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## “Get Washington Told;” Farmers Meet in Waco

### Department Accepts Winfield Lot As Site New Gatesville Post Office

Eddie Winfield, owner of the site selected for the new Post Office building has just received a letter from the Procurement Department of the Post Office Department that the property selected has been officially received.

All papers and blue prints have been signed and returned to the department, finishing the transaction, and assuring that this will be the site of the new post office.

Mr. Winfield stated he expected written notice immediately to start clearing the site so that construction may be started.

### John E. Miller Makes Statement of Platform To Voters of Dist. 94

To the Voters of the 94th Representative District:

In making my announcement for this office, I feel it is proper to state something concerning myself, for the benefit of those who do not know me. I am 25 years of age, married, and was born and reared at Flat in the south-eastern part of Coryell County. I enter the race for this office upon my own initiative realizing the grave responsibility that rests upon the law-makers of Texas. Should I be elected it will be my honest endeavor to preserve the rights of the common people.

In soliciting consideration of the voters of this District, I shall be glad to let you know what reforms and policies I advocate. I strongly advocate a unicameral Legislature. As it is under our present system, a few men who are elected on conference committees really do most of our law-making. It is comparatively easy for lobbyists and money interests to influence legislation, while the majority of the representatives are almost without a say in making laws. Our system of legislation has become undemocratic and unless this unwieldy organization is modified we will continue to suffer. A one-house Legislature can more expeditiously and economically carry out the work of legislation, and do away with the improperly influenced conference committee.

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### B. L. (Ben) Morrison Makes Statement in Co. Treasurer Race

I am taking this method of announcing my candidacy for the office of County Treasurer. From 1924 to 1932 I served as Commissioner of Beat No. 4, and am familiar with all departments of the County's work.

I believe in the economical administration of the finances of the County and believe that the County Treasurer should not only keep an accurate record of the County's finances, but should also assist the Commissioner's in working out the proper financial program for the County.

When I took charge of the affairs of Beat No. 4 as Commissioner the beat was indebted to about \$17500.00 and when I went out of the office all debts of the beat were paid and it had a cash balance of several thousand dollars.

I would be glad to have any voter investigate my record as County Commissioner or any other matter that he might see fit.

In the coming campaign I will endeavor to see every voter possible and personally solicit your support, and I will appreciate your investigation of my record, and your vote and influence in the coming election.

Respectfully submitted,  
B. L. MORRISON.  
(Political Adv.)

### “Hold Everything” to Be Presented Again Tonight in H. S. Gym

The first performance of “Hold Everything,” the Gatesville High Senior Play was presented to a large and enthusiastic audience in the local gym last night. The second and last performance will be given tonight, the curtain going up at 7:30. The play was a success from first to last. Frankie Mae Blair was superb as Connie Morgan, the runaway banker's daughter. Neal Chapman's portrayal of Courtney Barrett, Jr. who is thrown into Connie's arms while running away from her, was all that could be desired. Bess Bates as Niobe, the superstitious colored maid kept the audience holding their sides while sitting on the edges of their seats because of the thrills

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Eighty-five hundred farmers of Central Texas are expected to be in Waco at the Cotton Palace Coliseum Saturday morning at 10 a. m. when a mass meeting will be held “to get Washington told,” according to information received from the Chairman of the Texas Agricultural Association, H. G. Lucas.

Farmers in and around Gatesville are asked to be at the courthouse at 8 a. m. Saturday and leave immediately for Waco. Those from other parts of the county will meet the delegation at the Cotton Palace Coliseum at 10 a. m. Saturday.

Also a letter was received from R. A. Gorman of the McLennan County Agricultural Association urging that Coryell County farmers have an adequate delegation as representatives of the farmers.

Purpose of the meeting is to get Washington busy on a substitute for the AAA, as in south Texas, cotton planting is about to begin, and it is imperative that something be started at once.

### Court Handles Only Two Cases; 1st Hung Jury; Other Is Up

Court this week has been going in low, so far, only one case has been disposed of, and one other is up for trial.

Case in process of trial now is Summers vs. Hicks, cross action for damages.

The first case was the State of Texas vs. Tommie Davis, charged with driving car while intoxicated. Jury discharged after being unable to agree, the count remaining 7 to 5, according to reports.

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### Statement Relative To Highway No. 7 in Coryell Co.; By Judge

By Floyd Zeigler, County Judge  
In view of the fact that many people have recently inquired as to the status of Highway No. 7 I take this method of giving the following information.

On January 26, a committee composed of Leake Ayres, Evant T. Brooks, Dick Payne and myself appeared before the State Highway Commission in the interest of Highway No. 7, at which time the following orders were passed by the Commission:

(1) “In Coryell County, it is ordered by the Commission that Highway No. 7 be completed into Gatesville from the East with the present programmed funds or that it be placed on the 1937 regular Federal Aid Program.

“This action is taken on the condition that the Commissioner's Court of Coryell County agrees to secure right-of-way from Gatesville West to the Hamilton County Line. (Minute No. 11773.)”

(2) “In Coryell, Hamilton and Mills Counties, on Highway No. 7, from Gatesville in Coryell County to Goldthwaite in Mills County, upon the agreement of the three counties in-

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### Plot Thickens as Gandy Comes Out For Mayor in Coming City Election

### W. A. Shofner Presents Announcement for the Voters This Sen. Dist.

State Representative W. A. (Son) Shofner, of Bell County yesterday announced his candidacy for State Senator from District No. 21, comprising Bell, Coryell, Bosque, Hamilton and Erath Counties. Mr. Shofner is 30 years of age, married, and is a practicing attorney of Temple. He issues the following statement:

To the Voters of the Twenty-First Senatorial District:

Two years ago, I announced my candidacy for the office of Representative of Bell County, subject to the Democratic primaries. I entered that race upon my own initiative, and not at the instance or request of any clique, clan, group or industry. I promulgated a platform of principles, and expressed my views on matters pertinent to the office I sought. Although this was my first venture in the field of politics, the people of Bell County gave me a majority of more than three thousand votes over an experienced opponent.

I received my commission of office with gratitude and humility, and dedicated myself to a course of action that I hoped would preserve the rights of the common man, and bring predatory interests to an accounting. How faithfully I discharged the duties incumbent upon me, the record will reveal. I stayed on the job and steadfastly urged and fought for the adoption of the policies advocated by me in my campaign. In the uncertain days of the last campaign, I unequivocally

### REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCAL FIRM IN DALLAS

Mr. C. E. Alvis, Mrs. Kit Bridges, and Mrs. Arthur Mathews of the Alvis-Garner firm of this city, left Sunday for Dallas to purchase spring merchandise for the local store. They will be at market for several days.

### PUNCH BOARDS, GAMES OF CHANCE TABOO HERE

To all exhibitors of punch boards or other games of chance:

We have had reports of gambling law violations by exhibition of punch boards and other games of chance. We desire to call to the attention of innocent violators that they are not within the law and to offer the services of our offices where there is any doubt in the mind of the exhibitor as to the legality of the device exhibited.

Sincerely,  
JOE WHITE, Sheriff,  
C. E. ALVIS, JR.,  
County Attorney.

C. E. Gandy has been presented to the voters of Gatesville for the office of Mayor by friends, and, the plot thickens.

Friends of C. E. Gandy have presented his name for The News' City Election column, and so far, no other opposition has been presented for the incumbents in the other city offices which will be up for consideration.

Mr. Gandy is not a novice in city politics and was in the race some four years ago. Rumor has it that some others are considering other races, but so far, nothing definite has been done.



J. MANLEY HEAD

J. Manley Head of Erath County has placed his announcement with The News as a candidate for the office of State Senator.

Mr. Head informs us he has been State Representative from his district for two consecutive terms and that he is also a Stephenville attorney. Mr. Head is married and has one daughter.

Further information for the voters will be furnished by Mr. Head, according to his statement while visiting this office.

### Baptist Church Okehed By Congregation at 11:00 Sun. Morning

Gatesville's finest monument to the Christian religion was officially received by the congregation at the eleven o'clock service Sunday morning, as recommended by the Central Building Committee.

The church extended a vote of thanks to the Pastor, Rev. C. A. Morton. Words of appreciation were spoken by various members of the church.

Equipment is being installed now, and the cornerstone will be laid Sunday, February 9, at 11:00 a. m.

Sunday of this week, the pastor, Rev. C. A. Morton, will announce the date set for the opening service in the new building.

The G. O. P. version is that all gall is concentrated into one party.

### MARKET REPORT

(As of Jan. 30)

Mohair	25c to 35c
Wool	23c
Wheat	75c
Corn, shelled	56c
Corn, ear	75c
Corn, ear	45c
Corn, shelled	55c
Oats, loose	20c
Cream, No. 1	27c
Cream, No. 2	25c
Cottonseed, ton	\$27
Eggs	14c
Eggs	15c
Fryers	12c
Roosters	5c

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**W. A. SHOFNER—**

advocated an old age pension, pledging myself to work and vote for the submission of a constitutional amendment to the end that a legal system of assistance could be set up. I assisted in every possible way, by voice, vote and action, in getting the measure passed by the Legislature.

Prior to the election on the old age pension amendment, when bitter fights were being made against it, and whom no man could tell whether it would be defeated or not, or whether it was popular to espouse it or not, I made speeches in its behalf in various places in my district. Neither the language in the amendment nor the act of the Legislature with reference to the old age pensions are entirely satisfactory to me, still it was the best obtainable under the circumstances. I elected Senator, I shall work for the perfection of this law. I favor the prompt and full payment of these pensions. Those who are eligible are entitled to the money now. They cannot live on explanations.

One of the first things that impressed a new member of the Legislature, who is desirous of enacting wise, just and intelligent legislation, is the impossibility of accomplishing this end under the present cumbersome, inefficient, expensive two chamber system.

The present system of a House of Representatives and a Senate always delays and frequently defeats proper legislation. To illustrate: A bill is passed by the House, then sent to the Senate. The Senate adds amendments, and sends it back to the House. The House refuses to concur in the amendment, then the presiding officer of each House appoints a committee known as a "free conference committee" to adjust the differences. The result is that a few men on these committees write much of the legislation. A majority of the members of a free conference committee are sometimes improperly influenced by the special interests. Indeed, it is generally known that such a system is the most valuable weapon in the hands of lobbyists in their warfare against the rights of the people.

Holding the view that I do upon this subject, caused me to become co-author of a resolution proposing a constitutional amendment setting up an unicameral, or one chamber, legislature. If elected Senator I shall continue my fight for the needed reform.

Having taught in a small school, I believe I am familiar with the problems and needs of the schools. I favor supporting our public school system generously. A child may wait for a good road to be built, or for other forms of public improvement, but he cannot wait for an education, and an education will not wait for him.

I favor a law that would only require a person to pay taxes upon the equity he has in a piece of property. As the law now is, he pays not only on what he possesses, but on his prospect as well. He not only pays on what he has, but what he hopes for. Such a system puts a penalty upon the person desiring a home.

I led the fight in the House for proper utility regulation and taxation. Twice, a bill I sponsored that would have yielded approximately one million dollars to the treasury of the state from the coffers of these rich any tax placed on poverty until

gently advocate improvements institutions, was passed by the House, but died in the Senate.

In Texas in 1934 the power interests charged the consumer 25 millions of dollars more than they would have paid under the T. V. A. rate, or the Tacoma, or Winnipeg rates, and the rates of each of these are accepted by economists as fair.

Real and personal property in Texas are burdened with taxes, yet utilities, oil, natural gas and sulphur companies are escaping even a just tax. Eighty five per cent of the oil produced in Texas is not consumed in Texas. Therefore 85 per cent of the tax that would be levied on oil would not be paid by the citizens of this state. And yet, with this situation being true the tax levied upon oil is negligible compared to the size of the industry. Texas produces practically all of the natural gas on the American continent and it is piped even into the frozen north, yet the treasury of the state receives but a pittance from this source.

Texas produces 80 per cent of the world's supply of sulphur, and yet it yields but little to the state in revenue.

With these vast corporate interests so meagerly taxed, I am astonished at the contention of some that money cannot be raised to pay the old age pensions or that relief is not available for over-taxed farms and ranches. There ought not be

wealth has been compelled to make its fair contribution.

I am against corporation legislators. A pernicious practice has sprung up whereby the special interests employ legislators in various capacities. This is the cheapest sort of veiled bribery and ought not to be countenanced in law. The legislator who is on the payroll of the corporation will hear his master's voice whenever legislation affecting such corporation is proposed.

I promise if elected, not to be a demagogue or fanatic, but to perform my duties to the best of my ability.

I hope to meet as many of the people personally as a limited finance will permit.

Respectfully,  
W. A. (Son) SHOFNER.  
(Political Adv.)

**JOHN E. MILLER—**

Important measures are so delayed sometimes that practically nothing is done during an entire session, as a result more called sessions are necessary and then it is the same story. Should I be elected as your Representative I shall wage a fight for a reform that will regain respectability for the Legislative branch of our Government.

Being a teacher in a small school, I believe I know the problems and needs of our schools sufficiently to intelli-

in our educational system. I will support the policy of improving our school system in every way possible to obtain higher and more uniform standards. I favor a retirement plan for Texas teachers, thereby making the profession a more desirable one for those now teaching and a greater inducement for them to dedicate their lives more completely to instructing the youth of our county.

The farms and personal property in Texas which are burdened with taxes cannot be called upon to raise money in support of any pensions. The vast natural resources, the far greater part of which is consumed by out-of-state consumers, should have to pay a just tax which has been carefully avoided by power interests. Through lobbying, the big utilities have escaped a fair tax and gotten by with a mere pittance. The State of Texas has a right to demand a fair contribution of the large corporations, but unless the Legislature compels them they will continue dodging taxes. We must obtain utility regulation.

I advocate abolishment of such offices as the State Auditor and a large force of employees of the efficiency department. The Comptroller of Public Accounts does exactly the same thing as the State Auditor and efficiency depart-

ment. Why pay out tax money to have the same thing done twice? The office of Comptroller was created by the constitution and so long as the duties of this office are fulfilled we do not need to pay out more than double the necessary expense. I favor economy in handling the tax money of our State.

As a part of Roosevelt's administration, which I support 100 per cent, I am in favor of an old age pension. It is needed and should be paid now; there have been enough promises and plans discussed to disgust those who are rightfully due a pension.

Although many mistakes have been made and some employees are inefficient favorites, the continuation of the recovery program and social security acts is essential. The undertakings of the recovery program are so vast and complicated that mistakes were unavoidable. This side of the matter is scarcely considered by the most critical.

If elected to represent the people of Coryell and Hamilton Counties, I pledge myself to work for the interests of the people I represent.

I hope to see each voter personally before July the 25th, but due to limited finances and my duties of teaching school, it may be that I will miss some.

Respectfully,  
JOHN E. MILLER.  
(Political Adv.)

THRIFT WEEK *Specials!*

LADIES' HAND  
MADE PORTORICAN  
GOWNS

49c

These are wonderful values. All are hand made, assorted designs.



A Smart Showing Spring  
Silk Dresses at  
Attractive Prices

\$1.98

Yesterday, we received a special lot of ladies spring dresses that are very attractive. They come in the new high shades and are trimmed in new rhinestone, flowers and ribbons. Sizes 14 to 42.

POOLS FINE  
OVERALLS

\$1.10

When you wear Pools you wear as good as can be bought. (Very Special).

9-4 GARZA  
SHEETING

28c

One of the best sheetings on the market today. Brown.

NEW SPRING WASH PRINTS

80 SQUARE PRINTS

19c Yard



The most outstanding value we have offered in many seasons. Fine, smooth quality, 80 square prints in lovely new spring patterns. This cloth is really worth 25 to 30c a yard regularly. Be sure to compare this value with others offered in Gatesville.

MEN'S  
FANCY SOCKS

10c

We received this lot of fancy socks this week. Extra Values

6 OZ. MATTRESS  
TICK

19c

Just received this new tick both in fancy and staple patterns

OTHER PRINTS

10c, 12 1-2c,  
15c, 23c

FINE  
WORK PANTS

\$1.00

The best work pants in Gatesville. Blue, Gambler stripe Covert.

36 INCH  
BROADCLOTHS

10c

A full range of colors in this solid broadcloths.

LEAIRD'S DEPT. STORE

Byron Leaird, Prop.

BOYS' HICKORY  
OVERALLS

49c

These overalls are well made and come in sizes 2 to 8 years.

ROSE BUSHES  
2 YEARS OLD

19c

\$2.00 DOZEN They are from Tyler Texas and are field grown.

LADIES' ONE LOT  
NOVELTY  
FOOT WEAR

\$1.00

We are cleaning up odds up to \$4.95 in this group.

# ONLY 2 MORE DAYS TO SAVE IN OUR BIG DISSOLUTION SALE

NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT, WILL BE THE DEADLINE FOR BARGAIN PRICES THAT WE ARE OFFERING DURING OUR "DISSOLUTION SALE." IF YOU HAVE NOT ATTENDED THIS SALE YOU SHOULD DO SO AT YOUR EARLIEST POSSIBLE CONVENIENCE. IF YOU DO NOT BELIEVE THIS SALE IS WORTH YOUR CONSIDERATION ASK SOMEONE WHO HAS ATTENDED.

UNTIL SATURDAY NIGHT, FEB. 1ST, WE ARE OFFERING YOU SAVINGS OF A LIFETIME ON GOOD CLEAN STANDARD BRAND MERCHANDISE, SUCH AS

MARCY LEE WASH FROCKS, LADIES STETSON NASHUA WARM WINTER BLANKETS, BIG SMITH WORK WEAR, COLLEGE CAMPUS DRESSES AND SUITS, DRESS GLOVES, PHOENIX HOSIERY, LAROS UNDERCLOTHES FOR MEN AND BOYS, FRIEDMAN-SHELBY SHOES, RED GOOSE SHOES FOR CHILDREN, PERFECTO MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS, BOY BLUE BOY'S DRESS SHIRTS, MEN'S STETSON DRESS GLOVES, MEN'S PHOENIX SOX, AND HUNDREDS OF OTHER ITEMS YOU WILL SEE AFTER ATTENDING OUR DISSOLUTION SALE.

DO NOT FORGET SATURDAY NIGHT, FEB. 1, IS DEADLINE

SHOP AND  
COMPARE

## PAINTER'S

You'll Buy Here  
and Save

Formerly Painter & Lee

### Community News Letters

#### MAPLE ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Paul and sons, Randell and Arlee, of Palo Alto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carroll Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Greenway and family spent last week end with relatives near Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brashear and Mrs. Zoma Brashear and daughter, Waldine, spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fuller of County Line.

The school students will present a program Friday night, Jan. 31. Everyone is invited. The program is free.

The Dramatic Club carried the play, "Dotty and Daffy" to Turnersville last Saturday. There was a large crowd despite cold weather.

#### BROWN'S CREEK

Mrs. Ben Brown has been visiting her son at Ireland.

Misses Edith Mae and Pearl York spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keener and daughter, Geneva, and also visited Pidcoke school Thursday.

The Club will meet with Mrs. L. D. Stephens, Feb. 5. Every member and visitor be there.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Ralph Weaver's mother, Mrs. Glass, is in the hospital at Waco. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Juber Gates visited Mrs. Walter Wittie of Spring Hill Friday.

Guests in the Will York home Sunday night were Leonard and Lela Fay Woodson and Levi Wittie of Ewing, Harmon Wittie of Schley, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Logan and Harvey Copps of Turnover.

#### EVANT NEWS

We are experiencing more cold weather, however, we feel fortunate since hearing over the radio and reading of the suffering and losses of our neighbors of the middle states, in the severe cold of last week.

Mrs. Woody Burney of Eastland is visiting relatives here and at Gatesville.

Mr. A. M. Edmonston Jr. of San Saba was visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Campbell last Wednesday. Mr. Edmonston was formerly employed as pharmacist by Mr. Campbell, when he went into the drug business in San Saba.

Mrs. Rosa Avery and son, relatives in Waco.

Henry, spent the week end with Mr. Chester Griffin and son, McNeill, were Gatesville visitors Saturday.

The highway meeting was a success. Representatives from Goldthwaite and Gatesville were present. We feel that something definite will be done about highway 7 in the near future.

Miss Zelma Scott spent the

week end with relatives in Gatesville.

Messrs. James Carter and Kirby Warren carried the ball team to Stephenville Friday night where they played Tarleton. The score was 22-14 in favor of Evant.

The teachers here attended the institute held in Gatesville Saturday. A program of instructive and inspiring talks was given. Especially interesting was the short Centennial play, "Texas Under Six Flags," rendered by a group of the 6th grade of the Waco schools and their teacher.

#### BUSTER NEWS

On account of severe coldness during the week end there were only a few out to church services.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and son, Bob, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents at Mosheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hamilton have moved into the Liberty Church community.

Mr. and Mrs. Odean Nichols and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Miller and son spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nichols of White Hall.

Mrs. Edna Sheppard of White Hall and Mrs. Joyce Touchstone and son spent Wednesday with her parents.

Mrs. Clara Morgan of White Hall spent Thursday teaching school in this community.

Several families of this community attended the program at Turnersville Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and son, Bob, were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Martin

and family of Gatesville Saturday.

Newland Thompson of Midland was a visitor here last week. He was accompanied home by Mrs. M. E. Franks who plans to make an extended visit.

Miss Edna Mae Wendeborn is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Boll Tow of Coryell Valley.

Friends of this place are in sympathy with the bereaved family of Tom Hobin of Turnersville. Mr. Hobin passed away Sunday night having had pneumonia some two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wendeborn and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tow of Coryell Valley Sunday afternoon.

Lit McHargue is confined to his bed with the flu. There are several who have severe colds. We hope everyone will be well again soon.

#### ATER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Dickey were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morgan of Purmela this week end.

Mr. Jewel Ludwick of Waco visited in this community this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rogers of Gatesville visited his mother, Mrs. Granville Rogers, Saturday night.

The play staged by the Ater community last Wednesday nite was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. Effie Pollock visited Mrs. Ruby Parsons Friday.

Dorothy and Merle Roebuck visited their grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Murrel, Saturday night.

Clyde Boyd has been on the sick list this week. We are glad to report him much improved.

Mrs. Jim Comer and children and Mrs. Watt Smith and daughter, Maydell, of Purmela visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Buckner, Saturday.

Mr. Lemoine Pancake and family of Hamilton visited his aunt, Mrs. Birdie Coward, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Creech of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Claud McLarty of Hico visited in the Roscoe Coward home Wednesday.

### Kidneys Must Clean Out Acids

The only way your body can clean out Acids and poisonous wastes from your blood is thru 9 million tiny, delicate Kidney tubes or filters, but beware of cheap, drastic, irritating drugs. If functional Kidney or Bladder disorders make you suffer from Getting Up Nights, Nervousness, Leg Pains, Backache, Circles Under Eyes, Dizziness, Rheumatic Pains, Acidity, Burning, Smarting or Itching, don't take chances. Get the Doctor's guaranteed prescription called Cystex (Siss-Text). Works fast, safe and sure. In 48 hours it must bring new vitality, and is guaranteed to fix you up in one week or money back on return of empty package. Cystex costs only 9c a day at druggists and the guarantee protects you.

### TOOK OFF 17 LBS. OF UGLY FAT

#### HEEDED DOCTOR'S ADVICE

Mrs. Robert Hickey, Roseville, Calif., writes: "My doctor prescribed Kruschen Salts for me—he said they wouldn't hurt me in the least. I've lost 17 lbs. in 6 weeks. Kruschen is worth its weight in gold."

Mrs. Hickey paid no attention to gossipers who said there was no safe way to reduce. She wisely followed her doctor's advice. Why don't YOU?

Get a jar of Kruschen to-day (lasts 4 weeks and costs but a trifle). Simply take half teaspoonful in cup of hot water every morning. All druggists.

# SOCIETY

## Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Davis Honored With Shower

Mrs. Maude Lovelace and Mrs. Beulah Choot were joint hostesses in honoring Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Davis with a shower in the home of Mrs. Beulah Choot Tuesday evening, January 21.

After the guests had registered, a social hour followed. Numerous gifts were presented to the bride and groom, who passed the gifts around to each guest. They expressed words of thanks and appreciation for the gifts.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches and hot chocolate were served to 45 guests.

## Priscilla Club Entertains

Members of the Priscilla Club enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon January 22, in the home of Mrs. Bob Alford. Embroidering work and piecing of quilts were tasks assigned each one present. During a brief business meeting plans to beautify our club house ground were discussed.

A delicious refreshment course of pine apple pie and coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames Charlie Burnett, Jeff Pegette, J. J. and Ethie Hayes, W. A. Prewitz, Orestus Black, Parker Hirsch, R. C. Dyess, Ed McDonald, Lonnie Flentge, Misses Estelle Cooper, Mary Dyess, and visitors, Mesdames Jeff and Jim Alford, and Garland Northcutt.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Orestus Black, February 5.

## Former Resident to Marry Soon

Mr. and Mrs. William Madison (Pat) Colgin of San Marcus, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Eloise, to Mr.

Jack William Wood. The wedding will take place the latter part of February.

Mrs. Allen Heinen entertained at her home in Seguin with a luncheon Wednesday honoring Miss Eloise Colgin of San Marcus, announcing the marriage.

The guests were served cocktails and assorted hors'd oeuvres in the living room preceding the beautifully served luncheon in the dining room where the hostess used an effective color scheme of lavender sweet-peas and talisman roses. At the honorees plate was placed an imported handkerchief as a luncheon favor.

## Mrs. Charles Powell Entertains Club

Members of the Contract Club were entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Powell on College street.

Mrs. Johnnie Washburn won high score prize in games of contract. Lovely refreshments consisting of pie topped with whipped cream were served to those present.

Guests list included Misses Elaine Cross, Mary Jane Colgin, Raye Virginia Rayford, Ruth Raby Franks, Grace Richards, Dorothy Culberson, Lindsey Bell Dickie; Mesdames E. W. Jones Jr., Peyton Morgan, Ramsey Searcy and Johnnie Washburn.

## Mrs. Clay Stinnett Is Hostess

Mrs. Clay Stinnett was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Wednesday Contract Club at her home on Bridge street.

At the conclusion of games of bridge Mrs. O. N. Hix was awarded high score prize and Mrs. D. D. McCoy was awarded second high score prize.

A delicious dessert course was served to the following guests and members; Mesdames Francis Caruth, A. L. Chollar, B. K. Cooper, O. N. Hix, Francis Johnson, D. D. McCoy, T. R. Mears, George Painter, Laura Rayford, Bob Saunders, Roger Miller, W. H. Satterfield, Stewart Williams, J. A. Hallman and Lewis Holmes.

## COURT HANDLES—

Probably the case which will cause the most interest here as well as state-wide, is the Johnson case which is due to come up February 10. Mrs. Ethel Johnson has been placed under a \$10,000 bond, which was accepted by the authorities here yesterday, when she came to Gatesville, as was requested by the court.

In addition to being under indictment for the Blankenship death, Mrs. Johnson is charged with killing her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bernice Blankenship at the same time her son died. She was re-indicted for the first offense Monday.

## "HOLD EVERYTHING"—

supplied by Albert Dickie and Dave Culberson as Steve and Andy, fugitive bankrobbers, in their efforts to evade Tom L. Robinson, Detective Tim Maloney.

The between act numbers furnished restful interludes between the fast and furious action occurring in each of the play's three acts.

Tonight is positively the last time this splendid play will be presented in Gatesville. The same prices of 15 and 25c will prevail. However, if you saw the play last night and feel that you want to see it again, you may do so free of charge, provided you left your name at the box office.

# 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. Buening Pastor

**Methodist Church**  
Mr. J. L. Mayton, who is installing the pipe organ at the Methodist Church has this to say, "The voxhumana stop on your organ that is being installed carries a very distinctive feature, seldom on church organs and is artistic in every principle."

**Voicing**  
We realize that the best of materials and workmanship are requisite to a good organ, and that proper scaling and construction of pipes are very important factors; of no less importance is the voicing of the pipes, and the manner in which this latter is done is what distinguishes a "work of art" from the ordinary organ.

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combines these into one instrument, but, in addition, it supplies the fundamental diapason tones that are not found in the orchestra or band, and that are peculiar only to this instrument.

**Nest Sunday**  
9:45 a. m., Our Church School.  
10:55 a. m., Sermon by the Pastor.  
6:15 p. m., Our Young People.  
7:15 p. m., Sermon by the Pastor.

**Church of Christ**  
Tenth and Saunders

You are invited to attend the regular services of the Church of Christ.

Bible Study at 10 a. m. Sunday.  
Communion at 11 a. m.  
Young Peoples Class at 6:15.  
Ladies Bible Class at 3 p. m. Tuesday.  
Thursday evening service at 7 p. m.

"Ask, and it shall be given you, seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you. For everyone that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh, it shall be opened." Matthew 7:7, 8.

## Presbyterian Church

There will be no preaching at the Presbyterian Church on next Sunday, as the pastor will preach at Mart. Other services at usual: Sunday School, Y. P. C. at 6 p. m. The Woman's Auxiliary meets each Tuesday at 3 p. m.

Last Friday, the pastor attended a conference in Waco, of the ministers of Central Texas Presbytery.

**First Baptist Church**  
Sunday was a gracious day when our new building was accepted.

The cornerstone will be laid Sunday, Feb. 9, at 11 a. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Baptist Training Union Sunday at 6:00 p. m.

The pastor will announce Sunday the date of the opening service in the new building.

Sunday morning sermon, "While it is Called Day." Sunday night 7 o'clock "Things to Come."

The W. M. S. will meet Tuesday at 3 p. m.

Wednesday night 7 o'clock prayer meeting and S. S. Workers course taught by the pastor.

Our revival is set for April 19 to May 3.

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<b>ORANGES</b>	<b>QUART SALAD DRESSING</b> - 25c	<b>Bright and Early COFFEE</b> 3 pounds <b>60c</b>
<b>LEMONS</b>	<b>25-pound SACK SALT</b> - - 25c	<b>Peaberry COFFEE</b> 7 Pounds <b>\$1.00</b>
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<b>1c</b>	<b>Gallon STEAMBOAT SYRUP</b> 45c	
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C. E. GANDY
- For Alderman, Ward 1:  
LEWIS HOLMES  
(Re-election)
- For Alderman, Ward 2:  
DR. J. H. HAMILTON  
(Re-election)

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 25, 1936:

- For State Senator  
W. A. SHOFNER  
(Of Bell Co.)  
J. MANLEY HEAD  
(Of Erath County)
- For Representative, Dist. 94:  
EARL HUDDLESTON  
(Re-election)  
JOHN MEDLIN  
JOHN E. MILLER
- For District Attorney, Dist. 52:  
H. W. ALLEN  
Of Hamilton County  
(Re-election)  
C. C. HAMPTON  
(Of Comanche Co.)
- For District Clerk, District 52:  
P. M. POST  
(Re-election)  
EVAN J. SMITH
- For County Judge:  
FLOYD ZEIGLER
- For Sheriff:  
JOE WHITE  
(Re-election)
- For County Attorney:  
C. E. ALVIS, JR.
- For County Clerk:  
C. P. (Charlie) MOUNCE  
(Re-election)  
MARVIN E. FLETCHER
- For Assessor-Collector:  
DAVE CULBERSON  
(Re-election)
- For County Treasurer:  
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I. R. (Ira) FRANKS  
B. L. (Ben) MORRISON
- For Commissioner, Beat 1:  
EMMITT TURNER  
H. E. (Ed) PRESTON  
(Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Beat 2:  
H. J. LEONHARD  
W. E. HOLCOMB  
(Re-election)  
C. W. BRAZZIL  
J. R. BATES

- Commissioner, Beat 3:  
N. E. JAYROE  
(Re-election)  
W. T. (Bill) BANNISTER  
HARRY JOHNSON  
ERNEST GOHLKE

- For Commissioner, Beat 4:  
OAD PAINTER  
J. F. WEAVER

- For Justice Peace, Prec. 1:  
A. SHIRLEY  
(Re-election)

- For Constable, Precinct No. 1:  
GEO. R. HODGES

—Jan. 31 is last day you can pay your City Poll Tax.

**'HATCHERY MODERN' NOW IN USE AT LOCAL CHICKERY**

"A chick with a penthouse" might be the lot of those lucky chickens hatched by Winfield's Hatchery, since the installation of the new "gadgets" in Eddie's mechanical hen. She's equipped with: an outside egg turner, automatic humidifier, and automatic electric heating element, as for free wheeling and knee action we don't know, but this 'mechanical hen' is really a cut-up. She was equipped three weeks ago, and is expected to produce chicks weighing 1½ to 2 pounds per hundred more than the 'old settin' hen'.

**STATEMENT RELATIVE**

involved to secure necessary right-of-way of not less than 100', on location approved by the State Highway Engineer, the Commission agrees out of the 1937 Regular Federal Aid Program, if kept intact, to construct a substantial project in each of said Counties.

"In preparing right-of-way maps the State Highway Engineer is directed to include several road-side park sites, as the Counties affected have agreed to secure right-of-way for these parks. (Minute No. 11772).

(3) "In Coryell County, I: is hereby ordered that an additional project be added to the program for the 1936 U. S. Works Program Highway Funds which project shall be identified as Item No. 68 of the WPH Classification, providing for grading and drainage structures on Highway No. 7, extending from 5.4 miles East of Gatesville to a point 9.2 miles east of Gatesville, a distance of 3.660 miles, with an allotment of \$90,000.00 1936 U. S. Works Program Highway Funds; and the State Highway Engineer is directed to submit a request to the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads providing for this program addition. (Minute No. 11774)."

I will state that the Commissioners Court of this county has passed an order agreeing to secure the necessary right-of-way mentioned in orders No. 1 and 2 above, as the same affects Coryell County, also that I have received notice that the allotment mentioned in Order No. 3 above has been made by the Federal Government in the sum of \$90,000.00, which is not available however, until all plans have been approved by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads.

It is my intention to appear before the Highway Commission from time to time urging the completion of this and other highways in this County and as I receive additional information I will give the same to you through the local papers, and will be glad to discuss the same with you if you will drop by my office.



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**PERSONALS**

Morton Scott is ailing from the effects of a bad cold.

Byron Leard, Sr., is at his home in southwest Gatesville ill with a cold.

Mrs. Dewey Lovejoy of Pico-coke spent last week end with Mrs. Jack Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith were Waco visitors last Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth McGilvray of Clifton visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McGilvray, and other members of the family recently.

—You can't beat Wm. Cameron's for Lumber. 12-tfc

Miss Kathryn Gordon has been ill the past few days.

Robert Scott and Johnnie Webb attended a pre-season showing of the new 1936 Norge in Dallas Tuesday.

Mrs. Morton Scott visited her sister, Mrs. Hattie Brannon in Dallas last Tuesday.

Mr. C. P. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and son, W. K., visited in the R. Q. Hill home at Jonesboro recently.

Friends of Mrs. Joe White will be glad to learn that she is improving from an attack of the flu, however, she is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. F. J. Battle is spending this week in Austin visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle.

Bernice Ruth Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Young of Jonesboro is attending Draughan's Business College in Dallas.

Mr. Bob Thurman, student of A. & M. College, was the week end guest of Miss Francis Lewis, who is attending John Tarleton College in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClain of Amarillo are visiting Mrs. A. H. Gregory this week.

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Dollie Farmer and A. Poston, Mary Jane Colgin and Hazen Ament were among the Waco visitors Sunday.

Miss Neva Parson and Jack Carroll were visitors to Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson and sons, Billy and Clay of Temple, spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Byrom of this city.

J. F. and G. W. Dean of Ballinger, old friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher were visitors in their home here, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Powell and Mrs. N. A. Harper visited Mrs. W. C. Smith in San Antonio last Sunday. Mrs. Harper remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. J. D. Brown, Mrs. Wade Hampton and Mrs. Grover Martin returned Tuesday night from Houston where they attended the funeral of their brother, Verne Perryman, who passed away Sunday.

News came to this office yesterday that Miss Kathryn Gordon, who has been ill this week, has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chollar and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flentge were Waco visitors Thursday night.

**PALACE**

SATURDAY - SUNDAY - MONDAY

**HIS LAST . . . AND GREATEST PICTURE**

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"ACCENT ON GIRLS"

**W. C. HUGGINS' HOME AT JONESBORO DEMOLISHED BY FLAMES SUN. A. M.**

Sunday morning at 8 o'clock the home of W. C. Huggins in Jonesboro was completely demolished by flames. Mr. Huggins was in Fort Worth at the time, but his wife and three children were at home. A defective flue was the cause of the fire. Practically everything was saved, but some of the furniture burned. A barn close by and a house next door were saved. No one was injured, and Mr. Huggins stated that the home was partly insured.

**PERRY'S HIWAY LUNCH ROOM CHANGES HANDS WEDNESDAY**

Frank Farquhar bought out Perry's Highway Lunch Room from George Perry, former operator in a deal consummated Wednesday.

Mr. Perry, accompanied by Mrs. Perry left today for Georgetown, where they will work with their son, Vernon, on The Progressive Citizen, new paper published by Vernon in that city.

Mr. Farquhar is an experienced cafe operator, having only recently operated a cafe in the Peel Building on the south side of the square.

**CEMETERY WORKING AT PEARL TUESDAY**

There will be a Cemetery Working at Pearl Tuesday, February 4. Everybody come and bring something to work with. Also bring lunch and we will make a day of it.

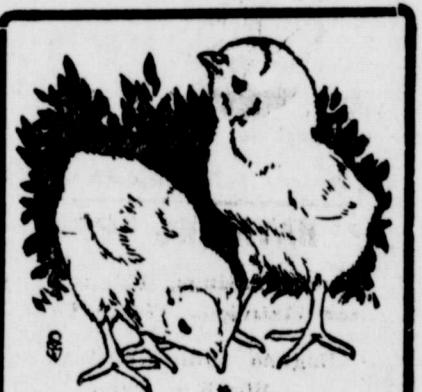
**LIONS' GUESTS TO OGLESBY CITIZENS WED. NOON**

Besides Franks Simmons, Official County Historian, Lions of Gatesville at their Wednesday luncheon had as guests Mrs. Jim McIlvain, and Miss Graham. Mrs. McIlvain furnished "Texas wigs" during the luncheon, which were highly appreciated.

Mr. Simmons outlined the work of the "History of Coryell County," on which he is working, stressing the life of James Coryell.

Miss Mary Routh of Gatesville and Mr. C. W. Nichols of Temple were also guests.

Fighting the recent malaria epidemic in Ceylon over fourteen tons of quinine were used in six months.



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Jim snapped his fingers. "You should see my designs!"  
Joan shook her head. "I don't believe you have any designs—except on me!"  
"Is that so?" Jim was nettled.  
Joan stared, perplexed. She couldn't quite make Jim out. But she wasn't the only one. The Board of Directors of Buchanan Motors had been in the same state only a few days before . . .

It was 5:30 A. M. and the sun, still yawning after a night's sleep, rose lazily, telling the alarm clock to tell Joan that it was time to get up. She did and when she called for Jim—which was her usual custom—her eyes opened in real surprise when she saw that Jim's couch on the porch had not been slept on. She was worried. What would the uncontrollable nut do next? The question dispelled in favor of a sigh of relief when there was a light tap-tap on the window. Jim. Jim with a package.  
"Where have you been?" Joan was a little furious with Jim's nonchalance.  
"To town."  
"Why didn't you tell me you were going?"  
"You were asleep when I made

up my mind. Anyhow, I'm back in plenty of time."  
Joan was still bristling. "And what was so important in town?"  
"Listen, Lady," Jim used Joan's own words, "just where do you come off? We're not really married, you know!"  
"Don't you think you ought to tell me when you're going to do these things?"  
Jim nodded pleasantly. "All right—I will—next time."  
"I can't understand it—when you've got a perfectly good place here to sleep."  
"You really want to know what I went to town for?"  
"You've made it plain it's none of my business—and anyway—I'm not interested." Though Joan was—very much. "Not at all interested."  
Jim smiled agreeably. Evidently, it was all right with him.  
Joan could not longer restrain herself. "What's in that package?"  
"What I went to town for. They're the automobile plans I told you about." Jim unwrapped the drawings hurriedly and showed them to Joan.  
Joan was enthusiastic. "They're simply marvelous, Jim!" She gloated like a proud mother. "Have you ever tried to sell these?"  
"Waste motion—those big shots wouldn't even see me."  
"You need a business manager. I'd sell them!"  
"All right—some day we'll talk about it."  
The next day wasn't a work day. It was a day off for Joan and Jim. And, so unlike man and wife, they made a "date" to meet each other at the Spic and Span tea room in town. A luncheon date with friend husband. How odd!  
But there's many a slip between a spic and a span as the day's progress was to bear out. It was a day of momentous import.

TO BE CONTINUED.

## LETTER FROM SENATOR POAGE

The Governor has at last definitely stated that he does not intend to call a session of the Legislature at this time. I have heretofore expressed my views in this connection, and have had no occasion to change them. There is not yet sufficient money available, or in sight, to pay the old age pension for more than one of two months at most. I am still of the opinion that we should levy a tax on natural resources or relieve real estate a portion of the ad valorem burden, commence the payment of the pension without delay, and continue it in good faith. All of these are, however, impossible without a session. Of course, I take it that the Governor plans to call a session later on in the summer at which time we will be faced with the same difficulties of raising money that confront us now, and during which time we will not have provided any funds for the payment of the old age pension.

Our inability to pay the old age pension at this time brings up an interesting question in connection with our features of state finances. There is no money in the old age pension fund, except that derived from the collection of liquor taxes, and no other money can get in this fund until the Legislature places some new tax to its credit. A like condition exists in regard to the general revenue fund of this state, which, on the first day of January this year, had a deficit of approximately \$10,295,500.00 and the Confederate pension fund which had a deficit of approximately \$5,127,560.00 or a total deficit of more than \$15,400,000.00.

On the other side of the ledger, there was on deposit to the credit of other state funds, balances aggregating almost \$10,600,000.00, exclusive of the balance to the credit of the highway fund amounting to \$7,812,290.00, or a total of more than \$18,400,000.00 in cash in the available, useable funds of the state. Why then does not the state pay off the \$15,000,000.00 deficit, inasmuch as we would still have a \$3,000,000.00 cash balance? The answer to this question is that our system of state finances involves a number of special funds. Whether this system is wise or not, is another question. The farmers of our constitution originally contemplated but two state (tax funds—the general revenue and the available school funds. Evidently, they expected all of the governmental expenses of the state to be cared for through the general revenue, and, as I see it, they recognized that the schools, while a proper object of governmental care, were not, strictly speaking, instruments of Government. These framers of our Constitution correctly looked upon our school fund as a trust fund to be handled separate and apart from the ordinary operations of government. Of late years, however, it has become the generally accepted custom to create all kind of special funds. The Comptroller's report shows approximately fifty special funds, now in existence. Each one of these funds receives certain revenues and the money can only be expended for certain purposes. Many of these funds have substantial cash balances on hand today, while others have unpaid warrants outstanding.

Of course, there is much to be paid in favor of the special

funds. Often times they are created entirely by monies paid by special groups for a special purpose. On the other hand, it can be very forcefully contended that all of the State monies, with the probable exception of the available school fund should come into one fund, and be paid out as needed, but the objections raised by those interested in each of these special funds are so strong that it is practically impossible to abolish the special fund system. To my mind, the most practical compromise solution that has yet been suggested was one proposed last session, which I supported, but which did not pass, of depositing state funds in depository banks wherever proper security could be given without interest, provided that the de-

pository bank would cash state warrants without discount up to, say 75 per cent of the amount of the deposits. This way a bank located, let us say in Gatesville, might receive \$100,000.00 of state money. It would then cash \$75,000.00 of state warrants, and would still have \$25,000.00 of state money without any cost to the bank. The holders of state warrants, in the meantime, would be able to get their money and the practical effect would be similar to placing the state on a cash basis. Certainly this, or some similar plan, is worthy of consideration by this state.

Yours very sincerely,  
W. R. POAGE.

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## EDITORIAL

This Week's Thought

# VOICE OF EXPERIENCE

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### GOING TO MARKET

What do you want when you go to market?

You want quality foods—but you don't want to pay an excessive price.

You want low-priced foods—but you don't want to sacrifice quality.

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It is doubtful if the public realizes how much thought, time and energy have been expended to save money—or how much has been achieved in their interest.

As an aftermath of the World War, there was widespread public demand to reduce waste and excessive charges between the producer and consumer. With food prices again rising, this question once more becomes a paramount issue.

For fifteen years wide-awake merchandisers have struggled with the problem of cutting the spread between the price paid to the farmer and manufacturer, and the price charged the consumer. Remarkable success has been attained. Today that spread is smaller than it ever was, and it is steadily shrinking. Food store advertising in local newspapers has been a tremendous force in securing mass distribution and resulting lower costs to consumers. The farmer is not penalized. But wasteful overhead and unnecessary middleman activities are constantly lessened. And the family pocketbook is the gainer.

A ten per cent saving in food prices alone, actually releases hundreds of millions of dollars of family income annually for the purchase of other necessities and luxuries, with resulting increased employment and business in all lines.

### FOUR ESSENTIALS OF PROGRESS

A national policy to encourage employment and investment of savings in productive enterprises must recognize four points:

1. A constant fight to keep down taxes. (Politics keeps raising them.)
2. A constant fight to keep down legislation. (Politics multiplies laws.)
3. A constant fight against radicalism. (Politics truckles to the radicals.)
4. A constant fight against government business. (Politics coddles socialism.)

The fight on the above four lines must be waged in the interest of the people all the year around, and must be made outside of party lines.

Engineers at Pennsylvania State College report that they have devised apparatus for testing Diesel engine fuels quickly and accurately.

An oil boom has been started in the Philippines. Seven below here—and I need no thermometer to tell me how cold I is.

### WORLD COMMENT



By  
**JOE BURNS**

William Howard Taft lost a second term in the presidency simple because the conservatives and liberals of his party could not come to terms and the latter, losing at the Chicago convention, insisted on carrying their program before the electorate under a progressive banner.

Franklin Roosevelt faces a comparable situation in the 1936 bout after Al Smith's threat to "take a walk" from the party if the second Roosevelt is re-nominated next June.

The New Deal underwent its most scathing attack when the 1932 Democratic standard bearer spoke before the American Liberty League banquet at Washington last week.

Smith charged that New Deal measures are socialistic and declared that there can be "but one capital—Washington or Moscow." He asserted that if the Democratic convention indorses the Roosevelt administration those who believe as he does could either become hypocrites or "talk a walk, and we will probably do the latter." Smith made clear, in distinct references, that he did not intend to leave the Democratic party and stated flatly that he would not "even lift my right hand to secure any nomination from any party at any time," but did not say unequivocally that he would not accept a nomination if it were placed in his lap.

The "Happy Warrior" called upon the party to "re-establish and redeclare the principles" of the 1932 Democratic platform. He urged Democrats in Congress to follow a six-point program, which consisted for the most part of advice to stop doing things he intimated they had been doing.

The question that immediately came up was, for how many Democrats does Smith speak? He insisted that he was speaking for millions of dissident Democrats. Will the group of oppositionists including Byrd and Glass of Virginia, Ely of Massachusetts, Ritchie of Maryland, Newton Baker, Eugene Talmadge, and other Democrats of the old school desert the Democratic ranks en masse in '36 and do to Roosevelt what

Teddy did to Taft?

Many came to the defence of the Administration. Senator Joe Robinson, Smith's running mate on the 1928 ticket, defended the New Deal in a coast-to-coast radio address Tuesday.

Donald R. Richberg, former NRA chief, Senator George Norris, and Senator Donahey—all supporters of Al in '28—defended the Administration.

THE SENATE voted to override President Roosevelt's veto of the baby-bond bonus bill by 76 to 19 and the Government is now preparing to pay off the \$2,491,000,000 soldiers' bill as quickly as possible. Previously the House had voted 324 to 61 to override.

Thus the bonus issue comes to a climatic finish after 16 years of passage and vetoing of successive cash payment bills. All Presidents since Harding have opposed and vetoed bonus bills.

June 15 is the date set when the bonds can be cashed. If cashed the first year no interest will be paid; if held for nine years, 3 per cent will be paid annually.

Administration leaders believe that more than \$1,000,000,000 will be needed to meet the first rush of demands for cashing the bonds. Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau has estimated a total of 38,000,000 separate bonds will be needed.

Senator Sheppard went on record for the bill; Senator Connally against it. All four Administration leaders—Robinson, Harrison, Byrnes and Lewis—voted to override. The four above are all up for re-election this year and face stiff opposition both within the party—in the case of the first three—and without, in the case of Senator Lewis of Illinois.

Thus we see that politics dominates statesmanship even in the august United States Senate.

HAS MUSSOLINI prevented advances on the part of his armies in Africa for political reasons? It begins to look that way now.

With the rainy season approaching and a consequent cessation of all fighting and with sanctions pinching at home, we find the Italian armies advancing with spectacular success on both fronts as a lion freed from a leash.

In the last ten days, 15,000

Ethiopians have been slain by the high-pressure Fascist advances and the southern army of General Rodolfo Graziani has advanced no less than 250 miles into the heart of Ethiopia. Addis Ababa for the first time admits disaster and Emperor Haile Selassie had ordered Ras Desta Demtu—his southern commander—to withdraw to the Wadara mountains for a stand, which indicates a Fascist advance of something around 300 miles on this front.

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**JAMES CORYELL (II)**

Since publishing the chapter on James Coryell, the author has come into some valuable information concerning this character that necessitates this additional story.

Mrs. J. P. Kendrick, Gatesville, has shown us a letter from Col. M. L. Crimmins of San Antonio that gives additional light on the life of Coryell. The stories about Coryell (originating from different sources) vary in some minor details, however, the main facts are substantially the same. Col. M. L. Crimmins writes:

"James Coryell was born in Tennessee in 1796. In 1828 he arrived in Texas, having come down the Mississippi River to New Orleans and then to San Antonio via Velasco. In 1831 he joined James and Resin P. Bowie in search of the San Saba silver mines, and he was one of the survivors of the Indian fight that resulted. He returned to San Antonio and then moved to the Brazos River near Marlin with Arnold Cavitt. In 1835 he surveyed the land along Coryell Creek, as it is now called, with Cavitt. In 1836 he joined the Home Guard for defense against the Indians. On May 27, 1837, he was with a party of six men at Viesca, near the Falls of the Brazos. When half a mile on the road to Perry's Spring they found a bee tree and cut it down and were eating the honey. Suddenly they heard a noise in the brush, and looking up, saw twelve Indian warriors. There were only two other men with Coryell at that particular time, and one had an empty gun and the other gun failed to fire. Coryell was too sick to run, but as he fired his gun as his companions ran away the Indians shot him and he fell, grasping the brush to try to hold himself up so he could shoot. The Indians killed and scalped him. Coryell County was named after him, as he was its surveyor and gave up his life in his efforts to protect its settlers by fighting the hostile Indians."

**From Wilbarger's Indian Depredations**

The history on "Indian Depredations in Texas," by Wilbarger has the following concerning James Coryell:

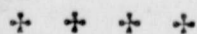
"Coryell was a native of the state of Tennessee. He came to Texas in the year 1828, being then quite a young man. In the year 1838 a party of surveyors went up the Leon River as far as the mouth of Coryell Creek, ten miles from where the town of Gatesville now stands. James Coryell and George B. Erath were among the party. They moved cautiously, keeping a good lookout for Indians, and selecting the best lands as they went on. In spite, however, of their watchfulness, they were finally surprised by a party of Indians. The Indians charged upon them and the whites retreated. In the charge young Coryell was captured and killed."

**Land Patent and Records**

A Land Patent issued to James Coryell by the State of Coahuila and Texas (the province of Texas was joined to the state of Coahuila at that time by a Mexican law) June 22, 1835, (recorded in Book F, page 209, Deed Records of Coryell County) states that James Coryell was received as a colonist by Robert Leftiech on the 15th day of April, 1828 and Leftiech's colonization rights were transferred to the Nashville Company on the 15th day of October, 1829; that James Coryell was a bachelor. It further provided that he should establish permanent land marks at each angle of the land, and was bound to cultivate it according to the established requirements."

This patent covers 1180 acres of land at intersection of Coryell Creek and Leon River. (Filed for record in Coryell County, October 13, 1870.

In volume C, pages 151-155, there is recorded a power of attorney to sell said lands; also an affidavit of heirship of James Coryell. These instruments are dated October 22, 1853, and show that his mother, brothers and sisters resided in Adams County, Ohio. Also refers to James Coryell as "late deceased."



**O. T. TYLER, "FATHER OF CORYELL COUNTY"**

About half way between Leon Junction and Mound, and south of the railroad, stands a very interesting old ruin. It's the crumbling remains of the old O. T. Tyler homestead, and was erected in 1852.

The old house which was built of rock, sand, gravel and lime concrete, is in ruins and has been for some sixty years. All of the woodwork having been burned out back in the reconstruction days that followed the Civil War.

The ruins suggest the old mission ruins of the

south. In its original state it was built to exact architectural lines. The west wall was 31 feet long, the north wall was 31 feet long and the ground plan an L. facing east of south. A part of the walls are tumbled down but there is enough left standing to give one a fair idea of the character of the man who built for comfort, strength, exactness, and refinement. There were six large rooms, every one with a fireplace, for there are still six fireplaces in the walls. Three in the first story, three in the second story. The place has been deserted so long that mesquite brush and prickly pear have taken possession of the grounds around. Even the rooms that once echoed with a mother's songs and the happy laughter of childhood are now occupied by fallen stones, prickly pear and mesquite brush. Ivy is creeping over a part of the walls, which are 20 feet high.

Forty feet from the northwest corner of the main building was a second concrete building twelve by twelve feet with walls twenty inches thick. It was likely a servant house, or a smoke house. Some distance west of the house was a cedar post stockade, built of cedar posts set upright in the ground. This stockade was twenty-eight by fourteen yards and may have been used for the safe keeping of the livestock in those turbulent times. Two hundred yards southeast of the house was the spring. Some old-time worn trails still lead down to it. Northwest of the house is an old graveyard. There are about a score of graves there, among them is the grave of Crockett King's mother—the wife of Billy King.

To show the estimate placed on land values when Mr. Tyler and Mr. King came here in the early days we quote the following: "The King headright was near the Tyler headright. The white had been pursued by Indians and Mr. King told some of the boys he would sell out for a bit (12 1/2 c) an acre.

O. T. Tyler was born at Brookfield, Mass., in 1810, in 1834 he came to Texas, then a Mexican province. In 1849 he settled in Coryell County and when the county was organized he became the first Chief Justice, and from that circumstance was called Judge, although he was never a lawyer. It was due to the vigorous agitation of O. T. Tyler that Coryell County was organized and he has been referred to as the "Father of Coryell County."

Later Mr. Tyler served his county and district as a Representative in the State Legislature.

**World Comment—**

Large numbers of prisoners have fallen into the hands of the invaders as Il Duce carries out his plan to unite his two armies and march in triumph to Addis Ababa.

Yet much is to be done and friends of Italy fear that the Duce has already waited too long to set his modern machines into action. Although no oil embargo was voted at the Council meeting of the League, sanctions are pinching at home. Italian commanders maintain they have three months in which to subjugate Ethiopia after the present "little rains" are over, but will that be long enough?

THE LIST of Texans holding important positions in the Federal government was increased Tuesday with the appointment of Ralph W. Morrison of San Antonio as a member of the Federal Reserve Board. Morrison was appointed to a two-year term.

The Texan is a San Antonio businessman and ranch operator and a member of the American delegation to the London Economic Conference. He was one of the first Roosevelt men in this State and has devoted

himself to promoting the welfare of the Democratic party and present Administration. His district, No. 11, comprises all of Texas and parts of New Mexico, Arizona, Oklahoma, and Louisiana.

**HURST SPRINGS**

Those on the sick list are Mrs. A. S. Walker and Miss Pearl Ragsdale and Mrs. Ketter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Renfro and family have moved into our community from Temple, Okla. We welcome these people into our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Farrow of Dequincy, La., Mr. and Mrs.

Will Brasher of Hempstead, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter McNew have moved into our community. We give them a very hearty welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and son spent Sunday in the John Holland home in Ames.

Ladies do not forget the club each Tuesday afternoon.

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**LEVITA NEWS**

Mr. Weldon Webb and family of Ranger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Webb, over the week end, and Morris Webb, one of the teachers in the Purmela School.

Mrs. Kate Permenter was in Gatesville one day last week on business and did some shopping while there.

Mrs. Pauline Copeland of Gatesville visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Rogers, several days last week.

Mrs. Mattie Thomas is still improving slowly since she fell and injured her hip. Last week her son, Ragan and family moved into the house with her, and will look after her.

Mr. Larence Herring and wife have moved on Mr. Loyd Coleman's farm.

**PURMELA NEWS**

Mrs. J. O. Winslar and Mrs. T. J. Smith and daughter visited Mrs. Virgil Jones at Turnersville one day last week.

O. K. Gray of Fort Worth visited his uncle, B. L. Montgomery last Thursday.

Mrs. Joe Watkins entertained the Ladies Club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Dickie of Ater spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morgan.

Mr. Johnny Keenon and Lealrd Chandler of Temple spent the week end with Mrs. S. W. Bishop. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Keenon who was the former Mrs. Ada Chandler.

Mr. David Kinsey of Pearl spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives.

**TURNERSVILLE**

L. V. Manning of Fort Worth was a recent visitor in the home of his sister, Mrs. P. R. Hoblin. Howard Jones, Jr. of Fort

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Worth was a recent visitor in the Mrs. Emma Jones home.

Mr. Poole and daughter, Mrs. D. R. Boyer and Mr. Evans of Shire were recent visitors here.

Glover Lock and Charles Lewis are visiting in the Davis Lewis home.

Tom Wilson of Belton was a recent visitor in the Claud Buster home.

Misses Sybol McLendon, Lillian Garren, J. T. Garren, Grady Tharp of Denton, spent the week end here.

Miss Wilma Harrell and Duane Hobin of John Tarleton are here for a few days.

Smoot, Neal, Fred, and Bob McDonald of El Campo were called to the bedside of their father, L. W. McDonald, who is seriously ill.

Mr. Evans, Mr. Necessary, Wilson and Thomas Oldham of Houston were here for the funeral of Mr. Tom Hobin.

Mrs. Mark Manning and children of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Watt Williamson of Killgore were here for the funeral of Tom Hobin.

**MOUND NEWS**

Mrs. Ford Roberts and daughter, Mrs. Robert McHargue, and children of Waco visited relatives here Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mayberry January the twenty-first, was an eleven pound boy.

Mound Baptist Church entertained the Workers Conference last week.

Mrs. Eva Draper of Waco visited Mrs. Geo. I. Draper recently.

Mr. Franks is still confined to his home.

Little Helen Davidson and Mollie Caldwell are still sick with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Childers have returned to their home here after an extended stay in West Texas.

Aunt Ann Spence is real sick in the home of her son, W. M. Spence of the Royalty farm.

Dr. A. E. Mayberry performed a marriage one day the past week, uniting Button Evetts and Mrs. King in wedlock.

**PEARL NEWS**

Grandmother Inches passed away in her home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Toral Oney and son, Mrs. W. H. Culp, visited with Mr. Oney's mother of Lometa Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bynum and son of Evant, Mr. and Mrs.

Lee Bynum and daughter of Pearl, William Bynum, Mac Smith, Earl Hampton were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Goff's guests Saturday night.

Tom Keeton and Henry Edmondson are visiting in the Rio Grande Valley with Mr. Keeton's son, Elzy.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Cox carried one of their little boys to the Baptist Sanitarium in Waco.

Mrs. T. M. Jones is sick, but some better at this writing.

Several working on Mrs. T. M. Jones new house.

The Pearl Dragons were defeated by the CCC boys by one point, 15-to-16 Friday night at the gym. The Pearl Senior girls defeated the Gatesville Senior girls one point 16 to 15.

Will Goff of Evant was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Hamilton of Hamilton visited with William Bynum's folks Sunday.

Carlton Smith over turned the car Sunday and got his left hand cut badly.

Curtis Maynard who's attending school at Stephenville, was a visitor here Saturday.

J. C. Ballard and Nona Bell Ballard are on the sick list.

Grady Keeton has a real case of the flue.

Miss Norene Hampton left Tuesday to spend a few weeks with her sister, Cleo and family, who is sick.

**ENTIRE TOWN CONSTRUCTED FOR NEW PAUL MUNI FILM**

During the gold rush, towns grew overnight in California. History has repeated itself.

A town complete in every detail, with stores, hotels, banks and homes suddenly took form near Griffith Park Hollywood.

It is the town of Big Bend, built by Warner Bros., for Paul Muni's new starring picture, "Dr. Socrates," which comes to the Regal Theatre on Saturday night at 10:30, also showing Sunday and Monday.

Save for one sequence, the raid of federal men and vigilantes on a gangster hide-out, the entire action of the picture takes place in the town.

The usual street scenes on the Warner Bros. lot were found to be inadequate, and carpenters went to work and built Big Bend on the Warner ranch across the river from the studio.

One of the exciting scenes of the picture, the holdup of the Big Bend bank, in which Ann Dvorak, who plays opposite Muni, is wounded, was in the new town. As this as shot from all angles, the ordinary bank "front," usually used in pictures was not adequate, so the entire bank had to be built.

Because Big Bend is a middle western town, great care was taken in the planting of trees and shrubbery. Eucalyptus trees would be out of place in Big Bend, so a spot was selected where no such trees grew. Oaks, catalpas, cottonwoods and elms were planted in the new town.

Much of the action takes place in the home of Dr. Lee Caldwell. Even the wall paper is an exact copy of that used in the early part of this century in the middle west.

"Dr. Socrates" is a powerful drama in which Muni as a neurotic doctor, leads the government agents in the capture of a band of crooks and incidentally recovers from his malady in doing so. There is a fascinating romance with Ann Dvorak playing opposite Muni.

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### HORNETS TO ENGAGE CLIFTON JR. COLLEGE BASKETEERS; BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS TOMORROW EVENING.

The Central Texas A. A. U. High School Girls' Basketball tournament will be held on the local gym floor February 21 and 22, with approximately 20 to 30 teams entering.

This marks the second consecutive year that Gatesville has been picked as the site for this interesting and important contest. The authorities were no doubt impressed by the interest shown last year by sport fans all over the county, and if this writer is a judge of sport lovers, the interest this year will be as great as not greater than that of last year.

The Irene team won premier honors last year and went on to the state meet at Plainview where they played great basketball and lost only to the sextette that finally emerged the state champion. The Irene team of this year took up where they left off last season and will no doubt be on hand to defend their central Texas Championship.

The local lassies took second

place in the tournament last year and with several other county teams will endeavor to bring the championship to Coryell County in the forthcoming tournament, but will find not only Irene blocking the way, but several more outstanding clubs.

Teams from all over Central Texas are eligible after paying an entrance fee of twenty-five (25) cents per player. To enter the tournament applications must be sent to R. H. Shulze, Supt. of the City Recreation Dept., Waco, Texas, who is in charge of all details. The winner of this tournament will compete in the State Meet which will be held in Plainview.

Tomorrow evening the Hornets, both girls and boys, play host to the invading Clifton Junior College aggregation.

The games are expected to be rather interesting. It is hoped the Hornets don't suffer the same results at the hands of the Collegians as they did the high school from the same city. We do not imagine the college quint is as strong as the high school team, but should they prove right the reverse, they will face a different bunch of

boys played good hustling basketball in defeating the CCC quint Tuesday evening and appeared as if they intend to keep it up.

The girls will probably meet stiffer competition from the college co-eds than they did against the high school lassies and might be hard pressed to win.

The girls game starts at 7 o'clock while the boys are scheduled for 8. The CCC team will probably play a third game with some opponent to be selected.

#### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION, WITH CONTINUANCE

Notice is hereby given that the partnership between B. W. Lee and George B. Painter, doing a drygoods business, was dissolved on the 10th day of January, 1936; and that the former business known as Painter & Lee conducted in Gatesville, Texas, will be continued under the name of PAINTER'S, and that B. W. Lee has sold and transferred his interest in said property to George G. Painter of Gatesville, Texas.

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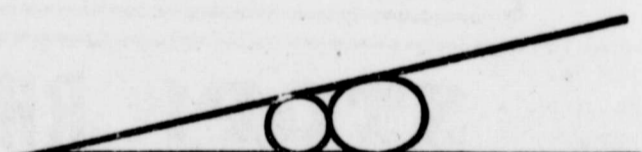
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