

A Flock Of Kermits, But The Winner: John Kermit Derrick '41

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Highlights Of F.D.R. "State of Union" Speech

Washington, Jan. 6 (AP)—Here are some salient statements from President Roosevelt's message to Congress.

At no previous time has American security been as seriously threatened from without as it is today.

Every realist knows that the Democratic way of life is at this moment being directly assailed in every part of the world—assailed either by arms, or by secret spreading of poisonous propaganda.

In times like these it is immature—and incidentally untrue—for anybody to brag that an unprepared America singlehanded, and with one hand tied behind its back, can hold off the whole world.

No realistic American can expect from a dictator's peace international generosity, or return of true independence, or world disarmament, or freedom of expression, or freedom of religion—or even good business.

We must always be wary of those who with sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal preach the "ism" of appeasement. We must especially beware of that small group of selfish men who would clip the wings of the American eagle in order to feather their own nests.

The immediate need is a swift and driving increase in our armament production. I am not satisfied with the progress thus far made.

The happiness of future generations of Americans may well depend upon how effective and how immediate we can make our aid (to nations opposing aggressors) felt.

We must all prepare to make the sacrifices that the emergency—as serious as war itself—demands. Whatever stands in the way of speed and efficiency in defense preparations must give way to the national need.

This is no time to stop thinking about the social and economic problems which are the root cause of the social revolution which is today a surpeme factor in the world.

No person should try, or be allowed to—(Continued on last page)

Markets

As of January 9

Corn, ear	50c
Corn, shelled	55c
Cottonseed, ton	\$28
Cream, No. 1	25c
Cream, No. 2	20c
Oats, sacked	34c
Oats, loose	32c
Eggs	17c
Fryers	12c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	8c
Hens, heavy	10c

F.D.R.'S Budget In Outline: And This Ain't All

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—President Roosevelt took 1,071 closely printed pages to give Congress all the details of his "total defense" budget, but here are its essentials in a nutshell:

Spending — \$17,485,528,049 in fiscal year beginning July 1; \$13,202,370,970 in current fiscal year.

Defense — \$10,811,314,600 next year; \$6,463,923,900 this.

Aid to Britain and Other Democracies—All extra, amount underdetermined.

Revenues — \$8,275,435,000 next year; \$7,012,930,000 this.

Deficit—\$9,210,093,049 next year; \$6,189,440,970 this.

Public Debt—Now \$45,000,000,000; on June 30, 1941, \$49,156,972,007; on June 30, 1942, \$58,367,065,056.

Defense Summary—Appropriations, authorizations and recommendations since June, 1940, and including today's requests, \$28,480,000,000, including \$13,704,000,000 for army, \$11,587,000,000 for navy; \$1,902,000,000 for expansion of industrial plants, and \$1,287,000,000 for antisabotage and other defense activities.

Nondefense Costs—\$6,674,000,000 next fiscal year, reduced from \$7,078,000,000 this year. Increases for debt interest, social security and National Youth Administration; decreases for relief, agricultural aid, public works.

Taxes—President asked

John Kermit Derrick, of Route 2, Turnersville, is THE 1941 NEWS MERCHANT'S STORK DERBY WINNER, Dr. Kermit R. Jones, M. D.

This boy had no easy time, just read.

There was William Kermit Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hubbard, with Dr. Joe Fowler of Killeen, as MD, born Jan. 6; Lee Owen Griffie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Griffie, Gatesville, Rt. 3, born Jan. 2, 3:30 p. m., think it was Dr. John T. Brown, the MD; Timothy Joe Woodlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Woodlock, born, Jan. 2, at 7 a. m., Dr. H. M. Haynes, MD.

Now, John Kermit, was here at 12:59 a. m. on January 2, and is therefore, THE WINNER. He liked to have gotten here the first day. By the way, the proud parents, who will handle the "gifts" for John Kermit are Mr. and Mrs. John Smith Derrick. Mrs. Derrick was the former Foy Franklin. Pop's age is 37, and Mom's age is 31. Mr. Derrick is a farmer living near Turnersville. By the way, we just discovered, Mrs. John Smith Derrick is Correspondent for the News at Liberty Church. Now, usually the winner gets a subscription, so we'll have to see Mr. Derrick and see if we can't change our offer, since Mrs. Derrick receives the News already.

Folks of Gatesville who have helped put over this rousing welcome for John Kermit are none other than: Foster Drug, Coryell County News, Perry Brothers, The National Bank of Gatesville, Cozy Cafe, Gatesville Drug Store, Murray Grocery & Market, Mayes Studio & Radio Shop, City Drug Store, The Palace Theatre, Morton Scott, Duncan Coffee Company, White Auto Store, Mrs. J. B. Graves, Wm. Gamblin, Gatesville Laundry, Martin's Cleaners, and Thomson Grocery.

Well, looking back, the Derby Alumni, welcome the 1941 edition and they are Gary Glenn Graf, Harvey Richardson, Vernon H. Wells, and "Miss" Sara Lynn Scott. Also, here's a welcome from the "News Force", Jr. including Hubert Morse Jr., Garland Dorsey, Mary Francis Dorsey, Joe Kermit Jones, and W. Mat Jones, Jr.

If Mr., Mrs. Derrick, or some authorized representative, (please have something to identify yourself) will come to the News office, today, tomorrow, or at your earliest convenience we'll be glad to give you letters of introduction to the various firms in Gatesville offering this welcome to your young son.

more taxes but left types and amounts to Congress. Said rise in national income to highest levels in history, expected next fiscal year, also would produce more revenue from existing taxes.

JACKSON & COMPTON MOVE: IT'S FOSTER DRUG, SINGER MAN HERE: JOE'S SALE

How's that for crowding "publicity stories"?

Well, that's just what's happened. Jackson & Compton have moved from their office in the National Bank of Gatesville Building to "automobile row" the first door east of Chamlee's Garage, formerly occupied by E. W. Jones & Son. They've got a swell place down there!

R. D. Foster, probably known to most of the "customers" as the man that bought Arnold Drug Store has now bought out his partner, Mr. Koen of Hamilton. Mr. Koen operates a drug store of the same name in that city. The local drug store will be known henceforth as Foster Drug. A very friendly gentleman, Mr. Foster, if you don't already know him, you

should. E. S. Rich, representative of the Singer Sewing Machine Company has just moved to Gatesville and will make his home here, and if you look at the advertisement, he will be here permanently. He is accompanied by Mrs. Rich, and they come here from Austin. Mr. Rich handles Singers, vacuum cleaners and other similar items.

Have you got it yet? Yes, Joe Hanna's Cash Store has out a Clearance Sale Circular, which tells only a part. You'll just have to run down to Mr. Hanna's and see what he's got to offer, and, as you know, they're usually bargains, and this circular is no exception. If you don't have one of the circulars, ask for one at Mr. Hanna's.

Shows Shut, Churches Shut Sunday: Schools, Will Open, Unless!

That's about as definite as we can get it. The theatres, Palace, Regal and Ritz will continue closed. Churches of Gatesville will not have services Sunday. And, unless you are advised later to the contrary, THERE WILL BE NO SCHOOL MONDAY.

We present a statement from the churches: "In view of the fact that City Health Authorities have decided it wise to cancel all public gatherings because of the prevailing epidemic of influenza, and since they have also requested that the churches have no meetings Sunday there will be no services at either the morning or evening hours at the Baptist, Methodist or Presbyterian churches.

We are taking this step in cooperation with efforts being made to preserve the best health interests of our people."

Signed: Rev. E. L. Craig, First Methodist Church.

Rev. E. S. Bayless, First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. C. M. Spalding, First Baptist Church.

Note: Rev. Spalding, who gave us this information said he was unable to reach authorities of the other churches, the Church of Christ and the Christian Church, but they more than likely will omit their meetings, also. Programs announced for Monday will be held.

Superintendent Erceel W. Brooks announced, that "unless notified further, Gatesville schools will open Monday."

Miss Lois Coleman is visiting her parents in Cleburne.

Nineteen To Go On January 23rd Call: 18 Volunteers

According to Chairman Roger Miller of the local draft board, nineteen young men will make the next call for Selective Service, the second from Coryell county. Eighteen of these men have volunteered to go ahead and serve their year, and one of these is a non-registrant. Only one man, Marshall Andrew Jackson is a "selected" registrant, and he has the honor of being the first "selectee" from Coryell county.

Since the order number means nothing we'll give the names of the men selected: S. C. Martin, Rt. 2, Gatesville, Iva Lee Fegette, Rt. 1, McGregor, Odie Thomson, Tama Star, Gatesville, Cecil Marion Pierce, Rt. 2, Jonesboro, Allen Spencer Griffith, Rt. 4, McGregor, Vance Irvin Sellers, Rt. 2, Jonesboro, Andrew Glenn Hendrickson, Gatesville, Lester Hiram Williams, Rt. 1, Ireland, Alford Thurman Swindall, Gatesville, Teodoro Reynas Arenas, Rt. 3, Oglesby, Marvin Lee Edwards, Gatesville, Bonnie Lee Gresham (transfer from Quannah, Hardeman County), Luther Walter Foust, Rt. 1, Moshim, Lester Earnest Coon, Rt. 1 Gatesville, Marseille Sherwood Henson, Rt. 3, Oglesby, Andrew Watson Farris, Flat, George Franklin Ray, Jr., Pearl Star Rt., Gatesville, Johnson William Caldwell, Tama Star Rt., Gatesville.

These boys will leave here the twenty-third, probably for Dallas, where they will be orinated, or whatever they do, and sent to camps.

County Board Of Trustees To Meet Wed. 15th at 1:15

According to County Superintendent Ollie Little, there'll be a meeting of the County Board of Trustees Wednesday of next week at 1:15 p. m.

Anyone who has any business pertaining to schools of the county are invited to present their problems at this time.

Miss Thelma McGilvray attended the funeral of Mr. Brimm in Goldthwaite Wednesday.

Miss Johnye Carroll spent Thursday of last week in Brownwood.

THE WEATHER

Barometer Reading 30.60
Temperature 68
Rain00
Western Union Forecast:
Friday Fair.
Fishing Good

NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

17 BILLION BUDGET

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—President Roosevelt sent congress a \$17,485,000,000 (billions) budget Wednesday, a record for peacetime, and served notice that he would ask still further funds to throw America's great industrial machine into the battle against the Axis powers.

Let's see, a billion is 1,000 million—that's 17 thousand million.

BRITAIN ATTACKS TOBRUK

Cairo, Egypt, Jan. 8 (AP)—Britain's mechanized desert cavalry—hell on wheels—they call it, rolled guns into place before Tobruk and other troops took up positions Wednesday for a siege of that virtually surrounded Italian base.

SHAKE-UP NAVY

Washington, Jan. 8 (AP)—The Navy reorganized its fighting forces Wednesday into three United States fleets and raised the limit of its enlisted personnel to provide crews at full war-time strength for ships under construction.

"ELECTRIC WHISKERS" SKIPS

Jan. 8 (AP)—More and more Italians were rounded up by the British north and west of Bardia Wednesday, but the prize fugitive of them all, Annibale "Electric Whiskers" Bergonzoli commander of Bardia, was still among the missing.

WACO ALIEN SABOTEUR?

Mineral Wells, Texas, Jan. 8

(AP)—FBI agents Wednesday were investigating the possibility of attempted sabotage at the government's Army replacement center under construction at Mineral Wells, with the arrest of a German alien, a 51-year old man from Waco who had a quantity of highly inflammable chemical on his person when arrested on a liquor sales charge.

\$33,267.75 A MINUTE

Washington, Jan. 8, (UP)—Getting the budget down to the minute:

The government will be spending money at the rate of \$33,267.75 every minute in 1942 to account for the total estimated expenditures of \$17,485,528,049.

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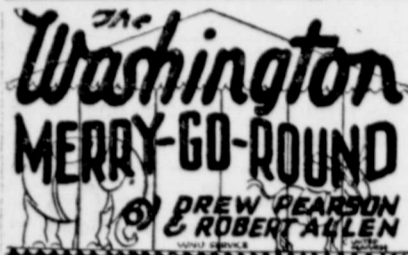
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Washington, D. C. BIBLICAL DESTROYERS

There were two reasons for that grin on the face of North Dakota's Gov. John Moses when he left the White House the other day.

One was an assurance that the President would personally investigate why North Dakota has not received any of the new defense plants. Moses argued that his state was so far inland that it was ideal for defense industries. Roosevelt promised to look into the matter immediately.

The other reason was an anecdote the President told Moses "about a famous namesake of yours." It happened when Roosevelt was assistant secretary of the navy in the Wilson administration.

He was asked to select from a list of American naval heroes, the name of a new destroyer. He picked "Israel," in honor of a U. S. captain who distinguished himself in the war against the Barbary Coast pirates in 1815.

Some time later, Roosevelt was asked to approve the personnel of this destroyer. And while looking over the list of personnel, another aide entered with another personnel list for a destroyer named "Moses." "This coincidence struck me as very funny," Roosevelt related, "and I leaned back and laughed. The young naval officer looked perturbed and inquired, 'Aren't those the right crews for those ships—Moses and Israel?' And then I laughed some more, because heading the lists of officers were the names of Murphy and O'Reilly."

Note—Moses, a Democrat from a rock-ribbed G. O. P. state, is the tallest governor in the country—6 feet 4 inches.

ALBANIAN MOUNTAINEERS HELP GREEKS

(Editor's Note—The Washington Merry-Go-Round's famous Brass Ring this week is awarded to the unsung allies of the Greek army, the peasants and mountaineers of Albania.)

Much tribute has been paid to the gallant Greek army and royal air force for winning one of this war's most crucial battles, in that wildest and most remote corner of Europe—Albania.

But little has been written about

the Albanian peasants and mountaineers who have provided the Greeks with the most amazing intelligence service of this war, so accurate that the Greeks have known down to the last detail just how many Italians were located behind each hill, where their guns were placed, and the exact nature of their fortifications.

An army without eyes is helpless. And the Albanians, who have never forgotten the manner in which Mussolini drove their queen and her day-old son out of the country two years ago, have contributed materially to the surprising succession of Greek victories.

STATE DEPARTMENT WIDOWS

There was not much Christmas joy this year in the homes of 124 "blitzkrieg widows" of the American diplomatic service. Their husband diplomats are still on the job, but the wives are prevented by official regulations from joining them.

From Warsaw, from Berlin, from Copenhagen, from Oslo, from Brussels, from the Hague, following the spread of the war, these "blitzkrieg widows" came trekking home—on government order—with children by the hand.

A few capitals, such as Moscow and Helsinki, have now permitted wives to rejoin their husbands, but meanwhile, a new warning has gone out affecting citizens in the Far East, and the ranks of the widows are swelling still further.

This separation is much more than a sentimental problem. It creates a strain on the budget of each family, for they are obliged to maintain two establishments, and the salaries of the foreign service are not gauged to meet living costs in this country.

The state department has had so much grief from the "widows" that a move is being considered to lift the ban and allow them to return to their husbands' posts.

CAPITAL CHAFF

The state department is getting a heavy volume of mail from all parts of the country urging strong U. S. assistance to Greece.

Josephus Daniels, ambassador to Mexico, is the only ambassador appointed by Roosevelt in 1933 who still remains at the same post.

Experts of the house migrant investigating committee estimate that at least 4,000,000 job-hunters are constantly on the move in the country.

Some American women have switched to cotton stockings as a protest against Japan, yet in the first nine months of this year, the United States imported \$66,000,000 worth of silk from Japan.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Two former editors of the "Aero News," daily paper of the 1916 U. S. army of occupation at Coblenz, Germany, are now on active duty at the war department. They are Col. Fred J. Mueller and Lieut. Col. B. B. McMahon, both assigned to the public relations staff.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. R. E. TIMMONS HELD SUNDAY

Funeral service for Mrs. R. E. Timmons, who passed away at her home in the Ater community Sunday morning, January 4, at 5:00 o'clock after an illness of eight weeks, were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Ater Church with the Rev. A. R. Corn conducting.

Sara Elizabeth Wilson was born in Mississippi November 16, 1858, and at the age of 9 she came to Texas with her parents and settled in Coryell County, where she resided until her death. She was married November 27, 1875 to R. E. Timmons, who preceded her in death 27 years. To this union 12 children, ten of whom are living, were born.

Surviving are: three sons, John of Gatesville, Ernest and Elzie of Ater; seven daughters, Mrs. Lillie Russell of Gatesville, Mrs. Nettie Weaver of Jonesboro, Mrs. Lela Whisenhunt of Gatesville, Mrs. Lizzie Watts of Fort Worth, Mrs. Frances Parsons of Kent, Mrs. Beulah Rivers and Mrs. Vera Whisenhunt of Ater; one brother, Bobbie Wilson of Cross Plains; 39 grandchildren; and 33 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were six of her grandsons, Sam Weaver, Willis Whisenhunt, Marlin Timmons, Woodrow Watts, Malcom Russell, and Opatee Parsons.

FEATURES

IN THE

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

NEWS

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 1941

But It's True



THE TROUT THAT SHOWS UP AT A DOCK EVERY MORNING AT EIGHT TO GET FED... ON THE ESTATE OF HENRY TALLMAN NEAR NEWTON, N.Z.

THE GERMAN POLICE DOG THAT LED AN ATTACK ON THE KAISER'S ARMY!! "WILHELM" MAJORITY OF A TORONTO REGIMENT, WAS THE FIRST MEMBER OF HIS UNIT TO REACH THE ENEMY TRENCHES IN A CHARGE OVER THE TOP AT VIMY RIDGE IN THE WORLD WAR... HE WAS FORMALLY DECORATED FOR BRAVERY!

FOR THE LAST 11 YEARS, according to Mr. Tallman, the trout has appeared at exactly the same time. Even when the lake is ice-covered, Mr. Tallman always knows the fish will be waiting when he hammers through the crust.

THE CUSTOM OF CLINKING GLASSES goes back to the days when Roman gladiators would prepare drinks for each other before fighting. They would each supply one glass of wine, and then the contents of the two would be mixed to make sure that if poison had been put in either it would get into both drinks. Through the years the formality has been shortened, until today the mere touching of containers stands for an exchange of good will.

MR. ROSSOVITCH went suddenly mad one morning, rushed about the small village in which he lived, killing his friends and neighbors.

This happened in Russia. And all the Russians became the dupes of Stalin, who joined Hitler while Hitler's curses of Communism were still echoing in

Thieves of Liberty

By NORMAN CHANDLER

Chairman,
Newspaper Publishers Committee



NORMAN CHANDLER

A HUNDRED thousand years ago a man built a bright fire in front of his cave—to keep out other men and animals who would disturb his security.

You, today, are still tending that flame. You do not live in a cave, perhaps, and you feed no actual logs into a literal bonfire. But the dangers to your security, the risks of your freedom are just as real even though their forms may have changed.

If you quit reading your newspaper, you'd soon lose touch with what is happening outside your home. You'd see no threats of dictators, no warnings of America's unpreparedness. You'd sense no dangers from any corrupt practice in business or government or schools or on social fronts. You'd miss the good things, the advances of civilization, too.

Furthermore, if you quit reading newspaper advertisements—which are, of course, only news about the goods and services and values that make your home secure and comfortable—you'd soon lose your sense of value. You'd not know how many dollars and pennies you needed to keep you warm and safe until more dollars came in.

In short, without news—both kinds of news, that of what is happening and that of what good things are in the market place—you'd be unable to exercise the judgment a self-governing citizen must have today.

But suppose your newspapers quit serving you! Suppose they refused to open their pages to storekeeper Smith when he had a bargain for you or refused to let in storekeeper Brown when he met Smith's competition with something newer and better?

Suppose your newspapers gave you no news, only lies and manufactured propaganda, always favorable to the man or the clique in power.

his controlled German newspapers. They've starved, stood in line, marched to their deaths in dastardly and cowardly conquests, those Russians. They've known no liberty. They've lost what little chance they had to gain the world's respect—all because they didn't know.

I'll tell you why your newspapers won't quit serving you, why they will go on keeping you the best informed men and women in the whole world.

You won't let them quit. You are the dictator here in America—you, the "ordinary" citizen. When any paper displeases you, fails to live up to what you

demand of it, you simply quit reading that paper. Others follow you; soon both Smith and Brown realize they must try another way of telling you about their goods. They quit advertising in that newspaper and it dies; another and better one rises to take its place.

Newspaper men have a job. They are working for you. You are the boss and they know it. To keep their jobs they must please you. And the vast increase in American newspaper circulation during the past century is evidence enough of how well satisfied you are.

The next time you hand a newsboy a few pennies for your paper, say to him, "Sonny, here's another log for the fire that keeps out the thieves of liberty."

He probably won't understand what you mean, but you'll know and he'll have his chance to learn, because you're guarding his freedom also!

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—Pass It On to the Army

By C. M. PAYNE



Epidemic Of Cold Symptoms

666 Liquid or 666 Tablets with 666 Salve or 666 Nose Drops generally relieves cold symptoms the first day. —Adv.

Pidcoke

Laura Kindler, cors.
Mr. Chancy visited his daughter, Mrs. Bud Arnold, recently.

Marvin, Laura and Olga Kinder, and Louise Kinder of Lampasas visited their father, Charlie Kinder, in the Temple hospital Saturday afternoon and night.
Bro. and Mrs. Farmer of Evant visited their daughter, Mrs. Clay Strickland, and family recently.
Lillie Lou Rodgers and Nollie Mae Thompson visited Bonnalyn Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Krempin Jr. Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Solon Cowan of Lampasas visited Mrs. G. W. Cowan Sunday.
Miss Loren Moseley of Big Spring is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moseley.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Meissner were Lampasas visitors Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frazier and baby, Judith Lee, spent the holi-

days with his parents in Lone Oak.
Mrs. Efton Carrol and daughters of Gatesville spent a few days visiting in the W. V. McBride home last week.
Mrs. W. V. McBride visited Mrs. Will Irvine Saturday.

The Story of
GRACE MOORE
"I'll Take Romance"
with
MELVYN DOUGLAS
Screen Play by George Oppenheimer and Jane Murlin
Based on a story by Stephen Morehouse Avery
Serialization by Albert Duffy
A COLUMBIA PICTURE

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE

Jim Guthrie, sponsor of the opera season in Buenos Aires, comes to New York to persuade Elsa Terry, famed opera singer, to live up to her contract to sing there. Without knowing his connection with the company, Elsa falls in love with him and, believing he loves her too, allows herself to be "kidnapped" and placed on a boat for South America. On shipboard Jim learns of her love and discovers that he loves her, too. A radiogram to Elsa discloses Jim's association with the opera company and she berates him for courting her under false colors. When the ship docks Elsa is served with an injunction which Jim tears up. Elsa's aunt has flown to the Argentine to meet her and bring her back to New York. Elsa refuses to go, however, saying that she'll fulfill her contract as she has learned to hate a cheat above everything else.

Now Go on With the Story Chapter Six

Elsa began rehearsals for her appearance with the opera company after first stipulating that she would not work if Jim appeared at the theatre. In the evenings, in the company of attentive Argentine gallants, she visited Buenos Aires' night spots.

happy as you've made me."
Later that night Jim aroused Pancho. "Get out the car," he said. "You're driving Miss Terry back to town."
Pancho looked at him sleepily. "You're crazy!" he said. "Why, you brought her out here to —"
"It's no use, Pancho," Jim interrupted. "I'm all washed up. She hates me."
On the way back to town Elsa was burning with curiosity. "Why did Jim let me go?" she asked.
Pancho shrugged. "He's closing the ranch and going away. He didn't want to leave you there to starve." Pancho replied and then added with sarcasm, "Why, I don't know."
Elsa glared at him angrily. "Thanks!" she said. Then she softened again. "Where's he going?"
"Some place where there are no prima donnas — I hope," Pancho retorted. Without a word Elsa reached down and snapped off the ignition of the car.
"Hey!" Pancho cried, "what's the big idea?"
As the car sputtered to a stop by the roadside Elsa turned to Pancho and smiled. "You and I are going to have a long talk," she announced.
Elsa's singing of "Butterfly" the next night was a triumph. Jim, hidden away in an obscure seat in the balcony, listened to her eagerly and his pulse quickened at the thunderous ovation that greeted her when the opera was ended.
In the foyer he found Pancho waiting for him. "I'll drive you to the station," Pancho offered.

Grannie Arnold has moved to the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Barker.
The Jr. boys and Jr. girls basketball teams went to Pearl Saturday to play ball. Both teams were defeated.
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Turner of Antelope visited in the Joe Wilkinson home Sunday.

Topsey

Mrs. William A. Cowan, cors.
Rev. Hogg filled his appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meissner are the proud parents of a baby son, born in the Rollins-Brook Hospital in Lampasas last Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Irvine vis-

INSURANCE

Jackson & Compton

SINCE 1909 PHONE 20

Painter's 8th



Now In Full Progress

Sale Opened Thursday Morning 9 A. M. But You Still Have Time To Get Your Share of the Bargains, If You'll Hurry!

Yesterday morning at 9 A. M. This store opened their 8th Birthday Sale. Only twice each year this store uses the word "SALE". It is in January and July. Those who know us best, know when we say SALE we mean it. You can attend this store-wide Clearance and you'll not be disappointed, you'll find genuine bargains in every department.

It's our Birthday but it's your party. Whether you terribly need the merchandise or not, you'll agree these are the finest vaules you have seen in years. Our supply is limited on many items but while it lasts we openly challenge all competition that this is the greatest savings opportunity you'll see this year in Gatesville or out of Gatesville.

Over 5000 Four Page Circulars Sent To Homes In Coryell County Telling You About These Savings.



"Elsa, I'm afraid I'm in love with you."
(Posed by Grace Moore and Melvyn Douglas.)

One evening, complaining of a headache, she left her aunt and Rudi at a night club and started home with one of her escorts. After they had driven for about fifteen minutes Elsa looked out the car window and saw that they had left the city and were driving into the country.
"Take me back to my hotel immediately," she stormed. "You can't do this to me!"
Her escort smiled. "But I have already done it, senorita," he said. "Be assured, you will not be harmed."
They drove on until they came to a low, rambling hacienda. Elsa was escorted into a charmingly furnished den or living room off the patio. The door was closed and locked. Almost at once the soft strains of a guitar came floating through an open window. Elsa looked out and discovered Jim, smilingly strumming a romantic tune.
Elsa was furious. "You!" she cried. "Why have you done this to me?"
Jim grinned at her. "You'll be amazed when I tell you," he said. "Elsa, would you believe it? I'm afraid I'm in love with you."
"Do you expect me to believe that?" Elsa demanded.
"Of course not. That's why I brought you here — to prove it."
"How?" Elsa asked defiantly.
"By keeping you here until after the opening tomorrow night. Your failure to appear will not only lose me money — I'll lose my friends and the respect of this community which has come to be my home. Yet, oddly enough, that doesn't matter to me any more. All that matters is that you believe me."
"I hope you love me," Elsa said fervently. "I hope it more than I've ever hoped for anything — because I want to make you as un-

Jim shook his head. "I'll take a cab," he said. "I want you to take a note to her dressing room." He handed Pancho an envelope, shook his hand and started for the door. Pancho motioned to two men who had been loitering nearby.
As Jim stepped into the cab the two men jumped in after him. "Hey! What's the big idea?" Jim demanded.
One of the men pressed a revolver against Jim's side. "Keep quiet!" he ordered, then he turned to the taxi driver. "Drive on!" he said.
As they drove away the men bound Jim's hands and blindfolded him. The car drove through the night for almost an hour and, at last, came to a sudden stop.
The men pulled Jim from the car and pushed him into the house. One of the men quickly untied Jim's hands and then ran out of the room, closing the door behind him. Jim tore off his blindfold and stared unbelievably at him. He was in his own house! In the very room where he had held Elsa prisoner the day before.
Suddenly the soft strains of a guitar floated through the window. Jim looked out and saw Elsa sitting there, a gaucho's hat on her head and a serape over her shoulder. As Jim watched her she walked slowly to the door, opened it and came into the room. She dropped the guitar as Jim rushed to her and took her in his arms. A confident cough from the window interrupted their kiss.
It was Pancho. He smiled happily and handed a bottle of champagne and glasses through the window to Jim.
"This is on the house," he said.

**Flogene Martin's
Troth Revealed**

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin of this city announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Flogene, to Erwin H. Splitts, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Splitts of Waco. The wedding will take place Saturday, January 25, at 9 a. m. in the Methodist Church of this city.

Miss Martin was graduated from Gatesville High School. Mr. Splitts attended Reisel High School and Texas A. and M. College. At present he is the local NYA supervisor.

No invitations are being sent, and friends of the families are invited to attend the wedding.

**Mexican Supper Fetes
B & P W Club and Guests**

A Mexican supper was the no-host affair given by members of the Business and Professional Women's Club and their guests Tuesday evening in the dining room of Peyton's Cafe. Centering the table was a bouquet of small red chrysanthemums.

Miss Truie Pearl McGilvray arranged the program and acted as toastmaster. During the evening Miss Sidney Gibson gave violin selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ola Mae Parks, and Miss Lois Coleman gave an excellent review of the book, "The Fire in the Wood" by Hutchison.

Sixteen members and guests, including one out-of-town guest, Mrs. Virginia Crawford of Cleburne, were in attendance.

**THE METHODIST, JONESBORO
CIRCUIT**

A. R. Corn, P. C.
Ireland—11:00 a. m. Morning worship.

Seven p. m. Evening worship. Pictures of Bethlehem will be given at the evening service.

The Prophet and His Message

1. A Prophet is an individual who speaks or writes under the personal direction of the Holy Spirit. Peter says, "the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost" (2 Peter 1:21).

a. He is the mouth of the speaker. "Moreover the word of the Lord came unto me saying . . ." (Ezek. 7:1).

b. He compels the prophet to speak. "The Lord God hath spoken who can but prophesy?" (Amos 3:1-8).

c. The word burns within him until he speaks. "But this word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary with forebearing, and I could not stay" (Jer. 20:9).

d. "And the Spirit of God came

upon him . . ." "I cannot go beyond the commandment of the Lord, to do either good or bad of mine own mind; but what the Lord saith, that will I speak." (Numbers 24:2-13).

e. The Spirit fell upon him. "And the Spirit of the Lord fell upon me, and said unto me, Speak; Thus saith the Lord." (Ezek. 11:5).

f. The hand of Jehovah is upon him. "And the hand of the Lord came upon him. And he said thus saith the Lord." (2 Kings 3:15).

g. He is clothed with the spirit. (1 Chron. 2:18; 6:41,42).

h. He is given the Spirit of revelation. "And the Lord took of the Spirit that was upon him, and gave it unto the seventy elders: And when the Spirit rested upon them, they prophesied, and did not cease." (Num. 11:25).

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the death of our mother. Also we want to express our appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings.

Children of Mrs. R. E. Timmons. 7-1tp

HARMON SERVICES

Edward S. Bayless of Gatesville will preach at Harmon Sunday afternoon. Sunday School begins at 2:15. Church worship starts at 2.45.

PRAIRIE VIEW SERVICES

There will be regular worship Sunday morning and Sunday night at Prairie View. Sunday School begins at 10:00 a. m. The pastor will be present to preach at the evening hour, beginning with a song service at 7:00 o'clock.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**

"A God to Share" is the subject of the sermon Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian Church. The book of Jonah will be the object of study. The pastor will

preach.

At the Vesper (five o'clock) hour the "school of missions" will continue with joint worship beginning at 5:00 o'clock, followed by study in three groups: Primaries and Juniors; Intermeliates and Seniors and Adults.

Schedule for the day and week follow: Sunday School, 9:45. Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Vesper worship, 5:00 p. m. Woman's Auxiliary, 3:00 p. m. Tuesday. Boy Scouts, 7:00 p. m. Tuesday. Mid-week worship, 7:15 Wednesday.

Courthouse News

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Jackson Lee Auldridge and Irene Cathey.

DEEDS RECORDED

W. A. Garner and wife to W. B. Rowe.

R. O. Faubion and wife to Mabel Garner.

W. B. Rowe and wife to Virgil E. Gardner.

R. N. Shelton and wife to Mrs. Naoma Wiggins and others.

W. P. Sharp to T. R. Huckabee and others.

Curtis M. Wylie to J. W. Kidd. Mid Texas Improvement Co. to J. F. Franks.

J. D. Perkins to W. N. Bramblett.

W. N. Bramblett and wife to W. T. Huff.

W. T. Huff and wife to W. R. Franks.

Elmer C. Franks and wife to J. H. Clay.

J. H. Clay and wife to Elmer C. Franks.

A. S. Walker and wife to S. M. Walker and wife.

James Thester Robuck and wife to Mrs. Ada Lightsey.

Mrs. Eugenia Chatham to Miss Minnie Exa Williamson.

NEW CARS REGISTERED

R. O. Poston, '41 Buick Sedan

Rex. Clawson, '41 Oldsmobile Sedan.

Buster Vickrey, '40 Chevrolet Sedan

K. R. Jones, '41 Ford Sedan

D. L. Stowe, '41 Ford Tudor

Danald McKinney, '41 Ford Tudor.

O. V. Roberts, '41 Chevrolet Coupe.

J. B. Martin, '41 Pontiac Sedan.

A. P. Pennington, '41 Pontiac Sedan.

Mrs. G. W. Lee, '41 Pontiac Sedan.

**Gatesville Girls
Makes Cross
Country Flight**

Waco, Texas—The feat of flying, usually as rare in collegiate circles as knowing how to tend and manage "Old Dobbin", will be the licensed ability of 28 Baylor University students from Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Indiana and Florida if they pass CAA flight inspection next week.

They've been studying and practicing, without an accident, for the past 12 weeks, and next Tuesday will make difficult flights with Inspector Frank J. Miller looking on. They'll put their planes through various maneuvers such as slips, banks, stalls, spins, figure eights, power landings and such. If they do it well, Inspector Miller will say "O. K." and hand them their "wings".

With their "wings" from this CAA course, they possibly will be taken directly at Randolph Field upon their application and can begin basic training there rather than being sent to some other field for primary flight instruction.

Cross country flights, covering 125 miles with three stops, one of the final stages of minimum 35 hour training program, have been made by many of the 28 students. Red-headed Mary Evelyn Eubanks of Gatesville made her flight Tuesday, keeping in stride with the men in the course.

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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.

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION MEETING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH MONDAY

The week of January 13-17 is Baptist Training Union Emphasis Week in Texas. During that week 17 teams will cover the entire of the one hundred and ten associations in Texas. The Leon River Association will be visited by a team under the leadership of Mr. W. A. Harrell of the Training Un-

ion Division of the Sunday School Board of Nashville. With him will be Reverend W. W. Bristor of Moody, Training Union President of District 14; Mrs. W. H. Russell of San Antonio; Reverend M. O. Cheek, District Missionary of District 14, Mrs. A. Yarbrough of Moody; and Miss Edith Chaney of Seminary Hill.

Paper Bag Supper

The meeting will begin Monday afternoon at 2:00 and will last through the evening until 9:15. An outline of the program follows:

All those who come are asked to bring a paper bag lunch and at 6:00 these lunches will be served in the adult assembly room in picnic fashion. All are urged to bring this lunch. It is hoped that full representation from all unions of all churches of the Association will be present and all the visitors who will come are urged to do so and will be welcome.

2:00 Devotional
2:15 Address, —Purpose of the Meeting.

2:45 Address,—The District Convention and Associational Training Union Work.

3:00 Departmental Conferences.

4:00 Reassemble. Song and Reports from Conference Leaders.

4:10 Open Conference. Team Leader in charge.

4:25 Address—A Fully Graded Training Union in Every Church.

4:50 Special Music.

4:55 Open Conference—How can we improve our work?

5:15 Address,—The Texas Baptist's Enlarge Program.

5:45 Dismissal

Supper—Served picnic style.

7:00 Song Service

7:15 Departmental Conferences

8:00 Panel Discussion by team members.

8:30 Associational Officer's period—Our plans, our goals, Aims!

8:45 Inspirational address—Following the living Christ in our Training Union.

9:15 Adjourn.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ALL BAPTISTS IN LEON RIVER ASSOCIATION

This is to remind you that the first monthly workers' meeting of the year will be held with the Jonesboro church Tuesday, January 23. Next week's paper will carry an outline of the program for the meeting. Kindly watch next week's paper for the program.

Hornettes Humble Hamilton

The Golden Hornette cagers nosed out the snappy Hamilton Bulldog sextette on the Hamilton court Tuesday night to the tune of 16 to 13. They took an early lead remained ahead throughout the clash. In the local line-up were guards Lester, Captain Black and Apel and forwards Turner, Simms and Perkins. Featherston substituted for Simms and played most of the game. Turner was high point.

Captain Moore, Patterson, and Mueller were unable to make the trip because of illness. On the Hamilton squad were several girls who played for the Evant Elks last season. The tilt was worked by Coach Schwarz.

The Hornet basketballers ran up a large score and brought home a victory also.

Pearl-Ireland B B Melee Ends, 0 To 56

(Special)
Ireland Junior Boys, playing in the Pearl Tournament Friday night, defeated the Pearl Ward Boys 56-0.

Also the Irish, playing Plainview took the game 14-9.

Saturday, Ireland Junior Boys, playing Ewing in the finals won the Junior title 37-6, and a beautiful trophy. Boys making up the Ireland club were Frankie Faubion, Dudley Watkins, James Wiley Grubb, E. J. Pearson, Milburn Newland and Franklin Schuman.

FLU VICTIMS

Among those who have or have had the flu are: Lester Britain, Bythel Cooper, Byron Leaird, G. D. Nolte, Miss Pauline Whigham, Mrs. Bernice Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan, Miss Georgia Morgan, Jack Dick, Floyd Murray, Chick McCallister, Miss Bettye Burdette, Miss Martha Burdette, Doc Rutherford, Don Burdette, Miss Hazel Hughett, Miss Treva Davis, Mrs. J. O. Brown, Miss Waldan Franklin, James Newman, Miss Joyce Wallace, J. E. Mariott, Mrs. Louie Powell, Mrs. Kit Bridges, Kit Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maxwell, Mrs. Annabel Chamlee, Mrs. Floyd Murray, Pat Holt, Mrs. Clarence Bauman, Mrs. Jack Glass, Dr. John Thomas Brown,

John P. Reesing, Miss Freda Koch, and Dr. J. H. Hamilton.

INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. JOHNNIE HILL DIES

Johnie Robert, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hill, was buried at Hessemeline Cemetery, near Arnett, Friday afternoon. Rev. Edward S. Bayless conducted the services, which were held at the grave.

The baby, born on the morning of January 2, lived only two and one half hours. It is survived by its parents; four grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Ellison of Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill of Palestine; and two great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Simpson, of Gatesville; and several aunts and uncles.

Mrs. Hill is the former Evelyn Pearl Ellison, whose family recently moved from Gatesville to Temple. Mr. and Mrs. Hill make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Simpson.

CLAUDINE HOLDER TO BE EMPLOYED IN AUSTIN

Mrs. Claudine Holder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Holder of Turnersville, will leave Monday for Austin, where she will be employed in the House of Representatives during this term of the Legislature doing stenographic work.

Miss Holder has been employed here in the offices of Judge Floyd Zeigler and C. C. Hampton, attorney-at-law, the past 18 months and has made many friends who wish her success in her new location.

Peabody

Janice Upton, Cors.

Several of this community have colds, and we have a few cases of influenza.

Mr. George Ballard's entire family are in bed.

Mrs. Tom Reaves is able to be up some now, which we are glad to report.

Bonnie Mae and Conrad Upton are sick with colds.

Little Mondel Coleman has not been well for several days.

Roberta Littlefield and her grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Chambers, have been in bed several days.

The young people met at Dan Murrain's for an entertainment last Saturday night. They reported a nice time, despite the showers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Upton visited his sister, Mrs. Ida Framer, at Topsey one day last week.

Mrs. Joe Piper and children of Adamsville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Mariott, last Sunday.

Mr. Ira Upton visited his nephew, Ira Walker, and family of Bee House Monday. Mr. Walker doesn't seem to improve very fast.

Mrs. M. E. Coleman is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reese, near Lampasas this week.

Turnersville

Mrs. Emma Jones, Cors.

Mrs. A. B. Wallace is home after spending the past several weeks in Webster.

R. M. Holder and wife were recent visitors in Austin.

Misses Vivian and Edith Pardee were Waco shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Louie Baker and children of Webster are visiting in the Al Sherer home.

Sam Carr of Fort Worth was a recent visitor with his mother, Mrs. Hattie Carr.

Mrs. Sam Carr and children of Clifton were Sunday visitors in the Murry Sharp home.

Mr. Pitts and family of Waco were Sunday visitors in the Mrs. Hattie Carr home.

R. M. Holder and wife were Mt. Calm visitors Sunday.

Maple

Mrs. R. M. Phillips, Corsp.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Brookshire and Maizy Lou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnes of Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kelley and daughters of Turnersville spent Christmas day with Mrs. Kelley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brookshire.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Walker and son, George, spent Christmas with relatives in Port Arthur.

Mrs. Zona Brasher is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Derrick, of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Bowen and children of Wynard, Texas spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carroll and other relatives.

Mr. J. B. Drake has a broken leg and crushed ankle as the result of a wind charger tower falling on him. He is recovering nicely. We hope he will soon be able to walk again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cook and family spent Christmas with Messrs. and Mesdames Charlie and Lawrence Cook and families of Ft. Worth.

Visitors in the R. M. Phillips home during the holidays were, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Walker of Dallas Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Walker of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. David Paul of Copperas Cove, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Paul and sons, Randall and Arlee, of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Marshall and daughter of Belton, and Mrs. R. M. Bates and sons of Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Green and children spent Christmas with relatives at Sparta and Temple.

Coryell-Hamilton Soil District Is Nearing Completion

Memoranda of understanding with the U. S. D. A. and the supplemental memorandum of understanding with the SCS were signed for the Hamilton-Coryell soil conservation district in Hamilton Monday.

These were the first memoranda signed by any district in Texas and are now awaiting the approval of the secretary of agriculture and the head of the SCS.

Supervisors of the district signed for the district. They are E. M. Blankenship, Gatesville, H. E. Jones, Hamilton, E. T. Hughes, Hamilton, and Virgil Lockhart, Pidcoke.

Mrs. H. T. Mulkey of San Antonio spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Jones, in this city.

Mrs. Mulkey is the former Miss Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Davis and daughter, Jerry, will spend today in Dallas, and tonight they will attend the wedding of Miss Susie Leigh Hood in Arlington.

Mrs. Otha Thomas and two daughters, Eloise and Helen Joyce, are visiting friends and relatives in Waco this week.

Mrs. Drew Embry and small son of Brady are guests of Mrs. Embry's mother, Mrs. Homer Wilson.

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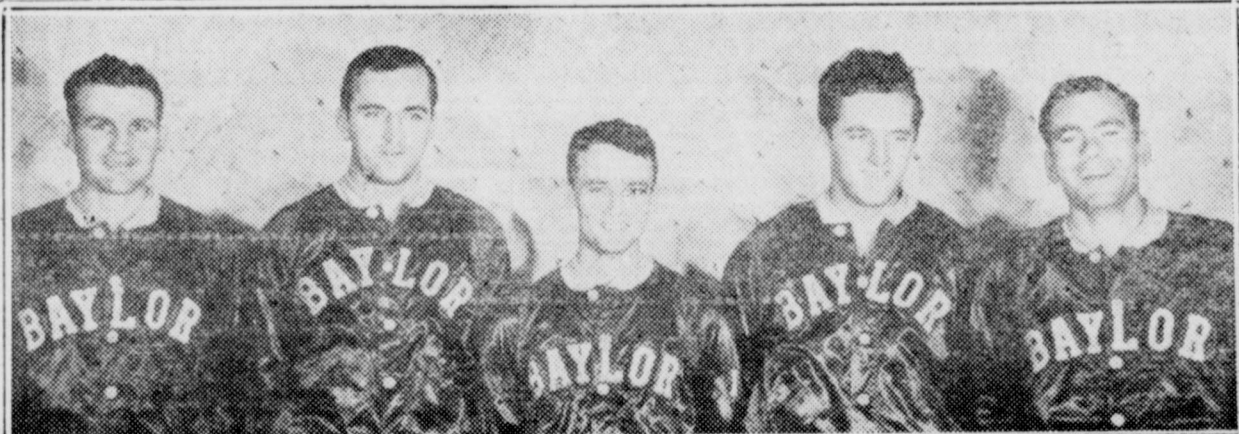
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BYRON LEAIRD, Prop.



These five boys will be playing for keeps next Tuesday night when the Baylor Bears open their home Southwest Conference basketball schedule against the SMU Mus-

tangs in Waco. Left to right are Dub Walters, Joe Frivaldsky, Grady Vaughn, Frank Bryski and Joe Terry. All of these court performers are letter-

men and will probably make up the starting lineup against the Ponies.

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Mrs. M. C. Terry, cors.

Arline and Nadine Leonard visited in the John Dison home, west of Gatesville Thursday.

Isle Dee Witte and Minerva Sorley have returned to Corsicana to take up their school work.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brasher of Petersburg are here visiting relatives and friends.

The weather was so bad there was no Sunday School at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

We were sorry to hear that Mrs. Tom Coston of Clifton has pneumonia. Miss Millie Mae Wallace and Miss Cleffie Ford went to Clifton Saturday and visited in the Coston home.

There are many ill in our community with the flu. The school opened Monday after a week's delay on account of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Onie Huse have moved to the Bellamy place north of Cranfills Gap.

Ater

Mrs. Birdie Coward, cors.

Mr. Ernest Moreland of Houston visited his father, Mr. W. O. Moreland, Saturday night and was a dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pruitt Sunday. Mrs. Otis Pruitt and Mr. Otha Moreland accompanied him to Houston Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Pruitt was a guest in her son's home, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Pruitt; while there Gayle was confined to his bed with the flu.

Mr. Charlie Baker left for Abilene, Texas Sunday to visit his son, Mr. Bayle Baker, and family, also to seek employment.

Mrs. Zack Kays visited her daughter, Mrs. Sallie Rays, last Thursday.

Miss Euta Mae Painter returned to Gatesville Sunday evening after a few days' illness at home.

Miss Mildred McDonald returned to JTAC Sunday.

Miss Wanda Coward returned to Fort Worth Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Pruitt spent Thursday and Thursday night of last week with Miss Wanda Coward.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Corder and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Henry and son of De Leon were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Choat last week.

Mrs. Sallie Murrell has moved from this community to Jonesboro. We miss her but wish her luck and happiness in her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and family now live in the home of Mrs. Sallie Murrell, vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Little moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walters.

Mrs. W. C. Coward spent last week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Coward.

Last Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Pruitt were, Mrs. Addye Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Coward and daughter, Delise and Wanda.

Mrs. Bill Cheuvan, who lives in Louisiana, while visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whisenhunt, was stricken with appendicitis and was rushed to a Waco hospital last week. She was resting well after the operation.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Richardson and family last week were, Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Miller and son, Jimmie, of Denver City.

I wish to correct the report that was circulated in this community in regard to Mr. Dock Ware being killed in a car wreck. It was a mistake.

We wish to congratulate Mr. Olie Little in being appointed County Superintendent but regret to lose him as principal of our school.

Mrs. Otha Moreland is now teaching in Mr. Little's place. We wish her success in filling this vacancy. Mr. Menard Hill was drafted and notified to be physically examined last Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Timmons was claimed by death Saturday morning at 5 o'clock after a short illness. She was laid to rest in the Ater cemetery Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. A. R. Corn of Jonesboro. "Aunt Bettie" will be greatly missed by all her friends.

Mr. Oran Baker is now working in Ola, Arkansas. His wife will join him there later.

Friendship

Mrs. S. L. Powell, cors.

Several in our community are ill with the flu.

Rev. Stowe of Pala Alto preached for us Sunday, bringing a good message at both the morning and evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McCutchen and family of Flat were Sunday visitors in the Lee Roy McCutchen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dorsey and family visited in the Josh Logan home of Turnover Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Wiegand and Bonnie Jean spent Sunday with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, of Pidcoke.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hickman and family visited in the White Hall community Sunday.

Mrs. Rob Hunt spent several days last week in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Toy Lee Hunt, at Ewing.

R. D. Cummings of Gatesville spent Sunday in the Herman Cummings home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Milsap of Gatesville and Mrs. Ernest Dyer and Doris were Sunday visitors in the Edd Autrey home.

Billie Ruth Cummings visited school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hale and family of Gatesville have moved into our community. We welcome them.

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Cash and Deposits with other banks	\$513,520.39
United States Gov't. Obligations.....	125,900.00
Other Bonds and Securities	203,762.95
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	843,183.34
TOTAL	\$ 1,270,847.77

LIABILITIES

Common Capital Stock.....	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	113,732.37
Dividends Unpaid	1,897.50
Deposits	1,055,217.90
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TOTAL	\$ 1,270,847.77

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Mrs. Vernon Wright, Cors.

Rev. and Mrs. Woodson Arms from Waco spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Leonard.

Mrs. A. D. Chesnut and Mrs. A. B. Graham were visitors in Mrs. Vernon Wright's home last Wednesday afternoon.

Ervin and Curby Crawford are on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wright and children were Waco visitors Friday.

Mrs. A. B. Graham was a visitor in Granny Neely's home last Saturday afternoon.

Those visiting Mrs. Emily Jones and family last Monday night were, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crawford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wright and children, Mrs. Studie Blankenship, Mr. Bernard Bennett and Mr. Stanley Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blankenship spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Stanford Johnson, and family at Prairie Chapel.

Those visiting Mrs. Studie Blankenship and family last Wednesday

night were, Mrs. Emily Jones, Mrs. David McBroom and Mr. Stanley Leonard.

Mr. A. B. Graham and Mr. Preston Fleming were business visitors to Moshem last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paige Blankenship visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blankenship Friday afternoon.

Several enjoyed playing 84 and dominoes at Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson's last Friday night. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blankenship, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wright and children, Mrs. Studie Blankenship, Mrs. Emily Jones, Mrs. David McBroom, Mr. Weldon Jones and Mr. Stanley Leonard.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Studie Blankenship and Mrs. Vernon Wright were, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson and children, Mrs. G. A. Lightsey, Mrs. Truitt Lightsey and daughter, Mr. Stanley Leonard, Mrs. Frank Wright and Miss Ethyl Johnson.

Bee House

Verda Conner, Cors.

There are several cases of the flu in this community and almost everyone has a cold.

Several from this community attended the Jr. Basketball Tournament at Pearl Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Conner and Mack Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Elvis O'Neal Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conley of Adamsville visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carrigan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Self and children, who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Self, left one day last week.

Mr. R. F. Jones has been in a bad condition the past week.

Miss Nona Bell Ballard, who has been ill, returned to the S. E. Conner home where she is working Saturday.

Mother Neff Park

Miss Tullie Jones, Cors.

Waymon Henderson and Jack Irvin are working in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Chapin and daughter, Jackie, of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Irvin.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Norris of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ritchie of Denton visited Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ford.

Miss Doris Irvin of Denton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Irvin.

Visitors in the Park were, Betty Doyle, Mary Russell, Mrs. E. M. Spears, Lillie Louise Martin and Lily M. Russell, Mrs. Cleo Brady, Waco, Mrs. Alton Lee, San Angelo, E. W. Rowe, Chapel Hill, N. C.,

Jack Herod, Grapeland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner, De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Morris Sr., Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meadow, Mrs. Harry Blackburn, L. L. Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cherry of McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith visited her mother in Clifton this week.

Mrs. Frank Smith is spending a few days with Mrs. Emma Smith, who fell and broke several ribs Saturday.

Pancake

Mary E. Pierce, cors.

Several in this community have the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson.

Nelda Weaver returned to Weatherford Sunday to assume her school work.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Sims were Monday guests of her mother, Mrs. U. T. Hopper, of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Campbell and children of Ewing spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell.

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FOSTER DRUG

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Condensed Statement of Condition of

GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY

At the Close of Business December 31, 1940
Gatesville, Texas

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$182,322.07
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	19,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	2,100.00
Real Estate	1,201.00
Cash, Exchange, U. S. Government and other Securities	513,599.53
TOTAL	\$718,722.60

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	21,000.00
Undivided Profits	6,010.00
Deposits	641,712.60
TOTAL	\$718,722.60

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—WANTED: Friday and Saturday only, 2,000 lbs of hens. Best prices. George Hodges, 718 E. Leon St. 7-1tc

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—FOR SALE: Several pieces of used furniture. Mrs. H. K. Jackson. 4-tfc

—WANTED: Man with car for profitable Rawleigh Route in East Coryell county. Must be satisfied with good living at start. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXA-286-101M Memphis, Tenn, or see R. B. Moorman, Gatesville, Texas. 3-5-7-9p

—FOR RENT: Four-room house with bath on Park st. See Willard Mayes. 7-3tc

—WANTED TO LEASE: 100 acres land, 50 acres cultivation; 50 in pasture. See C. H. McGilvray, Agent. 7-1tc

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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

Liberty Church

Mrs. John Derrick, Cors.
Mr. and Mrs. Viron Timmons of Lamesa are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Garren and other relatives.
Mrs. J. E. Huckaby, Mrs. Paul Hightower were Friday afternoon guests of Mrs. John Derrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Dydow has moved here in the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wilson.
Mr. and Mrs. John Derrick are the proud parents of seven pound baby boy, born to them January 2. The young man has been given the name John Kermit.
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brenholtz of Gatesville and Mrs. Robert Hilliard of Waco spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Franklin and other relatives.
Rady and Grady Hollingsworth received the death message Saturday of their father, A. E. Hollingsworth, of Turkey.
Buck Hinson visited during the Christmas holidays with his father, Lee Hinson, and sister, Gladys of Houston.
Rev. G. L. Derrick and wife of Jonesboro were guests of Mr.

and Mrs. John Derrick Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miers, Mrs. G. L. Miers, and B. C. Franklin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lefevre of Moshier.

Mrs. B. R. Hollingsworth and children of Moshier spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Franklin.

Rev. Will Jackson will preach here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Everyone has an invitation to attend all the services.

Schley

Mrs. Jim Alford, Cors.

Quite a bit of flu is reported here at present.
It looks as if we can never have any more sunshine.

Jeff Alford has returned home from Brownwood, where he has been employed the past month.

Theima Jean Woodlock spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Q. Woodlock.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Woodlock have been entertaining a new son since the 2nd of January.

Mrs. W. C. Roberts of near Levita was an over-night guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jim Alford, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Painter and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parish and Ouida were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Woodlock one night recently.

Mr. Brumbalow, our principal teacher here, attended the funeral of Mr. Stockburger.

Miss Mary Beaty returned home last week from Waco, where she had been visiting.

Ireland

D. D. Grubb, cors.

The old year has passed and gone, the New Year has entered, no doubt, with many New Year's resolutions. I knew a friend who said on an occasion that he attributed his long life of usefulness and success in his community to two resolutions that he made the first of each year and they were the same ones from these he never varied. The first resolution: He hoped to be a good sport. The second resolution: He hoped to make good the first one.
Mr. Dunn and family moved the past week from Spur, Dickens county, to the farm which he has just purchased south of Ireland, known as the Boling place.
Mrs. J. J. Hatfield is quite ill with the flu.
Mr. Tom Austin was a visitor to Gatesville Friday.
Mr. Bill Newland and family moved the past week from the home of Mr. John M. Edwards in South Ireland to the parsonage of the Methodist Church on west main street.
Mr. Pete Faubion from Brownwood was visiting relatives and old time friends in Ireland the past week.
Mr. Oney Patterson has a brand new roof on his store building. That looks very nice indeed.

Mr. Boyd Bunnell is located in Brownwood. He says he found most of his neighbors of Ireland community helping to build a town out of Brownwood, and from the looks of the crowds of people, they have about done the job.

West Clear Creek

Mrs. J. L. Bland, cors.

H. K. Clem and son, Clarence Clem and wife and Mrs. Callie La Neir visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Manning the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Urbantke, children and mother, Mrs. Sophie Urbantke, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beherns of Copperas Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huey and children of Belton visited Mrs. Huey's uncle, J. L. Bland, Sunday.

Mr. Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Smith and son, Claude Smith and Miss May Smith have returned to their home in Artesia, New Mexico after spending Christmas with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Horner.

Mrs. Bruno Urbantke and little Miss Maryland spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. L. Bland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latimer spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Roberson of Toledo, Ohio, who are visiting Mr. Roberson's parents in Copperas Cove.

Mrs. J. L. Bland visited her cousin, Mrs. J. J. Allen in Copperas Cove Tuesday.

Almost everyone in our community either have the flu or just getting over it. Luckily it's only in a mild form now.

Mrs. Truman Clem and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. Curtis Levey, of Killeen.

Truman Clem is working in South Texas now.

Mrs. J. L. Bland, Mrs. Bob Latimer and Mrs. Elmo Roberson and daughter of Toledo, Ohio were shopping in Killeen Tuesday.

Paul Faubion of Copperas Cove ground feed for R. C. Horner and Urbantke brothers Saturday.

Orrin Hoover visited R. C. Horner Saturday.

It's ten miles to Killeen from our place, but on account of bad roads to go by Copperas Cove it's 21 miles. We are praying for a visit from our road commissioner very soon.

Trucking Industry Pays Coryell \$50,299.44

Texas Trucking industry paid to Coryell county amounting to \$50,200.44, according to Lynn B. Shaw general manager of the Texas Motor Transportation association.

The amount represents \$34,160.24 for highway construction and maintenance, and \$16,130.20 for the public schools. For each scholastic in the state, truckers paid 2.80, 31c more than last year. An amount equal to the school fund was distributed to counties to absorb bonds for road building purposes.

Old Wiskers Will See You If You Made 2 Grand

According to Collector of Internal Revenue, Frank Scofield, who handles the Income Tax for this portion of Texas: "Single individuals, or married individual not living with husband or wife, having a GROSS INCOME of \$800 or more, and married individuals living together having a combined GROSS INCOME of \$2,000 or more MUST, yes, MUST make out an Income Tax Report by March 15, 1941.

Now, this doesn't necessarily mean you'll have to pay any Income Tax but ONLY that you MUST fill out one.

May be you lost \$1,000 on a \$2,000 investment—that's just your hard luck, and you'll have to make a return, just the same. On the blanks, they'll tell you how much you can make, and not pay, and how much to pay, if you made.

From the legal lights of the city, we learn that the deed records will be inspected, and if a transaction amounting to \$2,000 has been recorded, you'll be asked why you didn't make a return by an inspector. They also have the legal right to inspect any and all personal or company records.

This also includes partnership and corporations as well as individuals.

We, and Mr. Scofield thought you'd like to, and had better, know.

Ollie Little, County Superintendent: Sworn In Tuesday

County Superintendent Ollie Little is now on the job. He was appointed, recently by the Commissioner's Court, replacing the late W. D. Stockburger, who had two more years of his term to serve.

Mr. Little fulfilled all the requirements preparatory to taking the office, and was sworn in Tuesday.

Mr. Little, a native of west Texas was born at Cisco, 32 years ago, and for about fifteen years, lived at Stephenville. From the latter, he moved to Ireland and then the Ater community, in both places being employed in the schools.

He was a student at New Mexico A. and M., John Tarleton and North Texas State Teacher's college, receiving his degree from Daniel Baker College at Brownwood.

He taught in Coryell county, six years at Ireland and during the past year he has been at Ater schools, where Mrs. Little still teaches.

HIGHLIGHTS OF F.D.R.—

lowed, to get rich out of this program.

The world order which we seek is the co-operation of free countries, working together in a friendly, civilized society.