



Sam Duffie Dies Here While Visiting Mother Services Held Sunday

BODY TAKEN TO HILLSBORO

Sam Duffie, 62, who moved from Gatesville many years ago, succumbed to an attack of influenza while visiting his aged mother, Mrs. Rebecca Duffie, last Saturday morning at 3:00 o'clock. He was ill only a few days prior to his death.

Mr. Duffie had been a resident of Hillsboro for several years and had made occasional visits to his mother who lives at Gatesville. He was a cotton buyer at Hillsboro and prominent in civic circles there.

Services were conducted at 1 p. m. Sunday at the residence of his mother, by Rev. C. A. Morton, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, after which the remains were carried overland by Marshall and Marshall, undertakers, to Hillsboro for burial.

The deceased was born in Gatesville November 1873. He is survived by his widow, his mother, one daughter, Mrs. Lance Walker of Hillsboro, three sons, Earl of Tyler, Homer of San Diego, California, Sam of Tyler, and two brothers, Willie R. and W. A. Duffie of Gatesville.

BRUNK'S COMEDIANS OPEN WEEK'S ENGAGEMENT

Brunk's Comedians, popular stock company, opened a week's engagement here Monday night on the old Cotton Yard lot. A good crowd attended the opening performance.

Brunk's is offering a special inducement in this edition of the NEWS in a coupon, to be found on another page of the paper, in which they are entitling one woman and one man or two women to admission with a small fee on Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Thursday night will be feature night for Brunk's when the company will present "The Wise Fool" together with a special vaudeville attraction.

The United States Fisheries Service is making studies of ways of cooking fish.

MARKET REPORT

(As of Jan. 7)

Mohair	15c to 25c
Wool	16c
Cotton, Str. Mid Base	12.75
Corn, Shell	95c
Corn, Ear	85c
Oats, Loose	55c
Oats, Sacked	57c
Cream No. 1	25c
Cream No. 2	23c
Cottonseed Ton	\$43
Pecans	10c

Poultry

Hens	6c to 8c
Fryers	10c
Eggs	18c
Roosters	3c

Body of Former Local Pioneer Is Brought to Gatesville for Burial

FUNERAL FOR MRS. MARTIN

Funeral services for Mrs. R. W. Martin, one of the pioneers of Coryell County was held here last Saturday, the body having been conveyed to Gatesville from her home in Oak Cliff where she succumbed after an illness of two weeks.

Mrs. Martin was the widow of a former local publisher and at one time Representative from this district to the state legislature. Mrs. Martin will be remembered by those who knew her in the little millinery shop which she operated here. For 25 years she and her husband were residents of Gatesville. She was an active worker in the First Baptist Church of this city.

The quaint little person, loved by her many friends here, moved to Dallas many years ago and set up her millinery shop there. It is estimated that she was approaching ninety years of age when death came. Only the very close members of the family knew her actual age.

Funeral services were conducted at the J. M. Prewitt residence on Leon Street at 3:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Reverend C. A. Morton, officiating. Burial followed in the Odd Fellows Cemetery.

Surviving the deceased are a daughter, Mrs. Helen Garrison, Dallas; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pall bearers: Dan E. Graves, Tom Lutterloh, J. M. Prewitt, Leake Ayres, John Bureson, Ed McMordie.

Honorary Pall Bearers: Dr. Ralph Bailey, Sam Mings, Dr. Otha Gilder, John T. Post, Granville Rogers, John Hill, Abilene, D. R. Hall, Abilene, F. A. Thompson, Sr., Temple, Byron Leaird, Sr., and B. B. Garrett.

WHOLESALE GAMBLING IS SENATOR'S CLAIM

Austin, Jan. 6.—The senate crime committee today ranked disregard for gambling laws in Texas second only to widespread violations of liquor laws.

Three thousand pieces of documentary evidence were cited by the committee to substantiate charges that gambling in many Texas cities, towns and hamlets was widespread and in flagrant disregard to law. In some instances, the committee charged, gambling flourished with consent of public officers, "in many cases the consent was obtained at a price."

"There are cases in our files," the committee said, "where officers themselves own the gambling houses. One such officer said, 'Sure, I thought it was all right. Everybody does it.'"

It is rather too much to expect not to be barked at by a man who thinks his country is going to the dogs.

Cats Prove No Match For Hornet Offense in Friday Night Contest

GIRLS DEFEAT PEARLETT'S

The highly touted defensive strength of the Temple Wildcats wasn't defensive enough to stop the antics of the Hornet cagers, who put their visitors to rout here Friday night, 27-12.

With only two field goals to their credit the Wildcats took advantage of free chances to convert the other 8 points. The Hornets failed to profit by the free throws allowed them and converted only 3, but spotted the basket from the field well enough to earn 24 points from all angles.

Hazen Ward led his teammates in scoring with 11 points. McLarty was second with 9 points.

Victory for the Hornets over the Bell County team increased the laurels for Gatesville to nine games won, out of nine games played.

Starting lineup (Temple); forwards, Southerland and Junk; center, Rainey; guards, Woods and Marek. Substitutes: Chuppick, Hoherd and McGill.

Starting lineup (Gatesville): forwards, McLarty and Ward; center, Perry; guards, Powell and Turner. Substitutes: Myers and McDonald.

Fems Also Win

Before the boys had a chance to demonstrate their prowess, the Gatesville girls scored a well earned victory over Pearl, 39-17, in a game played in the local gym Friday night.

Keen Competition Evident in Girl's Basketball Tourney Beginning Friday

Plans for the girls Invitation Basketball Tournament, which is being sponsored by the Gatesville High School, are rapidly drawing to a close with a representative number of teams already registered and others indicating that they will enter the field of competition.

Games will start Friday morning at 10:00 o'clock, according to Supt Frank L. Williams, who is directing the affair. Out of

have ever had the opportunity of seeing.

The tourney will terminate Week's Schedule

The schedule for this week prior to Friday is as follows:

Tuesday
Gatesville Vs. Clifton, Girls.
Gatesville Vs. Clifton, Boys.
Mountainview Vs. Purlmela, Boys.

Wednesday
Plainview Vs. Ewing, Boys.
Plainview Vs. Ewing, Girls.
Plainview Vs. Ewing, all-stars.

Thursday
Pearl Vs. Temple Jr. College.
Gatesville Vs. Temple Jr. College "B" Team.

Turnover Vs. Liberty, Boys.
Friday and Saturday: the Tournament. Games will start at 10 a. m. Friday and will close at 9 p. m. Saturday night.

GIRLS NEED ROOM AND FEED

Forty girls participating in the Invitation Basketball Tourney need rooms for Friday night and breakfast Saturday morning. Any available hospitality on the part of Gatesville people should be reported to Sup't Frank L. Williams.

the county teams who have already accepted the challenge are Rosebud, Meridian, Cranfills Gap and Crawford, with more expected. County teams which will participate include Turnersville, Ewing, Jonesboro, Coryell City, Plainview, Pearl, Ewing and Gatesville the host school.

Competition will be keen throughout the meet and Saturday night when the finals are played.

ators may expect to witness some of the best contests that they

196 Marriage Licenses Issued in Coryell Co. During the Year 1934

LIKE NUMBER HOMES BEGUN

The supposition that marriages are less popular than they were a few years ago is a false impression according to the records of the County Clerk, Charley Mounce.

In 1934 there were 196 licenses issued, an average of nearly 17 each month—more than one every other day. This means of course that that many homes have been started, most of which are in Coryell county.

Statistics also reveal that 351 births and deaths have been recorded by local physicians on residents of Coryell. Figures differentiating between deaths and births were not available at the Clerk's office, however, it is estimated that the number of deaths and births is practically the same in each case according to reports from other counties, with births holding a slight margin over deaths.

Figures were not obtainable showing the increased or decreased death rate, as the case might be, over 1934.

IN EFFORT TO KILL HITLER CHAUFFEUR IS KILLED

Berlin, Jan. 6.—Reports from unrelated quarters in Munich and Berlin Sunday said two storm troopers attempted to shoot Adolf Hitler in the Chancellory on the night of Dec. 31, not harming Hitler, but wounding a chauffeur. Another version said the chauffeur was killed.

Beulah Hopkins was taking a bath in Gary, Ind. She stepped on the soap, plunged through a window and dropped three floors to a sand pile. She suffered some embarrassment.

SOME ACCIDENTS CAN'T OCCUR BUT THESE DID

A very interesting story released by the Associated Press and appearing in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram is worth reprinting:

Some of the mishaps of 1934 were the kind that "just couldn't occur."

But they did, and here are a few oddities collected from the records of the National Safety Council:

Nine-year-old Teurl Guyot was sucked up by a wheat binder in France. He came out unhurt in a sheaf of grain.

An automobile hit a baby carriage in Jersey City. Philip Romano, 3 months old, and a pair of pillows flew through the air with the greatest of ease. The infant landed on the pillows; nobody hurt.

William McFadden, Chicago, started up a flight of iron stairs. A step broke. He was hanged, his head caught in the superstructure.

A dog fell from a tenth-story window in New Jersey, landing on Albert Barrett. The man's skull was fractured.

A Dayton, Ohio, woman was blinded by smoke from her cook stove. She ran into the street. A car killed her.

Mrs. Janet Ward's auto shot over a 178-foot cliff on Econ-

omy Mountain, rolled over 14 times and smacked into a tree. She was bruised a bit.

A Los Angeles youth decided to end it all with gas. He lit a cigaret and was blown out of the house.

John Blesky sat on his front porch. A passing car flipped a stone against his head. It killed him.

Harvey Pontules of Kendallville, Ind., scratched a match on oil-soaked trousers. He required new pants and a doctor.

A dog in Murphysboro, Ill., committed suicide by turning on the gas jets of a kitchen stove.

They had to operate on Uscher Schupack of Brooklyn. He swallowed a toothbrush while hic-soughing.

Joseph Pittis, New Philadelphia, Ohio, extricated himself from what was left of his car. The undamaged radio blared: "I'll Be Glad When You're Dead, You Rascal You."

A practical joker shoved a paintbrush under the nose of Gabriel Bernard, author of "Teror" works. He died of fright.

Florine Lavelle—she scoffed at death from a lofty trapeze—fell downstairs and was fatally injured.

But wait until you read this one:

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Pledge

I will think—talk—write . . . Texas Centennial in 1936! This is to be my celebration. In its achievement I may give free play to my patriotic love for Texas' heroic past; my confidence in its glories that are to be

Rain fell during the early hours Monday morning. To the more grateful it received a hearty welcome in this section. Many farmers of Coryell felt that they needed rain. Others felt that they did not. In some sections of the county the earth has received enough rain and farmers have been waiting for the ground to dry enough so their fields could be worked. Others have been wanting more rain and now that they have it, so what. You can't please all of the people all of the time but you can please some of the people some of the time. But in this case, however, it isn't a matter of whimsical fancy. It's a case of what the farmers need and what they do not need.

From reports of both parties, apparently the Democrats won the Deal but not the pot, whereas, the Republicans swept the stakes in their direction. The Grand Old Party has nearly \$185.00 to jingle while the Democrats are pondering over a \$553.00 deficit. No doubt the right to call the tune has been worth paying the fiddler for in the case of the Democratic party. The time has yet to come when we can expect to get something for nothing. The Democrats will gladly go in the red \$553.00 in 1936 to hold command of the same situation the party holds today.

Iron bars have been used for a long time as a means of confining criminals and suspects but it looks like jail and calaboose keepers are confronted with a new problem with what to use in their stead. One fellow in Bell county recently, jailed the night before on a charge of drunkenness, lowered his head and charged against the iron bars of his cell, fracturing his skull. The next thing is—what can be used to replace the iron rods, something that will not bring serious injury to the culprit who wishes to exercise his skull against the barriers between confinement and freedom.

If Representatives Stevenson and Calvert have as many votes as they claim already cinched in the race for the speakership of the house there are more representatives in the Texas house of legislators than we were taught in school. In fewer words, there must be a nigger in the wood pile. This vital question will be settled today, however, when the legislature convenes at Austin. J. B. Ford, of McGregor, at one time was considered a likely candidate for the speakership, and no doubt would have made a good one, but withdrew from the competition. Ford has been a legislator for several years—admired and appreciated by members of the house who know him as well as the voters of his district who have seen fit to reelect him representative for another two years. Being a next door neighbor to Coryell, Mr. Ford's election to the speakership would have been considered complimentary to this county since he was reared in Coryell and is claimed as a native son of this county. Mr. Ford is helping to manage the campaign of R. W. Calvert, having resigned in favor of the candidate from Hillsboro. Mr. Stevenson,

World Comment

By JOE BURNS



"Die when I may, I want it said of me by those who knew me best, that I always plucked a thistle and planted a flower where I thought a flower would grow."—Abraham Lincoln.

ROBINSON, BYRNS and BANKHEAD—they will direct the actions of the Seventy-fourth Congress and Democratic Senate leader, speaker of the House, and Democratic floor leader of the House, respectively. Senator Joe Robinson of Arkansas was unanimously reelected to his position as party chieftain in the Senate while another Joe, skipped into the House speakership without opposition. Rep. Bankhead was elected floor leader at the caucus which choose Byrns.

Paired against these gentlemen on the Republican side will be Senator McNary of Oregon, who in all probability will be the next Republican leader, and Rep. Snell in the House as minority leader. However, with 322 Democrats in the House and only 103 Republicans, and 69 Donkeys in the Senate out of a total of 96, it looks as if Messrs. Robinson, Byrns, Bankhead, and Co., will have quite an easy time. That is, if some of the old bug-a-bears such as the bonus bill do not come up and rip party lines to pieces.

The Hon. Thomas B. Love, in a letter to the Dallas News Jan. 3, urges that Mr. Farley be allowed to keep both his job as Postmaster-general and as Democratic National Chairman. States Mr. Love: "Mr. Farley has made both a good Postmaster General and a good Democratic Chairman. I have no doubt a fair investigation will disclose that his administration of the Postoffice Department has been sound and signally successful, and for all his witness he has rendered three great services in the political field, i. e. securing the nomination of Roosevelt and thereby keeping Tammany Hall out of White House, driving Tammany Hall out of power in New York City in 1933 by supporting an independent candidate, and by his efficient organization and leadership and by his convincing speeches throughout the Nation contributing in a large way to the impressive victory for the Democratic party and the New Deal registered in the last November election."

I am glad to include this letter because of the many arguments which have been held over Mr. Farley holding both a government and party position when President Roosevelt would not let others do so. Regardless of the fairness of the President's decision (and I do not mean to question his stand) Mr. Love's letter certainly clarifies the matter in my mind and I hope it does in yours. Perhaps we good democrats have yet to realize the great extent to which

to the Democratic victories in the last two years.

Associated Press reports that the National Debt now stands at \$28,478,663,924, having increased \$5,000,000,000 since this time last year. This is a record high, surpassing the post-war debt of approximately \$25,000,000,000 (1919). This shows that Mr. Roosevelt has spent \$5,000,000,000 more this year than he has made—a considerable outlay over revenue for one year.

The first half of the present fiscal year (Uncle Sam's year starts July 1) shows a deficit of \$1,699,925,397, slightly more than that of \$1,152,972,595 for the corresponding day last year.

HE WAS HONEST

A few days ago district clerk S. A. Word received a note with which was inclosed \$9.00 in money. The note read, "I was paid too much for jury many years ago." No name was signed to the note and Mr. Word has no idea who the man is, but the \$9.00 went back into the county's funds.

It would appear that the man could not live with his conscience any longer and keep that money. Then, again, it might be that he was honest all the time, but was just hard pushed and kept the money till he could spare it. In either case, it was commendable in him to turn the money back to its proper place, even at this late hour.—Lampasas Record.

MANY RADIO TALKS

President Roosevelt made 23 broadcasts in 1934, bringing his total since March, 1933, to 41. Mrs. Roosevelt made 28, bringing her total to 45. Cabinet members spoke 78 times on the air, with Postmaster General Farley leading with 22. Vice President Garner made only one

radio address. General Johnson made 11 and other members of the "Little Cabinet" spoke 34 times. Eighty-nine members appeared on 172 broadcasts and 53 senators spoke 136 times.—Exchange.

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SporTalk

By TEDDY

The local Hornets, boys and girls, won from the Temple Wildcats and Pearl high schools respectively, Friday night on the local gym floor. The following story is taken from the Sunday edition of the Temple Telegram. "The Wildcats went down in another practice game Friday night, losing to Gatesville, a class B team, 27 to 11. Temple again showed weakness in goal shooting, and their passing was poor. Gatesville made a number of her scores as a result of intercepting poor Wildcat passes. "Southerland played the outstanding game in the Temple line-up, fighting hard in an effort to keep the team from defeat. Rogers didn't make the trip and this weakened the offensive play of the Temple team. "Coach Forehand said last night that the Gatesville squad is the best class B team he has seen for sometime. He thinks it will win the Gatesville district in its class." * * *

Temple Junior College defeated the Pearl crew in Temple Friday night 26-13. The game was somewhat closer than the score indicates, the Junior College making nine field goals, to 6 for the Coryell lads. Temple Junior College will again take on Pearl here Thursday night on the local gym. The Gatesville Hornets will be pitched against the Junior College "B" team. These two games will be only two of the outstanding features slated this week for basket ball fans in this section. * * *

The Commercial Basketball games terminated Thursday night with Jonesboro. Leon Junction and the Merchants winning. These games placed Levita, Jonesboro and the Merchants first for first place.

There are six more games to be played in the league. It will be nip and tuck from now until the league is over. This writer is "doping" Jonesboro to win this division. The Bachelors, who haven't won a game this division, are also improving, and will probably win three of the six remaining games. The Merchants have been in the winning streak too long and are doped to drop a few of the six games to be played. The Oilers, Junction and Levita are playing consistent ball, and will win two or three of the remaining games. * * *

There will be no Commercial League games Thursday night, due to the fact that games have been matched with out-of-town teams. * * *

TEAM STANDING

Team	won	lost	pct.
Levita	3	1	.750
Jonesboro	3	1	.750
Merchants	3	1	.750
Leon Junction	2	2	.500
Conoco	1	3	.250
Round Ttable	0	4	.000

COTTON STATISTICS

There were 12,991 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Coryell County prior to December 13, as compared to 23, 912 to December 13, 1933, according to W. R. Goodson, collector of cotton statistics.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses

Dave Whitley and Beckie Graham.
Charles D. Wright and Mildred W. Gardner.
R. C. Cornelius and Jewel Etta McCowan.
C. S. White and Nora Reed Martin.
E. R. Latham and Hazel Maxwell.
Howard Baker and Lena Mae Weigand.
Rubin Richter and Olga Schatte.
Barney Truelove and Geneva Whitehead.
Archie Braziel and Allie Blackstock.
Monroe Chambers and Vella Thelford.
James M. Roberts and M. R. Hanna.
Ed Barton and Francis Brownfield.

Deeds Recorded

O. F. Jones et ux to O. F. Jones, Jr.
Floyd White to Edd Bird.
O. C. Gossett et ux to Floyd White.
Emma Buth to Fred G. Prewitt.

PLAY! CUPID-UP-TO-DATE JONESBORO SCHOOL

Listen! And you will hear everyone talking about the musical comedy that will be presented at the Jonesboro High School Auditorium, Thursday evening, January 10, at 8 o'clock. Miss Olive Mays of the Wayne P. Sewell Production Co., of Atlanta, Georgia, is here directing the play and rehearsals started Thursday evening.

Twenty of the small kiddies in school will be starred in the "Cupid Chorus," "Cat Chorus," "Bedtime Chorus" and a "Star and Moon Chorus." While twenty of the high school's most talented singers and dancers will perform in a "Chicken Chorus," "Monkey Dance," "Clock Dance" and "Sweetheart Dance."

The play has an interesting plot with a young married couple becoming disillusioned with love and have turned their attention to the "great prognosticator," an invention that is supposed to wipe away their troubles and give them a new start in life. The characters go into this machine and the inventor goes off to the moon; so the machinery goes wrong and when she comes back these people are all turned into very comical figures. "Father Time," "Common Sense" and "Dan Cupid" right things and love returns to rule the world again.

So make your plans now to come over to Jonesboro Thursday evening, and see the hit of the season, "Cupid-Up-To-Date."

MOUNTAIN NEWS

(Delayed)

The Singing Sunday night was enjoyed by all.

Bro. Keener has been ill for some time and we are hoping he will soon be with us again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Blocklock visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Balze, at Slater recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCarver were guests in the Laronce McCarver home Tuesday.

We are glad to report Grandma Hubbles condition improved.

The Home Workers Club will meet Tuesday, January 8. Miss Martin plans to be present at the meeting. We expect each member and invite all visitors

to come. Mr. and Mrs. Broce Moore and children and Mr. and Mrs. Laronce McCarver were in the Lee McCarver home Sunday.

visited in the M. Moore home Tuesday.

SHOP AT HOME

Condensed Statement of Condition of

The Gatesville National Bank

of Gatesville, Texas

at the close of business December 31, 1934.

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$165,455.95
Soldiers Bonus Loans	38,268.00
United States Government Obligations	146,033.00
Other Bonds, stocks, and securities	38,109.36
Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00
Real Estate Owned	6,665.79
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer	1,262.50
Other Assets	932.32
Cash and balances with other banks	313,033.93

TOTAL.....\$712,750.85

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	88,697.06
Reserve For Contingencies	1,209.81
Circulating notes outstanding	25,260.00
Deposits	497,593.98

TOTAL.....\$712,750.85

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Condensed Statement of

Guaranty Bank & Trust Company

of Gatesville, Texas

at the close of business December 31, 1934.

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$115,005.87
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	18,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	2,300.00
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation	860.01
Real Estate	3,501.00
Cash, exchange, U. S. Government and other Securities	386,645.82

TOTAL.....\$526,813.70

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	15,221.01
Deposits	461,592.69

TOTAL.....\$526,813.70

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Ettie Franklin and children. Mrs. Dorsey and son, Frank, visited in the W. M. McDonald

J. T. Garren Jr., who is in the State Teachers College at Denton, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garren. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lander visited in the home of Mrs. Mary Burkett visited

LEAKE AYRES, President. F. W. STRAW, Cashier.
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Ewing Club Meeting.

The Ewing Good Fellowship Club met Wednesday, January 2, with Mrs. Virgil Powell.

After the regular business meeting, the afternoon was pleasantly spent piecing quilts. There were present seven old members, five new members and two visitors.

The club will meet January 17 at the home of Mrs. J. M. Price. The County Demonstrator, Miss Martin, will meet with us on that date.

Book Club Meets At Home of Mrs. Ward.

A pleasant afternoon of bridge was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. R. W. Ward last Friday afternoon when she entertained members of the Book Club and several guests.

At the conclusion of the games the hostess passed refreshment plates, which held fruit nut pie, coffee and salted nuts, to the following there. Members: Mesdames Frank Battle, D. R. Boone, J. O. Brown, R. G. Dickie, Andrew Kendrick, Paul Martin, Geo. Painter, Pat Potts, R. Thomas, and Misses Mariam and Edith Raby. Guests Mesdames Clifford Adams, D. I. Glass, Wm. Weigand, R. R. Anderson and G. W. Bradley.

Mrs. Yelding Hostess To Club.

The Home Demonstration Club at Coryell Valley met with Mrs. Clint Yelding on January 1, at an all day meeting.

One quilt was quilted and hemmed. Twenty blocks were pieced on a quilt top and one dress cut out.

In the afternoon a christmas tree was enjoyed and refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served. Nine members were present.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Tom Boyd, January 15.

Enjoyable Affair at Home of Mrs. McCoy.

A no-host bridge luncheon entertained for members of the contract club at the home of Mrs. D. D. McCoy last Thursday.

A three course appetizing menu was served to the guests at one o'clock and bridge games followed. Score prizes were favored Mesdames Charlie McConnaughey, B. K. Cooper and Robt. W. Brown.

Members included Mesdames C. M. Adams, D. R. Boone, Robt. W. Brown, B. K. Cooper, Bates Cross, C. E. Gandy, A. W. Gartman, Charlie McConnaughey, R. L. Saunders, E. C. Slone and Clay Stinnett.

Friday Night Club Enjoys Supper and Bridge.

A "chop Suey" dinner was a rare treat to the Nigh Club last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Holmes, with Miss Bess Holmes, hostess.

Place card, bearing Chinese symbols and designs, marked places for the guests at individual tables. The colorful and unusual theme was also carried out in table covers and napkins.

Tallies for the bridge games were in the form of Chinese

baskets and parasols. Misses Mamie Sue Halbrook and Maude Alyce Painter won score prizes at the close of a series of games. Miss Lorraine Alexander was given guest prize.

Before the guests departed fortunes were told by the hostess from a chinese "bamboo" stick.

The invited list included Misses Evelyn Knight, Edna Murray, Maude Alyce Painter, Trule Pearl McGilvray, Thelma McGilvray, Mamie Sue Halbrook, Lorene Moon, Francis Austin, Mary Routh, Ha Faye Selby, Vera Cayce, Lorraine Alexander, Aurora Yongue, Dixie Matthews and Mesdames Bailey Curry and Bob Saunders.

Miss Bertha Lillian Stewart Honored with Party at Hamilton.

Miss Bertha Lemmons was a beautifully gracious hostess when she entertained in her home on Monday, December 23, with a luncheon, given as a birthday compliment to her lovely young niece, Miss Bertha Lillian Stewart, of Gatesville, Texas, who was born in that self-same house fifteen years ago. Christmas greenery and flowers were featured throughout the home and elaborated the dining table appointments. The board was laid with pink linen, and was centered with an imported Battenberg lace piece on which stood a cut glass vase holding pink carnations. At the seat of honor was placed the snowy white angel cake, topped with fifteen white tapers, all a twinkle with lights. The appetizing menu consisted of fried chicken, cream gravy, creamed potatoes, celery hearts, stuffed olives, hot biscuits, pink jello with whipped cream and angei cake. Plate favors were pink carnations. Plates were marked for the honoree and Loneta Doggett, Charline Chandler, Geraldine Campbell, Joyce Chandier, Betty Jo Stewart, Mrs. Walter Stewart, young sister and mother of the celebrant, and William Lemmons, her grandfather. There are many other friends than those named in Hamilton who wish to this lovable young girl the best that life has in store throughout the coming years of rosy future.—Hamilton Herald-Record.

Miss Martin Meets With Club.

Thursday afternoon, January 3, the Blue Bonnet Workers Club held their regular meeting with Mrs. Lois Meeks hostess. Miss Martin was a very welcome visitor of the afternoon.

A short business meeting was held, after which Miss Martin took charge. Some peppy songs were sung. She then gave us a very interesting and beneficial talk on gardening. This was the first of a series of talks she is to bring us throughout the year. Among the things of interest in this talk was garden planting to correctly supply the family with the needed variety of vegetables for the year. She also gave us a demonstration for tile making for sub-irrigation. This was valuable information for those who plan to irrigate their garden spots.

Delicious sandwiches, cookies and fruit punch were served to

Abraham Lincoln in Indianapolis



This new seated statue of Abraham Lincoln, in bronze, designed by Henry Hering, New York sculptor, was dedicated in University park, just south of the World War memorial in Indianapolis.

club members and Miss Martin. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. R. E. Meeks.

SWISS PRESIDENT



Rodolphe Minger, reorganizer of the Swiss army, who was named president of the Swiss Confederation for 1935 by the federal assembly.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION TO HOLD EXAMINATIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows

Engineering draftsman, various grades, \$1,800 to \$2,600 a year, for work on ships. Optional branches are: Ship piping, ship ventilation, marine engines and boilers, and electrical.

Scientific aid (graphic arts), \$1,800 a year, National Museum, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.

Senior Industrial economist, \$4,600 a year, industrial econo-

mist, \$3,800 a year, associate industrial economist, \$3,200 a year, Division of Labor Standards, Department of Labor.

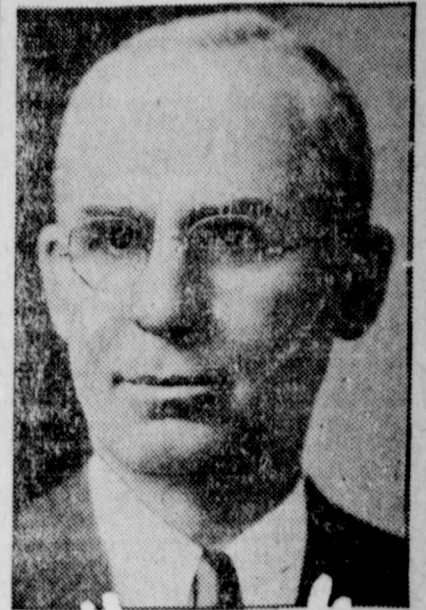
Assistane financial economist, \$2,600 a year, assistant financial economist, \$2,600 a year, securities and exchange commission

The closing date for receiving applications for these examinations is January 14, 1935.

The salaries named are subject to a deduction of not to exceed 5 per cent during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, as a measure of economy, and also to a deduction of 3½ per cent toward a retirement annuity.

Full information may be obtained from E. C. Farmer, secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office in this city.

NEBRASKA GOVERNOR



Recent portrait of R. L. Cochran, Democrat, the new governor of Nebraska.

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speakership would have been considered complimentary to this county since he was reared in Coryell and is claimed as a native son of this county. Mr. Ford is helping to manage the campaign of R. W. Calvert, having resigned in favor of the candidate from Hillsboro. Mr. Stevenson,

mean to question Love's letter certainly clarifies the matter in my mind and I hope it does in yours. Perhaps we good democrats have yet to realize the great extent to which

HOWARD COMPTON Gatesville, Texas

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Kit Carson were Levita visitors last Saturday afternoon.

—We need turkeys, hens and fryers. Must be in by noon Thursday. A. L. Mayes. 5-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Caruth and Mr. C. F. Caruth visited Mrs. Caruth in the hospital at Waco last week end.

Mrs. Y. J. Honeycutt and Mrs. Carl Byrom of Waco visited several hours here with friends and relatives last Saturday.

Messrs. Lee Anderson and Otha Anderson of Crawford were business visitors in Gatesville last Saturday.

—Bring us your turkeys, hens, fryers and eggs. Truck leaves for Dallas Thursday noon. A. L. Mayes. 5-1tc

Joe Griffin of Waco was here Friday as a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. L. A. Pennington, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Owen Parker of Port Arthur is visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. Bob Stockburger.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dollins and daughter, Maxine, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boykin at Hurst Springs last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Caruth Sr. underwent a minor operation in the Provident Sanitarium at Waco last Friday morning at 11:00 a. m. Reports come that she is resting nicely.

Clinton Chamlee and Jim Arnold left Sunday morning for Colorado. They expect to spend a week visiting in Denver and various other points of interest in that state.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Satterfield had as their guests from Comanche Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Jack Satterfield, Mrs. S. J. Hicks, Miss Dudley Hicks and Joe Satterfield.

Reb Brown of Gatesville visited his sister, Mrs. R. H. Gray, Tuesday on the way to resume his studies at John Tarleton College in Stephenville.—Hamilton Herald-Record.

Mrs. Vada Smith and handsome little son, Alton Smith, of Levita are guests this week of her sisters, Misses Artie and Nona Powell, and are visiting with Hamilton friends.—Hamilton Herald-Record.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Freeman and Thomas Freeman returned last week end from a trip to Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

Mrs. Martha Carson of this city is confined to her bed with a serious attack of pleurisy.

Ruth Bradford, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Bradford of this city, had the misfortune of breaking her arm last week. News comes that she is improving rapidly.

Gus Schloeman left Sunday for A. & M. to resume his college work after spending a two weeks' holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Schloeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bellamy of Port Arthur are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Walter Mack is in the Baptist Hospital at Waco recuperating from an operation.

Miss Audrey Winters and Miss Norriene Hampton of Pearl attended the basket ball games here Friday night.

Mrs. Lane of Oglesby, who will be remembered by her Gatesville friends as Miss Doris Putman, visited here last week.

Hugh Morrison of Austin was in Gatesville over the week end to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Morrison, and friends.

Shook Andrew left last week for Fort Worth where he plans to enter Brantley Draughn Business College.

C. H. (Bam) Huddleston left Thursday for Myrtle Arkansas, where he has accepted a position with the Barker Construction Company.

Mr. H. E. Wellborn, Rural Rehabilitation Supervisor of this place, was confined to his home on account of illness during the week end.

Blaine Bone, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bone, left last week to resume his duties at Hillsboro Junior College.

Gordon Shook was among those from here who saw the Basket ball game of Temple Jr. College vs. Pearl in Temple last Friday night.

Mr. Sam Weaver of Jonesboro was conveyed to the Baptist Sanitarium at Waco last week. Reports come to us that his condition is quite grave.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McLendon made a trip to Waco Friday afternoon to visit Mr. Sam Weaver, who is a patient in the Baptist Hospital.

Robert Scott and Miss Lois Scott were in Waco last week attending the bedside of their father, Mr. Morton Scott, who is slowly improving in the Provident Sanitarium.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our kind friends and neighbors for their deeds of kindness and words of comfort during the last illness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. G. W. Wilson. We also wish to thank Dr. Haines for his faithfulness. Children and Grandchildren.

BOOST IN SALES REPORTED BY MAYTAG DEALERS

Maytag washers at the retail value of \$1,225,000 were sold in 1934 by Texas Maytag dealers, it was reported at a year end conference of Maytag managers and officials of Maytag Southwestern Company, Dallas, distributors in Texas. "This was the best year in Maytag history in Texas despite the severe drouth," Walter Rogers, president Maytag Southwestern Co., said. Dealers and managers throughout the state were enthusiastic over the outlook for 1935 and predict a half-million dollar increase for this year. "Outstanding in the records of 1934 were the volume of sales made by small town deal-

ers, many in the drouth area. A number of dealers in scattered population sold 100 washers and one sold over 500," Mr. Rogers said.

A national record was hung up by Texas Maytag dealers when 78 per cent of their sales in 1934 were made on the cast aluminum square tub washer which is the higher priced models, and only 22 per cent on the lower priced models. The Maytag Company, manufacturers, at Newton, Iowa, pointed out that this is the best record of any state in the country.

To carry out President Roosevelt's idea of putting more men to work, Texas Maytag dealers and managers are starting out the first of the year to employ 500 salesmen to take care of the anticipated increase in business for 1935.

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Presenting a Medal to Roosevelt



John L. Merrill, president of the Pan-American society, placing the society's medal about the neck of President Roosevelt. Spruille Branden, member of the society's council, is directly behind the President. The award was for Mr. Roosevelt's work in promoting friendship among the nations of the Western hemisphere.

CHORAL SINGING IN THE COUNTY MEET

A chorus may consist of juniors and senior pupils, whether in grammar or high school, regardless of age or other classification. Any school may have a junior chorus, or a senior chorus or a chorus composed of juniors and seniors. The only eligibility requirement is passing grades and regular interscholastic league eligibility.

There may be as few voices as 12 and as many as 40. Singing may be in unison or in as many parts as desired. Piano accompaniment may be used, or victrola, or no accompaniment. The director may direct but may not sing with the chorus.

Any school desiring to enter

choral singing in lieu of the Texas Centennial Choral singing may enter Coryell county meet contest, using anyone of the songs listed by the state. These songs, however, are to be used exactly as given in "The Music Hour," and on victrola records listed by the state. This list of selections, records, and their prices may be obtained from the county superintendent's office.

Following is the list of songs to be used in County Meet Choral Singing.

- 1, Texas, Our Texas. 2, Star Spangled Banner. 3, America. 4, Annie Laurie. 5, Home on the Range—John Lomax. 6, Love's Old Sweet Song. 7, All Through The Night—Wesh Aair. 8, Auld Lang Syne. 9, Faith of Our Fathers. 10, Largo From "Xerxes"—Hanrel. 11, Serenade—Schubert. 12, Oh, Susanna. 13, Santa Lucia. 14, Drink to me Only with Thine Eyes. 15, America the Beautiful. 16, Juanita. 17, Stars of a Summer Night. 18, Soldiers' Chorus from "Faust"—Gounod. 19, Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean. 20, Sweet and Low—Barnby.

Mamie Sue Halbrook,
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Miss Nancy Jane French was born May 6, 1860 and at the age of 22 years, was married to G. W. Wilson. To this union was born eleven children, five died in infancy. The others are O. R. Wilson of Sudan, Texas, R. B., B. D., E. G. and Jess of Gatesville and Mrs. Ruby Featherston, also of this place.

Mrs. Wilson was a pioneer of Coryell County, having come here from Mississippi in 1885. She was a devoted christian, a kind and loving mother and left a host of friends to mourn her passing.

We miss Thee from our home, Dear Mother.

We miss thee from thy place.

A shadow o'er our life is cast,

We miss the sunshine of thy face,

We miss thy kind and willing hand,

Thy fond and earnest care,

Our home is dark with out thee—We miss thee everywhere.

One who loved her.
—Contributed.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Ettie Franklin and children. Mrs. Dorsey and son, Frank, visited in the W. M. McDonald

J. T. Garren Jr., who is in the State Teachers College at Denton, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garren.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lander

LEAKE AYRES, President. F. W. STRAW, Cashier.
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LIBERTY NEWS

(Intended for Friday)
Miss Hattie Stanford, teacher at Union, spent Christmas with Miss Imogene Harris.

Other out-of-town community Yuletide visitors were: Armo Hedgpeth and family of Indian Gap, W. N. Edom and family of Taylor, Mr. Burett Keng and Miss Loma Keng, Mrs. Edwin Martin and Kenneth Hedgpeth of Gatesville, Mr. Floyd Sanders of Randolph-Kelly Field, San Antonio, Messrs Andrew and Schley Calhoun and families of El Paso, Mrs. Idalia Patterson and son, Bobbie Lee of Los Angeles, California and Mrs. Lewis Feisler and family of Fairview, Hamilton county.

Students who visited friends and relatives in the community Christmas week here were: Ralph Perryman, Louise Sanders and Martha Brown of John Tarleton College; Miss Willie Irene Patterson of Hamilton High School; Miss Frankie Mae Blair of Gatesville High School; Miss Mada Hudson of Evant, Miss Wynnie Hampton of Union, Gale

Calhoun and Graham Cooper of Evant High School and Miss Iva Tyson of Ioway.

Club News
Mrs. Frank Blair was hostess to the Liberty Woman's Club last week at which she entertained with a Christmas party. Her program was well planned and contained many quaint features peculiar to Mrs. Blair's originality. She is a very charming hostess and is capable of making a success of any occasion.

A delicious course of colonial Christmas pie with whipped cream and hot chocolate was served to more than fifty guests.

Announcements
The Liberty Woman's club announces the following important meetings.

January 8th., a birthday party for Grandmother Chumney at Mrs Omar Cook's home. Besides the club members, all the friends of this good woman are cordially invited.

On January 22, at the home of Mrs. J. D. Hampton, will be one of our most important meetings of the year. Miss Gladys Martin, Demonstrator, will present her plans for 1935. Every member is urged to be present and to bring her pencil and note book.

March 12, at the home of our enthusiastic new member, Mrs. "Pal" Sutton, a demonstration of grafting and budding will be given by ex-students of John Tarleton college, who have finished this course.

Three instructors will demonstrate the budding and grafting of:

1. Roses and shrubs.
2. Fruit trees.
3. Nuts and persimmons.

Anyone, either man or woman, who is interested in the above features is invited to attend. If desiring to do practice work, bring a sharp-thin bladed paring or pocket knife.

For further information or details see or write Mrs. Bessie Brown, Ireland, Texas.

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UNION ITEMS

Miss Ivalle Lipsey spent last Sunday evening with Beatrice Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson and children visited in the Luther Martin home Monday night.

Mrs. W. D. Carroll and Laura were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carroll.

Mrs. Deaton and children of Harmon visited Mrs. Luther Martin Monday.

Everett Watts visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Ellison Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolte and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Nolte of Hood Springs.

Thurman Estes of Gatesville is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gallgley visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin Saturday night.

Mrs. Vernon Carroll spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Julius Davis.

Carbon paper in any size sheet, at News Office.

TURNOVER ITEMS

The adult school in the community visited the school at Turnover last Monday night, December 31. A spelling match was enjoyed and a large crowd was present. Candy was served to the crowd. We plan to visit Ewing in the near future, and a prize will be given to the best speller of each school.

Mrs. Lizzie Seward is in the hospital at Temple recovering from an operation. We hope she will soon be able to return home.

A party was enjoyed in the Clifford wicker home recently.

Mr. Everett Williams of White Hall spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Collier have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Breckenridge, Ranger, Gorman and other towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Culp, who have been ill at their home, are improving nicely.

Mrs. Lizzie Williams and Mrs. Jennie Jackson visited in the day night.

Hooser home Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Baker spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dyer.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wicker have moved to the Friendship community and Mr. and Mrs. Gates and family have moved their place of residence to Arnett.

SCHLEY NEWS

Mrs. Annie Alford is improving from an injured leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hirsch and daughter, Virginia, spent Sunday afternoon in the T. J. Alford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edell Powell visited Sunday in the Henery Koether home.

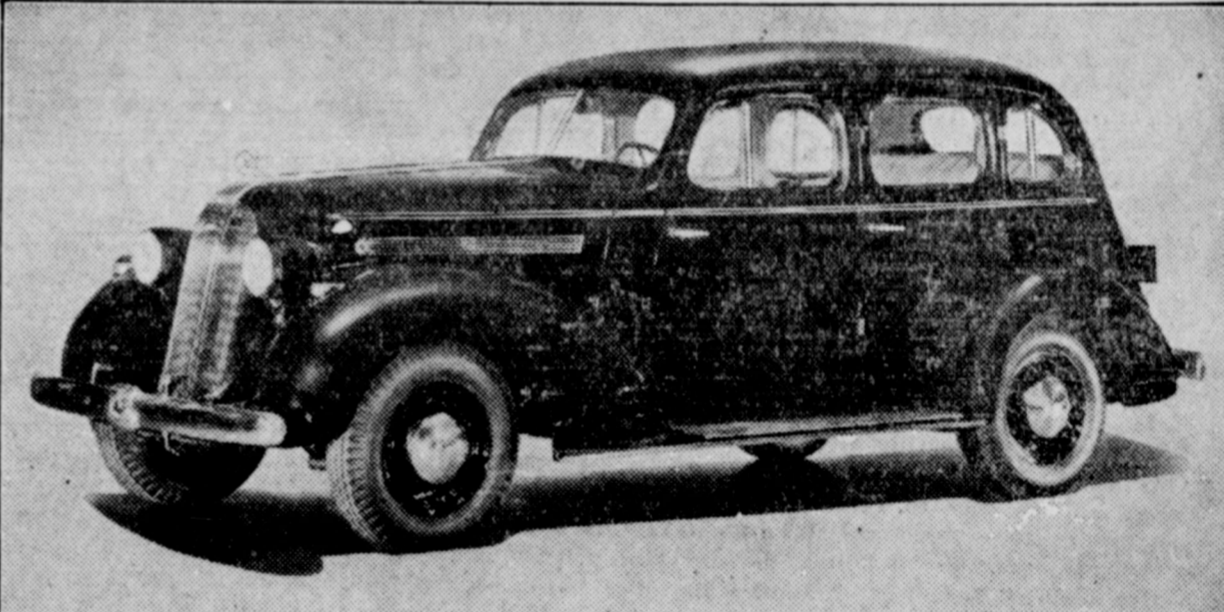
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Alford and daughter, Audra Nell, were guests of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Wittie, of Spring Hill last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Woodlock visited relatives in Waco Tuesday.

Jim Alford and family were visitors of Maurice Roberts, who lives near Gatesville, last Sunday night.

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this county since he was reared in Coryell and is claimed as a native son of this county. Mr. Ford is helping to manage the campaign of R. W. Calvert, having resigned in favor of the candidate from Hillsboro. Mr. Stevenson,

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HOWARD COMPTON
Gatesville, Texas

Community News Letters

BUSTER NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Miller and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland.

Mr. and Mrs. Graves Morgan spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sims.

Mr. Woodrow Grimland who has visited here for several weeks, returned to his home near Silverton Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hamilton are entertaining a new son since December 31. The young man has been named Raymond Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller spent Saturday night and Sunday in Gatesville with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Denny and family spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Miller and sons.

Mrs. Fred Touchstone visited Mrs. J. E. Huckaby of Liberty Church Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joyce Touchstone, Mrs. Alene Miller and many other friends have visited Mrs. Louie Hamilton this week.

Misses Myrtle and Jewel Wendoborn and Frances Williams spent Saturday night with Mrs. Edna Sheppard of White Hall.

FRIENDSHIP NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Health of our community is good at present.

Everyone seemed to enjoy the holidays vacation. School began again Monday morning.

Miss Pearle Christie spent the holidays with her parents in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powell and children, and Hubert, Rebyl and Mable Galloway of Robstown, Texas spent last week with relatives here.

Visitors in the Dorsey home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dorsey and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Powell and family of Plainview, Mr. Robert L. Dorsey of Fort Worth, Mr. Joe Glenn of Italy, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Logan and son of Turnover and Miss Christine Thompson of Ater.

Miss May Powell who is now teaching at Hubbard spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wicker have moved in our community from Turnover.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mohler of Sweetwater spent the week end in the Sam Powell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shults and daughter, of Tama spent Sunday in our community.

Mrs. Johnnie Miller who is now teaching at Oakton, Miss Ivy Murphy who is in school at San Marcos, and Ruby and Letha Murphy who are attending Gatesville High School spent last week with their mother here.

Miss Belle Roberts of Waco spent Tuesday in the Dorsey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Ettie Franklin and children.

Mrs. Dorsey and son, Frank, visited in the W. M. McDonald

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones have moved from our community to Pearl.

Entertainment for the young people this week were given in the homes of Bryan Fulton and Lawrence Warren.

Visitors in the Sam Powell home Friday were Mrs. Edna Gray and son, Loy, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reb Blanchard, Miss Naoma Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mohler, Hubert, Rebye, and Mable Galloway, Bob McAlister and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McDonald and family of Gatesville visited relatives here Wednesday.

We have Sunday School every Sunday morning, everyone is invited to attend.

TURNERSVILLE

(Intended for Friday)

Visitors in the J. D. Tharp home during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Phillips and daughters of Iredell and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tharp and daughter, Dorothy, of Cranfills Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Simp Simpson had as their holiday guests their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Harris of Dallas.

Visitors with Miss Maye Burkett and Mrs. Herman Lander during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spross and sons, Olin Ray and James Weldon, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Knowles of Mosheim, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kellum and daughter, Laverne, of Coryell, Miss Ruby Anz of Mosheim and Miss Elsie Lander of Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reeder and children of Valley Mills visited her mother, Mrs. Ethel Short, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Brodstreet and children of Clifton visited her sister, Mrs. Essie Rowe, over the week end.

Howard Jones and family of Dallas spent Christmas day with his sister, Mrs. Emma Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maxwell spent the week end with relatives at Purnela.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lloyd were holiday guests of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Vandiver.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gilmore of Moline spent the holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilmore.

News comes that a baby daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eaves of San Antonio. Mrs. Eaves will be remembered as Miss Thyria Humes before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McKinney and children spent the holidays with Mrs. McKinney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Saffel, at Weatherford.

Ralph Coltharp, who is in school at Amarillo, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Coltharp.

J. T. Garren Jr., who is in the State Teachers College at Denton, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garren.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lander

relatives at Brandon during the holidays.

Grady Tharp, who is a student in State Teachers College at Denton, visited home folks during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Sydow and children of Gatesville and Miss Thelma Hobin and W. W. Willawson of Stephenville were visitors in the John Hobin home Christmas day.

Miss Mary Cude of Gatesville spent Christmas day with her parents here.

PURNELA NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Flatt and daughters visited with relatives at Goldthwaite last week.

J. N. Weeks returned home Thursday from Briggs where he visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pointer and A. R. Jr., have returned from south Texas where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hagan last Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Velda Ballard and children of Pearl; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCarver and children of Hust Spings, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith and baby, Mrs. J. N. Weeks and son Falney, Mrs. Ada Whitley and son Harold, Katie Dodson and Myrtle Robinson.

Several entertainments were given the young people during last week at the following homes: Jake Smith, George Moore, Floyd Bell, Floyd Blackstock, George Truelove, and Watt Smith.

William Avery of Honey Grove is visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. C. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Flatt and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. G.

Robinson and daughter visited in the Wood Myers home near Ireland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meyers and children spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Lee Thetford home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Robinson and daughter, Erma Lee and Francis Featherston, George Alvin, Craig and Estelle Bertrand, and William Avery of Honey Grove were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Robinson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp of Ireland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Coop and Kenneth visited in Richland Springs one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Logan have moved to the R. W. Windham farm. These people were formerly of Turnersville and we give them a glad welcome to our community.

Coyne Robinson made a trip to Waco Tuesday.

SHOP AT HOME

DALLAS NEGRO WOMAN WITH HUGE TUMOR DEAD

The unexpected death at Dallas Tuesday of Sophie Johnson, from whose abdomen a 125-pound tumor was received a month ago, climaxed a surgical case which had interested medical scientists throughout the Nation.

Death followed a second operation performed to remove a drain tube from her abdomen and to close the old incision. She never regained consciousness.

The tumor was said to have been one of the largest ever known to medical science and its removal was witnessed by 60 doctors and medical students. When she entered the hospital she weighed 350 pounds and the tumor 125 pounds. Eight gallons of fluid were drained from the tumor.—Exchange.

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Bonds and Warrants.....	266,873.57
United States Bonds.....	100,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	4,500.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	15,000.00
Other Real Estate.....	4,095.00
Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Stock.....	885.09
Five Per Cent Fund.....	5,000.00
Cash and Exchange.....	146,811.30
TOTAL.....	\$724,418.86

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	87,986.55
Dividends Unpaid.....	2,700.00
Circulation.....	100,000.00
Deposits.....	433,732.31
TOTAL.....	\$724,418.86

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New Ford V-8 De Luxe Tudor Sedan Shown



PHOTO shows the new Ford V-8 de luxe Tudor sedan for 1935, which has just been announced. The body lines are distinctively modern and a departure from previous Ford

standards. The cars feature many engineering improvements providing greater riding comfort and increased ease of control. The engine has been moved forward. Passengers

ride closer to the center of the car. The Ford V-8 engine now has a new system of crankcase ventilation. The Tudor sedan is also available without de luxe equipment.

Shield of Henry II in New York



This embossed parade shield once carried by Henry II of France has been acquired by the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, and is now exhibited among the recent accessions to the collections.

ON TEXAS FARMS

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"Back in 1932 we grew seedless cotton," a negro farmer in Houston county told a public meeting, meaning that it took about all the money the seed bought then to pay for the ginning. His cotton seed brought money this year.

W. G. Farrier of Omaha is one of a number of Titus county farmers who are planting fruit trees this winter. He is putting in 3500 early Elbertas.

Eleven thousand pounds of sweet and bur clover seed were saved last summer and sowed last fall by farmers in Comal county. The late rains have brought the clovers up to a good stand, according to G. E. Ehlinger, farm demonstration agent.

Twelve hundred feet of concrete tile are being put down in the Ennis Creek school yard for subirrigation of shrub beds and a row of trees, as a result of the success of the subirrigated relief garden in that county.

Making a fence, putting out 195 shrubs, under-pinning the porch, partly sodding the yard, building cobblestone walks, and moving 115 loads of dirt were

Kelly of the Baker Home Demonstration Club in Parker county did in 1934 yard improvement.

Wellington—Shade trees can be had for range cattle says Paul E. Starr of Collingsworth county who has 300 young cottonwood trees growing in his pasture, according to John O. Stovall, farm demonstration agent. Early in the spring of 1934 Mr. Starr located level contours on the slopes of his range pastures with the help of the farm demonstration agent, plowed up the sod, and made terraces. These terraces held the water that had been rushing down off the hillside and disappearing in gyp holes or sinks. Mr. Starr then planted small cottonwood trees about 60 feet apart and about six feet back from the terraces on the upper side holding the water. None of the trees received any moisture except rainfall.

Jefferson — More than 1000 pounds of pork are being cured this year from pigs raised by Charlie Lee Grubbs, Marion county 4-H club boy, according to John H. Erickson, farm demonstration agent. Three years ago young Grubbs purchased a pure bred gilt out of a carload distributed by the farm demonstration agent. Before the end of the year, he sold two pigs out of the first litter and paid for his sow. In order to reimburse his grandfather, with whom he makes his home, young Grubbs keeps the farm home amply supplied with pork the year around.

Kingsville—Because of the success of previous terracing work, 20 acres of land to be planted to cotton in the spring were terraced this fall on the farm of Henry Schonfeld in Kleberg county, according to W. L. Wilkinson, farm demonstration agent. In 1929 M. R. Bentley, Extension agricultural engineer, gave a terracing demonstration on the farm. In 1932 Mr. Schonfeld terraced a 20-acre hill on his farm with the help of the farm demonstration agent. This field was planted to Rhodes grass as a permanent pasture.

Colorado — A tufted robe which cost 60 cents and was valued at \$7 was made from three 100-pound feed sacks by Mrs. M. A. Webb of Mitchell county and displayed at the Achievement Day held recently by the clubs of the county, according to Miss Emma Gunter, home demonstration agent. Natural and rose candlewick yarn was used by Mrs. Webb in working the diamond shaped pattern. Fifty other articles including dresses, aprons, pajamas, luncheon cloths, and pillow cases were made from sacks and exhibited by other club members.

Georgetown—A cheese press made at no cost from odds and ends picked up on the farm was displayed by Mrs. Arthur Rice at a cheese show held recently in Williamson county, according to Miss Bessie Vogt, home demonstration agent. The press, which is large enough to press the curd of eight to 10 gallons of milk at one time, was made by Mr. Rice in his spare time.

An old wagon tongue was used for making the oak blocks used for the forms at the base of the press and for the pieces across the top. The end-gate rods were old ones picked up from the scrap heap. The jack screw was taken from an old swivel barber chair, and the handle was taken from a worn-out separator. The bucket is an old six quart ice cream can with holes punched in it from the inside. The blocks used on top of the cheese are several of the oak blocks from the tongue.

Galveston—Evelyn Silbernagel, 4-H club girl of Galveston county, has canned her way to a bank account of \$56 and an improved bedroom in the past two years, according to Miss Lorraine Morrison, home demonstration agent. Evelyn sold 800 cans of standardized tomatoes and tomato juice this year at 10 cents a can. Her seed and cans cost \$24, leaving a net profit of \$56. Last year she sold 400 cans and used the money received to improve her bedroom.

TEXAS-BRED HORSE ARE PREFERRED BY PENN. STATE TROOPERS

Texas horses are and have always been favorites with the Pennsylvania State troopers. This police system is patterned after the Texas Ranger force.

It is discussed in a recent article by Capt. Tom R. Hickman, famous Texas Ranger captain, who inspected it.

Because of the fact breeding has been at low ebb in Texas for some years Captain Hickman points out that the Texas horses now in use by the troopers are rather old, but that they still are preferred. He indicates Pennsylvania will furnish a ready market for more Texas horses as fast as the breeding industry develops.

Indicating money that Texas has lost because the breeding industry was not allowed to develop because of unfavorable legislation, Captain Hickman said:

"At each of the troops visited I found a few rather aged Texas horses, some with familiar brands, but learned that for the last several years replacements have been bought in Virginia,

Kentucky and Missouri. All of the troopers seemed to like the old Texas horses best."—Thorbrteding.

ALL HIGH SCHOOL MOURNS

The entire pep squad is dressing in black this week commemorating the death of their beloved mascot, "Jinks" who was so unfortunate as to be killed by an automobile Monday morning. Although Jinks has not been with us so long, everyone had grown to love and admire him very much and the entire student body mourns his departure to the "happy hunting grounds."—McGregor Mirror.

Ocean waves are washing away the churchyard of the Aebey at Ballinskelligs, Irish Free State, and it is feared the ancient edifice and its graveyard are doomed.

WANT ADS

—FOR SALE: Baby wardrobe, done in ivory. Slightly used but in perfect condition. Morton Scott. 5-1f

—ROOMS FOR RENT: See Mrs. Bertie Hollingsworth. 3-9tc

—WANTED: 100 Turkeys, 500 hens, 100 fryers by noon Thursday. A. L. Mayes. 5-1tc

—FOR SALE—Or Trade, My Buick Sedan. In fine condition, new tires and no scratches. Howard Compton.

—LOST: White, black saddle back hound. O. K. Lovejoy. Name on collar. 3-1f

—FOR LEASE: 6 acres truck land with house which includes 2 acres of berries and 1 acre young orchard in city limits. \$20 cash. Phone 333. 5-1tp

—LOST—Brown mare mule and black horse mule, about 7 years old, and have white collar marks. Finder notify O. F. Palmer or D. I. Glass, Flat, Texas.

—FOR SALE—1 John Deere Stag, double Ext.; 1 John Deere cultivator; 1 Avery planter. Mrs. R. W. Windham, Purlama, Texas. 5-2tp

—PLANTS FOR SALE: Early Jersey Wakefield and early Fleet Dutch Cabbage plants for sale in any quantities. Mrs. Zula Andrews, Liveoak Street, Gatesville, Texas. 5-1tp

—FOR SALE: Nursery Stock—state inspected and acclimated. Peaches, plums, pears, grapes, roses, evergreens and shrubs. A general line. Prices reasonable. Wilson's Nursery. Phone 3404; 4 mi. north of Gatesville. 92-1f

—FOR SALE: A bed-room suite and living-room suite. Both are in excellent condition, now in use. Mrs. C. W. McConaughy, 1808 East Main Street. 95-1f

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