





FROM OUR RURAL CORRESPONDENTS

ANTELOPE NEWS

Miss Elvis Haedke, who attends Gatesville High School, spent last week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Herman Haedke.

SCHLEY NEWS

B. B. Scott was in town Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberts of Oakton spent Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. Jim Alford.

OAKTON NEWS

The health of this community is better. N. F. Roberts of Gatesville visited his folks last Sunday.

FLAT NEWS

The P.-T. A. met with a nice program Friday night. Mrs. Paul Whigham, Winnie Bell and Pauline, accompanied by Miss Freida Wood of Gatesville, were week end visitors with relatives and friends here.

HAY VALLEY ITEMS

Rev. Lee filled his regular appointment here Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night. A large crowd was present to enjoy Rev. Lee's good sermons.

LOCALS

Tom L. Robinson was a business visitor in Hamilton Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Todd and son, Jackie, spent Sunday in Waco.

Is It a Real Sales Tax?

Although the sales tax is said to be gaining popularity throughout the country as relief from an ad valorem taxation and a budget balancing revenue producer, its sponsors are singularly unwilling to advocate it in direct form or impose it in that fashion.

Provisional of No Increase

Instructing the committee on taxation and legislation, of which Roy E. Smith is chairman, to redraft the resolution and prepare it in final form, Harold P. Fisher, president of the board, declared that it should be specifically stated that no increase in taxes is favored and the board stands squarely for economy in government.

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All kinds of garden seed at Torbett.

150,000 Jobs To Be Filled After Fourth of March

Washington, Jan. 23.—The "politicians' dream"—that list of all the jobs to be filled in the federal government outside the civil service after March 4—was filed with the senate this afternoon by the civil service commission.

Another Money Bill Reduced

Washington, Jan. 23.—Reporting that it had reduced even the allowance for prohibition enforcement, the House Appropriations Committee today approved and introduced another bill furnishing money to run four departments for the next fiscal year.

Tax Exemption Doesn't Exempt Home of Bachelor or the Old Maid

A State tax of as much as \$20.70 a year on bachelors and spinners who own homes will be in effect in Texas when the homestead exemption law becomes effective, although the new law is not intended as such a tax.

Three Held for Cranfills Gap Robbery at Corsicana

Corsicana, Texas, Jan. 21.—Two men and a woman are in custody in connection with the robbery of a bank at Cranfills Gap, Bosque county, Tuesday when \$712 was taken in a bold daylight robbery by two bandits.

Liquor Local Option To Be Asked in House

Austin, Jan. 26.—With John Mathis of Houston and P. L. Anderson of San Antonio as authors, there was filed Thursday with the chief clerk of the House a joint resolution providing for an amendment to the Constitution making possible the local option sale of intoxicating liquors. It prohibits the establishment or maintenance of saloons.

Dallas Realtor's Board Indorse the Sales Tax

Substitution of a general sales tax for ad valorem taxes was indorsed by the Dallas Real Estate Board Thursday last week, at its weekly noon meeting in the Dallas Athletic Club. This action followed an extensive discussion in which there was a sharp division of opinion.

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measure to relieve the farm mortgage loan situation.

Representative Steagall expressed a conviction President Hoover would veto anything but a temporary relief measure. A presidential veto for the domestic allotment plan should it pass the present Congress likewise is forecast, even by its staunchest friends.

A total of 167,125 quarts of food was put up in Jack County in 1932 by 69 women and 189 girls who are members of home demonstration clubs, and by 35 other families helped by them.

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THE CORYELL COUNTY NEWS



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CORYELL CHURCH

The young people enjoyed the party given by Mr. and Mrs. John Ellison Saturday night.

Mr. L. V. Burton, who was operated on several days ago, was able to be brought home Saturday, and is doing well.

Mr. H. G. Necessary of Arnett returned home last Saturday after a week's visit with his son, Mr. Kim Necessary.

Miss Lena Crouch of Carden community attended church here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Shirley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Crouch, near Carden last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Rhoads of Hackney community attended church services here Sunday.

Jeff Bland and James Simmons had business in Waco the first of the week.

Mrs. S. S. Bailey of Gatesville has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Gilbreth, for several days.

The singing at the home of Mrs. J. C. Shirley Sunday evening was well attended.

F. J. Boyd of Mt. Calm spent last week visiting his mother, Mrs. F. Boyd, and other relatives here.

He returned home Sunday evening.

Rev. J. F. High of Waco preached both Sunday morning and Sunday night. There were good attendances at both services and everybody enjoyed the good messages he brought.

He will be here again sometime in the near future.

R. H. Boyd who is employed at the Training School, Gatesville, visited homefolks last week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. High of McGregor attended church services here Sunday. We are always glad to have those good people in our midst again.

Mr. High is one of our former Sunday School superintendents.

J. M. Davis, our grocer-man in this community, was in Gatesville one day last week transacting business.

J. C. Shirley visited L. V. Burton and Windford Herring at the sanitarium one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richards were in Gatesville Saturday transacting business.

Our basket ball boys played the Oglethorpe game last Friday. Scores were 5 and 9 in favor of our boys.

It is hoped that every member of the church here will be at Sunday School next Sunday. We want to call a pastor after Sunday School is over.

Jarker Johnson visited his step-mother, Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Sunday, who is in the Baptist Sanitarium at Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Anderson of Crawford visited in the L. V. Burton home Sunday.

W. T. Graves visited his brother, D. F. Graves, near Pidooke last week-end.

HUBBARD LOCALS

Hubbard P. T. A. met Friday and rendered a short social program which was enjoyed by all. We invite each and everyone back again Friday night week.

Our school attendance has been better this week and we hope that it continues to be so.

Bro. Hopson filled his appointment Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. His sermons were greatly enjoyed by all.

Mrs. E. J. Tippit, Faye and Miss Liljedahl visited in the L. J. Turner home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Short of Ewing visited Mrs. Short's mother and sister, Mrs. Tom Ross and Lillie.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestor Watkins of Flat are moving to West Texas this week. We will miss their visits here in this community very much, but hope they will like their new home.

D. W. Copeland of County Line visited his sister, Mrs. J. F. Tippit, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Prulett and family of Ewing visited relatives in this community this last week-end.

TOPSEY NEWS

The best of everything for school at Torbett.

Roy W. Teny, County Demonstrator of Concho County, visited in the home of his brother, Glen Terry, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cowan and Mr. and Mrs. D. Cowan were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cowan of Izora.

Mrs. John B. Taylor and Miss Adge Goodwin spent the week-end in their home in Lampasas.

Mrs. G. W. Cowan of Kempner is spending the week in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saegert, of Killen.

News were received Monday of the death of Will Flanagan of Georgetown.

Miss Janie Dixon and Mrs. Solon Vardican were business visitors in

KING NEWS

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Elizabeth Dendey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dickie and little daughter, Emma Nell, attended the funeral of Mrs. Dickie's nephew, Mr. Willie Pruett, at Hamilton Sunday.

Henry Way and family of Gatesville, Virgil Parsons visited in the J. M. Herrington home Sunday.

Graves Bates was a guest of Mr. Gene Sunday.

Mrs. Ora Berryman returned to her home in Llano Thursday.

Little Miss Dorothy Robinson was a guest in the Glider Way home Friday night.

Visitors in J. H. Anderson's home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bond, Messrs. A. J. McMeekin and W. E. Bond.

Little Misses Mary Louise and Ray McCleskey spent Saturday night in the J. B. Dickie home.

Mrs. Laura Williams returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Nobles are spending this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Bane of Gatesville.

Roy Brazil and family of Hamilton, Robert Williams and family of Levita visited in the J. W. Parson home Sunday.

Little Miss Joyce Dickie was a week-end guest in the Homer Isaize home of Slater.

Mrs. John Parsons visited in the Dendey home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Price of Slater visited in the W. D. Seward home Monday.

J. O. Dyson was a guest in the C. F. Dyson home of Pearl Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blacklock of Caulfield were in King Saturday.

Bulk and package seed at Torbett.

PEARL NEWS

Mrs. Ouida Richardson and son, Billy, of Gatesville visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Franks and children from the State Training School were here Sunday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franks.

Miss Carrie Beavers from the State Training School spent Sunday in the Jno. Doyle home.

Mrs. C. J. Shook received a message Saturday that her brother, Alex Williamson, of Ralls, Texas, had passed away. Mr. Williamson lived in this community several years back and has many friends and acquaintances who were made sad on receiving this news.

M. Thary, Miss Ozella Hargis and Miss Laura Thorp visited Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hump in Evant Wednesday night.

Mrs. Mollie Smith of Purlmela, Mrs. Lillian Stell and son and daughter of Port Arthur, Texas, visited relatives and friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Hardy Nabors was hostess to The Ladies Club Thursday, Jan. 19. Only seven club members present, quite a few being sick. The afternoon was spent quilting and embroiderying. After a short business meeting, Mrs. Nabors served lovely sandwiches, pickles, cake and hot chocolate and coffee. We adjourned to meet with Mrs. Omev Oney Thursday, Feb. 2nd.

M. Thary, Miss Ozella Hargis and Miss Laura Thorp accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Humes of Evant visited old friends Sunday in Gatesville, Osage, Coryell Valley, Oglethorpe, Coryell Church and Mountain Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manning and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ballard in Evant Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Self spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Manning.

Miss LaVerne Wilson and Miss Audrey Winters went to San Saba for the week-end. Miss Wilson returned Sunday and reported Miss Winters sick with flu and unable to return to her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Rainey Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Mabern Hampton and Jack Elam took dinner in the Roy Hammock home at Peabody Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Shook spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Beerwinkle in Gatesville.

GENUINE LEATHER harness at Torbett that you can afford to pay—J. R. Graham Lumber Company.

Fruits, nuts and candies at Torbett.

TURNOVER NEWS

The farmers of this community have been farming this pretty weather.

Mrs. J. J. Dankworth and Mrs. Willie Carothers visited Mrs. W. H. Carothers Monday evening. Mrs. W. H. Carothers is some better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Logan gave the young folks a nice party Monday night. All had a nice time.

Mrs. Roxie Williams and Mrs. Evans McDonald visited Mrs. Elbert Collier Monday evening.

Miss Lometa Carothers spent the

week-end at Schley with Miss Tince Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Culp spent Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Culp.

Miss George Dorsey of Friendship spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Josh Logan.

Miss Thelma Curtis who teaches at Turnover spent the week-end at Gatesville with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Roberts took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanchard, Sunday.

George Wymer and family spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Simpson, west of Gatesville.

Miss Tince Scott spent Monday night in the Willie Carothers home.

Miss Floy Jones spent the week-end in Gatesville.

School News

Last week we finished up our tests for the month and gave out the report cards. Those on the honor roll are:

First grade—Johnnie Mae Williams, Ruth Rose, Floyd Jackson

Second grade—Wayne Blanchard, Nolan Culp, Doris Rose, Pauline Murray.

Third grade—Boyd Rose Eugene Blanchard, Catherine Rose, Johnnie Berry, Billie Joe Calhoun.

Fifth grade—Doyle Culp.

Sixth grade—Bill Jack Blanchard, Bernice Rose.

Eighth grade—Lunette Wicker.

We are planning a program for Friday night, Jan. 27. At that time we plan to organize a P. T. A. Everyone is invited to be present and help us.

LEATHER and Canvas Horse Collars, blind and open bridles, and all kinds of harness—See J. R. Graham Lumber Company.

HARMON NEWS

Health in the community is good at present. Most everyone has been preparing the land for crops and gardens.

Last Wednesday afternoon from four to five o'clock little Miss Norma Ruth Hornsby entertained a group of her friends to celebrate her tenth birthday anniversary. After playing a number of games and listening to music rendered by her teacher, Miss Opal Hollomon, the hostess had each to find a partner by matching pictures which had been cut into two peculiar shapes.

The couples filed into the dining room where they found punch and cake, cookies and taffy candy. After the refreshments were served all sang "Home Sweet Home" and departed, declaring they had enjoyed the afternoon and wishing the little hostess many more such happy birthdays. Those bidden to enjoy the hospitality of this little miss were Clyde and Lyndon Harman, Bill and Mary Jo Cowan, Beatrice and Omega Roberts, H. S. and Anna Mae Perryman, Norman and Bernice Storm, Elton and Ophelia Kehler, Sidney and Jake Howell, Florene Rogers, Nellie V. Carroll, Mildred Hill, Don Rhoades, Brewline Patterson, Sonny Boy Perryman, Enno Meyer, Bonnie Kaye, Edgar Hornsby and Misses Opal Hollomon and Nadine Goodwin.

The Boy Scouts held their regular meeting Saturday night. They have one new member, Joe Perkins, who recently moved to this community. At the close of their business session their scoutmaster, Mr.

Hornsby, gave the scouts a treat by having a marshmallow roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hornsby and children and Miss Nadine Goodwin attended the funeral at Rumely Saturday of LeRoy Bagby. He was a former pupil in the Clayrock school when Mr. Hornsby was principal of that school.

Miss Louise Patterson visited in the home of Mrs. Henry Cowan last Friday afternoon.

A large crowd enjoyed the negro minstrel which was presented Friday night by Mr. Hornsby and the high school pupils.

A number of young people enjoyed a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cowan Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Storm and family spent Sunday in the home of his parents in the County Line community.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Littlefield and E. E. Rhoades were business visitors in Gatesville Saturday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cowan Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. George Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cowan and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Harman and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Storm Sunday.

Messrs. Mallie and Irvin Blagely and Fritz Clark and Misses Lois and Virgie Mae Blakely of Turnersville were visitors among friends and relatives here this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rhoades and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hornsby Sunday night.

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Visitors in the J. H. Keener home Sunday evening were: Irvin and Virgie Mae Blakely, Annie Hill and Bessie Anglen.

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Mrs. C. S. Tucker

their parents Sunday afternoon.

Don Thompson's house which was destroyed by fire recently is being rebuilt this week.

Mrs. Myrtle Rhoades and Mrs. Ruby Alexander were guests of Mrs. Tom Ayers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Copeland spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Roy Taylor.

Little Junior Boy Taylor has the flu.

Mrs. Rhoda Wolf was a guest of her daughter Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Alexander were week-end guests of her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Rhoades.

TRAINING SCHOOL

Two Act Faculty Play

Replete with jokes, wisecracks, songs and dance, the minstrel directed by Mr. A. D. Chestnut was presented in the auditorium of the Training School on Tuesday evening, January 24th.

Mr. Chestnut is to be complimented on the selection of the cast of characters. They all proved to be staunch and worthy members of the "Coonville Ristocrat Club." The audience was kept in an uproar from start to finish each character contributing his or her part in a manner befitting professionals.

Of special interest was the song given by Mr. Chestnut and Mrs. Elbert Pancake, "Depression Blues." This song was written and composed by a Coryell County lady, Mrs. Ber-

tha Trammell, and has only recently been published.

The numbers rendered by the male quartet composed of Messrs. Chestnut, Marvin Fletcher, Jeff Buckner and Chick Dansby and the ladies quartet composed of Mrs. Elbert Pancake, Mrs. J. Hurl McClellan, Mrs. Raby Richardson and Mrs. A. D. Chestnut were enjoyed very much.

Notable among the characters was Marvin Fletcher who caused much fun by his antics and dhis tap dancing.

The program closed with an old fashioned square dance participated in by the whole cast.

Music was furnished by Mrs. V. F. Lemons, pianist, and Mr. T. Younger with the Training School Orchestra.

The cast included: M. H. Richards, Travis Laxon, Rufus Burle, Marvin Fletcher, Jeff Buckner, Mrs. son, Chuck Dansby, Oscar Taylor, Jeff Buckner, Mrs. J. Hurl McClellan, Mrs. Elbert Pancake, Mrs. John Bloodworth, Mrs. A. D. Chestnut, Mrs. Raby Richardson.

Get garden seed at Torbett's

Farm women in Dickens county last year improved 162 bedrooms to make them beautiful and comfortable, and 4-8 club girls improved 114 rooms, the home demonstration agent reports. There were 46 clothes closets built, 55 mattresses made, and 95 pieces of furniture refinished. Many rooms were papered and the floors and woodwork refinished.

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