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THE TIME DRAWETH NEIGH! MR. STORK IS PREPARING TO MAKE HIS '41 STOP

Brother Stork, that old mystery man will appear bright and early some morning shortly after the New Year, and wherever he appears in Coryell County, the News-Merchant's Fifth Annual Stork Derby Contest will have a "string of prizes" for the family where he makes his premier call.

Yes, in other words, the Stork Derby's due to get in motion just after the last second of 1940 has passed.

Already, we merchants have the following for the little fellow, or fellows, as the case might be. But, you just read these gentlemen's advertisements in the News, and see for yourself what they're offering.

Here they are: Duncan Coffee Company, White Auto Store, Mrs. J. B. Graves, Florist, Wm. Gambelin's Dairy, Gatesville Laundry, Martin's Cleaners, Thomson Grocery Company, Koen-Foster Drug, Coryell County News, Perry Brothers, Cozy Cafe, The National Bank of Gatesville, Koen-Foster Drug Store, Murray Grocery and Market, The Palace Theatre, and Morton Scott.

This is the "Fifth Annual" and already we've had the following winners: Gary Glenn Gragg, '37, Harvey Richardson, '38, Vernon H. Wells, '39, and "Miss" Sara Lynn Scott, '40.

Now, who's going to be Mr. or Miss '41?
We don't know! Do you?

Courthouse News

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Woodrow McClain and Laura Williams.

Lewis Raymond Blankenship and Ona Frances Landfried.
Lester Whaley and Cora Mae Johnson.

DEEDS RECORDED
W. P. Dyer and others to W. H. Dyer.

E. B. McMordie and wife to J. M. Ward.

H. V. Edmondson to Mrs. Minnie Edmondson.

H. V. Buster and wife to Dude Buster.

Henry Bushin and wife to H. L. Davis and wife.

W. H. Dyer and wife to J. D. Carpenter.

NEW CARS REGISTERED
C. C. Roberts, '41 Chevrolet Sedan.

Markets

As of December 26

Corn, ear	50c
Corn, shelled	55c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20.
Cream, No. 1	27c
Cream, No. 2	22c
Oats, sacked	34c
Oats, loose	32c
Eggs	20c
Fryers	12c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	8c
Hens, heavy	10c

Waco Orphans Have Christmas in Coryell County Homes

In line with Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's urgent request, a number of orphans from the Waco Orphans' Homes had Christmas with Coryell county folks, and had a whale of a time, they say.

With Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chestnut were Homer Hopkins, Elizabeth Hensley, Dorothy Henson and Hazel Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Spradley of Turnersville and a Mr. and Mrs. Coward also has one or more of the young folks, but their names were not learned.

Alien Count Here Is 54: Monday Was Last Day

Postmaster J. Hurl McClellan yesterday said there were 54 aliens registered in Coryell county under the Alien Registration Act, and that the big majority of them were Mexicans. A few of them were German citizens.

Registration closed yesterday, with a possible penalty for failure to register.

CORRECTION!

In reporting an accident in Tuesday's issue of the News we got a little wadded up on the positions of the cars, according to one of the three drivers in the accident.

Here's the way it should have read: The car which had the lights out was facing south on the right side of the road. The Sheriff's car was facing north on the right side of the road. The car that hit these hit the stopped car with the lights out and then careened and struck the Sheriff's car's left front fender.

Many time, in any newspaper, when crowded for time, inaccuracies are reported, and when informed, we're always glad to make these corrections. We see corrections of this nature in all newspapers.

JUDGE ZEIGLER HAS "INFORMATIONAL" ITEM ON PROPOSED BOND ISSUE, DEC. 31

By Floyd Zeigler

At a mass meeting held on November 30th, 1940 the proposition concerning the voting of road bonds was explained and discussed with those present without the dictation or recommendation of any member of the Commissioner's Court. I discussed this matter from every angle seeking to give a complete explanation of the entire proposition as well as the attitude of the Commissioners' Court which was and is that the citizenship as a whole should have matters of this nature brought to their attention at a public meeting for that purpose and that the citizenship should determine what course should be followed from that point.

Shortly after this meeting a legal petition was presented to the Commissioner's Court making it mandatory that an election be called to determine whether road bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000 should be issued by Coryell County under the express stipulation that such bonds even tho authorized by the necessary vote could never be issued or sold unless the State Highway Commission agreed to designate and take over the maintenance of the road or roads upon which the money is to be spent, and unless the Board of County and District Road Indebtedness agrees to assume and pay off the annual principal and interest requirements on said bonds in full.

The only way that Coryell county would ever be required to pay any portion of said bonds or the interest thereon would be for the Legislature (after the bonds have been issued and assumed by the State) to repeal or fail to reenact on a broader basis in 1939 and thus say to the Counties of Texas that the law is unfair and that the State is hereby repudiating its assumed obligation to said Counties and that even tho the money was used in the construction of roads that are now a part of the Highway System you will have to pay this debt.

The Legislature has this authority and it is a matter of opinion

as to whether the legislature representing all the 254 counties will ever throw this tremendous obligation back upon the 235 of those Counties the number who now have bonds that are being paid by the State.

Since 1932 one fourth of the state tax upon gasoline has been placed in a fund to be used for the purpose of retiring bonds of counties and road districts where the money was spent on roads that have become a part of the State Highway System. Coryell County has paid on an average of from 25 to 30 thousand dollars into this fund each year and will continue to do so whether bonds are voted or not and the money has and will be used to retire bonds of other counties unless the law is changed or the gasoline tax abolished which does not appear reasonable under present circumstances.

As the law now stands our county can only participate in the annual surplus created in this fund after the principal and interest on all outstanding bonds are paid and in addition thereto a \$3,000,000 emergency and revolving fund is set aside. If the law is changed at the next session of the legislature to allow the assumption of additional bonds (fear of which is the primary motive back of this bond election) then there will be no surplus for a number of years from which we may expect to receive any help. Apparently, the only way we could receive under those circumstances would be to have eligible bonds that the state would assume. From this standpoint the voting of bonds at the present time would be a protective measure placing our county in position to receive something back from the state if the law is changed.

If the law is not changed then we will continue to receive our pro rata part of the annual surplus which the unfair to our county in comparison with counties who have bonds now being paid by the state in time it will become more equitable.

If the bonds are voted and later issued and sold under this proposition the money will be deposited with the County Treasurer and paid out upon the order of the Commissioners' Court and not by the Highway Commission, however the bond will not be assumed by the state unless the proceeds are spent on roads now constituting a part of the Highway System or roads that may logically become a part of such system.

The Highway Commission has encouraged bonds of this nature because the roads built in this way will be of benefit to the system of state roads then too at the present time the Highway Commission is very disturbed over the large amount of defense projects it is anticipated they will have to build which will materially hinder and delay all general highway construction over the state.

I have never felt that it was the proper province of a county official to seek to dictate or tell any citizen how he or she should vote on any question, but rather to give out all available facts and information concerning the question to be voted upon and then let the citizen make up his or her own mind and cast their ballot accordingly. In keeping with that attitude I have here sought to briefly discuss this matter.

Mrs. N. P. Hale spent the holidays with her daughters, Mrs. Jack Halbrook and Mrs. Cecil Graham, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Crawford had as their guests Christmas Day, Mrs. Maude Hearn Smedley, Miss Mary Elizabeth Hearn, and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Huckaby, all of Waco.

THE WEATHER

Barometer reading 29.20
Temperature 55
Rain00
Western Union Forecast:
Friday partly cloudy
Fishing—Fair

Two Former Local Men Are Promoted In Houston

W. J. McAnelly, well known former resident of Coryell County, has just been named president of the Houston Bank for Co-operatives. Mr. McAnelly has been with the Federal Land Bank in Houston for a number of years, and was then transferred to Washington.

Mrs. McAnelly was the former Miss Lois White, of Gatesville.

The other Coryell countian, T. P. Priddie, is hardly as well known here to the younger folks, and he has been named president and treasurer of the Houston Federal Intermediate Credit Bank.

Mr. Priddie was for 25 years a banker in Houston and succeeds Dwight P. Reordan, who was president, and died a short time ago.

300,000 NAZIS TO RUMANIA

Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 25 (AP)—The vanguard of a new German expedition onto the balkans, a total force estimated at twenty divisions or 300,000 men, with artillery, bridge-building equipment tanks and motor transports, Wednesday began moving across Hungary to Rumania.

BERLIN AND LONDON STOP CHRISTMAS

Berlin, Dec. 25 (AP)—A Christmas bombing truce in effect was acknowledged by the German high command Wednesday as it reported there had been no attacks on Britain since the raid on Manchester the night of December 23 and 24 in the same period.

London, Dec. 25 (UP)—Amid a Christmas quiet in which neither British nor German bombs crashed upon territory of the other, King George VI broadcast to the empire Wednesday a message of calm confidence that "our feet are planted on the path to victory", even tho the future may still be hard.

ZERO HOUR AT BARDIA

Cairo, Egypt, Dec. 25 (AP)—In the face of intensified Italian air attacks, British forces besieging Bardia were reported Wednesday to be pushing forward preparations to deal with the situation at the Fascist base in Eastern Libya.

R.A.F. BLASTS VALONA

Athens, Greece, Dec. 25 (AP)—With Italian troops reported occupying strong natural positions south of Valona and preparing a

defence of that Southern Albanian port, the British Royal Airforce announced Wednesday a surprise dive-bombing which it said left palls of black smoke.

THREE HUNDRED DEAD

Via Radio—Three hundred in the U. S. will see no more Christmases. They are myrtars to the 1940 celebration. They were killed in various accidents all over the U. S.

Texas had 23 of these, divided 19 in the heavy traffic. The others in various other accidents, suicides etc.

NAVY SEEKS MARTINIQUE

Washington, Dec. 25. (UP)—Naval leaders want to use the island of Martinique as a sea and air base and are insisting, in the face of French refusals, on efforts to obtain base rights there, well qualified sources disclosed tonight.

Naval strategists contend that a Martinique base is essential to complete the American defense plan in the Caribbean.

PRINCE AND PRINCESS EAT WITH F.D.R.

Washington, Dec. 25 (AP)—Crown Prince Olaf and Princess Martha of Norway sat down to a typical American Christmas dinner Wednesday and ate turkey carved by their host, President Roosevelt.

WINDSOR URGES PEACE PRAYER

New York, Dec. 24 (AP)—The Duke of Windsor, governor of the Bahamas, in a broadcast carried

to the United States by NBC, Wednesday night urged a prayer "that the end of hostilities be not too far distant, and may God grant to those in power wisdom and vision to prepare for the colossal readjustment that looms ahead."

SONNY HAIR HELPS ALL-STARS

San Antonio, Dec. 25 (AP)—Along with Ray Mallouf, of SMU, Sonny Hair of SHSTC, helped put over the victory, 34-6 with the St. Mary's Rattlers, Christmas Day.

Quoting: "Little Jimmy Hair of Sam Houston Teachers floated a 35-yarder down the sidelines late in the second period and Clint McClain, great SMU back, jumped up in a batch of four players and came down with the ball." Other backs were rushed into the game, and a touchdown was made.

WHEELER URGES U. S. TO FORCE PEACE

Washington, Dec. 25 (AP)—A call for a determined effort by the United States to "force peace in Europe" was sounded Wednesday by Senator Wheeler of Montana.

Wheeler didn't detail just how he'd do it.

U. S. CAN END WAR, IF F.D.R. TELLS

New York, Dec. 25 (AP)—Verne Marshall, chairman of the No Foreign War Committee, said Wednesday that "we will know exactly how to end this war" if President Roosevelt "takes us wholly into his confidence" next Sunday night.

He didn't say how he'd do it, either.

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FEATURES IN THE

NEWS

Walter Winchell
Washington Merry-Go-Round, Bracketed
Cartoons — Comics

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1940



Washington, D. C.

PARITY PAYMENTS

Farm legislation for the new congress is still chiefly in the "talk" stage, but one thing can be put down as definite: The parity payment program at best is due for a big slash.

In the new budget now being framed, parity payments are not entirely eliminated, but they are cut to the bone. Instead of the \$212,000,000 voted last spring, the figure under consideration is only \$50,000,000. And even this isn't certain.

It is entirely possible, under the policy of holding down all "normal" expenditures to the bone to provide more funds for defense, that the parity item may be eliminated entirely before the budget is finished.

Some congressional farm leaders are making no secret of their desire to supplant parity loans with a more financially sound plan. Chief among them is Rep. Hampton Fulmer of South Carolina, new chairman of the house agriculture committee, who is a strong advocate of the "income certificate plan."

This is a modified version of the old AAA processing tax under which processors would pay growers the difference between the market price and parity, in certificates purchased from the government.

VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones wasn't exaggerating when he predicted that this would be the most prosperous Christmas in history.

Economists of the federal reserve board, commerce and labor departments estimate a Yuletide business season surpassing even the peak in 1929. According to their private figures, dollar sales will about equal 1929, but business volume will be considerably heavier (1940 price levels are nearly 20 per cent lower). That is, each dollar spent will buy

about one-fifth more than it did in the last of the boom years.

This is the way the experts forecast the Christmas season:

Employment—Because of the vast defense program, employment will be greater this month than at any time since 1929, with more than 37,000,000 (excluding temporary Christmas employees) on private payrolls—an increase of 1,400,000 over December, 1939.

Payrolls—Manufacturing payrolls will be 12 per cent greater than last December. That means \$25,000,000 more a week will be paid in wages to industrial workers.

Retail trade—Sales generally will be from 8 to 10 per cent greater than 1939. Department store sales will be 5 per cent more than last Christmas, but still under record-breaking 1929. On the other hand, mail order and variety store sales will be the highest in history.

A very Merry Christmas, indeed.

WILLKIE AND NEW CHAIRMAN

There is a sputtering of ire among Republican national committeemen when they heard that Wendell Willkie considers it his right to name the successor to National Chairman Joe Martin, who wants to quit in order to give all his time to bossing the house Republicans.

Willkie picked Martin, and now takes the position that he also is entitled to select Martin's successor.

But to the hard-headed, political professionals, a candidate running for office and a defeated candidate are horses of entirely different colors. The first is a potential incumbent who may have patronage and favors to dispense, and therefore commands the right to call the tune. But a defeated standard-bearer is a has-been, and the boys are not interested in faded hopes.

So Willkie's claim to continued party leadership is meeting with very glacial response. When he told some of the national committeemen that they should name the man he wants, the boys tactfully, but pointedly, replied that the national committee is an elected body and alone has the power to fill a chairmanship vacancy.

MARTIN'S SUCCESSOR

Martin is very eager to shed him-

self of the chairmanship.

The undercover maneuvering for the strategic place already is hot. Tom Dewey, Governor Bricker of Ohio, Sen. Bob Taft, Senator Vandenberg and others, with 1944 in mind, each is determined that no one hostile to him shall get it. The situation calls for a neutral, or someone acceptable to a combination of the leaders.

Martin privately is afraid that it won't be possible to find either and that to avoid a battle-royal he will be stuck as national chairman for some time to come.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

William Reuther, young, red-haired executive of the United Auto Workers, has submitted a plan to defense authorities whereby, by using the entire auto industry as one plant, it would be possible within six months to produce an all-metal, single-motor pursuit plane at the rate of 500 a day. Under Reuther's sensational program the planes not only would incorporate all the latest developments of Britain's famous Spitfires but would cost only one-third their present price.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of The National Bank of Gatesville, of Gatesville, Texas will be held in its bank building in the city of Gatesville, on the second Tuesday in January, 1941, the same being the 14th day of said month, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

DAWSON COOPER, Cashier.
1-3-5-7

Finland had one of its best potato crops this season.

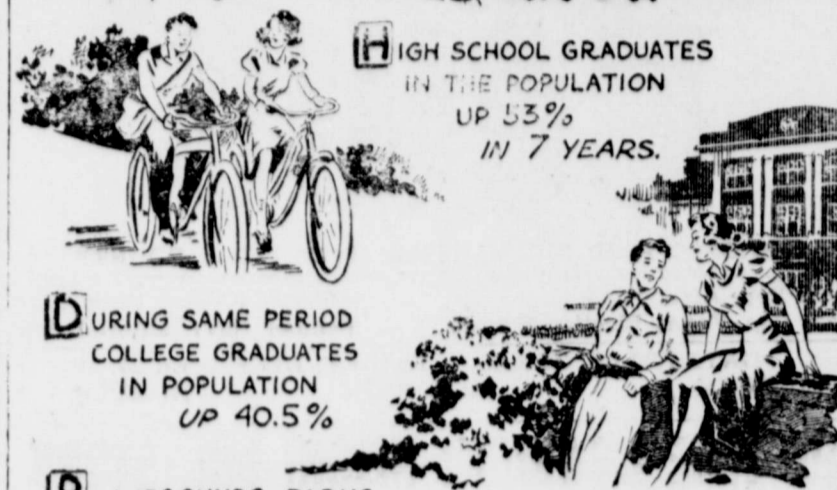
OUR DEMOCRACY——by Mat

1941 — AND U.S. YOUTH

FREE SCHOOLING
FOR CHILDREN
MOST WIDESPREAD
IN THE WORLD.

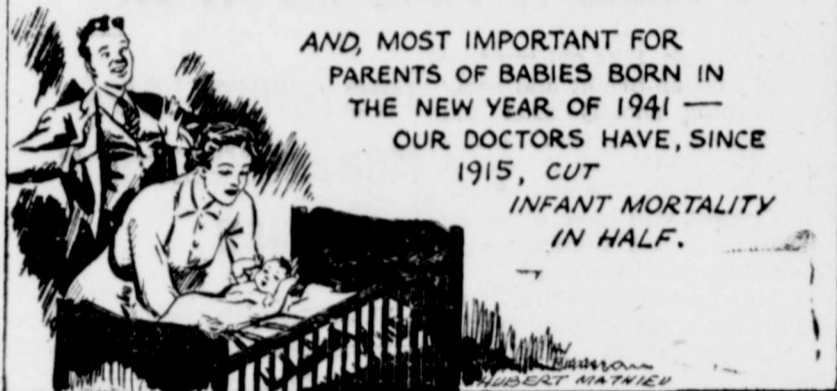


HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES
IN THE POPULATION
UP 53%
IN 7 YEARS.



DURING SAME PERIOD
COLLEGE GRADUATES
IN POPULATION
UP 40.5%

PAYGROUNDS, PARKS
AND RECREATION CENTERS INCREASING.



AND, MOST IMPORTANT FOR
PARENTS OF BABIES BORN IN
THE NEW YEAR OF 1941 —
OUR DOCTORS HAVE, SINCE
1915, CUT
INFANT MORTALITY
IN HALF.

You see, it is by hearing all sides, by... that is proposed that you and I are able to go on living in a democracy, governing ourselves, enjoying the fruits of our own labor, making progress.

Just Plain Guts

By NORMAN CHANDLER

Chairman,
Newspaper Publishers Committee



NORMAN CHANDLER

THIS earth is crowded with cowards. And if you'll pardon the inelegance of the headline above, I would like to say that, to my way of thinking, "guts" is the thing which distinguishes a hundred million or so of us in America from the rest of the world.

I know we have courage. We are softhearted to a fault. We are emotional and easily excited. We make our share of foolish mistakes. But way down underneath all these surface faults is something we call the "pioneer spirit." It is the heritage of a young country.



Those of us whose ancestors came over on the Mayflower and those who came as refugees only last week will know what I mean. In our very blood is the belief that tomorrow can be brighter than today.

Furthermore, in our hearts there is the resolve to make tomorrow brighter. That is where the courage comes in.

Did you ever think how much courage it takes to let another man speak his mind? His ideas may sound wrong to you; his proposals and his actions may make you angry or resentful. But the sheer courage to say "speak—speak freely, and go in peace" is a brand of bravery that no dictator can boast. Only a citizen in a democracy can "take it straight."

No sword-rattling head of a totalitarian state dares to let his subjects face the truth, know the facts. And so, by muzzling the press, by letting the public hear only what he thinks is good for it to know, he keeps his power.

Here, in America, we demand the right to know the worst. We still have the guts to face the bitter along with the sweet. For example, when we discover, through the news, that we are poorly armed, badly prepared, unready to defend ourselves, we face that problem and set about to correct the weakness. And any other problems can safely be brought to light in the newspapers of America.

That is part of what makes this country great—a sense of responsibility which every citizen shares because he knows.

And if you really want a fight on your hands, just try to deprive these citizens of their right to all the news. The publishers won't have to lead the charge. There'll be a hundred million with their war clubs out. That hundred million knows why it is in



America. It's here because, for three centuries, men and women with the courage to face the duties of free men have been coming to this land where the humblest citizen sits in the councils with the proudest.

The right to have the kind of news you get in your papers is your right. The obligation to go on bringing it to you is the obligation of the newspaper publishers—an obligation you are not likely to let us forget.

NOTE: The purpose of these regular weekly institutional advertisements is to make American life and American business better. Your suggestions, criticisms or reactions will be appreciated by the Newspaper Publishers Committee and its chairman. Address the committee in care of the Business Office of this paper.

S'MATTER POP—Soldiers Have to Think Quick

By C. M. PAYNE



TEXAS PRODUCTS USED IN CAMERON TALKING HOME

Ideal Built-In Specialties and Ideal standardized Milled wood-work have been used throughout in the construction of the "Cameron Talking Home" in the Highland Addition to the city of Gatesville, which will be open for public inspection Saturday and Sunday afternoons, January 4 and 5.

WE HAIL THE WINNER AND



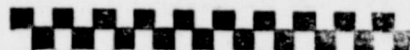
We'll Feed The Entire Family With a

"CELEBRATION"

Dinner for the 1941 Stork Derby Baby

COZY CAFE

Bill Ament



WHEN YOUR GRAIN is ground, mixed and properly balanced with a proven egg-making concentrate like Purina Chowder, you have the "makings" of a real egg-producing feed. Let us turn your grain into just such a dependable egg mash through our Approved Purina Custom Grinding and Mixing Service.

Our Formulas are Purina-Approved and we follow their specifications accurately in making up balanced laying rashes. Bring in your grain—we'll do the rest!



G. P. Schaub Grain & Milling Co.
Across From Ice Plant

These building materials are manufactured by Ideal Company in Waco in the largest woodwork manufacturing plant in the Southwest. Ideal building products are famous throughout the South for their quality of raw materials and workmanship, economy in use, long life, and the beauty modernness of their architectural styling. The well known and widely advertised oval Ideal trade mark is widely accepted by home builders as the identification of building materials of high quality that are certain to please the most critical.

The Ideal building products incorporated into the "Cameron Talking Home" include several built-in cabinets, interior and exterior doors, screens, interior trim, and windows.

The "Cameron Talking Home" was built for Mr. and Mrs. George A. Manning of Gatesville. Mrs. Manning personally selected some of the Ideal Products which were used in this beautiful home. She particularly liked the swivel-type Ideal built-in ironing board which was installed in the kitchen. The board itself swings in a half circle of the swivel and may be securely locked in any desired position within this half circle. This new-type board has become quite popular since it was introduced last winter. It is especially suitable in a location where it is necessary to wing the board to the right or left to get the proper lighting on the work or where space is limited. It has a fireproof iron rest on the board itself and a fireproof metal storage shelf for the iron inside the bottom of the door. It also has a sleeve board, which remains up out of the way when not in use. It has French chromium-plated hinges and cadmium-plated sleeve board supports.

In the bathroom is a Venetian-type all-mirror-front Ideal Built-In Medicine Cabinet. This is another modern new Ideal product, which was first put on the market last winter. The mirror is of fine quality crystal sheet glass and is copper-sealed on the back. Inside the all-wood cabinet are two bulb edge glass shelves, which are adjustable to four convenient positions. The bulb-edge greatly reduces the likelihood of anything sliding off the edge of the shelf. The mirror itself is decorated with an artistic etched design and is mounted on the cabinet door by three screws, which are protected by felt-padded ornamental washers. The door catch is on the inside, so that from the front of this medicine cabinet only the mirror is visible.

In the hall is another new Ideal product, telephone cabinet style W-940. This cabinet was designed for use with the new-type French telephone with the bell built into its base. All of these cabinets are built of best selected Western Ponderosa Pine, and the exposed surfaces are machine sanded to a silken-smooth finish so that the finest decorative finishes may be obtained. Each complete cabinet is securely packed in a moisture proof carton to protect it from damage in shipping or handling.

All of the windows in the Manning home are Ideal Pre-Fit Windows. These windows are wood-preserved treated by the most modern, approved method, includ-

ing automatic control of the immersion time. This preservative treatment protects the windows against decay and minimizes water absorption, shrinkage, and swelling. It also reduces the amount of paint primer required. This Ideal preservative method is approved by the National Door Manufacturers Association and each sash bears the official stamp of approval. This seal has been officially recognized by the Federal Housing Administration as a consideration of added protection.

Another important feature of these windows is the Ideal "Glass-Bedded-In-Putty" method of glazing. This assures an absolutely tight putty joint seal. The front, back and edge of the glass are completely incased in putty in the putting area. Before the glass is put into place in the sash, a row of putty of special consistency is applied with a gun to the glass rabbet. The glass is pressed into place and fuses with the putty. When the glaziers finish up the job, the puttying is air and water

tight. Ideal Window Screens are used throughout the home. They are preservative treated in the same manner as the windows. The Ideal method of construction includes the liberal use of long, heavy hardwood dowels to prevent sagging. Interior and exterior Ideal Doors are also used. In these doors, too, the famous Ideal hardwood dowel joint construction gives added strength and durability. All interior trim is Ideal Type "A" and Ideal 3-member base.

FREE INSPECTION

FREE INSPECTION

Be Sure To Visit This Marvelous CAMERON TALKING HOME

Saturday and Sunday, January 4th and 5th — 1 to 9 P.M.

You'll be amazed at the really astonishing improvements that have recently been made in modern homes. Drive out to **HIGHLAND ADDITION** in the west edge of Gatesville on **Highway No. 84** and see many of these home innovations in the **CAMERON TALKING HOME**. Hear this home talk for itself. As you go through this grand little home, each room speaks out and tells you

just how that part of the home is built, describes the fine materials, the mastercraft workmanship, and the smart styling, and tells how easily you can have a similar home built for you without the slightest trouble or worry on your part. Really, this **CAMERON TALKING HOME** is something new and different that has never before been demonstrated in this part of the country. Don't miss it. It's open to the public free for these two days only.

HOME IMPROVEMENT MIRACLES

The last ten years have witnessed more important improvements in home construction, built-in conveniences, and colorful styling for homes than in any other American product. You can have a better, more useful, and more beautiful home for your money today than at any time in the past.

But your home must be designed and constructed for your locally. Really good homes seldom can be bought ready-made like refrigerators and automobiles. That is why it is so very important that you select a building material dealer who has been trained in giving customers these new developments in home designing and materials at the lowest possible cost. Cameron's 72 years of satisfied, REPEAT customers is mighty good evidence of the kind of homes Cameron builds.

YOUR OWN DREAM HOME

You can have your dream home now—and at a very reasonable cost. Homes today are easy to buy the new Cameron Way. Without obligation to you, your Cameron Man will gladly show you how easy home ownership can be for you. He will work out with you the plans of your own DREAM HOME. You can have your own home for little more—perhaps even less—per month than you pay for rent. Don't miss seeing this **CAMERON TALKING HOME**. It speaks for itself.

HOW TO GET THERE

Drive out Highway No. 84 west from the Gatesville Public Square. Cross beautiful Leon River at the edge of town, drive up the hill, and turn left into Highland Addition, high above and overlooking the city.

You, Too, Can Have These Extra Values Of The Cameron Talking Home

At No Extra Cost

In Your Own Cameron Built Home

1. Concrete foundation that goes below the frost line and is securely anchored on solid rock.
2. Cameron floor joist construction that prevents shaky floors.
3. Sub-floors overlaid with felt under the finish floors. This prevents squeaky floors and makes them air-tight, keeping out cold air and lowering the cost of winter heating.
4. Ceilings that don't sag, because we use the correct size and number of ceiling joists.
5. Roofs thoroughly braced in the attic to keep them properly lined up.
6. Best Red Cedar Shingles, applied with galvanized nails to prevent rust.
7. IDEAL Toxic-Treated Windows, which resist swelling and shrinking, insect attack, and decay.
8. IDEAL precision-made doors, built-in cabinets, and other woodwork manufactured in the Southwest's largest and most efficient millwork plant.
9. Ample, built-in, large closets and storage space.
10. Convenient gas connections and electric base receptacles located where experience and home surveys have indicated they are most needed.
11. Beautifully finished No. 1 Oak hardwood floors.
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ANNIE RUTH WITT
News Society Editor

NEWS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1940

**CEREMONY UNITES
BETTY HOBIN,
O. CLAWSON JR.**

Miss Betty Hobin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hobin of Turnersville, and Oran Clawson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Clawson Sr. of Flat, were united in marriage in a ceremony performed in the Presbyterian Church of Turnersville Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. The Rev. Edward S. Bayless officiated at the single ring ceremony before an altar of palms, ferns and poinsettias.

The bride wore a beautiful egg-shell brocaded satin gown, styled with a voluminous skirt, leg-of-mutton sleeves, and a sweetheart neckline. Her hip-length veil of illusion was attached to a coronet of sweetheart roses. She carried an arm bouquet of sweetheart roses.

Miss Wilma Harrell played the traditional wedding marches, and accompanied Miss Ruth Davis, who sang, "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life".

Following the ceremony, an informal reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was centered with a beautiful Christmas scene, and at one end was the wedding cake surrounded by white tapers and at the opposite end was the tea service. Presiding at the tea service was Miss Wilma Harrell and serving was Miss Gunella Knudson. Miss Ruth Davis presided over the Bride's Book.

When the couple left for a short honeymoon trip to New Orleans, the bride was wearing a wine costume suit with brown accessories.

Mrs. Clawson graduated from Turnersville High School and attended John Tarleton College in Stephenville. Mr. Clawson is a graduate of Flat High School, and attended Baylor University in Waco and Southwest State Teachers' College in San Marcos.

The couple will make their home in Flat where the bridegroom is in business.

**Oyster Supper Given
For Bank Personnel**

The annual Christmas affair for the officers, employees, and directors of the National Bank of Gatesville and their invited guests was held Monday evening at the Cozy Cafe and took the form of an oyster supper.

Attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Cooper, Miss Joyce Baker, Cam McGilvray, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kendrick, Miss Anita Lowrey, Jack Straw, Dick Anderson, Bailey Curry, Miss Minnie Lou Witt, Mrs. Ernestine White, Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Arnold, Bobby Arnold III, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Leaird, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Caruth Sr., Miss Ruth Powell, and R. E. Powell.

**Open House To Be Held
By Morris Federation**

The tea room of the Home Economics Department of the high school will be the scene of the Morris Federation open house Tuesday, December 31, at 2:45 o'clock. This is an annual affair to which members and guests look forward with pleasure.

Miss Sara Lowrey, head of the Speech Department at Baylor University, will be the guest artist on this occasion, at which over one hundred guests are expected to attend.

**David Franks Weds
Wichita Falls Girl**

In a quiet ceremony performed in the First Christian Church in Wichita Falls Tuesday, December 24, at 12 o'clock noon, Miss Jewel Lewis became the bride of David Franks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Franks of Gatesville.

The bride was graduated from Wichita Falls Junior College, and the bridegroom attended Baylor University.

After a short honeymoon trip, the couple will make their home in Wichita Falls, where Mr. Franks is employed in the City National Bank.

**Miss Madion and Virgil
Copeland Entertain**

A formal dance was the fete tendered members of the high school and college sets by Madion and Virgil Copeland when they entertained at Tippit's Skating Rink Monday evening of this week from 8 to 12 o'clock. In all decor-

ations the Christmas motif prevailed.

Candy and apples from the Christmas trees were passed to approximately 75 guests, who were in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. George Galloway of Alice spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Voss and other relatives. Mrs. Galloway remained for a longer visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Price Bauman and daughters and Miss Wilhelmina Cayce spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. W. A. Lengefeld and son, Chris, of Huntsville are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Byrom.

Mrs. W. W. Cayce is a guest of relatives in Fort Worth.

Miss Jerry Franks of Waco, Miss Cora Lee Franks of San Saba and Mrs. Hartley Franks of Brooklyn, New York were holiday guests of Mrs. Gaines Franks.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Price of Ewing community this week are, Sergeant and Mrs. Reb Caldwell and daughter, Bobbie, and Will Caldwell, all of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Sergeant Caldwell is a former Coryell County resident, and has been stationed at Fort Warren for the past 11 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haney of Kamay visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl McCurry and other relatives and friends here during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baldrige of Austin and Miss Mildred Gandy, who attends NTSTC in Denton, were guests of Mayor and Mrs. C. E. Gandy during the Christmas holidays. Mildred will remain until the first part of next week.

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Pearl Dragons Take Brackenridge at San Antonio, 31st

Peck Tharp's basketball tossers make a New Year's Eve jaunt to San Antonio where they'll show (they and we hope) Red Forehand's Brackenridge Hi boys how the game is played in Coryell county.

All the teams of the county are throwing the spheroid around, but are keeping it quite. Virgil Jones of Turnersville says they've been winning regularly, and should send in some of the best games, because they might meet some rougher competition and start losing.

Let's have a card on each game, coaches. It'd take 50 sports writers to cover every basketball game in the county during the season.

Jonesboro Twins Take West 40 to 10

Jonesboro's twins, Saturday nite took West High School basketeers into camp by the runaway score of 40-10.

The West aggregation was "Boxed" up all night, with Boyce Box hitting the loop for 16 points and his twin "C", hitting the hoop for a total of 14.

Jonesboro boys, besides the Boxes, played a jam up game and looks like now, this team is going to extend somebody in the county to take them.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McLarty during the Christmas holidays were, Mr. and Mrs. Seth McLarty of Menard. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whisenhunt in the Plainview community.

Kenneth Hedgepeth of College Station is spending the holiday season with friends and relatives here.

Misses Virginia and Lowrey Burleson are holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Burleson. Virginia attends Baylor university and Lowrey is a student at Texas university.

Personals

Rev. and Mrs. George Pearce Jr. of Shreveport, La., visited Mrs. Pierce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCoy, during Christmas.

Mrs. H. H. Hardin of Austin was a Christmas visitor with friends here.

Miss Dorothy Ayres of Austin was a visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres, over the holidays.

James Marion Hair, a student at SHSTC in Huntsville, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bird Hair.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Biffle and son, Kent, spent Christmas Day with relatives in Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lengfeld and daughters of Hamilton visited relatives here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jenson and daughter, Diane of Houston spent the holidays with relatives at Moshiem and friends in this city.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CORYELL.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coryell County:

GREETING:

You are hereby commanded that you summons, Timothy Dwyer, Elbina Dwyer, P. W. Blackwell, J. R. Saunders, Joel Blackwell, Sarah E. Blackwell, John M. Blackwell, George Grant Blackwell, Amos J. Blackwell, Peter Willis Blackwell, Mary Ann Blackwell, William Newton Blackwell, Benjamin David Blackwell, Alexander J. Blackwell, Lidda Ellen Blackwell, Martha Jane Everett, Jesse S. Everett, Thomas Mitchell, David Mitchell, C. S. Thomas Sr., Mrs. S. E. Thomas, M. A. Mitchell, L. F. Mitchell, Mary Ann Mitchell, W. W. Blackwell, Will Blackwell, Ed Blackwell, Mrs. Ed Blackwell, G. W. Blackwell, M. A. Blackwell, and if said persons or any of said persons be deceased persons, then the unknown heirs and legal representatives of said above named persons as deceased persons, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term thereof of the District Court of Coryell County, Texas to be holden at the Court house thereof in Gatesville, on the Second Monday in January A. D. 1941, the same being the 13th day of January, and then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of December A. D. 1940 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4939, Wherein Isabella Edwards, joined by her husband M. H. Edwards, Dan Dwyer, John Dwyer, Ellen Elms and husband Edwin M. Elms, Bob Dwyer, M. S. Dwyer, and Will Dwyer are plaintiffs and the above named parties you are commanded to summons, and Jennie Blackwell are defendants. Said petition alleging that on the 1st day of November A. D. 1940 the plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises in fee simple, to wit:

All those certain tracts or parcels of land lying and being situated in Coryell County, Texas and described as follows: to wit:

FIRST TRACT: 160 Acres of land in Coryell County, Texas Patented to Timothy Dwyer. SECOND TRACT: 80 Acres of land in Coryell County, Texas Patented to Jno. Dolan. THIRD TRACT: 80 Acres of land out of the John H. Horton Survey, described as follows: Beginning at the S W Corner of said Survey; Thence N 19 E 445 vrs. to the S W Corner of tract sold W. H. Scheide; Thence East with the South line of Scheide tract to the S E Corner of same; Thence S 19 W 576 vrs. to the S. E. Corner of same; Thence N 71 W 950 vrs. to the place of beginning. Containing 80 Acres of land more or less. FOURTH TRACT: 119 Acres of land out of the C. S. Thomas Survey in Coryell County, Texas. Beginning at the N E Corner of the C. S. Thomas Survey; Thence S 19 W 950 vrs. to the S E Corner of same; Thence N 71 W

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of said Court in the City of Gatesville, This the 9th day of December A. D. 1940.
(Seal) CARL MCCLENDON
Clerk of the District Court,
Coryell County, Texas.
103-1-3-5-tc

Plaintiffs allege that on the day and year last aforesaid the defendants ejected plaintiffs therefrom to their damage in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, and that the reasonable rental value of said land is Five Hundred dollars. That the deed from C. S. Thomas to P. W. Blackwell covering a part of the C. S. Thomas Survey was recorded thru error and was never delivered and should be cancelled. That the plaintiffs have had and held land in fee simple under deeds duly recorded, and that said land was enclosed by fence and that plaintiffs have been cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes thereon and have had the same in open, visible, peaceable, adverse, notorious, actual, exclusive, continuous and uninterrupted possession, for more than twenty five years and claims said land as against the claims of defendants under the Three, Five, Ten and twenty five year statutes of limitation and prays for citation for all of defendants, and by publication as against the unknown defendants, and for title and possession said land on final hearing hereof.

Herein fail not but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: Carl McClendon, Clerk of the District Court of Coryell County, Texas.
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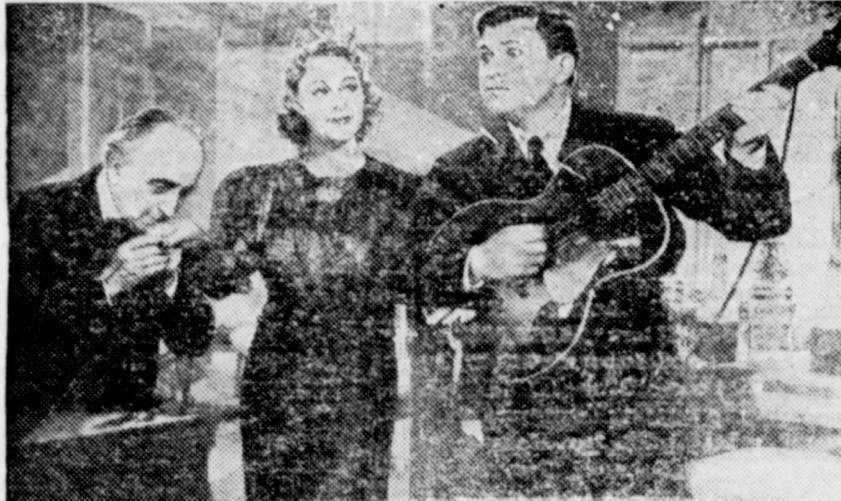
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When Elsa Terry, famed opera singer, announces that she does not intend to fulfill her contract to open the opera season in Buenos Aires, Jim Guthrie, one of the sponsors of the opera company, comes to New York to persuade her. All of his efforts to meet and talk with Elsa are frustrated by her aunt, Madame Della, a retired Wagnerian star, who rules Elsa with a firm hand. Jim rents the apartment across the hall from Elsa and when Rene Ginard of the Paris Musical News comes to interview her, he sidetracks Ginard into his apartment and goes to the Terry apartment himself, posing as the French newspaperman.

Now Go on With the Story
Chapter Two

Jim smiled timidly at Elsa, who looked charming in a youthful gown. "Ah — Mademoiselle Terry," he said.
Elsa stared at him and for a moment there was a look of bewilderment in her eyes. She quickly stifled it, however, and a slight smile lurked at the corners of her mouth.
"You are — Monsieur Ginard?" she asked.
Jim took her outstretched hand and kissed it. "Oui," he said. "It is a pleasure to meet the great Elsa



Terry."
Elsa's eyes twinkled with amusement and then she launched into a torrent of French. "I have the greatest respect for your musical reputation," Elsa said in French. "That is why, though I never grant interviews, I consented to see you."
Jim tried to hide his confusion. "We will speak English — yes?" he said. "It will be more easy for you."
Elsa went right on with her French. "On the contrary," she insisted, "French is every bit as easy to me as English — and I want you to feel perfectly at ease."
Jim frowned and spoke severely. "We will speak English," he announced. Then he smiled. "Me — I need the practice. We commence the interview — yes?" He pulled a notebook and pencil from his pocket but before he could think of a question Elsa was off again.
"How is dear Marcel?" she asked. "What about his new symphony?"
Jim looked distressed. "He is right in the middle," he said. "Now about you —"
"In the middle? But that's impossible," Elsa interrupted. "He was finishing it last year when I was in Paris."
"That is right," Jim agreed hastily. "He finished it last year. But he skip the middle. Now he go back."
"And Madame Lisle — how is her voice?" Elsa asked.
Jim kissed the tips of his fingers. "She sing like a lark," he said. "Now —"
"Why, I heard she had lost her voice," Elsa protested.
Jim shook his head impatiently. "She lose it — it come back — she lose it again — it come back" he explained impatiently. Then he handed the book and pencil to Elsa. "Maybe you should have these," he said. Elsa laughed delightedly.
"Now we commence," Jim said. "You are married — no?"
Elsa shook her head. "No."
"Why you are not married?" Jim demanded.
"Nobody's asked me."
"Pouf!" Jim waved this explanation away. "You are beautiful, you are young, you are rich." Jim wrote in his notebook and read aloud as he wrote: "She is not happy. She is afraid of love."
Elsa smiled at Jim. "Couldn't we stick more closely to music?" she asked.
"Mais oui," Jim replied. "You sing in Paris next month?"
Elsa nodded. "And when do you

leave for Buenos Aires?" he continued.
"Buenos Aires?" Elsa asked. "I'm not going there. That was called off."
At that moment the maid ushered a photographer into the room. "I'm a photographer for Mr. Ginard," he explained. Jim turned to him and the photographer looked at him in surprise. "Hey!" he said, "you're not Mr. Ginard."
"Would you mind waiting in the next room?" Elsa said hastily. When he withdrew she turned to Jim. "Well?" she demanded.
"I — I'm Jim Guthrie," he explained. "I had to meet you."
"Would you mind telling me where you're concealing the real Ginard?" Elsa continued with mock severity.
"He — he's in my apartment across the hall," Jim said.
Elsa started for the door. "Then we mustn't keep him waiting," she said.
In Jim's apartment she greeted the real Ginard effusively. "How is your charming wife?" she asked. "And the little boy?" Jim took them to the bar and while Pancho mixed drinks they listened to Elsa's reminiscences of opera. It had become a jolly threesome when the door was suddenly opened and Madella scowled at them.
"Elsa!" she thundered. Jim turned quickly and crossed to her.
"It can't be!" he said unbelievably. "It can't be — but it is! It is Madame Della. How long I've waited for this moment." He took her by the arm "Come," he said, "I've something to show you."

He piloted her to a small adjoining room. "If my father were only alive for this moment," he said as he threw open the door to the room, "Look!"
Madella looked at a room whose walls were covered with portraits of herself in various operatic roles. "Where did you get these?" Madella demanded.
"They belonged to my father," Jim said reverently. "His name was John Guthrie."
"Never heard of him," Madella said.
Jim looked at her, shocked. "Madame Della — you've forgotten. And he died with your name on his lips."
Madella looked at him severely. "Young man," she said, "don't try to hoodwink me. I didn't know your father."
"Buenos Aires," Jim prompted her. "You sang 'Carmen' — after the opera he met you. You danced — you dined — and then —"
There were vague stirrings in Madella's memory. "Oh, was his name Guthrie?"
Jim sighed. "I wish you'd heard my father speak of you," he continued. "Your fire — your golden tones — how, when he met you for the first time, he couldn't even speak."
Madella was lost in dreams. "If he's the one I'm thinking of," she said, "he didn't have to speak. He took me out on a picnic — way out in the country. Funny, though, I can't remember his name being Guthrie." Madella sighed. "Oh, well, I've got to be getting back to Rudi — that husband of mine. Young man, I wish you hadn't reminded me of your father."
Elsa, her interview with Ginard finished, joined them. Madella slipped her arm through Elsa's. "I like this young man," she said. "We must have him for tea. I knew his father — slightly."
As they were leaving Elsa exchanged conspiratorial winks with Jim. Jim closed the door and leaned against it, exhausted. Pancho waved his arm at Madella's pictures on the wall. "Do you need these any more?" he asked.
Jim grinned. "Send them back," he said. "And may my poor innocent father, who never has set foot out of Minneapolis, forgive me."
(To be continued.)

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Dan Thompson of Gatesville visited with his Grannie Vernon a while Sunday.

Gordon Neely spent one night last week with Troy Whitley of Hurst Springs.

Mr. Frank James and family have moved from our community to Coryell Valley. Mr. James is seriously ill in a Waco Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Dunn and baby of Amarillo were here last week to attend the funeral of P. K. Dunn.

Mrs. W. W. Brown and baby returned to their home at San Saba last week after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and daughters, Misses Loraine and Oleta, and Miss Beulah Fay Galloway of Coryell City visited in the home of Grandmother Neely Sunday evening.

Buster

Miss Ruth Williams, Corrs.

We are having some mighty pretty sunny weather.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bellamy and daughters and Mrs. C. L. Bellamy of Gatesville visited Mrs. Luia Touchstone Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Trudie Allen and Mackie Bill of Grand Prairie are spending the holidays with relatives here.

Miss Myra Ana Humes of Prairie View spent Friday night with Miss Ruth Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Duty of Moshem spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin.

Miss Voncell Martin visited Bonnie Crawford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Clyde Cook spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Harold Cook of White Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams and Shirley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buel Berry of Hood Springs.

Bob Williams spent Sunday nite with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wallace and family are visiting in Marlin with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone and Miss Ruth Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Foy Wicker of Gatesville Saturday night.

Miss Madeline Wheeler of Waco is spending the holidays with home folks.

visited with relatives and friends recently.

Mrs. Lettie Graham called on her mother, Mrs. Hinsley, a few

days ago.

Mrs. Marvin Newsom is still very ill. We hope she will soon be well again.

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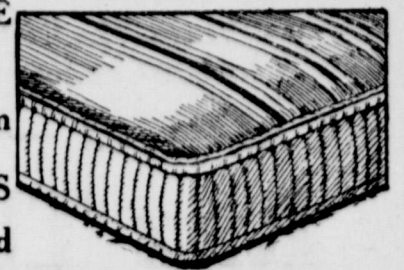
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ESTATE OF MRS. SAVANNAH WILLS, deceased, No. 2280

J. L. Franks, Executor: NOTICE TO CREDITORS of the Estate of Mrs. Savannah Wills, deceased:

Notice is hereby given that original letters appointing me Independent Executor of the Estate of Mrs. Savannah Wills, deceased, were granted me, the undersigned, on the 11th day of December A. D. 1940, by the county court in and for Coryell County, Texas.

ALL PERSONS having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to be within the time prescribed by law.

My residence and post office address are, Stephenville Star Route, Stephenville, Texas.

J. L. FRANKS Independent Executor of the Estate of Mrs. Savannah Wills, Deceased. 103-1-3

Carden

Billie Malone is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Malone, and other relatives.

Weldon Lipsey of Brownwood spent the week end with his family, and was a dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lipsey.

Mrs. I. Y. Sims and daughter, Nathlee, is spending this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Toby Sims and little son of Houston.

The Christmas tree at Live Oak Church was very beautiful, and old Santa was very jolly and surely entertaining to the little folks. Miss Wanda Lipsey of Gatesville visited relatives at Carden last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd King and family of Plainview visited Mrs. King's parents last Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Powell of Houston visited Mr. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Powell, recently.

Mrs. Den Lemons has returned to her home in Lubock after a few days' visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carroll of Purmela spent the day last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lipsey.

Mr. T. B. Sheridan is on the sick list this week.

Doris Louise Newsom has been confined to her bed with the flu. Mr. A. L. Mann of Port Arthur



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Church Services

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible study 10 a. m.
Morning Service 11 a. m.
Communion Service 11:50
Evening Service 7:45 p. m.
Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class 3 p. m.
Every Wednesday service, 7:45 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
C. M. Spalding, pastor
S. L. Bellamy, Sunday School Superintendent
Mrs. Ola Mae Parks, organist
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
B. T. U. 6:15 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.
Officers' and Teachers' Meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
Choir Practice, Wednesday, 8:45 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible study, 10 a. m.
Communion Services, 10:45 a. m.
Preaching each second and 4th Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by the Rev. C. C. Klingman.

BAPTIST CHURCH TO OBSERVE STUDENT NIGHT

On next Sunday evening, December 29, the First Baptist Church will be entirely in charge of the returned college students and our senior high school students. A copy of the program follows:
THEME: CONQUER WITH CHRIST
Prelude, O Come All Ye Faithful—Anonymous.
Solo, Near to the Heart of God—McAfee.
Hymn, No. 70. In the Cross of Christ—Conkey.
Invocation.
Scripture—Ruth 1
Offertory.
Piano Solo, Hungarian Rhapsody Number 11—Liszt.
Interview with Senior High Students by presiding officer.
Hymn No. 143, Close to Thee—Vail.

An open Letter to Students
Response by Students:
"My Most Important Decisions at College".
"Better Opportunities in College Life Today."
Pastor's Message—"Wise Investments for College Youth".
Pause for Power.
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"Carry Christmas into the New Year" is the subject of the sermon Sunday morning at First Presbyterian Church, Gatesville. The pastor will preach. Subject of the evening (five o'clock, vesper) sermon is "Travelling a Different Road."
Sunday School begins at 9:45.

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Morning Worship starts at 11:00, and Vespers at five o'clock.

UNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Ed. Bayless, pastor, will preach at Unity Presbyterian Church, Turnersville, Sunday night. Worship begins at 7:00 o'clock with a song service under the direction of Everette Williams.

Sunday School, in charge of John Hobin, superintendent, begins at 10:00 a. m. There will be no preaching at the morning hour, but as is customary on fifth Sundays, the pastor will be present for the evening hour.

The entire community is invited to be present for this last church service of the Old Year.

THE METHODIST

A. R. Corn, P. C.
Ireland—10:00 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 a. m. Morning worship, subject "Phrophetical Sign-Posts to the Coming of the Christ".
7:00 p. m. Worship Service, Subject, "Our Blue-prints for the New Year."

We are giving Ireland the fifth Sunday this month. Ireland's regular time is the Second Sunday of the month.

THE HIGHWAY OF PROPHECY OF THE COMING CHRIST

God the Father wanted the world to know that His Son was coming into human flesh, that he might manifest the Father, and that He might have a body to sacrifice for the sins of the world. In order that man might know the Messiah when he did arrive the Father sat up signposts down through the ages, so that we could be sure that he is the real Christ. The signs are as follows: 1. His humanity and His miraculous Virgin Birth was designated in the "seed of the woman". (Gen. 3:15).

2. His nationality was designated in being through "Shem" Noah's son, and Abraham, both of the Shemetic race. (Gen. 9:12,26; 22:18).

3. The tribe designated, "Judah", "The scepter shall not depart from Judah, nor a law giver from between his feet, until Shilo come; and unto him shall the gathering of the people be." (Gen. 49:10).

4. His Deity declared. "For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder; and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace." (Isa. 9:6). You will notice the child was born but the Son was given. The Son given was the everlasting God, the deity, See Heb. 10:5,10.

5. His miraculos Virgin Birth fortold again. "Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold a Virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel". Which is God with us" or God in human flesh. (Isa. 7:14).

6. God designated even the town in which He is to be born. "But thou Bethlehem Ephrata, thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel: Whose going forth have been from old, from everlasting." (Micah 5:2). One born in any other Bethlehem would not be the Christ. There were three Bethlehems in Palestine. Bethlehem, means 'house of bread'. Christ called himself the "Bread of life". It is the city of David and his father Jessie.

7. God even picks out the Virgin Mary through whom the Messiah is to come, and sends his angel to tell her of the choice, and the conception of the Holy Ghost, and birth. Joseph the espoused husband is also notified of the coming Christ and receives the God given name "Jesus". (Mt. 1:18-23). God does all things well so that no one need not be mistaken as to who is the Messiah, the savior of the world. God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on him should not perish but have everlasting life". (John 3:16).

Mrs. Minnie Battle is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle Jr. in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCoy, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Pearce Jr. of Shreveport, La. spent Christmas Day with relatives in Waxahachie.

Mr. and Mrs. Huron McCoy of Dallas returned to their home Thursday after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Burleson of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stewart during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Embry and baby of Brady were holiday guests of Mrs. Embry's mother, Mrs. Homer Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner and daughter of Waco, Herbert Turner of Bartlett and Loraine Turner of the University of Texas in Austin were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Turner.

Mrs. Lena Carroll of Waco and Mrs. Addye Taylor of Ater spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Webb of Waco and Mrs. Kate Dunn of Fort Worth spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gray, who have been visiting in the Cook home, left Thursday morning for their home in Homer, La.

Clifton Whittington and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hand of Brownwood were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wallace Christmas Day.

O. W. Wade of Huntsville is a guest of C. H. Wallace Jr. and Miss Gladys Marie Phillips.

George Daniels of Fort Worth is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chick McCallister and son, Gene Baker, spent the holiday with Mrs. McCallister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor in Hamilton.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Culberson during the Christmas holidays were, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Smith and sons of Honey Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler B. Schley and daughter, Jerry, of Kilgore, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Culberson and daughter of Marlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hallonquist and daughter, Marianna, of Houston are visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hix and daughter of Overton are guests of W. T. Hix and Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Hix.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Petty and daughter, Louise, of Waco spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Petty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Franks of Fort Worth have been visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Lenola Lary and sons, Charles and Gene, of Dallas are visiting Mrs. Lary's mother, Mrs. Lenna Rubarth.

Mrs. A. L. Welch of Longview visited here Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Curry spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlyle visited their daughters in Dallas during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hammack of Dallas have been visiting his mother, Mrs. W. W. Hammack, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brown had as their guests during Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Bentley of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McCollum of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Durward Findley of Waco.

Bob Thomas of Brownwood was a guest of his mother, Mrs. R. Thomas, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Ligon and baby son of Llano were guests of Mrs. Ruth Carlton and son, Tommy Lee, during Christmas.

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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chamlee and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ward Christmas Day were, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woolverton, Mr. and Mrs. Shuley Terry, all of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. James and children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Latham of Houston.

Miss Verneal Wiegand, who is attending 4-C college in Waco, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wiegand.

Guests of Mrs. John T. Post are, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Taylor and son, Tommy, of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Post and daughter, Evelyn, and son, Kirby, of Tyler.