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## Consolidation of Gatesville Banks Ratified In Tues. Meeting

The shareholders of the Gatesville National Bank and The First National Bank met on Tuesday, February 15th, and ratified the plan of consolidation of the two banks.

The consolidation will be completed just as soon as approval has been obtained from the Comptroller of the Currency at Washington, D. C. This approval is expected in a few days.

The Board of Directors of "The National Bank of Gatesville", which will be the name of the consolidated bank, are as follows: R. M. Arnold, Leake Ayres, M. Blankenship, Dawson Cooper, C. F. Caruth, R. B. Curry, H. S. Hampton, Dan E. Graves, J. P. Kendrick, Byron Laird, R. E. Powell, Morton Scott, and Mrs. Vivian Straw. The officers will be elected the day of the consolidation.

## ELEMENTARY TEACHER'S MEETING AT WACO

McLennan County and the State Department has called a teachers meeting of all the Elementary teachers in near by counties at Waco High School Gym on Saturday February 19th at 9:00 o'clock and closes at 12:00 o'clock. Principals and Superintendents are also invited to be present at the meeting. Speakers scheduled for this meeting are R. H. Brister, Edgar Ellen Wilson, J. E. Batsch, Dr. Lorena Stretch, Dr. L. A. Woods, Corrine Naph, and John Strass.

Subjects for the sectional meetings will be:

- An aid to the teacher in teaching.
- An aid to the pupil in learning.
- Testing

Interest in this work manifested by the teachers of Coryell County justifies the belief that many of the best teachers will be present at this meeting.

## CAR OWNED BY R. W. WARD IS STOLEN

The car of R. W. Ward, local filling-station operator, was taken sometime Wednesday morning by an inmate of the State Juvenile Training School. Mr. Ward, ignorant of the fact the boy had escaped, communicated with the training school officials and found that an inmate had escaped during the night. After a short search the car was discovered ditched five miles out of town on the new highway.

The boy, having ditched the car, caught a ride back to town and when he stepped from the car near the city limits he was recognized by several nearby State employees. After a brief chase the boy was caught in the vicinity of Mrs. B. L. Morrisons' residence.

## MARKET REPORT

(As of February 18)

Mohair	33-53c
Wool	20-22
Wheat	95c
Corn ear	60c
Corn ground	\$1.20
Oats, loose	35c
Oats, sacked	37c
Cream No 1	23c
Cream No 2	21c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20
Eggs No. 1	13c
Hens light	9c
Hens heavy	11
Spring Fryers	14c

# America Honors Two of Her Greatest Presidents



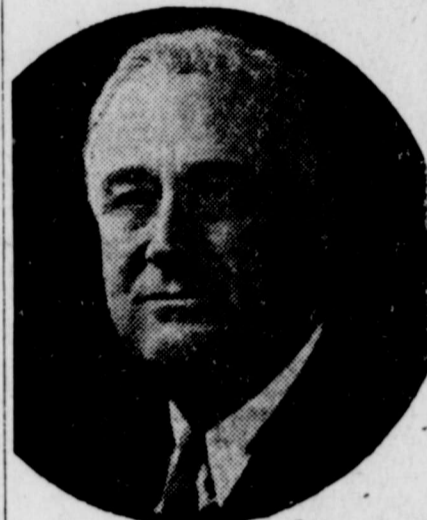
GEORGE WASHINGTON

The "Father of his Country" and the first President of the United States. Serving two terms, 1787-1795.

## Presidents

All will agree that the two Presidents pictured here are two of this country's greatest and most beloved. They both came to take the reign of a nation in the spirit of pioneers. Washington whose birthday we are about to celebrate gained for American political freedom and placed on the road to being one of the world's greatest countries. Also coming to America's aid in time of great need is another great President Roosevelt has come to the aid of the famine and unemployment and set America back on the road to economy security.

In memory of our first great President the nation has set aside his birthday, February 22, as a national holiday.



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## COTTON BELT ROUTE TO CHANGE SCHEDULES

According to reports received here the train from Waco to Gatesville will change its schedule. On Sunday the train leaves Waco at 9:30 A. M. and will arrive in Gatesville at 11:59 A. M. On Sundays it will not go to Hamilton. It will leave Gatesville to Waco at 2:30 P. M. and will arrive in Waco at 5:10 P. M.

On week days it will leave Hamilton at 6:30 A. M. and will arrive at Gatesville about 8:30 A. M. and will arrive in McGregor at 10:05 A. M. It will meet a train in McGregor, therefore it will not go on to Waco. It will leave McGregor at 11:00 A. M. and will arrive at Gatesville at about 12:30 P. M. It will leave at once for Hamilton and arrive at 2:45 P. M.

## TEMPLE MEN VISITORS IN NEWS OFFICE WEDNESDAY

Wednesday morning the News Office received an informal and complimentary visit from Jack Children, Circulation Manager and H. E. McClellan, News Editor of the Temple Daily Telegram.

The general line of conversation was about sports and news in general. The gentlemen talked seriously about extending this county F. F. A. Boxing Tournament into a central Texas affair next year. The arrangements could be made to sponsor tournaments in a number of communities and then the winner in each division meet in Temple for the final and championship bouts. This is just an idea, however, and since such wide spread interest in the Ft. Worth and other Golden Gloves Tournament has been aroused that an affair of this sort would be highly probable in the near future.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR J. D. GRANTHAM

Funeral services were held for J. D. Grantham in the Methodist church at Copperas Cove Tuesday afternoon and interment was in the Copperas Cove cemetery. Having been in ill health for several years he died of pneumonia Monday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Oscar Easterwood of Kempner.

He is survived by his mother two sisters and two brothers.

## FUTURE NEWS HOUNDS INVADE NEWS OFFICE

The paper you are reading was edited by the newspaper organization of Gatesville High School. The group on the staff have spent the last three days gaining experience in the newspaper game that they could not possibly gain in school. The mechanical part of the publication was done by the regular News employees but the editorial work was done wholly by the high school group. The business men of the town, no doubt know of the advertising department this week because of the thorough soliciting done.

This is the first time this has been attempted in Gatesville and we hope it has been a success. The school paper the HORNETS' NEST, is fine but does not give the student first hand experience as does an undertaking of this sort.

We have done our best, says the students, and express our appreciation to Mr. Brooks for making this undertaking possible.

## PRESIDING ELDER OF WACO DISTRICT ON FACULTY

Rev. Walter W. Ward presiding elder of the Waco district, former pastor of the First Methodist church, in this city, will be a member of the faculty of the Southwestern University Pastor's school which will be held in Georgetown from June 6-17.

According to the Tribune-Herald the school is part of the educational work of the Methodist church. Courses in the class for admission on trial, as well as the four year's conference courses attract undergraduate and the graduate courses appeal to all leaders in Christian Work.

## COUNTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Coryell County Board of Trustees will meet next Wednesday February 23 at 10:00 o'clock. This meeting will be held in the courthouse in Gatesville. Those who desire to meet with the Board may do so by inquiring at the County Superintendent's office.

## WESTERN UNION TO MOVE IN GATESVILLE DRUG

The Western Union of Gatesville went modern when they installed a new simplex teletype in the Gatesville Drug Wednesday. The contract for the new system was signed three months ago. Miss Madge Miller has been transferred to a key office elsewhere, and Mrs. Leonard Milner will be operator and bookkeeper here. The office will be open from 7:30 A. M. to 10:00 P. M.

Miss Miller has been transferred to the office at Edcouch, Texas.

Following is the first telegram sent thru the new Western Union office:  
Waco 1 Dh Co Waco Tex Feb. 17 1938

O D Cook  
Cottonbelt Gatesville Tex  
I take pleasure in sending you, an old time friend and one of the "old timer" Morse operators the first telegram transmitted into Gatesville via automatic teleprinter operation.  
O V Stephens wire chief

## UTILITIES MAKING WAY FOR NEW HIGHWAY

The Community Public Service and Light Co., The Community Natural Gas Co., the Gulf States Telephone Co., and the city water department have been making way for the new highway. The light and telephone companies have been moving their poles back a few feet, while the gas and water people have been laying new copper pipes.

The contractors wish to start work on that section immediately.

## GILBERT COLVIN IS NEXT "EGGEVATOR"; BRINGS IN SIX

Eggs are really the order of the day, and six more giants have come in since our last egg story. We didn't see Mr. Colvin (probably on account of the size of the eggs) but if his hens do this well all year, seems like egg raising ought to be better than writing about them.

Anyway, we're glad to give these old "biddy's" a break, because there's some awful "fowl" things said about chickens—especially, when they get in spring gardens, which no doubt will bring 'em on.



Frank Farquhar standing on the corner enforcing traffic laws—Jack Hestlow and Sketer Shepherd jerkin' sodas while exchanging wise-cracks with their female admirers—C. H. Wallace wandering around the square whistling and wasting time—"Doc" Ray lumbering around with a grin which has recently returned to his sunny countenance. The reason, well, your guess is better than mine—Bill Bamberg buying the drinks for having talked after Bill Ament—George Painter gaw-fawing with just anybody who happens along—Beverly Chamlee, Martha Foster and Joyce Baker throwin' glances here and there among the male sex—Mason Crawford stopping no less than twenty times to talk to as many people enroute from the courthouse to the hotel—Charles Smith trying to learn all he can about nothing—Waldine Wharton wishing that the Western Auto Company would do more banking—Bobby Patterson looking for two school busses—Dr. Kermit Jones standing in front of the Drug Store trying to look dignified—J. B. Martin sending telegrams to Denton—Waldine Dollins trying to catch the eye of the young men who come in—Harry and Irvin Bornstein having a little chat (?)—Ann Hill trying to keep her mind on her work with Raymond Leonard sitting by her—Ruth Carlton and "Tan" Chamlee trying to agree on something—Madge Miller delivering telegrams and looking like fashion's darling—Mattie Davis passing the Drug Store hoping to see her one and only—Bill Maxwell trying to make someone laugh—Mabel Gardner trying to beat someone's time—Joe Hanna preparing for a sale—Mayor Gandy delivering packages here and there and everywhere—"Chunky Stout hunting for the youngest postman (for the mail or male?)—Boochie Wollard watching people pass and doing quite a bit of commenting—Ernestine Durham and Louise Hall gabbing about some unknown event—Cam McGilvray sending his teacher friend flowers—David Franks reading a book on Home Economics—"Big" Franks delivering papers and staying in a certain office.

## PARTS OF RURAL ELECTRIC LINES ABANDONED

The engineers staking the lines from McGregor to Flat and Mound by the way of Leon Junction have been ordered to discontinue staking because not enough people in this territory have paid their membership fees.

We are informed by the representative of the McLennan County Electric Cooperative, Inc. that these lines will be abandoned unless more interest is shown and all membership fees are paid promptly. If these membership fees are not paid immediately, these lines will be changed to some other section as arrangements are being made for the change in case this re-routting the lines is necessary.

—Try home merchants first.

**CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION ANNOUNCED**

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the following positions:

Senior scientific aid (preparator in pathology), \$2,600 a year. Army Medical Museum.

Physiotherapy aide, \$1,800 a year. U. S. Public Health Service and Veterans' Administration.

Printer-preparator, \$1.32 an hour (40 hour week). Government Printing Office.

Customs examiner's aid, \$2,300 a year. U. S. Customs Service, Treasury Department.

Junior engineer (various optional subjects) 2,000 a year.

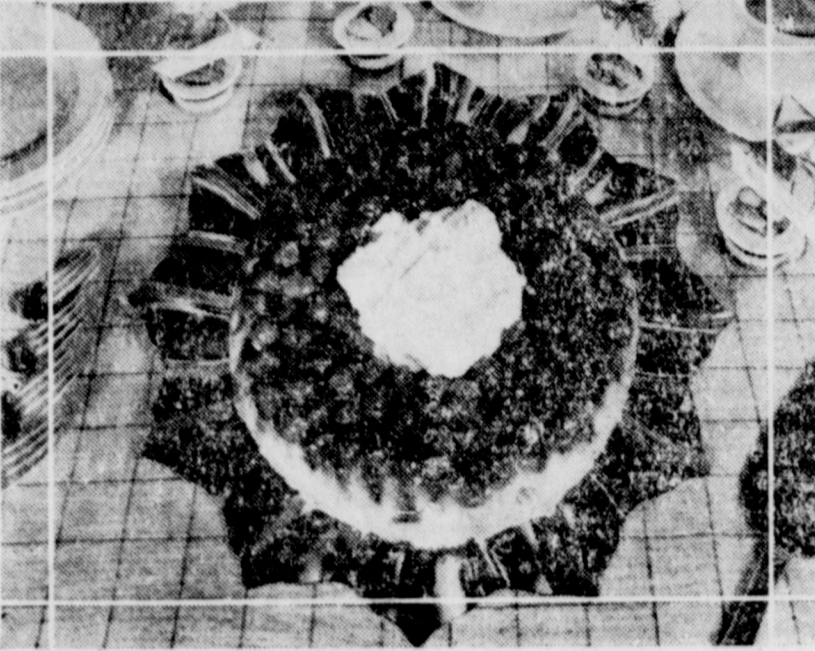
Full information may be obtained from Mr. E. C. Farmer, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city.

**COUNTY WELFARE OFFICE RECEIVES AID**

**THE HELPING HAND.** The city commission of charity workers of Waco, brought to the County Welfare Office of Gatesville Monday fifty pairs of women and children shoes. The administrators of the office, Grace Kelso and Chas. E. Baker, have almost completed the distribution of the shoes among the needy in town. The shoes are old style but very durable and very welcomed by the receivers.

This office is doing great work in the community for the welfare of the needy. The federal government is spending around fourteen hundred dollars per month through Chas. E. Baker for the welfare of the "unem-

**Washington Birthday Cherry Cake Recipe Is Year 'Round Favorite**



Cherries—Sweet, Sour, Canned, Frozen or Maraschino—Find Use in Many Recipes at all Seasons of the Year.

ON February 22 all over the country there will be celebrations in honor of George Washington's birthday and these festive occasions will carry the colors of our nation. The favors will be hatchets, hats or cherry logs and the refreshments are sure to include the ever popular red cherry. Whether these be sweet or sour cherries, canned, frozen, or the maraschino variety they will all remind us of the favorite story about the Father of our country.

Cherry pies have for years enjoyed great popularity not only at Washington's birthday time but the year 'round. There are also many other good uses for canned sour cherries and it is possible to enjoy cherries often yet never grow tired of them because of the variety of ways in which they may be served. The tart, snappy flavor of the sour, pitted cherries is stimulating to other mild flavored foods when combined with them. The bright red natural color of cherries is a pleasant contrast with other food combinations.

Up-side-down cakes are not new yet there is a new twist to the cherry-upside-down cake recipe listed below. This recipe uses a sponge cake batter in place of butter cake or quick bread dough. The result is surprisingly different and attractive to the eye, the appetite and the pocketbook. This recipe lends itself to different forms of preparation and may be used as a jelly roll cake base and is delicious filled with sour cherries that have been prepared by sweetening and thickening the juice in which they are canned and spreading this on the cake as jelly is used in a jelly roll. The up-side-down version is quick and easy to prepare and makes

a grand dessert the year round but especially appropriate during the month of February when all eyes are on the use of cherries in honor of the birth of George Washington.

**Cherry Tip-Top Dessert**

**Topping**  
2 cups sour pitted red cherries (one No. 2 can)  
1/2 cup sugar  
2 tablespoons butter

Combine sugar with cherries (from which juice has been drained), place in bottom of buttered baking dish and dot with the butter.

**Cake Mixture**  
2 eggs well beaten  
1 cup sugar  
1 cup pastry flour or (1 cup all-purpose flour minus 2 tablespoons)  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
1 teaspoon cream of tartar  
1/2 teaspoon of salt  
1/2 cup hot milk  
1/2 teaspoon lemon extract

Beat the eggs until light yellow and creamy. Add the sugar and continue beating. Sift the flour, soda, cream of tartar and salt together and add to the egg mixture—mix well and then add the hot milk and lemon extract. Pour over the cherries in the baking dish and bake until cake is light to the touch and well browned. Bake at 350°. This cake may be prepared in an automatic mixer—the texture is improved by thorough beating.

Tip the dessert bottom side up when removing from baking dish and serve either hot or cold with cream, whipped cream or cherry sauce made by sweetening and thickening the cherry juice.

Here is another delicious cherry recipe, not only good for February but also good for every month of the year:

**Cherry and Rice Whip**

1 cup sour pitted cherries, drained  
1 cup powdered sugar  
1 cup cream, whipped  
1 cup cooked rice  
Few drops lemon juice

Cook the rice 20 minutes in eight times volume of rapidly boiling salted water. When tender, drain and chill. Mix the fruit, rice, sugar and lemon juice together, fold in the whipped cream. More sugar may be used. Chill thoroughly before serving. Serves 21.

ployable" in this district.

Mr. Kelso is employed by the Texas Relief Commission for the district of Coryell, Mills, and Lampasas counties. Before January 20, 1938 the central Texas district for the Relief Commission that consists of 23 counties there were only three workers employed. On this date the Commission appointed three additional workers, one of which was Mrs. Grace Kelso of Gatesville. Mrs. Kelso has filled her job well thus far. She has seen to the employment of forty W. P. A. workers since January 20. Her job is to find openings in the W. P. A. for the unemployed and their check up on a client for whom she acquires work for a certain time.

the Senior class with a Valentine party Monday evening of last week and everyone had a most delightful time.

Mr. Stiles our Social Science teacher took his students on a very interesting tour one day last week to Gatesville Reform School, the county court house and various places of interest. The students expressed great appreciation for this lovely trip and they learned first hand some of the things that Mr. Stiles had been teaching them.

Keen interest is being shown in every activity of our school and we invite you our friends to visit with us just any time.

**UNION ITEMS**

Mrs. Tubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomson and sons were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sexton and two sons visited Mrs. J. M. Patterson Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Thomson visited Mrs. Sam Thomson recently.

Mr. Luther Martin spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleby Snoodsy and daughter were weekend guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldreg Pentlenton and son S. E. of Levita spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomson and family were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bratton and Wayland and Mrs. J. W. Patterson visited in the John

Hagan home Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Thomson of Gatesville was a caller of Mrs. Sam Thomson Friday.

Miss Johnnie Bell Hagan spent Friday night with Mrs. J. W. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nite and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Culp recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Both were recent callers in the C. O. Russel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Patterson and family of Ames were callers of Mrs. J. W. Patterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton and Mr. Skinner Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Culp Sunday evening.

Miss Stella Schellhase of Waco spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father Mr. Fritz Schellhase.

of McCamey and Cecil Russel of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice and children of near Killeen spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fleming.

Miss Neva Hubbard visited friends in Hamilton Saturday. Miss Betty Deheart returned home with her for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Parker and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanWinkle and family of Temple spent the weekend here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Mary Manning visited Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Levia Manning.

**TO SUBSCRIBERS**

If the figures on the label of your paper after your name are like these—

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**ELIGA NEWS**

Reverend Ira Grantham will preach Sunday at Eliga. Every one is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard had as their guests Thursday of last week Miss Vivian Hubbard

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation to the many friends for their kind deeds and word of sympathy extended to us after the sudden death of our beloved husband and father.

To those who sent floral offerings, may they realize how they helped to soothe our aching hearts. May God reward you in Heaven is our daily prayer.

Mrs. Homer Wilson and family.

**IRELAND SCHOOL NEWS**

Our school is progressing very nicely and everyone is working hard in the different activities of the Interscholastic League work. Real interest is being shown by the entire student body in this work and this makes the work enjoyable for the teachers.

The Junior class entertained

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## Community News Letters

### LEON JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. John Timmons of Gatesville visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson and family visited their son Jim Robinson of Crawford.

Charlie Ray Hinesley of Gatesville spent the past week end here with friends.

Little Miss Joe Nell Brumba low spent Thursday with Mrs. Iva Brown.

Tom Earl Brock spent Sunday here with Sidney Evans.

Mrs. Edith Robinson spent last Thursday with Mrs. Iva Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Farrar of McGregor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Farrar.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ross of Oglesby spent Sunday with Mrs. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ashby.

Mr. Hollis Thorne who has spent the past few weeks in Nashville, Tennessee with relatives returned home last Tuesday.

Reverend Rudolph (Doc) Harvey and Reverend Russel of Waco attended Sunday School here Sunday. They took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Evans.

Miss Viola Whitenburg spent the past week in Gatesville with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitenburg.

Reverend W. Vasant of Waco who is pastor of the Methodist Church here, filled his regular appointment Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bruce Kearney and little daughter of Mosheim is spending this week here with Mr. and Mrs. Bush Kearney.

Miss Minnie Farrar and Mrs. Jess Farrar were shopping in Gatesville Saturday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the play staged in the auditorium here last Friday night. It was presented by students and teachers of the Grove School. The name of the play was "Always in Trouble". It was enjoyed by everyone.

### ELIGA NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard visited last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fleming.

Mrs. Levia Manning visited Sunday afternoon with her daughter Mrs. John White.

Mary Young is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mervil Thomas at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shults.

Miss Mary Manning spent the weekend here visiting her brother and wife Mr and Mrs.

James Manning.  
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ranher and family visited Sunday with their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Randell Ranher.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Colvin had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Barney Colvin and children of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Parker spent the week end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shafer.

Miss Neva Hubbard had as her guests Monday night Misses Mary Lau and Clara Mae Greggs of Temple.

Miss Gladys Ranher visited Friday with Miss Blanche Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fleming and daughter spent Sunday afternoon with her mother Mrs. Henry McVey.

Mrs. Mally White is visiting her daughter and son in law Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Winkle and family of Temple visited here Monday night with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Graham and daughter of Browns Creek spent Saturday night with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton Graham.

Frank and Royal Hill visited Lloyd Whatley recently.

Misses Robbie Lee Hubbard and Wilma Whatley attended the show at Killeen Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBride and family of Maple visited Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Craig Thomas.

Mrs. Duke Wilkerson and children of Pidcock visited here over the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Beason Graham.

### MOUND NEWS

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. George Franks spent Sunday in the home of his neices the Misses Scotts of Eagle springs.

Mesdames Jack and Huly Davidson of Puitite visited in the home of Mrs. George I. Draper Monday of this week.

Mrs. H. M. and Miss Ima Fellers entertained with an eighty four party Friday night.

Joyce Lawrence is able to be up again after a two weeks illness.

Mrs. B. G. Anderson and Miss Ima Fellers spent Sunday in the home of their sister Mrs. Ted Mayberry of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Marshall came in from west Texas Friday night and was accompanied by L. A. Pruett.

Mrs. Arch Blanchard and son Ford of Bay city are here in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Blanchard spent Tuesday with relatives in Waco.

Mrs. Ted Mayberry and children of Gatesville spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Fellers.

Mrs. Frank Lam of Oglesby was in Mound one day the past week.

Little Master David Davidson celebrated his sixth birthday with a party the 25th.

Miss Doris Lawrence entertained with an eighty four party Friday night.

### BUSTER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hawkins and Curtis Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hawkins of Jonesboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cook and family. Mrs. Lillie Williams also visited the Cooks Sunday.

A good many people from here attended the basket ball tournament held in the Turnersville gym during the weekend.

Mrs. John Williams is spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Riddle and family of near Mosheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Sheppard and Jack of White Hall, Wayne Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Faris and daughter and Mrs.



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Dan Williams and two children of near Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone and Farrell and Lewis Boynton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Faris and daughter of near Abilene spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Faris they also visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Hasse of near White Hall.

Rev. Mr. John Rhoades left an appointment here for third Sunday, the same being Feb. 20. Everyone is cordially invited to attend each service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stoyker and two daughters of Clifton were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Meharg.

Several people of this place attended church in White Hall during the weekend.

Frances Williams and Jewel Wendeborn attended the Valentine party in the Turnersville gym Monday night.

Mrs. Joyce Touchstone and son and Mrs. Bud Williams visited with Mrs. Dorothy Cook awhile Wednesday afternoon.

### SEATTLE ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wolff and family visited their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Albert McCammy at Moody Sunday.

The Moffat School played basket ball at County line school Friday. The County Line boys beat and the Moffat girls beat.

There was a valentine box at

the school house Monday and several guests were present.

Miss Lela Drew McElroy of McAllen Texas is visiting here. Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lambright were guests in the Burl Watts home Saturday night and Sunday.

A large crowd enjoyed a musical entertainment at Jewell Watt's recently.

Miss Opal Dixon spent the week end with her cousin Clara Dixon in the county line community.

The Department of Agriculture plans to divert surplus hops into fertilizer and mulch.

Australia will join the procession of nations using the radio to further their interests if favorable action is taken on a recent proposal.



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## SOCIETY

### Mrs. Lewis Holmes Hostess To Circle

The Mary Martha Circle met in the home of Mrs. Lewis Holmes, February 15. The devotional was led by Mrs. Howard Franks while Mrs. H. C. Stinnett was the speaker of the evening.

A delicious salad course was served to the following members: Mrs. James R. E. Stockburger, E. B. Bradin, J. H. McCollan, John Newbauer, H. C. Dollins, H. C. Franks, George Painter, Fred Chamlee, E. C. Lay, T. R. Mears, and the hostess.

### Wednesday Bridge Club Has No Host Luncheon

The Wednesday Bridge Club had a no host luncheon at the home of Mrs. L. K. Thomson Jr. on Saunders Street. This no host luncheon occurs every eight days. Miss Joyce Baker won first prize and Mrs. Clark Jensen second.

Those present were: Misses Joyce Baker and Grace Richards, Mesdames Floyd Zeigler, Jim J. Brown, Peyton Morgan, Jack Odell, Clark Jensen, Sherrill Kendrick, Johnny Bradford, Billy Nesbit, Charles Powell and Johnny Washburn.

### Annual Banquet Held At Methodist Church

The fifth annual banquet of the Young People's Department was held at the First Methodist Church, February 15, 1938. Bill Witt presided with C. H. Wallace serving as toastmaster. A trio composed of Jack Hearne, C. H. Wallace and Burl Davis sang "Risk of Age". After the introduction of guests, Jack Thomson rendered a reading, "The Burning Candle." The speaker of the evening was Mr. Alonzo Bryan, Student at S. M. U. His address was based on "Youth and the World Today".

A three course dinner consisting of fruit cocktail, roast turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry

sauces, celery salad, pickles and gratin, carrots a la king, burr pickles, rolls, coffee, caramel pecan pies, nuts and mints, was served to approximately seventy-five people.

In conclusion "Taps" was sung by all.

### Flat Primary Children Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Botkin entertained the primary children with a Valentine party Friday afternoon. The home was decorated with festoons, hearts, and soft lights were about the rooms. The center interest was a huge valentine basket which held favors, and valentines for all.

After the Valentine party the children were entertained with radio music, and games were also enjoyed. About thirty guests were present, including Mrs. George Clawson, Miss Alben Yett, Mr. W. E. Palmer, and the teacher, Miss Violet Beiter.

Refreshments of cake, punch, and heart candies were served during the afternoon.

### Presbyterian Class Has Valentine Party

In celebration of Valentine's Day, Mrs. Stone Baker entertained her Sunday School Class with a party Friday night. The principle game of the evening was hearts. Little Miss Imogene Baker delighted the guests with her singing and tap dancing.

Those attending were: Patsy Olsen, Jock Hestilow, Jean Patillo, Anita Lowrey, Jack Hearne, Dorothy Nell Baker, Loyd Neil Kirkpatrick, Rosylene Anderson, Sydney Gregory, Burl Davis and the hostess.

### Business Women's Luncheon At Church Wednesday

The Business Women of Gatesville had a Spanish luncheon at the Baptist Church Wednesday. The tables were beautifully decorated with cactus and Spanish figures. The main course consisted of spaghetti, brown beans, tamale pie, and slaw and the dessert was coffee and sliced pineapple.

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Mrs. David Corrigan presided because the chairman, Mrs. D. I. Glass was unable to be present. Mrs. Evans Smith gave a talk on missions.

### Nancy Satterfield Gives Party For Project

For her home project in Home Economics, Nancy Satterfield gave a party at her home on Leon Street Friday night. The guests danced ring games for the entertainment of the evening.

Sandwiches and punch were enjoyed by the following guests: Nancy Martin, Grace Walker, Leonne Mann; Mabelle and Katherine Ward; John Mings Davidson; Craig Davidson; Billy Patterson; Steve Lindley; Douglas Mayberry; Billy McBride; Paul Martin; G. C. Martin; Douglas Pollard; Joe Ned Brown and Bill Williams.

### Firemen Have Annual Banquet Monday

Monday evening the volunteer firemen of the Gatesville Fire Department and their ladies attended their annual banquet at the Methodist Church. Approximately ninety members were present.

Table decorations were in the Valentine motif. Favors of whistles for the men and small dolls for the ladies were placed at each plate.

The house was called to order by a miniature siren, which was presented to Chief Roger Miller after the banquet. C. E. Alvis Jr. presided as toastmaster with

Reverend Seymour rendering the invocation. Guests were welcomed by Pleasant A. Walker. Following this came talks by Reverend Seymour and Mayor Gandy. It was announced that the city council had been voted to pay for the banquet.

Marjorie Hall played soft melodious music during the meal which consisted of fried oysters, potato salad, crackers, coffee and gum drops.

Guests of the evening were Mayor and Mrs. C. E. Gandy, Council E. Routh, L. S. Holmes, Bob Saunders, and wives, City Secretary Eiland Lovejoy and wife, Chief of Police Frank Farquhar, Brother and Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Pearl White.

### Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Honored with Shower

As a compliment to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Singleton, who were recently married, Mrs. Doyle Singleton, Mrs. David Corrigan and Miss Winola Sasse entered into a shower at the home of Mrs. D. Singleton, 204 N. Lutterloh, Monday evening. Very attractive was the reception room with all evidence of Valentine day.

The games were distinctly carried out with the spirit of Valentine, and favors, which were presented to the guest, were lovely Valentines with "M. E. and Lucille, Feb. 5th," written on each. The climax of the evening was the presentation to the "Newly-Weds" a huge valentine box filled with lovely and use-

ful gifts.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Singleton, Mesdames E. D. Shelton, J. D. Shipman, Peck Ingram, A. O. Welch, Misses Pauline Smith, Nettie McClure, Mildred Melton, Fern Cooper, Inez Rogers, Elaine Smith, Messrs Carl Drake, Doyle Singleton and the hostesses.

### Nancy Franks Celebrates Third Birthday Monday

Nancy Franks, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franks celebrated her third birthday Monday afternoon. Various games furnished the entertainment for the evening. Refreshments of cookies and ice cream were served to the guests. The heart shaped cake was topped with three glowing candles. The guest included: Eleanor Ann Newbauer, John Terry Ward, Patricia Ann Painter, Carry and Sue Braden, John Powell, Joe Lane Roger, Bob and Ann Miller Lynn Sydney Washburn, Joan Jones James R. Balch and Billy Jack Perryman and the hostesses.

The afternoon entertainment was concluded with the opening of the birthday gifts. An enjoyable time was had by all.

Talley Young of Brownwood is visiting his mother Mrs. R. H. Young for a day or two. Henry and Talley are owners of a Western Auto Associate store in that city.

**PERSONAL**

Henry MacDonald motored to Dallas Sunday.  
 L. S. Secrest made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday.  
 Mr. L. K. Thomson and daughter, Jane, visited in Temple Friday.  
 Neil Kirkpatrick and Eloise Cook were Stephenville visitors Sunday.  
 Mrs. M. A. Daniels has been confined to her bed with the flu recently.  
 Clayton Frank is ill with the flu and is confined to his home this week.  
 Mrs. T. C. Russell of Terrell is visiting this week with Mrs. Tom Davidson.  
 Mrs. J. O. Griffin of Terrell was a guest of her father, John Gilmer over the weekend.  
 Mrs. Carolyn Horton and mother, Mrs. George Henser, have been visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. Pat Olsen and daughters Annice and Patsy were Waco shoppers Monday.  
 Ruth Hamilton, student at Baylor University, visited her parents here last week-end.  
 C. L. Kerby, who is teaching at Osage, was in Gatesville Monday.  
 Cecil Faris of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Faris, of near here.  
 Frank Huey of Archer City Public Schools was a week end visitor in Gatesville.  
 J. T. Ramsey has returned home from a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Clifton.  
 Pat Hobin of Turnersville and student at A. and M. college visited friends in Gatesville Saturday.  
 Mr. Raymond Edwards, who has been ill for several days, is still confined to his home near Gatesville.  
 Daisy Shirley, student at Texas University, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bullet Jones and family Sunday.

Byrom Leaird Jr. is confined to his bed this week.  
 Miss Reba Jones has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Leo Domstead, and brother, Harry Jones in McAllen.  
 Mrs. Laura Rayford is leaving for a ten day visit in the Rio Grande Valley with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Kimbell of Ft. Worth.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ritchie and his mother, Mrs. J. F. Ritchie of Ritchieson Texas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ritchie of Gatesville Sunday. Mrs. J. F. Ritchie is remaining with her children and grandson in Gatesville for a short time.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS**

A meeting of the stockholders of the Turnersville Telephone Company is hereby called for Monday night, February 28, 1938, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Turnersville High School building, for the purpose of electing three trustees.  
 Signed: JOE MILNER, Chairman, Turnersville Telephone Co-operative Club. 16-3tc

**RAIN TOTALS 2.58**

Rains Wednesday and Thursday totaled 2.58 inches. The rains came in place of a cold norther that had been forecast. Over five inches was reported to have fallen around Jonesboro so Ole' Man River Leon may once more go on a rampage.

**WEST MAIN TO HAVE NEW WATER MAIN INSTALLED**

Beginning at the north-west corner of the square and extending almost to the river the Gatesville Water Dept. will lay a six inch water main in the place of the smaller one. This will increase the water pressure in this section of town, which will give the people better water service. In case of fire the increased pressure will aid the fire fighting efficiency. This will reduce the insurance rate a certain percent. New fire plugs will be installed at the end of main.

**NOTES FROM THE COUNTY SUTPS. OFFICE**

Many trustees have taken out their census supplies and are ready to enumerate all children in their districts who were born after Sept. 1920 and before September 2nd 1932. Children who are under 21 may attend the public schools but those 18 years of age or above are not taken by the census trustee. The Interscholastic League Executive committee held a meet-

**PALACE**

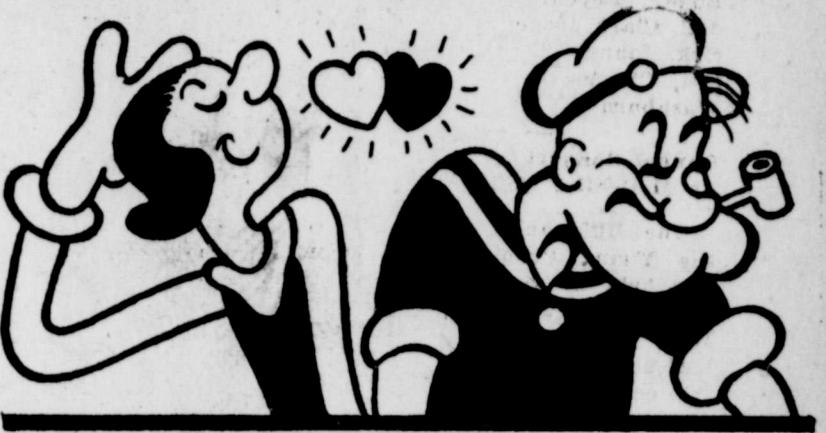
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**IRELAND NEWS**

The people are busy planting early gardens, nothing like trying to raise plenty to eat.

Our barber, Mr. Clayton and family moved the past week over in the East part of town in the home belonging to Mr. C. D. Allard.

Mr. Snider shipped 800 sheep the past week to Moran, Texas Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Tyler a big baby boy. They named him Leroy.

Mrs. Frank Kelso of Gatesville was in Ireland for a while Friday in the interest of the relief work.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Motteon of Waco were Ireland visitors Sunday.

It looks like we are going to get quite a lot of road work in this section as we have seven avowed candidates out for Commissioner of our roads. That seems to be the main issue. "Good roads" is a good slogan that's fine. We need them. We are for all of you.

Mr. Henry Jonsson has been quite sick all the week being confined to his home.

Dr. Charlie Baker of Hamilton was in Ireland Monday doing some dental work pulling some teeth for Mrs. W. P. Grubb Sr.

Mr. Wiley Russell and family moved to Gatesville the past week. His daughter, Miss Russell has been Government Librarian for some time here. She now has a place in the Library in Gatesville.

Mrs. Casey of Ireland succeeds Miss Russell as Librarian here.

**SLATER NEWS**

Slater school is progressing in every respect. Fine weather and good health has brought the attendance to almost 100 per cent for the past three weeks.

The girls playground team defeated Pearl girls on the Slater court Monday afternoon.

This week is a very busy week for the pupils and teachers, because of the Mid-term which means examinations in all classes.

The play, "Look Me In The Eye", staged Saturday night, February 12, by Slater Home Talent Club was a big success. A large crowd attended. This play will be staged next Friday night February 18, at Piddoke by the same characters.

**LEVITA NEWS**

We are having some warm threatening weather for the time of year and the farmer is making good use of the weather to prepare their land for another crop.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers has been ill for a long time and unable to get up. We hope she will soon be able to be out again.

Callers in the home of Mrs. Permenter and Rogers Sunday were Mrs. Tom Harris and Mrs. Bill Beachly. Also five girl friends of Ireland spent the afternoon there.

Mrs. Printice Powell and baby boy are doing fine. Mrs. Quicksall is able to sit up a little. She was in the Temple sanitarium for several days. There are several cases of whooping cough in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles were in Waco a week ago to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Webb. They were both doing fine.

Mrs. Cal Anderson of Purnela spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Rogers.

Next Sunday which is the third Sunday there will be preaching at the First Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. Pitman. Everyone is invited to attend and especially the members who have not been attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roberts were in Gatesville Monday shopping and transacting business.

Mr. Ora Anderson of Odessa was a visitor in the home of his brother Mr. Boss Anderson.

**TURNERSVILLE**

Miss Sally Moncrief who is now teaching in McGregor spent the week end here.

J. T. Williams and wife of College Station spent the weekend with home folks.

Duan, Hobin who is attending A. & M. College spent the weekend with home folks.

Miss Nancy Trantham spent the weekend in Waco.

Zilman Gilmore and wife of Longview spent the past weekend with home folks.

Charlie Scriber and wife of Gatesville were Sunday visitors in the Mrs. Minnie Lewis home.

**SPRING HILL NEWS**

(Intended for last week) Health in our community is very good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley of Gatesville, Sunday.

Mr. Roy Gaines of Houston was a guest of Miss Lois Walker over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dyer have moved to the Olney Baird farm at Friendship.

Rev. Vinsant filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He preached a very interesting sermon.

Mrs. Bessie Warren and children went to south Texas the past week to join her husband

who is working there.

Mesdames Owen and Wade Dyer gave a dinner on Sunday the 30th honoring Fred Dyer on his fiftieth birthday. Those to enjoy the dinner were Mrs. and Mr. Raymond Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dyer and Bobby Horace Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyer Fred Jr., and Ethel Dean; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Dyer and Billy Van and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Dyer.

Mr. J. H. Wittie who has been ill is reported to be improving some.

Mr. Virgil Deavers and boys of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Deavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Butth visited one day the past week in the Fred Dyer home.

**PURNELA NEWS**

Mrs. Bun Powell is at Beaumont for treatment on her neck which has been bothering her for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Etry Harges of Gatesville and Mrs. Burt Richardson and son of Gatesville all visited Mrs. Dave Adams Sunday.

Miss Minnie Comer became the wife of J. M. Simmons Thursday. They will make their home at Spring Lake.

The Ex-Students had a valentine party Monday night. An enjoyable time was had by all.

The Four Square Club will present a program Friday night Come and see the play "Quack-Quack!" The general public is invited.

**CORYELL VALLEY**

Mr Charlie Payne of Pearl visited in the A. Knight home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Payne and family of Speegle were also the guests of the Knights this week end.

Sunday guest with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Weeks were Mrs. Week's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lofton.

Mrs. Will Fowler spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Latham.

Mr. J. J. Nichols of White Hall was a dinner guest in the A. M. McCallister home Tues. Cecil Fowler of White Hall visited his sister, Mrs. C. T. Latham recently.

Mrs. Jess Kitley and Mrs. A. Knight spent Tuesday afternoon

with Mrs. Wayne Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Latham attended church at Liberty Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Fowler. Miss Jo Nell Fowler returned home with them for a short visit.

Sunday dined guests in the A. M. McCallister home were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCallister and John Lee and Mr. Bob McCallister of White Hall.

Mr. B. A. Wilson visited in Gatesville Saturday

Mrs. Bert Richardson and Jackie spent Wednesday of last week with Mrs. A. M. McCallister.

Miss Edna Fowler of White Hall visited her niece Mrs. C. T. Latham recently.

Mr. Heck Hill and Doc. Mortin off Clifton visited in the A. M. McCallister home Sun.

**NOTICE TO PUBLIC**

We will not be responsible for any debts received other than those made by our purchase orders.

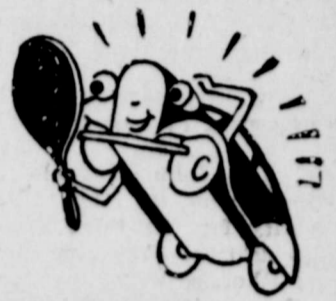
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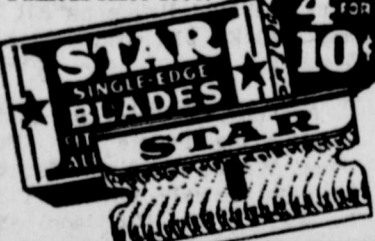
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# CHURCHES

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. Spaulding of Kerrville will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist Church at both the morning and evening hours.

Dr. Herring will be present but Rev. Spaulding will deliver the message at both hours.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday February, 20th, 1938. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Preaching services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:15 P. M.

Mr. Charles Yergan will preach at both services.

## REV. RHOADES IN BUSTER COMMUNITY

Rev. Mr. John Rhoades left an appointment in the Buster community for the third Sunday in this month, February 20th.

Rev. Rhoades will have charge of both services morning and evening; the general public, as well as the the community is cordially invited to attend either or both services.

## PREACHING SUNDAY BY REV. W. VINSANT

At Ft. Gates: Services at 11 a. m. "The Preacher who Sought to be Saved"; at 7 p.

## m. "Strong Womanhood". Revival

Plans for a circuit wide revival commencing at Spring Hill March 2nd-6th.

Flat: March 10th -13th  
Ft. Gates: March 16th-20th.  
Brown's Creek: March 23-27  
Preaching at night only except Sunday.

The public is invited.

## METHODIST CHURCH

The last of the special services for the alphabetical groups will be held this Sunday for the W X Y Z group. Members in this group are urged to attend.

The Young People of the church had their annual banquet Tuesday evening with about 75 present.

## HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS TO BE LET MONDAY

Monday, February 21, the contracts for the construction of a nine mile strip of Number 7 State highway in Hamilton county will be granted to the lowest bidder. During this week contractors from all parts of the state have offered their contract bids for consideration and Mr. A. L. Chollar the administrator is expecting additional bids to come in Friday or Saturday. The work is to be largely grading and general road construction work.



## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 23, 1938:

For Representative: 94th District (Coryell and Hamilton).

EARL HUDDLESTON

(Re-election)

WELDON BURNEY

(Of Evant)

For District Attorney (52nd District).

HARRY FLENTGE

(Re-election)

For District Clerk:

CARL McCLENDON

(2nd Term)

For County Judge:

FLOYD ZEIGLER

(Re-election)

For Sheriff:

JOE WHITE

(Re-election)

GEORGE HODGES

J. H. BROWN

For Assessor-Collector:

IVY EDMONDSON

DAVE CULBERSON

(Re-election)

For County Clerk:

CHAS. P. MOUNCE

(Re-election)

For County Treasurer:

O. L. BRAZZIL

(Re-election)

For County Superintendent:

J. M. WITCHER

(2nd Term)

A. E. WHISENHUNT

W. D. STOCKBURGER

For County Attorney:

C. E. ALVIS, JR.

(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Beat 1:

H. E. PRESTON

(Re-election)

BUB BERRY

EMMETT L. TURNER

W. E. MORGAN

For Commissioner, Beat 2:

L. M. (LON) MAYBERRY

H. J. LEONHARD

(2nd Term)

C. W. BRAZZIL, JR.

J. MILTON PRICE

FISHER BRAZZIL

ROY EVETTS

C. C. (LUM) HUBBARD

For Commissioner, Beat 3:

DEE SWIFT

HARRY JOHNSON

(Re-election)

ERNEST GOHLKE

For Commissioner, Beat 4:

OAD PAINTER

(2nd Term)

For Justice of the Peace:

A. SHIRLEY

(Re-election)

--WILL TRADE one or three farms near Denison, Texas, for Coryell county ranch land. See me at my office in Brown Building, Gatesville, Texas. Dr. Chas T. McGregor. 16-4tc



## CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the coming City Election.

For Mayor:

C. E. GANDY

(2nd term)

For Alderman, Ward 1:

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Fisticufflers are in strenuous training every afternoon in the local gym for the coming county bouts. Gene Alvis, Killer Rutherford's trainer says he sees in the Killer a Demsey and a Tunney rolled into one.

Following is an excerpt from the column of Jinx Tucker, the "Sage of the Southwest".

"The Bynum boys think Gatesville is going to be Waco's strongest competitor for district honors and they have just cause for their convictions because the Gatesville boys have defeated them a couple of times this year and another group including the Waco boy think Corsicana will be the toughest because Waco barely beat Corsicana when Waco was at its full strength."

If the Hornets can get by the winner of the Bynum-Fairfield contest they will get a chance at the victor of the Rosebud-Corsicana fracas, which will be Corsicana and the fans will see who it will be battling Waco in the finals.



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## WORLD COMMENT



Joe Burns

The test of a news commentator's integrity lies in his willingness to report and interpret the news of the day as he sees it, without injecting bias or partisan sentiments or subtle propaganda.

The demand for the columnist and commentator arose primarily because of the far reaching implications involved in the modern news story—implications which the average newspaper reader does not have the time to study. It is the commentator's task to seek out additional facts and to present them in concise form to those who because of other duties cannot read countless news bulletins, editorials, magazines and newspapers.

From the sources of material at his disposal the newspaper columnist can present facts which may completely alter a reader's conception of a news event and his viewpoint for or against a policy or person. For this reason the columnist's responsibility is great. The columnist must be certain of his facts—must be able to distinguish propaganda from news, primarily—and must abstain from involvement in party politics.

Thus today we find most of our great columnists maintaining their independence on all issues of the day and there is no basis for claims to the contrary. For the simple reason that a majority of the syndicated writers oppose the present national administration on most of its policies one is absolutely unjustified in branding these writers as partisan and biased. They are simply expressing their honest opinions on issues of today.

On the pro-new deal side of contemporary columnists there is one figure; Jay Franklin. Boake Carter, Walter Lippmann, David Lawrence, Frank R. Kent, Dorothy Thompson, Westbrook Pegler, are truly independent and have supported the new deal on many of its cardinal issues. During the last two years, alarmed by the trend of political and economic trends they have been extremely critical of Mr. Roosevelt. Mark Sullivan is the spokes man of the arch-conservative group of writers and seldom agrees with Mr. Roosevelt.

Checking back thru files of this column we find from a list of those new deal policies which it has endorsed and those which it has condemned that this writer may justly claim to be independent and intends to continue in that vein of thought. Let the reader check for himself and see where he stands:

### FOR—

Closing banks, 1933. Rubber dollar experiment. Amnesty to conscientious objectors. Warm Springs Foundation. Tariff reductions agreements. Strike settlements in 1934. Holding Company control. National defence policy. Hands off Mexico's religious dispute. Full wartime powers for President. Adherence to world court. SEC. Bank deposit insurance. CCC. Good neighbor Pan-Americanism. Recognition of Russia. Ohio flood relief. Reform of lower Federal courts. Summer naval training for boys. Veto of reduced

## THE HARMON HOME IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Harmon Home Improvement Club met in the home of Mrs. Whittenburgh February 8. The afternoon was spent having a good time. The house was called to order by the President and all sang 'Beautiful Texas'. The minutes of the previous meeting were read. The roll was called, and each answered by telling how meal planning had helped them.

Our president read us a letter concerning 'Educational Funds'. The members present paid their dues of five cents each.

It was decided that Mrs. Rosa Perryman would cook apricot pie and Mrs. Joe Reese apple pie for the Rally. Several volunteered to make aprons for the Rally.

Refreshments of cocoa and muffins were served to the 13 members present.

The motion was made and seconded for the meeting to adjourn and to meet with Mrs. Joe Reese February 22 and with Mrs. Duncan March 8.

## THE SPIRIT OF WASHINGTON

George Washington, leader of a revolution that won the freedom and independence of a great nation, took active part in the moulding of a new country into a government. Signer of the Declaration of Independence, the Nation's first president. All these accomplishments make him an inspirational figure for all Americans.

His ideals are still reflected in this modern world of today. Businessmen are based on his principals of honesty, dependability, and loyalty. His spirit of undying perseverance in the face of overwhelming odds is still alive in America today and is the stepping stone from failure up to success in all undertakings. He is truly the father of our country and the ideal American. His sons of today are following his example by fighting to the end and always being masters of their fate. Size cannot exist long without the qualities of honesty and fair shooting that we have seen in Washington. Let us today do honor to the first real American by following his examples of honesty and standing for the right in every decision.

## CORYELL CITY 4-H CLUB

The 4-H Club girls of Coryell City met February 15. All members were present except one. After the reading of the minutes the club played games and sang songs.

At this meeting plans for the next meeting were discussed. At the next meeting, February 24 the club will make pillow cases. This meeting will be sponsored by the regular sponsor, Miss Louise Maxx and the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Gibson.

mortgage interest. Sugar quota policy. Lending old warships to Brazil.

### AGAINST—

Silver purchase plan; Violating gold clause in United State bonds; NRA; AAA; Packing supreme court; Embargo neutrality powers in President; Sharing the wealth; Desertion of 1932 and 1936 platforms; Continued deficits; Retiring Gen. Johnson Hagood; Trick budget bookkeeping; Passamaquoddy; TVA; Resettlement and slum-clearance waste of funds; Sit-down strikes Appointment of Mr. Justice Black; Refusing to take real census of unemployment; Third term.

## Courthouse News

Jule Sydow and wife to Leon Camp, No. 259, W. O. W.

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Mrs. Mittie Hammock and others to W. T. Hix.

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J. D. Rogers to Mrs. Mollie Rogers.

C. Bauman to Verne Waddill.

U. D. Maxwell and wife to Horace Schow.

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J. T. Smith and Miss Sybil Jones.

Vernon Laffey and Miss Beulah Cole.

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Sidney Gayle Gibson, '38 Plymouth Touring.

R. M. Arnold, '38 Pontiac Sedan.

Carl Sadler, '38 Chev. Sedan

## PURMELA EX-STUDENTS CLUB

The Purmela ex-students met Wednesday night Feb. 9. After several games of '42' and casino music played by our 'Hill Billy Heartbreakers' was enjoyed by all.

A business meeting was held it was decided that they would buy the school rhythm band new uniforms and have the name of the school painted on the front and back of the building as our new projects.

The volley ball club was re-organized and they decided to begin playing volley ball next week beginning Tuesday night Feb. 22. They will continue playing volley ball every Tuesday and Friday of each week. Mr. Cleo Huchabee was elected manager and Talvey Weeks was elected treasurer.

Monday night Feb. 14 a

## WITH THE SHIP OF STATE



Washington, D. C.—Every legislature is preoccupied with three different types of measures and most important to each are those little local bills for his city or his county or the general benefit of the folks back home. Next comes his "pet" projects—perhaps the army, child labor, slum clearance or any one of a hundred others. Last in importance to the individual law maker are those acts of national importance and scope. That is why the most important measures are the slowest in passing.

There has been no hesitation in granting naval appropriations this session, but now the friends of the Navy are pressing their claims, representatives who believe that increased spending by the army will benefit their sections or who have adopted the army as their pet project. Almost certainly the military forces will benefit to some extent by the increase

Pasadena, Cal., has passed an ordinance barring dogs from the streets between 7 o'clock p. m. and 7 a. m.

Valentine party was held in the school house for the ex-students. After several interesting contests, refreshments of punch cookies and candy hearts were served. Places were decorated with Valentine favors.



## WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY RECIPES

February 22 is the birthday of our nation's first president, George Washington. For those women who play to give Washington parties and also for those who like to surprise their families with new dishes here are two recipes that correspond with the significance of that day. Everyone remembers the story of how George Washington chopped down his father's cherry tree and could not tell a lie about it.

### WASHINGTON SALAD

1 pkg. lemon flavored gelatin  
1 cup boiling pineapple juice  
1 cup diced pineapple  
1 cup boiling water  
4 tbsp chopped pimentos  
1 cup white cream cheese  
1/2 cup grape jelly  
Pour water and juice over

gelatin. Cook and allow to thicken a little. Pour half into shallow mold when a little stiff. Add pimentos and pineapple. Allow to stiffen then add the rest of jelly and cheese. When stiff top with grape jelly. Chill until very stiff. Cut into flag shapes and arrange on lettuce. Place cheese sticks at side of flags to resemble flag poles.

### CHERRY COBBLER

Dough:  
2 cups flour  
2 tsp baking powder  
4 tbsp sugar  
1/2 tsp salt  
6 tbsp shortening  
2-3 cup milk  
Filling:  
3 cups cherries

## REV. O. C. RAEKE OF COPPERAS COVE DELGATE TO CHICAGO

Old foes of Christian faith and the new problems which religion faces in modern industrial civilization were considered by 4000 delegates from the Methodist Episcopal Church in all parts of the United States at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago Feb. 3, 4, and 5.

From the San Antonio district Rev. O. C. Raeko of Copperas Cove and Rev. J. L. Rode, district superintendent, were chosen as representatives. Rev. Raeko said the meeting was well worth the trip. The ballroom of the Stevens Hotel with a seating capacity of 4000 was filled, and about 1000 other crowded in the Barn Dance Auditorium adjoining the building. Speakers were forced to address the gathering in the ball room, then proceed to the Barn Dance Auditorium and repeat their speeches Raeko said. The final session was held Saturday and Rev. Raeko returned to Copperas Cove Monday.

in national defense. There was mild sensation, for instance, when it was discovered that the Springfield Arsenal was only producing some six dozen Garand Semi-automatic rifles a week to replace the old Springfields. And the Army staff so long and so often forced into the background by the more impressive Navy is chuckling happily in the belief that it will get at least a few crumbs without having to ask for them.

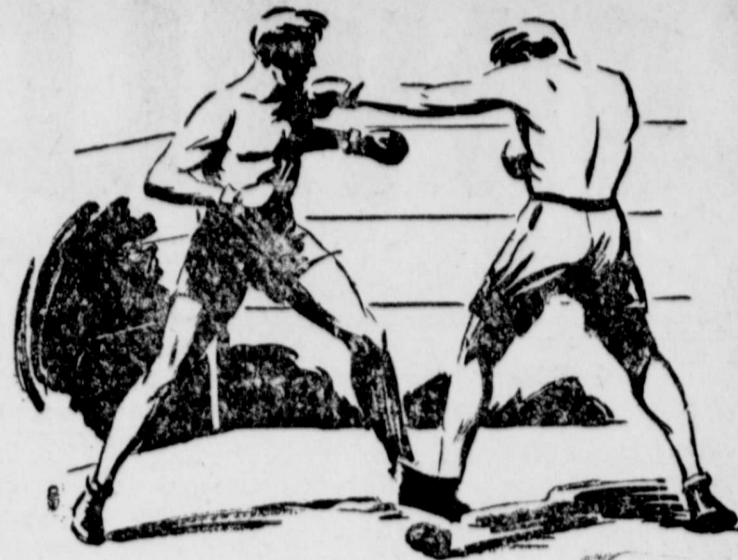
The state Department, relieved of the tension brought by Japan's invasion of China, is once more watching the turn of Spanish affairs. It is believed that within a short time all the central European nations will have recognized Franco's rebels as the 'Government'. One embarrassing thing is the fact that nearly all Italian language newspapers in the United States already call Franco's forces 'the government forces' and refer to the actual government forces as Reds and this lead is being followed by papers printed in English as find it convenient policy to play up the 'Red Menace'.

Once more G-Man J. Edgar Hoover has temporarily silenced his critics by the capture of the Ross kidnaper. The vice campaign of the G-Men has been bitterly attacked especially by congressmen whose local authorities are protesting the G-Man activities in their bailiwicks. The Matson kidnapping thirteen months old and still unsolved is used as a continual irritant against Hoover and his men and there is no doubt that if it continues unsolved it will be heavy ammunition in a long delayed move to cut down the department and curtail its activities.

The recent treasury report on the numbers of persons receiving an income of a million dollars a year or more has set the tax-the-rich experts to sharpening their pencils. Back in 1929 over five hundred people were in the million-income class. The number has dropped to a low of twenty in 1932 but it has risen steadily since then, the 1935 figures being thirty three and the 1936 figure (on which 1937 taxes are based) was sixty one. The more radical tax advocates insist that in spite of the recession, 1937 will prove to have increased the number to over two hundred. And it is safe to predict that with millionaires on the increase there will be no modification of income taxes in the higher brackets.



# SPORTS



## Hornets to Meet Winner Bynum-Fairfield in District Contest

Gatesville's Golden Hornets Coryell county champions of 1938 will meet the winner of the Bynum-Fairfield fracas at eight-fifteen tonight. As it was first planned the Hornets were supposed to meet Bynum in the tournament opener but at the last minute Fairfield, winner of Freestone county entered and that threw the race in such a way as to give Gatesville a bye into the quarterfinals. If they defeat the winner of Bynum-Fairfield they will play the winner of the Rosebud-Corsicana contest at eleven o'clock Saturday morning. If they happen to win that one they will go into the finals.

Gatesville's record this season is a remarkable one, although it is not as good as those of the past year. In the previous three years the Hornets have gone up to the county meet undefeated, but won the county championship in only one of those years.

The Hornets have played a total of 36 games this season, and have lost only four. Those four setbacks came at the opening of the basketball season, and the Hornets suffered from lack of sufficient practice, while the teams that defeated them had been working out since the opening of school.

The first game they played with Evant after only one day of practice they won by the small score of 12-11. The next day they met the strong Star team in Ireland's invitational tournament and were defeated 24-21. Their next game was with Ireland and with the help of the referees, Ireland edged the Hornets out 18-16. Their next defeat came at the hand of the Star team again this time on the Star court 19-18. Then the Jonesboro Eagles beat them 9-7.

All those defeats were by the small margins of one two and three points. Another thing on the bright side is that the Hor-

nets have beaten all the teams that defeated them by wide margins at later dates. Since those defeats they have beaten Ireland three times, Jonesboro twice and Star once. They have not lost a game on their home court. In their march to the county championship they defeated Pearl 25-11, Oglesby 50-11 and Jonesboro 16-12.

The Hornets have already defeated two teams entered in the district meet, Valley Mills and Bynum.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER FOR JONESBORO RESIDENT

A surprise birthday dinner was given to George Johnson of Jonesboro, Sunday 13th. He was 50 years of age Wednesday, the 9th, however the surprise came later and with it one of the happiest birthdays he has known during his fifty years.

There were 61 present, namely Mr. J. H. Richardson, and son and daughter of Ireland; Mr. Johnnie Johnson and son from Rolls; Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Smith and four daughters of Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Pruitt and five children of Moshim, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Richardson and daughter of Ireland; Mr. J. D. Bennett of Jonesboro, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith and sons of Turnersville, Mr. and Mrs. Elcie Smith and five children of Jonesboro; Mrs. Caroline Smith from Jonesboro.

Along with relatives there were many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ballier and five sons of Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ballier and five children of Hamilton; O. W. Oruscash from Ireland; Miss Geniva Hill of Ireland, Marvin Lee, Miss Loretta Walters of Jonesboro, and Mr. J. E. Ducis of Lorenzo, Texas.

Mrs. George Johnson spent out all the invitations without Mr. Johnson having even the slightest idea of a dinner for him. Mr. Johnson was blindfolded at the

### HORNETTES TO MEET IRENE HERE FEB. 25 AND 26

The no longer undefeated Hornettes will meet the strong Irene sextette here in the local gym Feb. 25 and 26 in their last home game of the season. This was the date planned for the AAU meet but the local school officials waited too late to get the meet under way and dropped the whole thing.

March eleventh and twelfth they will enter the girls invitational tournament held at Irene.

### GATESVILLE SEXTETTE HAS REMARKABLE RECORD

The Gatesville sextette under the expert tutelage of Coach F. G. Schwarz have completed one of the best records of any girls team in the state.

They have lost only one game out of 38 played, and lost that contest to a team they had previously beaten three times. On their list of defeated teams are some of the best teams in central Texas, including Waco, who was last year's Central Texas AAU champion.

Following is the complete record for the season.

Opponents	GHS	Op
Indiana Gap	34	4
Jonesboro	20	4
Evant	38	10
Pearl	30	14
Crawford	38	17
Waco	15	9
Crawford	29	7
Evant	21	18
Crawford	22	13
Flkt	16	1
Star	43	7
Ireland	33	9
Blackcats	21	6
Turnersville	31	7
Beattie	22	16
Beattie	21	18
Flkt	48	13
Ireland	51	6
Ireland	38	11
Pearl All-stars	32	12
Plainview All-Stars	23	9
Plainview All-Stars	27	7
Blackcats	32	16
Pearl	27	16
Ireland	38	10
Jonesboro	26	16
Pearl	27	11
Jonesboro	Forfeit	
Copperas Cove	Forfeit	
Jonesboro	27	7
Abbott	27	26
Valley Mills	60	11
Abbott	34	18
Beattie	29	24
Beattie	34	42
Turnersville	Forfeit	

The grand total of the games: HORNETTES 1085 OP. 440 In the way of individual scoring, Eubanks, Gatesville Captain has scored over 500 points.

### GIRLS CONFERENCE GAMES

Wednesday a supposedly weak team, Flat, turned a sudden reversal of form to conquer the strong Ireland sextette in a conference game by the score of 15-9. Cross was Flat's star of the night with five points.

In the second game Jonesboro subdued Pearl by a close ten to eight score. Franks made six for Pearl to take scoring honors for the night.

In the third game Pearl romped over Copperas Cove 40-5. For Pearl, Fetner and Preston scored fourteen and ten points respectively.

gate and led around to shake hands with all those present. When the blindfold was taken off his surprise was so great he could only look from one to the other and finally ask, "How did you let them all know?"

Then the table was fixed with a nice dinner. In fact the dinner was perfect in every way. Everyone was extremely happy. It is the fondest hope and deepest prayer of everyone that every year be filled with happiness and at the end of each year may the birthday be filled with joy as was this one.

## 52 Entries in FFA-News Boxing Tourney; Sat. Last Day to Enter

Entries in the FFA-NEWS boxing tourney reached the grand total of 52 Thursday. All entries must be in by Saturday tomorrow, for that has been set for the closing date and no entries will be accepted after then. The officials have been decided upon. Eugene Alvis, ack Reach, D. W. Diserens and Richard Dikie will be the judges with one of them acting as the referee and one of them the timekeeper.

There will be two night of preliminaries instead of one, as was originally planned. The first night of preliminaries will be Thursday February 24; the second round of preliminaries will be run off March 1 while the finals will be held March 4.

Here is the list of entries who have entered since the Feb. 11th issue of the News:

Brown, 145; Pete Lam Jr. 130; Lorenza Harrison 148; Von Gilmore 130; Orville Jones 154; J. Hue Jones, 160; Curtis Vernon 120; Bud Dollins 160; and E. L. Gatlin, 140.

### HORNETTES MEET IRELAND TUESDAY NIGHT

Tuesday night in the local gym the County champion Gatesville Hornets will meet the strong Ireland quintet that will determine whether Gatesville's win of the county championship was a fluke or not. The Jonesboro Eagles whom the Hornets defeated in the tournament finals beat Ireland 11-10 in a first round game. The Ireland supporters said their team was badly off and if they had been up to their usual form they would have defeated the Eagles.

### ENTRYBLANK

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**SYNOPSIS**

When the Civil War breaks out, Ramsay McKay, handsome and pioneering Wells Fargo express agent, is called upon by President Lincoln to personally supervise the shipments of gold from California to Washington. Despite the objections of his wife, Justine, and her mother, who came from an aristocratic Southern family, McKay takes his assignment. Urged on by her mother, Justine begins a letter to her old suitor, Carter, a Confederate lieutenant, outlining the route that the gold train will follow. Realizing the danger to her husband, she casts it into the fireplace. Her mother salvages it.

**CHAPTER X**

**W**INDING out of a rocky canyon, eastward into the morning sunshine, a small wagon train descended the dry course of a stream in that area where the boundaries of Utah, Wyoming and Colorado meet. There were six Concord mud-wagons in the train and two light freighters. Each was hauled by a six-horse hitch.

At the head of the train rode three horsemen, and on the flanks and to the rear were scattered a half-dozen more, the last driving before them about forty head of spare animals. One rider in the lead halted, rose in his stirrups and shot up a warning hand. Behind him the teams stopped.

"How many, Pawnee?" Ramsay asked of the Indian beside him.

Pawnee grunted, almost unintelligibly.

"He's right," Hank York agreed. "Must be thirty or forty riders, anyway."

"They're in uniform," Ramsay observed as the troop drew nearer. "Confederates. Wonder where the leak was? Here comes a flag of truce. Pawnee, tell the men to hold their fire. Hank and I will parley." An officer and two troopers rode forward.

"You're mistaken, Captain," Ramsay began. "This is no army train; we're civilians. Why, Talbot Carter—" he broke off in surprise.

"Hello, Ramsay," Carter answered. "This is no mistake. Sorry it had to be you, but I must demand the surrender of your men and equipment, and the bullion you're carrying."

"You know what you're about, apparently," Ramsay suggested.

"We have a most efficient espionage," Talbot Carter agreed. "Nevertheless," Ramsay rejoined. "There'll be no surrender. Better ride off while the riding is good, Talbot. I have you outnumbered."

"In horses, perhaps," Carter conceded, "but I don't see any spare men around."

"I'm warning you," Ramsay McKay repeated.

"That final?"

"Final."

"Sorry, Ramsay. The truce ends in five minutes."

"We're ready now," Ramsay assured him. "Wells Fargo fighting men are of the split-second kind." Carter rode back toward his troop, and Ramsay McKay's wagons moved forward, now in double file. Canvas curtains on mud-coaches and freighters rolled upward. In each Concord were four men, in each freighter at least twenty, heavily armed, grizzled greybeards, for the most part, each a veteran frontiersman and Indian fighter.

"Here they come, boys," Ramsay called.

"What I want to know," Hank York complained as the Confederates charged, "is who in Time told 'em about us?"

Talbot Carter's troopers never had a chance. They rode in the close-ordered cavalry formation and Ramsay's crack shots emptied half the saddles, or more, before the guidon passed the leading freighter. Slaughter all along the wagon line was equally sanguinary. Talbot Carter fell among the first. His lieutenant reformed the handful of troopers and led them to the charge again. Spare rifles from the wagon-beds in the hands of sharpshooters knocked every last man from his saddle. Two-thirds of the Confeder-

ate horses were down; the rest galloped about aimlessly, with empty saddles.

Hank York rode up to report to Ramsay, who was having a shoulder-wound bandaged.

"They got Pawnee," he announced. Ramsay nodded. He would not trust himself to speak.

"Six more of us," Hank went on after a moment of hard swallowing. "and some wounded. There's fifteen of them we'll have to tote to Laramie. Rest we can bury good and deep. Kin you pray, Ramsay?"

Ramsay said that he could.

"Wish you would then, maybe some extra for Talbot Carter, but plenty special for Pawnee."

"Here," he said brusquely, "is Talbot Carter's papers and things."

"I'll see that his family gets them," Ramsay replied. He was looking casually at Carter's commission and for possible clues to Confederate activities when he stopped short.

In his hands was a wrinkled piece of notepaper. On it were written full directions of the secret route his treasure-train was taking overland. Notepaper and penmanship were unquestionably familiar. They were his wife's—Justine's.

After a moment Ramsay pulled himself together.

"Come on, boys," he called. "We've got to keep General Grant's dollars rolling, and this is only the first installment."

When Ramsay returned to San Francisco all he could learn from his Chinese houseboy was that Mrs. McKay, the children and her mother, Mrs. Pryor, had boarded ship for Panama. She had said that she was going to St. Louis.

No greater influence in healing the wounds of the Civil War could have come to the United States than com-

pletion of the trans-continental railway. Competitive struggles for control of that railway, and for the rights to transact express business over its lines had been bitter, but even they were subordinated to the realization of both North and South that in development of the West lay salvation for a reunited nation.

So it was, with Wells Fargo chosen almost by universal demand rather than acclaim to direct and to lead the cross-hatching of half a continent with paths of communication and transportation, that a celebration was announced for St. Louis. And, one evening of that celebration was set aside to honor Ramsay McKay as the guiding genius of company, achievement, the personification of that courageous and dependable force, that utter integrity which the public held to be Wells Fargo.

In the afternoon preceding the banquet in Ramsay McKay's honor, old Nicholas Pryor held some converse with his daughter.

"Justine," he said in kindest tone, "I wish you would go with me tonight."

"Father," she replied, "how could I? If he had written, if he had so much as acknowledged the letters I have sent since mother died, the news of the children."

She left him, and the old gentleman turned to greet his grand daughter, Alice.

"Father is in town," the girl said.

"I know," her grandparent answered.

"Will he come to see us?"

"I fear not," Nicholas Pryor told her. "Ah, my dear. Pride, foolish pride! How much happiness it witholds from us."

"But, tomorrow is my birthday," Alice reminded him. "Wouldn't he come for that, even?"

Her grandfather shook his head sadly.

That great throng of Empire Builders which paid homage to Ramsay McKay in St. Louis insisted ever afterward that the occasion marked a milestone in national development. And that from the opening remarks of Will Fargo through to the closing prophecies of Henry Wells, that great visionary who was wont to make his dreams come true, the oc-

casian was altogether fitting. Yet, Ramsay McKay left the banquet room and his friends with a heart too heavy to make other than solitude endurable.

Just before the gathering he had been called to his room by a message that a lady wished to see him. From the window, as he entered, a young girl turned.

"Alice," he cried.

He held her long and tight, asking above her head the questions he dared not trust to put into her eyes.

"Will you come to my birthday party tomorrow, Daddy?" Alice asked. "I will be seventeen, you know."

Ramsay winced.

"Does your mother know you have come to invite me?"

"No. But I am sure she'd love to have you come, and, after all, it's my party, you know."

"I'm sorry, dear," Ramsay began, but his daughter cut him short. She could flare with all the intensity of Justine.

"Grandfather was right," she declared. "You won't come, and mother won't ask you. You're worse than children, both of you—you and your silly pride."

Then, as her father stood speechless, Alice fled down the hall to the stairs.

After the banquet which followed Ramsay McKay walked the streets of St. Louis for hours. Always behind him, though he did not sense it, a watchful shadow dogged, that of the faithful and worried Hank York.

Dawn found Ramsay on the river front and chance had it that in the first dim light he saw before him the old building which had housed the first Wells Fargo office he had opened in the town. He walked up to peer in the door, and as he turned found Hank York at his side.

"Remember that mornin' in Forty-six?" Hank began without ceremony, threw back his head and clarified to the rising sun:

"I don't know where I'm headin' for. I'm headin' for, I'm headin' for. I only know I want to go Where I ain't been before."

"Me and Pawnee waitin' out here—By golly, that's the very post I was whittlin'—and inside, Mr. Wells and Mr. Pryor a waitin' while you and Miss Justine—Ah, shoot, Ramsay, I'm sorry; I plumb forgot."

But Ramsay McKay was smiling with moist eyes.

"Sorry for what, Hank, my friend? That you've come along when I needed you most and made up for me what for the last five years I have been pleased to call a mind? Let's go over to the old place and get some coffee. Then, I'm going to the hotel and get some sleep. You'd better catch up on yours, too, because you and I are going to a birthday party tonight."

Dancing at Alice McKay's birthday party stopped suddenly as the young hostess rushed across the polished floor to the hall doorway with a delighted shriek. "Daddy! Daddy!" she exclaimed as she threw her arms about the neck of a tall and handsome gentleman in evening clothes. "You came! You came!"

Her mother followed her, then her grandfather, and several of the older guests.

Behind Ramsay stood Hank, tears streaming down his furrowed cheeks.

In a secluded spot while others were busy with supper, Ramsay and Justine had their first moments alone.

"All those long, empty years," the husband was saying, "those years of bitterness and hate; we must put them behind us."

"Oh, Ramsay, my love, I have wanted you so."

"If I hadn't kept this—" Ramsay drew a folded paper from his pocket—I would have come to you long ago. I think. Now I have brought it to you to destroy."

Justine unfolded the paper to read its contents.

"Where," she managed to gasp, "did you get this?"

"I found it in Talbot Carter's papers after I killed him," Ramsay replied.

"But," Justine objected, "I burned this in San Francisco that night—within five minutes after you left the house. I threw it into the fireplace. I remember distinctly, as I ran to lock myself away from mother in the children's room."

Realization came to both in the single instant.

"Your mother," Ramsay said. "Mother," Justine whispered.

Young voices were calling from the dining room, Alice's more insistent than the rest.

"Mother, Daddy, we're cutting my birthday cake. Aren't you coming to watch?"

Hand-in-hand, Ramsay and Justine walked into the light and gayety of another world of youth.

(THE END)

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### ANCHOR CLUB HAS OPEN HOUSE

Last night the Anchor club had its first mass meeting of its members and prospective members in the club hall above Jack Horne's bakery. A large group of young people of this town enjoyed themselves playing table-tennis, pool or reclining in the luxurious living room in the front of the hall. The main events of the evening was the boxing matches staged by some of the boys. There is a punching bag in the rear of the building on which the boxers may get in trim. The night was enjoyed by all and a good many of the prospective members will become regular members after seeing the fun

they can have in wholesome recreation in a club of this sort. The Anchor Club solicits your membership to-day so inquire at the Gatesville Drug for further membership details.

### KILLER RUTHERFORD

Special To The News; Gatesville, Texas, Feb. 16. Shattering the myth that all fighters are beetle-browed throw backs to the Neanderthal man Killer Rutherford proved, to the amazement of spectators present during a training session last Tuesday that he is no ordinary fistcuffer.

In reply to a jeering onlooker who asked the Killer if he read Shakespeare in his spare time as Tunney did, Rutherford turned and without preliminary began to quote the Immortal Bard, delivering verbatim some of the more intricate passages of Shakespeare's lesser known works.

"And if dat ain't enough," he said, pausing for breath, "I can give you Omar Khayyam, Tolstov, Seneca, Aristophanes, Plato, Whitman, or Osden Nash."

"I'll take Hamburger," the disgruntled questioner said under his breath as he walked away. "With Onion!" he shouted after he had reached a safe distance.

But the Killer's taste in literature hasn't affected his power in the ring or his reputation in his chosen career, as is evidenced by a recent incident.

Another Central Texas newspaper a few weeks ago attempted to sponsor a Golden Gloves tournament in the city. Entries were pouring in fast and it promised to be an eventful meeting.

But when Killer Rutherford's name appeared on the roster entries suddenly stopped coming in. And just as suddenly those already entered began to retract. Finally, only the Killer's name was left and the Telegram fumblingly had to drop the whole thing "for lack of entries".

Characteristically modest, the Killer tried to discount all the rumors that his entry had forced all the other contestants to withdraw for fear they would be legally murdered in the ring under punishing hands.

But those in the know in sporting circles assert that is just what happened. With the jolt of a hydraulic ram in his right hand and the effectiveness of an army tank in his left the Killer stands at the top of the amateur heap.

"Anybody wot limbs in de ring wit me is inviting hari-kari" growled the killer in response to a query from a spectator at his training quarters.

When asked what "hari-kari" meant he said he didn't know, but that it sounded pretty tough—and that was just what he was.

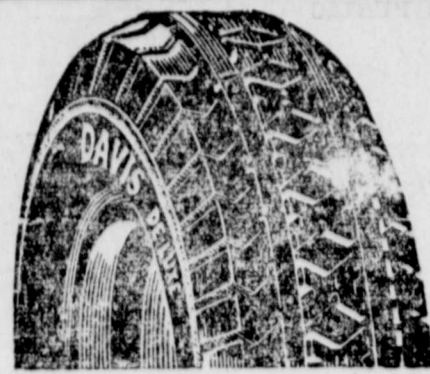
The Yale Bowl covers 25 acres.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method to thank our friends and neighbors for their help during the serious illness and operation of our little daughter, Erlene, each word of kindness and every little gift which was brought to her to make her stay in bed more cheerful, was appreciated so much. Also the nice lunches which were brought to us so we might spend our hours with her. We especially wish to thank Dr. John T. Brown for the operation he performed so our darling might be restored to health and the sunshine to our home. We also thank Drs. Dean and Kermit Jones and Dr. Southland for their help. Words can never express our appreciation and thanks to the patient nurses who so lovingly administered to her best needs and made our stay at the Milton Powell Hospital less lonely by their loving help. May God's richest blessings smile upon you. May the little Hospital grow to be a great success.

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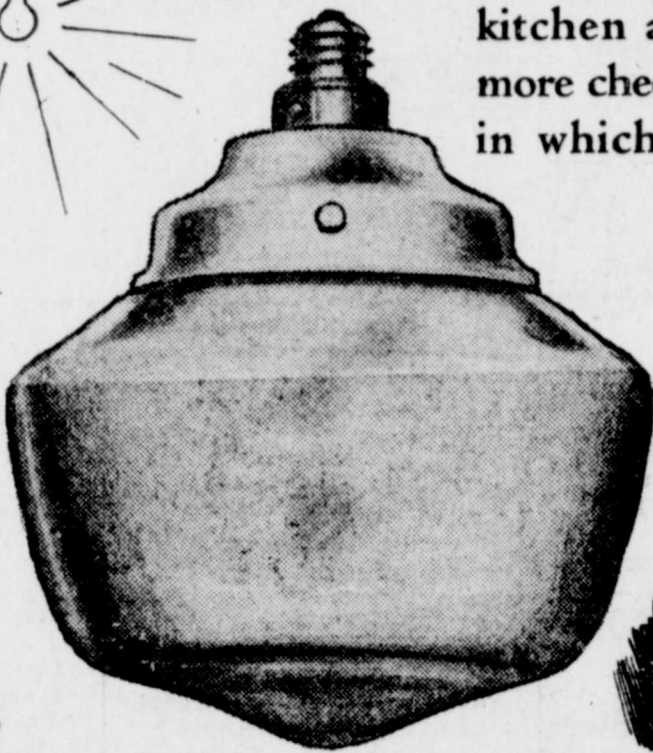
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## Consolidation of Gatesville Banks Ratified In Tues. Meeting

The shareholders of the Gatesville National Bank and The First National Bank met on Tuesday, February 15th, and ratified the plan of consolidation of the two banks.

The consolidation will be completed just as soon as approval has been obtained from the Comptroller of the Currency at Washington, D. C. This approval is expected in a few days.

The Board of Directors of "The National Bank of Gatesville", which will be the name of the consolidated bank, are as follows: R. M. Arnold, Leake Ayres, M. Blankenship, Dawson Cooper, C. F. Caruth, R. B. Curry, H. S. Compton, Dan E. Graves, J. P. Kendrick, Byron Leard, R. E. Powell, Morton Scott, and Mrs. Vivian Straw. The officers will be elected the day of the consolidation.

## ELEMENTARY TEACHERS MEETING AT WACO

McLennan County and the State Department has called a teachers meeting of all the Elementary teachers in near by counties at Waco High School Gym on Saturday February 19th at 9:00 o'clock and closes at 12:00 o'clock. Principals and Superintendents are also invited to be present at the meeting. Speakers scheduled for this meeting are R. H. Brister, Edgar Ellen Wilson, J. E. Batsford, Dr. Lorena Stretch, Dr. L. A. Woods, Corrine Nish, and John Strass.

Subjects for the sectional meetings will be:

a. An aid to the teacher in teaching.  
b. An aid to the pupil in learning.

c. Testing  
Interest in this work manifested by the teachers of Coryell County justifies the belief that many of the best teachers will be present at this meeting.

## CAR OWNED BY R. W. WARD IS STOLEN

The car of R. W. Ward, local filling-station operator, was taken sometime Wednesday morning by an inmate of the State Juvenile Training School. Mr. Ward, ignorant of the fact the boy had escaped, communicated with the training school officials and found that an inmate had escaped during the night. After a short search the car was discovered ditched five miles out of town on the new highway.

The boy, having ditched the car, caught a ride back to town and when he stepped from the car near the city limits he was recognized by several nearby State employees. After a brief chase the boy was caught in the vicinity of Mrs. B. L. Morrisons' residence.

## MARKET REPORT

(As of February 18)

Mohair	33-53c
Wool	20-22c
Wheat	95c
Corn ear	60c
Corn ground	\$1.29
Oats, loose	35c
Oats, sacked	37c
Cream No 1	23c
Cream No 2	21c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20
Eggs No. 1	13c
Hens light	9c
Hens heavy	11c
Spring Fryers	14c

# America Honors Two of Her Greatest Presidents



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The "Father of his Country" and the first President of the United States. Serving two terms, 1787-1795.

## Presidents

All will agree that the two Presidents pictured here are two of this country's greatest and most beloved. They both came to take the reign of a nation in the spirit of pioneers. Washington whose birthday we are about to celebrate gained for American political freedom and placed on the road to being one of the world's greatest countries. Also coming to America's aid in time of great need is another great President Roosevelt has come to the aid of the famine and unemployment and set America back on the road to economy security.

In memory of our first great President the nation has set aside his birthday, February 22, as a national holiday.



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Frank Farquhar standing on the corner enforcing traffic laws -- Jack Hestilow and Sketer Shepherd jerkin' sodas while exchanging wise-cracks with their female admirers--C. H. Wallace wandering around the square whistling and wasting time--"Doc" Ray lumbering around with a grin which has recently returned to his sunny countenance. The reason, well, your guess is better than mine--Bill Hamburg buying the drinks for having talked after Bill Ament--George Pahter gaw-fawing with just anybody who happens along--Blverly Chamlee, Martha Foster and Joyce Baker throwin' glances here and there among the male sex--Mason Crawford stopping no less than twenty times to talk to as many people enroute from the courthouse to the hotel--Charles Smith trying to learn all he can about nothing--Waldine Wharton wishing that the Western Auto Company would do more banking--Bobby Patterson looking for two wheel buses--Dr. Kermit Jones standing in front of the Drug Store trying to look dignified--J. B. Martin sending telegrams to Denton--Waldine Dollins trying to catch the eye of the young men who come in--Harry and Irvin Bornstein having a little chat (?)--Ann Hill trying to keep her mind on her work with Raymond Leonard sitting by her--Ruth Carlton and "Tan" Chamlee trying to agree on something--Madge Miller delivering telegrams and looking like fashion's darling--Matie Davis passing the Drug Store hoping to see her one and only--Bill Maxwell trying to make someone laugh--Mabel Gardner trying to beat someone's time--Joe Hanna preparing for a sale--Mayor Gandy delivering packages here and there and everywhere--"Chunky Stout hunting for the youngest postman (for the mail or male?)--Boochie Wollard watching people pass and doing quite a bit of commenting--Ernestine Durham and Louise Hall gabbing about some unknown event--Cam McGilvray sending his teacher friend flowers--David Franks reading a book on Home Economics--"Big" Franks delivering papers and staying in a certain office--

## COTTON BELT ROUTE TO CHANGE SCHEDULES

According to reports received here the train from Waco to Gatesville will change its schedule. On Sunday the train leaves Waco at 9:30 A. M. and will arrive in Gatesville at 11:59 A. M. On Sundays it will not go to Hamilton. It will leave Gatesville to Waco at 2:30 P. M. and will arrive in Waco at 5:10 P. M.

On week days it will leave Hamilton at 6:30 A. M. and will arrive at Gatesville about 8:30 A. M. and will arrive in McGregor at 10:05 A. M. It will meet a train in McGregor, therefore it will not go on to Waco. It will leave McGregor at 11:00 A. M. and will arrive at Gatesville at about 12:30 P. M. It will leave at once for Hamilton and arrive at 2:45 P. M.

## TEMPLE MEN VISITORS IN NEWS OFFICE WEDNESDAY

Wednesday morning the News Office received an informal and complementary visit from Jack Children, Circulation Manager and H. E. McClellan, News Editor of the Temple Daily Telegram.

The general line of conversation was about sports and news in general. The gentlemen talked seriously about extending the county F. F. A. Boxing Tournament into a central Texas affair next year. The arrangements could be made to sponsor tournaments in a number of communities and then the winner in each division meet in Temple for the final and championship bouts. This is just an idea, however, and since such wide spread interest in the Ft. Worth and other Golden Gloves Tournament has been aroused that an affair of this sort would be highly probable in the near future.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR J. D. GRANTHAM

Funeral services were held for J. D. Grantam in the Methodist church at Copperas Cove Tuesday afternoon and interment was in the Copperas Cove cemetery. Having been in ill health for several years he died of pneumonia Monday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Oscar Eastwood of Kempner. He is survived by his mother two sisters and two brothers.

## FUTURE NEWS HOUNDS INVADE NEWS OFFICE

The paper you are reading was edited by the newspaper organization of Gatesville High School. The group on the staff have spent the last three days gaining experience in the newspaper game that they could not possibly gain in school. The mechanical part of the publication was done by the regular News employees but the editorial work was done wholly by the high school group. The business men of the town, no doubt know of the advertising department this week because of the thorough soliciting done.

This is the first time this has been attempted in Gatesville and we hope it has been a success. The school paper the HORNETS' NEST, is fine but does not give the student first hand experience as does an undertaking of this sort.

We have done our best, says the students, and express our appreciation to Mr. Brooks for making this undertaking possible.

## PRESIDING ELDER OF WACO DISTRICT ON FACULTY

Rev. Walter W. Ward presiding elder of the Waco district, former pastor of the First Methodist church, in this city, will be a member of the faculty of the Southwestern University Pastor's school which will be held in Georgetown from June 6-17.

According to the Tribune-Herald the school is part of the educational work of the Methodist church. Courses in the class for admission on trial, as well as the four year's conference courses attract undergraduate and the graduate courses appeal to all leaders in Christian Work.

## COUNTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Coryell County Board of Trustees will meet next Wednesday February 23 at 10:00 o'clock. This meeting will be held in the courthouse in Gatesville. Those who desire to meet with the Board may do so by inquiring at the County Superintendent's office.

## WESTERN UNION TO MOVE IN GATESVILLE DRUG

The Western Union of Gatesville went modern when they installed a new simplex teletype in the Gatesville Drug Wednesday. The contract for the new system was signed three months ago. Miss Madge Miller has been transferred to a key office elsewhere, and Mrs. Leonard Milner will be operating and bookkeeper here. The office will be open from 7:30 A. M. to 10:00 P. M. Miss Miller has been transferred to the office at Edcouch, Texas.

Following is the first telegram sent thru the new Western Union office:

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O D Cook  
Cottonbelt Gatesville Tex  
I take pleasure in sending you, an old time friend and one of the "old timers" Morse operators the first telegram transmitted into Gatesville via automatic teleprinter operation.  
O V Stephens wire chief

## UTILITIES MAKING WAY FOR NEW HIGHWAY

The Community Public Service and Light Co., The Community Natural Gas Co., the Gulf States Telephone Co., and the city water department have been making way for the new highway. The light and telephone companies have been moving their poles back a few feet, while the gas and water people have been laying new copper pipes.

The contractors wish to start work on that section immediately.

## GILBERT COLVIN IS NEXT "EGGULATOR"; BRINGS IN SIX

Eggs are really the order of the day, and six more giants have come in since our last egg story. We didn't see Mr. Colvin (probably on account of the size of the eggs) but if his hens do this well all year, seems like egg raising ought to be better than writing about them.

Anyway, we're glad to give these old "biddy's" a break, because there's some awful "fowl" things said about chickens--especially, when they get in spring gardens, which no doubt will bring soon.

## PARTS OF RURAL ELECTRIC LINES ABANDONED

The engineers staking the lines from McGregor to Flat and Mound by the way of Leon Junction have been ordered to discontinue staking because not enough people in this territory have paid their membership fees.

We are informed by the representative of the McLennan County Electric Cooperative, Inc. that these lines will be abandoned unless more interest is shown and all membership fees are paid promptly. If these membership fees are not paid immediately, these lines will be changed to some other section as arrangements are being made for the change in case this re-routing the lines is necessary.

---Try home merchants first.

**CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION ANNOUNCED**

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the following positions:

Senior scientific aid (preparator in pathology), \$2,000 a year, Army Medical Museum.

Physiotherapy aide, \$1,800 a year, U. S. Public Health Service and Veterans' Administration.

Printer-publisher, \$1.32 an hour (40 hour week), Government Printing Office.

Customs examiner's aid, \$2,300 a year, U. S. Customs Service, Treasury Department.

Junior engine (various optional subjects) 2,000 a year.

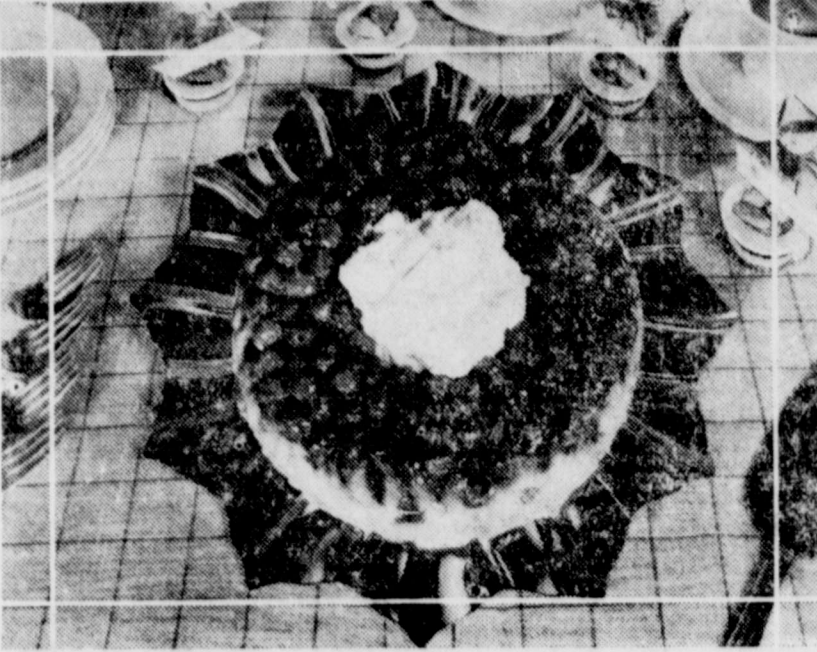
Full information may be obtained from Mr. E. C. Farmer, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city.

**COUNTY WELFARE OFFICE RECEIVES AID**

THE HELPING HAND, the city commission of charity workers of Waco, brought to the County Welfare Office of Gatesville Monday fifty pairs of women and children shoes. The administrators of the office, Grace Kelso and Chas. E. Baker, have almost completed the distribution of the shoes among the needy in town. The shoes are old style but very durable and very welcomed by the receivers.

This office is doing great work in the community for the welfare of the needy. The federal government is spending around fourteen hundred dollars per month through Chas. E. Baker for the welfare of the "unem-

**Washington Birthday Cherry Cake Recipe Is Year 'Round Favorite**



Cherries—Sweet, Sour, Canned, Frozen or Maraschino—Find Use in Many Recipes at all Seasons of the Year.

ON February 22 all over the country there will be celebrations in honor of George Washington's birthday and these festive occasions will carry the colors of our nation. The favors will be hatchets, hats or cherry logs and the refreshments are sure to include the ever popular red cherry. Whether these be sweet or sour cherries, canned, frozen, or the maraschino variety they will all remind us of the favorite story about the Father of our country.

Cherry pies have for years enjoyed great popularity not only at Washington's birthday time but the year 'round. There are also many other good uses for canned sour cherries and it is possible to enjoy cherries often yet never grow tired of them because of the variety of ways in which they may be served. The tart, snappy flavor of the sour, pitted cherries is stimulating to other mild flavored foods when combined with them. The bright red natural color of cherries is a pleasant contrast with other food combinations.

Up-side-down cakes are not new yet there is a new twist to the cherry-upside-down cake recipe listed below. This recipe uses a sponge cake batter in place of butter cake or quick bread dough. The result is surprisingly different and attractive to the eye, the appetite and the pocketbook. This recipe lends itself to different forms of preparation and may be used as a jelly roll cake base and is delicious filled with sour cherries that have been prepared by sweetening and thickening the juice in which they are canned and spreading this on the cake as jelly is used in a jelly roll. The up-side-down version is quick and easy to prepare and makes

a grand dessert the year round but especially appropriate during the month of February when all eyes are on the use of cherries in honor of the birth of George Washington.

**Cherry Tip-Top Dessert**

**Topping**  
2 cups sour pitted red cherries (one No. 2 can) 1/2 cup sugar 2 tablespoons butter (melted)

Combine sugar with cherries (from which juice has been drained), place in bottom of buttered baking dish and dot with the butter.

**Cake Mixture**  
2 eggs well beaten 1 teaspoon cream of tartar  
1 cup sugar 1/2 teaspoon of salt  
1 cup pastry flour or 1/2 cup all-purpose flour minus 2 tablespoons 1/2 cup hot milk  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda 1/2 teaspoon lemon extract

Beat the eggs until light yellow and creamy. Add the sugar and continue beating. Sift the flour, soda, cream of tartar and salt together and add to the egg mixture—mix well and then add the hot milk and lemon extract. Pour over the cherries in the baking dish and bake until cake is light to the touch and well browned. Bake at 350°. This cake may be prepared in an automatic mixer—the texture is improved by thorough beating.

Tip the dessert bottom side up when removing from baking dish and serve either hot or cold with cream, whipped cream or cherry sauce made by sweetening and thickening the cherry juice.

Here is another delicious cherry recipe, not only good for February but also good for every month of the year:

**Cherry and Rice Whip**

1 cup sour pitted cherries, drained 1 cup powdered sugar  
1 cup cooked rice 1 cup cream, whipped  
Few drops lemon juice

Cook the rice 20 minutes in eight times its volume of rapidly boiling salted water. When tender, drain and chill. Mix the fruit, rice, sugar and lemon juice together, fold in the whipped cream. More sugar may be used. Chill thoroughly before serving. Serves 21.

playable" in this district.

Mr. Kelso is employed by the Texas Relief Commission for the district of Coryell, Mills, and Lampasas counties. Before January 20, 1938 the central Texas district for the Relief Commission that consists of 23 counties there were only three workers employed. On this date the Commission appointed three additional workers, one of which was Mrs. Grace Kelso of Gatesville. Mrs. Kelso has filled her job well thus far. She has seen to the employment of forty W. P. A. workers since January 20. Her job is to find openings in the W. P. A. for the unemployed and their check up on a check for whom she acquires work for a certain time.

The Senior class with a Valentine party Monday evening of last week and everyone had a most delightful time.

Mr. Styles our Social Science teacher took his students on a very interesting tour one day last week to Gatesville Reform School, the county court house and various places of interest. The students expressed great appreciation for this lovely trip and they learned first hand some of the things that Mr. Stiles had been teaching them.

Keen interest is being shown in every activity of our school and we invite you our friends to visit with us just any time.

**UNION ITEMS**

Mrs. Tubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomson and son were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sexton and two sons visited Mrs. J. M. Patterson Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Thomson visited Mrs. Sam Thomson recently.

Mr. Luther Martin spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleby Snooky and daughter were weekend guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldreg Pendleton and son S. E. of Levita spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomson and family were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bratton and Wayland and Mrs. J. W. Patterson visited in the John

Hagan home Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Thomson of Gatesville was a caller of Mrs. Sam Thomson Friday.

Miss Johnnie Bell Hagan spent Friday night with Mrs. J. W. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nite and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Culp recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ruth were recent callers on the C. O. Russel hom.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Patterson and family of Ames were callers of Mrs. J. W. Patterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton and Mr. Skinner Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Culp Sunday evening.

Miss Stella Schellhase of Waco spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father Mr. Fritz Schellhase.

of McCamey and Cecil Russel of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice and children of near Killeen spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fleming.

Miss Neva Hubbard visited friends in Hamilton Saturday. Miss Betty Deheart returned home with her for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Parker and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanWinkle and family of Temple spent the weekend here visiting relatives.

Miss Mary Manning visited Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Levia Manning.

**TO SUBSCRIBERS**

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**ELIGA NEWS**

Reverend Ira Grantham will preach Sunday at Eliga. Every one is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard had as their guests Thursday of last week Miss Vivian Hubbard

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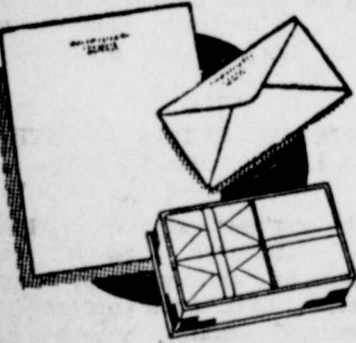
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To those who sent floral offerings, may they realize how they helped to soothe our aching hearts. May God reward you in Heaven is our daily prayer.

Mrs. Homer Wilson and family.

**IRELAND SCHOOL NEWS**

Our school is progressing very nicely and everyone is working hard in the different activities of the Interscholastic League work. Real interest is being shown by the entire student body in this work and this makes the work enjoyable for the teachers.

The Junior class entertained

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## Community News Letters

### LEON JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. John Timmons of Gatesville visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson and family visited their son Jim Robinson of Crawford.

Charlie Ray Hinesley of Gatesville spent the past week end here with friends.

Little Miss Joe Nell Brumbaugh spent Thursday with Mrs. Iva Brown.

Tom Earl Brock spent Sunday here with Sidney Evans.

Mrs. Edith Robinson spent last Thursday with Mrs. Iva Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Farrar of McGregor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Farrar.

M. and Mrs. Paul Ross of Oglesby spent Sunday with Mrs. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ashby.

Mr. Hollis Thorne who has spent the past few weeks in Nashville, Tennessee with relatives returned home last Tuesday.

Reverend Rudolph (Doc) Harvey and Reverend Russel of Waco attended Sunday School here Sunday. They took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jedd Evans.

Miss Viola Whitenburg spent the past week in Gatesville with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whitenburg.

Reverend W. Vinsant of Waco who is pastor of the Methodist Church here, filled his regular appointment Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bruce Kearney and little daughter of Mosheim is spending this week here with Mr. and Mrs. Bush Kearney.

Miss Minnie Farrar and Mrs. Jess Farrar were shopping in Gatesville Saturday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the play staged in the auditorium here last Friday night. It was presented by students and teachers of the Grove School. The name of the play was "Always in Trouble". It was enjoyed by everyone.

### ELIGA NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard visited last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fleming.

Mrs. Levia Manning visited Sunday afternoon with her daughter Mrs. John White.

Mary Young is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mervil Thomas at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shults.

Miss Mary Manning spent the weekend here visiting her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs.

James Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ranker and family visited Sunday with their son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Randall Ranker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Colvin had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Barney Colvin and children of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Parker spent the week end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shafer.

Miss Neva Hubbard had as her guests Monday night Misses Mary Lau and Clara Mae Greggs of Temple.

Miss Gladys Rancher visited Friday with Miss Blanche Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fleming and daughter spent Sunday afternoon with her mother Mrs. Henry McVey.

Mrs. Mally White is visiting her daughter and son in law Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Winkle and family of Temple visited here Monday night with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Graham and daughter of Browns Creek spent Saturday night with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Milton Graham.

Frank and Royal Hill visited Lloyd Whatley recently.

Misses Robbie Lee Hubbard and Wilma Whatley attended the show at Killeen Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McBride and family of Maple visited Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Craig Thomas.

Mrs. Duke Wilkerson and children of Pidcoke visited here over the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Beason Graham.

### MOUND NEWS

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. George Franks spent Sunday in the home of his neices the Misses Scotts of Eagle springs.

Mesdames Jack and Huly Davidson of Puitite visited in the home of Mrs. George I. Draper Monday of this week.

Mrs. H. M. and Miss Ima Fellers entertained with an eighty four party Friday night.

Joyce Lawrence is able to be up again after a two weeks illness.

Mrs. B. G. Anderson and Miss Ima Fellers spent Sunday in the home of their sister Mrs. Ted Mayberry of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Marshall came in from west Texas Friday night and was accompanied by L. A. Pruett.

Mrs. Arch Blanchard and son Ford of Bay city are here in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Blanchard spent Tuesday with relatives in Waco.

Mrs. Ted Mayberry and children of Gatesville spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Fellers.

Mrs. Frank Lam of Oglesby was in Mound one day the past week.

Little Master David Davidson celebrated his sixth birthday with a party the 25th.

Miss Doris Lawrence entertained with an eighty four party Friday night.

### BUSTER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hawkins and Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hawkins of Jonesboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cook and family. Mrs. Lillie Williams also visited the Cooks Sunday.

A good many people from here attended the basket ball tournament held in the Turnersville gym during the weekend.

Mrs. John Williams is spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Riddle and family of near Mosheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Sheppard and Jack of White Hall, Wayne Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Faris and daughter and Mrs.



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Dan Williams and two children of near Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone and Farrell and Lewis Boynton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Faris and daughter of near Abilene spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Faris they also visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Hasse of near White Hall.

Rev. Mr. John Rhoades left on appointment here for third Sunday, the same being Feb. 20. Everyone is cordially invited to attend each service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stoyker and two daughters of Clifton were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McHarg.

Several people of this place attended church in White Hall during the weekend.

Frances Williams and Jewel Wendeborn attended the Valentine party in the Turnersville gym Monday night.

Mrs. Joyce Touchstone and son and Mrs. Bud Williams visited with Mrs. Dorothy Cook awhile Wednesday afternoon.

### SEATTLE ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wolff and family visited their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Albert McCammy at Moody Sunday.

The Moffat School played basket ball at County line school Friday. The County Line boys beat and the Moffat girls beat.

There was a valentine box at

the school house Monday and several guests were present.

Miss Lela Drew McElroy of McAllen Texas is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lambright were guests in the Burl Watts home Saturday night and Sunday.

A large crowd enjoyed a musical entertainment at Jewell Watt's recently.

Miss Opal Dixon spent the week end with her cousin Clara Dixon in the county line community.

The Department of Agriculture plans to divert surplus hops into fertilizer and mulch.

Australia will join the procession of nations using the radio to further their interests if favorable action is taken on a recent proposal.



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**SOCIETY**

**Mrs. Lewis Holmes Hosts To Circle**

The Mary Martha Circle met in the home of Mrs. Lewis Holmes February 15. The devotional was led by Mrs. Howard Franks while Mrs. H. C. Stinnett was the speaker of the evening.

A delicious salad course was served to the following members: Mesdames R. E. Stockbunger, E. B. Bradin, J. H. McClellan, John Newbauer, H. C. Dollins, H. C. Franks, George Painter, Fred Chamlee, E. C. Lay, T. R. Mears, and the hostess.

**Wednesday Bridge Club Has No Host Luncheon**

The Wednesday Bridge Club had a no-host luncheon at the home of Mrs. L. K. Thomson Jr. on Saunders Street. This no-host luncheon occurs every 8 days. Miss Joyce Baker won first prize and Mrs. Clark Jensen second.

Those present were: Misses Joyce Baker and Grace Richards, Mesdames Floyd Zeigler, Jim J. Bryan, Peyton Morgan, Jack Odell, Clark Jensen, Sherrill Kendrick, Johnny Bradford, Billy Nesbit, Charles Powell and Johnny Washburn.

**Annual Banquet Held At Methodist Church**

The fifth annual banquet of the Young People's Department was held at the First Methodist Church February 15, 1938. Bill Witt presided with C. H. Wallace serving as toastmaster. A trio composed of Jack Hearn, C. H. Wallace and Burl Davis sang "Mark of Age". After the introduction of guests, Jane Thomson rendered a reading, "The Burning Candle." The speaker of the evening was Mr. Alonzo Bryan, Student at S. M. U. His address was based on "Youth and the World Today".

A three course dinner consisting of fruit cocktail, roast turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry

sauce, celery salad, potatoes au gratin, carrots a la king, burr pickles, rolls, coffee, caramel pecan pies, nuts and mints, was served to approximately seventy-five people.

In conclusion "Taps" was sung by all.

**Flat Primary Children Entertained**

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Botkin entertained the primary children with a Valentine party Friday afternoon. The home was decorated with festoons, hearts, and soft lights were about the rooms. The center interest was a huge valentine basket which held favors, and valentines for all.

After the Valentine party the children were entertained with radio music, and games were also enjoyed. About thirty guests were present, including Mrs. George Clawson, Miss Alleen Yett, Mr. W. E. Palmer, and the teacher, Miss Violet Beiter. Refreshments of cake, punch, and heart candies were served during the afternoon.

**Presbyterian Class Has Valentine Party**

In celebration of Valentine's Day, Mrs. Slone Baker entertained her Sunday School Class with a party Friday night. The principle game of the evening was hearts. Little Miss Imogene Baker delighted the guests with her singing and tap dancing.

Those attending were: Patsy Olsen, Jock Hestlow, Jean Patillo, Anita Lowrey, Jack Hearne, Dorothy Nell Baker, Loyd Neil Kirkpatrick, Rosylene Anderson, Sydney Gregory, Burl Davis and the hostess.

**Business Women's Luncheon At Church Wednesday**

The Business Women of Gatesville had a Spanish luncheon at the Baptist Church Wednesday. The tables were beautifully decorated with cactus and Spanish figures. The main course consisted of spaghetti, brown beans tamale pie, and slaw and the dessert was coffee and sliced pineapple.

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Mrs. David Corrigan presided because the chairman, Mrs. D. I. Glass was unable to be present. Mrs. Evans Smith gave a talk on missions.

**Nancy Satterfield Gives Party For Project**

For her home project in Home Economics, Nancy Satterfield gave a party at her home on Leon Street Friday night. The guests danced ring games for the entertainment of the evening.

Sandwiches and punch were enjoyed by the following guests: Nancy Martin, Grace Walker, Leonne Mann; Mabelle and Katherine Ward; John Mings Davidson; Craig Davidson; Billy Patterson; Steve Lindley; Douglas Mayberry; Billy McBride; Paul Martin; G. C. Martin; Douglas Pollard; Joe Ned Brown and Bill Williams.

**Firemen Have Annual Banquet Monday**

Monday evening the volunteer firemen of the Gatesville Fire Department and their ladies attended their annual banquet at the Methodist Church. Approximately ninety members were present.

Table decorations were in the Valentine motif. Favors of whistles for the men and small dolls for the ladies were placed at each plate.

The house was called to order by a miniature siren, which was presented to Chief Roger Miller after the banquet. C. E. Alvis Jr. presided as toastmaster with

Reverend Seymour rendering the invocation. Guests were welcomed by Pleasant A. Walker. Following this came talks by Reverend Seymour and Mayor Gandy. It was announced that the city council had been voted to pay for the banquet.

Marjorie Hall played soft melodious music during the meal which consisted of fried oysters, potato salad, crackers, coffee and gum drops.

Guests of the evening were: Mayor and Mrs. C. E. Gandy, Council E. Routh, L. S. Holmes, Bob Saunders, and wives, City Secretary Eiland Lovejoy and wife, Chief of Police Frank Frquahar, Brother and Mrs. Seymour and Mrs. Pearl White.

**Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Honored with Shower**

As a compliment to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Singleton, who were recently married, Mrs. Doyle Singleton, Mrs. David Corrigan and Mrs. Winola Scassee entertained with a shower at the home of Mrs. D. Singleton, 204 N. Lutterloh, Monday evening. Very attractive was the reception room with all evidence of Valentine day.

The games were distinctly carried out with the spirit of Valentine, and favors, which were presented to the guests, were lovely Valentines with "M. E. and Lucille, Feb. 5th," written on each. The climax of the evening was the presentation to the "Newly Weds," a huge valentine box filled with lovely and use-

ful gifts.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Singleton, Mesdames E. D. Shelton, J. D. Shipman, Polk Ingram, A. O. Welch, Misses Pauline Smith, Nettie McClure, Mildred Melton, Fern Cooper, Inez Rogers, Elaine Smith, Messrs Carl Drake, Doyle Singleton and the hostesses.

**Nancy Franks Celebrates Third Birthday Monday**

Nancy Franks, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franks celebrated her third birthday Monday afternoon. Various games furnished the entertainment for the evening. Refreshments of cookies and ice cream were served to the guests. The heart shaped cake was topped with three glowing candles. The guest included: Eleanor Ann Newbauer, John Terry Ward, Patricia Ann Painter, Carry and Sue Braden, John Powell, Joe Lane Roger, Bob and Ann Miller Lynn Sydney Washburn, Joan Jones James R. Balch and Billy Jack Perryman and the hostess.

The afternoon entertainment was concluded with the opening of the birthday gifts. An enjoyable time was had by all.

Talley Young of Brownwood is visiting his mother Mrs. B. H. Younge for a day or two. Henry and Talley are owners of a Western Auto Associate store in that city.



**PERSONAL**

Henry MacDonald motored to Dallas Sunday.  
 L. S. Secrest made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday.  
 Mr. L. K. Thomson and daughter, Jane, visited in Temple Friday.  
 Neil Kirkpatrick and Eloise Cook were Stephenville visitors, Sunday.  
 Mrs. M. A. Daniels has been confined to her bed with the flu recently.  
 Clayton Franks is ill with the flu and is confined to his home this week.  
 Mrs. T. C. Russell of Terrell is visiting this week with Mrs. Tom Davidson.  
 Mrs. J. O. Griffin of Terrell was a guest of her father, John Gilmer over the weekend.  
 Mrs. Carolyn Horton and mother, Mrs. George Henser, have been visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. Pat Olsen and daughters Annice and Patsy were Waco shoppers Monday.  
 Ruth Hamilton, student at Baylor University, visited her parents here last week-end.  
 C. L. Kerby, who is teaching at Osage, was in Gatesville Monday.  
 Cecil Faris of Houston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Faris, of near here.  
 Frank Huey of Archer City Public Schools was a week end visitor in Gatesville.  
 J. T. Ramsey has returned home from a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Clifton.  
 Pat Hobin of Turnersville and student at A. and M. college visited friends in Gatesville Saturday.  
 Mr. Raymond Edwards, who has been ill for several days, is still confined to his home near Gatesville.  
 Daisy Shirley, student at Texas University, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bullet Jones and family Sunday.

Byrom Leaird Jr. is confined to his bed this week.  
 Miss Reba Jones has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Leo Domstead, and brother, Harry Jones in McAllen.  
 Mrs. Laura Rayford is leaving for a ten day visit in the Rio Grande Valley with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Kimbell of Ft. Worth.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ritchie and his mother, Mrs. J. F. Ritchie of Ritchieson Texas were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ritchie of Gatesville Sunday. Mrs. J. F. Ritchie is remaining with her children and grandson in Gatesville for a short time.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS**

A meeting of the stockholders of the Turnersville Telephone Company is hereby called for Monday night, February 28, 1938, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Turnersville High School building, for the purpose of electing three trustees.  
 Signed: JOE MILNER, Chairman, Turnersville Telephone Co-operative Club. 16-3tc

**RAIN TOTALS 2.58**

Rains Wednesday and Thursday totaled 2.58 inches. The rains came in place of a cold norther that had been forecast. Over five inches was reported to have fallen around Jonesboro so Ole' Man River Leon may once more go on a rampage.

**WEST MAIN TO HAVE NEW WATER MAIN INSTALLED**

Beginning at the north-west corner of the square and extending almost to the river the Gatesville Water Dept. will lay a six inch water main in the place of the smaller one. This will increase the water pressure in this section of town, which will give the people better water service. In case of fire the increased pressure will aid the fire fighting efficiency. This will reduce the insurance rate a certain percent. New fire plugs will be installed at the end of main.

**NOTES FROM THE COUNTY SUTPS. OFFICE**

Many trustees have taken out their census supplies and are ready to enumerate all children in their districts who were born after Sept. 1920 and before September 2nd 1932. Children who are under 21 may attend the public schools but those 18 years of age or above are not taken by the census trustee. The Interscholastic League Executive committee held a meet-

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**IRELAND NEWS**

The people are busy planting early gardens, nothing like trying to raise plenty to eat.

Our barber, Mr. Clayton and family moved the past week over in the East part of town in the home belonging to Mr. C. D. Allard.

Mr. Snider shipped 800 sheep the past week to Moran, Texas Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Tyler a big baby boy. They named him Leroy.

Mrs. Frank Kelso of Gatesville was in Ireland for a while Friday in the interest of the relief work.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Motle on of Waco were Ireland visitors Sunday.

It looks like we are going to get quite a lot of road work in this section as we have seven avowed candidates out for Commissioner of our roads. That seems to be the main issue. "Good roads" is a good slogan that's fine. We need them. We are for all of you.

Mr. Henry Jonsson has been quite sick all the week being confined to his home.

Dr. Charlie Baker of Hamilton was in Ireland Monday doing some dental work pulling some teeth for Mrs. W. P. Grubb Sr.

Mr. Wiley Russell and family moved to Gatesville the past week. His daughter, Miss Russell has been Government Librarian for some time here. She now has a place in the Library in Gatesville.

Mrs. Casey of Ireland succeeds Miss Russell as Librarian here.

**SLATER NEWS**

Slater school is progressing in every respect. Fine weather and good health has brought the attendance to almost 100 per cent for the past three weeks.

The girls playground team defeated Pearl girls on the Slater court Monday afternoon.

This week is a very busy week for the pupils and teachers, because of the Mid-term which means examinations in all classes.

The play, "Look Me In The Eye", staged Saturday night, February 12, by Slater Home Talent Club was a big success. A large crowd attended. This play will be staged next Friday night February 18, at Piddike by the same characters.

**LEVITA NEWS**

We are having some warm threatening weather for the time of year and the farmer is making good use of the weather to prepare their land for another crop.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers has been ill for a long time and unable to get up. We hope she will soon be able to be out again.

Callers in the home of Mrs. Permenter and Rogers Sunday were Mrs. Tom Harris and Mrs. Bill Beachly. Also five girl friends of Ireland, spent the afternoon there.

Mrs. Printice Powell and baby boy are doing fine. Mrs. Quicksall is able to sit up a little. She was in the Temple sanitarium for several days. There are several cases of whooping cough in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles were in Waco a week ago to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Webb. They were both doing fine.

Mrs. Cal Anderson of Purnela spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mattie Rogers.

Next Sunday which is the third Sunday there will be preaching at the First Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. Pitman. Everyone is invited to attend and especially the members who have not been attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roberts were in Gatesville Monday shopping and transacting business.

Mr. Ora Anderson of Odessa was a visitor in the home of his brother Mr. Boss Anderson.

**TURNERSVILLE**

Miss Sally Moncrief who is now teaching in McGregor spent the week end here.

J. T. Williams and wife of College Station spent the weekend with home folks.

Duan Robin who is attending A. & M. College spent the weekend with home folks.

Miss Nacy Trantham spent the weekend in Waco.

Zilman Gilmore and wife of Longview spent the past weekend with home folks.

Charlie Scriber and wife of Gatesville were Sunday visitors in the Mrs. Minnie Lewis home.

**SPRING HILL NEWS**

(Intended for last week) Health in our community is very good at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley of Gatesville, Sunday.

Mr. Roy Gaines of Houston was a guest of Miss Lois Walker over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dyer have moved to the Oney Baird farm at Friendship.

Rev. Vinsant filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He preached a very interesting sermon.

Mrs. Bessie Warren and children went to south Texas the past week to join her husband

who is working there.

Mesdames Owen and Wade Dyer gave a dinner on Sunday the 30th honoring Fred Dyer on his fiftieth birthday. Those to enjoy the dinner were Mrs. and Mr. Raymond Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dyer and Bobby Horace Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyer Fred Jr., and Ethel Dean; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Dyer and Billy Van and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Dyer.

Mr. J. H. Wittie who has been ill is reported to be improving some.

Mr. Virgil Deavers and boys of Plainview spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Deavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Butth visited one day the past week in the Fred Dyer home.

**PURNELA NEWS**

Mrs. Bun Powell is at Beaumont for treatment on her neck which has been bothering her for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Elry Harges of Gatesville and Mrs. Burt Richardson and son of Gatesville all visited Mrs. Dave Adams Sunday.

Miss Minnie Comer became the wife of J. M. Simmons Thursday. They will make their home at Spring Lake.

The Ex-Students had a valentine party Monday night. An enjoyable time was had by all.

The Four Square Club will present a program Friday night Come and see the play "Quack-Quack!" The general public is invited.

**CORYELL VALLEY**

Mr. Charlie Payne of Pearl visited in the A. Knight home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Payne and family of Speegle were also the guests of the Knights this week end.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Weeks were Mrs. Week's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lofton.

Mrs. Will Fowler spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Latham.

Mr. J. J. Nichols of White Hall was a dinner guest in the A. M. McCallister home Tues. Cecil Fowler of White Hall visited his sister, Mrs. C. T. Latham recently.

Mrs. Jess Kitley and Mrs. A. Knight spent Tuesday afternoon

with Mrs. Wayne Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Latham attended church at Liberty Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Fowler. Miss Jo Nell Fowler returned home with them for a short visit.

Sunday dinner guests in the A. M. McCallister home were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCallister and John Lee and Mr. Bob McCallister of White Hall.

Mr. B. A. Wilson visited in Gatesville Saturday

Mrs. Bert Richardson and Jackie spent Wednesday of last week with Mrs. A. M. McCallister.

Miss Edna Fowler of White Hall visited her niece Mrs. C. T. Latham recently.

Mr. Heck Hill and Doc. Martin off Clifton visited in the A. M. McCallister home Sun.

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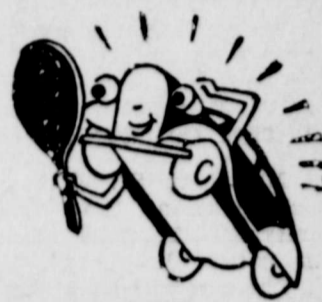
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# CHURCHES

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. Spaulding of Kerrville will fill the pulpit at the First Baptist Church at both the morning and evening hours. Dr. Herring will be present but Rev. Spaulding will deliver the message at both hours.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday February, 20th, 1938. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Preaching services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Mr. Charles Yergan will preach at both services.

## REV. RHOADES IN BUSTER COMMUNITY

Rev. Mr. John Rhoades left an appointment in the Buster community for the third Sunday in this month, February 20th. Rev. Rhoades will have charge of both services morning and evening; the general public, as well as the the community is cordially invited to attend either or both services.

## PREACHING SUNDAY BY REV. W. VINSANT

At Ft. Gates: Services at 11 a. m. "The Preacher who Sought to be Saved"; at 7 p.

## m. "Strong Womanhood". Revival

Plans for a circuit wide revival commencing at Spring Hill March 2nd-6th. Ft. Gates: March 16th-20th. Brown's Creek: March 23-27. Preaching at night only except Sunday. The public is invited.

## METHODIST CHURCH

The last of the special services for the alphabetical groups will be held this Sunday for the W X Y Z group. Members in this group are urged to attend. The Young People of the church had their annual banquet Tuesday evening with about 75 present.

## HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS TO BE LET MONDAY

Monday, February 21, the contracts for the construction of a nine mile strip of Number 7 State highway in Hamilton county will be granted to the lowest bidder. During this week contractors from all parts of the state have offered their contract bids for consideration and Mr. A. L. Chollar the administrator is expecting additional bids to come in Friday or Saturday. The work is to be largely grading and general road construction work.



## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 23, 1938:

**For Representative: 94th District (Coryell and Hamilton).**  
EARL HUDDLESTON (Re-election)  
WELDON BURNEY (Of Evant)  
**For District Attorney (52nd District).**  
HARRY FLENTGE (Re-election)

**For District Clerk:**  
CARL McCLENDON (2nd Term)

**For County Judge:**  
FLOYD ZEIGLER (Re-election)

**For Sheriff:**  
JOE WHITE (Re-election)  
GEORGE HODGES  
J. H. BROWN

**For Assessor-Collector:**  
IVY EDMONDSON  
DAVE CULBERSON (Re-election)

**For County Clerk:**  
CHAS. P. MOUNCE (Re-election)

**For County Treasurer:**  
O. L. BRAZZIL (Re-election)

**For County Superintendent:**  
J. M. WITCHER (2nd Term)

**For County Attorney:**  
A. E. WHISENHUNT  
W. D. STOCKBURGER  
C. E. ALVIS, JR. (Re-election)

**For Commissioner, Beat 1:**  
H. E. PRESTON (Re-election)

BUB BERRY  
EMMETT L. TURNER  
W. E. MORGAN

**For Commissioner, Beat 2:**  
L. M. (LON) MAYBERRY  
H. J. LEONHARD (2nd Term)

C. W. BRAZZIL, JR.  
J. MILTON PRICE  
FISHER BRAZZIL  
ROY EVETTS  
C. C. (LUM) HUBBARD

**For Commissioner, Beat 3:**  
DEE SWIFT  
HARRY JOHNSON (Re-election)

**For Commissioner, Beat 4:**  
ERNEST GOHLKE  
OAD PAINTER (2nd Term)

**For Justice of the Peace:**  
A. SHIRLEY (Re-election)

---WILL TRADE one or three farms near Denison, Texas, for Coryell county ranch land. See me at my office in Brown Building, Gatesville, Texas. Dr. Chas T. McGregor. 16-4tc



## CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the coming City Election.

**For Mayor:**  
C. E. GANDY (2nd term)

**For Alderman, Ward 1:**  
RUFUS J. BROWN

**For Alderman, Ward 2:**  
E. ROUTH (Re-election)

**For Assessor-Collector:**  
EILAND LOVEJOY (Re-election)

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Tonight the Hornets basketball five will make it bid for district recognition in the meet at Waco. In '21 Gatesville won this meet then held in Temple and went to the state meet, where they won third place, being beaten in the semi-finals 12-9 by Houston high. Since that time Gatesville has produced many strong teams but they have never survived the district tests. This year the record of the Hornets is a shining one, but they have only an outside chance to capture the district title.

Fisticuffers are in strenuous training every afternoon in the local gym for the coming county bouts. Gene Alvis, Killer Rutherford's trainer says he sees in the Killer a Demsey and a Tunney rolled into one.

Following is an excerpt from the column of Jinx Tucker, the "Sage of the Southwest". "The Bynum boys think Gatesville is going to be Waco's strongest competitor for district honors and they have just cause for their convictions because the Gatesville boys have defeated them a couple of times this year and another group including the Waco boy think Corsicana will be the toughest because Waco barely beat Corsicana when Waco was at its full strength."

If the Hornets can get by the winner of the Bynum-Fairfield contest they will get a chance at the victor of the Rosebud-Corsicana fracas, which will be Corsicana and the fans will see who it will be battling Waco in the finals.



---SPECIAL CLOSE-OUT: 20 percent off gas, wood and oil heaters Morton Scott, House furnisher. 16-tfc

---THREE BEAUTIFUL light fixtures for sale, including wire, etc. Coryell County News, 16-tfc

---FRESH AND SPRINGER milk cows. Also, one Percheron Stallion, and some work stock for sale. Davidson Bros. and Co. 16-tfc

---FOR SALE: No. 5 Kelvinator refrigerator. In good condition. Doc Rutherford at Doc's Sandwich Shop 11-tfc

---TRY KOEN-FOSTER'S Jumbo Sodas, 10c, the best in town. 16-tfc

---FOR SALE: Chicks, off Feb. 21. Custom Hatching Leave eggs at Horace Dyer's or A. L. Mayes. Chicks will be returned there. A. J. Winslar, King. 11-9tc

---SPECIAL CLOSE-OUT: 20 percent off gas, wood and oil heaters Morton Scott, House furnisher. 16-tfc

---HOUSE FOR RENT: Close in, 4 rooms; with bath; gas; water; lights and garage. Possession now. Phone 333 after 3 p. m. 15-2tc

---FOR SALE: Good five room rock veneer, for less than \$1,000. See C. H. McGilvray. 14-tc

---SHEEP AND CATTLEMEN: Ship your sheep, goats, or cattle by insured truck under R. R. permits. Phs. 128 or 135. G. P. Schaub. 38-tfc.

---Come to our Soda Fountain for the best chocolate drinks that money can buy. Koen-Foster Drug Company. 16-tfc

---WANTED TO BUY: Junk iron, batteries, tubes, etc. J. W. Featherstone, 3 blocks N. of Bailey's Wrecking Shop. 9-9tp

---How much of your time do you spend in bed? Have that old mattress renovated and made new, or buy a new one. Fry Winfield 72-tfc

---ASK FOR WINFIELDS, Home-ground corn meal. See Winfield about Reduced Prices on All Mattress Work, 211 North 8th St. Gatesville. 86-4tc

---WANTED: Your grain. Highest market price. Seeme at Peel's corner. We do hauling. Ferguson seed oats for sale, 50c per bushel. Ph. 440 J. E. Woodson 49-tfc

---WANTED: Man with car, Route experience preferred but not necessary. Opening now in west Coryell County. Write: Winfield-Rawleigh's TXB-286-MM, Memphis Tenn. or see A. L. Mann, Gatesville, Texas. 12 14 16 18

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## WORLD COMMENT



Joe Burns

The test of a news commentator's integrity lies in his willingness to report and interpret the news of the day as he sees it, without injecting bias or partisan sentiments or subtle propaganda.

The demand for the columnist and commentator arose primarily because of the far reaching implications involved in the modern news story—implications which the average newspaper reader does not have the time to study. It is the commentator's task to seek out additional facts and to present them in concise form to those who because of other duties cannot read countless news bulletins, editorials, magazines and newspapers.

From the sources of material at his disposal the newspaper columnist can present facts which may completely alter a reader's conception of a news event and his viewpoint for or against a policy or person. For this reason the columnist's responsibility is great. The columnist must be certain of his facts—must be able to distinguish propaganda from news, primarily—and must abstain from involvement in party politics.

Thus today we find most of our great columnists maintaining their independence on all issues of the day and there is no basis for claims to the contrary. For the simple reason that a majority of the syndicated writers oppose the present national administration on most of its policies one is absolutely unjustified in branding these writers as partisan and biased. They are simply expressing their honest opinions on issues of today.

On the pro-new deal side of contemporary columnists there is one figure; Jay Franklin. Boake Carter, Walter Lippmann David Lawrence, Frank R. Kent Dorothy Thompson, Westbrook Pegler, are truly independent and have supported the new deal on many of its cardinal issues. During the last two years, alarmed by the trend of political and economic trends they have been extremely critical of Mr. Roosevelt. Mark Sullivan is the spokesman of the arch-conservative group of writers and seldom agrees with Mr. Roosevelt.

Checking back thru files of this column we find from a list of those new deal policies which it has endorsed and those which it has condemned that this writer may justly claim to be independent and intends to continue in that vein of thought. Let the reader check for himself and see where he stands:

### FOR—

Closing banks, 1933. Rubber dollar experiment. Amnesty to conscientious objectors. Warm Springs Foundation. Tariff reductions agreements. Strike settlements in 1934. Holding Company control. National defence policy. Hands off Mexico's religious dispute. Full wartime powers for President. Adherence to world court. SEC. Bank deposit insurance. CCC. Good neighbor Pan-Americanism. Recognition of Russia. Ohio flood relief. Reform of lower Federal courts. Summer naval training for boys. Veto of reduced

## THE HARMON HOME IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Harmon Home Improvement Club met in the home of Mrs. Whittenburgh February 8. The afternoon was spent having a good time. The house was called to order by the President and all sang 'Beautiful Texas'. The minutes of the previous meeting were read. The roll was called and each answered by telling how meal planning had helped them.

Our president read us a letter concerning "Educational Funds". The members present paid their dues of five cents each.

It was decided that Mrs. Rosa Perryman would cook apricot pie and Mrs. Joe Reese apple pie for the Rally. Several volunteered to make aprons for the Rally.

Refreshments of cocoa and muffins were served by the 13 members present.

The motion was made and seconded for the meeting to adjourn and to meet with Mrs. Joe Reese February 22 and with Mrs. Duncan March 8.

## THE SPIRIT OF WASHINGTON

George Washington, leader of a revolution that won the freedom and independence of a great nation, took active part in the moulding of a new country into a government. Signer of the Declaration of Independence, the Nation's first president. All these accomplishments make him an inspirational figure for all Americans.

His ideals are still reflected in this modern world of today. Business are based on his principles of honesty, dependability, and loyalty. His spirit of undying perseverance in the face of overwhelming odds is still alive in America today and is the stepping stone from failure up to success in all undertakings. He is truly the father of our country and the ideal American. His sons of today are following his example by fighting to the end and always being masters of their size cannot exist long without the qualities of honesty and fair shooting that we have seen in Washington. Let us today do honor to the first real American by following his examples of honesty and standing for the right in every decision.

## CORYELL CITY 4-H CLUB

The 4-H Club girls of Coryell City met February 15. All members were present except one. After the reading of the minutes the club played games and sang songs.

At this meeting plans for the next meeting were discussed. At the next meeting, February 24 the club will make pillow cases. This meeting will be sponsored by the regular sponsor, Miss Louise Maxx and the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Gibson.

mortgage interest. Sugar quota policy. Lending old warships to Brazil.

### AGAINST—

Silver purchase plan; Violating gold clause in United State bonds; NRA; AAA; Packing supreme court; Embargo neutrality powers in President; Sharing the wealth; Desertion of 1932 and 1936 platforms; Continued deficits; Retiring Gen. Johnson Hagood; Trick budget bookkeeping; Passamaquoddy; TVA; Resettlement and slum-clearance waste of funds; Sit-down strikes Appointment of Mr. Justice Black; Refusing to take real census of unemployment; Third term.

## Courthouse News

Jule Sydow and wife to Leon Camp, No. 259, W.O.W.

Miss Mittie Hammock and others to O. N. Hix.

Mrs. Mittie Hammock and others to W. T. Hix.

W. M. Pierce and wife to J. H. Hamilton.

Mrs. Bethie Walker to J. A. Painter.

J. D. Rogers to Mrs. Mollie Rogers.

C. Bauman to Verne Waddill.

U. D. Maxwell and wife to Horace Schow.

### Marriage Licenses

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J. T. Smith and Miss Sybil Jones.

Vernon Laffey and Miss Beulah Cole.

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Jim McKelvan, '38 Packard Sedan.

Sidney Gayle Gibson, '38 Plymouth Touring.

R. M. Arnold, '38 Pontiac Sedan.

Carl Sadler, '38 Chev. Sedan.

## PURMELA EX-STUDENTS CLUB

The Purmela ex-students met Wednesday night Feb. 9. After several games of '42' and casino music played by our "Hill Billy Heartbreakers" was enjoyed by all.

A business meeting was held it was decided that they would buy the school rhythm band new uniforms and have the name of the school painted on the front and back of the building as our new projects.

The volley ball club was reorganized and they decided to begin playing volley ball next week beginning Tuesday night Feb. 22. They will continue playing volley ball every Tuesday and Friday of each week. Mr. Cleo Huchabee was elected manager and Talvey Weeks was elected treasurer.

Monday night Feb. 14 a

## WITH THE SHIP OF STATE



Washington, D. C.—Every legislature is preoccupied with three different types of measures and most important to each are those little local bills for his city or his county or the general benefit of the folks back home. Next comes his "pet" projects—perhaps the army, child labor, slum clearance or any one of a hundred others. Last in importance to the individual law maker are those acts of national importance and scope. That is why the most important measures are the slowest in passing.

There has been no hesitation in granting naval appropriations this session, but now the friends of the Navy are pressing their claims, representatives who believe that increased spending by the army will benefit their sections or who have adopted the army as their pet project. Almost certainly the military forces will benefit to some extent by the increase

Pasadena, Cal., has passed an ordinance barring dogs from the streets between 7 o'clock p. m. and 7 a. m.

Valentine party was held in the school house for the ex-students. After several interesting contests, refreshments of punch cookies and candy hearts were served. Places were decorated with Valentine favors.

## GEORGE WASHINGTON

### WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY RECIPES

February 22 is the birthday of our nation's first president, George Washington. For those women who plan to give Washington parties and also for those who like to surprise their families with new dishes here are two recipes that correspond with the significance of that day. Everyone remembers the story of how George Washington chopped down his father's cherry tree and could not tell a lie about it.

#### WASHINGTON SALAD

1 pkg. lemon flavored gelatin  
1 cup boiling pineapple juice  
1 cup diced pineapple  
1 cup boiling water  
4 tbsp chopped pimentos  
1 cup white cream cheese  
½ cup grape jelly  
Pour water and juice over

gelatin. Cook and allow to thicken a little. Pour half into shallow mold when a little stiff. Add pimentos and pineapple. Allow to stiffen then add the rest of jelly and cheese. When stiff top with grape jelly. Chill until very stiff. Cut into flag shapes and arrange on lettuce. Place cheese sticks at side of flags to resemble flag poles.

#### CHERRY COBBLER

Dough:  
2 cups flour  
2 tsp baking powder  
4 tsp sugar  
½ tsp salt  
6 tbsp shortening  
2-3 cup milk  
Filling:  
3 cups cherries  
½ cup sugar  
4 tbsp flour  
1 cup cherry juice  
Mix and sift flour, baking powder sugar and salt. Cut in shortening. Add milk gradually to form a soft dough. Roll 2-3 dough ¼ inch thick. Line pan. Fill with cherries mixed with sugar, flour and juice. Make a cover of remaining 1-3 dough; place over top of cherries. Bake.

## REV. O. C. RAEKE OF COPPERAS COVE DELGATE TO CHICAGO

Old foes of Christian faith and the new problems which religion faces in modern industrial civilization were considered by 4000 delegates from the Methodist Episcopal Church in all parts of the United States at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago Feb. 3, 4, and 5.

From the San Antonio district Rev. O. C. Raeke of Copperas Cove and Rev. J. L. Rode, district superintendent, were chosen as representatives. Rev. Raeke said the meeting was well worth the trip. The ballroom of the Stevens Hotel with a seating capacity of 4000 was filled, and about 1000 others crowded in the Barn Dance Auditorium adjoining the building. Speakers were forced to address the gathering in the ball room, then proceed to the Barn Dance Auditorium and repeat their speeches Raeke said. The final session was held Saturday and Rev. Raeke returned to Copperas Cove Monday.

in national defense. There was mild sensation, for instance, when it was discovered that the Springfield Arsenal was only producing some six dozen Garand Semi-automatic rifles a week to replace the old Springfield. And the Army staff so long and so often forced into the background by the more impressive Navy is chuckling happily in the belief that it will get at least a few crumbs without having to ask for them.

The state Department, relieved of the tension brought by Japan's invasion of China, is once more watching the turn of Spanish affairs. It is believed that within a short time all the central European nations will have recognized Franco's rebels as the 'Government'. One embarrassing thing is the fact that nearly all Italian language newspapers in the United States already call Franco's forces 'the government forces' and refer to the actual government forces as Reds and this lead is being followed by papers printed in English as find it convenient policy to play up the 'Red Menace'.

Once more G-Man J. Edgar Hoover has temporarily silenced his critics by the capture of the Ross kidnaper. The vice campaign of the G-Men has been bitterly attacked especially by congressmen whose local authorities are protesting the G-Man activities in their bailiwicks. The Matson kidnaping thirteen months old and still unsolved is used as a continual irritant against Hoover and his men and there is no doubt that if it continues unsolved it will be heavy ammunition in a long delayed move to cut down the department and curtail its activities.

The recent treasury report on the numbers of persons receiving an income of a million dollars a year or more has set the tax-the-rich experts to sharpening their pencils. Back in 1929 over five hundred people were in the million-income class. The number has dropped to a low of twenty in 1932 but it has risen steadily since then, the 1935 figures being thirty three and the 1936 figure (on which 1937 taxes are based) was sixty one. The more radical tax advocates insist that in spite of the recession, 1937 will prove to have increased the number to over two hundred. And it is safe to predict that with millionaires on the increase there will be no modification of income taxes in the higher brackets.

# SPORTS



## Hornets to Meet Winner Bynum-Fairfield in District Contest

Gatesville's Golden Hornets Coryell county champions of 1938 will meet the winner of the Bynum-Fairfield fracas at eight-fifteen tonight. As it was first planned the Hornets were supposed to meet Bynum in the tournament opener but at the last minute Fairfield, winner of Freestone county entered and that threw the race in such a way as to give Gatesville a bye into the quarterfinals. If they defeat the winner of Bynum-Fairfield they will play the winner of the Rosebud-Corsicana contest at eleven o'clock Saturday morning. If they happen to win that one they will go into the finals.

Gatesville's record this season is a remarkable one, although it is not as good as those of the past year. In the previous three years the Hornets have gone up to the county meet undefeated, but won the county championship in only one of those years.

The Hornets have played a total of 36 games this season, and have lost only four. Those four setbacks came at the opening of the basketball season, and the Hornets suffered from lack of sufficient practice, while the teams that defeated them had been working out since the opening of school.

The first game they played with Evant after only one day of practice they won by the small score of 12-11. The next day they met the strong Star team in Ireland's invitational tournament and were defeated 24-21. Their next game was with Ireland and with the help of the referees, Ireland edged the Hornets out 18-16. Their next defeat came at the hand of the Star team again this time on the Star court 19-18. Then the Jonesboro Eagles beat them 9-7.

All those defeats were by the small margins of one two and three points. Another thing on the bright side is that the Hor-

nets have beaten all the teams that defeated them by wide margins at later dates. Since those defeats they have beaten Ireland three times, Jonesboro twice and Star once. They have not lost a game on their home court.

In their march to the county championship they defeated Pearl 25-11, Oglesby 50-11 and Jonesboro 16-12.

The Hornets have already defeated two teams entered in the district meet, Valley Mills and Bynum.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER FOR JONESBORO RESIDENT

A surprise birthday dinner was given to George Johnson of Jonesboro, Sunday 13th. He was 50 years of age Wednesday, the 9th, however the surprise came later and with it one of the happiest birthdays he has known during his fifty years.

There were 61 present, namely Mr. J. H. Richardson, and son and daughter of Ireland; Mr. Johnnie Johnson and son from Rolls; Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Smith and four daughters of Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Pruitt and five children of Moshim, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Richardson and daughter of Ireland; Mr. J. D. Bennett of Jonesboro, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith and sons of Turnersville, Mr. and Mrs. Elcie Smith and five children of Jonesboro; Mrs. Caroline Smith from Jonesboro.

Along with relatives there were many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ballier and five sons of Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ballier and five children of Hamilton; O. W. Orucash from Ireland; Miss Geniva Hill of Ireland, Marvin Lee, Miss Loretta Walters of Jonesboro, and Mr. J. E. Duels of Llanza, Texas.

Mrs. George Johnson sent out all the invitations without Mr. Johnson having even the slightest idea of a dinner for him. Mr. Johnson was blindfolded at the

### HORNETTES TO MEET IRENE HERE FEB. 25 AND 26

The no longer undefeated Hornettes will meet the strong Irene sextette here in the local gym Feb. 25 and 26 in their last home game of the season. This was the date planned for the AAU meet but the local school officials waited too late to get the meet under way and dropped the whole thing.

March eleventh and twelfth they will enter the girls invitational tournament held at Irene.

### GATESVILLE SEXTETTE HAS REMARKABLE RECORD

The Gatesville sextette under the expert tutelage of Coach F. G. Schwarz have completed one of the best records of any girls team in the state.

They have lost only one game out of 38 played, and lost that contest to a team they had previously beaten three times. On their list of defeated teams are some of the best teams in central Texas, including Wetz, who was last year's Central Texas AAU champion.

Following is the complete record for the season.

Opponents	GHS	Op
Indiana Gap	34	4
Jonesboro	20	4
Evant	38	10
Pearl	30	14
Crawford	38	17
Wet	15	9
Crawford	29	7
Evant	21	18
Crawford	22	13
Flit	16	1
Star	43	7
Ireland	33	9
Blackcats	21	6
Turnersville	31	7
Beattie	22	16
Beattie	21	18
Flit	48	13
Ireland	51	6
Ireland	38	11
Pearl All-stars	32	12
Plainview All-Stars	23	9
Plainview All-Stars	27	7
Blackcats	32	16
Pearl	27	16
Ireland	38	10
Jonesboro	26	16
Pearl	27	11
Jonesboro Forfeit		
Copperas Cove Forfeit		
Jonesboro	27	7
Abbott	27	26
Valley Mills	60	11
Abbott	34	18
Beattie	29	24
Beattie	34	43
Turnersville		Forfeit

The grand total of the games: HORNETTES 1085 OP. 440

In the way of individual scoring, Eulbanks, Gatesville Captain has scored over 500 points.

### GIRLS CONFERENCE GAMES

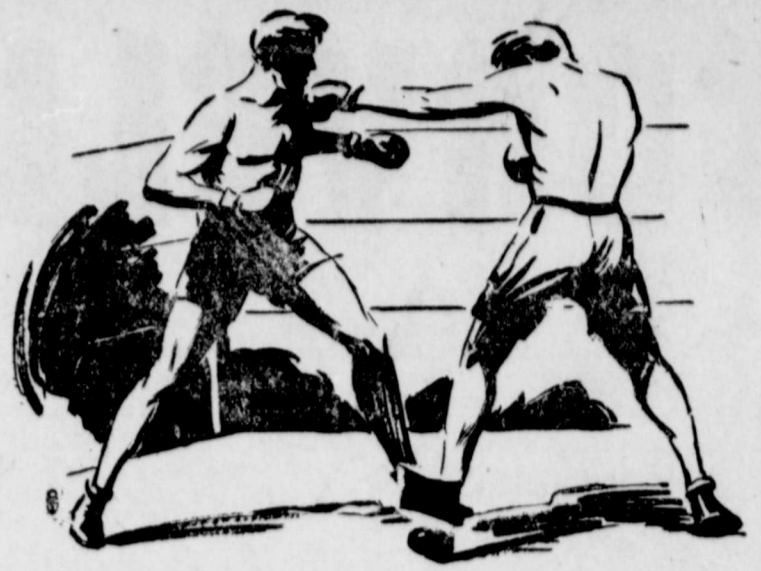
Wednesday a supposedly weak team, Flat, turned a sudden reversal of form to conquer the strong Ireland sextette in a conference game by the score of 15-9. Cross was Flat's star of the night with five points.

In the second game Jonesboro subdued Pearl by a close ten to eight score. Franks made six for Pearl to take scoring honors for the night.

In the third game Pearl romped over Copperas Cove 40-5. For Pearl, Fetner and Preston scored fourteen and ten points respectively.

gate and led around to shake hands with all those present. When the blindfold was taken off his surprise was so great he could only look from one to the other and finally ask, "How did you let them all know?"

Then the table was fixed with a nice dinner. In fact the dinner was perfect in every way. Everyone was extremely happy. It is the fondest hope and deepest prayer of everyone that every year be filled with happiness and at the end of each year may the birthday be filled with joy as was this one.



## 52 Entries in FFA-News Boxing Tourney, Sat. Last Day to Enter

Entries in the FFA-NEWS boxing tourney reached the grand total of 52 Thursday. All entries must be in by Saturday tomorrow, for that has been set for the closing date and no entries will be accepted after then. The officials have been decided upon. Eugene Alvis, ack Reach, D. W. Diserens and Richard Dikie will be the judges with one of them acting as referee and one of them the timekeeper.

There will be two night of preliminaries instead of one, as was originally planned. The first night of preliminaries will be Thursday February 24; the second round of preliminaries will be run off March 1 while the finals will be held March 4.

Here is the list of entries who have entered since the Feb. 11th issue of the News: Lloyd Woodson, 115; Hughey

Brown, 145; Pete Lam Jr. 130; Lorenza Harrison 148; Von Gilmore 130; Orville Jones 154; J. Hue Jones, 160; Curtis Vernon 120; Bud Dollins 160; and E. L. Gatlin, 140.

### HORNETS MEET IRELAND TUESDAY NIGHT

Tuesday night in the local gym the County champion Gatesville Hornets will meet the strong Ireland quintet that will determine whether Gatesville's win of the county championship was a fluke or not. The Jonesboro Eagles whom the Hornets defeated in the tournament finals beat Ireland, 11-10 in a first round game. The Ireland supporters said their team was badly off and if they had been up to their usual form they would have defeated the Eagles.

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Age \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

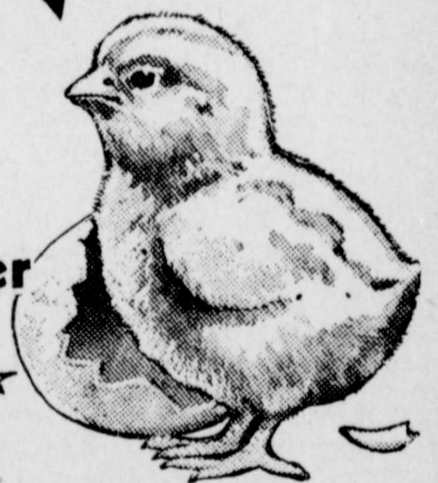
Participants must be residents of Coryell County, and must not have fought for money.

Mail Coupon to Sports Editor c/o Coryell County News, Gatesville, Texas, or W. E. Lasseter, Gatesville, Texas. Preliminaries: February 24 and March 1. Finals March 4.

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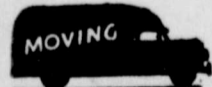
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**SYNOPSIS**

When the Civil War breaks out, Ramsay McKay, handsome and pioneering Wells Fargo express agent, is called upon by President Lincoln to personally supervise the shipments of gold from California to Washington. Despite the objections of his wife, Justine, and her mother, who came from an aristocratic Southern family McKay takes his assignment. Urged on by her mother Justine begins a letter to her old suitor, Carter, a Confederate lieutenant, outlining the route that the gold train will follow. Realizing the danger to her husband, she casts it into the fireplace. Her mother salvages it.

**CHAPTER X**

Winding out of a rocky canyon eastward into the morning sunshine, a small wagon train descended the dry course of a stream in that area where the boundaries of Utah, Wyoming and Colorado meet. There were six Concord mud-wagons in the train and two light freighters. Each was hauled by a six-horse hitch.

At the head of the train rode three horsemen, and on the flanks and to the rear were scattered a half-dozen more, the last driving before them about forty head of spare animals. One rider in the lead halted, rose in his stirrups and shot up a warning hand. Behind him the teams stopped.

"How many, Pawnee?" Ramsay asked of the Indian beside him.

Pawnee grunted, almost unintelligibly.

"He's right," Hank York agreed. "Must be thirty or forty riders, anyway."

"They're in uniform," Ramsay observed as the troop drew nearer. "Confederates. Wonder where the leak was? Here comes a flag of truce. Pawnee, tell the men to hold their fire. Hank and I will parley." An officer and two troopers rode forward.

"You're mistaken, Captain," Ramsay began. "This is no army train; we're civilians. Why, Talbot Carter—" he broke off in surprise.

"Hello, Ramsay," Carter answered. "This is no mistake. Sorry it had to be you, but I must demand the surrender of your men and equipment, and the bullion you're carrying."

"You know what you're about, apparently," Ramsay suggested.

"We have a most efficient espionage," Talbot Carter agreed.

"Nevertheless," Ramsay rejoined. "There'll be no surrender. Better ride off while the riding is good, Talbot. I have you outnumbered."

"In horses, perhaps," Carter conceded, "but I don't see any spare men around."

"I'm warning you," Ramsay McKay repeated.

"That final?"

"Final."

"Sorry, Ramsay. The truce ends in five minutes."

"We're ready now," Ramsay assured him. "Wells Fargo fighting men are of the split-second kind."

Carter rode back toward his troop, and Ramsay McKay's wagons moved forward, now in double file. Canvas curtains on mud-coaches and freighters rolled upward. In each Concord were four men, in each freighter at least twenty, heavily armed, grizzled greybeards, for the most part, each a veteran frontiersman and Indian fighter.

"Here they come, boys," Ramsay called.

"What I want to know," Hank York complained as the Confederates charged, "is who in Time told 'em about us?"

Talbot Carter's troopers never had a chance. They rode in the close-ordered cavalry formation and Ramsay's crack shots emptied half the saddles, or more, before the guidon passed the leading freighter. Slaughter all along the wagon line was equally sanguinary. Talbot Carter fell among the first. His lieutenant reformed the handful of troopers and led them to the charge again. Spare rifles from the wagons in the hands of sharpshooters knocked every last man from his saddle. Two-thirds of the Confeder-

ate horses were down; the rest galloped about aimlessly, with empty saddles.

Hank York rode up to report to Ramsay, who was having a shoulder-wound bandaged.

"They got Pawnee," he announced. Ramsay nodded. He would not trust himself to speak.

"Six more of us," Hank went on after a moment of hard swallowing, "and some wounded. There's fifteen of them we'll have to tote to Laramie. Rest we can bury good and deep. Kin you pray, Ramsay?" Ramsay said that he could.

"Wish you would then, maybe some extra for Talbot Carter, but plenty special for Pawnee."

"Here," he said brusquely, "is Talbot Carter's papers and things."

"I'll see that his family gets them," Ramsay replied. He was looking casually at Carter's commission and for possible clues to Confederate activities when he stopped short.

In his hands was a wrinkled piece of notepaper. On it were written full directions of the secret route his treasure-train was taking overland. Notepaper and penmanship were unquestionably familiar. They were his wife's—Justine's.

After a moment Ramsay pulled himself together.

"Come on, boys," he called. "We've got to keep General Grant's dollars rolling, and this is only the first installment."

When Ramsay returned to San Francisco all he could learn from his Chinese houseboy was that Mrs. McKay, the children and her mother, Mrs. Pryor, had boarded ship for Panama. She had said that she was going to St. Louis.

No greater influence in healing the wounds of the Civil War could have come to the United States than com-

pletion of the trans-continental railway. Competitive struggles for control of that railway, and for the rights to transact express business over its lines had been bitter, but even they were subordinated to the realization of both North and South that in development of the West lay salvation for a reunited nation.

So it was, with Wells Fargo chosen almost by universal demand rather than acclaim to direct and to lead the cross-hatching of half a continent with paths of communication and transportation, that a celebration was announced for St. Louis. And, one evening of that celebration was set aside to honor Ramsay McKay as the guiding genius of company achievement, the personification of that courageous and dependable force, that utter integrity which the public held to be Wells Fargo.

In the afternoon preceding the banquet in Ramsay McKay's honor, old Nicholas Pryor held some converse with his daughter.

"Justine," he said in kindest tone, "I wish you would go with me tonight."

"Father," she replied, "how could I? If he had written, if he had so much as acknowledged the letters I have sent since mother died, the news of the children."

She left him, and the old gentleman turned to greet his grand daughter, Alice.

"Father is in town," the girl said. "I know," her grandparent answered.

"Will he come to see us?"

"I fear not," Nicholas Pryor told her. "Ah, my dear. Pride, foolish pride! How much happiness it witholds from us."

"But, tomorrow is my birthday," Alice reminded him, "Wouldn't he come for that, even?"

Her grandfather shook his head sadly.

That great throng of Empire Builders which paid homage to Ramsay McKay in St. Louis insisted ever afterward that the occasion marked a milestone in national development. And that from the opening remarks of Will Fargo through to the closing prophecies of Henry Wells, that great visionary who was wont to make his dreams come true, the oc-

casional was altogether fitting. Yet, Ramsay McKay left the banquet room and his friends with a heart too heavy to make other than solitude endurable.

Just before the gathering he had been called to his room by a message that a lady wished to see him. From the window, as he entered, a young girl turned.

"Alice," he cried.

He held her long and tight, asking above her head the questions he dared not trust to put into her eyes.

"Will you come to my birthday party tomorrow, Daddy?" Alice asked. "I will be seventeen, you know."

Ramsay winced.

"Does your mother know you have come to invite me?"

"No. But I am sure she'd love to have you come, and, after all, it's my party, you know."

"I'm sorry, dear," Ramsay began, but his daughter cut him short. She could flare with all the intensity of Justine.

"Grandfather was right," she declared. "You won't come, and mother won't ask you. You're worse than children, both of you—you and your silly pride."

Then, as her father stood speechless, Alice fled down the hall to the stairs.

After the banquet which followed Ramsay McKay walked the streets of St. Louis for hours. Always behind him, though he did not sense it, a watchful shadow dogged, that of the faithful and worried Hank York.

Dawn found Ramsay on the river front and chance had it that in the first dim light he saw before him the old building which had housed the first Wells Fargo office he had opened in the town. He walked up to peer in the door, and as he turned found Hank York at his side.

"Remember that mornin' in Forty-six?" Hank began without ceremony, threw back his head and clarified to the rising sun:

"I don't know where I'm headin' for. I'm headin' for, I'm headin' for. I only know I want to go

Where I ain't been before.

"Me and Pawnee waitin' out here —By golly, that's the very post I was whittlin'—and inside, Mr. Wells and Mr. Pryor—a waitin' while you and Miss Justine—Ah, shoot, Ramsay, I'm sorry; I plumb forgot."

But Ramsay McKay was smiling with moist eyes.

"Sorry for what, Hank, my friend? That you've come along when I needed you most and made up for me what for the last five years I have been pleased to call a mind? Let's go over to the old place and get some coffee. Then, I'm going to the hotel and get some sleep. You'd better catch up on yours, too, because you and I are going to a birthday party tonight."

Dancing at Alice McKay's birthday party stopped suddenly as the young hostess rushed across the polished floor to the hall doorway with a delighted shriek.

"Daddy! Daddy!" she exclaimed as she threw her arms about the neck of a tall and handsome gentleman in evening clothes. "You came! You came!"

Her mother followed her, then her grandfather, and several of the older guests.

Behind Ramsay stood Hank, tears streaming down his furrowed cheeks.

In a secluded spot while others were busy with supper, Ramsay and Justine had their first moments alone.

"All those long, empty years," the husband was saying, "those years of bitterness and hate; we must put them behind us."

"Oh, Ramsay, my love, I have wanted you so."

"If I hadn't kept this—" Ramsay drew a folded paper from his pocket—I would have come to you long ago. I think. Now I have brought it to you to destroy."

Justine unfolded the paper to read its contents.

"where," she managed to gasp, "did you get this?"

"I found it in Talbot Carter's papers after I killed him," Ramsay replied.

"But," Justine objected, "I burned this in San Francisco that night—within five minutes after you left the house. I threw it into the fireplace, I remember distinctly, as I ran to lock myself away from mother in the children's room."

Realization came to both in the single instant.

"Your mother," Ramsay said.

"Mother," Justine whispered.

Young voices were calling from the dining room, Alice's more insistent than the rest.

"Mother, Daddy, We're cutting my birthday cake. Aren't you coming to watch?"

Hand-in-hand, Ramsay and Justine walked into the light and gaiety of another world of youth.

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### ANCHOR CLUB HAS OPEN HOUSE

Last night the Anchor club had its first mass meeting of its members and prospective members in the club hall above Jack Horne's bakery. A large group of young people of this town enjoyed themselves playing table-tennis, pool or reclining in the luxurious living room in the front of the hall. The main events of the evening was the boxing matches staged by some of the boys. There is a punching bag in the rear of the building on which the boxers may get in trim. The night was enjoyed by all and a good many of the prospective members will become regular members after seeing the fun

they can have in wholesome recreation in a club of this sort. The Anchor Club solicits your membership to-day so inquire at the Gatesville Drug for further membership details.

### KILLER RUTHERFORD

Special To The News;  
Gatesville, Texas, Feb. 16.  
Shattering the myth that all fighters are beetle-browed throw backs to the Neanderthal man Killer Rutherford proved, to the amazement of spectators present during a training session last Tuesday that he is no ordinary fistcuffer.

In reply to a jeering onlooker who asked the Killer if he read Shakespeare in his spare time as Tunney did, Rutherford turned and without preliminary began to quote the Immortal Bard, delivering verbatim some of the more intricate passages of Shakespeare's lesser known works.

"And if dat ain't enough," he said, pausing for breath, "I can give you Omar Khayyam, Tolstov, Seneca, Aristophanes, Plato, Whitman, or Oedden Nash."

"I'll take Hamburger," the disgruntled questioner said under his breath as he walked away. "With Onion!" he shouted after he had reached a safe distance.

But the Killer's taste in literature hasn't affected his power in the ring or his reputation in his chosen career, as is evidenced by a recent incident.

Another Central Texas newspaper a few weeks ago attempted to sponsor a Golden Gloves tournament in the city. Entries were pouring in fast and it promised to be an epochal meeting.

But when Killer Rutherford's name appeared on the roster entries suddenly stopped coming in. And just as suddenly those already entered began to retract. Finally, only the Killer's name was left and the Telegram fumblingly had to drop the whole thing "for lack of entries".

Characteristically modest, the Killer tried to discount all the rumors that his entry had forced all the other contestants to withdraw for fear they would be legally murdered in the ring under punishing hands.

But those in the know in sporting circles assert that is just what happened. With the jolt of a hydraulic ram in his right hand and the effectiveness of an army tank in his left the Killer stands at the top of the amateur heap.

"Anybody wot flimbs in de ring wit me is inviting hari-kari" growled the killer in response to a query from a spectator at his training quarters.

When asked what "hari-kari" meant he said he didn't know, but that it sounded mighty tough—and that was just what he was.

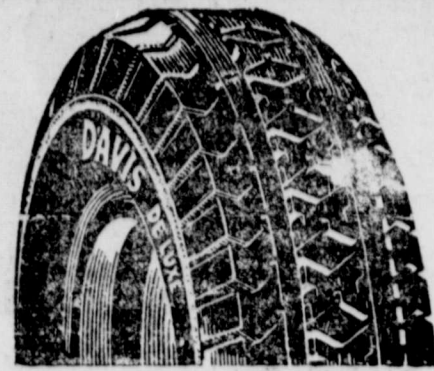
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We wish to take this method to thank our friends and neighbors for their help during the serious illness and operation of our little daughter, Erlene, each word of kindness and every little gift which was brought to her to make her stay in bed more cheerful, was appreciated so much. Also the nice lunches which were brought to us so we might spend our hours with her. We especially wish to thank Dr. John T. Brown for the operation he performed so our darling might be restored to health and the sunshine to our home. We also thank Drs. Dean and Kermit Jones and Dr. Southerland for their help. Words can never express our appreciation and thanks to the patient nurses who so lovingly administered to her best needs and made our stay at the Milton Powell Hospital less lonely by their loving help. May God's richest blessings smile upon you. May the little Hospital grow to be a great success.

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