



# IREDELL ITEMS

by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent

**Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Dennis of Waco spent the past Sunday with her sister, Mrs. R. W. Dennis, and husband.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hughes of Fort Worth spent the week end with his parents and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owens.**

**Ada Airheart spent the week end with Mrs. Velma Thompson.**

**Mrs. Margie Calvey of Meridian visited Mrs. Russell the past Sunday.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Falls visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Welsh, in Waco this week. Their son came home with them. His parents spent the week end here and he returned home with them.**

**Miss Mittie Gordon was very ill with a heart attack this week. She is some better.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Stroud and children of Walnut Springs spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hudson.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sanders of Kyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanders and children of Temple spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Warren.**

**Sgt. and Mrs. G. W. Wilson of Waco spent the week end with his mother.**

**J. B. Holland, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Holland, was operated on April 20 for appendicitis at the Clifton Hospital. He is doing fine.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sadler and son of Dallas spent the past Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sadler.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mingus and daughters of Ballinger spent the week end here with relatives.**

**Rev. and Mrs. R. T. Wallace attended a meeting in Hico Thursday of the pastors of the Gateway District of the Methodist Church.**

**Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Oldham and Miss Annie McIlhenny and her brother spent Sunday in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McIlhenny and daughter.**

**Mrs. Quince Fouts, who has been in the Stephenville Hospital, is some better.**

**Sonny Mitchell of Fort Worth spent the past week end here.**

**Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowman and Mr. and Mrs. John Tidwell spent Wednesday in Richardson with Mr. and Mrs. Wynong Bowman. Wynong is very ill.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Blue of Walnut Springs were here Saturday.**

**Mrs. Opal Adkinson and daughter of Hico spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Robert Dennis.**

**Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Ross and children of Whitney spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Chancellor, and her sister, Mrs. Arthur Woody.**

**Rev. Ramsey will preach on the street Saturday afternoon. All be there to hear him.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Grady Adkins and children of Fort Worth spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. T. M. Tidwell, and Maddon. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Freedman, also of Fort Worth.**

**Mrs. Della Phillips and her son, Willie, of Crystal City spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. John Pruet, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Dennis.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hutchins of Orange spent Sunday and part of Monday with her sister, Mrs. Echols, and with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cranfill of the Spring Creek community.**

**Sunday, April 29, there will be a homecoming at the Rocky Baptist Church. Dinner will be served. All are invited. There will be singing in the afternoon. Rev. Ramsey is the pastor.**

**Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mitchell spent Sunday in Abilene.**

**Mrs. Wilda Basham and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Latham Howell and daughters of Stephenville spent Sunday, April 22, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley. They brought a nice lunch all prepared, for it was Mrs. Hensley's birthday. It was a surprise. She was at church.**

**Mr. John Waddell of Fort Worth and Mr. Lum Gandy of Meridian visited Mr. Will Roberson Sunday.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Milam of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Phinis Davis of Sanatorium spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Dunlap. Phinis and Minnie have a new Chevrolet. They wanted to show it. They took their parents for a ride.**

**Mr. and Mrs. John Parks and his sister, Mrs. Ida Wyche, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brannon of Comanche recently.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ratliff of Wichita Falls visited her mother, Mrs. Cunningham, this week.**

**Mr. and Mrs. Hudson and children of Weatherford spent Sunday with his brother, Edmond, and wife and son.**

## TOMMY'S FRIENDS

A Story by STELLA JONES

A beautiful woman in her middle sixties was living in a small Texas town. She was alone. She owned her home.

Her parents had passed away. She was their only child, so the home was willed to her. She was a beautiful woman. Her name was Annie Hamilton. She was liked very much by everyone.

One of her neighbors, a man and wife, were going to visit relatives in Wyoming and thought it would be nice for her to go. Mrs. Bertram came and visited her.

"I am so thrilled I don't know, but I think I will go," was her reply to the invitation.

It was in the month of May. Everything was pretty. In two days Mr. and Mrs. Bertram and Miss Annie left, to be gone for a few weeks.

Miss Annie had a garden, chickens and flowers. Her friends told her to go on, they would look after things. Miss Annie had a cousin living in Cheyenne. It was her mother's niece, named Mrs. Colson. In five days they got to her cousin's home. It was a warm day. He had a fine ranch and Mr. and

Mrs. Colson had a fine home. He was in business there in the city.

Annie was tired. "I want to see the city, but will wait until tomorrow," she said.

Mr. and Mrs. Colson had many friends there. A week after Annie came to her cousin's house she met a nice man who was a few years her senior. His name was Arthur Wilson. He had a thriving business in the city, owned a good deal of property in the city and had a ranch. His wife had passed away a few years back. He had a son and two daughters, all married and prosperous.

His parents lived in the city. Both were 90 years old. He and his brother, John, were their only children.

He came to see Annie and took her lots of places. He was anxious to win her for his wife. "I don't think I want him," she told her cousins.

"Annie, I sure think you would do well, and he sure likes you," she was advised.

They went to his ranch and a good many places. Annie got a thrill out of it. But alas! Mr. and Mrs. Bertram phoned her that they would start back home the day after tomorrow. "You be ready," they told her. And she was.

She enjoyed her visit so much. She was thrilled because she had a gentleman's attentions. She had never been married and that gave her a thrill. They made the trip back okay. He told her he would write her. When she got home a letter was there. She was very glad to get it for she liked him some. He was sure nice and good to her.

The last week in June he came to see her. He came part of the way on a plane and came to her town on a bus. It was 60 miles.

"Well, I guess I will have to meet him," she told a friend. He was sure glad to see her. She had some luggage. He took her to lunch.

"I will fix dinner for you tonight," she said, "and you can see how well I can cook." The dinner was fine. He got a room at the home of one of his friends. She would fix his meals and he enjoyed them.

"Guess I will have to go back home tomorrow, Annie," he said finally. She hated to see him go.

"I don't like to be gone from Mother and Dad very long," he explained. "They are feeble. I will be back some time in August."

He wrote her regularly and such sweet letters! Her friends knew about him. Some asked her about them marrying. "He didn't mention it while he was here," she said. "I guess he has in the letters," said one. "I am not saying," was her coy reply. All through the summer she enjoyed herself very much.

On the 20th of August he came. He rented a car in the city where the plane landed. He remained three days. They went out a great deal and took long drives.

One afternoon they went to a nearby town and drove into a beautiful park. Everything was pretty. Annie was excited some, for she had an idea what was coming. Her heart was going at a rapid pace. He took her hands and looked into her smiling face. Her eyes were bright. And he said, "Annie, I have loved you from the first time I met you and I feel that you are the wife for me, and will you be my wife? There are plenty of women I could win, but I don't want them. You are the one."

Annie looked at him and said, "I love you, too, and I believe I will be happy with you."

He gave her some sweet kisses and gave her some bear hugs. The tears came.

"Honey, why do you cry?"

"I am happy because I am loved by such a fine man. If you were not worth much I would still love you the same." They kissed and hugged some more, and he put a pretty diamond ring on her finger and kissed some more to seal the engagement.

The next day he left for home. The 3rd of October was set for the wedding. She told her friends. Some thought it was the thing to do. One person said, "Out where the weather is cold you will nearly freeze." "I am not afraid of freezing," she replied. "His fine home is steam heated, and also I have love to keep me warm."

Mr. Wilson, his parents and others among his relatives were members of a Methodist church. All of them were church workers. His brother, John, was a widower. He lived with his parents and took care of them. They had servants, but he also would be with them.

Arthur came in his own big car two days before the great event. A beautiful shower was given to her a few days before the wedding. The wedding was at her home. A large number of her friends came. She told them, "I don't want anything fine. I will be married in a coat suit as we will leave soon after the wedding and I will be ready." Her coat suit was grey, and it was beautiful. Her gloves, hat, shoes and purse were grey. She was a happy bride and he was happy, too. Her pastor spoke the words that made them one. They were married at 6 p. m. Some gifts were given them a dinner and everything was fine. Some gifts were given them at the dinner. She got her church letter from her pastor. Her home was rented out to the roomer there. A truck took her household things.

In a few days the happy couple were at home. A host of friends were there. Her cousin and family had fixed a fine dinner there for them. His parents and his brother and children were also there and all gave them a big welcome. His parents were fine old people and were feeding pretty good. The weather was a little cool there.

Arthur had a big store of general merchandise and had many clerks.

He didn't stay there much. In his home he had servants.

"I am not used to servants," said Annie.

"Honey, you can just get used to them, for you are not working," was his reply.

Another shower was given to them by their friends.

They would visit his ranches and she enjoyed going.

A short time before Christmas a boy came to their home one cold afternoon. He knew Mr. Wilson. His name was Tommy Harris. He rang the door bell and a man servant came to the door.

"I want to see Mr. Wilson," the boy said.

"They have company now," he was told. "Come with me and stay until they leave."

The servant was a kind looking man. The company left and the boy was shown in.

"I want to stay here with you and Mrs. Wilson," said Tom. "My old dad whipped me and I hate him. I was in a little trouble at school and he found it out. I am not going home."

"We can't adopt you," said Mr. Wilson, "but we will keep you."

They went home with him and got his belongings. The family had four other children and were very poor. "We don't mind for you all to keep him, but he is still our boy," said the mother. He was nearly 15.

For Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Wilson fixed up a box of groceries and some gifts and took to them and they were proud of them. Tom was the second child. The oldest was a girl, age 18, and she had recently married.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson gave Tom many nice gifts. They would help the poor and needy. The boy would get in trouble sometimes in school. He was in high school and was very smart in his studies. He had a talent for music, and could play on anything. Mr. Wilson bought him some horns and a violin and he sure could play. A fine piano was in the Wilson home and he sure brought the music out of it. "Looks too sissy to play," he said, but he did.

Mr. Wilson gave him an allowance and he saved a good deal of it

and had a bank account. He went to a college in the city, after he finished high school. He got some nice checks from friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson's was the largest one. His parents were proud of him. He would visit them. He finished college in a few years. He made a school teacher, and taught in one of the schools there and was a fine one. He was a little wild when he was in his teens, but as he got older he did better. He made a fine man. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson helped him and he made his mark in the world.

He married a fine girl, one of his classmates. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson gave them a fine home and they were proud of it and were happy.

The year Tom married, Arthur's parents passed away. Only one month between their deaths. The man went first. All of them were sad at their going but they had lived out their days. All was willed to Arthur and Johnny. A ranch was given to Tom. His children didn't care for any of the property as they had plenty.

"I am happy now, for I have a fine husband," said Annie as she would write to her friends back home. She thought that the visit she made there was a very fortunate one.

The first summer after she married, she came home for a visit and she enjoyed it.

They married life was a happy one. They had many friends and all were their friends.

Tom looks back to the day when he went to their home. It was a starting place for him. They had helped him to make his mark.

As soon as Annie came there she joined the Methodist church and she was a worker also. She loved all of his people and they all loved her.

Tom never forgot them, he still would visit them.

The older ones should help the younger ones to get a start in life, like Arthur and Annie Wilson did. It was a pleasure to help one and all.

I hope all will enjoy reading this short story as much as I did writing it.

THE END.

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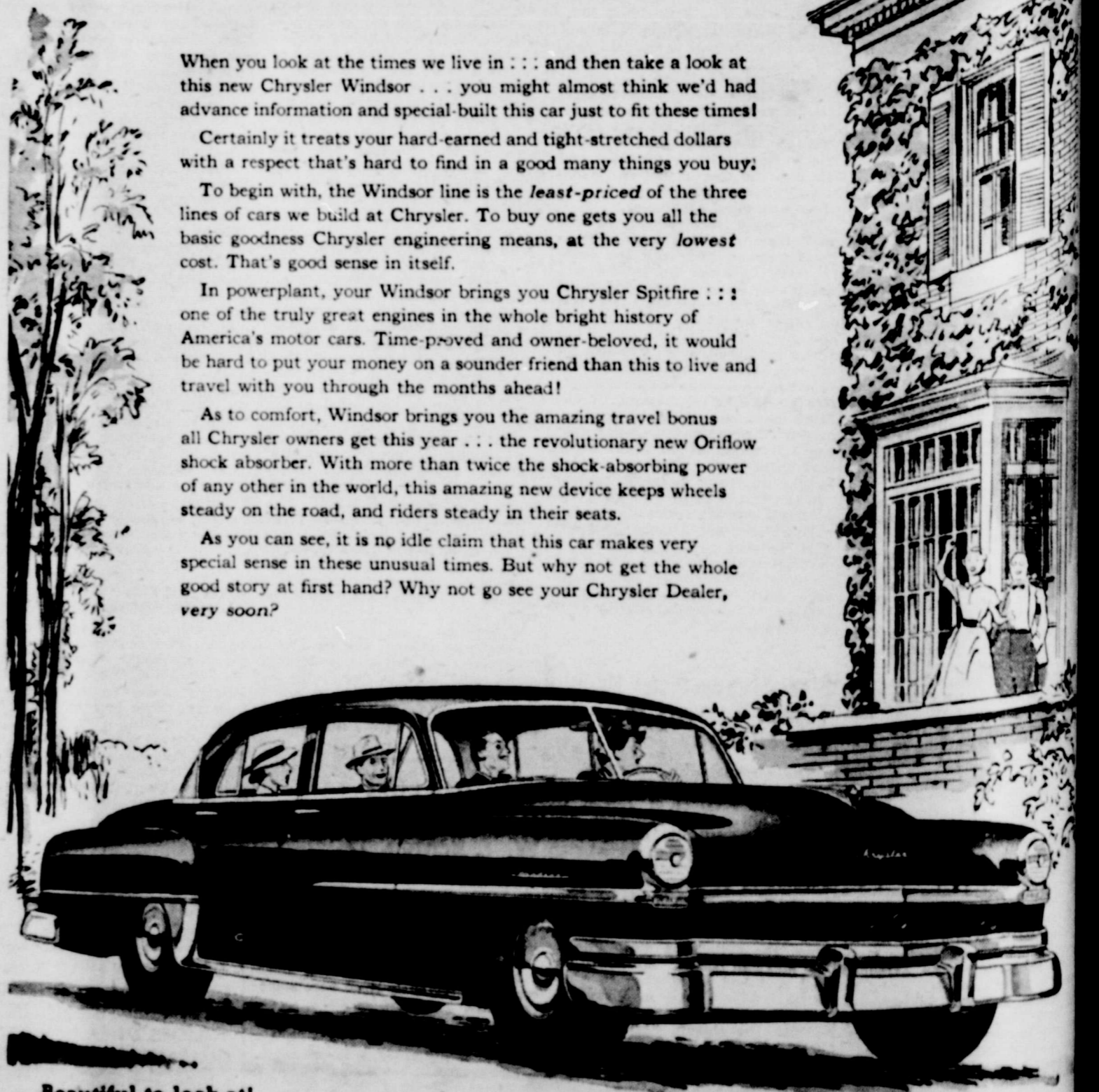
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### From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

## You've Got To Hand It To Sandy

Sandy Johnson's wife "Tiny" suddenly asks him at breakfast the other morning "Why don't you build me some bluebird houses?"

"What for?" asks Sandy. "Why bluebirds, of course," says Tiny. "We always had 'em at home when I was a girl. May sound silly—but I sorta miss 'em."

Well, I know how busy Sandy's been lately and the thought of taking time out to build birdhouses could have made a lot of him blow their top. But not Sandy. He says, "No, Tiny. It doesn't sound silly. I think it's a

wonderful idea—we're going to have bluebirds—and I'm starting on some birdhouses tonight."

From where I sit, we could do with more understanding people like Sandy—and Tiny, too. He respects her likings, and she respects his. He likes a temperate glass of beer now and then—and although Tiny sticks to coffee, whatever Sandy likes is O.K. with her. They live and let live—and that's why they live so happily.

Joe Marsh

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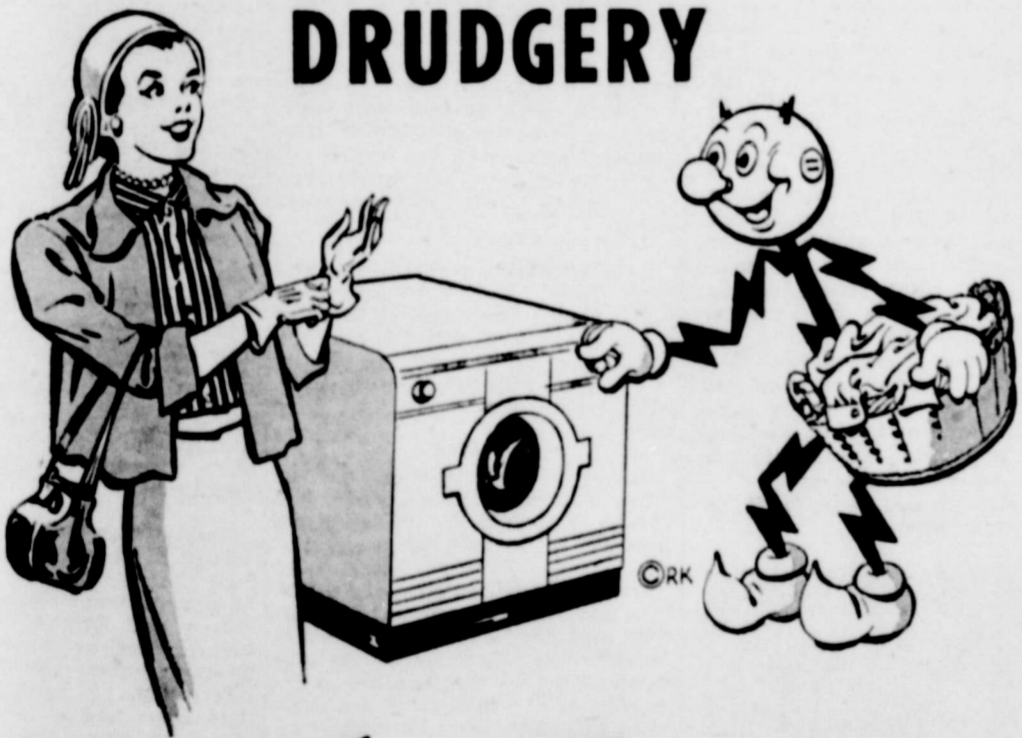
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### HONOR ROLL

The following is a list of the Hico High School students who did not make any grades below "A" during the 5th six weeks of school, according to Principal O. C. Cook:

Freshman: Edna Walker.  
Sophomore: June Hamilton, Mary Mitchell, Shirley Prater, Betty Shook, Wilma Woodard.  
Senior: Patsy Salmon, Catheryn Walker.

### — H H S — CLASS NEWS

#### Seniors

We Seniors are so busy getting ready to put on the play Tuesday night of this week, April 24, that we've almost lost our minds, with everyone taking the measles on us, and most of the cast, too!

But we hope to see all of you at the play. I'm sure you'll enjoy yourselves.

#### Junior

I passed by the Junior room and everyone was arguing so I guess everything is fine in there.

#### Sophomore

The Sophomores had a party Friday night, April 20. We planned to have it at Blue Hole, but the rain spoiled that. We then got permission to get the Country Club. Some of the boys provided the transportation. We met at 7:00 p. m. at the school and post office.

At the Country Club we played games and had a lot of fun. We then went over to Mrs. Segrest's house where we ate and played more games. The party was over at 10 o'clock, and we all had a wonderful time, thanks to Mrs. Segrest for the use of her house.

#### Freshman

Thursday night, April 9, the Freshman class went to the City Park and had a wiener roast. Several games were played and at 9:45 we enjoyed skating at the skating rink until 11 o'clock. There were 13 people there. Everyone had a nice time.

#### It's A Fact

Love is something that if you don't cultivate it, it dies.

### IREDELL CHAPTER IS GUEST OF HICO F. H. A.

"The Development of Creative Leadership in the Home and Community Life" was the theme for a recent meeting of Future Homemakers of America. "Flower Arrangements—a Fascinating Hobby" was the subject of a technical film presented through the courtesy of the Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

A colorful demonstration of corsage making was given by Mrs. L. N. Lane. Corsages for various occasions were shown and modeled by Margaret Hampton, Billie Jean Kennedy, Mary Alice Ash, and Dorothy Lively.

Guests were the Iredell F. H. A. Chapter and their advisor, Mrs. Wilma Loader, and Chapter Mother, Mrs. L. L. Houston.

Refreshments were served in the cottage living room with Helen Nachtigall, Shirley Prater, Shirley Ruebush, and Wilma Woodard as hostesses.

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#### WORM'S EYE VIEW

Well, here I am again, and I'm really tired from dodging everybody, to keep them from stepping on me.

One girl that I had a hard time getting to was Dorothy Lively. She was at the board doing her Algebra problems.

Dorothy is from California and has long, pretty blonde hair. She is about 5 ft. 4 in. (I'm guessing) and is very cute. She was elected for Freshman Favorite, and was a guard on the second team in basketball. Just about any time you pass by Dorothy she is singing some western song, usually one of Hank Williams'. Her favorite song right now is "Cold, Cold Heart." Her favorite food is ice cream and chow mein, and she is very good at jittersbugging. Lately she's been jollier than ever, and I'll bet it's because she likes this beautiful weather.

I've got to be going now, but I'll return next week, so I'll see you then.

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#### CO-ED CHATTER

Well, here I am again, and I'm almost "less" of everything, following these people around all parts of Texas.

Virgil Gray, Bobby and Wendall were en route to Hamilton, so I set out to follow them. Do you want to know where I went? I went to Hamilton, De Leon, Comanche, and Gustine, and then back through Dublin. I don't know exactly where they were en route to, but I do know that I was so tired after that chase that I could have crawled back. They saw "Flossy" in De Leon.

Have you noticed Harold's banged-up car? Well, I was seeking around Sunday afternoon in town, and I saw Harold's sister, Shirley, driving the car. Then I heard a big bang and crash and there were then two cars—Dean's and Harold's. But I'm absolutely positive that it wasn't Shirley's fault, because she is a woman driver.

I thought after my long chase with Virgil and those, that I would go somewhere to rest, so I went to the Ice Capades at the Will Rogers Coliseum in Fort Worth and there I was enjoying myself very much, and I looked around and saw Vanetta Patton, Dwain Wolfe, Patsy Jordan and George Kilgo, and boy, did that disgust me! I can't turn around unless I run into someone from Hico.

I noticed that Billy Joe was looking very close to see if he got any mail, and he looked sorta interested, too. Wonder who he could have been looking for mail from.

Let me tell you that I am getting tired of our boys running around all the time. Why, there is hardly enough of them left for us, and worst part of it is that they are spending this "Free Time" in "Snuff City." It isn't too new to hear about Roline flying up there, because that has been going on for a little while, but with Royce, Dean and Harold also going along, it's getting to be too much. Maybe if Roline would stay in his home town at least two nights a week, the others might reckon?

There were several of the Hico-ans that attended the Ice Capades in Fort Worth. A few, right off, are: Paula and Raymond, Roline and "Iredell", Kenneth and Betty Sue, George and Patsy, Vanetta and Dwain, and Dean. Of course, there were several more, but that was all I had the honor to run into. I also saw Mrs. Bradley.

Well, when I see a few out of town, I wonder what they're doing, but this time when I saw Fred and Harold in Hamilton, I know that there were girls because they came back to school Monday morning just living on clouds. Fred is smiling all over the place!

Nelta Johnson has come down with the measles. I sure hope that she gets back in school soon, because I really miss her.

In the show Saturday night there was a special row reserved for the "Old Maids." Anyway, that's what someone called them. Of course I didn't know who they were talking about until I looked around at this special row, and there were Myrna, Betty Jane, Betty Bolton, Mary and Jean Sherrard. The "Old Maids" looked mighty nice that night, riding around everywhere just having a wonderful time. Sometimes I wish I wasn't such a traveler.

I saw Dorothy Lively and Bo whizzing around the skating rink at Gustine the other night, and they seemed to be having a very nice time. They looked awfully nice, and quite a few of the boys thought so, too, because I saw them glancing, and I would have, too, if I was them.

At noon, down in the Tiger's Den, Mary was waiting on a customer, and he handed her the money, and all of a sudden I heard a big, loud, scary scream that just echoed; the reason for this sudden roar was that this customer didn't hand

Mary exactly money, he handed her a cute little horned toad. Also a few minutes after everything was quieted down, I passed the Den again, and just about that time Mary and Fred were hitting Vanetta with a broom. I wonder what that was all about. Of course it would have been nosey for me to walk up and ask.

We certainly are glad to see Betty Jane Gollightly back in school. She looks just as sweet as ever, except when she gets excited, and then she gets red again. But then she's cuter—don't you think?

The other day I saw Shirley Wilma, Jonnie, Peggy, Betty Shook and a few more girls walking up the street, and then later I saw them in the park, all alone, and everyone had on blue jeans and colorful shirts. I guess they had been on a nice hike.

Jo, Pat and Catheryn were all smiles today. Something exciting must have happened.

I saw Mary Nell gliding through Stephenville Saturday night; of course nobody could guess who she was with, or should I say, "Who wouldn't know?" She was herding the old Mercury, too.

We are very sorry about our Senior girl that has the measles, Joy Ann, and we certainly hope she gets better. Also a Junior boy, Billy Loden, is home sick. I sorta think he has measles, but no one has said.

Buck Terry is quite a good little driver, I do believe. We went on a field trip in Biology, and he took a nice little green Ford, and he was the best and cutest little driver around.

I wonder why Benny Terry's eyes were shining the other night. Maybe there is something I might not know about.

Duane McCarty was busy typing today. Mut have been something important.

Well, for me to know anything next week, I will just have to stop now and start surveying again and maybe following a few people around. See you!

### Church of Christ

We are glad to report that our Gospel Meeting is being well attended. Interest is good and the crowds are increasing. The Gospel is being presented in such a way that all can understand.

The meeting is to continue through Sunday night, April 29. You still have an opportunity to come and be with us in this meeting. Services begin each evening at 8 o'clock. You will find a hearty welcome awaiting you.

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State Fair Musicals Move Indoors to Begin Tenth Season June 11

Dallas, April 17.—The State Fair Musicals will celebrate the tenth anniversary season with the most spectacular season of hit shows in its history.

ROAD GOSSIP BY RICHARD HILL WILKINSON

THE YOUNG MAN who had just driven up in the smart red and tan roadster stepped briskly into the cool interior of the filling station waiting room and wiped his forehead with a white silk handkerchief.

Altman By — Mrs. J. H. McAnelly Mrs. Mattie Allen of Dallas and Mrs. J. H. Goad of Hico visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones and Martin Bingham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weinhart of Fort Worth spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cozby and Wayne.

THE GREAT CONTROVERSY There's a Little of General MacArthur in All of Us, And History Shows Symptoms Behind His Dismissal Have Existed in Various Forms for Many Centuries

By W. P. SCHOENTGEN WNU Managing Editor

There is a kind of universality about Douglas MacArthur that communicates itself to many men, something of the same stuff that leads nearly everyone to believe in his own heart that he can run a newspaper and play Hamlet with a deathless genius.



TRUMAN AND MACARTHUR TALKED AT WAKE ISLAND

... but the result was only an uneasy truce ...

have your own strong, definite and perhaps impassioned answer to each of those questions. And according to your answers, you align yourself on one side or the other of the MacArthur controversy—the great American schism of 1951.

It is a basic division, a schism of the soul and spirit; and the rock upon which the split has occurred is a military man, a soldier, yea, even a 71-year-old general.

Military Men's Drama That in itself is not unusual. It is, in point of fact, a fairly sound historical tradition that great epochs of man's development are likely to turn upon the personality of a military leader, probably because it is easy for the public to focus its attention upon a man who can be identified with the drama of danger and physical action, and with the glamour of military triumphs.

General MacArthur follows vigorously in that tradition. It has been his peculiar destiny to help lead this nation in smiting tyranny both right and left within the past decade, striking to the right at Japanese imperialism in World War II and to the left at Communist efforts at domination in Korea and the Far East.

Thus he has become a political symbol, having stood as the spearhead of America's often inept and fumbling but always intense desire for a peace that patently will not be had for the asking but which may come if we fight hard enough for it.

Whether the principles he has advocated are right or wrong, it is MacArthur the symbol, not MacArthur the man, around which the controversy, then, too, That stirred up a great civil controversy in Rome, too. Was Caesar right in his principles and policies concerning the Roman empire, or were the men who deposed him by liquidating him right? It might be argued that Rome, under Caesar, reached its peak of dynamic expansion and that its decline began after Caesar's death in 44 B.C. But regardless of the truth of that position, the split over the aims and policies of Julius Caesar marked an epochal turning point in the history of the Roman empire.

Scotland's immortal Robert Bruce was the storm center of a raging controversy much of his life, while he held to and fought for his ideal of a free and independent nation.

Every student of American history knows of the quarrels and differences of opinion that flared after President Abraham Lincoln put General Grant in charge of the Union armies. Some members of Lincoln's own cabinet not only refused to support but actively opposed Grant's appointment.

It was, in a sense, a MacArthur situation in reverse. And when Grant took command in March, 1864, he found he had to fight not only the enemy but the torpor and passivity of his own generals in the field.

The ultimate surrender of General Lee and the Army of Northern Virginia at Appomattox proved the rightness of Grant's strategy. But Grant, who went on to become President of the United States, did not remain an especially popular one, remained the center of a maelstrom of violent opinions all his life.

So the MacArthur story is by no means a new one. Call his actions and utterances in Korea insubordination, or call them an honorable defense of his own principles, they have basic meaning for us as a dramatic illustration of the grim fact that the United States has to choose between two basic and different courses in this battle against the evils of communism.

One of the abiding characteristics of many powerful and successful military leaders in the past has been their capacity to capture the imagination and sympathy of the people and carry them along a chosen course—to a point, at least. This makes for power and authority. And the possession of broad authority is like having a permit to carry a pistol. Keep it in the holster and depend upon its presence there to control circumstances, and chances are you won't get into trouble. The danger of carrying a gun lies in the possibility that sooner or later you might start firing it indiscriminately and a lot of people will get hurt, including yourself.

Julius Caesar, an overwhelming military and political genius, amassed for Rome a great reservoir of power which he was able to exercise pretty much at will. But there were those who felt he had too much power; they mistrusted it, feared that Caesar might misuse it. No single man or group of men were strong enough to fire or depose the ruler by legal means. So Brutus and Cassius plotted, and on a day in March, Caesar, powerful and unsuspecting, walked up the steps of the Capitol to meet the knives of his assassins.

When They Learn Their Time Is Out

Subscribers Are Courteous In Response to Reminders

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Newspaper Advertising Never Dies Even After It Fades Away

Too Late to Classify... 1949 FORD TUDOR, blue, with white tires, radio and heater...

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chew spent Sunday in Stephenville with their daughter, Clara Poston, and son, Hubert Chew, and family. Other guests in the Poston home were Joyce and Jimmie Dale Chew and Dorothy Lively.

Mrs. Eugene C. Hodges of Dallas, president of Women's Hospital Auxiliaries, visited Saturday with Mrs. Bryan Angell. Mrs. Hodges was en route to San Antonio, where she was to address a convention of that organization.

Wendell Grimes returned home Wednesday of last week to stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grimes. His sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Napier, also visited there a few days and returned to their home in Killen Sunday.

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riechbourg and her mother, Mrs. J. A. Garth, were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garth and Red Pollard of San Angelo and Mrs. Callie McKee and daughters, Mrs. Marvin Bell and Mrs. Sonny Rothrock, all of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Gamble arrived Monday night for several days' visit in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gamble and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rainwater. They were returning to their home in Houston after a two weeks' vacation trip to New York and other states en route.

Mrs. Otto Horton and son, Edmund, returned Thursday to their home at Toe-Gen Ranch. They have been in Storrs, Conn. with Mrs. Horton's father, B. Lazar, and family, since last November, when they left to attend funeral services for Mrs. Lazar. They came back as far as Fort Worth by train, and Mr. Horton met them there.

Dr. Una W. Cary of Pacific Grove, Calif., has been a guest in the home of her cousin and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Owen, the past week. She came over from Hamilton where she is visiting her brother, F. Waggoner, who had been a patient in a hospital in Hamilton during her brother's illness, before returning to Pacific Grove to resume her practice.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bonner of Dallas spent the week end at their home between Hico and Fair. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Frank Bonner Jr. of Amarillo, who remained for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Whitson. She was met here by her husband, who had been attending a branch sales meeting in Houston and the Texas Lumbermen's Association convention in Galveston. They returned to Amarillo Wednesday.

C. C. Smith of Temple visited here Saturday with his father, J. J. Smith, and other relatives. He was accompanied by his grandson, Russell Smith Jr., who arrived in the States April 1 from Pearl Harbor with his mother and sister, Barbara, to make their home in Temple. This was the first time Mr. Smith of Hico had seen his great-grandson, who was born in the Pacific. His dad has spent 14 years in the Navy, and expects to stay in for 20.

After a visit here with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Adams returned Saturday to their home in Brownwood, where they have moved recently from Midland. They were accompanied by their niece, little Miss Lynn Redden, daughter of Sgt. 1/c and Mrs. Lonnie Redden. Mrs. Redden, Mrs. Buck Meador and daughter, Denna Meador, left Tuesday after an extended visit in Hico. They went by Brownwood to take Lynn with them to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dodd in Lawn.

Mrs. Ruth Roberts of Fort Worth spent Sunday night and Monday here with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Calder, and her sister, Mrs. Raymond Lowe, and family. Mrs. Calder accompanied her home Monday night for a week's visit.

Saturday night and Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Proffitt were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hickman of Gusting; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Proffitt and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Roberson, Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Proffitt, Dublin, and James F. Harris and family of Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Blakley of Austin are the parents of a son, Grady Milton, born in Hico Hospital Saturday, April 14. Mr. Blakley has returned to Austin, where he is a student in the University of Texas, and Mrs. Blakley and children, Jimmy, Nancy and the baby are here with her mother, Mrs. Grady Barrow.

Mary Ann Reeves Is Bride-Elect of David Battershell

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Reeves of Port Arthur have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Ann, to David D. Battershell of Port Arthur, son of S. F. Battershell and the late Mr. Battershell of Hico.



MARY ANN REEVES

The wedding is set for June 16 in Port Arthur.

Miss Reeves is a graduate of Thomas Jefferson High School and Lamar College. She also attended Sam Houston State College at Huntsville.

Mr. Battershell was graduated from Hico High School and the University of Texas, where he received a bachelor of science degree in chemical engineering. He is now employed at the Texas Company in Port Arthur.

Mrs. Lenard Weaver Is Hostess to Three Demonstration Clubs

The South Hico Home Demonstration Club was hostess to the Carlton and Union clubs in the home of Mrs. Lenard Weaver on April 17.

The meeting was called to order by our president, Mrs. Weaver. We sang, "Beautiful Texas." Then we had our club motto, pledge and prayer. Roll call was answered by "Why I Read and What I Get Out of Reading."

Mrs. Faye Simons gave a book review on "Each Bright River" which all enjoyed.

Mrs. W. R. Churchill was in charge of the recreation. She passed 12 different kinds of garden seed around on a card, and then we wrote down all we could remember. We worked in groups of two. Mrs. Sue Davis and Mrs. Vera King got the nearest correct list. They got a small prize.

Mrs. H. D. Hamrick demonstrated the Neeschi sewing machine.

Mrs. W. A. Moss and Mrs. V. D. Ditmore were in the receiving line. Mrs. Don Dunn and Mrs. Simons were in charge of the register. Each visitor registered.

Mrs. Kyle Archie, Mrs. Rankin Jones, Mrs. Byron Hawthorne, and Mrs. Woodie Garner escorted the visitors into the dining room, where they were served with cake and punch. Mrs. E. F. Rainey poured the punch.

Programs were handed out by Mrs. F. E. Stone as the members went into the living room.

Mrs. Lynn Harbour, Mrs. Walker Curry, Mrs. R. T. Bowden, Mrs. J. B. Jaggars, Mrs. Sue Davis, Mrs. Vera King and Mrs. J. W. Jordan were visitors from the Carlton club.

Mrs. Ford Phillips, Mrs. Walter Wendland, Mrs. Woodson Farmer, Mrs. Jack Thompson, Mrs. Randall Moseley, and Mrs. Jack Cates were present from the Union club.

Mrs. Jacques Nonce, Edith Cassidy, Mrs. Truman Pearson, Mrs. Eva Hodnett, and Mrs. Daymond Weaver were visitors from Hico.

The Home Demonstration Ladies of Hamilton County will meet on May 3 at 11:00 o'clock a. m. at the Hamilton Veterans Park, and each is to bring a well-filled basket. Each club is to take part in the recreation.

Our next meeting will be on May 8, in the home of Mrs. Hawthorne. Miss Hander will meet with us.

REPORTER.

Mrs. W. L. Connell Is Program Leader At Clairette Club

Mrs. S. O. Durham, assisted by Mrs. L. Hollingsworth, entertained the Clairette Home Demonstration Club Friday afternoon, April 20.

Mrs. Vance Wadlington presided with Mrs. John G. Goughly acting as secretary due to the absence of the regular secretary, Mrs. B. J. Pruett.

Mrs. W. L. Connell led the singing, after which the club entered into an old-fashioned spelling match. Mrs. W. E. Alexander and Mrs. Goughly were the captains. Mrs. Hub Alexander won the prize for being the last one up.

The club plans to sponsor a "Plastic Show" in the near future. The program leaders for the afternoon were absent and Mrs. Connell was asked to make an impromptu discussion on the subject, "Mothers of the Bible and Other Famous Mothers."

Mrs. Connell named Mary, the mother of Jesus, as the greatest mother of all times; Elizabeth, as a prayerful and consecrated mother; Lydia, who led her entire household to God; Jochbed, mother of Moses, whose thoughtfulness and faith saved the life of her son who led his people out of the land of bondage; and Sarah, the wife of Abraham; Susan Wesley, the mother of John Wesley, founder of the Methodist church. So, "Under the great love of God sent through Mary of Christ the Saviour to the mothers of today great leaders are born."

Mrs. Hub Alexander, Mrs. Ava Denman, and Mrs. Willie Baldwin were visitors, while 15 members were present.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Reno Dunbar, May 4, at which time Mrs. Elsie Shbirt, Erath County Home Demonstration Agent, will demonstrate "Fresh and Frozen Yeast Breads."

REPORTER.

Children's Shorts and Black Jeans at Bess Mingus Dress Shop. Get the children ready to enjoy the summer months. 50-1tc.

Mrs. Roberson Is Hostess at Shower For Newlywed Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wadlington were honored Saturday night at a bridal shower given by Mrs. Sherman Roberson, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Tom Griffiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Wadlington were married here recently, and are now living in Dallas. She is the former Miss Wanda Jean Carpenter.

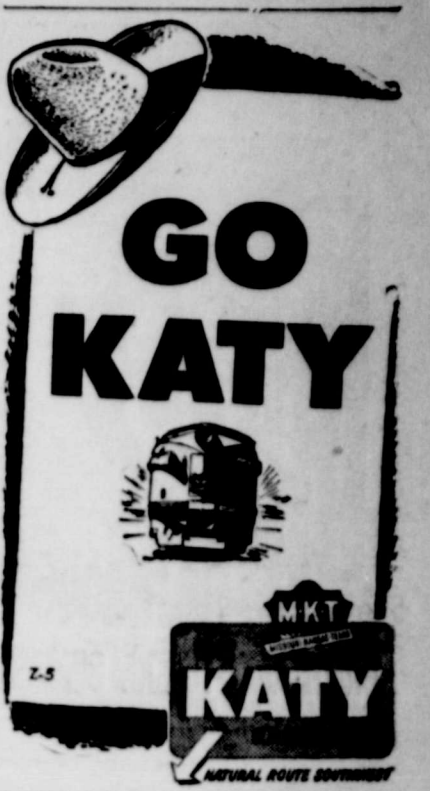
Punch and cookies were served to relatives and friends present, after the honored couple had opened many beautiful and useful gifts, which were brought or had been sent by those who could not attend.

Out-of-town guests present were Mrs. Vance Wadlington, mother of the groom, and Royce Lee Mackey from Clairette; Mr. and Mrs. James Wadlington, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwards, Dallas; Mrs. R. B. Underwood and Marilyn Underwood, Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Bolton, S/Sgt. and Mrs. V. L. Moore and family of Wichita Falls were guests in Meridian Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lundberg and young son, Johnnie Lynn. While there, they learned that Johnnie Lynn had won first place in a baby contest sponsored in Meridian.

Mrs. Lundberg is the former Florence Bolton.

FOR SALE: Baby Chicks Every Day HERRINGTON'S FEED DEPT. Entrance On First St.



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YOU'LL LIKE THE SERVICE—

YOU'LL LIKE THE CROWD—

Come out and eat with us —You won't be disappointed

PHONE 260

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Billy Hicks, Prop.

W. T. Carr, Mgr.



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See for yourself the difference new TEXO Flakettes make in chicks. It's in granular form... more appetizing and palatable. No wonder chicks eat more and grow faster. TEXO is nutritionally balanced and fortified with Activated ALFAGREEN for added vitamins. Come in and see new TEXO Flakettes today. Learn how this new type feed can give your chicks a better start!



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WISEMAN STUDIO HICO, TEXAS

NOTICE To Dog Owners

As usual, Dr. Ben B. McCollum Jr. will be at DUZAN'S MAGNOLIA STATION in Hico to vaccinate dogs against rabies next Tuesday, May 1, 1951.

HOURS FROM 9 A. M. TO 1 P. M.



# WANT-ADS

## For Sale or Trade

**FARMALL** with equipment. Ten acres of corn to rent. E. B. Reeves, Carlisle, Rt. 1. 50-tfc.

**SALE:** One General Electric refrigerator, runs perfectly. 4 years old. Price \$75.00. Truck & Tractor Store. 50-tfc.

**HOLSTEIN MILK COW** for trade. Baby calf by her side. Gene Hicks, Hico Rt. 7. 50-2tp.

**OFFICE:** 12 1/2-inch, 14-inch, black television sets. Wholesale for immediate sale. F. Hafer. 49-tfc.

## Real Estate

Have my home in Hico for sale, on Kirk Street. Mrs. Goida Ruebush. 50-2tp.

## WISH TO BUY

100 to 150 acres, mostly pasture, good supply of water, fair improvements. Should like electricity. State location and price per acre. Write J. L. PAGE, Moody, Tex. 49-2tp.

**FOR SALE:** House to be moved, 5 rooms and bath. V. H. (Pete) Jenkins. 46-tfc.

**FOR SALE:** House, lot and one chicken house. See Bob Hancock. 43-tfc.

## Livestock and Poultry

### FOR SALE

21 Ewe Sheep, 13 Lambs, 1 Buck. These are still in the wool and not contracted. D. R. PROFFITT 50-tfc.

## MAY SALE OF CHICKS

Get your chicks at a profitable discount and they will be in production in early Fall when egg prices are highest. We will start them if you prefer. See or Call

Glen Rose Hatchery  
Glen Rose, Tex. 50-tfc.

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FRESH ST. AUGUSTINE GRASS \$1.50 Per Sq. Yd.

Queen's Wreath, extra fine—50c  
OTHER BARGAINS  
In Good Nursery Stock

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**BE SMART—LOOK SHARP!**  
Have your cleaning done at the BUCKHORN. 44-tfc

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See  
FRANK MINGUS 50-tfc

State Farm Insurance Companies  
Central Texas District Manager  
JESS REEVES, Carlton 22-tfc

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For Free Removal of Dead, Crippled or Worthless Stock  
Call Collect  
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D. R. PROFFITT, AGT.

## "OLE SARGE"

**MAYOR NOW A SERGEANT**—The mayor of Whitney, Texas, is now on duty at Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth. He is S/Sgt. Fred T. Basham Sr., who left his post to reenter the Air Force, in which he served during World War II.

**WARRANT OFFICER PAY HIKES FOR OVER 300 BELIEVED LIKELY**—Although there was no official statement regarding the number of warrant officers who might receive pay spread hikes by the board now convening, indication are that about 300 W-1s and a few W-3s and W-4s will move up the pay ladder.

**ARMY SECURITY SCHOOL IS OPEN TO OFFICERS AND WARRANT OFFICERS**—Air Force Lieutenant-Colonels, and below, and warrant officers are eligible for the new Army Security Agency Officer School at Ft. Devens, Mass. It was announced this week. The school was established April 13, this year.

**CREAM OF THE CROP WILL BE SHARED BY THE ARMED FORCES**—A Defense Department plan more equally to distribute the more desirable enlistees among the Air Force, Navy and Army will become effective May 1. It has been announced in Washington, Mass., a program for the "qualitative distribution of military manpower" the plan aims to give each service an equal proportion of the most average, and the least intelligent men entering the armed forces. Emphasis will still be focused on voluntary recruitment, but those who volunteer before May 1 are assured of their choice of service.

**WOLTERS AIR FORCE BASE**—Located at Mineral Wells, Texas, the Air Force installation, known as Camp Wolters, has been officially redesignated as Wolters Air Force Base.

**SOMETHING FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES**—Under a program, sponsored by the U. S. Army, the high school graduate can still pursue his education, through the Armed Forces Institute. He is offered more than 300 self-teaching courses and about 2500 university extension courses. Interested applicants will find complete details at the nearest U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Station.

See you in the papers.

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## DUFFAU

By E. E. Giesecke

We had that nice rain last week for which we are indeed thankful. There was some hail, and high winds did some minor damage to outbuildings.

Miss Pat Sessom visited her sister in Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burgan enjoyed the company of all their children last week. Also visiting in the Burgan home were Mr. and Mrs. Wit Cowan of Breckenridge.

Clint Lankford, wife and children of Haskell spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. C. Kilcrease, husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Witt of Weatherford visited Mrs. Witt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Evans, Sunday.

Mrs. Wanda Greer of Dallas, Wayne Lindsey and Corry Lindsey of Stephenville visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huel Lindsey over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Crinity Roberson gave their son, James Ray, a party on his eighth birthday Wednesday, April 18. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. George Bowie and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stipe of Duffau; Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jo Roberson, Miss Leota Roberson and Reba Bowie, all of Stephenville; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberson of Waco.

Another birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilborn Templeton for their son, Orville, age 16, the evening of Thursday, April 19. The following participated: Mr. and Mrs. Alley and daughter, Edith, Mrs. W. H. Gillettine, George, James and Edith, Mr. and Mrs. Errol Shaffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pack Brown and family, Leona Shannon, Edna Earl Shaffer, Jackie Burgan, Shirline Witt, Sherry Herod, Margie Brown, Frances Latham, Bill and Junior Burgan and Arlin Gaither.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Chandler and son, Robert, attended the funeral of Mr. Chandler's uncle at the old home near Denton, Sunday.

Jimmie Roberson was out of school last week because of the measles.

Cliff Holt and Boodie Lawrence were in Fort Worth Monday on business.

Miss Ann Hooker has returned to her home in San Angelo after spending several days in the home of her sister, Mrs. Alfred Jones, and husband.

Miss Tina Rodgers and her friend, Miss Eloise Martin, of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Tina's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers.

## Duffau Vs. Johnsville

Well, it was another case of errors for Johnsville that gave the Duffau Demons their fourth straight victory, this time over the Jovial Junkers of Johnsville.

Billie Jo Stasey, our very efficient manager, was the winning pitcher, allowing five hits and two runs. Wood was the losing pitcher, giving up only seven hits, but twelve runs.

## Carlton

By Mrs. Fred Goye

Mack Ellison returned home Friday afternoon from the Dublin Hospital, where he had been a patient for a week. He is improving, but will have to remain in bed all this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ashby and daughter, Evelyn, of Waco visited Thursday with his brother and wife, Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Ashby.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Hall visited Thursday and Friday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dean of Carrollton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vaughan and Butch of Waco were week-end visitors with her mother, Mrs. Ophelia Upham. They visited Sunday at Shiloh with his sister, Mrs. George Prater, and family.

Rev. Chester Sylvester, Mr. and Mrs. Hobdy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goye, Miss Willie and Arthur Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Basham and son, Billy Joe, and Walker Bingham attended the funeral in Lamkin last Monday afternoon of J. L. Talley.

Mrs. James Cole returned home the past week after a visit at Chandler with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cole Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ashby and son, Paul Jr., of Paint Rock spent the week end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Ashby.

Mrs. Eddie Welch of Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellison of Purvis visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ellison.

Mrs. Frank Stuckey was a visitor Thursday in Hamilton with her daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Will Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall of Dublin visited Sunday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Goye and baby of Granbury spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Dow Self, and family.

Mrs. Callie McKenzie and daughters, Mrs. Sunny Rothrock and Mrs. Mabel Bell, of Waco, visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Brooks Hall, and husband and daughter, Mrs. George Driver, and family, and attended church.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lowery and daughter of Houston were week-end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowery.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Dowdy of Clairette visited Sunday afternoon with his nephew, Dow Self, and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter McKenzie of Waxahachie are visiting his brother and sister, Rev. and Mrs.



## NATIONAL SURVEY OF LEADING POULTRY NUTRITIONISTS REVEAL DEFICIENCIES ARE COMMON IN POULTRY

By Dr. D. H. LeGear

A recent national survey of the leading poultry nutritionists reveals that 80% of all the poultry flocks in our country suffer to some degree from "borderline deficiencies." These borderline deficiencies vary greatly from flock to flock, but conservative estimates show that 4 out of 5 poultry flocks require additional amounts of Vitamins A, B, E, and Riboflavin (B2), as well as such important minerals as Calcium, Phosphorus, Manganese and Iron. Many of these deficiencies also point out a definite need for Antibiotic Feed Supplements, particularly in starting and growing flocks.

To build good quality eggs, uniform in size and with strong shells, requires a continuous supply of vitamins and minerals. Even minor deficiencies of these important elements, particularly Vitamin D, Calcium and Phosphorus, result not only in inferior grades of eggs but also in lowered egg production. If eggs are produced for hatching purposes, many other nutrients are also concerned. To produce eggs of high hatchability and chicks of good livability that grow fast and profitably, it is doubly important to have adequate supplies of all of the essentials.

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**Gas Men to Take Stock Of Defense Program At Spring Meeting**

Dallas, April 23.—Gas men will take stock of their industry's resources supporting the nation's defense program when they gather here May 7-8 at the 1951 spring meeting of the American Gas Association's Natural Gas Department, according to Elmer F. Schmidt, Lone Star Gas Company vice-president who is chairman of the meeting program committee. Session at the Baker Hotel will be presided over by Charles E. Bennett, vice-president of the A. G. A. and chairman of its Natural Gas Department. Mr. Bennett is president of the Manufacturers Light and Heat Company of Pittsburgh.

"The natural gas industry of the United States is prepared to meet extreme demands for fuel under an all-out national defense program while continuing to furnish complete natural gas requirements to millions of long-established domestic, commercial and industrial consumers," Mr. Bennett said.

"The order of the day is building the armed forces of our country and as an industry we stand ready to carry our full responsibilities in support of this program."

Theme of the meeting will be "Economy of Natural Gas in National Defense Mobilization" and key-note will be Bruce K. Brown of Washington, D. C., Deputy Administrator for Defense. Speaking on all aspects of the gas industry will be D. A. Hulcy of Dallas, Lone Star Gas Company president and president of the American Gas Association. His subject will be "The Association and the Industry."

As chairman of the A. G. A. technical and research committee, Program Chairman Schmidt will pre-

sent an interim report on the research program surrounding the natural gas industry. Others to address the session include Paul Kayser, president of El Paso Natural Gas Company; Frank Lerch of New York, president of the Consolidated Natural Gas Company; Olin Culberson, chairman of the Railroad Commission of Texas, and John E. Gobie of Pittsburgh, president of the National Tube Co. James S. Moulton, vice-president of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company of San Francisco, will present a color-sound movie showing construction of the 500-mile, 34-inch natural gas transmission line from Toprock, at the Arizona-California border, to Mitipas on San Francisco Bay. Mayor J. B. Adoue Jr. of Dallas will welcome the delegates.

A special entertainment program is being prepared for wives of the visiting delegates. It includes a fashion show luncheon to be presented by Neiman-Marcus Company of Dallas and a tea at the Lambert Gardens Barn on the Northwest Highway. Head of the women's entertainment committee is Mrs. Charles E. Bennett of Pittsburgh, and members are Mrs. George F. Mitchell of Chicago, Mrs. George H. Smith of New York and Mrs. Elmer F. Schmidt and Mrs. D. A. Hulcy of Dallas.

On Wednesday, May 9, the executive board representing the combined natural gas and manufactured gas departments of the American Gas Association will meet for the "first session ever to be held in this section of the country." This meeting, separate and apart from the Natural Gas Department Spring meeting, will be held at Hotel Adolphus and A. G. A. President Hulcy will preside.

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**FLOWER SHOW—**

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exhibitor's possession for at least three months.

18. As this is an amateur's show, no bought flowers may be entered for competition. They may be entered "for exhibit only."

19. Exhibits in arrangement classes may be borrowed from a friend and grown in that friend's yard, but bought flowers may not be used.

20. Only one exhibit is allowed by an exhibitor in each class.

**SCHEDULE**

**Section A. Horticultural Classes.**

Class I—Roses:

(a) One Specimen Bloom.

1. Hybrid Tea.

2. Climbing — One specimen spray not more than 2 feet.

3. Polyantha or Floribunda—Spray not more than 2 feet.

(b) Three Varieties, one bloom or spray of each.

1. Hybrid Tea.

2. Climbing.

3. Polyantha or Floribunda.

Class II—Bulbs:

(a) one stalk.

(b) three stalks.

Class III—Iris:

(a) one stalk.

1. Purple.

2. Blue.

3. Yellow.

4. Red.

(b) three stalks.

1. Purple.

2. Blue.

3. Yellow.

4. Red.

Class IV—Annuals:

(a) Minimum of three.

Class V.—Perennials:

Class VI.—Flowering Shrubs and Vines.

(a) One Spray.

Class VII—Potted Plants:

(a) Foliage plants.

(b) Flowering plants.

Class VIII—Arrangements

Class I—Mass arrangement showing Hogarth's Line of Beauty

Class II—Arrangement using sea shell as container

Class III—Cup and Saucer arrangement.

Class IV—Pitcher arrangement.

Class V—Niches

Class VI—Making the most of what you have. A maximum effort with a minimum expense. Live material required.

Class VII—Arrangement interpreting a song, poem or picture.

Class VIII—Roses for an informal luncheon

Class IX—Mantel arrangement

Class X—Arrangement in a green container using green material.

Class XI—Artistic arrangement of foliage

Class XII—Coffee table arrangement (each entrant must furnish table, flowers and accessories.)

Class XIII—Small arrangement - must not be over eight inches over all

Class XIV—Flowers arranged as I like them

Class XV—For Men Only - no rules

Class XVI—Tables. Occasion to be specified by exhibitor.

Class XVII—Vegetables:

(a) with foliage.

(b) without foliage.

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