

Rain, wonderful rain, much needed throughout this community and the State, began falling in Hico in a slow downpour shortly after midnight Wednesday.

By the time the local weather observer, L. Hudson, checked his gauges Thursday morning, the rainfall measured more than three-quarters of an inch. And he said it stood at 1.10 inches at noon. It was still coming down at press time, mid-afternoon Thursday, and signs were that it would continue almost indefinitely.

Reports from other areas Wednesday indicated that the showers would be spotted. Forecasters were only half-hearted in their predictions, but the downpour seems to be general. And most of it is soaking into parched ground to relieve a situation which would have become serious had the drouth continued much longer.

Lots of people thought it wouldn't rain. But the editor knew it would. How? Well, it was simple. He couldn't judge by how his corns hurt, for they hurt most of the time. But with that soft dirt in the water-main ditch up at his house, and the pile of loose gravel generously donated by the highway department to the mess in front of the office, conditions were just right for making lollipops at both places.

But even he isn't fussing. He just wonders how long his patience will stand up to the trials being imposed upon it.

A peculiar situation seems to exist in the maintenance of the street in front of the News Review office. Highways throughout this great State are kept up in conditions not only on the main thoroughfare, but along the shoulders, so that in case the entire right of way is needed, a traveler won't be inconvenienced too greatly. But from what we can learn, responsibility is denied for anything but the paved strip down the middle of city streets. That is, unless property owners provide curbing and gutters, then the Department will pave curb-to-curb.

The hard part of it is that the movement seems to require 100 per cent participation, and unless property owners sign up unanimously they still don't get the packaged job. And in our town there don't seem to be enough property owners willing to bear the slight expense that would bring the improvement.

The city necessarily in the past has been unable to take over on a through highway. The county maintainers seem to have their hands tied also. Meantime not only store owners and businessmen are inconvenienced, but customers have to wear hip boots to navigate a treacherous entrance.

One fellow suggested that the editor put up a pop stand in the mud hole at the front of the office to determine just who had jurisdiction. Then, he said, he could judge by who ran him off as to who should accept responsibility for the puddles and the mud-dies.

So if you can't get to the office while it's raining just call us up on the telephone.

Un-navigable streets, however, are not an excuse for the regrettable omission of several items of news from last week's paper.

It was perfectly dry last Tuesday. But maybe the editor can be excused for pocketing several news items picked up at City Hall while awaiting election returns, and then changing pants and failing to put them in the paper.

To show that we do not consider them insignificant, we are picking up below several of the omitted notes, with an apology for the lateness and the location of same in this dumping ground of a column:

Cecil Burney Aycock, great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aycock of Hico, was born early Tuesday morning, April 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Aycock Jr., of Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall visited recently in Houston in the home of Mrs. Marshall's mother, Roy Wilburn, where a family reunion was in progress. They were accompanied to Houston by Ben Chenault.

Mrs. Roberta Forgy came down from Fort Worth for a pre-Easter visit with her mother, Mrs. J. R. McMillan, and they all went to Cranfills Gap Saturday night before Palm Sunday to hear the choir sing at the Lutheran Church. Mrs. B. F. Williams also went.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Scudder of Grafado were other guests of Mrs. McMillan for the week end mentioned, which was nearly a fortnight ago. Linda and Claudia Jane, Scudder children, also were here. Claudia makes her home here with her grandmother temporarily, but had visited her parents at Grafado.

Census-taking is rapidly nearing a close, and the local enumerator, Mrs. Dorothy Ford Johnson, reports that she has been extremely busy. While she wasn't complaining, we just wondered why it was necessary to have five enumerators in the town of Hamilton, and only one in Hico. But we'll bet if local people give the kind of cooperation they are capable of giving, the records will reflect the true population of our town.

One of the questions asked by the enumerators is how many hours a person works.

Well, that one had us stumped. It is hard to figure when one is

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PLENTY OF ROOM FOR ALASKA AND HAWAII... There has been considerable speculation as to possible arrangements of the stars in Old Glory should Alaska or Hawaii or both be admitted to statehood.

Qualifying Rounds In City Golf Tournament to Be Held At Bluebonnet Club Sunday

Qualifying rounds for the city golf tournament will be held Sunday afternoon, at the Bluebonnet Country Club, beginning at 1 o'clock.

Two teams will be organized to play the afternoon match, and each player may use his score to qualify for the city tournament, to begin the following Sunday, April 23.

All golfers are invited to join in this tournament, and Ray Cheek, chairman, has urged that everyone interested be present Sunday to qualify. He also mentioned that the "Moon Flight" would be progressing well by then, which means in local golfing slang, that beginners will be in full force.

Dates for the annual sand green golf tournament have been set this year to begin Saturday, July 1, with qualifying rounds to be held then, and matched play to begin Sunday and continue through Tuesday, July 4. Among the leading out-of-town entrants who have already notified the local golfers that they would be here again are J. H. Brinkley and L. D. Hardin of Fort Worth. Max Hoffman is chairman in charge of arrangements for the latter tournament.

Alexander and Iredell Lead In Bosque Valley

By ROD ELKINS

Duffau defeated Shiloh in the second game of the season. Score, Duffau 11, Shiloh 4. It was a windy, chilly day but a good crowd was on hand for the game.

Box Score R H E Alexander 4 5 6 Shiloh 4 5 6 Duffau 11 11 3

Score by Innings— Shiloh 010 111 000 Duffau 520 000 13x

Winning Pitcher—Stacey Losing Pitcher—Byrd

The score between Alexander and Johnsonville.

Box Score R H E Johnsonville 4 9 6 Alexander 12 17 1

Winning Pitcher—Teague Losing Pitcher—Ford

Iredell defeated Hico before a real good crowd. The Hico ball team is trying to build a good young ball club and promises to have it in the near future. They also promise to be in the play off.

Box Score R H E Iredell 19 13 0 Hico 4 6 13

Winning Pitcher—Knudson Losing Pitcher—Rattiff

The League standing to date— Team Won Lost Behind Alexander 2 0 0 Iredell 2 0 0 Duffau 1 1 1 Shiloh 1 1 1 Hico 0 2 2 Johnsonville 0 2 2

The schedule for Sunday, April 16th— Shiloh at Iredell Hico at Johnsonville Duffau at Alexander

The baseball teams in the league are really proud of the way the fans are supporting the teams. With the support of the fans, the clubs are able to have better equipment, and will go after better players and that will make the games better as the clubs build for the playoff.

Health Department Is Interested In Sanitary Preparation of Foods

Austin, Texas, April 11.—The Texas State Department of Health's program of teaching food handlers sanitary methods of preparing and serving food continues to be very popular, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. It is one method of attack on that great group of respiratory diseases which include influenza, scarlet fever, measles, whooping cough, and the common cold, the viruses of which are spread from person to person by the excretions of the nose and mouth.

Restaurant sanitation programs have become more necessary because of changes which have taken place in our national eating habits. Once upon a time it was customary for most people in Texas and in the U. S. A. to eat three meals a day at their own tables. To "eat out" was an unusual and exciting event. Now, all the family, including the baby, eat out.

In this constant mingling of people to eat and drink there exists a vast and complicated arrangement perfectly designed for exchange of saliva via cups, glasses, spoons, forks, and fingers that go in and out of millions of mouths. There are few hours in the day in any community when these viruses of respiratory and other diseases are not busy.

The prime purpose of restaurant sanitation is to have all dishes and utensils sterilized and to have all those who handle or serve food understand and practice restaurant sanitation every day and all the time.

The public in every community needs to be concerned about the cleanliness of its public eating places. You can help by demanding cleanliness in the places you eat.

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Public Requested to Double Subscriptions In Red Cross Drive

Hico's solicitation of funds for the Red Cross in the Annual Roll Call still needs some stimulant, according to announcement this week from J. N. Russell, who has accepted the responsibilities of local chairman.

He stated that with an assigned quota of \$300.00, only \$180.00 has been credited to the fund locally. This is a condition which needs attention, according to the chairman, and he says he is sided in this view by W. B. Coats, Ellis Randall, and Paul Neel.

"We will sign an appeal to our public to double our subscriptions and try to make our full quota," he announced this week.

CUB SCOUTS RECEIVE PINS AT PACK MEET

Twenty Cub Scouts of Troop 97 received Bobcat pins Friday night from Cubmaster James Hampton at the first pack meeting since their organization at the Scout Hall. Hampton presented the pins to parents who in turn, pinned the boys. Five boys who had completed work for their pins were absent.

Entertainment was furnished by Den 2, which performed a stunt under the direction of Mrs. Jake Eubank. Pictures of the Pack were taken by Hampton, and articles made by the Cubs were displayed.

HOME BURNS AS JUDGE ATTENDS CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke received word this week that their son, County Judge C. W. Giesecke Jr., recently suffered damage by fire to his home in Matador. While attending a meeting of the 18th Congressional District county officials, he was informed by telephone that his house had burned.

C. W. Giesecke, Jr. is county judge of Motley county.

Iredell School Board Selects Same Faculty For the Coming Year

At a recent meeting of the Iredell School Board, all members of the faculty were offered their places for another year. Superintendent J. M. McCroskey still has another year of his 3-year contract.

Faculty members include: Mrs. Cora Little, Mrs. Albert Pike, Mrs. Jack Barton, Mrs. Zona Hooper, Mrs. Catherine Boyce and Mrs. Ethel Sewell in Elementary School. The high school faculty includes: Mrs. Dorothy Whitlock, Mrs. Wilma Londer, Mr. R. A. Boyce, Mr. Jack Barton and Mr. C. W. Thompson.

RECEIVED INVITATION TO HISTORICAL CELEBRATION AT FREDERICKSBURG, VA.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Willis of Hico have received an invitation to the 200th wedding anniversary celebration of Colonel Fielding and Betty Washington Lewis at Kenmore, Fredericksburg, Va., to be held April 28 at 2:30 p. m., at which time attendants will be shown over the historical house and grounds. An appropriate program has been arranged.

Mr. Willis is a direct descendant of the family to be honored, with only four people in between. His father was Edward Amber Willis. Aethel Murr Willis was his great-grandmother, and George Washington Lewis was his great-grandfather. The last named was the father of Mary Lewis, and served on General George Washington's staff.

Thanking all of you for your vote and support and with the hope that you will give me the opportunity to serve you in this capacity, I am and will remain, Respectfully Yours, T. V. (TED) FOOTE, Gatesville, Texas.

Old Age Benefits Lost by Failure to File Claims On Time

Five persons out of every 100 in this area who were entitled to old-age and survivors insurance benefits lost one or more months payments because they did not file a claim on time, according to a recent study made by the Waco field office of the Social Security Administration. "Although every person employed on a job covered by the Social Security Act makes a contribution toward old-age and survivors insurance each time they are paid, it is surprising how many people fail to follow through and collect benefits when they are due," Elliott W. Adams, manager of the Waco office said today.

Back payments can be made only for 3 months prior to the time of filing a claim. Adams said that these losses could have been prevented had the person concerned contacted his office in time. There are 2 occasions when the nearest social security office should be contacted. The first is when the wage earner who has worked in covered employment reaches the age of 65 and the second is at the death of a person who has been working in covered employment. In the event of death his survivors should call.

The Waco office of the Social Security Administration is located at 206 N. 6th Street, and the telephone number is 3-3071. All persons who have questions pertaining to old-age and survivors insurance should feel free to contact us at any time," Adams concluded.

Lions Sponsor Boy Scouts' Boxing Bouts

Fifteen members attended the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hico Lions Club, with no guests. The nominating committee, consisting of Lions Duzan, Hampton and Neel, made a report and set the time for election of officers for the first Wednesday in May.

Lion Boone, who is Lions Club representative to the Boy Scout Boxing Matches to be held next Tuesday night, April 18, at the school gymnasium, announced all plans complete for the affair and declared that the card would be interesting.

There will be ten matches, he said, with a feature match between Lions Club members, Postmaster R. B. Jackson and "Clean-Em-Up" Sim Everett.

Several other matches carded will offer participants from the Cub Scouts and from the regular Boy Scout troop.

Willie Sirman will be referee.

Duets, Dances, Speeches On Program Monday In School Auditorium

Tap dancing, musical and expression talents will be on the program Monday evening, April 17, at 8 o'clock, when students of Mrs. A. G. Macy present their annual recital in the Hico High School auditorium.

As an added attraction, the program will be concluded with a costume display, titled "The Style Shop."

Those scheduled to appear in the performance are Wilma Woodard, Margaret Hampton, Mary Alice Ash, Barbara and James Hord Randall, Judie Griffiths, Carol Ross, Kay Jameson, Julia Hodges, Joyce Lowe, Ann Sadler, Tommy Whitley, Margo Partain, Nikki Beth McAden and Jo Ann McCoy.

Gatesville Man Asks Support of Voters for State Representative

To the People of Coryell and Hamilton Counties: At the request of many friends of Coryell and Hamilton Counties, and because of a strong and sincere desire to serve as a lawmaker of the State of Texas as your Representative in the Texas Legislature, I wish to take this opportunity to announce as a Candidate for State Representative for the 94th District of Texas, consisting of Hamilton and Coryell Counties.

I was reared in Coryell County near the Hamilton County and Coryell County line, and am a grandson of the late Fred Foote, Sr., of that community; graduated from Turnersville High School in 1940; graduate of Texas A. & M. College with an Agriculture Degree, and a graduate of the University of Texas with a Law Degree, and have been practicing law in Gatesville, Texas, since February 2, 1949.

Thanking all of you for your vote and support and with the hope that you will give me the opportunity to serve you in this capacity, I am and will remain, Respectfully Yours, T. V. (TED) FOOTE, Gatesville, Texas.

City-Wide Anti-Polio Drive Proclaimed As One of First Acts by Mayor Greenslit

THDA WORKER



MRS. JOHN GOLIGHTLY

Mrs. Golightly's Name Presented for State T. H. D. A. Secretary

The Clairette Home Demonstration Club, Erath County District 8 Texas Home Demonstration Association, has presented Mrs. John Golightly of Hico Route 7 as a candidate for the office of State Secretary THDA.

Mrs. Golightly has been an active club woman for the past 14 years. She has held every office in her club and in her county organization. She has attended many of the District and State meetings and thoroughly understands the work.

She is now serving as president for District 8, which is composed of 18 counties in Central Texas. She also has served as chairman of the State 4-H Committee. She was general chairman for the State Convention that was held in Mineral Wells last September.

Mrs. Golightly was recently appointed by the State president to serve as chairman of the Regional Judging Committee to select a State Soil Conservation Queen.

District 8 was one of the outstanding districts in the State, according to reports made at the convention, and members and the general public alike are proud of the efforts that have been put forth.

District 8 members will be having their annual Spring meeting in Cleburne April 18 and 19. Candidates for State officers will be endorsed at the District meetings and elected at the State Convention at Big Spring in August.

Club Program Will Feature Mrs. Everett From Stephenville

The Hico Garden Club is presenting Mrs. G. D. Everett, Stephenville, Texas, in a program at the Methodist Church in Hico on Friday, April 14, at 3 p. m. The public is invited. There will be no charge.

Mrs. Everett's subject will be "Varieties of Iris and Iris Culture." She has some 350 or more varieties in her yard, and is an authority on this plant. She is going to exhibit specimens of several varieties at the meeting.

Garden Club members are urged to be present as this is the last meeting before the Flower Show and it is important that each one be present.

The District Garden Club meeting is to be in Brownwood May 3. The State Garden Club meeting will be in Tyler May 18, 19, and 20 with headquarters at the Blackstone Hotel.

Members of the Hico Garden Club invite every woman in Hico to be a member. Our yearbooks are almost ready for the press and we want your name now so we may have it printed in our yearbooks.

MRS. JOHN GOLIGHTLY, President.

Three School Trustees Re-Elected In Light Voting At Iredell

With only 29 votes being cast, the present members of the Iredell School Board were returned without opposition in the recent Trustee election.

Members whose terms expired and who were re-elected were: William Helm, T. M. Bateman and P. G. Lundburg.

Other members of the Board include: Roy Godwin, President of the Board, Hayden Sadler, Secretary, T. A. Davis and H. C. Whitely.

Council Seated and Suggestions Sought For Good of City

Mayor Wade H. Greenslit has proclaimed the week of April 23 to April 29 as city-wide clean-up week. This is the first official activity of the new administration and was approved by the committee on sanitation, Ernest Jacobs, Henry Davis, and Max Hoffman.

Mayor Greenslit explained that the purpose of the campaign was two-fold.

1. As a measure of sanitation to reduce hazards of all diseases, especially poliomyelitis.

2. To make Hico more attractive for homefolks and visitors.

At a called meeting Monday night the council members who have served for the past year canvassed the vote of the previous Tuesday and declared elected W. H. Greenslit, mayor, and the three new aldermen, H. W. Sherrard, Ernest Jacobs, and Henry Davis.

They with the two hold-over members, Weldon Pierce and Max Hoffman, will constitute the new governing board of the city.

Retiring mayor H. V. Hedges congratulated the incoming officers as he turned over the chair to his successor. O. L. Davis, retiring alderman, made a short but appropriate speech wishing the new aldermen good luck and offering cooperation as a private citizen in any service in which he might be called upon in the future, to be of assistance to the new city council.

As Mayor Greenslit accepted the office, he acknowledged the responsibility of service to the people of Hico and admonished the aldermen to pay heed to any reasonable suggestion offered by citizens, in order to "do the best we can for the good of all people."

Other committees have been appointed by the mayor to serve on the council as follows:

Water-Sewer: Weldon Pierce, H. W. Sherrard, Ernest Jacobs.

Streets-Alleys: Henry Davis, Weldon Pierce, Max Hoffman.

Parks-Recreation: H. W. Sherrard, Weldon Pierce, Henry Davis.

Finances-Laws: Max Hoffman, Henry Davis, H. W. Sherrard.

Theatre Will Close 10 Days To Remodel

Remodeling plans expected to get under way early next week at the theatre will necessitate closing of the box office for a period of ten days.

Announcement from the management Thursday morning set the dates for the dark house as Monday, April 17, through Wednesday, April 26. The theatre is expected to be open again Thursday, April 27, with Bing Crosby's big picture, "Riding High," the story of Broadway Hill.

Previously scheduled programs will be carried out for the rest of this week through Sunday. The public is requested to watch the regular theatre ad for further information.

Among the improvements to be made during the ten-day period will be complete redecoration of the auditorium and lobby. All seats will be removed during the remodeling to make way for a concrete floor to replace the old wooden floor. The interior will be leveled, and inclines will be eliminated. Extensive rearrangement of the interior also will be made.

The exterior will be modernized with the addition of a new tile front, and other improvements will assure Hico of a theatre that would be a credit to a much larger town.

In making the announcement of plans which have been under way for some time, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hill and Mrs. Gladys Hardin, owners of the theatre property including the building, ask the indulgence of theatre patrons who will be inconvenienced during the shut-down period. The more convenient and comfortable arrangement will allow patrons to enjoy the screen attractions more thoroughly. And one of the best calendars ever offered is coming up for May.

The present management came to Hico three years ago, and made improvements have been made to the property during that time. Recently new equipment was installed in the projection booth. A new screen will be installed during the remodeling, and a new floor will be laid. It is hoped that the new will be made possible the night and of the theatre, which has been available for the showing of the best in screen entertainment.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE!
Hazlewood Milk
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GOOD MEDICINE . . . Tears fall from eyes of Rose Kraus, Long Island rail wreck victim, as she hugs her dog, "Chappie," in Occaside, N. Y., hospital. Doctors decided a visit with the pet might be good for the patient.

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DINER MEALS



IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

Mrs. Loyal Mitchell of Big Spring visited her mother, Mrs. Newsom, this week.

Mrs. Emma Parks got word that her sister, Mrs. Mollie Stacy McComb of Kiowa, Kansas, passed away April 1. Mollie lived here many years, was known well and had many friends.

Mrs. Georgia Ellis of Tahoka is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence.

The former Miss Irene Stegall and baby daughter of Smithville are visiting her sister, Mrs. Willard Hudson, and family.

Mrs. Chancellor has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. V. L. Ross, of McAllen. She reported having had a fine time.

Mrs. Waldrip of Waco spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Janie Woody. She was accompanied by her daughter, Violet, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Murphy and family of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Chubby Howard and sons and her two nieces of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mitchell visited Mr. and Mrs. Weston Newton and son Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Burney Warren of Meridian spent the past week end with their parents.

Mrs. Harold Johnston and two sons of Sherman are visiting her mother, Mrs. C. A. Mitchell.

Billy and Betty Bradley spent the Easter holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDonald and children of Dallas spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pettit.

Mrs. Tennie Davis and Mrs. Laswell visited in Glen Rose this week.

Carl Stroud of El Paso spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lester.

Tom Simpson, who is a student in Texas A. & M. College, spent the holidays at home.

Miss Ila Locker spent the week end in Dallas.

Mrs. Roy Davis of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis. Her son who had visited here since Wednesday returned home with her.

Mrs. Alba Milam of Austin spent the week end with her brother, Wick Simpson, and wife.

Donald Mitchell spent the week end at home.

Hudson Johnson, who attends A. & M., spent the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Greer of Dallas and his brother, Kimmins Greer and wife of Abilene spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stephens and son of De Leon spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Oldham. She sure looks well, of which all are glad.

Miss Charles Phillips, a student at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, spent the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pryor of Belton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houston.

Miss Joyce Faye Whitley of Dallas spent the week end with her parents.

Miss Norma Jean Jones and Mr. Delton Eugene Walker were married in Stephenville Saturday, March 29, at the home of Rev. L. J. Batey. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Jones of Iredell. Norma Jean finished Iredell High School a few years ago and has been working in the Stephenville Hospital since she graduated. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Walker of Stephenville. The couple will live in Stephenville. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life together.

Mrs. Wingren, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Wilson and son of Dallas, Bobbie Ray Freeman of Marlin, and Paul Patterson and a boy friend of Dallas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Smith of Addicks spent the Easter holidays here with relatives.

Little Miss Gay Goodman of Hico spent the week end with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Pike and Mrs. Goodman.

Miss Dixie Potter, who is in college in Oklahoma, spent the holidays at home.

Mrs. Roland Pike of Berger and her daughter, "Cooter" of Dallas spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Pike.

Mrs. McLoughlin of Houston visited his mother a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson and baby spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trotter of Walnut Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Murphy and children of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell and other relatives this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pylant and family of Crandall spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips, who live west of town, and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pylant.

Mr. and Mrs. Wofford and family of Meridian, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Westerman and daughters of Cleburne, and Mr. and Mrs. Weston Newton and son were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell.

Scott Swindal passed away Monday morning at their home. Will have a more extensive notice next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lett and children and Mrs. Marie Hanshaw and son spent the week end in Mesquite with relatives. They also visited in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. McPeck and children of Sherman spent Sunday night and part of Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dunlap.

Easter Sunday was a very good day. There was a large attendance at the churches. Some beautiful flowers were placed in the churches. Some were pot flowers. It sure made it look like Easter.

Miss Mittie Gordon visited relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. Wylie and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with her uncle and aunt, John and Sue Tuggle.

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CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN

The Last Week In This Month

(APRIL 23 TO APRIL 29 INCLUSIVE)

TO BE OBSERVED AS

Anti-Polio Clean-Up Week

Haul-Off Days -- Wed. 26 & Sat. 29

TRASH PLACED AT CURB IN CONTAINERS WILL BE HAULED OFF FREE BY THE CITY

As Mayor of the City of Hico, Texas, and by virtue of the authority vested in me as such, I hereby proclaim the last week in April, from the 23rd to the 29th inclusive, as Anti-Poliomyelitis Clean-Up Week, and call upon every citizen to render all the aid and cooperation possible.

Each man, woman and child will be expected to participate in this campaign by cleaning up around premises. Assistance of clubs and civic organizations in the effort to keep Hico healthful and beautiful also will be appreciated.

Signed:

WADE H. GREENSLIT

Mayor, City of Hico, Texas

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Clairette

By Mrs. Henry Mayfield

The Busy Bee Club met Thursday with Mrs. Jessie Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Olin Wren and children and Mrs. J. J. Jones of Hamilton and Fairy visited Misses Nola and Eunice Lee recently. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson visited his mother, Mrs. Laura Johnson last Thursday at Ranger, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Reagen Smith and Mrs. Barton of Dallas visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson and Misses Eunice and Nola Lee.

The Home Demonstration Club members met last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ervin Holt.

Several met and did some work at the Methodist parsonage last Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. L. E. Roberson spent Wednesday in the Oliver Burnett home in Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pool of Hico and two daughters of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. Clint Richbourg Sunday evening and they all visited the Burks Blk. Farm.

The little folks enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Sunday morning in the yard of the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander and daughter spent the week end at Amarillo with their son and with Mr. and Mrs. George Cosby of McAdoo.

Young folks, don't forget the skating each Thursday night.

Clarence Durst of Redfield, N. Y., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dowdy.

Bruce Lee of Fort Worth spent the week end at home. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dowdy and son of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Loden of Waco, Mrs. Ben Loden and Billie of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Loden and two of their friends of Orchard spent the week end in the Charlie Dowdy home.

Harry Auvermann of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Woods and daughter of San Antonio spent Easter with Mrs. A. A. Auvermann.

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SENIOR NEWS On this fine, spring morning I suppose all you fine people would like to know what the Seniors of Hico High School are doing. Mrs. Angell just walked out of the room and the fun began. Frances, Barbara, Darrell, and Benny are rewriting the Texas Constitution. They're making it Reader's Digest size. Jo and Wendell are discussing smashing atoms. Maxine and Valma are studying Civics, when they're not talking. Wanda Jean is wondering around the room hunting Betty Lou who isn't here. Raymond is gripping about skating or something. Now Mrs. Angell walks in again and tries to regain order by making Myrna S. and Betty C. quit talking.

JUNIOR NEWS This is the week we get our report cards. Everyone is hoping they will pass. We haven't got all of our test papers back yet. We have only one more six weeks to go until school will be out.

H H S — HOMEMAKING NEWS Well, now that six weeks tests are over, we'll start drilling for finals.

The Homemaking I girls are coming along just fine on their dresses. The only thing wrong is, they spend more time ripping than on anything else.

The slumber party planned has been postponed to a later date.

H H S — SPOTLIGHT

The spotlight has been turned on for the nightly tours. Tuesday night it was focused on the High School Auditorium where the Musical Show was taking place. Wednesday night a few were seen at the Carlton gym skating but the spotlight doesn't quite show who they were. Charlotte T. and Buck L. were at church.

Thursday night seen skating at Clairette were Betty G. and Neal G., Mary S. and Billy C., Mary K. and Paul A., Billie Jean and Jim, Paula and Clinton, Myrna and Roline, Bertha and Melton. Back in Hico together were Patsy and Buck.

Friday night skating at the senior skating party were Wendell and Jo, Mary and Bobby. In Hico at the show were Betty G. and Fred J., Charlotte and Buck, and Mary Nell and Paul.

Saturday night all the boys were feeling pretty good and all dressed up in their Sunday suits. Seen riding around and later at the show were: Paula and Clinton, Jim and Billie Jean, Patsy and Buck, Myrna and Roline, Mary and Wendell, Jo and Ralph, Joy Ann and Dwain, Charlotte and Buck, Betty B. and Neal, Mary Nell and Paul, Roy Mac and Patsy, Billy Loden from some little town not far from Houston. Was her name Melba Boyd, Billy?

Sunday evening and night seen riding around were Jo and Ralph, Jim and Billie Jean, Paula and Clinton, Joy Ann and Dwain, and Mary Nell and Paul.



Amos the Prophet and His Program

Lesson for April 16: Amos 7:7-15; 8:1-3

Memory Selection: Amos 5: 6

AMOS, a native of Tekoa, near the northern boundary of Judah, who made a living by selling wool and figs, left his humble surroundings about 775 B.C. and appeared at Bethel, in Israel, to rebuke the king and his people for their wickedness.

About 150 years had passed since the division of the nation. Jeroboam, the first king of Israel, fearing the loyalty of the people to the new government might be weakened if they came in contact with the people of Judah several times a year in going to Jerusalem for the feasts, as they were commanded to do by the law of Moses, set up shrines at Dan and Bethel, with a degraded worship of Jehovah, and also allowed the worship of Baal.

Under Jeroboam II the influence of impure religion had entirely corrupted the nation. The masses were poor and oppressed by the few who had all the wealth of the country.

Under the figure of the plumb line and the basket of summer fruit, Amos predicted that Jehovah would soon leave the nation to its fate. About a generation afterward the terrible Assyrians despoiled Israel, and the kingdom and its 10 tribes passed from history.

The lessons of Amos are quite modern, we find, and as applicable to present conditions as they were to those in Israel 2600 years ago.

Altman

By Mrs. J. H. McAnelly

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Moore of Baytown came in Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and daughter, Janice and Mrs. H. G. Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cozby and daughter, Waynell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Cozby and son, Donald at McAdoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and children, Delores and Darlene of Fort Worth spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McAnelly.

Mrs. Melton McGeehee of Wayside is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. G. Land.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hines were Hico visitors Thursday. Mrs. Wright and son, Howard and Mrs. B. G. Land visited in Waco and Temple Tuesday with H. G. Land, who is a patient in McCloskey Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore were Stephenville visitors Monday. Sorry to report Mrs. Harve Yocham has been ill with the flu the past week.

Mrs. Loyd Yocham and children of Rankin spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hines and Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones visited her sister, Mrs. J. H. Goad in Hico Thursday.

Bud Parish and his son, Ray of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. Harve Yocham recently.

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IF YOU USE the ironing board for brushing garments or sponging them, have an oil cloth cover handy to use on the board covering and pad will keep dry.

Blankets can be renewed by having the worn satin bindings removed and replaced. Stretch the blankets on a curtain stretcher after laundering if they have shrunk too much to be of use.

When linings of children's coats and jackets show wear, sew dress shields of matching color in the worn places. These will probably last the life of the garment.

Sew small buttons on the reverse side of garments underneath the buttons that appear on the outside to equalize the strain of pulling and thus prevent the material from developing holes.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK
Salmon Chowder
(Serves 4)

3 cups milk
1 cup flaked salmon
(7-ounce can)
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1/2 teaspoon paprika
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
1 tablespoon chopped, stuffed olives
2 tablespoons chopped celery
2 ounces fine noodles

Scald milk. Add all other ingredients in order given. Simmer for 10 to 15 minutes, until noodles are tender.

To make monograms on handkerchiefs, spreads, pillow cases and sheets stand out from the material, place the reverse side of the monogram toward the iron and the right side against a Turkish towel. Iron until dry.

If pins have to be pushed through fabric, they are too large to use for that particular type of material. When pins are the correct size, they do not mar the fabric.

When needles become rusty, run them through an emery bag or a well packed steel cushion. Needles may also be washed if they become sticky. Scald and scatter to dry.

If using a piece of new material to mend an old garment, wash the new fabric and let stand out in the sun to dry for several hours to remove the new look.



SOME "FON" West Africa's son of the Dahomey tribe lives with 119 wives. A special U.N. mission reports that custom or plural marriage is a means of sustenance to the women and that some are held by duress. Chiefs marry all first-born daughters and female twins of certain families within their tribes.

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THE MIDDLES By Bob Karp

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—JUST AS MANY GREAT MEN—
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PHILATELIST'S FILLY
Lillian Hadaway, Phoenix, should have no trouble receiving a stamp of approval from stamp collectors. She models a bathing suit in which special Phoenix commemorative stamps are attached. They show tourist attractions.

DALE CARNEGIE

★ AUTHOR OF HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING ★

How To Hold Your Job

A LOS ANGELES reader who says "Just call me a manager," writes that he thinks we ought to say more in this column about what a man should do to hold a job, rather than so much about how to get one.

Well, any man who has ever taken over a new job, and any man who hires one, should appreciate the value of this.

But a few more words from the "manager."

"I hire men who seem to have it all on the ball, and generally my opinion of them is justified. I am proud of most of them, and the company is vastly pleased with their work. But now and then someone higher up in the company sends me a man for a certain position, and these men usually have to be watched. They don't know the rules of the place and they seem to feel so secure because of the way they got their job, that they don't even try to learn the rules that all the others adhere to. Their influence to bring in a helper, nearly always some relative or close friend."



Carnegie

Now let's see what impression a man tries to make when applying for a job and how he can live up to that impression:

- 1—He tries to make the prospective employer feel that he knows his work. To live up to this, he has to not only know his work but he has to work at it conscientiously.
- 2—He tries to make that employer think of him as a man. Then he has got to be a man, in the highest sense. That is, he has to be honest and have a certain amount of dignity, as well as ability.
- 3—He tries to give the impression that he is ambitious to get ahead. So he has to do the things that will help him to get ahead. He not only has to do good work, and live up to a good reputation, but he has to watch for opportunities.
- 4—He tries to make this man, who he hopes will employ him, think that he will give value received; in other words, he will work for the interest of the employer during all the hours he is being paid to work. And he has to do just that.

If a man lives up to these four things, he will hold his job as long as he wants it, provided, of course, he can fulfill one other and a vastly important, requisite: he must be able to get along with his associates.

I believe the manager who wrote to me will heartily agree that any new employee who comes to work each day and adheres to these things will have no trouble with any employer, or with any sub-chief he works under. Right, manager?

your brain budget

1. During 1949, American men spent for flowers (a) \$100 thousand, (b) \$500 million, (c) \$50 thousand, (d) \$1 billion.
2. "Isthmiana" is the new name for (a) Guatemala, (b) Bolivia, (c) Peru, (d) Brazil.
3. May 30, Memorial day, is a legal holiday throughout the United States. (a) True, (b) False.
4. "De Lawd" was an important character in (a) "All This and Heaven Too," (b) "Heaven's My Destination," (c) "Green Pastures," (d) "Death of a Salesman."
5. The author of "Vanity Fair" was (a) Dickens, (b) Hardy, (c) Thackeray, (d) Hemingway.

ANSWERS
1.—(b) \$500 million.
2.—(b) False. Some southern states observe Confederate Memorial day on other dates.
3.—(c) "Green Pastures," by Marc Connelly.
4.—(c) Thackeray.

NOISE CAN DRIVE YOU TO INSANITY

SCIENCE HASN'T DISCOVERED yet what kind of a noise bothers oysters.

But the experts know that noises irritate humans. The answer is: any noise at all, when there's enough of it.

Sometimes, of course, we are conscious of the noises that bother us, at other times we are not. But, says the scientist, whether we realize it or not, noise—most of it preventable—just isn't healthy.

Medical experiments show that noise where we work, where we live and sleep, and while we travel to and from work, can cut down our efficiency, impair our peace of mind, health and comfort. Noise, they say, brings loss of sleep, tired nerves and poor digestion.

The scientists have even devised ways of determining just how much noise, or how little, if you prefer, is damaging to our welfare. Measuring noise in decibels, called decibels, Dr. E. Lawrence Smith, neurologist, determined that noise at a level of 60 decibels or more had a decided effect in ruining digestions.

Decibels are easier to understand by comparison than by definition. For example, an ordinary conversation averages 40 decibels. Normal noise in a business office will combine to create a noise that measures 50 decibels. A noisy office often hits 70 decibels.

Contrary to popular belief, we never completely adjust our physical, mental or nervous mechanisms to noise. No matter how familiar a repeated sound becomes, it never passes unheard. Even when asleep, we "hear" sounds entering our bedrooms for they register on our minds and cause unnecessary mental activity.

Some sounds which experience has taught us require muscular reaction, automobile horns and the like, actually result in physical activity while we sleep. Impulses transmitted to and through the nerves by these sounds cause jump-

ing, leg or arm movement and tossing, all adding up to unneeded sleep and loss of real rest.

Occupational deafness is becoming more and more common. As our cities become noisier, there's more deafness among road builders, bus and taxi drivers, printers and traffic policemen. Organizations of employers and insurance groups now are analyzing this hazard and beginning to develop control techniques.

Street and traffic noises are, for the most part, non-rhythmic, and therefore, the most annoying, as the ear cannot readily adjust to them. This gives rise to anger and other disturbing emotions. This is one of the reasons for the dire effect of noise on the delicately attuned nervous system. Not only does the continual pressure of strident sounds to which workers are exposed tend to produce impairment of hearing, but there also is a strain on the nervous system which leads to neurasthenia and other mental ills.

It has long been realized that noise in machinery means inefficiency. Automotive engineers particularly seem to understand this. The automobile manufacturers are quieting the modern automobile. Even the newer auto horns are less rascous, more melodious.

Other heartening advances in the battle against useless noise come from the use of more sound absorbing materials in factories, offices, stores and homes. Telephone and radio engineers have developed techniques which can show others how to cope with unwanted sound. Noise probably never will be eliminated completely, for paradoxically, absolute quiet has an adverse effect on human nerves. However, man-made racket, industrial and especially traffic roars can be subdued to a point where they no longer constitute a health hazard.

Brain specialist Dr. Foster Kennedy has shown that noise has a definite and detrimental effect on the mind. In experiments at Bellevue Hospital in New York, he discovered that bursting a blown-up paper bag raised the pressure on the brain of a nearby patient higher than morphine and nitroglycerine, the two most powerful known drugs for increasing brain pressure. The paper bag explosions raised the brain pressure four times above normal for an interval of one second before returning to normal.

Is it any wonder that some people can be driven to despair, to insanity or to death by incessant noise?

At a recent anti-noise conference in England, Dr. Dan McKenzie, British Army Surgeon, revealed that during the late war some men were killed by noise itself. The shock of sound waves, resulting from high explosives, was actually able to produce death. Scientists are studying the possibility of using sound waves, both audible and inaudible, as killing weapons for future wars. If the H-bomb doesn't get you, noise will.

All experts agree that a sudden, loud noise causes about the same reaction in a person as does a great fright. If the reaction is severe enough, it may be followed by shock, a general feeling of depression and a loss of vitality. And shock, from a medical standpoint, often is more dangerous than various bodily injuries which produce shock.

Not only loud noises, but continuing noises, even little ones, can create a great nervous strain in most persons. The Chinese, many centuries ago, used a clock to drive prisoners, in otherwise quiet cells, out of their minds. Police officers recognize the psychological effectiveness of continual questioning and shouting when interrogating criminals and trying to force information or confessions from them.



LIKE MOTHERS USED TO BAKE . . . Sen. Andrew Schoepfer (R., Kan.) comes up with something rare and asks his colleague, Sen. Margaret Chase Smith (R., Me.), to taste it.

SUCCESSFUL PARENTHOOD

By
MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS
Associate Editor,
Parents Magazine

DOING THINGS FAST and hurrying are by no means the same thing. In fact, the first is one means of securing leisure, the latter a way of cluttering up your life so that you never seem to have a minute to yourself. But both are habits, one good, the other deplorable. It would be well to help your children acquire the first and avoid the second.

The first step in bringing this about is to keep hurry at a minimum in your children's lives. This is done, not by trying to have their days go along at a slow tempo, for with some quick, high-strung children this wouldn't be possible. Instead, you guard against hurry by providing little islands of leisure between jobs, and between pleasures too.

It's like crinkling the edges of a pie crust to keep the good juices in. A moment or two taken to savor an experience helps preserve the best of it, and at the same time takes away that feeling of constant rush which is the result of running from one thing to another without pause. Naturally you can't just say to children "Now sit down and think about what you've been doing." That wouldn't make sense to an eager child. But you can plan their days so that they do this without realizing it.

The first requirement is to begin the day in good time. A nice long morning is one of life's greatest blessings, but you don't get them by wishing, only by setting an alarm clock and obeying it. Nutritionists are campaigning for a good, substantial breakfast for every American. We add, and time to enjoy it! Nourishing food, pleasant warmth to wake up the diges-

tive tract, and someone with time to listen to your wonderful plans for the day—the good feeling generated by such a leisurely, conversational breakfast will usually outlast the morning's minor upsets.

But as lunchtime nears you'll have to supply another quiet island in your child's day. A surprise of some sort or a great mystery about what you are preparing for dessert will bring him in from his play ahead of time. Now you ask him questions about the morning's activities—just have a good chat about the things he is really interested in. This isn't the time to interrupt with criticisms, any more than you would make oral judgments during a friend's conversation. But if you aren't wholly pleased with what you hear, make mental note of it. For you are accomplishing two things in these talks—giving your child a few moments of unconscious reflection, cementing happiness if the morning has been joyous, releasing irritation if things have been at cross and cove. And you are also gaining that knowledge of your child's mental make-up, his weaknesses and his strength, without which you can not possibly guide him to becoming his best self.

The day isn't half over and we must leave you. But you get the idea. A physician concerned primarily with health would simply call them "frequent rest periods." But we look upon them not alone as moments for recuperating energy, but as the means of establishing a rhythmic pattern of living that later on will help your child avoid the confusion and compulsions of a hurried existence.

Personals

Avice Lee Jones left Tuesday morning for Rankin, where he is employed.

Miss Waynell Trantham left Sunday for a six-weeks visit in Haskell, Big Spring and Andrews, Texas with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Latham and son, Geary Don, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Adams and Mrs. Monroe Latham.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Cook, Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Cox, Mary Nell Jones, Hesse and Mrs. Jim L. Hesse, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin and children of Hico.

Visitors with Mrs. Bettie and Mrs. Albert McAnally, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnhill, Mrs. S. W. Battershell, Mrs. Maggie Houston and Mrs. Patsy Meridian, and Mrs. J. W. Hutchens and family, Iredell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perry Masters of Albuquerque, New Mexico, are visiting here with her sister, Mrs. A. G. Macy.

Mrs. Jess Askey and daughter Ann of San Saba were here over the week end to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy French.

Ava Beth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Neel, is here for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel.

Mrs. Bartley Dowell and sons, Randy and David of Hereford arrived Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Paul Hamilton and family.

Miss Mettie Rodgers, who is a teacher at Texas A & M, spent the Easter holidays visiting Miss Thoma Rodgers and other relatives.

Patsy Ruth Meador visited during the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meador, who took her back to Waco Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christian and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Lykins, all of Hamilton; Mrs. Nora Thompson, Gorman, and Mrs. Ruth Fry, Clairette, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mollie Harvey.

College students home during the Easter holidays were Lloyd Angell and Paul Wolfe, students at the University of Texas; Frances Angell, of TSCW; and Billy Jackson, Hardin-Simmons University.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duckworth and daughter Latrelle of Crowell spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duckworth and with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Garth, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richbourg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones spent the week end in Hillsboro with their daughter, Mrs. Macel Coleman and family. They also visited in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Selby and in Corsicana with Mr. and Mrs. Macel Coleman Jr.

Visitors during the Easter holidays in the B. B. Gamble home were their two sons and daughter and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gamble, Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Swor, Paula and Donald, all of Houston.

The Senior Class is sponsoring a cake, pie, cookie, and candy sale Saturday, April 15, 1950. Booths will be located at Randalls and Ratliff Groceries, and will be open from 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. For delicious homemade treats at a reasonable price see the Senior Class Saturday. 48-ltc.

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Mrs. Olin Ridenhower of San Antonio arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. J. B. Pool.

John Golightly and son, Charles, attended a Polled Hereford Show and sale at Enid, Okla., Monday.

Misses Oran Jo and Jessie Miller Pool spent the Easter holidays with their mother, Mrs. J. B. Pool.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Burks of Ireland visited Wednesday with his sister, Mrs. S. E. Blair, Sr., and family.

Mrs. Charles Shelton and children of Fort Worth arrived Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Randals.

Glen Hutton, student at Texas A&M College, spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hutton.

A daughter, Marion Jane, was born Tuesday, April 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Reed Pack of Route 3, Stephenville, at Hico Hospital.

A-C Don Griffiths of Enid, Okla., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Griffiths.

Mrs. Mollie Harvey left Thursday for Brownwood for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Thomason and family.

Eugene Lane of Benavides, Texas, spent the Easter holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goolsby of San Antonio spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Beck and little son, Scotty of Gainesville spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Parker.

Mrs. A. A. Vickrey returned home Monday after a visit in San Angelo with her daughters, Miss Frances Vickrey and Mrs. James Ross and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Knudson are the parents of a son born early Sunday morning, April 9, at the Hico Hospital. He has been named John Stephens.

Miss Kathryn Alford advises that she has moved again, and asks that her paper be addressed to 401 East Harris Street, San Angelo, Texas, which she "hopes is a permanent address."

Easter visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, Sr., were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown and children, Big Spring and W. H. Brown Jr., and son, Robert of Fort Worth.

Jack Neel, student at University of Texas, Austin, accompanied by Miss Rosie Taylor of New London, visited during the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neel.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson of Ballinger and Ray Johnson of Dallas accompanied their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Johnson of Hico to Waco Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke were Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Land and daughter Judy of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Giesecke and two sons of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lane of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watkins and their son, Oren Watkins and family of Los Angeles, Calif., spent the week end with Mrs. Watkins' brother, R. A. Herrington and family. This was the first time in 35 years that the brother and sister had seen each other.

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Mrs. Jackie McCook has sent the News Review force a picture post-card showing a view of Miami Beach, Fla., where she said she had spent most of time after moving to Bruce, Fla., she visited in Miami one week but says she sure does love Hico and misses seeing all the people here.

"All my Mondays would be blue Mondays," said a note from Mrs. W. J. White Jr., at Richmond, Calif. Dorothy added: "We're having real nice weather. I had Devalca out in the sunshine and fresh air this morning. She enjoys being out so much. I still take her to the hospital once a week. The doctor is planning to take her back into the hospital for another operation before long. W. J. is still painting on the Bay Bridge, and is also selling insurance in his spare time." She sends their best wishes to their many friends here in their former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Ellis and family were hosts Sunday to the following visitors: Mrs. T. P. Barnhill, La Verne and Joyce Iredell; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Battershell and Carolyn, Cresson; Le Roy Bobo, Wichita Falls; C. H. Connally, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. James Rainwater, Houston; and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffiths, Mrs. J. R. Russell, George Griffiths and Don and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Knight, Betty and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey Griffiths, Annette, Wanda and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffiths and Horace, Mrs. Clara Gill, Alice Gill, Dick Johnson, Roy Battershell and Joe Linda Burch, all of Hico. The children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt in the afternoon.



WIN OSCARS . . . Best actor and actress of the year, Broderick Crawford and Olivia de Havilland, hold Oscars presented by motion picture academy. Miss de Havilland was honored for part in "The Heiress," and Crawford for part in "All the King's men."

Miss Saralee Hudson of Austin spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dillard Watson of Jonesboro are the parents of a baby son born Tuesday, April 11, at Hico Hospital. He has been named Raymond Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Forry, students at the University of Texas, Austin, visited a short time last Friday with the NR force en route to Lawton, Okla., where they attended the Sunrise Easter Service in the Wichita Mountains.

Mrs. Nila Denton of Hico, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Don F. Smith and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Stephenville, attended the Wichita Mountains' 25th Annual Sunrise Easter Service at Lawton, Okla., Sunday.

Easter visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendricks were Lowell Hicks, Three Rivers; Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Stone and children, Jaunell and J. W. Tahoka and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Neagles, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and family and Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Uppergrove of Hale Center.

Those spending Easter Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Calder and celebrating with her on her 70th birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Adams and daughter, Judy and Mrs. Carolyn McCook of Waco; Mrs. Ruth Roberts and daughters, Pat and Jo of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lowe and children, Joy and Mike of Hico.

Wayne Allison, who is a student at Hardin College at Wichita Falls, attended the ball game in Dallas last Thursday and returned by Hico to take his grandmother, Mrs. C. W. Newsom home. Mrs. Newsom had been here for several weeks at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. I. Tooley, who has been ill at her home. Others who have been with their mother during her illness were Mrs. A. R. Pierson of Waco and Mrs. R. A. Cole of Fort Worth.

Helping Hand Class Has Monthly Meeting At Methodist Church

The Helping Hand Class of the Methodist Sunday school met in the west wing of the church on Tuesday, April 11, at 8 o'clock, for their monthly social and business meeting. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. J. C. Barrow and Mrs. Roy French.

Delicious refreshments of pimento cheese sandwiches, pickles, potato chips, angel food cake and punch were served to members of the class.

Several songs were sung by the class with Mrs. J. W. Richbourg at the piano.

The president called the class together for a short business meeting. Mrs. Waggoner read the 103rd Psalm. Mrs. Hutton led the prayer.

Seventeen members answered to roll call. Last month's minutes were read and approved. The treasurer, Mrs. Ross, gave her report, after which Mrs. King led the class in Bible games. The meeting closed with each member repeating the class motto.

Members present were Mesdames T. H. King, Roy Stevens, J. L. Ray, J. C. Barrow, George Stringer, John Haines, W. H. Pierce, Tom Strepy, Andy Hutton, Watt Ross, Denman, J. P. Owens, Roy French, J. W. Richbourg, Greenslit, Bud Roberson, and Annie Waggoner. REPORTER.

YOUNGSTERS ENJOY PARTY FRIDAY NIGHT

Kenneth Hoffman and Jim Ed Smith entertained friends with a party at the home of Jim Ed's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bass, Friday evening. Supper, consisting of hamburgers, olives, pickles, potato chips, and cold drinks was served in the yard. Games were played after the supper.

Those present were Marguerite Watkins, Julia Ann Hedges, Linda McLendon, Gwendolyn Decker, Donald Warren, Jerry Don Needham, Wayne Duncan and the hosts.

NOTICE TO BOY SCOUTS AND GIRL SCOUTS OF HICO

The Girl Scouts are sponsoring a "Be Kind to Animals" program beginning Monday, April 17, at the Girl Scout Hall at 7 o'clock. Mr. Jack Nounce will have charge. You have an invitation to attend. CONTRIBUTED.

Public Invited to Flower Discussion At Stephenville

Mrs. Fred Gealy of Dallas will discuss Japanese Lane Arrangements at the Stephenville Ward School Auditorium Thursday, April 20, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Gealy and her husband, Dr. Fred D. Gealy, spent 13 years in Japan. The doctor taught at the University of Tokyo. Mrs. Gealy studied flower arrangements under native teachers while in Japan.

Mrs. Gealy is being sponsored by the St. Luke's Episcopal Mission, states Mrs. G. Dudley Everett, Chairman of the Publicity Committee. A very large crowd is expected for much interest is being manifested in this section of Texas on flower growing and arrangements.

Hobbies Are Program Topic At Meeting of B. & P. W. Club

Mrs. W. H. Greenslit was hostess to the Business and Professional Women's Club meeting Tuesday, April 4, when the subject of the program was hobbies. Nine members met at the Chicken Palace for dinner and went to the home of Mrs. Greenslit for their program. Those who answered roll call were Mmes. Lawrence Lane, W. D. Bradley Jr., Odie Patsick, May Bates, J. L. Ray, S. W. Everett, M. T. Neenan, Greenslit, and Miss Louise Blair.

Mrs. Bradley was in charge of the program and displayed her own hobby, which is a collection of key rings. Other interesting hobbies which members brought to the meeting were Mrs. Bates' antiques and Miss Blair's collection of novelty pins from various places. Mrs. Lane brought some beautiful geraniums and gave a talk on flowers.

LOUISE BLAIR HAS GIRL SCOUT PICNIC

The Hico Girl Scouts held a picnic and played baseball Monday afternoon at the home of their leader, Miss Louise Blair. Eighteen members were present. Monette Salmon passed her Tenderfoot test. SCOUT SCRIBE.

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— By —
Mrs. Eunice Masengale

We have had good indications of rain during the past week, but so far all signs have failed. However, rain has fallen at Waco and other points not so far away and here's hoping we received rain in time to prevent a complete crop failure.

Grain on heavy soil is holding up fairly well. Some farmers are planting maize and plowing out what corn is up, but much of the corn that has been planted is under ground just as planted.

There was very good attendance at the cemetery working last Friday. There were visitors here from Stephenville, Grand Prairie, Hamilton, Iredell and all adjoining communities. A new committee was appointed to succeed J. L. McCoy, B. J. Parks, and Leslie Arant. Those being Audie Clark, Ernest McCoy and Frank Tyler.

We appreciate very much the services rendered by the old committee. They have been very faithful and all are very much pleased with the condition of the cemetery under their management and we feel sure the new committee will give the same efficient service.

The cemetery secretary and treasurer, Miss Ima Pitts and M. E. Parks were retained. They too have been very faithful and all appreciate their services.

We were very sorry to learn of the death of Mr. Albert Mason of the Vista Mt. community near Evant, who passed away at his home on Saturday, April 1. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Evant the following day. He was 74 years old and is survived by his wife and two sons, Albert of Fairy and Vernon of Evant and two daughters, Mrs. Audra Shave of Sundown and Mrs. Leona Youngblood of Evant. Two daughters preceded him in death. We extend sympathy to all those bereaved in his passing.

Announcement has been received here announcing the arrival of a little daughter, Linda Kay, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wade B. Roe of Etter Star Route, Dumas, Texas, on April 5. Mrs. Roe is the former Miss Oleta Fay Grimes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nat Grimes of Dial, Texas, formerly of Fairy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Allison of Dublin visited with relatives here awhile last Thursday night.

Mrs. Raymond Meeks of Gatesville visited Friday night and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Heyroth. Mrs. Meeks is a former neighbor of the Heyroth's, during their residence at Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spencer of Lubbock spent Sunday night and Monday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and Daphne to be with her brother, wife and baby. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hoover and Charles D. Jr. of Phoenix, Ariz., who had spent Saturday night in their home at Lubbock and accompanied them here on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hoover are expected to leave for home tonight (Friday).

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Driver and Mrs. Gladys Cox visited last Saturday night near Duffau with relatives of the Driver's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Anderson and little granddaughter of Grand Prairie visited here last Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Brummitt and attended the cemetery working.

Mrs. Arnold Gleason and children and Mrs. Benn Gleason visited at the Hico Hospital last Sunday afternoon with the latter's mother, Mrs. Alford, who is ill with an attack of the flu.

Mrs. Maude Whitson visited last week end in Fort Worth with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Whitson and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Betts, Judy and Sherryl of Stillwater, Okla., visited from Friday until Monday of last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Betts. They were accompanied by a sister of Mrs. Betts' whose name we failed to secure. Mrs. T. L. Betts, who is employed in Fort Worth, also spent the week end here.

We have just been informed of the passing of Mrs. J. H. Whitlock of the Falls Creek community who passed away this morning at the Hico Hospital following a stroke. Services will be held at the Church of Christ sometime Wednesday afternoon, where she was a regular attendant. Our hearts go out in deepest sympathy to loved ones in the loss of this dear wife and mother. A more complete obituary will be given next week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pitts and daughter, Miss Ima had as guests Sunday, their son and brother, J. N. Pitts and Miss Avis Akers of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Pitts and Eva Nell of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wright and Glenn of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hoover of Dublin visited Monday afternoon in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoover and family.



KISS AMISS . . . A kiss bestowed by Riddell Riggs on Charlotte McClain, as he crowned her Bethany, Okla., basketball sweetheart, caused five students to be suspended, a mass meeting of irate parents and a board meeting.

Carlton
— By —
Mrs. Fred Geye

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fisher had the pleasure of having all their children home Sunday to help their father celebrate his 82nd birthday. Present to enjoy this happy occasion were Mrs. R. D. Ford and girls of Camp Hood; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ford and son, Pat of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stuckey and Jean, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Williamson and Ronnie, Carlton; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Minch and daughter, Glenita, Camp Hood. Mrs. Minch is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fisher. Mrs. Norma Wilson, sister of Carlton, and son, Woody of Carlton. The afternoon was spent in kooking, Easter egg hunting and playing games.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Partin of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Munsinger of Hasse visited over the week end with their mother, Mrs. J. D. Upham.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Huffman and son, Ronald of Midland visited Saturday with Mrs. W. H. Vick, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye and other old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellison and daughters, Nelda and Twila of Crosbyton spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison. Other visitors in the Ellison home Sunday were their son and daughter, Henry Ellison and family of Purves and Mrs. Eddie Welch and husband of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams and daughter, have an apartment with Mrs. Joe Sharp and moved there Friday. George Driver has purchased the Morgan residence vacated by the Williams and also moved Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John Price moved to the residence vacated by the Drivers. Mrs. Price has been elected as assistant Post Mistress in the Carlton Post Office.

R. L. Brimer, Mrs. J. H. Tull and Mrs. Fred Geye are slowly improving following a week's illness with the flu. Mrs. Tull is still confined to her bed. Her daughter, Mrs. Neal Gerrard of Hamilton is helping her sister, Mrs. Lillie Anderson, care for their mother.

The spring revival began Sunday morning at the Baptist Church with Rev. James L. Smart of Hamilton delivering the message.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Proffitt and their son, Adolph Proffitt and wife and daughter of Comanche spent the week end at West Columbia with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Leese Longino and family. They enjoyed sight seeing at Galveston, Freeport and Lake Jackson while on their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Birdsong of Dallas visited Sunday with his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Finley and Uncle Ben Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Godfrey of Frisco, Texas moved the past week to the farm home they recently purchased from Ted Moore. Mrs. Godfrey is a step daughter of Mrs. S. S. Vaughn.

Travis King of Lubbock and Reginald Theford of A. & M. spent the Easter holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Battershell visited Sunday afternoon in Hico with his sister, Mrs. Sam Abel.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Cosby and children of Stephenville and S-Sgt. and Edward Basham of Tarleton State College, Stephenville were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Basham, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cole of

Fort Worth spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reeves of Marble Falls were Carlton visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Sowell returned home Friday after a visit at Lorain with her mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Will McCarty of Dalhart was a week end visitor with her brother, Nell Clark and wife and her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. S. Vaughn and Mrs. Sid Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Nixon and family and Lynn Wooley and family of Dalhart; Toye and Clive Wooley and families of Lubbock; Trav Wooley and wife, Dallas; G. L. Wolley and family, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Truett of Lamkin, were week end visitors with their mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Vaughn and their sister, Mrs. J. F. Godfrey and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Roberts and Kay spent the week end at Hamilton with his mother, Mrs. M. V. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lefevre of Cleburne; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Burden of Hico; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sowell and sons of Agee and John H. Clark and family of Cleburne spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Sid Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Nell Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Lefevre also visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lefevre.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stidham of Stephenville visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Lorena Stidham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Self and sons visited Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Self at Clairette.

Lamon Smith of Austin spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Geye of Stephenville visited Sunday afternoon with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geye and Mrs. Dow Self and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blanchard of Stephenville were week end visitors with her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Anderson and Mrs. J. H. Tull.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Partain spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. James Bone and family at Stephenville.

Masters Kenney and Ronnie Stidham of San Angelo returned Monday to their home after spending the Easter holidays with their grandmother, Mrs. Lorena Stidham.

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By — Elmer Giesecke

That was a nice clean baseball game Sunday afternoon. Score, Duffau 11, Shiloh 4. We play at Alexander next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Go see that game. It will be worth your two bits.

And we might mention the annual cemetery working here the first Friday in May. Bring your lunch and implements of torture and spend the day. There is lots of work that can and might be done.

The following were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roach; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spear and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roswell Martin of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Keesee and children, Virgil Martin of Iredell, Mr. and Mrs. Jud Hatler, Morgan Mill, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lepape and son, Stockton, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Hatler and daughter of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Martin and son, Albany, and S. Sgt. William C. Martin, Portsmouth, Virginia. The first time in several years that these brothers and sisters and other relatives had lunched together.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Landers had as Easter guests, their two daughters, Mrs. Nina Hook and husband, Fort Worth, Mrs. A. P. Tschey and husband of Odessa, and a son, Hayward and wife and family of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey had as Easter guests, their two sons, Bobby and Wayne of Dallas. Also Carry and wife and family and Miss Imogene, a daughter of Stephenville.

Mrs. H. H. Talley accompanied her nephew, R. Lee Jones of Waco to Knox City and Benjamin for an Easter visit with Mrs. Talley's brothers, Lee and Carey Jones.

Mr. Joe Bryant of Sanger visited his niece, Mrs. A. A. Chandler and husband and son.

Bud Stringer and wife and Jerry spent Sunday in Iredell with the Gateward's.

Mrs. M. H. Gellentine and Edith visited the Teagues at Selden Saturday afternoon.

Clarence Madden and family of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Madden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Scales.

Mrs. R. H. Wagner was released from the Hico Hospital Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence of Iredell and her mother, Mrs. Ellis of Tahoka visited the Lawrence's here Sunday.

Reba Bowie of Stephenville visited her parents here Easter day.

J. D. and Louis Hutson and families spent Sunday with the Messrs. Hutson's sister and family in Mineral Wells.

Annette Phillips of T. S. C. W. spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Phillips. Also visiting in the Phillips home were Mrs. Mary Galloway and Miss Kate, mother and sister of Mrs. Phillips and their home is in Royce City. They all motored to Granbury Sunday and visited in the home of J. T. Galloway and family.

James Ray Anderson informed us that they had no company during the holiday and they were proud of it.

Continued high wind and dust storms still persist and farmers are still not a bit elated over it.



TRouble AFOOT . . . "Solo" survivor of a bout with a radiator in his home, Howard Hueckstaedt, Chicago, posts after firemen freed his foot, caught between pipes. Mother holds him. The heat's on, as far as radiators are concerned for Howard.

FAIRY SCHOOL NEWS

Sophomore News We surely enjoyed our holidays. Wish we had a few more dozen. Everyone is happy over their last grades and are looking forward to getting exempt on finals.

The usual crowd was in the midnight show Saturday night at Hico with the exception of Norma Ruth who sat at home while her boy friend visited his folks in East Texas.

We are proud to have our visitor, Mary Jo Clark, with us today. I guess everyone had a nice Easter hunt Sunday. I did.

There is a girl in our class that seems to want to be interviewed today so here goes. She is 5 feet 5 inches tall, has brown hair and green eyes. Her favorite actress is Susan Hayward and her favorite actor is John Wayne. She has no particular choice of foods. Her ideal man is James Abel. Now guess.

We wish to thank James Littleton for bringing his skates here on Tuesday nights for us to skate. We have lots of fun.

That's all folks, see you next week.

Freshman News Well, we will start out the week good and get the news.

We are sorry we didn't get it last week.

Well, over the week end we found Shirley at a track meet. Cleon spent the week end at Hamilton and Louise spent the week end at Grand Prairie.

I guess the Easter bunny was good to everyone, because I saw all the freshman girls out looking for Easter eggs.

Last Saturday the freshman girls went to the Meridian Lake and they sure did have fun, considering that Louise got pushed in the lake. Well, we will see you again next Monday.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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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 District Attorney, 52nd Judicial District: L. BRANN (Re-Election)

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

For County Treasurer: MISS PAT SECRET

For Commissioner, Precinct 3: FERN JORDAN (Re-Election) L. A. (Alvin) HICKS S. L. (Sam) HUBBARD

Erath County

For County Clerk: ELMO WHITE (Re-Election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector: ALBERT CRAGWALL JR.

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For Commissioner, Precinct 2: W. W. (Son) LABAUME (Re-Election)

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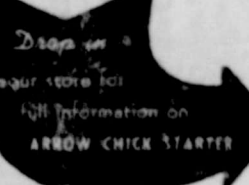


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Soil Conservationist Submits Information On Terrace Systems

By O. E. PUCKETT
The Bosque Soil Conservation District has as one of its objectives the establishment of suitable well protected outlets for terrace systems. Farmers have been terracing for a number of years, but the manner of terrace layout and construction and the lack of adequate outlet protection has made a lot of earlier work ineffective. The earlier terraces concentrated the water at certain places not very well or not protected at all, and as a result deep gullies were formed, excessive overfalls advanced up the terrace channels, increasing the grade and channel depth until the terraces became a detriment rather than a means of conserving the soil. Probably more failures of terrace systems are due to improperly planning and unprotected outlets than any other single cause.

Any type of construction requires a plan. A merchant would not think of building a large mercantile house without a definite plan. The same is true of a farm. A farmer or rancher has a large investment in his land and most certainly should have a definite plan on which to build his farming operation. A conservation farmer or rancher builds his plan on a foundation of sound land use and the treatment of land with those adaptable, practical measures that keep it permanently productive while in use.

One of these adapted practical measures is terracing land that needs terracing. Planning in advance the terrace system so that it will fit in with the other measures, and making sure that terraces have a well protected drainage-way already established, or, is necessary to insure maximum effectiveness of the system. Following is a list of the different types of vegetative outlets and waterways in the order of their desirability and effectiveness.

1. Each terrace empty onto existing good grassland, properly managed.
2. Areas newly retired for this purpose and established to vegetation prior to actual construction of terraces. Such areas may be on one or both sides of a field and are usually triangular in shape, depending upon the general slope of the outlet area.
3. Natural draws in cultivated fields with vegetative cover established.

4. Broad shallow waterways with adequate capacity, shaped with plow or other equipment and established to vegetation. Such waterways should not be less than 50 feet in width even though the volume of water to be handled would not require this width.
5. Excavated channels relative to narrow channels established to vegetation. This is a last resort and should be used where it is not possible to use any of the above.

In the design and construction of all waterways for the conveyance of run off, certain fundamental hydraulic principles must be observed in order to assure satisfactory results. The size of drainage areas and the rates of run-off to be expected should be determined. Dimensions and velocities of drainageways also have to be completed. Sufficient field observations and measurements have been made to enable engineers to compute the size and proportions of drainageways with reasonable accuracy, and have made up tables that materially simplify these computations.

After a farmer's terrace system is planned and it is determined to vegetate a drainage, it is necessary for the owner to select the vegetation to use. Field observations indicate that Bermuda grass well established will stand 7-8 feet per second velocities under normal rainfall conditions.

A relative new grass is coming into use in this District in low velocity waterways, it is King Ranch Bluestem or KR Bluestem. KR Bluestem is a bunch grass type perennial, very hardy and has a tendency to spread out on the ground. A few farmers and ranchers have this grass in use on their farms, and this spring many more are planting more plots.

Unlike Bermuda grass, this grass can be seeded in waterways which makes it more desirable because of the labor involved in sodding Bermuda, and length of time necessary to get adequate cover. KR Bluestem planted this spring, under normal conditions, will come up and make good growth and will probably make two crops of seed. The seed is scarce and valuable, selling locally at \$3.00 per pound and some farmers have bought some at \$4.00 per pound. Farmers in other sections of the state have made considerable money from small acreage selling seed. Combines have to be specially adjusted to harvest these seed. Technicians from the Soil Conservation Service have helped District Co-operators in adjusting combines to harvest KR Bluestem and other types of native bluestem seed.

KR Bluestem may be planted with special made grass seed drills. Cotton planters can be rigged to plant it and have been successfully used in a number of places here. Double rowing in a waterway is probably most desirable.

FOURTH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED SUNDAY
Friends of Don Frazier Boone celebrated his fourth birthday Sunday afternoon at a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boone, from 3 o'clock to 5 o'clock. Those present were Bill Rutledge, Connie Bullock, Linda Russell, David and Jimmy Coats, and Jerry Jones. Birthday cake, ice cream, and cupcakes were served.

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working and what one is really doing around a newspaper office. The trickiest part of the job is doing things like we sometimes overlook (like, for instance, the omission of news noted above). The actual work of putting out a paper would be practically automatic if no consideration was given as to the contents of the news.

It would be easy to fill up with some sort of tripe and get the paper out this week end for next Fourth of July. That might be a good idea at that.
But the editor and staff are fortunate in having a coterie of friends who are willing to assist in having their home paper as presentable as possible. Many of the Good Samaritans bring in ad and news copy the first of the week, allowing us to get this out of the way before press day. Nothing embarrasses the staff more than to learn after the paper is out that some news was omitted. We appreciate every assistance rendered, especially well-written copy ready for the linotype operator, on routine matters about which our constituents know more than we could attempt to ascertain.

While you're helping us we'll try to put in at least as many hours as we estimated to the census enumerator.

New Provisions In Cotton Law to Benefit County, Officer Says

New cotton legislation recently passed by Congress provides for minimum 1950 acreage allotments based on one of three provisions. Benn A. Gleason, Chairman of the county PMA committee, said this week.
The revised allotments are based on the larger of (1) 65 per cent of the average acreage planted to cotton (or devoted to war crops in place of cotton) in 1946, 1947, and 1948; (2) 45 per cent of the highest acreage planted to cotton on the farm during any one of the three years; but (3) not more than 40 per cent of the 1949 acreage which was tilled on the farm or in regular rotation.

Any owner or operator of a cotton farm in Hamilton County who believes he is entitled to an acreage increase and wants to be considered by the county committee for possible allotment adjustment under the legislation must file an application not later than April 28, 1950.

"We urge owners or operators who want their farms considered for revised allotments to file applications by this date," Mr. Gleason said. "Farmers who are satisfied with their present allotments need not file applications. However, those desiring increases will be considered by the county committee after applications for such increases are filed in the county office."

Each operator of a farm for which an application is filed will receive a notice from the county committee of the revised 1950 cotton acreage allotment. When the new allotment notice is mailed, it will replace any previous 1950 allotment notice already received by the farm operator.

Application forms may be obtained from the county PMA office.

Farmer-Business Man Dinners Planned to Aid Soil Conservation

League City, April 11—Plans for several hundred farmer-business man dinners to be held all over Texas Tuesday night, May 16 were announced recently by Walter S. Davis, Jr., president of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

There are 156 soil conservation districts, each divided into five sub-districts, covering about 90 per cent of Texas and with whom 65,000 farmers and ranchers are already cooperating. The local Chambers of Commerce are cooperating in helping stage the dinners over the state.

These dinners, to be called District Cooperator-Businessman dinners, will be held simultaneously with a Houston dinner, sponsored by the Houston Farm & Ranch club and co-sponsored by members of banks of the Houston Clearing House, the Houston Press, Friends of the Land, and various other groups, including the Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors.

The Houston dinner will include a statewide broadcast as part of a special program to be announced later. Awards, as part of a statewide program in which over \$13,000 will be distributed, will be given to the champion farmer or rancher of Texas, the outstanding soil conservation district, the Texas businessman who has made the greatest contribution to soil conservation work during 1949.

Senator Clinton Anderson of New Mexico, former secretary of agriculture, and other agricultural and business leaders will participate in the Houston dinner expected to be attended by 700 farmers and businessmen.

AT THE CHURCHES

First Baptist Church
Regular services:
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m.
L. H. DAVIS, Pastor.

Methodist Church
Church school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching service, 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. at 6:00 p. m.
Preaching service, 7:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to come and worship with us.
J. L. RAY, Pastor.

St. Olaf Lutheran
Cranfills Gap, Texas
SUNDAY, APRIL 16
10:00 a. m. Sunday School and Bible Classes.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
Guest speaker, Rev. C. F. Jensen, Milan, Minnesota.

7:30 p. m. Junior League, Hosts: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Hen Scott.
MONDAY, APRIL 17
7:30 p. m. Male Chorus and Ladies Chorus
TUESDAY, APRIL 18
7:30 p. m. Adult Class
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19
7:30 p. m. Youth Group
SATURDAY, APRIL 15
9:30 a. m. Junior and Senior Confirmation classes.
3:00 p. m. Junior choir.

The service this Sunday morning will honor six sons of the congregation who have gone out into the Lutheran Ministry. One of these, Rev. C. F. Jensen, Milan, Minnesota, will deliver the sermon.

A Christian service flag bearing five blue crosses and one gold cross has been ordered by the members of the Junior Luther League.
A sincere and cordial welcome to all of our services.
Benjamin R. Maakstad, Pastor.

Church of Christ
This is an invitation for you to attend any of the services scheduled here.
Sunday morning:
Bible classes for all, 10:00.
Preaching, 11:00.
Lord's Supper, 11:45.
Sunday Night:
Young People's Class, 7:00.
Preaching, 7:30.
Tuesday afternoon:
Ladies' Bible Class, 2:30.
Wednesday night:
Mid-week service, 7:30.
MERLE KING, Minister.

Clairette Baptist Church
Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a. m.
Worship services are conducted the second and fourth Sundays of each month.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening service, 7:00 p. m.
You have a cordial invitation to attend any of our services.
ALAN NEELY, Pastor.

Duff Baptist Church
Sunday school every Sunday morning, 10:00.
Morning and evening worship services are conducted by the pastor the first and third Sundays of each month.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Evening service, 7:00.
We extend an invitation to everyone to attend one or all of our regular services.
ALAN NEELY, Pastor.

Primitive Baptist Church
Regular meeting, second Sunday in each month; Saturday morning and Saturday night before in each month.
ELDER J. W. WEST, Pastor.

First Christian Church
We invite you to hear Brother William Le May of Dallas preach every first Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.
Sunday school every Sunday, beginning at 10 o'clock.
Everyone is welcome, and especially do we invite each person who has no church home.

Iredell Methodist
Church school, 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F., 6:15 p. m.
Evening service, 7:00 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.
R. T. WALLACE, Minister.

Pentecostal Church
Sunday school begins at 10:00 a. m. Sunday.
Sunday preaching hour, 11:00.
Sunday eve evangelistic service at 7:00 o'clock.
Ladies' prayer meeting Tuesday at 9:00 o'clock.
Prayer meeting, Bible study and song practice Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.
Come be with us.
DOLLY LYNCH.

Olin Baptist Church
Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock.
Church Service, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:45 p. m.
Church services, 7:30 p. m.
Come to all our services!
REV. JACK HULL, Pastor.

Unity Baptist Church
Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
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