

Today is St. Patrick's Day. It is also another memorable occasion. It is the birthday of a very esteemed little lady whom almost everybody around this neck of the woods knows as Sally. Mrs. Sally Purdom, spry, genial and pretty at the age of 87—is treasured as a special friend by the News Review editor. He'd even love her if she should happen to disremember paying her subscription promptly on this special day.

Aside from a personal interest in the admirable character, there also exists a fraternal interest in her family. A son-in-law, L. E. Callan, has made quite a reputation through his successful Kaufman County Herald.

And her son, Roscoe Purdom—there's a regular fellow for you. Roscoe is a versatile printer and linotype operator who has in the past score of years done many a favor for the management of the old home town paper. We've had a lot to say about his mother in past years, and everybody knows how we feel about her—including Sally herself. So she won't get even slightly offended if we pass up a long ditty dedicated to her and wish for Roscoe such a long and happy life as his mother has enjoyed. Congratulations and best wishes, Sally, and all your tribe.

Roscoe Purdom is presently employed at the Stephenville Palladium of Publicity, Mr. Higgs' Empire, and Empire-Tribune. There also toils and philosophizes another noted personage, one W. S. (Uncle John) Fuller, who observed his 81st birthday and his 60th anniversary as a printer there last Friday. But he observed the occasion only casually, according to news reports; he has no thought of retiring.

He started as a printer's devil at Comanche March 10, 1890, and came to work on the old Weekly Empire in Stephenville in 1917. The Empire is a daily now, and he's still a fixture in the composing room, hale and erect. A native of Buzzard's Roost, Ga., he bought a railroad ticket in Atlanta for as far west as he could go and arrived in Cisco in 1885. From there he says he "mule-trained" to the rest of the way to Erath County.

Congratulations to you, too, John. You're not old enough yet to make us say Uncle. An unfortunate incident on the local sports horizon the latter part of last month may turn out as an excellent lesson in sportsmanship.

At least the situation required a broad-minded view, which seems to have been taken by participants and fans alike. And this has not gone unnoticed, it seems, judging from the following comment by the Meridian Tribune:

"Meridian school and fans appreciate the position in which Hico was left by the confusion resulting from the score board and score books (in the local basketball tournament). The fine spirit shown by Coach Sherman and his team was sportsmanship of the highest order. The two teams, as indicated by the scores of the three tournament games, were so evenly matched that victory could well have gone to either."

Herbert Sellers' many friends in and around Hico will be glad to learn that he is improving from a recent illness at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. H. Tracy Jr. in Fort Stockton.

"I have been a little run down at the heel" Herbert admits in a note accompanying a subscription renewal. "I am feeling a lot better now, and if I can gain some strength I hope to be back in Hico before too long."

He sends kindest regards to his friends here.

Lindley Beckworth, representing an East Texas district in the U. S. Congress, recently got himself involved in an argument with the powers that be in Washington. The energetic patriot had whose father, incidentally used to teach at Duffau, maintained that the government was discriminating against East Texas black-eyed peas by shipping an inferior product from California.

The Hico editor gathers from copies of correspondence forwarded to him by Congressman Beckworth that he is entangled in a maze of government red tape, and is getting nowhere in his argument. The letters, in the stilted style of all bureaucratic correspondence, set out a lot of data, but firmly defend the writers' actions.

The Acting Administrator for the United States Department of Agriculture, Production and Marketing Administration, acknowledges correspondence from the East Texas Congressman relative to the practice of shipping black-eyed peas from California classified as blackeyes whereas the blackeyes produced in Texas are called beans, or maybe vice-versa. "Black-eyes," the Acting Administrator informs, "are classified as beans under the U. S. standards for beans and have been so considered by this agency since the promulgation of the bean standards. They are, therefore, not mislabeled when they are shipped from California and marketed as black-eyed peas."

Not dishes tened by this blind alley, the congressman seems to have carried his queries further, receiving a reply from the Man-

HICO GARDEN CLUB LISTS COMMITTEES FOR FLOWER SHOW

Plans for the annual flower show and for a trip to Hamilton Thursday highlighted the business meeting of the Hico Garden Club last Friday in the home of Mrs. E. H. Randals Sr.

With Mrs. L. N. Lane and Mrs. E. H. Randals Jr. assisting hostesses, the club members heard a very interesting program. Mrs. Lane displayed beautiful containers and discussed their use in flower arrangement. Mrs. E. H. Randals Sr. gave a review of color harmony, and stressed the importance of harmony in the forthcoming flower show.

Mrs. J. W. Fairley gave a report of the committee in charge of planning the flower show, announcing the annual event to be held May 6 at Community Public Service Co. office.

Committees were named as follows:

- I. SCHEDULE: Mrs. Hord Randals, Mrs. Lawrence Lane, Mrs. C. H. Boyd, Mrs. J. N. Russell, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. M. S. Norton.
- II. ENTRY: Mrs. Odie Petsick, Mrs. Guy Aycock.
- III. CLASSIFICATION: Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Ellis Randals, Mrs. C. D. Riechbourg, Mrs. W. M. Hord, Mrs. Edgar Bradley, Mrs. Effie Porter, Mrs. Alvin Casey, Mrs. Herbert Wolfe, Mrs. John Cooper.
- IV. STAGING: Mrs. S. E. Blair, Sr. Mrs. Archie Corbett, Mrs. Paul Neel, Mrs. Lawrence Lane, Miss Louise Blair, Mrs. D. R. Proffitt, Mrs. Doyle Love.
- V. JUDGING: Mrs. John Golightly, Mrs. L. J. Wood, Mrs. Lillie Fairley.
- VI. HOSPITALITY: Mrs. John Golightly, Mrs. L. J. Wood, Mrs. Marvin Marshall, Mrs. Lillie Fairley.
- VII. HORTICULTURE: Mrs. S. J. Cheek, Sr. Mrs. Weldon Pierce, Mrs. C. M. Hedges, Mrs. Ray Cheek, Mrs. L. H. Simpson, Mrs. J. C. McBee, Mrs. Fred Rainwater, Mrs. Vernon Jenkins, Mrs. Alvin Casey.
- VIII. PUBLICITY: Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Miss Louise Blair.
- IX. TEA TABLES: Mrs. Ellis Randals.
- X. CLERKS: Mrs. Harry Hudson, Mrs. S. E. Blair, Jr.
- XI. ENTERTAINMENT AND MUSIC: Mrs. B. B. Gamble, Mrs. L. J. Wood, Mrs. Harry Hudson.
- XII. FLORIST: Mrs. May Bates, Jack Schrott.

Thirty-four pecan trees were reported to have been planted as a result of the drive currently being sponsored by the club.

Mrs. M. S. Norton was named secretary to serve out the remaining term vacated by the resignation of Mrs. Claude Beck.

Those present at the meeting were Mesdames C. H. Boyd, S. J. Cheek, Arch Corbett, J. W. Fairley, B. B. Gamble, John Golightly, V. H. Jenkins, L. N. Lane, Marvin Marshall, Paul Neel, M. S. Norton, D. R. Proffitt, E. H. Randals Sr., Ellis Randals, L. J. Simpson, Guy Aycock, J. C. McBee, and Alvin Casey.

HICO CLUB MEMBERS ARE GUESTS AT HAMILTON GARDEN CLUB THURSDAY

A number of members of the Hico Garden Club were in Hamilton Thursday afternoon to attend a special meeting of the Hamilton Garden Club that day, featuring as its main speaker, Mrs. Fae Huttonloeker, who is garden editor of the national magazine, Better Homes and Gardens. She and her assistant, Mrs. Yamamoto, a Japanese artist of master flower arrangements, were in Hamilton on a scheduled tour, having recently appeared in Dallas.

JACK SCHROTT PURCHASES INTEREST IN HICO FLORIST

Announcement was made this week of a change in ownership of The Hico Florist. Jack Schrott, who moved back here from Marshall the first of this week, has acquired the partnership interest of Mrs. H. N. Wolfe and assumed duties this week.

Jack formerly was associated with the Barrow Funeral Home here, and his many friends welcome him back to this territory.

Mrs. May D. Bates retained her interest in the business, and an advertisement on page five of this issue invites her regular customers to continue their patronage.



**KISS THAT 'SOOTED'...** In England, the luckiest thing that can happen to a bride is to meet a chimney sweep on leaving the church. Lucky is the word for the former Caroline Douglas-Scott-Montagu, who not only meets a chimney sweep, but is enthusiastically kissed by the chimney doctor, Frank Miles. It happened after her marriage to George Weston in Beaulieu Abbey church. Groom is a son of Canadian biscuit manufacturer.

Mrs. Hedges' Mother Passed Away Here, Services in Sabinol

Mrs. Lavenia Snider Shelton, 88, died in Hico at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Hedges, at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held in Sabinol Wednesday afternoon, with burial in Sabinol Cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Hedges and a grandson, Dr. H. V. Hedges, attended the services.

Mrs. Shelton was born Oct. 17, 1861 in Cranfills Gap, and was married there in 1876 to A. J. Shelton, who died in Sabinol in 1933. During her marriage she lived in Valley Mills, Waxachie, Mineral Wells, Brownwood, Rockwall, and Sabinol. She moved to Hico from Bangs with her daughter nine years ago. She was a member of the Baptist Church. Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Hedges; one son, A. J. Shelton of Sabinol; 11 grandchildren, and 20 great-grandchildren. Three sons, Willie, Hugh, and J. P. Shelton preceded her in death.

Sam Hubbard Enters Commissioner's Race, Makes Statement

To the Qualified Voters of Precinct 3:

I am in the race for Commissioner. If I am elected I will do all in my power to save money and to keep the roads in as good shape as possible.

I was born and raised in the country. Most of the voters know me.

I solicit your vote.

Sincerely yours,  
S. L. (SAM) HUBBARD.

WEATHER REPORT

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

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Mar. 8	68	37	0.00
Mar. 9	67	50	0.00
Mar. 10	76	54	0.00
Mar. 11	87	65	0.25
Mar. 12	73	29	0.00
Mar. 13	47	24	0.00
Mar. 14	60	25	0.00

Total precipitation so far this year, 5.65 inches.

Ask For What You Want, Get Something Different

Navy Was Determined That This Hico Lad Be A Yeoman

(ED. NOTE—The following sketch about a hometown boy, whose parents still live here, was purloined from a Corpus Christi paper, and is reprinted without the subject's knowledge or permission. Thanks anyhow.)

Brother-in-law to an Italian general and husband of an Italian ex-movie queen, O.W. Hefner, YNC, Leading Chief of the NAS Personnel Office, told an interesting story to Beam reporters in a recent interview.

Chief Hefner signed his first shipping articles as an apprentice seaman, and was sent to NTC, San Diego, Calif. for boot training. Before he came into the Navy, he, in addition to having a year's credit at the Texas Mining School, also was a proficient movie projector operator. When it came his turn to be classified, Chief Hefner asked for electrician work. But when he graduated from boot camp and was sent to sea, his officers were bound and determined that Apprentice Seaman Hefner was going to be a yeoman! And after waiting two years for a chance to strike for electrician's mate,

BLUEBONNET CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS, PLANS '50 TOURNEY

Odie Petsick and Willard Leach, who have served as president and secretary-treasurer respectively of the Hico Bluebonnet Country Club for the past year, were re-elected to their offices at a meeting of members at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night at the club.

Dates for the annual State Sand Greens Tournament were set for July 1, 2, 3, and 4. Max Hoffman was appointed chairman of the tournament. Qualifying rounds will be played Saturday July 1, and a Calcutta pool will be held that night.

Ray Cheek, winner of last year's State Sand Greens Tournament, was appointed chairman for the city golf tournament, the dates for which have not been set.

The local square dancers made arrangements for regular use of the club house.

Iredell Public Schools Honor Roll Students Named This Week

The fourth six weeks' honor roll for Iredell high school and grade school was announced this week by Superintendent J. M. McCroskey. The following students were named in each grade:

Larry Burns, Peggy Davis and Gracie Royal, first grade; Johnnie Ruth McCoy, Melba Koonman and Niki Beth McAden, second grade; Amy Sue Cunningham, Ann Sadler and Edna Spinks, third grade; Patsy Mingo, Jo Ann Toward and Barbara Umphres, fourth grade; Alta Joyce Brock, fifth grade; Maudine Lynch, sixth grade; Loretta Jenkins, Bobby Ray Craig and Jimmie McCroskey, seventh grade; Ruby Arnold and Kenneth Davis, eighth grade.

TEXAN CAFE UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Munterlyn announced this week that they had leased the Texan Cafe, and in a display advertisement in this issue of the paper invite the public's patronage.

For the past several years the cafe has been owned and managed by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McCook. Mr. McCook left Wednesday for Bruce, Florida, where she expects to make her future home.

REPRESENTATIVE OF 'FRIENDS OF LAND' TO ADDRESS LIONS

Hico Lions in regular session Wednesday noon at Fireman's Hall voted to postpone their next week's meeting one day to allow appearance of Mr. Armstrong during his speaking tour on soil and water conservation in this section. The suggestion for postponement of the meeting until Thursday, March 23, was made by Lion Odie Petsick, who had been in correspondence with C. M. Tinkle and other officials of the Hamilton-Coryell County Soil Conservation District.

Mr. Armstrong will devote a full day's time in Hico next Thursday, being slated for a talk before the vocational agriculture class at Hico High School at 9 a. m. After meeting with the Lions Club, his services will be available to the local Veterans' Agriculture School teacher, O. C. Chapman, and he probably will engage in field work with members of the class and other interested parties during the afternoon.

Previous to coming to Hico Mr. Armstrong will be at Ogleby Monday, at Hamilton Tuesday, and at Gatesville Wednesday. He represents the organization known as "Friends of the Land" with headquarters in Houston, and has an interesting and valuable message for those who are interested in the future of farming. The opportunity to secure his services locally is looked upon as a rare opportunity, and is expected to interest the general public.

Twenty-one were present for this week's meeting of the Lions Club, including seven visitors: O. C. Chapman, local veterans' agriculture school teacher; E. R. Lawrence, Hamilton County Agent; R. G. Bursell, District Agent, Stephenville; J. B. Payne, Area IV Supervisor; W. W. Reed, H. L. Self, and W. Doyle Graves, all of Tarleton State College, Stephenville.

Lion Petsick said the committee on softball had nothing to report. Lion L. H. Davis, pastor of the First Baptist Church, called attention to a needy case involving a 4-week-old child who has been hospitalized at Hico and at Hamilton. This matter was referred to the welfare committee of the club, with the suggestion that funds might be available from a local charity fund already established. Lion Davis also issued an invitation to Lions to attend the revival meeting at his church, beginning Wednesday evening.

Lion Doyle Love, local vocational agriculture instructor, in lieu of a speech suggested that the meeting be adjourned and that the members and all business men visit the FFA Stock Show and Sale at City Park starting at 1 o'clock.

FFA Livestock Show Held Wednesday

Winners Hico 1950 Annual Livestock Show

- (Unless otherwise indicated, winners are from Hico.)
- Dog Division:** Sport, Wayne Allison; Work, Karen Sue Miller; Toy, W. P. Mauk.
- Beef Division:** Fat Calves: 1st, Benton Barker, Valley Mills; 2nd, Gordon Heath, Valley Mills; 3rd, Kenneth Evatt, Stephenville. Feeder Calves: 1st, Raline Chaney; 2nd, Bennie Leeth; 3rd, Dorman Vance, Stephenville. Junior Heifers: 1st, James Youngblood; 2nd, E. A. Lefevre. No other entries.
- Dairy Division:** Heifers under 1 year: 1st, S. L. Whitley; 2nd, Sammy Collins. Cows: 1st, S. L. Whitley; 2nd, S. L. Whitley. Senior Bulls: 1st, S. L. Whitley. No other entries.
- Goat Division:** Fat Chevon: 1st, S. L. Looney; 2nd, Joe Thompson. Senior Nannies: 1st, S. L. Looney. Junior Nannies: 1st, S. L. Looney. Senior Billies: 1st, S. L. Looney.
- Sheep Division:** Fat Lamb: 1st, Robert Rockway. Senior Ewes: 1st, Myron Hillman, Mullin; 2nd, Myron Hillman, Mullin; 3rd, Roy McWilliams. Junior Ewes: 1st, Myron Hillman, Mullin. Senior Bucks: 1st, Myron Hillman, Mullin; 2nd, Roy McWilliams; 3rd, Carl Calhoun, Carleton. Junior Bucks: 1st, Myron Hillman, Mullin.
- Poultry Division:** Capons: 1st, Joe Thompson; 2nd and 3rd, Clayton Bullard, Hamilton. Fryers: 1st, Bobby Ratliff; 2nd, Norman Petry; 3rd, Martin Matthews. Hens: 1st, Charles Register, Hamilton; 2nd, Floyd Register, Hamilton; 3rd, Donald Hefner. Roosters: 1st, Myron Hillman, Mullin; 2nd, Norma Jean Howerton; 3rd, Myron Hillman, Mullin. Turkey Hens: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, Kenneth Johnson. Turkey Toms: 1st, Kenneth Johnson.
- Swine Division:** Sows: 1st, Ansel Shipley; 2nd, Luther Hall, Cranfills Gap. Gilt: 1st, J. M. Finstad, Clifton; 2nd, Guy Lockhart, Clifton; 3rd, Angus Churchill.
- Barrows: 1st and 2nd, Paul Larson, Clifton; 3rd, Henry Williams. No horse entries.

Committee Lists Prize Winners, Says Show A Big Success

Judges at the FFA Annual Livestock Show Wednesday reported that they saw some of the finest quality of animals that they had seen in a show of this size in a long time. Both the show and sale were declared a success by the crowd of around 500 attending. School was dismissed at noon, and many of the business houses closed from 1 o'clock until 4 o'clock, which accounted a great deal for the attendance, said Doyle Love, local vocational agriculture teacher. Out-of-town participation was good too, he said, as there were as many as 30 towns represented with entries, including FFA boys, 4-H Club boys and farmers and ranchers.

Love reported the sale to be satisfactory also, as six calves raised by the Hico boys were sold at a good market price. Kenneth Johnson and Norman Petry assisted in giving the ribbons, and Jacques Nonce was judge in the dog division. Three judges from Tarleton State College also assisted: W. Doyle Graves, of the poultry department, judged in the poultry division; W. W. Reed, of the animal husbandry department, judged dairy cattle, beef cattle and goats; and H. L. Self, teacher of animal husbandry, judged in the hog and sheep divisions.

Cooperation Asked In Raising Hico's Red Cross Quota

J. N. Russell announced this week that he had taken over the duties as local chairman for the Annual Red Cross Drive, following resignation of Paul Neel who was appointed originally.

Mr. Russell stated that he would receive contributions at his downtown office, and requested those who cared to participate in this worthy cause to drop in and leave the money with him.

He said a general solicitation in the near future would be conducted by committees from the Business and Professional Women's Club and the Lions Club.

Native Erath Countian Submits Name for District Clerk's Office

To the Voters of Erath County:

In submitting my name for the office of District Clerk, I wish to state that I am well qualified to fill the office. I was born in Erath County and have lived here all my life, having sold dry goods in Stephenville for a number of years, and the past few years have been engaged in the Real Estate business. I am a democrat and have always voted the democrat ticket. This is the first time I have ever offered for any office. I will try and see every voter that I can, but this is to let you know I will appreciate your vote and influence.

Sincerely yours,  
W. R. (BILL) HICKEY.

HICOANS INITIATED INTO MILITARY ORGANIZATION AT UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

Austin, Texas, March 13.—Lloyd Elmore Angell and Jack Taylor Neel of Hico have been initiated into Scabbard and Blade, honorary military organization at the University of Texas.

Angell, who is majoring in fine arts, is a member of the Air Force ROTC. He is the son of Mrs. Bryan Angell.

A junior majoring in pharmacy, Neel is a member of the Air Force ROTC. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neel are his parents.

Named below are the entrants in the Third Annual Show. (Unless otherwise indicated, entrants are from Hico.)

Wayne Chew, Toy Dog  
Bobby Fillington, Toy Dog  
W. P. Mauk, 2 Toy Dogs  
Wayne Allison, Sport Dog  
Buck Lavelly, Toy Dog  
J. R. Bobo, Toy Dog  
Karen Sue Miller, Work Dog  
Tex Homer, Toy Dog  
Angus Churchill, Fat Calf  
Roline Chaney, Feeder Calf  
Bennie Leeth, Feeder Calf  
E. A. Lefevre, Junior Heifer  
James Youngblood, Junior Heifer  
Dorman Vance, Stephenville, Feeder Calf  
Guy W. Finstad, Clifton, Feeder Calf  
Fred Jones Jr., Feeder Calf  
William Reinhardt, Hamilton, Fat Calf  
Bivin Dunklin, Fat Calf  
Charles Mayfield, Fat Calf  
Billy Newson, Fat Calf  
Walter Anglin, Hamilton, Fat Calf  
Leon Watson, Hamilton, Fat Calf  
Billy Joe Luckie, Fat Calf  
Janet Sue Head, Feeder Calf  
Gordon Heath, Valley Mills, Fat Calf  
Benton Barker, Valley Mills, Fat Calf  
Kenneth Evatt, Stephenville, Fat Calf  
Roy Driskill, Stephenville, Fat Calf  
Sammy Collins, Junior Dairy Heifer  
S. L. Whitley, 2 Aged Cows, 1 Senior Bull, Junior Dairy Heifer  
Robert Raching, Hamilton, 1 Fat Lamb  
Carl Calhoun, Senior Buck  
Myron Hillman, Mullin, Junior Buck, Senior Buck, Junior Ewe, 2 Senior Ewes  
Joe Thompson, Fat Chevon  
S. L. Looney, Senior Billy, Senior Nanny, Junior Nanny, Fat Chevon  
Ansel Shipley, Sow  
Bobby Jack Parker, Fairy, Fat Barrow  
Henry Williams, 2 Fat Barrows  
Angus Churchill, Gilt  
Charles Register, Hamilton, Fat Barrow  
Guy W. Finstad, Clifton, Fat Barrow  
Gilt  
Mack Hicks, Gilt, Fat Barrow  
J. M. Finstad, Clifton, Gilt  
Guy Lockhart, Clifton, Fat Barrow  
Paul Larson, Clifton, Gilt 2 Fat Barrows  
Luther Hall, Cranfills Gap, Sow  
Kenneth Johnson, Tom, 3 Hens  
Joe Thompson, Capon, 3 Hens, Rooster  
Clayton Bullard, Hamilton, 7 Capons  
D. E. Kirkland, 2 Roosters, 2 Hens  
Douglas Howerton, 2 Roosters, 2 Hens  
Robert Russell, Rooster  
Bobby Ratliff, 3 Fryers  
Norma Jean Howerton, Hen, Rooster  
Donald Hefner, 2 Hens, Rooster  
Wendell Burden, 3 Fryers  
Norman Petry, 5 Fryers, 3 Hens  
Floyd Lee Register, Hamilton, 3 Hens  
Charles Register, Hamilton, 6 Hens  
Martin Matthews, 4 Fryers  
Vernon Hill, 2 Hens  
Earl Burgan, 1 Hen  
Myron Hillman, Mullin, 4 Hens, 2 Roosters  
Max Burden, 1 Hen, 1 Rooster  
Mrs. W. R. Churchill, 1 Rooster

# IN REGARD TO THE ARTICLE J. N. RUSSELL HAD IN LAST WEEK'S ISSUE OF THE PAPER--

MR. RUSSELL:

I would like to state that Mr. Burns B. DuBose, Certified Public Accountant of Waco, will be in Hico next month to make an audit of the City Books. The City Council of Hico will be glad to furnish you with an itemized statement of the City's finances, showing how much money we took in and how we spent it.

I have served two years on the City Council, my term expiring in April, and I know that we have spent long hours trying to do things to benefit the town, and we also have had City Managers from Fort Worth and Dallas more than once to meet with us and help cut corners in financial affairs.

I find that you have given the Highway people trouble with their affairs in coming to our little city with the Fairy Farm-to-Market Highway.

I guess every town has people like you in it, and I will say one thing—I like the little city and everything it has, and if I didn't, I would pack up and leave.

Yours truly,

**WALLACE RATLIFF**  
ALDERMAN

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

### Fairy

— By —  
Mrs. Eunice Massengale

We have experienced real winter weather again over the past week end. Some fear the fruit crop may have been damaged. And we feel sure if any of the corn was up, it got killed, but most of it was probably just in the sprouted underground stage.

Edd Allison received a very painful injury to his right hand last Friday morning, when the end of the thumb was almost severed as he helped to make some repairs at the public water well electric engine. Elzie Lee Parks rushed him to the Hico Hospital where the severed part was reattached and the thumb put in a cast. We hope that he will soon be fully recovered from the injury.

### Child Treated for Rabies

Billy Clark Streater, eight-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Garlon Streater of the Lanham community was bitten recently by a rabid coon, which his father had caught near Cranfills Gap for a pet for his small sons. According to reports the father had been feeding the coon, but he became ill and Billy Clark was sent to feed the animal instead. They reported the incident at once to the Hamilton Hospital and were advised to watch the animal closely for a few days and if it died, to report at once. About the third day it died and the head was carried to Austin and a report came back in a few days that the animal was rabid. It was some twenty four hours later before the serum was received at the Hamilton Hospital to begin the serum treatment, but the physicians thought the treatment will be effective and that the child would be able to return to school today, Monday. Billy Clark attends Fairy school. Their many friends were so sorry to learn of the incident and express deepest sympathy in these anxious hours of waiting the outcome.

A rabid dog has been reported in the Cranfills Gap section and it would be wise for all dog owners to have their dogs inoculated at once.

### Wild Man Seen Nearby

A so-called wild man was seen near the home of Mrs. Simmons near Cranfills Gap about ten days ago and when Mrs. Simmons went out to the barn to do up the chores, she heard him calling for help in a near-by clump of bushes. She called to her teen age daughter to bring her the gun and as the girl neared the barn, the man made a lunge at her but saw the gun and fled over the fences and into the brush. He was said to be wearing striped overalls, a brown shirt and his hair was shoulder length. Now we don't mean to be writing news from Cranfills Gap but since he has been reported to have been seen near Fairy we thought it might be wise to make mention of the fact. The writer was in Cranfills Gap last Saturday and was privileged to read an article in a Clifton paper and signed by a Mr. Tracy, locomotive engineer from Sweetwater, stating the man was probably an engineer and stated there was one out of Brownwood and also one out of Temple and advised residents not to try to harm him or he might pest them for 20 years. And stated that as he had been seen in that section he was probably from Temple and would probably head back that way. He also stated in the news article that all engineers were wild and that some were much wilder than other. Well we'll have to admit we don't understand all of this and never heard of such before and we're afraid if he came our way we would forget all warnings on how to handle him. We just hope the report that he has been seen near Fairy is false rumors.

Mrs. Myrtle Enger and twelve year old granddaughter, Marcia

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!  
**Hazlewood Milk**  
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**HAZLEWOOD MILK**

Lynn Smith of Brady returned home Sunday after a visit since Thursday with Mrs. Enger's mother, Mrs. A. L. Newman and brother and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Prentis Newman, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Heyroth, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Cox and Mrs. Eunice Massengale.

Uncle Bob Parks celebrated his 90th birthday last Sunday by having all of his children and a number of the grandchildren and families present. All brought well filled baskets and enjoyed a bountiful meal at the noon hour of delicious eats. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Coy Parks and son, Alton, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Parks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Parks and family, all of Fairy; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parks and children, Grand Prairie and their daughter, Mrs. Robert Toten and Mrs. T. R. Parks and son, two children of Midlothian; Mr. Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Parks and Mrs. Otto Jordan, Bobby and Barbara of Cleburne and Miss Mattie Edwards of Fort Worth, A daughter, Mrs. Willis McAdams of near Cranfills Gap was unable to attend. Lunch was served at the school lunch room which made the serving much more convenient. We wish for Uncle Bob more of such happy birthday celebrations.

Miss Daphne Hoover of Stephenville spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover. They spent Sunday in Dublin visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hoover, honoring his mother on her birthday. Mrs. Myrtle Enger and granddaughter accompanied them and left by bus at noon for their home in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison and son, Darrel of Dublin were here for a short visit Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Allison and Texie and Mrs. Eunice Massengale.

Mr. Hord Randals and W. M. Horsley of Hico and Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Gafford and Judy of Brown-

wood paid Uncle Bob Parks a visit on his birthday Friday of last week. Ellis Randals was a visitor with him on Thursday of last week. We feel sure Uncle Bob recalled pleasant memories of one who was very thoughtful of the aged on their birth date with one of her delicious home baked cakes, who was none other than a deceased friend, Mrs. Myrtle Brunson. The writer was privileged to sample one back during the life time of Mrs. Addie Grimes, who at that time was a resident of Fairy. Long may these memories linger.

Glad to report our sick folks of last week improved and able to be about again.

Mrs. Brittle Little is ill of an attack of the flu. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!  
**Hazlewood Milk**  
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Here are 6 things you should do before the city election in April.

- (1) You should know what your tax money has been spent for—they spend any of it on your property?
- (2) You should know what a small sum of taxes your business men down town are paying to the City. I am going to get a list of these fellows and keep it in my office for your information.
- (3) You should know that the present city administration has done very little legally—the law requires that every incorporated city should make a budget and publish it, so the people can know—the law also requires that an Equalization Board when selected has complete authority—it is a matter of common information that the present city officials dictated to the Board in many instances. Regardless of the law, they did as they pleased.
- (4) No man should be elected to the Council who is not a property owner and pays taxes to the city.
- (5) This administration is flirting with a Super-Salesman who wants to put a \$100,000.00 mortgage on our water revenues—I want you to know that in a neighboring city one of these Super-Salesmen induced them to put a \$300,000.00 mortgage on their water system, and went away with \$17,000.00 commission paid out of tax payers' money. Do you want the people in Hico to pay one of these fellows \$5,000.00 or \$10,000.00 commission? We do not actually need more than 1/4 of that amount and I am sure we can get it at 4% on long time without paying anybody a Commission.
- (6) Now wake up tax payers before it is too late. I don't care the thumping of my fingers if some of these fellows develop a plot of ground, and make some money out of it, but I certainly do not want this city to extend water and sewerage lines out there for the benefit of a few money-makers. We have many people in the City of Hico, and in the Cox-Weaver addition who have been paying taxes and into the sinking funds for 40 years or more, and in all that time have never gotten a single sewage connection.

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### Clairette

By Mrs. Henry Mayfield

Rev. Ervin Holt, Mr. Sam Mayfield, Reno Dunbar and Henry Mayfield attended a Masonic meeting in Stephenville Tuesday night.

Mrs. Homer Parsons of Moscow, Idaho came home to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fieldon Haley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Keller visited relatives in Houston recently.

The Busy Bee Club met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Bill Head. Besides the members, two visitors, Mrs. Susie Salmon and Mrs. Beba Carter were present.

There will be a quarterly conference at the Methodist Church next Sunday, the 19th.

Mrs. L. E. Roberson is visiting her son, T. B. and family at Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Buford of Lawn spent Thursday in the W. F. Haley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roberson of Arlington spent one night recently with Mr. and Mrs. Artie Thompson.

Mrs. John Burnett of West Texas spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Madron of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head last week.

Lilla Sherrard of Mineral Wells passed the week end at home with the Rob Sherrards.

Mrs. Don Carter and babies of Leander are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Carter.

Monette Salmon of Hico spent Sunday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Susie Salmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield and son visited in the Oliver Burnett home Sunday evening in Hico.

Rev. Allan Neely of Waco filled his appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday and was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Richbourg Saturday night.

Mrs. Mattie Walsworth and Mrs. Mary Koonsman of Indian Creek were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Wolfe.

Bruce Lee of Fort Worth visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee.

Its plenty cold today (Monday) and the little garden stuff, rose bushes, honey suckles all look black and sick this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Havens are busy remodeling their home inside.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Duncan and Shirley of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayfield and son and his mother at Hico.

### The Mirror

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#### SENIOR NEWS

We are interviewing a certain senior girl, Maxine Derrick, this week. She has blonde hair and is 5 feet and 8 inches tall. She has no favorite food, actress or actor, but her favorite dessert is ice cream. Her favorite subject is typing, in which she is very good. She is a likable girl by all of those who know her. And by the way, she got a brand new watch for graduation. Sure is pretty Maxine. I know you are very proud of it.

#### SOPHOMORE NEWS

Time is going so fast that it won't be long until our final tests and then school will be out.

The basketball girls received their packets today. They are very pretty. There were three sophomore girls to letter. They are Billie Jean Fulcher, Julia Moore, and Stella Behrens. We are proud of them.

#### FRESHMAN NEWS

Last week we were entertained by John Jolly at the assembly program. He gave a very nice program and everyone enjoyed it. He sang several songs, played some on the piano, and gave some imitations.

The basketball girls went to Waco to see Meridian play. They also got to see the semi-finals.

#### HOMEMAKING NEWS

Thursday, March 9th, the Homemaking II girls had a weiner roast at Miss Mosely's home. The party began at 6:00 and was dismissed at 8:00. From Miss Mosely's home, some of the girls went to the show.

#### F. F. A. NEWS

The F. F. A. boys are still all happy over the outcome of their box supper. Even though the crowd that we expected wasn't there it was a big success. There were from twenty to thirty boxes that were sold and fifteen to twenty cakes that were walked off. A very interesting and unusual sideline was Mr. Mauk's weight guessing.

#### WORM'S EYE VIEW

Some people have been complaining about the contents of this column. I assure you anything that appears here is not to be taken seriously. I try my best when I pick someone to write about, to choose someone that will appreciate and enjoy the small popularity that is might give them. The two boys that especially objected to their names being in this column need not worry any more for their names will not appear again in here. Anybody else who especially objects to their names being in this column, please turn their names into the editor.

### Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Moore of Baytown spent the week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Land and Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and daughter, Janice.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones Wednesday night and they all left Thursday morning for Baytown to visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunn were Dublin visitors Thursday.

H. G. Land was a business visitor in Waco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lowery of McGregor spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bingham were in Hico Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hines were Dublin visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Elmer Mayo and children, Vicky and Theta of Dickinson visited Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and Janice Saturday and Sunday.

Janice Moore has been ill the past several days, but is better at this writing.

### Duffau

By Elmer Glesoske

We had a one and one half inch rain Sunday, followed by sub-freezing temperature, which injured fruit trees considerable.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaffer and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Van Kirk were visiting in Waco Saturday evening and attending the ball tournament at Baylor University stadium.

Mr. Archie Chandler and son were visiting friends and relatives in the old home town of Denton last week end. Mr. Chandler is our capable school principal.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker and son of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Parker's parents, Elmer Burgan and wife.

Mrs. Mamie Jo Baird, County school nurse was down from Stephenville Monday giving immunization shots against typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Kilcrease and family visited in the Lee Davis home in Hood county Sunday. Mrs. Lee, who has been in the hospital for several days, is Mr. Kilcrease's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Dan Cavitt and baby of Stephenville visited relatives and friends here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. King Jr. and two children of Waco visited relatives here for several days. E. L., who is employed at the Veteran Administration at Waco, has a two weeks vacation.

Mr. Harmon Talley is convalescing at his home after a seige of virus pneumonia.



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ABOVE THE HULLABALOO

HERE'S HOW ONE MAN was cured of his superstition about walking under ladders.

Robert A.—was brought up in an environment of superstition. His father wouldn't let him wear diapers until he was 18 because of a silly notion about the triangle's being an occult symbol, able to summon devils—so no triangular drawers.

His mother had a nervous tic from trying to catch a glimpse of the new moon over her left shoulder. She finally succeeded, throwing her neck out of joint in the process.

Robert's Uncle Barnacle was an old salt, retired, who lived in the A-household. Whenever he received a nasty spill, he tried to throw himself over his left shoulder.

FROM UNCLE BARNACLE, Robert picked up superstitious lore about the sea. "A woman on a ship is bad luck," Uncle used to say.

His strange beliefs were offensive to others. He convinced black cats it was bad luck to walk in front of him. He submitted his acquaintances questionnaires, inquiring whether they had any cross-eyed kinfolks.

HE SHOWED ROBERT the nonsense of detouring around ladders. Robert swore he would try to walk under the next one in his path. He did. A can of paint fell on his head and killed him.

MORAL: "Don't shoot yourself on Friday, the thirteenth. It's apt to prove fatal."



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SUNDAY'S SERMON

REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

The Faith That Sustained the Church Lesson for March 19: Acts 26: 19-23; Romans 5: 1-8; Hebrews 12: 1-2. Memory Selections: II Timothy 1: 12.

WHEN PAUL appeared before King Agrippa, he gave an account of his conversion and his subsequent labors. And he declared that he had not been disobedient unto the heavenly vision.

There are witnesses to the faith among the dead, as we call them. But they are living with their glorified Lord. They who dwell with Jesus in heaven are concerned about us.

And why not, when it brings him good luck? Now that Ray Milland has finished work with Rosalind Russell in "A Woman of Distinction," he will take his first vacation in a year.



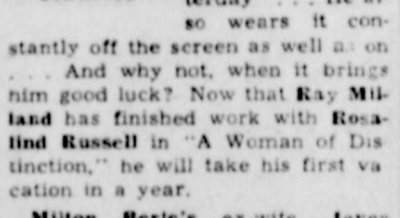
VOICE OF LABOR . . . Prime Minister Clement Attlee, Britain's Labor government head, announced that his party would form a new government despite its slim margin in recent election.



A PEEK AT THE STARS

By LYN CONNELLY

BATTERED, election campaign hat has become a symbol of good luck for Broderick Crawford. He first wore the sentimental felt for his dynamic role as "Willie Stark" in Columbia's "All the King's Men."



THE WAVES ARE WILD . . .

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BASEBALL FAN

(A Short Story) By RICHARD BILL WILKINSON

"I CAN'T UNDERSTAND," said Reggie Blossom, "why you don't assert yourself and tell her the facts. Good heavens, your married life will be one long siege of misery if you can't do a baseball game once a season!"

Peter Mason sighed deeply, and eyed his friend with an expression akin to despair. "Reggie, you don't understand. Ella thinks baseball games are well, vulgar, lowbrow, if you know what I mean. She likes the better things—opera, art, drama, music."



It was a good game, the best of the season.

Reggie gestured, "OK." He produced two tickets and looked at them sadly. "A pair of tickets for the last game of the series. I figured we'd go. Well, perhaps I can sell the other. Good seats. Well, so long. Gotta be getting out to the stadium."

"I think," said Peter, putting on his hat, "that I'd better use that other ticket. Fact is, Reg, Ella and I aren't married yet. Time enough then to put my resolution into effect."

It was a good game, the best of the season. There were thrills aplenty. The type of baseball to stir the corpuscles of red-blooded Americans. Yet somehow Peter couldn't enjoy the contest as much as he had hoped. Thoughts of Ella constantly provoked a guilty feeling.

Twice he started to leave the stands. But each time Reggie pulled him back, shouting that DiMaggio had smacked out another homer, or that it looked pretty bad for the Yanks. Unfortunately, Peter had laid a small bet on the Yanks, and he felt duty bound to lend his lung power to their support.

To make matters worse there was a girl wearing a red hat sitting a dozen rows in front of them, who seemed to have also an interest in the Yanks. She shouted lustfully and waved wildly whenever the New Yorkers turned a trick worth notice.

If only, thought Peter, Ella were like that. Now there was a girl for you. Certainly there was nothing crude or common about her. One would expect to meet her doing the better things, such as attending musicals and operas, etc., and not think her out of place. Yet here she was enthusiastically cheering the Yanks on to victory.

Peter sighed and devoted his attention, or tried to, to the game. At last it ended. The Yanks were victorious. The crowd was wild. It stood up and shouted itself hoarse. The girl in the red hat was standing on her seat, crazily waving her arms and yelling at the players as they left the field.

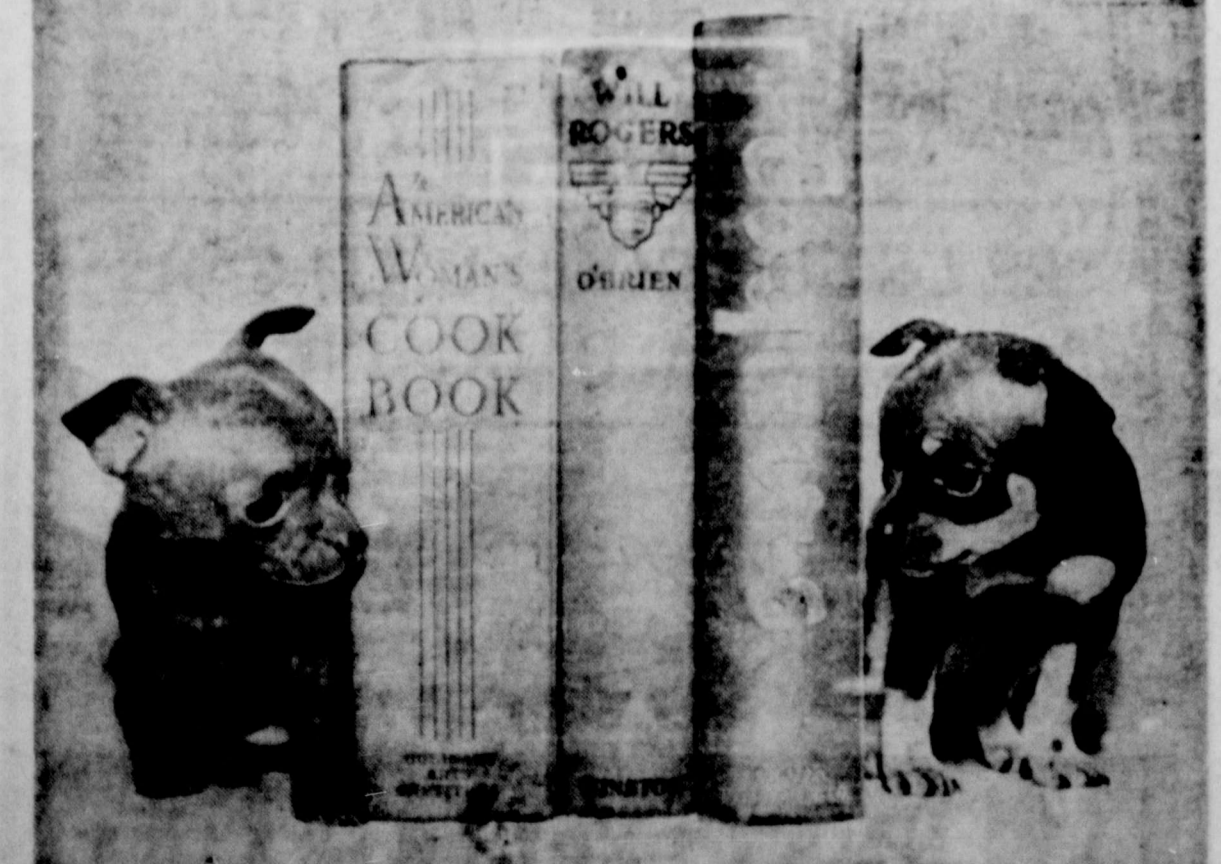
In the rush that followed for the exit Peter had time to think, and his thoughts were bleak. For the life of him he couldn't understand what Ella saw about a baseball game that was so distasteful to her sense of decency. There was the girl in the red hat, for example. Peter recalled that despite the fact he had only obtained a rear view look, she appeared smart looking and refined. Why, in heaven's name, couldn't Ella have been like that? He decided suddenly to make a confession. He'd confess to Ella that he had attended the game; he'd tell her about the girl in the red hat; he'd make one last frantic appeal, try to get her to attend a game with him, see for herself.

YOUR brain budget

- 1. The unit in weighing gold is the (a) gram, (b) milligram, (c) troy ounce, (d) pound. 2. Singapore is inhabited mostly by (a) Chinese, (b) Japanese, (c) British, (d) Malaysians. 3. During World War II, Albania (a) did, (b) did not, declare war on the United States. 4. A curator would be associated with (a) books, (b) animals, (c) relics, (d) hides. 5. The "kilowatt" in the word "kilowatt" refers to (a) 10,000, (b) 1,000, (c) 100, (d) 10.

RHEUMATIC FEVER, SCOURGE OF YOUTH

(This is the last of a series of three articles on the heart and its ailments, prepared in cooperation with the National Heart Institute.) LITTLE JIMMY JONES down the street had recovered only 10 days ago from a bad "strep" throat. Yet this bright and sunny morning, Jimmy was sick in bed again, this time with a fever and aches and pains in his joints and muscles. The doctor wasn't sure, but the specialist called in on the case confirmed his worst suspicion—Jimmy Jones had RHEUMATIC FEVER. Jimmy's case was caught early, so the outcome is much more favorable. Nevertheless, it will require considerable medical care and treatment to pull him through safe and sound. In rheumatic fever, not only are joints and muscles affected, but the heart itself is nearly always involved to some degree. When the inflammation has subsided, although the joints and muscles will be as well as before the infection, there is likelihood that, in two cases out of three, there will be permanent damage to the heart. Rheumatic fever, together with rheumatic heart disease which it so often leaves behind, has been called childhood's greatest enemy. Except for accidents, it is commonest cause of death among school children. And in nine out of 10 cases of heart conditions found in children, their cause can be traced to rheumatic fever. This condition usually starts between the ages of five and 15. It may occur at any age, however. Unfortunately, one attack does not make the individual immune. Instead, it lowers his immunity, and unless extreme precautions are taken, it will recur again and again. Each attack adds to the damage already present. Other important ailments associated with heart disease—such as high blood pressure and arteriosclerosis—affect the heart only indirectly. This leaves the heart muscle intact to deal with the enemy. Rheumatic fever attacks the heart itself—inflaming the muscle, the sac it is contained in, and most importantly, the delicate valves—the "trapsdoors" in the heart. When the inflammation has subsided, there may be left behind corroded valves and a weakened, enlarged heart muscle. The damage to the valves is important enough to disturb the entire pumping function of the heart. This may not only dog the patient for the rest of his life, but may considerably shorten his life. More than one-third of the crippled hearts in adult life can be attributed to rheumatic heart trouble. Symptoms of rheumatic fever can be deceiving and are often hard to detect, even for the experienced doctor. Nosebleed, pains in the stomach, a loss of appetite, and a failure to gain weight, as well as Jimmy's fever and joint pains, are signs that the doctor must evaluate along with laboratory findings. What causes rheumatic fever, medical science is hard-put to say. Doctors do know that infections such as tonsillitis, scarlet fever, and the so-called "strep" throat which Jimmy had—infections caused by a certain type "strep" germ which ruptures blood cells—almost always precede its onset. Only a small percentage of those who get these infections, however, later come down with rheumatic fever condition. What makes an individual susceptible seems in many cases to be an inherited tendency to rheumatic fever, although doctors are not sure. This tendency may be increased by poor diet, inadequate protection from cold, and crowded living conditions that give germs a chance to spread easily from throat to throat. Penicillin and sulfa drugs, although of no value in treating rheumatic fever, have been useful in preventing the "strep" infections in former rheumatic fever victims. By preventing these infections, doctors have been able to ward off subsequent attacks of rheumatic fever. When rheumatic fever has "exploded," prompt and continuing medical care is the first and most important essential. The earlier this medical care is gotten under way, the better are the patient's chances of coming through without damage to the heart. Aspirin and other salicylates help the fever and soreness, but it is a long rest in bed under good medical and nursing supervision which gives the heart the edge in the crucial battle it is waging. When the acute phase is past, rheumatic fever can linger on for months in a subacute stage. Until the patient is pronounced fully well by a competent physician, the possibility of additional damage to the heart continues to exist. It is important, therefore, that reliable medical advice is sought early and is closely followed throughout.



DO THE MEANS JUSTIFY THE ENDS? . . . Some people resort to any means to accomplish their ends—book ends, that is. If the pages of these books appear dog-eared, it will be for good reason. Acting as book ends is a pair of Chihuahua puppies owned by Mrs. Louise Williams, Los Angeles. The litter was so tiny it had to be fed by eye dropper.

# Personals

J. L. Goodman of Pecos visited his wife and daughter, Gay, this week end.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Hafer spent the first part of the week in Austin as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Schmidt.

Charles French, who has been working in Odessa, returned to Hico last Friday to stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy French.

A baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Orbo Mendzorf, Rt. 5, Hico, Monday, March 13, at the Hico hospital.

Mrs. Curtis Keeney and son Butch of Odessa were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy French, from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Bundy Jr. and children returned Monday to their home in Roosevelt after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McCullough and Frances. Mr. Bundy came last Wednesday to join his wife, who had been visiting her parents the past week.

Garland Latham came in from Austin last week end to visit his wife and son. Formerly a partner to John Rusk in their barber shop here, Garland is now employed at the Longhorn Barber Shop near the University campus. His wife and young son, Geary Don, expect to move to Austin this week end.

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Rev. J. F. Isbell of Fort Worth visited last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Gamble.

Mrs. J. A. Guyton is visiting in Waco with her son, Leroy Guyton and family.

Miss Florence Chenault, Mrs. Grady Hooper, Mrs. J. B. Ogle and Mrs. Sim Everett were visitors in Dallas and Fort Worth Wednesday.

Mrs. H. N. Wolfe is visiting in Lamesa with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roscoe Holton and in Abilene with her son, Tom H. Wolfe and family.

A baby daughter, Shirley Jolene, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hubert Curry of Evant Tuesday, Mar. 14, at Hico Hospital. The mother was the former Miss Evelyn Ina Yocham.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb McEver, former Hicoans who strayed off down to Waco last year, have written from Cuero, Texas, requesting that their paper be forwarded to 604 McLeod St. in that city.

J. R. Poindexter Sr. and T. J. Pridemore both of Lordsburg, New Mexico, have spent the past two weeks here overhauling equipment in the Community Public Service Company's generating plant.

W. W. Eberlee of Shamrock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Jenkins. He was accompanied home by Miss Luzelle Jenkins, who had been visiting for the past two weeks in Shamrock, Twitty and Quanah with relatives.

Mrs. Doyle Love of Hico, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. P. Showalter of Stephenville and her mother, Mrs. O. L. Stroud of Cleveland, left Tuesday morning for Austin to be with her aunt, Mrs. Bert Biffle, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. L. L. Houston of Meridian visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McAnally and Mrs. Bettie Worrell, who was celebrating her 87th birthday. Other visitors here to be with Mrs. Worrell were her grandchildren from Cresson and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beck and little son, Scotty, who moved to Gainesville last week to make their new home, were in Hico Thursday on business. They recently sold the Beck home place on the Fairy road to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burden, who plan to move there next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bramblett of Lubbock spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bramblett and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Malone, en route home after a vacation trip to Old Mexico and the Rio Grande Valley. They were accompanied home by his parents, who plan to visit with them several weeks.

### Too Late to Classify

FOR SALE: 1938 Chev. pick-up, 140 bales hay, Model A stationary motor, baby chick brooder, paint saddle mare, weed burner. See Hardy Parker. 44-tfc.

**FOR GOODNESS SAKE!**  
**Hazlewood Milk**  
WOOD'S CAFE

## Members of WSCS Enjoy 'Bible Bingo' And Group Singing

Fifteen members of the Helping Hand Class of the Methodist Church met in the west wing of the church March 14, at 7:30 o'clock for their monthly social and business meeting. Mrs. Watt Ross and Mrs. Andy Hutton were hostesses for this occasion.

The president of the class, Mrs. Annie Waggoner presided. Two songs were sung, "Pass Me Not O' Gentle Savior", and "Tell It To Jesus" by the class with Mrs. J. W. Richbourg at the piano. Mrs. Waggoner read the 24th Psalms and Mrs. Wright led the prayer. The Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Ray being absent on account of illness, Mrs. Ross called the roll and also read the minutes of the last meeting.

There was no business for this meeting so Mrs. T. H. King led the class in a game of "Bible Bingo" which was very interesting. The hostesses, Mrs. Watt Ross and Mrs. Andy Hutton, served a refreshment plate of punch, cookies, topped with green and white icing. Plate favors were tiny green Shamrocks.

Present for the occasion were Mesdames Etta Hampton, Nettie Meador, Annie Waggoner, Geo. Stringer, J. W. Richbourg, T. H. King, Mollie Weisenhunt, J. D. Wright, Lusk Randalls, Calhoun, J. P. Owens, Roy Stevens, Wade Greenslit and the hostesses, Mrs. Watt Ross and Mrs. Andy Hutton.

CLASS REPORTER.

## Delta Kappa Gamma Members from Four Counties Meet Here

Mrs. Odie Petsick was hostess here Saturday afternoon to a meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma, society for women teachers. She was assisted in the hostess duties by Mrs. Eva Compton, Comanche, and Mrs. Lee Walton, Goldthwaite.

Twenty-five members of the Gamma Zeta chapter from Comanche, Erath, Hood and Mills counties met for their program discussion, "In Harmony with Personality Problems." Mrs. Lula Spencer of De Leon spoke to the group on "Our Inner Conflicts."

Special guests of the chapter were Mrs. J. E. Petsick, who teaches at Jonesboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Greenslit. Mr. Greenslit played an interlude of organ music.

A refreshment plate, carrying out the theme of St. Patrick's Day, was served by the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church.

## Wednesday Bridge Club Entertained By Mrs. Hudson

Mrs. L. H. Hudson was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club this week in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Fairley. Guests were Mrs. T. E. Roberts, Mrs. C. H. Boyd, Mrs. S. E. Blair Sr. and Mrs. Fairley.

Members present were Mrs. H. E. McCullough, Mrs. Raymond Armstrong, Mrs. W. B. Coats, Mrs. M. I. Knudson, Mrs. W. F. Hafer, Mrs. R. B. Goodloe, Mrs. Fred Jones and Mrs. Odie Petsick. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. Knudson received high score, and Mrs. Hafer, second high.

Club members honored Mrs. Knudson with a pink and blue shower at the meeting.

## Duffau H. D. Club Met Tuesday With Mrs. N. Robinette

Mrs. Nathan Robinette was hostess to the Duffau Home Demonstration Club, March 14. The president, Mrs. Glenn Caraway, presided at the meeting.

Mrs. M. C. Lowry had charge of the recreation, games were played with prizes for the winners.

Mrs. Cornelius, mother of Mrs. Robinette, whose hobby is crocheting, showed two bedspreads, one table cloth and a number of beautiful doilies and scarfs.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Elsie Short, county agent. "Eat a good breakfast to start a good day," was the topic for discussion. Mrs. Short gave a demonstration on cooking bacon and eggs in a moderate oven in individual pyrex dishes. Also various toppings for cereals were suggested, brown sugar and nuts, prunes or honey.

Refreshments were served to the following: Meses. M. C. Lowry, L. W. Weeks, Roy Magee, John B. Fouts, Glenn Caraway, Stanley Roach, Cornelius, Elsie Short and one visitor, Emmet Jones.

REPORTER.

## W. H. Greenslit Has Statement for Voters In Race for Mayor

If elected, I will maintain headquarters in the City Hall and perform the duties of Mayor as prescribed by law.

The public will be kept informed as to the financial status of the City.

I will give personal attention to the maintenance and improvement of streets (all over the City); to the operation and maintenance of the water and sewer system; to the sanitary conditions and general cleanliness of streets and public property.

I will help our highly efficient and well managed Fire Department in reducing fire hazards to a minimum.

I will welcome suggestions that will enhance the general welfare of the people and make Hico a better place to live.

W. H. GREENSLIT, Candidate for Mayor (Paid Adv.)

## Things to Watch For In Cashing Checks Set Out In Free Booklet

Reprints of a Small Business Aid entitled "Things to Watch for in Cashing Checks" are now available without charge on request to the U. S. Department of Commerce Field Office, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas. Ray L. Miller, Regional Director of the Dallas Office, announced today.

The material in the leaflet, condensed from an article "Frauds and How to Stop Them" in the Credit World has proven so helpful to merchants and others that a re-issue became necessary, Mr. Miller stated.

Merchants have always had some trouble in connection with cashing checks and take it for granted that they will have some losses. This loss can be significantly decreased by following a few simple principles. For instance, don't let just anybody cash checks; don't cash checks for people to whom you would not grant charge accounts; examine every check carefully; require proper identification.

The publication points out further that an analysis of your worthless checks will disclose that at least 75 per cent of them have either incorrect or non-existent addresses. Check artists do not intend for you to find them after the check bounces.

A little son, who has been given the name of Eddie Mack, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Orbo Mendzorf, Rt. 5, Hico, Monday March 13, at the Hico Hospital.

Mrs. Dorothy Ward and daughter, Patricia spent the week end in Gainesville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewis.

# Announcing

## The Change of Ownership

We wish to announce that the partnership interest of Mrs. H. N. Wolfe in The Hico Florist has been purchased by Jack Schrott of Marshall. Jack formerly lived in Hico and needs no introduction in this territory.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**Hardy and Easy  
Are Both Wrong**

Handy Peterson and Easy Roberts got in quite an argument the other day over at Fred's Garage talking about the best spot to fish up at Green Lake.

"Opposite the old sawmill is the best spot," says Handy. But Easy "pooh-pooh's" him. "I've seen the biggest fish caught off Cedar Point," says Easy. "I've been catching them there for years."

Then Fred goes into his office and brings out the biggest mounted rainbow trout you ever saw. "Bet that was caught at the sawmill," comments Handy. "Cedar Point,"

says Easy. "Well," says Fred, "you're both wrong. I caught this baby right out in the middle!"

From where I sit, there are always two (or more) sides to every story. Let's live and let live in the true American tradition of toleration. Your opinion is worth a lot, but so is the other fellow's—whether it's on politics, the best fishing spots, or whether he likes a temperate glass of beer and you like butter-milk.

*Joe Marsh*

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**IREDELL ITEMS**

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. T. M. Tidwell is improving from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. T. M. Davis was taken to the Holt Hospital in Meridian last Thursday for treatment. Her son, T. M. Jr. took her.

Mrs. Ralph Bradley visited her mother, Mrs. Long, in Bluff Dale this week.

Miss Mittie Gordon was in Stephenville Wednesday. She returned home Thursday.

Bobby Montgomery and Nolan Chaffin, who are in school at Waco, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. J. E. Lawrence spent the past week in Duffau with her son, Roy Lawrence, and family. They had virus pneumonia.

Rowe Dean Gray spent the week end in Waco with his mother, Mrs. Harvey Haddock.

Miss Maggie Harris returned Thursday from Houston, where she visited her brother, Roy, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Ratliff and children visited his mother this week.

Arthur Dunlap and T. M. Davis spent the past week end in San Angelo.

Mr. Bradley was in Stephenville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Everett of Dallas have a new girl baby born March 7. Didn't learn her name or weight.

Mrs. Cora Gosdin and Mrs. Coss Barry of Walnut Springs spent Tuesday with Mrs. Judy Gosdin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ratliff of Wichita Falls spent from Monday till Tuesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Rosa Cunningham.

J. M. McCroskey, Mr. and Mrs. Sowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson took the following to Waco to the basketball state meet: Dorothy Allen, Margaret Ann Ogles, Jo Ann Parker, Wanda Deane Blue, Jerry Sue Montgomery, Olive Faye Koonsman, Shirley Lundberg, Cela Pairsone, Pat Scott, Jeanean and Billie Sue Swindall, Jean Moore, Lavern Bateman, and La Rue Houston.

Mrs. Long of Bluff Dale is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bradley. She accompanied her home.

Mrs. Judy Gosdin spent from Thursday till Saturday in Dublin with her daughter, Mrs. Noel.

Mrs. C. L. Tidwell is with her daughter, Mrs. Leon Roberts of Hamilton, who is in the Stephenville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Hudson of Dallas spent the week end with his mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Bynum and baby of Dallas are visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lott and Mrs. Marie Hanson and son spent Sunday in Waco with their sister, Mrs. Harvey Haddock, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oldham, Mr. Will McIlhenry and his sister, Miss Annie, spent Sunday in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McIlhenry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tidwell of Big Spring visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Harvey West of Walnut Springs visited relatives here this week.

Tom Simpson, who is attending Texas A. & M. College, spent the week end at home.

**ANOTHER GOOD MAN GONE**

Mr. Joel B. Hudson was born August 13, 1867, in Mason County, Georgia. He died at the home of his son, Lee Hudson, in Iredell at 12:48 a. m. March 5, 1950.

He was married to Mary Lavonia Bullard on Dec. 13, 1884. To this union were born five children: Plyman Hudson of Iredell, Molley Retta Sanders of Waco, Robert Lee Haddon of Iredell, Carry Mittie Rhodes of Hico, and Daniel Brantley Hudson of Dallas.

Besides his wife and the five children, the deceased leaves two brothers, Jim Hudson of Cleburne and George Hudson of Walnut Springs, one sister, Mrs. Maude Seals of Keene, Texas; 21 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandson.

He moved to Texas in the fall of 1888, lived a year in Hamilton County near Falls Creek, then moved to Bosque County and lived in and around Iredell for three years and settled on a farm 2 1/2 miles northeast of Iredell and this was their home. A few months ago he and Mrs. Hudson went to Dallas and also to Waco. He got sick and was brought to the home of their son, Lee, and wife and they took good care of them.

He joined the Baptist church at the age of 13. He served as deacon for a number of years and was an active member until ill health prevented him from attending church services for three or four years before his death.

Iredell and community have lost a good old man. He was loved and respected by all. He and his wife, when they could, would come to town on Saturday and bring some produce. I sure loved the old couple and will miss them very much. He is missed by his wife and children, and by his many friends. It is a very sad thing for a couple to have to be separated, but God will understand. He suffered a great deal. All was done that could be done for him. His children and other relatives were constantly at his bedside. He had lived out his

days and God called him home. He will be waiting for his loved ones and friends. He had a host of friends, for he was a friend to one and all. He is gone, but he isn't forgotten.

The funeral of this fine old man was held Monday afternoon, March 6, at 2:30 at the Baptist church in Iredell where he and his wife had worshipped. Barrow Rutledge Funeral Home of Hico had charge of arrangements. Rev. Bob Jenkins, Rev. Henry Brannon and Rev. Lloyd Lester had a part in the funeral. Rev. Jenkins, the local Baptist pastor, read some.

Rev. Brannon is a relative, and read some also. Rev. Lester, of Electra, brought the message in the presence of a host of relatives and friends. Mr. Hudson looked very natural. The floral offerings were large and beautiful, which gave evidence of his friends. Six of his grandsons were pallbearers. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery east of town.

Out-of-town relatives and friends present for the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Plummer and children of Crane; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meador, Whitney; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sawyer and son, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. James De Jarnett, Longview; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Rhodes and daughter, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis, Walnut Springs; Mrs. Juaneze Phillips and Mrs. Maude Seals, Keene; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stroud and daughter, Walnut Springs; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Shannon, Handley; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hudson and children, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hudson, Fort Worth; Mrs. John Hudson, Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Carr and children, Cleburne; Rev. Ollie Apple, Walnut Springs;

Mrs. Frances Weeks, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Jim Linch, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudson and children, Weatherford; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hudson Jr., Goldthwaite; A. J. Linderman, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rhodes, Arlington; Mrs. John D. Lowe, Weatherford; Mrs. W. C. Klugo and Mrs. Herman Klugo, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Holley, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rhodes, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rhodes, Hico; J. H. Brannon, Fort Worth; L. and Mrs. H. T. Brannon, Tate Springs; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rhodes, Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Daves, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Daves, Mr. and Mrs. George Hudson, Doyle Poinack and Bob Bohannon, Walnut Springs;

Mrs. E. P. Langston, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Hudson and son, Dallas; Mrs. C. A. Gregory, Mrs. T. L. Tarver, and Mrs. Herman Smith, Walnut Springs; Mrs. Boyd, Hico; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bullard, Shreveport, La.; Mr. E. M. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Rundle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shipp, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beck, Walnut Springs; Mrs. Retta Sanders, Waco; Mr. J. L. Butlan, Mr. August L. Grey, Mr. Hiegel, Mr. J. W. Herthford, Mr. Leslie Stark, Mr. George Switzer, Mr. Joe Overbeck, Mr. Roy McLoughlin, Mr. Hartsel Shipp, and Foster Scott, Dallas.

The grandchildren who attended were: Edmund Hudson, Joel Joe Hudson, Willard Hudson, Brantley Hudson Jr., Vada Linch, Clara Curtis, Marie Hudson, J. W. Hudson, Carrie Potter, Illa Faye Sawyer, Wilda Mitchell, Opal Meador, Iva Lee Plummer, Juaneze Phillips, Nita De Jarnett, Ima Stroud, Wynelle Stroud, Viola Davis, J. B. Rhodes, Hortense Rhodes, and Billy Ray Rhodes.

The great-grandchildren present were: Harold Potter, Margie Burchfield, Lem Potter, Joe Ellen Hudson, Kenneth Hudson, Bertha Ann Stroud, Barbara and Edward Kent Stroud, Jackie Lowe, and Rebecca Hudson, Donald Ray Prater, Sandra Rhodes, Joyce, Helen Ruth, Richard and Luada Curtis, Bobby Ray Sawyer, Marsha Kay and Donny Plummer, and one great-great-grandchild, Bobby Burchfield.

Mrs. Hudson and children and the other bereaved relatives have the sympathy of their host of friends.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to thank our many friends for their acts of kindness and words of consolation in our sorrow on account of the death of our dear husband and father, Joel B. Hudson. Also we are grateful for the beautiful flowers and the nice food brought in and served in the home of Mrs. Lee Hudson. May God bless you all.

Mrs. J. B. Hudson, Pleman and Marie Hudson  
Mrs. Retta Sanders  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hudson  
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rhodes  
Mr. and Mrs. Brantley Hudson Sr.

Mrs. Ted Jones and two sons, Vicky and Mark, of Dublin visited here Saturday with Mrs. Mollie Harvey and Mr. and Mrs. Tullio Carpenter and family.

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**FOR SALE:** 40 GMC 1/2 ton truck in good condition. Cecil Warren. 44-tfc.

**FOR SALE:** 1940 Chevrolet, radio, heater, new tires, like new. 1933 Chevrolet coupe, two model A Fords. Ogle Bros. 43-tfc.

**FOR SALE:** Trailer in good shape. H. D. Knight. 43-2tp.

**FOR SALE:** Farmall B, cultivator, planter and fertilizer spreader. See O. A. Dickie, Millerville. 41-6tp.

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**FOR SALE:** One Whizzer bicycle, good condition, at Raymond Lowe's garage. 39-tfc.

**HAY FOR SALE:** Johnson grass and cane. Claude Beck. 37-tfc.

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## Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Geyer

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ellison returned Monday to their home in Lubbock after spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison. Other visitors in the Ellison home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Welch of Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellison of Purves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. May of Stamford spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Lowe. She accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Bertha Baird left Sunday for San Angelo to visit with her son, Brooklyn Baird, who had a severe heart attack two weeks ago and is still in the hospital, but is reported to be improving.

Miss Nora Abel of Fair is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lilla Byrd and Billy.

W. J. Wisdom of Stephenville visited Friday night with his sister, Mrs. W. H. Vick.

Mrs. Lilla Byrd and son, Billy and her sister, Miss Nora Abel of Fair spent the week end in Fort Worth with the former's daughter, Mrs. Carl Moss and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and La Jauna Kaye of Dublin visited Wednesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geyer and her sister, Mrs. Dow Self and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson of Dublin visited Saturday night with his uncle and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Carl McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Short and children of Baird were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Short, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lefevre and his sister, Mrs. Watt Sharp Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lefevre of Cleburne spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lefevre and Mrs. Sid Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vaughan and son and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Partin of Waco were week end visitors with their mother, Mrs. J. D. Upham. They visited Saturday night at Hasse with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Munsinger and husband.

W. F. Warren is confined to his bed with the flu.

A. E. Rodgers of Electra was a week end visitor with his aunts, Misses Mattie and Alice Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Marks of Temple visited Sunday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Jordan and sons, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cummings of Valley Mills returned home Sunday from

a trip to the valley, Old Mexico and Brownsville.

Alton Parks of Fairy and Miss Helen Whitehead and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kungel visited Sunday in Stephenville with the girl's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wright.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore were grieved when the news was received here Saturday night that their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Fullington (Joyce Lynn) had passed away Saturday afternoon at three o'clock in a hospital at Mountain Air, New Mexico. The body is being shipped to Carlton where funeral services are to be held some time Wednesday. The obituary will be given in next week's news.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lefevre and daughters, Clayta Sue and Annetta Aose of Brownwood spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lefevre.

Mrs. J. N. Clark is visiting in Lubbock with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Hattie Sowell of Tyler came in Wednesday for a visit with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Reeves.

Travis King, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King.

Mrs. J. T. Hitt and son, Travis of Hico visited Monday with Mrs. Jess Reeves.

Miss Betty Lee Fairy of Waco visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. George Driver and family. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Callie McKenzie, sister of Mrs. Brooks Hall, and daughter Mrs. Sunny Rothrock and Mrs. Mabel Bell and daughter, Mrs. D. M. McGlasson and husband, all of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moring and daughters returned Sunday to their home at Cotton Center after a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fine and her grandfather, J. S. Minter.

Elmer Carlton has been confined to his bed for several days following a heart attack the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dyer spent the week end in Dallas with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Hill and husband and Mrs. Dyer's brother, Floyd Callan and wife.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News Review is authorized to publish the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

### Hamilton County

**For Sheriff:**  
ED FROST  
N. Y. TERRAL (Re-Election)  
W. W. (WOODY) YOUNG  
ROBERT M. FULCHER

**For County Judge:**  
W. EUGENE TATE (Re-Election)  
JOHN M. PEDERSON

**For County Clerk:**  
IRA MOORE (Re-Election)

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
BILLY G. WOOD  
RHETT B. SARGENT

**For District Clerk:**  
C. E. EDMISTON (Re-Election)

**For County Superintendent:**  
FOREST O. HARPER (Re-Election)

**For County Treasurer:**  
MISS PAT SECREST

**For Commissioner, Precinct 3:**  
FERN JORDAN (Re-Election)

**For Commissioner, Precinct 2:**  
L. A. (ALVIN) HICKS  
S. L. (SAM) HUBBARD

### Erath County

**For County Clerk:**  
ELMO WHITE (Re-Election)

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
ALBERT CRAGWALL JR.

**For Commissioner, Precinct 2:**  
W. W. (SON) LA BAUME (Re-Election)

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# THANKS . . . Friends and Customers

I couldn't think of leaving Hico without expressing my appreciation for the courtesies extended me during my stay in the cafe business here. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Munnerlyn have leased the Texan Cafe and I hope you will accord them the same loyalty you have shown during my ownership. The many friendships made here will long be remembered. Thanks again!

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### HERE IN HICO

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ager of the Supply Center of the General Services Administration of the Bureau of Federal Supply at Fort Worth, as follows:

"This is to answer your inquiries regarding the stocking of black-eyed peas in this Supply Center. Since there is no demand for canned black-eyed peas in this area, the item is not stocked at our warehouse. Item Number 56-P-1740, Number 2 can, Extra Standard, English Peas, is currently quoted at \$2.70 per case of 24 cans. Item Number 56-P-1750, Number 10 cans, 6 per case, has been purchased within the last two weeks at a cost of \$3.40 per case. If we can be of any additional service to you, please do not hesitate to call upon us."

Realizing he is in pretty fast company venturing advice in this situation, the News Review editor dares suggest that Congressman Beckworth campaign for broadening the practice adopted by Oscar Burton of Tyler, general factotum of Gulf States Telephone Co.

A little late, we hereby thank Mr. Burton and his company for four cans of excellent black-eyed peas, judged by any standard, and regardless of how the degree boys classify them.

The peas came for free as a Christmas gift. Perhaps that is a good start to some solution of East Texas' marketing problem so far as black-eyed peas are concerned. They not only furnish sustenance, but live up to their reputation for bringing good luck. Thanks to all concerned.

### Do Your Best to Keep From Catching Cold Is Good Health Note

Austin, Tex., Mar. 13.—There is hardly anyone who hasn't caught cold at one time or another and besides making you feel miserable they steal your time and money. declares, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. They fool you too, because the early signs are often the same as those of more serious illnesses.

Long continued colds may pave the way for an attack of pneumonia, tuberculosis, or a chronic infection of the nose, throat, ears or sinuses. Do your best to keep from catching cold. If you do catch one, take care of it promptly by going to bed, keep warm and dry, drink plenty of citrus juices and water. If the cold is severe, consult your physician.

Another enemy is pneumonia, an acute infection of the lungs. Virus pneumonia is the most common of all pneumonias today. It may occur at any age, and usually appears in local outbreaks instead of far reaching epidemics. In any case of pneumonia, good medical care and nursing play a great role in recovery.

Lobar pneumonia is caused by a bacterium, not a virus, and is very contagious. A generation ago one out of every four who had this disease died. Today thanks to the "miracle drugs" many are saved. It is most common in late winter and early spring.

The most frequent victims of broncho-pneumonia are the aged, the invalid and the baby.

### Furniture Dealers From Over Southwest To Meet In Dallas

Dallas, Texas, March 13.—More than 6,000 retail furniture dealers of the Southwest are expected to attend the annual meeting and Southwest Furniture Market here on April 10, 11, 12 and 13. It has been announced by H. E. Dill, Executive Vice-President of the Retail Furniture Association of Texas.

Registration at the 1949 convention and show passed the 5,000 mark. Early interest and pre-registration indicates an even larger attendance at the 1950 show.

The Southwest Furniture Market will occupy two buildings at Fair Park—the Central Exhibits Building and the Automobile Building. Entertainment features of the convention which will include the annual banquet and ball will be held at downtown Dallas hotels.

The Furniture show is held each year for retail furniture dealers of the Southwest. The general public is not admitted to the show.

### Two New Skyscrapers In Cowtown Indicate Building Boom Is On

Fort Worth, Texas, March 13.—A building boom is on in Fort Worth which shortly will add two office buildings to the city's skyline.

The Continental National Bank has announced plans for construction of a multi-million dollar, 28 floor office building in downtown Fort Worth on the northwest corner of 7th and Houston. This location was acquired by the bank in 1955; was formerly the site of the Continental Bank Building and at present is the bank's parking lot.

Within the next several weeks, an old landmark, the Burton Building on the southeast corner of 7th and Main, will be razed. In its place Continental Life Insurance Company will erect a 12 to 20 story office building.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!  
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### LET'S LOOK BACK ABOUT 20 YEARS . . .

(Items taken from News Review files, from papers issued in the Spring of 1936)

Miss Fannie Wood, local manager of the Gulf States Telephone Company, announced that the telephone line that had been under course of construction to Fairy for the past several weeks, was completed, and that place has direct connection with the Gulf States lines in Hico.

This sounds like a repetition of history, and the article went on to say: "The line is well built, with cedar poles being used exclusively, and full metallic circuit. Nothing has been left undone in the construction of the line to keep it up to the standards of the company."

"Although there is a little work yet to be done in the way of extending the lines to individual subscribers, the company workmen are through with their part of their work and the connection was made this week. It is expected that a good many Fairy citizens will take advantage of this opportunity to secure telephone service as this line filled a long-felt need."

— 20 Years Ago —  
A petition was being circulated among Hico business men and property owners this week asking the City Council and the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railway Co. to consider opening up Pecan Street, the main street of the business section, through town and across the tracks of the above-mentioned railroad.

— 20 Years Ago —  
Bert Crockett made his visit to the office very short and business-like Tuesday morning. He just walked in, threw down a silver dollar, introduced himself and asked us to give him credit for another year's time. Although his stay was short, it was nevertheless pleasant and we invite him back when he has more time.

— 20 Years Ago —  
Guy O. Eakins, an employee of the Hico National Bank at various times since 1910, and who did a large part of the work around that institution, brought us his check for renewal Wednesday morning. Mr. Eakins was practically brought up in bank work, and has had some good training. We are glad he considers the paper worth the subscription price.

— 20 Years Ago —  
Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths and son, Don, who were living in Hamilton for the past few months, have moved back to Hico in the home with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ogle in the eastern part of town. Mr. Griffiths accepted a position at the Hico Poultry and Egg Co.

— 20 Years Ago —  
From the Iredell Items: I. D. Hurt, the clerk in the drug store here, is decorating the store windows which will be pretty for Easter. When merchants make their business houses more attractive it brings them more trade. The cooking school that was here Wednesday and Thursday was very well attended. A regular meal was served the last afternoon, and it was sure fine. An electric percolator was given to Mrs. Clem McAden.

Some one broke in the elevator Sunday evening and stole several sacks of meal and flour. Wish the guilty ones could be caught up with and punished.

— 20 Years Ago —  
To go back further than twenty years ago, we received a newspaper dating back to 1918, in which there is a column from "Khaki-Clad Lads." Mrs. Roy French, who was keeping the paper for a souvenir, brought it in to us and pointed out an article which gave excerpts of a letter written to Miss Hattie Phillips, telling of the close call her brother, Goodwin Phillips, had while en route across the "pond" to France.

The paper, printed in 1918, carried news from nearby villages, some of which have now faded from the news columns: Johnsville, Big Eye, Oak Grove, Hollis School House, Falls Creek, Indian Creek, Hog Jaw, Clairette, Camp Branch, Jonesboro and Pottsville.

### COUNTY SINGING TO BE AT HAMILTON SUNDAY

Announcement is made of the Hamilton County Singing to be Sunday, March 19, at 1:00 p. m. at the Littleville Baptist Church in Hamilton.

Everyone is invited to attend, says Ollie McDurrmitt in announcing the meet.

### St. Olaf Lutheran

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SUNDAY, MARCH 19.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School and Bible Classes.

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MONDAY, MARCH 20.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 21.

7:30 p. m. Adult Class.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22.

7:00 p. m. Youth group.

THURSDAY, MARCH 23.

9:30 a. m. Junior and Senior Confirmation Classes.

2:00 p. m. Junior choir.

The Junior Intermediate and Senior Choirs will meet in a special joint rehearsal Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. in preparation of the anthem "The Palms" for 3 choirs for Palm Sunday.

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