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McCreary Accepts Presidency of Temple Bank; Resigns Bank Comm.

Irvin McCreary, present State Banking Commissioner and formerly of the Guaranty Bank and Trust Company of Gatesville on the 23rd accepted the presidency of the Farmers State Bank of Temple, resigning as State Banking Commissioner, effective December 30.

The Farmers' State Bank of Temple at a board meeting early this week confirmed Mr. McCreary's election to succeed C. D. Seybold. Mr. Seybold, who has been associated with the bank for 21 years, is retiring because of ill health.

Mr. McCreary was appointed State Banking Commissioner May 13 by Governor James V. Allred, and assumed his duties in the State Banking Department offices in Austin September 1. Mr. McCreary has won continuous laurels in the banking business since he started with the Guaranty State Bank and Trust Company, some 19 years ago. He has won state recognition from Texas bankers by being elected to membership of the Executive Committee of the Texas Banker's Association and has also been Treasurer of the same organization.

Mr. and Mrs. McCreary will make arrangements to move his family from Austin to Temple this week.

Mr. McCreary, recognized in banking circles as a sound and conservative banker, expressed himself yesterday afternoon as well pleased with the prospects of locating in Temple and was loud in his praise of the business opportunities offered by the city as well as the general reputation of Temple as a city of homes and fine citizenship.

The News congratulates both Mr. and Mrs. McCreary on the new position which he holds and is pleased that they will be even a little closer to their home people, Coryell Countians.

Mabel Gardner was a Christmas Day visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winters, at Evant.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl McGilvray of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McGilvray, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Huffman of Crawford spent Christmas Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Huffman of this city.

County School News

Coryell County schools have planned eight month terms for standard and other schools not affiliated. Affiliated and accredited schools have planned a nine month term. Schools began on different dates as arranged by local trustees. This made month endings uneven.

This should be evened up as planned at institute. All teachers should collect all salaries due up to Christmas. Running uneven months hinders any system in time and money saving for teachers group meetings.

The school months from Dec. 30 will end on January 24; Feb. 21; March 20; April 17; May 15, 1936.

The professional library is open to teachers who pay the one dollar fee. This library has about 260 volumes at present. Twenty of which have been added this year. Other books of value to educators will be added each month.

Rural library for schools in Coryell county has several hundred volumes and will have about 500 new volumes added this year if all schools pay in the \$3.00 per teacher that is in the school budget.

DAVIDSON'S KINDERGARTEN HAS SPLENDID PROGRAM

Thursday's program by the Davidson Kindergarten was a success and even with the youngsters that were on the program it was splendidly handled thruout.

Probably the star of the show, was one Kent Biffle, a four-star, star, 3 years of age.

Piano selections were given between the numbers by Elizabeth Ann Ricketts, Nettie Corrine Davidson, Mrs. Merle Carroll and Vocal selections by Mrs. Ernest Blankenship.

Announcer for the program was Billie Frank Carroll for Station KIDS.

Those taking part in the program were Martha Ann Hallman, Jannie Ray Ford, Andrew Davidson, Henry Clark, Beverly Barber, Billy Bob Ashby, Kent Biffle, Sammy Beth Williams, Billy Frank Carroll, Betty Jean Lengefeld, Adelia Satterfield, Rose Marie Martin, Martha Ann Davidson, Carolyn Blankenship, and Charles Porter Milner.

"SNOOKS" SHEPHERD HAS APPENDICITIS ATTACK YESTERDAY

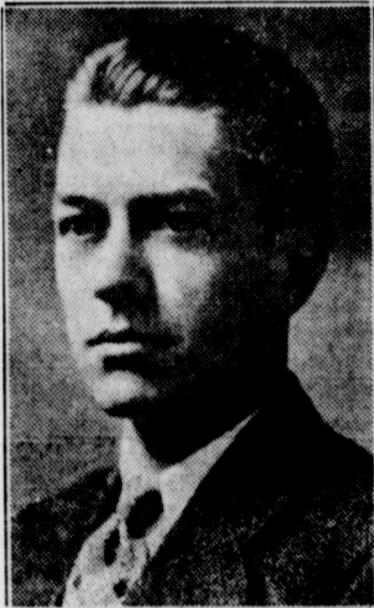
Clarence "Snooks" Shepherd had an attack of appendicitis yesterday afternoon and was in a serious condition according to his father, Mr. M. H. Shepherd.

Doctors attending the case seemed to think an operation would not be necessary at this time.

His brother, "Skeeter," is now convalescing from an appendicitis operation a short time ago and is reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Evelyn Hensler of Huntsville is visiting her father, P. C. Hensler.

Artist to Appear Before Local Morris Federation



MURRAY KENDRICK

PERSONNEL CHANGES MADE AT LOCAL CCC CAMP

Lt. H. R. Hayes has recently been assigned here to replace Lt. J. L. Allen who has returned to El Campo for active management of private business there.

Roy H. Gough, Associate Technician in charge of Emergency Conservation Work replaces W. S. Cunningham who was on temporary assignment here and has gone to Lockhart, Texas for duty on Soil Conservation Service Project.

B. D. Reynolds, Camp Superintendent replaces J. B. Thaxton who has gone to West Texas to enter a wheat farming venture.

R. E. Lewis and C. H. Jensen are engineers who have recently been assigned here.

L. F. Stewart who has also been on temporary assignment here has been transferred to Soil Conservation Service Project at Dublin.

Mr. E. L. Stewart has recently been assigned here as mechanic.

B. A. Storey expects to enter private business or other Government Service.

HORNE'S BAKERY TO BE OPERATED BY PAUL MORGAN

Announcement elsewhere in the News is to the effect that Horne's Bakery is to be operated under new management effective January 1, at which time, Paul R. Morgan, formerly of Dallas will take charge.

Experienced in the bakery business, Mr. Morgan comes highly recommended, both by Dallas bakeries and Jack Horne, formerly manager of the bakery.

"Butter Kist Bread" will be one of Mr. Morgan's features for the local trade, and the public is invited to try the new bread and other products in the bakery line that will be sold by Mr. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan and their son have located here and are now located in the Cayce apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelso and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bradford attended the funeral of Mr. Plumer Kelso in Belton Thursday afternoon.

LOCAL MINISTERS TO ATTEND M. E. COUNCIL IN WASHINGTON

Rev. M. M. Chunn and Presiding Elder J. H. Baldrige leave January 2 for Washington to attend a Missionary Council of the Methodist Episcopal Church South to be held there January 7 to ninth.

Among the prominent speakers will be Bishop John M. Moore, president of the Board of Missions, Dr. John R. Mott, President of the International Missionary Council, Hon. Cordell Hull, secretary of State of the United States, Dr. E. H. Rawlings, editor of "The World Outlook," and Hon. D. C. Roper, secretary of Commerce who will preside at one of the meetings, and Ambassadors of Japan and China.

Leaving Thursday, they will make the trip by Automobile, going thru Shreveport, Birmingham, Atlanta, Richmond and other interesting cities which they will visit.

Laymen of the Gatesville district made possible Rev. Baldrige's trip, presenting him the trip as a Christmas gift.

Ralph Wiley Jr. of Waco was a Christmas visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wiley.

Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Chunn of Oklahoma are visiting this week in the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Chunn.

Elworth Lowrey, who is a student at Baylor Medical College in Dallas, spent Christmas with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Lowrey.

Miss Edna Murray, teacher in the Methodist Home in Waco, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Murray.

Jack Young, who is attending school at Texas University, Austin, is spending the holidays with his parents at Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gray and son of Sweetwater visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Reb Brown, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nesbitt and daughter, Felice of Waco, spent Christmas Day in the R. G. Dickie and Ward Jameson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Gregory of Corpus Christi are visiting his mother, Mrs. Maggie Gregory, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Manning of Evant were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings Christmas.

Gus Schloeman, who is attending A. & M. College, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schloeman.

Geraldine Polk visited Christmas at The Grove with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carisle.

Ed Wollard of Hamilton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wollard, Christmas.

Miss Elizabeth McGilvray of Clifton is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McGilvray.

Murray Kendrick Will Sing for Local Morris Federation This P. M.

With Murray Kendrick as guest artist, the Morris Federation will hold its annual Open House this afternoon at the home of Miss Orpa Mayo on Leon Street.

Mr. Murray Kendrick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kendrick of this city. His voice has been heard over the NBC radio system, and has been heard several times in this city. He was here last summer, and many people anxiously await the opportunity of hearing his voice again. Jack Reesing, local artist, will accompany Mr. Kendrick.

Mrs. W. C. Guggolz, chairman of the program committee, states that he will present this program for the members of the Morris Federation and their guests. The following program will be presented by the singer: O' Sleep Why Dost Thou Leave Me—Handel.

Over The Steeple—Cretchan-inoff.

Madchen Mit Dem Roten Mundchen—Franz.

Warum—Tschaikovsky. Du Bist Wie Eine Blume—Liszt.

Le Beau Reve—Flegler. En Sourdine—Hahn.

Vainement, Ma Bien Aime (From Le Roi D'ys)—Lalo.

Blue Are Her Eyes—Watts.

Maria, Mari—Old Neopolitan. Mattinata—Leonavallo.

The Hills of Home—Fox.

The Forlorn Queen—Old Irish.

Ballynure Ballad—Old Irish.

The Little Irish Girl—Lohr.

O Holy Night—Adams.

Jim Farquhar, who is attending A. & M. College at College Station, is visiting his parents at Jonesboro this week.

Walter Weaver spent Christmas Day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Zeigler of Del Rio visited the first of the week with his mother, Mrs. P. H. Zeigler, and other members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Magus Smith and son, Magus Jr., of Pearsall are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schloeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whigham of Mound visited Christmas in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Culbertson.

Mrs. Frank Kelso and daughter, Marguerite, and Mrs. J. D. Morgan and daughter, Mary Lee, spent last week end in Brownwood with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Freeland.

Miss Aline Lazenby, who teaches school at The Grove, is visiting this week with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Horace Jackson and children of Seymour are visiting with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Gilder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. Johnson and Mrs. T. C. Walker of Denton spent the holidays with friends and relatives here.

MARKET REPORT

(As of Dec. 26)

Mohair	25c to 35c
Wool	22c
Wheat	75c
Pecans	3 1/2
Corn, shelled	55c
Ground Corn	75c
Corn, ear	40c
Oats, sacked	22c
Oats, loose	20c
Cream, No. 1	27c
Cream, No. 2	25c
Cottonseed, ton	\$28
Eggs	17c
Hens	10c to 12c
Flyers	12c to 14c
Roosters	4c

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ATTENTION TO RAILROADS

It hardly seems possible that there should be a necessity for speakers to oppose government ownership of the railroads. Government ownership and operation of anything that comes in competition with private enterprise is contrary to the American system of government, and as long as that system is the accepted system for governing the United States, government ownership should never be a serious issue.

The lack of success, both financially and operationally speaking, that the government experienced when it took over the management of the railroads during the World war, has precluded the question's serious consideration within the memory of the people who were familiar with those facts. There are always those who want change for change's sake, without weighing the lessons taught by experience.

Senator Wheeler, chairman of the Senate interstate commerce committee, has sponsored a bill to provide for government ownership, control and operation. This bill is sponsored by organized minorities, and would be favored by some groups in the hope that the government would be responsible for the indebtedness of the railroads.

The address of Mr. T. H. Hayes, assistant general manager of the Wabash railroad, before the Houston traffic club and the Young Men's Division of the Chamber of Commerce, calls attention to these points. In the course of his speech, he quoted the Honorable Sam Rayburn as saying: "We cannot afford to put transportation into politics. I oppose government, and I tremble at the thought of adding 1,000,000 people to the civil rolls of the government."

"We had a taste of government ownership during the war period. It cost the taxpayers \$1,200,000,000 to indulge in the experiment."

Traditionally, The Post has been opposed to government ownership. The traditional reasoning for opposing government ownership was and is that such procedure on the part of the government would in time result in complete socialization of America. The traditional reason remains a forceful one, and a sound one. There is now another reason why The Post opposes government ownership, and that is that the United States has a place to spend all of the money or credit it can lay its hands on without playing taking Aladdin's lamp away from him to wish ourselves into prosperous government ownership of the railroads.

If the government-ownership theorists believe that consolidations and mergers should take place, as unquestionably should occur, they might recall that such consolidations looking to economy might take place under private ownership, if the government were willing.—The Houston Post.

WORLD COMMENT



By JOE BURNS

ANTI-SOVIET activities of the German Government last year caused the Russians to increase their standing army from 550,000 to 950,000 making it the largest armed force in the world. Tension along the Manchukuoan border, where Japanese and native soldiers

have been making raids into Soviet territory, has resulted in spirited naval activity in Russian shipyards.

Fearing complete isolation from the rest of the world in the event of a war with Germany on the west and Japan on the east, the Soviets have quadrupled their submarine and destroyer fleets in the last four years.

Said the government newspaper:

"Soviet Russia is always the bearer of the standards of peace but it will answer threats of invasion with an increase of armed forces.

"The enemy who dares attack the Soviet Union from the Baltic (Germany) or the Pacific (Japan) will feel the force of our submarine and surface

fleets as well as their quick mobility."

Russia does not intend to relinquish control of the Baltic to the new German navy. Moscow is able and willing to match Nazi naval appropriations, as the financial condition of the Communist Government is even stronger than that of the Nazis. Berlin recently earmarked \$200,000,000 for naval construction, most of which will go into submarines.

The Union's naval forces in the Pacific could not cope with the fleet of Imperial Japan. On the other hand, Japan cannot match the Soviets in the air, so things seem about even in the Far East.

CONGRESS assembles the first week in January for what will be the last session before Mr. Roosevelt must face the electorate. The entire House of Representatives and 32 Senators must also go before their constituents and defend their records as legislators.

Last June 40 Senators of both parties risked their political scalps to sustain the President's veto of the Patman inflationary bonus bill. In the House only 98 votes to sustain to 322 to override.

This session bonuses will be back stronger than ever, demanding payment in full. That the House will acquiesce to demands and threats for approval of such a bill is common knowledge.

But what about the Senate? Fourteen of the 40 Senators who voted to sustain the President's veto are up for re-election next November and have to enter primaries in the summer. Political tradition says most of these 14 will vote against the President if he vetoes the new bonus bill. Only 64 or 10 more than were mustered by the opposition last time will be needed to override the executive veto.

Vice-President Garner, Speaker Joe Byrns, Senator Robinson and James Byrnes and others are in Washington working out plans for the coming session. All agree that the bonus will be voted, veto or no veto, and that there's nothing President Roosevelt can do about it.

Two violent critics of the Administration will be missing when the roll is called in the Senate. Huey Pierce Long, better known as the Louisiana "Kingfish," and Thomas D. Schall, blind senator from Minnesota, have met tragic deaths in the last four months. Senator Long was assassinated in the Louisiana State Capitol by a mentally-unbalanced physician. Schall died last week after being struck by an automobile while crossing a highway.

Senator Long harassed Administration leaders throughout the last session and threatened to run against Roosevelt on a third-party ticket. Schall, will not going to the extreme as did the Louisianan, subjected Administration measures and policies to constant criticism.

The death of Schall reduces Republican minority in the Senate to 25, the lowest in the history of the party. It also means that Minnesota is now firmly in the grasp of the Farmer-Labor party, a combination of Socialists, Communists, agrarians, and agitators. Farmer-Laborite Shipstead was re-elected to the Senate in the last election and Floyd Olson, also a member of the party, is governor and undoubtedly will appoint a Farmer-Labor member to the vacant senate seat.

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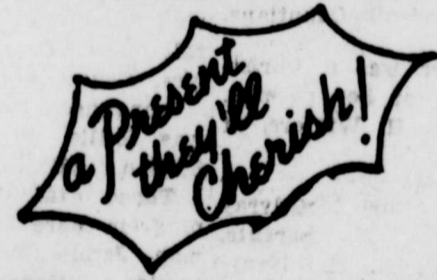
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YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND
Director, Physical and Health Education
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

HEALTH INSPECTION BY THE TEACHER

The teacher is in a strategic position to become the most potent factor in the health education of the child. In addition to instructing the pupil in health he has daily the opportunity for observing the signs which give tentative evidence of existing disease or defect. In overlooking this opportunity he is guilty of neglect in a degree far greater than any lack of efficiency in the supervision of studies.

The teacher is not permitted by law to conduct examinations or to diagnose, but because of his position of responsibility, it is expected that he be ever on the alert to detect what appear to be defects, abnormalities, or disease, and that he report his suspicion to the school physician or the nurse.

Not infrequently the aid of teachers is enlisted by school physicians to facilitate handling of large numbers of pupils, thus completing the health examinations early in the school term. In such instances, the teachers are requested to look for and report on one or more of the following items: signs of eye-strain; red eyelids, defective hearings, malnutrition, mouth breathing, decayed teeth, skin eruptions, signs of nervousness, speech defects, breathlessness, unusual pallor, fatigue, disinclination to play, inattention, and frequent scratching.

Does your child receive his daily milk at school? Dr. Ireland will tell why in his next article.

The Aftermath of Sudden Death

The Lonely Pedestrian

Such a freak. We found his arm, hanging on the latch of the car door, torn completely from the socket at the elbow. The mangled body lay doubled up in the ditch nearby.

Just an old man walking along in the dark on the wrong side of the road, the car coming over the brow of the hill, headlights shooting up. Not a chance of escaping it.

Dense Fog

The lunch for school was in the back seat, the case of eggs for the grocer intact, but the beautiful life of a little school-girl was gone forever.

A foggy morning, a narrow bridge. The sharp, splintered end of the bridge rail drove through the windshield and tore away one side of her face.

Poor little brother, who had been driving, how heartbroken and sorrowful. It was hard to see, and how was he to know that he should have pulled to the side of the road and stopped until the fog lifted, even though they were late for school?

Loose Gravel

Not much to do this time. The whole thing was on fire when we arrived. We could see his tracks where he had come over the top of the hill and hit the loose gravel.

The warning sign was up so the Highway Department had fulfilled its duty, but there it lay where it had skidded and turned completely around and over. A twisted mass of hot iron, that fetid smell of burn-

ing flesh and a few bones to tell the tale.

How will we prepare these remains for burial? Well, how would you?

And so it goes, on and on, in the small town of not quite 3,000. Add what befalls us here to the tragic toll in metropolitan cities and the countless towns larger than ours, and we have a very faint idea of what is happening on our highways.

Over 36,000 killed this way last year. Will it be more next year? And will you be one of that number? Why won't you?

CHURCHES

First Christian Church
Bible study at 10 o'clock every Lord's Day morning. Come and worship with us.

German Bethel Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m., with classes for old and young German and English speaking Americans.

Preaching service in German 11 a. m.

BYPU service each Sunday evening at 7:00.

Preaching service 8:00 p. m. until further notice. The evening services are in the language we all understand. We extend to all a very hearty welcome.

W. H. Bueening Pastor

Church of Christ
Tenth and Saunders
The Church of Christ invites you to attend its regular services.

Bible Study, 10 a. m. Sunday.
Communion Service, 11 a. m. Sunday.

Young Peoples Class at 6:15 p. m. Sunday.

Ladies Bible Class at 3 p. m. Tuesday.

Wednesday Evening Service at 7 p. m.

Bro. Edwin Prewitt will talk at both morning and evening services. Everyone is invited to

attend each of these services.

"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth while the evil days come not nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, 'I have no pleasure in them.'" Ecclesiastes 12:1.

First Baptist Church

Last Sunday was a fitting Pre-Christmas Sunday in every way. Four more were added to the church.

The praises of the pianist, choir and orchestra and Mrs. Honeycutt are being sung by the multitudes who filled the large auditorium to capacity to hear the great musical program last Sunday night.

Come Sunday, the last one of the year 1935.

Sunday School, Sunday 9:45.
Baptist Training Union Sunday Evening at 6 o'clock.

The pastor will preach Sunday morning on "The Christ of Yesterday, Today and Forever."

Sunday night at 7 o'clock the pastor will preach on "The Things That Remain."

Wednesday night, Jan. 1, at 7 o'clock the Church family is requested to be present at this, the first Wednesday night of the New Year. The pastor will give the preview of the gospel of Luke which will be studied in the Sunday School for the next six months.

Below is the pastor's New Year's wish for you.

God Make Your Year a Happy One—

Not by shielding you from all sorrow and pain, but by strengthening you to bear it if it comes.

Not by making your path easy, but by making you sturdy enough to tread any path.

Not by taking hardships from you, but by taking all cowardice and fear from your heart as you meet hardship.

Not by granting you unbroken sunshine, but by keeping your face bright even in the shadows.

Not by making your life al-

ways pleasant, but by showing you where man and his cause need you most and by making you zealous to be there and to help.

Not by keeping you from battle, but by bringing you off every field more than conqueror through Christ Who Loves You.

God make your Year a Happy One.

SUN CARNIVAL AT EL PASO JAN. 1 WILL OPEN CENTENNIAL YEAR

Dallas, Dec. 23.—A huge birthday cake, in celebration of Texas' one hundredth birthday will be the contribution of the Texas Centennial Exposition to the Sun Carnival which will open Centennial year at El Paso, January 1.

The enormous cake will be placed on a float in the Sun Carnival parade. It will have one immense candle signifying the one hundredth anniversary of Texas liberty. On the float will be seated a Dallas debutante representing the Centennial Exposition. She will be equipped with a monster cake knife, ten feet long with which to slice the birthday offering.

The float will fly for the first time the flag of the Texas Centennial Exposition, its colors composite of the six emblems which have flown above Texas soil. Inscriptions on the float convey birthday greetings to

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"THANKS A MILLION" LAVISH IN STARS

It is a matter of record in Hollywood that from the viewpoint of proportion of money spent on stars, "Thanks a Million," which comes New Year's Eve to the Palace Theatre, is one of the most expensive stories to ever go before the camera.

Where the average picture is budgeted to spend twenty-five per cent of its total on talent, "Thanks a Million" lavished almost fifty per cent. One glance at its cast will show why.

Starring Dick Powell and introducing Fred Allen to the screen, the picture includes in its lavish cast Ann Dvorak, Paul Whiteman and his band with Ramona, Rubincoff, the Yacht Club Boys, Patsy Kelly, the King's Men, Raymond Walburn, Alan Dinehart and Margaret Irving.

Another reason for the large cost of "Thanks a Million" was the additional expense of shooting in both New York and Hollywood simultaneously.

Directed by Roy Del Ruth, who brought "Broadway Melody of 1936" to the screen, "Thanks a Million" was personally directed by Darryl F. Zanuck.

News Fashion Suggestion



May we suggest the crisp taffeta in spring-like prints. The very murmuring of the taffeta sounds like the rustle of spring! The colors will put new life into your wardrobe and you! Tiny designs to flatter your figure.

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The New Year theme will be carried throughout all services Sunday.

Sunday School 9:45 Sunday.
Church at 11 a. m. Sunday.
Young People's Meeting at 6:15 Sunday.

Services at 7 p. m. Sunday.
The pastor will hold services at the Juvenile School Sunday afternoon at 2 and 3 o'clock.

Everyone is invited to attend our services.

Rev. M. M. Chunn, Pastor.

BRUNK'S COMEDIANS OPEN TENT SHOW HERE MON., 30TH.

Headlining Abe Rosewall, who is the principal comedian with the Henry L. and Glen D. (original) Brunk's comedians, will be in Gatesville beginning Monday, Dec. 30. The spacious heated tent will be located on the lot south of Caruth's rock gin, under the auspices of the Fire Boys.

Rosewall has had wide experience in all lines of the dramatic show business, from Broadway in New York to Hill Street in Los Angeles. He is the type of comedian who seems to know just what the public likes to

see and hear over the foot-lights. Mr. Rosewall joined the Henry L. and Glen D. Brunk's Comedians the middle of the summer for the Fall and Winter engagement, and when contracts were made with this capable performer, the Brunk



brothers had especially the show-goers of Gatesville and vicinity in mind. Mr. Rosewall came direct to Glen and Henry's show from Hollywood where he

was connected with the Hal Roach studios.

At the termination of his contract with the Brunk Bros. he will return to Hollywood where he will again be with the Hal Roach Company.

The first performance of the show will be Monday night, and will be "Tamed and How," a 3-act comedy-drama, and interspersed between acts will be four acts of snappy vaudeville.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Reesing spent Christmas Day in Waco visiting his father there.

Joe Wyatt of Dallas was a guest of Miss Mimi Wilson last Wednesday.

John Rufus Colgin, Jack Straw and Jack Hestilow were Waco visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Turpin of Austin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Turpin.

Miss Francis Austin spent Christmas in Temple with relatives.

Matie Davis and daughter, Yvonne, visited relatives at Levita during Christmas.

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PERSONAL

J. B. Saint spent Christmas day in Waco visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Little and children of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Beerwinke spent Wednesday in Llano visiting her relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Welch of Galveston are visiting relatives here this week.

Judge and Mrs. Gambell of Denton spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brenholtz at Turnersville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Riley of Amarillo spent the Christmas holidays with his sister, Mrs. George Bone of this city.

Mrs. Jack Britain and son and Evan Hall of Port Arthur are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall at Arnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Laxson of Belton spent Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laxson of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Benson departed Wednesday to visit relatives in Kerrville, Menard and Breckenridge.

Mrs. John Voss and daughter, Louise, are visiting Mrs. Mrs. F. D. McCrockin at Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. McCombs and Mrs. R. D. McCombs were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mathews several days this week.

Miss Imogene Powell left Thursday for her home in Fort Worth after spending the Xmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Powell.

Miss Erma Lee Rutherford, student in Howard Payne College, Brownwood, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Rutherford, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Powell are visiting relatives in Navasota this week.

Mary Alice Britain of Osage is spending the Christmas holidays in Denton and Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pritchett of Little Rock, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maxwell spent Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Maxwell, of Purmela.

Mrs. Ada Dallas Rennert of San Antonio was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Voss.

Mrs. H. P. Sullivan of Trinity is a guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rutherford, Wilma Edmondson and Mrs. H. P. Sullivan were Dallas visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wright and family of Big Spring are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Glaze of this city.

Mrs. W. G. Campbell and Jo Beth spent Christmas day with their parents and Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Looper of Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chambers of Copperas Cove spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGlothlin of Gatesville.

George Galloway of Skidmore was a guest of Miss Louise Voss over last week end. Miss Helen Hirsch and Turner Hatton of Skidmore also visited Miss Voss over the week end.

Christmas visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Culberson were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and son David, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Schley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whigham of O'Donald and daughter Jerry, and Billy Culberson of Greenville and Miss Gladys Hender-son of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Chapman are visiting in Copeland this week with her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Sadler of Waco were holidays visitors of his mother, Mrs. Harvey Sadler.

Mrs. Grace Barber of Waco spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. M. Pattillo.

Mrs. Kittie C. Cotton of Oklahoma City is visiting in the J. P. Mounce home.

C. F. Stockburger of Corsicana visited relatives in Gatesville Thursday.

Miss Lois Welch left Tuesday to visit her sister, Miss Lucille Welch, at San Angelo.

Miss Marynell Mason of Austin visited Miss Effie Yows during Christmas.

Miss Sammy Martin is visiting friends in Gatesville several days this week.

Owen Crow Jr., who is attending school at Seymour, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Owen Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Guggolz of Temple spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Guggolz.

R. B. Curry Jr. of Dallas spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry Sr.

Miss Leta Bennett of Wichita Falls was a Christmas visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. T. M. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gloff returned to their home in Gatesville Wednesday night after visiting their parents in Clifton.

Pleas Post and daughter, Helon, are spending this week in Reagon visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dick Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Velda Bradford of Winters are guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. S. Farmer.

Biggs Franks left Thursday for Waxahachie after spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Franks and daughter of Hamilton visited last Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Bud Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ward and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chamlee and daughter spent Christmas in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wolverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley and children of Lawton, Okla., are Christmas holiday guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rubarth.

Rev. and Mrs. Jan McMurray and daughter of Waxahachie are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hickey arrived Thursday from their home in Longview to spend several days in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meadows.

Mary Ella Schloeman, who teaches in the Methodist Home in Waco, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schloeman, during the Christmas holidays.

Morris Roberts was a Gatesville visitor Wednesday. Mrs. Roberts and daughter, who have been visiting here with her father, Boone Gordon, accompanied him home in Pettus Wednesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nick Miller and daughter of Cisco are visiting in the home of her mother, Bob Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gafner of Brownwood are visiting several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hardecastle.

Miss Francis Goodall, who is a student at Daniel Baker in Brownwood, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Ethel Goodall, at the State Training School.

Miss Vivian Grant, who is nurse in a Jacksonville Hospital, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grant, this week.

Miss Mimi Wilson, teacher in the Taylor Public Schools, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson.

Miss Jacqueline West, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben West, left Thursday for Dallas from which place she will depart Saturday for California to attend the Rose Bowl football game.

Wesley Ford spent Christmas Day in Austin visiting his parents.

Madge Miller is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gray in Sweetwater several days this week.

R. G. Davidson of Fort Worth visited his mother, Mrs. T. M. Davidson, Christmas Day.

Miss Emma Catherine O'Dell of Waco is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Prewitt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hammack of Dallas are guests this week in the home of his mother, Mrs. W. W. Hammack.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stover of Teague arrived in Gatesville Wednesday to spend several days in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Baldridge.

Miss Caroline Hampton of Waco is a nurse in the Provident Hospital, spent several days this week with her mother, Mrs. Daisy Hampton, of the State Training School.

Little House On Motion Picture Lot For Playtime Hours Of Studio Kids



HOLLYWOOD studio life isn't all artificiality for these children under contract to Paramount. Of course there are the intervals when film and sound apparatus record their mock life with technicians and directors coaching from the sidelines, but they go to school, too, and, what's just as important, they play!

Look at the playhouse provided on the studio grounds for the especial pleasure of the youngsters lucky enough to be employed there. Excepting Baby LeRoy at the extreme left, who seems to be pre-

occupied with the interpretation of his next role, observe the smile on the faces of Lois Kent, next to him, and David Holt, Virginia Weidler, Billy Lee and Betty Holt.

Six typical American children, aren't they? This easily could be a scene in almost any backyard, anywhere, simple clothes and all. It upsets certain conceptions of Hollywood. One can imagine a clothesline just around the corner, a washing machine swishing in a nearby home, the whole average American household scene, instead of Klieg lights and great studios.

EVANT NEWS

Miss Ellen Douglas Brooks, student at Southwestern University, Georgetown, came in Saturday to spend the holidays with home folks and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. "Dode" Sims were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Rhodes. Friends are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Wilson make their home with us, moving recently from Ireland. Mr. Wilson has employment with Mr. Charlie Longmire.

Mesdames J. Y. Hamilton, Bob Belcher, Beckham Guthrie and Benson were shopping in Waco last Thursday.

Miss Callie Irene Burney, a student at Tarleton, Stephen-

ville, came in Saturday to spend the holidays with home folks.

Mrs. Sensil Collier of Hamilton is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Sam Christian.

Mr. Karess Newton and family have recently moved to our little town. Mr. Newton is employed as mechanic at Mitchell Winters' garage, taking the place of Mr. Otto Kirsch, who has moved to the farm.

One of the most charming social affairs the High School Seniors have had was the bridge party given by Miss Glenn Ashton at her home last Wednesday night. Expressing it in the words of one of the seniors, "it was simply grand."

Mr. Bual Warren of Post, Texas, is here to spend the holidays with his grandmother,

Mrs. Dave Warren and other relatives.

Prof. J. C. Elam, Supt. of Adamsville School, was an Evant visitor Monday.

TURNERSVILLE

Misses Vivian and Edith Pardue and Ben Garren are spending the holidays in Childress and Amarillo.

Mrs. Judge Gambrell of Denton is spending the holidays in the E. A. Brenholt home.

Rev. A. J. Armstrong and family of Asherton are visiting in the J. W. McKinney home.

Earl McKinney and family are visiting in Weatherford.

Neil McDonald of Victoria, Misses Carmey and Fern McDonald of El Campo are visiting in the F. W. McDonald home.

Rev. Barnes and family are spending the holidays in San Angelo.

Earl Clary is visiting in Coleman this week.

Delma McNeill and wife of Rosebud, Will McNeill of Valley Mills were recent visitors in the Lee McCoy home.

Misses Sybol McClendon, Lillian Garren, J. T. Garren, and Grady Tharp of Denton State Teachers College, Beverly Basham of Austin College, Miss Wilma and Duane Hobin of John Tarleton, Ralph Calthorp of Amarillo, and J. T. Williams of A. & M. are here for the Christmas holidays.

BROWN'S CREEK

The people enjoyed the Christmas program and tree very much at the school house last Friday night.

Mrs. Lewis Autrey, who is teaching at Brown's Creek, will spend the holidays with her husband and son at Turnover.

Misses Edith Mae and Pearl York spent Wednesday night with Mrs. R. L. Reneau and little son, O'Neil, of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weaver attended the Christmas program at Friendship Friday night.

Mrs. Date Morris of Temple is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Autrey of Friendship, Mrs. M. C. Andrews of Gatesville, Mr. Lewis Autrey and son, L. J. of Turnover attended the Christmas program here Friday night.

Mrs. Andrews of Gatesville spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Will York.

OYSTERS SUPPLY HEALTH AT LITTLE COST

Anywhere else but in America the oyster is a luxury, but here it is a delicacy well within the reach of everyone's purse. The oyster is an American staple, obtainable nearly everywhere at low or moderate prices.

But the housewife too often treats oysters as an item of expense to be purchased only to give a rare flavor of luxury to holiday meals instead of adding them frequently to her daily menu to give her family many opportunities to enjoy a princely flavor and to benefit from the wealth of mineral elements so necessary to the proper diet.

The American oyster, prized by visiting celebrities, has been obscured by the shadow of its own reputation as one of the finest of foods. The "Diamond Jim" Bradys gave the oyster a luxury value in the early years of the century which has inspired in the housewife's mind the thought that the oyster is either expensive or dif-

icult to prepare for the table. An atmosphere of expense and luxury, surrounding the oyster, has prevented it from being a common household food.

What few surveys have been made show that many American homes go through every oyster season without so much as a single oyster reaching the table. Many other families eat oysters but once or twice throughout the year. Even the most casual study of the oyster, its food value and recipes for its preparation, should convince that it has merits which should bring it into the kitchen of the home many, many times during the oyster season, increasing its use at least twenty fold.

In the high mineral content and the vitamin richness lies the chief value of the oyster as a food supplying vitality and strength. The oyster is particularly rich in iron combined with copper, a combination vital in preventing anemia. At the same time the oyster is not a fattening food, despite its recognized value as a body-builder.

Every standard cook book contains all the more common recipes for preparing oysters, and not one omits the oyster

stew, which is one of America's genuine contributions to the art of cooking.

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- W. T. Laxson.....Justice Peace
- Precinct No. 3—Pearl**
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 - W. A. Bynum.....Constable
- Precinct 4—Copperas Cove**
- Louis Dewald.....Justice Peace
 - Alaska Lam.....Constable
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 - Jack Palmer.....Constable
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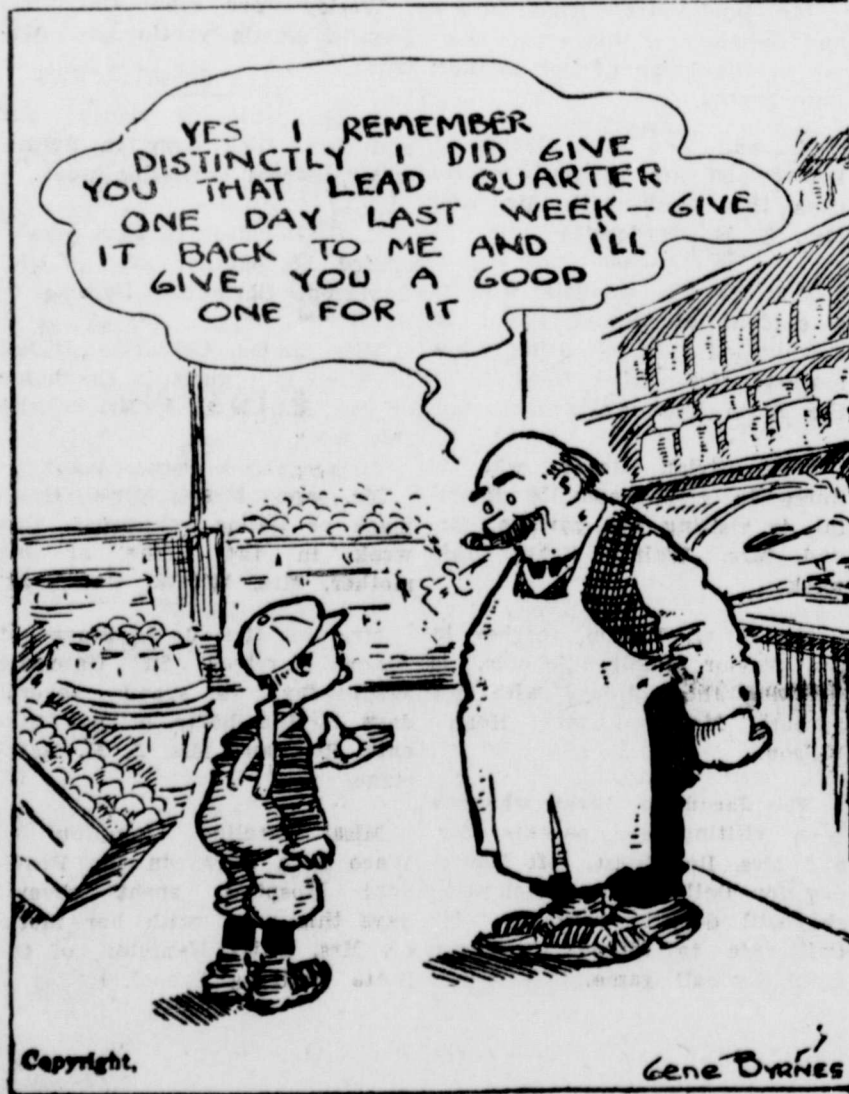
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SYNOPSIS
Shortly after California's admission to the Union, Joe Kincaid, an American land-grabber, begins to plunder Spanish ranchos and file claims on them under American laws. A band of vigilantes led by a mysterious Don Carlos opposes him. Jim Kearney, a secret agent of the government, saves Kincaid from being hung by Don Carlos and his men. On his way to Monterey after the rescue, Jim meets Rosita, daughter of Don Pascual Castro, wealthy land-owner against whom Kincaid has made threats, and falls in love with her.

CHAPTER III
AFTER weary miles of walking, Jim Kearney arrived in Monterey and went straight to Mayor Hill's office. Despite the lateness of the hour, the executive was waiting. He greeted the mysterious Kearney with delight.

"I had about given up hope of seeing you," he said with great relief. "Heard from the stagecoach driver that you had dropped off for a single-handed brush with Don Carlos. I was afraid you'd be shot or strung up."

"I'm sorry I am so late," apologized the girl, "I was with Father Antonio, confessing my sins."
"All these hours?" grumbled her father.

"I have so many sins," she answered gaily. "And it's such a pleasure to tell them."
As she spoke Kincaid and Mayor Hill approached. The land-grabber was angrily informing the mayor that something had to be done about Don Carlos. "I had a little mixup with him," he said, rubbing his sore throat reflectively.

"What kind of a man is this Carlos, senior," interrupted Rosita, leaning down from her throne, "that he would dare such a thing—what did you call it—mixup?"

"Oh, he had his men with him," Kincaid answered with a stiff bow. "It was probably just a joke anyway."

"Tell me about him," teased the girl. "Is he big and strong . . . like you?"

Tonight may be my true lover is here.

He may be a torero
He may be a vaquero
Or he may be YOU!"

With the last word the girl pointed her finger straight at Kearney. The applause from the crowd was terrific, and shouts of "Que baile!" "El baile de sombrero!" filled the air.

As Rosita bowed and started to leave, the men began tossing their big hats onto the platform at her feet. The orchestra started a dance tune and the senorita began her sombrero dance.

Castro and Don Luis were annoyed at what they considered her lack of dignity but Dona Petrona was pleased and amused.

"Bless me, the girl's got spirit. Wish I could do that myself," she beamed.

Kearney watched her graceful evolutions with delight. Finally he turned to an old Spaniard beside him and asked:

"If she dances on a man's hat it means she likes him, doesn't it?"
"Si, senior."
"Say, could you lend me yours?"



Rosita started to sing an old Spanish song in a rich contralto.

Jim immediately launched into an account of his encounter with the bandit. When he had finished, Hill shook his head doubtfully.

"You did the only thing possible under the circumstances, seeing that you are a government agent," he sighed. "But I can't help wishing that stage coach had been a little late. If ever a man needed hanging it was Joe Kincaid, the land grabber. You'll find it's your headache, Kearney. With Kincaid out of the way your job'd be half done."

"Just the same, hanging people is a government monopoly."

"Remember, I'm at your service at any time," said the raw-boned mayor after a moment's thought. "Make this place your headquarters."

"That's just what I can't do. I've got to play this hand alone from now on. Whatever happens, you don't know a thing. I'm nobody . . . you never heard of me."

"I can see you're going to be pretty busy in this crazy place," sighed the mayor. Then, brightening. But don't miss the fiesta tonight."

"Even a government man takes a night off now and then," laughed Jim as he saluted and moved toward the door through which came the sound of the revelry in the streets outside.

While Kearney had been conferring with Hill, Rosita had arrived at the fiesta and taken her place on the throne of the Queen. Don Luis, Castro, Dona Petrona and others of the household who had been awaiting her arrival with growing anxiety, sighed with relief.

"He's a little squirt not any taller than yourself," grumbled the land grabber. "Why, a girl like you wouldn't look at him twice. But anyway, he's out tonight, riding a white horse. I don't need the reward, but I thought the dough might come in handy for Hill or some of his boys."

Kincaid made a contemptuous gesture toward the mayor and was about to leave when the Tecolero, or Master of Ceremonies, entered, turned to Rosita and announced:

"Time for your song Senorita. Allow me." Taking her arm, he led her toward the platform where the entertainment was commencing. An ensemble of dancers retired at Rosita's approach, while the crowd, which knew of her ability as a singer, cheered wildly. Some of them shouted for the song. Others begged her to dance. The Tecolero held up his hand and as the tumult subsided, Rosita started to sing an old Spanish song in a rich contralto.

"My true lover is strong and fearless and fine
And his kisses are like roses and wine;
I'm a poor little senorita
And to think I would ever a
Lover so divina . . .
But he's only a dream."

As the song continued, Kearney, who had been wandering about in search of amusement, crowded into the front rank of Rosita's audience, and stood at the edge of the platform, smiling at her, as she sang:

"Tonight may be the night
when he will appear."

"It is my pleasure," answered the other, handing him his huge sombrero.

Kearney caught the dancer's eye, then tossed the hat to the platform. Her feet came closer and closer to it, then retreated teasingly. Finally, as the crowd murmured its delight, she stepped onto the wide brim and began to encircle it.

"The hat of an American. I will not allow . . ." began Castro.

"You will not allow yourself to make a scene," whispered Dona Petrona, and her son subsided.

As Rosita finished the dance and started to run back to her box, Kearney leaped forward and followed her. Don Luis and Castro glared at what they considered the American's bad manners but Rosita introduced her family with a flourish.

"We are going, Rosita," said Castro as he turned brusquely away. "The coach is waiting."

As Don Luis also walked away frowning, Kearney looked at him with distaste.

"Your brother?" he asked, nodding toward the young Spaniard. Don Luis?" asked Rosita. Then, with a mocking smile. "No, no, he's my husband. . . ."

As Kearney stood crestfallen, the girl, who had started to follow the others, turned back and added: ". . . my husband . . . to be."

(To be continued)

OSAGE ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Hartwick and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Short Hartwick and daughter left last week for Arkansas where they will visit relatives.

Mr. John Bland of Merkel is visiting relatives here.

Wayne Jayce and Stanley

Tubbs came in from Dallas to spend Christmas with their parents.

Mr. E. Sheffield left for Cameron Monday where he will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Martin of Bryan are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson and children of Gatesville spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and

Mrs. W. D. Craddock.

Miss Jimmie Doris Edwards, who is attending C. I. A., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Tubbs and daughters of Brownwood are visiting relatives here.

Miss Willie Bland of Crawford is spending the holidays in the J. F. Wallace home.

Several from here were Waco visitors Monday.

Miss Virginia McHargue, a teacher in the school, has gone to spend Christmas with her parents in White Hall. Mr. Earl Hite, also a teacher, has gone to his home in Hillsboro.

We are all sorry to hear of Mr. Robert Tubbs' store being burned in Crawford Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Craddock and children of Lamesa and Miss Mary Craddock of Merkel spent Christmas in the J. T. Craddock home.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coryell County, Greetings.

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of U. Jane McGee, whose names are unknown and the legal representatives of the deceased, U. Jane McGee, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Coryell County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, in the town of Gatesville, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in January A. D. 1936, being the 13th day of January A. D. 1936, then and there to answer a petition filed in said cause on the 12th day of December A. D. 1935, in a cause numbered 4603, where in Beulah Stone Gilmore and husband G. W. Gilmore, are plaintiffs and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of U. Jane McGee, are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Suit to perfect title by reason of the fact that the said Beulah Stone Gilmore, joined by her husband, proforma, have held under title and color of title the land described for three years; that said parties have held and had same by peaceable, continuous and adverse possession for 5 years and paid all taxes on same. That said parties claim same under ten years adverse possession; that said parties have paid all taxes on same. The land being described as follows:

All that certain parcel of land situated in town of Gatesville, Coryell County, Texas and being Block eighty three (83) according to the Plot of said town of Gatesville.

Your are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same one in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your County, before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and

the seal of said Court, in the town of Gatesville, this the 12th day of December A. D. 1935.

P. M. POST,
Clerk District Court,
Coryell County, Texas.

(Seal)
By Lillie Mae Summers, Deputy.
102-4-6-8c

Robert Bigham and wife of New York, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bigham of the Brown's Creek community, have returned to their home in that city.



—FOR SALE—One nice Jersey milch cow. See Cam McGilvray at Gatesville Nat'l. Bank. 2-1tp

—FOR SALE—Fresh Milk cows. Also fresh goat. See O. Glass at Levita. 104-3tp

—FOR RENT—6 room house, modern conveniences, reasonable. See Jack Horne. 1-3tc

USED RADIOS

Used electric and two volt battery radios at bargain prices. In perfect condition and guaranteed. Come in and see them. Also large stock of new sets. Mayes' Studio and Radio Shop Phone 219. 2-1tc

—WANTED: Turkeys, Chickens, Eggs, Cream, Hides and Beeswax. See George Miller. 90-9tc

—FOR SALE—8-foot Aermotor windmill on 25 foot tower. Arthur Schloeman. 104-1tc

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is the time you should be getting the best programs of the year on your radio! Have your set checked over and put in first class condition. All work absolutely guaranteed. Marvin F. VanCleave, radio technician, at Mayes Studio and Radio Shop. 2-1tc

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—FOR SALE: Small established cash Business, reasonable. Reason selling, have another Business. Inquire at News' Office. 2-1tc

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—FOR SALE—Full blood Poland China hogs. Boars and gilts, around 165 pounds. Sam Hinson, 15 miles South Gatesville on Georgetown Road. 1-1tfc

—SECOND HAND FURNITURE: Bought, Sold, Exchanged. Byron Leaird's Furniture Department. 80-tfc

—NURSERY STOCK FOR SALE—Fruit trees, grapes, berries, persimmons, arbor-vitae, shade trees, hedge plants, roses, etc. All are state inspected and acclimated. My trees are as good as the best. My prices are reasonable. Wilson's Nursery, Phone 3404, 4 miles north of Gatesville. 103-tfc

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A First National Picture with ANN DVORAK - WILLIAM GARGAN - PATRICIA ELLIS THE 5 MAXELLOS Scores of Others



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"Guard That Girl"

Plus Good Comedy

and

"Tail Spin Tommy"

REGAL SATURDAY

"MELODY TRAIL"

A swell Show with Gene Autrey, the singing Cowboy, Comedy and

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RITZ THEATRE SHOWING TODAY

"THE DAWN RIDER"

With Buck Jones

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COMING TO THE REGAL NEXT TUESDAY

"THE DARK ANGEL"

We are bringing this swell picture back by request, and urge you not to miss it. Remember just one day only—Next Tuesday, afternoon and night.

10:30 SHOW AT THE REGAL NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

"TWO SINNERS"

A swell Show with Otto Cruger. Plus Comedy and Mickey Mouse (in color). Good bye 1935—Hello 1936.

"Thanks a Million" folks for your patronage the past year. Come to our mid-night Show next Tuesday night and let's usher in the New Year with a "Bang."

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