place about three miles south of Fairy. We were enroute home from Hamilton during the heavy downpour and fields looked like lakes and water was rolling across the highway in low places. We only had a small amount of hail.

It seems that the wind and hail is going to eventually get most of our fruit. We have a young persimmon tree which bore 144 nice full size persimmons last year and was loaded again this year. Thus far we have picked up 100 that have blown off and have less than a dozen peaches on some trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Montgomery of Stephenville have announced the arrival of a little son, Monty Joshua, born April 30. He measured 19 inches and weighed 7 pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Montgomery and Mrs. Clara Meehan of Stephenville, and Dick

Meehan of Dallas. He has a brother, Clay.

Our sympathy is extended to Mrs. John Rainwater of near Hico in the loss of her brother, Frank Stringer, 70, of Coleman. Funeral services were held at Coleman at 10:30 a.m. Monday with burial there.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Arrant and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Arrant and Mrs. Ruth Cunningham. All had lunch Sunday at the Ted Arrants.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Trantham spent from Thursday to Saturday noon in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Trantham.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Pitts of Hamilton visited with Mrs. Ruth

Cunningham Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Overton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Benny Dowdy and family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goyno.

Rev. Bob Ray filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church and he and his family were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Willeford.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Samford of Fort Worth and his grandmother, Mrs. Jewell Odell of Olin visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Samford's grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Turner, Keith and Kimberly of Arlington visited during the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ray Sellers and Janice.

Other guests in the Turner home were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Turner and family of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Botkin, Tammy and Patsy of Killeen. Mrs. Dimple Gordon accompanied the Jackie Turners and visited her father, Mr. J. H. Davis.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Lindsey and son of Fort Worth were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Streater Sunday. He is pastor of Agee Baptist Church.

Mrs. Olga Duncan had the following children and families with her during the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan and sons of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Duncan of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hendrix of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Richardson spent the weekend at Burleson with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Richardson.

Citizens of our little village awoke about 5 a.m. Friday morning to find balls of fire dancing down the REA lines near the old post office. The T. R. Parks first discovered it about 5 a.m. and notified the E. M. Hoovers, Lemmie Tranthams and H. O. Richardsons. Some one notified the REA and they were soon on the job and found the high wind had blown two lines together near our home. We who have telephones on the REA had to get a repair man out to get our phones in order. Mr. Willeford called us to know if our lights and appliances would burn, and we told him only partly. All ceiling lights were very dim. Our kitchen clock stopped at 6:20, while a clock on the TV never stopped, but lights plugged into wall outlets burned perfectly.

I have cannas to give to anyone desiring them. Some tall, some dwarfs in yellow, orange and a few red.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Porterfield of Hamilton were at their home here Saturday afternoon. Having noticed in the Stephenville paper where Marvin had been carried to the Stephenville Hospital by ambulance from a service station, we went up to check on him, only to find him there with his wife. He said he had gone to Stephenville with his father-in-law, Mr. Lester Smith of Lanham. Mr. Smith noticed after going through Hico that Marvin had quit talking by the time he got to the south edge of Stephenville. He saw he was out. He rushed to the next station where an ambulance was called. After treatment, he was released and accompanied Mr. Smith home. Marvin is a diabetic and has had these blackouts before. He was able to deliver the dedication service at the Pottsville Cemetery Saturday morning, but was still quite pale and still looked like a sick man to us.

The writer attended singing at Lund Valley Sunday afternoon. We were accompanied from Hamilton by Mrs. G. E. Woosley and her daughter, Mrs. Vergie Lee of Rosenberg and Mrs. J. I. Kemp. Despite the threatening weather a very good crowd attended. The Cecil Grishams and I hope to go to Bethel Monday night. It will mark their 5th year with these monthly singings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkland of Hamilton visited Friday night in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bullard.

Rev. Bob Lindsey and family were supper guests of the C. A. Bullards Sunday.

Sunday visitors in the C. A. Bullard home were his mother and sister-in-law, Mrs. Willie Bullard and Mrs. Presley Bullard of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones of Lanham have a new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Andrews of Richardson at the Arlington Hospital last Thursday night. It weighed a fraction over 5 pounds and is reported to have pneumonia and relatives are deeply concerned. The Andrews have two small daughters. She is the former Joyce Faye Jones.

#### MRS. HOMER COUCH BURIED IN DENNISON

Mrs. Homer Couch, 79, of Dennison passed away at her home Tuesday, May 4.

Mrs. Couch, the former Sallie Turner, was a sister of Mrs. Willie Baldwin of Hico.

Attending the funeral services on Thursday in Dennison were Mrs. Baldwin, Frank Stipe, Ray Stipe and Gaylord Turner of Stephenville.

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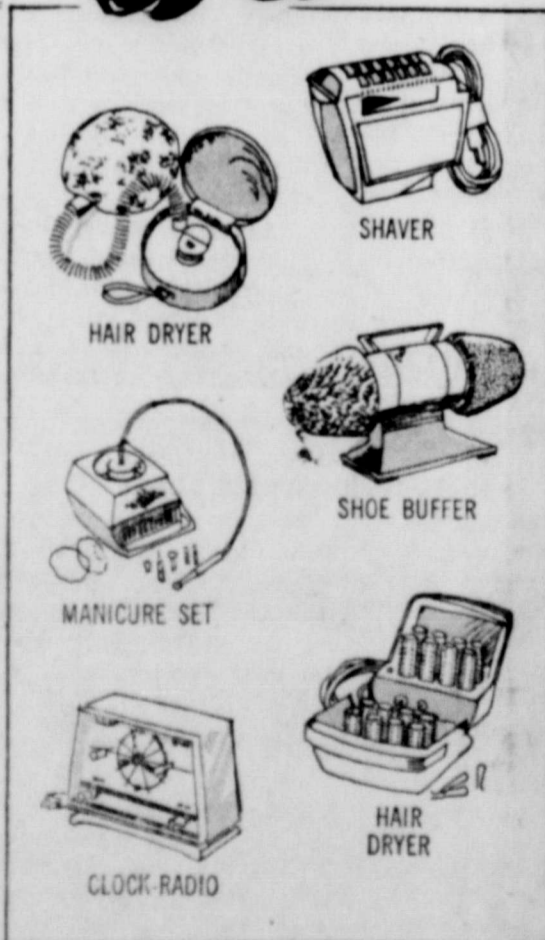
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## Olin Community News

By MRS. CYRUS KING

Doyle Partain of Fort Worth came Tuesday and brought us the death message of the passing of Mrs. J. K. Byrd, who at one time lived in the Olin community. She passed away early Monday morning. Funeral services were Wednesday in Bridgeport with burial in Chico. We attended.

Mrs. G. R. Ferguson and son, Jeff of Stephenville visited Saturday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fackler of Stephenville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt.

I will tell that Cyrus King got a good scare Saturday while mowing the lawn. He ran over a rattlesnake. If it had been a large one I would have never caught him. It was the first rattlesnake ever killed in our yard in the 50 years we have lived here. We had already killed two other snakes near the yard so you had better watch for them.

Amy Erick of Hico visited with the B. B. Baley family through Wednesday.

Garland Parker spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Dallas with his mother, Mrs. W. A. Hassell.

Mrs. Barnhill and children of Carlton visited awhile Friday with Mrs. W. H. Akard.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Parker spent Sunday in Cleburne with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith. Garland stayed with Mr. Smith while Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Smith went to church.

James Akard went to an FFA meeting in Stephenville Friday night. He and his advisor, Martin Schrank went to Brownwood Saturday where he bought three sheep.

Mrs. Garand Parker took her brother, W. T. Smith to see an eye specialist in Dallas Monday.

Mrs. Lonnie Gray visited Mrs. W. H. Akard Tuesday and got her cat which had ran away.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt visited awhile in Stephenville Friday night with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fackler and attended the Intercollegiate Rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Samford visited Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. A. C. Odell and attended services at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Jerry Brown of Stephenville visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Samford of Round Rock visited from Wednesday until Friday with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Odell.

Sunday visitors with Mrs. M. V. Knapp were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp and children of Dublin, Kenneth Knapp and girls of McGreer and Mrs. O. T. Woods of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ables and family of Everman spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ables. Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rodgers and Janice of Hamilton were also Sunday visitors in the home. Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Collins and

### RAYMOND BARRY, 78, SUCUMBING IN OKLAHOMA

Raymond Barry, 78, of Hollis, Okla., a brother of Mrs. B. E. Duncan of Hico, died Wednesday, May 5 in the Harmon Memorial Hospital in Hollis.

Services were held Friday at 3 p.m. in Hollis First Baptist Church. Burial was in Fairmount Cemetery.

Mr. Barry was born Aug. 6, 1892 at Iredell. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barry. He went with his parents to Oklahoma in 1905 and had resided there since.

He is survived by his wife, Jennie; two daughters, Mrs. J. R. Wallace of Tecumseh, Okla. and Mrs. Ralph Pondergraft of Rancho Cordova, Calif.; two sons, Col. Raymond Barry of Boulder, Colo. and Lovd Wayne Barry of Pittsburgh, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. Emma Cavness of Hollis and Mrs. B. E. Duncan of Hico; and 12 grandchildren.

Mrs. Duncan returned home Monday following a two week visit in Hollis.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey were Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Monk, Cathy and Tommy, and Richard Hoy of Irving. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Milton of Truth or Consequences, N.M., Ola Moore of Meridian and Mr. and Mrs. Corry Lindsey and Galen of Duffau James Lindsey and family visited in the afternoon.

Jason were Sunday luncheon guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gray. Mrs. Lonnie Gray visited Mrs. A. C. Odell Friday and took her a lovely cake and some beautiful roses. Mrs. Odell says she has the most thoughtful neighbors.

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**RUMBLINS' FROM THE VILLAGE NURSING HOME**  
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Hi folks. After all the lightning and thunder, we didn't have much rain. Things were really hustling and bustling during the weekend. The florist made numerous trips with

the most gorgeous flowers that anyone ever saw. The home got a beautiful pot plant from Miss Louise Blair. Thanks so much Louise. It was such a sweet, thoughtful deed. Several of the patients went home

for the day or to their folks homes, but the majority stayed home and their folks visited them here. It was a very nice mother's day. No one is seriously ill at this time. A few have sniffles and colds, but they are not very bad. Mrs. Bramblett is home from the hospital and is doing fine. Mrs. Lucille Snyder and daughter, Mrs. Winfred Driver of Stephenville visited Mrs. Julia Brun-

son, Mrs. Bunnie Alexander, Ruby and Mary Mitchell Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Childers of Port Lavaca were visitors in the home Monday. Also Mr. Harold Walker and Mr. Carl Guthrie were visitors. Mrs. Julia Brunson had her daughter, Mrs. Nettie Sills and Mrs. Kathryn Boone of Hamilton and Mrs. Ruby Largent of Cranfills Gap as visitors. Mrs. Howard Wright visited Mrs. Emma Wright Wednesday. Thanks Merta for letting us tag along to town with you.

Ronnie East spent Friday night in Fort Worth with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hampton were weekend visitors in Cleburne with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. French, Debbie and Cynthia. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall are visiting this week in Corpus Christi with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Marshall and family.

**Church of Christ Youth At Stephenville Outing**  
Saturday, May 8, twelve young people from the Hico Church of Christ attended a Teen Day hosted by the youth of Northside Church of Christ in Stephenville. The group left Hico at 12:30 and returned about 10 p.m. Transportation was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Austin Emery and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bolstad. The day was spent in athletic competition, singing of both religious and popular music, an address by Lee Grant, Stephenville minister, and devotional periods. Those attending from Hico were Jim Turner, Lester Chew, Kent Schumacher, Dean and Dale Walker, Tim and Mark Emery, Glenn and D'Ann Bolstad, Billie Sue Donley, Rebecca Garza and Donna Mayfield. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan and sons of Irving spent the weekend at their home here and visited Sunday with Mrs. Olga Duncan in Fairly.

**DON SEAL ATTENDS GAME HUNTERS' MEETING**  
Roy D. Seal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy O. Seal of Hico, has returned from a week in San Antonio where he attended the International Big Game Hunters Fishermen's Conference. One of the many activities of the week was a special guest because at the famous Y-O-B near Kerrville. Seal has recently formed "Open men International," a project aid hunters, fishermen and photographers to find the best areas, fitters and safari companies.

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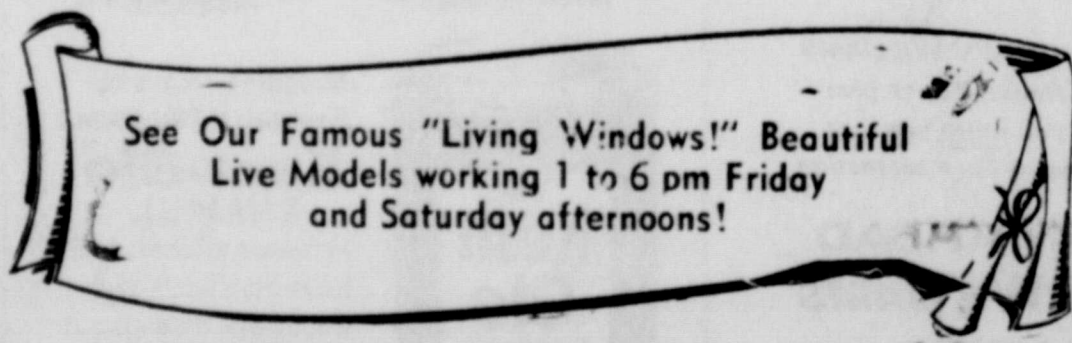
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Mrs. Beryl Cozby and her mother, Mrs. Lilla Byrd of Arlington visited Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. Maggie McPherson, Mrs. Mary Mitchell, Mrs. Fisher, Dock Finney and Ruby Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Word visited her mother, Mrs. Connally Wed. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phipps of Stephenville have visited his mother, Mrs. Phipps. Mrs. Beatrice Chew visited her mother, Mrs. Brunson Thursday. Aubrey Silkes was a visitor in the home Thursday. Mrs. Kate Chaffin, Mrs. Fannie Dawson and Mrs. Ila Bates visited Mr. and Mrs. Britt Ogle and others Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Fritz Campbell of Hamilton, Mrs. O. P. Mercer and Mrs. Ava Smith visited Mrs. Mary Mitchell and Ruby. Other visitors were Mrs. Ora Ellison and Zula Walton, Mrs. Marie Sharp of Carlton. Mrs. Sharp did some hair fixing for Mrs. Dyer and Mrs. Fisher. Mrs. Ray Kirby of Houston and George Wright of Edna visited Mrs. Dyer Friday. Mr. Jud Cole and grandsons, Gary and Greg Green of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Minnie Cole Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Berkley of Hurst visited Mr. and Mrs. Berkley during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arrington of Rotan visited her mother, Mrs. Emma Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clayton visited Mrs. Breakey Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Green and girls of Stephenville visited Mrs. Connally Saturday. Mrs. Inez Ferguson and Jana of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Martin visited Amye Newman Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Coffelt of Meridian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Golden Sunday. Miss Patsy Spaulding of Waco visited her grandmother, Mrs. Spaulding during the weekend. Dean took his mother home for Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Nowlin of Royce City visited Mrs. L. C. Breakey Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Cozby visited their aunt, Mrs. Bunnie Alexander Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brummett and family, Mr. and Mrs. Woodward Brummett, Mary Gutierrez of Cherokee and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Anderson of Garland visited Mrs. M. C. Anderson Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ogle, Kathy and Bobby visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Britt Ogle Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. John Britton visited their aunt, Mrs. Florence Lambert Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Clarice Turner visited in the home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson of Hugo, Okla. visited with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Fisher and Dock Finley. Mrs. Fisher and Dock spent Saturday at home in Carlton, and Mrs. Fisher also spent Sunday at home with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod and Mrs. Pearl Mayfield visited Saturday with their mother, Mrs. Annie Cavitt, and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cavitt and daughters took Mrs. Cavitt home with them. Mrs. Nora Driver Tindall of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Berkley. Mrs. Emma Wright spent Sunday with her son, Howard Wright near Dublin.

**HICO NURSING HOME**  
Sunday was a wonderful day for all mothers. There were many visitors in and out during the day. Some of the visitors failed to register and we are sorry we cannot recognize them, but are glad they visited. Charles Cozby and Mrs. Estill White of Hamilton visited Mrs. Kilgo Tuesday. Loraine and Lucille Segrest visited Minnie Brazill Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Poff of Stephenville visited Mrs. J. M. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horton of San Angelo visited her mother, Mrs. Bertha Taylor over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Needham and

Mothers Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Simpson Jr. of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Belcher and Jodi of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simpson, Gary, Randy, Kay and Paul of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. David Box and Donna of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Simpson and Blake of Fort Worth. In the afternoon the group visited at Olin with Mr. Simpson's mother, Mrs. Axie Guest.

Charles of New Braunfels and Mrs. Steven Ferguson of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Nora Needham Sunday. Mollie Lawrence had as visitors Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawrence of Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Nabors of DeLeon and Mrs. Edlie B. Cunningham of Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap of Iredell visited her mother, Mrs. Zollie Sawyer Sunday. Mrs. Vesta Lynch visited her mother, Mrs. Hattie King. Jan Christian had charge of our Sunday night worship service.

B. E. Whiteside of Dallas was a weekend visitor with his sister, Miss Pearl Whiteside. Visiting Sunday in the home were Mrs. Wayland Wooton and children of Rainbow and Mrs. H. A. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap of Iredell visited her mother, Mrs. Zollie Sawyer Sunday. Mrs. Vesta Lynch visited her mother, Mrs. Hattie King. Jan Christian had charge of our Sunday night worship service.

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CLUB and SOCIETY PAGE

CLUBS — SOCIETY — PARTIES — PERSONAL MENTION

Laura Munnerylyn and B. C. Barnett Are United in Marriage

Laura Munnerylyn and Mr. B. C. Barnett were united in marriage Tuesday evening, May 4, in a ceremony performed in the home of Mrs. Bertice Barnett...

Seniors Feted With May 9th Breakfast

Hico High School Seniors were honored with a breakfast Sunday, May 9 in Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church before departing on their annual trip to Mo Ranch.

Seniors Honored With Afternoon of Fun By Baptist Youth

The youth of First Baptist Church sponsored an afternoon of fun and food honoring the graduating seniors of Hico High School, last Friday at the Dr. J. B. Putty ranch.

"Four of Gardens" Slated By Club

Hico Garden Club will sponsor its annual "Tour of Gardens" Friday, May 14, beginning at 10 a.m. Those making the tour will meet at the Methodist Church...

Bruce Slaughters Host Saturday Night Party

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Slaughter entertained with a party Saturday evening for members and guests of their bridge club.

Mrs. Stearman Hosts Wednesday Club In Irving Home

Members of the Luncheon Bridge Club were guests last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. W. C. Stearman in Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McClure visited in Waco Sunday in the home of an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McClure.

Mrs. Ray Parks, Ricky and Tjuna of Wichita Falls visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Bruce Slaughter and children and with Mrs. Steve Parks.

Mother's Day visitors with the O. J. Clarks of Fairy were their sons, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Clark Jr. and Milton Clark of Fort Worth, and his sister, Mrs. Mamie Medlen of Hico.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Mattie Ramage last weekend were Dr. and Mrs. Al Vickers of Austin and Mrs. Ludie Hudson of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Simpson of Humble City, N.M. visited this week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Ross of Garland were weekend visitors with their parents, Mrs. Mattie Luker and Mr. and Mrs. Watt Ross.

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McKenzie were Mr. and Mrs. Carey McKenzie and Mark and Billy McKenzie of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jessie Richbourg accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duckworth of Henrietta to San Antonio where they spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Ronnie Fox.

Sunday luncheon guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer were Mr. and Mrs. Will C. Hafer of Clifton and Mrs. Karl Schmidt. Mrs. Ralph Collins of Dallas visited Monday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newton and Diane and Mr. Wheeler of Glen Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. Wes Newton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Linch and girls of Glen Rose and Mrs. Eunice Adkison were afternoon visitors.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Duncan were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Duncan and children and Gary Duncan of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bakke of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gleaton of Comanche were recent visitors with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gleaton.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Bertha Horton Saturday were Mrs. Charles Sharp and girls of Fort Worth, Mrs. Essie Mae Luckie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunter and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Newton.

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pal Drake were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Drake and daughter of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nicholas of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Preston O'Bannon of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Drake and children.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Margaret Tolliver were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Crow of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crow and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hathcock of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tolliver and children of Burleson, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Simmons of Cleburne, Miss Connie Cox of Joshua, and Mr. and Mrs. William Hampton of Walnut Springs. Also Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tolliver and W. D. Tolliver and David of Iredell, Charlie Tolliver, and Mrs. Charles Tolliver and Lynette.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Parker of Lockney were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Vesta Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Fort Worth visited in the home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nell Hardin of Fort Worth was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Purdom of Stephenville were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Lo Club Enjoys Day Party

Marvin Walters was hostess for home last Friday to members and guests of the Hi-Lo Club. Refreshment plate was served during the afternoon.

Mrs. Loden Hostess to Clairette HD Club

Mrs. George Loden was hostess to the Clairette Home Demonstration Club May 7 at her home. Mrs. Loden, president, presided. Mrs. Alexander lead the group in repeating the club pledge and prayer.

Beta Beta Chapter Has Recent Dinner

Beta Beta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met in the lovely home of Mrs. Martha Pool of Laugna Park, Lake Whitney May 1 with Valley Mills and Mosheim members as hostesses.

Present were Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bonner, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. George Kilgo, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Funk of Fort Worth, and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Armstrong of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson were in Gatesville recently to attend a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orndorf. The occasion honored Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Orndorf.

Bill Rutledge, student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, has completed the Spring semester and arrived home last weekend to spend the summer here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rutledge.

Sunday evening dinner guests in the home of Mrs. T. A. Randalis were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Smith, Allison, Meridith and Byron of De Leon.

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ellis and Suzanne and Mrs. James Rainwater, June and Joy of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ellis and David of Hurst, Mrs. Virgil Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle O'Neal and Lyle and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Needham and family.

Weekend visitors with Mrs. Lucille Slaughter were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Rightmer, Jan and Dan of Crowley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orndorf. The occasion honored Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Orndorf.

Relatives who visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. East and Ronnie last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. Jordan of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham of Fort Worth, Miss Baylor Durham of Waco, Miss Mary Eva Durham of Austin and Mrs. John Golightly.

Following a dinner served at 5 p.m., the group participated in a "Fun Night Program." Two new members, Miss Janice Collins of Clifton and Mrs. Huberta Potter of Valley Mills, were installed in an impressive ceremony led by Miss Elsie Coston.

Members from Hico attending were Mrs. Bernell Jernigan and Mrs. O. C. Cook.

New Bridge Club Met Monday Night

The Monday Night Bridge Club, which has been recently organized, met this week in the home of Mrs. Bruce Slaughter.

Attending were Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. Robert Lee, Mrs. Jake McClammy, Mrs. Charles Dayton, Mrs. E. V. Meador, Mrs. Charles Baley and a guest, Mrs. Steve Parks.

Following an evening of bridge, Mrs. Slaughter held high score and Mrs. McClammy held second high. Refreshments were served during the party.

Thursday Bridge Club Meets in Fairey Home

The home of Mrs. J. W. Fairey was the setting last week for the meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club.

A dessert plate was served preceding games of bridge. Mrs. J. M. Boyd of Dallas was a guest, and members present were Mrs. I. J. Teague, Mrs. Edwin T. Tolon Sr., Mrs. Hord Randalis, Miss Mettie Rodgers, Mrs. Nadine Creath, Mrs. C. H. Boyd and Mrs. T. A. Randalis.

Winning honors in scores for the afternoon were Mrs. C. H. Boyd with high and Miss Rodgers with second high.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Dayton were in Gatesville last Friday and played golf at the Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Webb of Snyder were recent visitors with her daughter, Mrs. Steve Parks, while Mr. Parks and his son, Ray Parks of Wichita Falls, entered a weekend golf tournament in Olney.

Mrs. J. P. Clepper attended the Brad Cemetery working recently and visited Sunday in Gordon with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rexroat.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cavitt and girls of Iredell and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Linch and girls of Glen Rose were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Adkison.

Mother's Day visitors in the home of Mrs. John Ogle were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ballard and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Keiser and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ogle, Johnny Ogle and Mrs. Thaleo Barrere of Waco, Mrs. Gene Douglas of Stephenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Ogle, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hyles and Joni, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Black and Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Ogle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Orand of Galena Park, Andy Lackey of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lackey of Foreston were visitors during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lackey.

Calder Hosts Youth Hico Club

Youth Hico Home Demonstration Club met May 6 in the home of Mrs. R. L. Calder with nine members and three visitors present.

The children of Mrs. Nettie Meador met for Mother's Day in the home of Mrs. Sarah Reeves. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wren of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Meador of Waco, Melvin Meador of Fort Worth, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Kelly and children of Grapevine, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Meador, D'Ann and Chris, and Danny Reeves.

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# Items of Interest From Iredell . . .

By **VINITA BLAKLEY**

### P-TA WILL MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 18

The Iredell P-TA will meet Tuesday afternoon, May 18 at 3 p.m. at the school. Officers for 1971-72 will be installed at this time. Refreshments will be served, and everyone is invited to attend.

All school activities are announced elsewhere in this issue. Show your interest in the school by attending.

### WCSH HONORS SENIORS

The Women's Society of Christian Service entertained the senior class with a salad supper Thursday evening, May 6.

The class colors of yellow and white and a graduation theme were carried out in decorations. Rev. Yant gave the invocation and welcomed the seniors. Response was given by Vance Hutton.

Mrs. Yant introduced the senior class, Danny Flanary, Danny Guinn,

Vance Hutton, Ronnie Turner, Mike Musick, Don Maness, Karen Dunlap, and Debby Mims.

Guests were Mrs. Danny Flanary, Karin Woodward and Karen Chaffin, senior students at Western Hills School in Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. James Spence, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley and Rev. and Mrs. Yant.

Mr. Larry Olson and musicians from Walnut Springs entertained.

Mrs. Alma Oldham, president of WCSH, presented each senior with a Bible. Karen Chaffin was also presented a Bible as she is a member of the Iredell church and attends services each week.

Mrs. Mae Linch was happily surprised for Mother's Day when she received a package from her son, M-Sgt. Royce Linch, who is stationed in Vietnam. The package contained lovely tropical flowers from Rusty's Florist, Inc. at Wahiawa, Hawaii.

Mrs. H. G. Jackson of Kilgore was a recent visitor in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Noble McPeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Helm, Valerie and Debby of Arlington were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm.

At the services of First Baptist Church Sunday morning, the pastor, Rev. Fred Sellers presented three corsages. Those receiving them were the oldest mother present, Mrs. Albert Mize, the youngest, Mrs. J. T. Wellborn Jr., and the mother with the most children present, Mrs. J. T. Wellborn Sr.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap were Mr. and Mrs. Knight of Walnut Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dunlap, David and Teresa of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunlap, Linda and Kim of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dunlap, Austin Ray and Jack of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Adkison of Fort Worth entertained with a picnic at their farm near Iredell for her family, the Turners of Fort Worth.

Funeral services for Mrs. Leonard Meeks of Gatesville were held Saturday, May 1 at the Gatesville

Baptist Church. Mrs. Meeks was the former Inga Bakke, a sister of Oris Bakke and a native of the Spring Creek community. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bakke of Houston were here to attend the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sanders were weekend visitors in Fort Worth with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Dunlap were Sunday visitors with her mother, Mrs. Sawyer at the Hico Nursing Home.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Frankie Flanary were Marvin Flanary and Mrs. Frances Vinson of Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flanary of Fort Worth. Mrs. Flanary returned home with the Jack Flanarys and will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bakke of Houston were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oris Bakke, and also at Hico with her parents.

Mr. Jack Hall, Donald and Ronald of Waco were Saturday visitors in the home of Mrs. Royce Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Siske and children of Corsicana were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Phillips.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cooper of Meridian, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Offet

and son of Lewisville, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Rudd and baby of Clifton. They also visited their grandmother, Mrs. A. J. McElroy.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Ollie Koonsman were Mr. and Mrs. Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Carpenter and daughters of Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Koonsman and family of Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Linch of Burleson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tidwell of Desdemona.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley were visitors in Cleburne with Mrs. Bettye Bradley, Ann and Joe. Joe had knee surgery at the Cleburne Hospital and is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Echols of Waco visited their mothers, Mrs. A. J. McElroy and Mrs. Mamie Echols Sunday.

Mrs. Mike Phillips, Michael, Michelle and Bradley, and Mrs. W. T. Claunch were weekend visitors in Vernon and Hale Center.

Among those in the Clifton Hospital are Mr. Chessie Webb and Mrs. E. A. Koonsman. Also Mr. Earl Lundberg entered the hospital and will have surgery Tuesday.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley were Mmes. Glenn Long of Granbury, Afton Perry, Jewell Seymour and Modena Glibbreath of Lipan, Mrs. Boyd Davis of Mineral Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sartor of Meridian.

Mr. and Mrs. Cletos Blue were weekend visitors in Dallas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kitching and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. James Porter, David and Cindy entertained Saturday night with a musical at their

home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bohn, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sawyer of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Knight of Meridian, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Myers and Paul and Rev. and Mrs. Dale Yant and Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Tong of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Dale Yant and Martin.

Mrs. Nettie Mae Herrin of the Hico Nursing Home spent the weekend at her home with her son, Elton Herrin. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Russell and sons of China Springs and Mr. Leon Herrin and son of Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith of Walnut Springs were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mrs. Fannie Dawson.

Mr. J. D. Gregory of Midland visited with friends in Iredell Saturday.

Snookie Strong and son, Bud,

have gone to El Paso where they have work with a construction company. Mrs. Strong will go this week to be with them.

Mike Phillips and Tommy Cline are at Van Horn with a construction company.

Mrs. Frances Boyette and daughter, Harriett of Stephenville were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. W. J. Phillips, their mother and grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cline and Tracey of Fort Worth were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Blue of Cotton were Saturday visitors in the home of Mrs. W. C. Blue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gaiman visited in Fairy during the weekend in the home of their son and

family. Bill Rusk and daughter, Sheri of Dallas visited Sunday with mother, Mrs. John Rusk.

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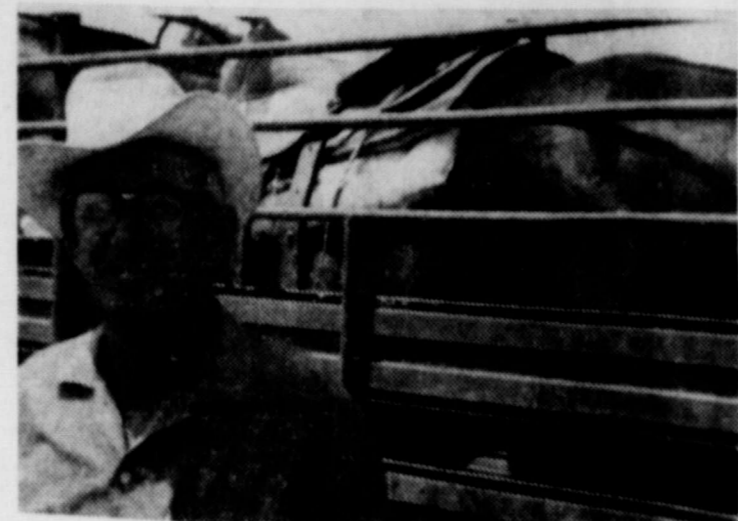
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## Duffau Community News

By MRS. PASCAL BROWN

A large crowd attended the Duffau Cemetery working Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Festel Elkins visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Wagner and family and Mrs. Sandy Stratton and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Herrin and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Grant visited at the Paschal Brown home awhile Tuesday night.

Cecil Hancock was a patient in the Hico Hospital for several days with injuries he received in a car wreck.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herod Friday night.

Most everyone are busy with repairs to their homes following the storm.

Chester Land and Junior were visitors at the Paschal Brown home awhile Thursday afternoon.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Brown during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and family of Dallas, Mrs. Harry Brown of Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and children of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Naul and family and Linda Naul of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Aron Naul and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul during the weekend.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Marlor during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Marlor of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Nixon of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Adkison and children of Rendon, Mr. and Mrs. Colen Taegel and

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Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Naul and children of Stephenville visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Naul Sunday.

We received half an inch of rain and hail Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Scott and children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Toby Briles and children of Richardson spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Talley.

Mrs. Harold Stevens of Arlington, who has been visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Bess Minus, returned to her home Tuesday of last week when her daughter, Mrs. Glenda Stevens came for her.

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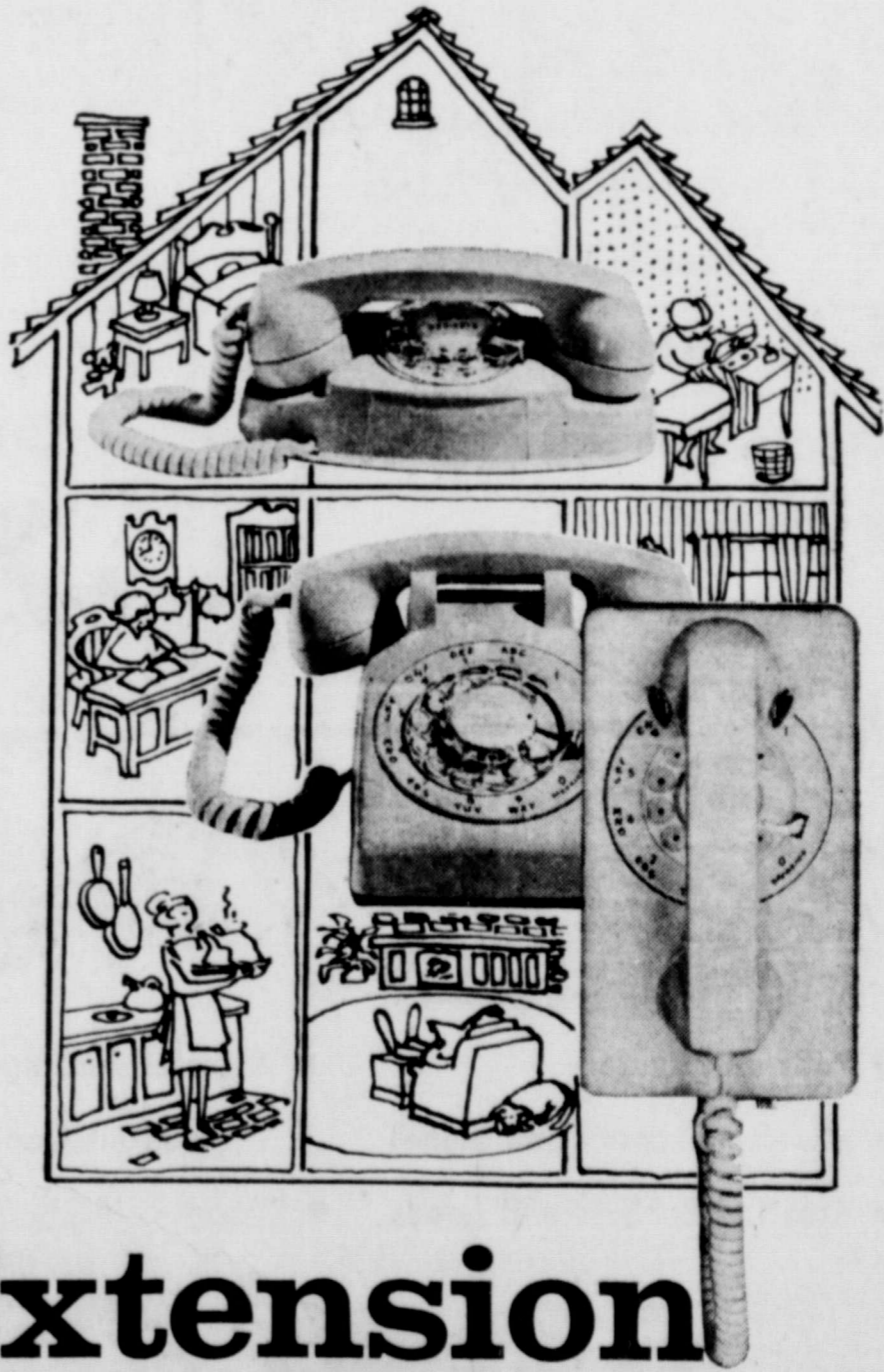
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**Wicky-Wacky Band Entertains at Hico Nursing Homes**

If you heard wicky-wacky sounds coming from the nursing homes recently, you were hearing right. The Wicky-Wacky Band from the Senior Citizens Center in Stephenville was here entertaining residents of the Village and Hico Nursing Homes.

Mrs. Fred McCleskey, director of the Center, accompanied the group.

The 25-member band, composed of Senior Citizens, is directed by Mrs. Beulah Killough.

The instruments are all homemade. Some are of kitchen utensils, such as dishes and silverware, others were old fashioned rub boards, five gallon paint cans, and the bass drum was made from a 55-gallon barrel.

Ladies of the band were dressed in red dresses with black ties and the men wore black trousers, white shirts and red ties.

At the Village Home, the band rendered novelty numbers, religious hymns were sung, and everyone joined in the singing of "Happy Birthday" to all patients who are observing April birthdates.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

Due to not having a piano at the Hico Nursing Home, the group only sang religious songs there.

The Wicky-Wacky Band has entertained at many nursing homes in the area, on the radio and at different programs and activities.

**WCS RUMMAGE SALE**

The WCS Rummage Sale will continue each Saturday in the building next to Bell Associates, from 9 until 3 p.m.

**CIVIC CLUB WILL MEET WEDNESDAY**

Hico Civic Club will meet in regular session next Wednesday at Firemen's Hall.



**Boy Scouts Enjoy Weekend Camp-Out At Meridian State Park**

By GLENN BOLSTAD, Scribe

Wade McCoy, Ronnie East, Hal Needham, Eddie Needham, Gary Reed, Randal Duke, Allison Campbell, Timmy McCameron, Marvin Walters, Brent Keller, Craig Jackson, Jamie Putty, and Glenn Bolstad went to Meridian State Park the weekend of April 23-25. Mr. Carrington and Mr. Moore took the Scouts to the park. The boys left Hico Friday afternoon at 5:30.

Saturday morning from 6 to 7 they went fishing. The Scouts who were working on second class took a 5-mile hike around the lake. The Rattlesnake Patrol cooked eggs for breakfast. The Wolf Patrol cooked lunch. We had hot dogs, potato chips and Cokes. The Eagle Patrol cooked stew for supper. The boys sung around the campfire, and after awhile played "capture the flag."

Saturday night the Patrols had a pancake contest. First the fire had to burn a string 30 inches high before we could start to mix pancake batter. When the pancakes were done they had to be flipped over a 7-foot string and they had to be caught. The Wolf Patrol won and got 15 points.

Marvin Walters joined the Scouts on Thursday, April 22.

Sunday morning at about 8:30 Bro. Emery of the Church of Christ gave a talk on reverence. The Scouts left the park at 10:20 Sunday morning.

**Campout at Carringtons**

Brent Keller, Craig Jackson, Marvin Walters, and Glenn Bolstad attended the campout for the Wolf Patrol. Jeff Higgins was the only one of the Rattlesnake Patrol that attended, and Ronnie East, Hal Needham, Eddie Needham and Wade McCoy attended from the Eagle Patrol.

Marvin Walters passed his Tenderfoot tests.

Mr. Carrington fixed hot dogs for the Scouts Friday evening.

About 11 a.m. the Scouts went down to Mr. Carrington's tank and shot at a target.

The boys left Hico at 5:30 p.m. Friday and returned at 12 Saturday.

**Thursday Meeting**

The Boy Scouts met Thursday, May 6 at Firemen's Hall. Present were Timmy McCameron, Craig Jackson, Glenn Bolstad and Marvin Walters in the Wolf Patrol, Ronnie East, Hal Needham, Tim Emery, Eddie Needham and Wade McCoy in the Eagle Patrol and Allison Campbell, Gary Reed and Randal Duke in the Rattlesnake Patrol.

The Scouts discussed going to Cleburne on the 15th of this month. Craig Jackson, Hal Needham and Eddie Needham passed their second class tests.

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