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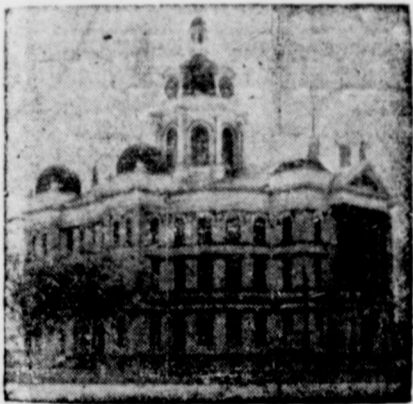
“TO MARKET, TO MARKET TO BUY . . . NEARLY ALL WENT

Nearly all of them went this week, to market somewhere, and on the list was W. T. Hix and Travis Hestilow started off by attending the Frigidaire convention in Dallas the early part of the week. Then, George Painter, of Painter's took off and spent a couple or three days, and some money in the Dallas-Fort Worth markets. Byron Leaird, Jr., and Miss Verma Walters and Mrs. Byron Leaird Jr., like it, and are still in markets above mentioned. Later in the week, C. E. Alvis Sr., of Alvis-Garner Company took off to Dallas and Mrs. Kit Bridges, and Mr. John Garner of Dallas will assist in the buying. Our market came to town, Ralph Ritcheson, formerly of Gatesville, and now with a Waco-Dallas paper house visited the printing industry, Thursday.

THIRD REMINDER! LIONS BASKETBALL, MONDAY NIGHT

It'll really be a brawl, a comedy of errors when the Gatesville Lions unleash their attacks on each other come Monday evening. The game is not the thing—it'll be amusement, and cash they'll be after, and you might go up, just for fun.

Courthouse News



DEEDS RECORDED
A. H. Way and wife to F. W. Summers
E. P. Whitt to H. M. Whitt.
J. S. Terrall and wife to M. H. Kinsey.
E. B. Bone and wife to Lula Bond.
A. L. Higdon and wife to Evant Brooks.
NEW CARS REGISTERED
Fred Pfaeffle, '41 Chevrolet Coupe.

Markets

As of January 23

Corn, ear	50c
Corn, shelled	55c
Cottonseed, ton	\$28
Cream, No. 1	24c
Cream, No. 2	19c
Oats, sacked	34c
Oats, loose	32c
Eggs	14c
Fryers	12c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	9c
Hens, heavy	11c

Glenn Takes Full Suitcase of Pictures to Army

“Major” Glenn Hendrickson left here along with 18 other Coryell county boys for Dallas where they will be “orientated” or something and begin their year's service with Uncle Sam. Glenn confided to intimates, just before he left that he had a suitcase of girls pictures, and would have had more, only he didn't have anymore suitcases. He with an “assistant” was in charge of the men until they get to the receiving station in Dallas, and he said he'd turn them (including himself) over to the officials there. Everybody—well, business just about stopped—was out to see the men board the bus, and many were the goodbyes.

From the Selective Service Office, there'll be another “call” and five will be called, and 2 more to make up for those turned down on previous calls. If any of the 19 sent Thursday are turned down in Dallas replacements will go on the 11th to fill this quota.

From the lists we are informed there have been 31 volunteers (more than the total call), and 3 of these were non-registrants. One Mexican boy and one Negro boy have volunteered. Also, some 659 questionnaires have been mailed out, according to the Selective Service Board folks.

Those besides Glenn who left Thursday were: S. C. Martin, Iva Lee Feggett, Odie Thompson, Cecil Marion Pierce, Allen Spencer Griffin, Vance Irvin Sellers, Lester Hiram Williams, Alford Thurman Swindall, Theodore Reynas Arenas, Marvin Lee Edwards, Bonnie Lee Gresham, Rinaldo Curry Williams, Luther Walter Foust, Marseille Sherwood, Andrew Watson Farrier, George Franklin Ray Jr., and Johnson William Caldwell.

POSTON BROS. SHOW MOVIE AND HAVE STAGE SHOW TONIGHT

At the City Auditorium, under the auspices of Poston Bros., Gatesville implement dealers, there will be a free moving picture show and also, a stage show by professionals.

Farmers, ranchers and all other interested in new farming methods, and new farm machinery are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Jerry Davis fell Tuesday and sprained her ankle, and Wednesday she fell and again and sprained the other ankle. Last reports were that she was resting nicely.

Mrs. John Alford and son, Woodrow, spent Sunday in Clifton, where they were guests of her brother, Alfred Adams, and family.

Poage Confirmed For Agriculture Committee Honor

Congressman W. R. Poage of the 11th Congressional District was confirmed as a member of the house of representatives agriculture committee in a majority party caucus in Washington Tuesday. Congressman Poage takes the place left vacant upon the resignation last year of Marvin Jones of Texas, who is now a federal judge.

D.D.S. of Health Dept. Says Teeth Are Good

Edward Taylor, DDS, of the Texas State Health Department who is Director of the Dental Health Division was here this week, looking at teeth, preparatory to a study of the teeth of the county.

Dr. Taylor stated there was a certain chemical in Coryell county which assisted in making good teeth, and Coryell county's teeth are well above the average. There is one other county in Texas which Dr. Taylor mentioned that has a similar chemical, which is good for teeth.

The Dental Health Division will try to find the formula for this particular chemical so it may be introduced into drinking water with the idea of making teeth better throughout the state. In the near future another dentist will be sent here to make an exhaustive study.

In examining student's teeth Dr. Taylor found among the native residents (born and raised here) 327 out of 536 had almost perfect teeth in the high school. Only 214 out of 536 had ever had a decayed tooth. Sixty-eight out of 536 had mottled, or stained teeth; and only 270 out of 536 had ever been to a dentist.

Past Masters of Lodge Honored Tonight, 7:30

Tonight at 7:30 the Gatesville Lodge No. 197 A. F. & A. M. will hold their Past Master's Meeting, honoring all the Past Masters of the lodge.

In addition, a Master Mason's Degree will be conferred by the Past Masters, and the other highlight will be a barbecue supper.

All members of the lodge are urged to attend, and all master masons are invited to be present.

Grand Jury Makes Report to Court: 33 Indictments

Signed by Jim Gault, Grand Jury Foreman and H. A. Davidson, Secretary, a report has been turned in to Judge R. Bates Cross, and is as follows:

“To the Hon. R. B. Cross, Judge of the 52nd Judicial District: Now comes the Grand Jury of the District Court of Coryell County, Texas for the January Term, A. D., 1941, and respectfully submits the following report:

We have been in session 8 days and have examined 130 witnesses. We found 33 true bills, of which 32 are felonies one is a misdemeanor.

Our thanks are due to the Hon. R. B. Cross, District Judge, for his splendid charge and guidance during our session, as well as to the District and County Attorneys, the Sheriff and his Deputy, our Bailiffs and in fact to all those who contributed to the usefulness or pleasure of our work together.

On the whole, this County and its citizens are to be congratulated on the absence of crimes of a serious nature such as murder, rape and armed robbery. We express the hope that the people of this county will continue to settle their differences by process of law.

Since our section now has a number of miles of paved highway a part of which is on a route to the Army Camp at Brownwood, we are likely to be faced with the menace of more drunken and reckless drivers which are to endanger the lives of our families and friends. We urge complete co-operation with the State Highway Patrol in its efforts to rid our highways of this menace, as well as with the local officers.

It has been called to our attention that over the entire State of Texas there are numerous instances of the burning of automobiles for the purpose of collecting insurance. This needless and criminal waste costs everyone that pays insurance premiums and we earnestly solicit the cooperation of the insurance agents in choosing their risks with care, and the general public in the investigation and apprehension of those who fraudulently burn insured property.

Though frequently mentioned, we urge as prior Grand Juries have, that stock raisers fire brand all stock so that identification will be certain in case of loss or theft.

Having completed our labors we respectfully ask that we be discharged this the 22nd day of January, A. D., 1941.

Signed JIM GAULT
Foreman
Secretary: H. A. DAVIDSON.

RED OPENS “A. H. (RED) McCOY, NO. 2” IN BROWNWOOD

He's spreading out! A. H. (Red) McCoy has just opened A. H. (Red) McCoy No. 2 in Brownwood, where the soldiers are working for Uncle Sam.

Red's got U. L. Rhodes in charge over there, and his used car lot is at Center and Depot street, near a filling station operated by A. D. Carter, formerly of Coryell County.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Nelson of Waco were guests of Mrs. R. J. Nettles Sunday.

THE WEATHER



Barometer Reading 30.30
Temperature 55
Western Union Forecast:
Friday cloudy and colder
Fishing Bad

NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

TOBRUK IN BRITISH HANDS

Cairo, Egypt, Jan. 23 (AP)—Australian shock troops led by a crack British regiment smashed thru Italian defense at Tobruk, a seaport base 80 miles from the Egyptian border, and took it, after a two-weeks' siege.

And now, they're going on toward West Derna, next objective which precedes Tripoli.

HUNDREDS KILLED IN SOFIA

Sofia, Bulgaria, Jan. 23, (AP)—Civil war between Rumanian extremists and soldiers of Dictators-General Ion Antonescu spread rapidly throughout nazi-dominated Rumania today and new dispatches said several hundred persons probably had been killed in bitter fighting.

CHIEF JUSTICE RETIRES

Washington, Jan. 23 (AP)—Associate Justice James Clark Mc-

Reynolds, brusque and immovable foe of the new deal constitutional principles, Wednesday announced his retirement from the Supreme Court, making possible President Roosevelt's sixth appointment to that nine-man tribunal.

799 AIRPLANES THIS MONTH

Washington, Jan. 22 (AP)—William S. Knudson reported on Wednesday that some 60 percent of 799 military planes produced in the United States last month were combat craft, the remainder being trainers.

Note:—We don't know whether it was “jug-heads” or “bottle-necks” that has been holding up production.

GREEKS TRAP 100 TRUCKS

Athens, Jan. 22, (AP)—The Greek air force reported Wednesday night the destruction by bombers of an entire Italian convoy of more than 100 trucks in the central Albanian front.

WILLKIE'S ON CLIPPER Aboard the Transatlantic Yankee Clipper, Jan. 22, (AP)—This Pan-American Clipper, carrying Wendell L. Willkie to Europe for a first hand study of conditions in England, arrived at Bermuda Wednesday after a smooth five-hour flight from New York.

BRITISH ASSETS UP \$36,000,000

Washington, Jan. 22, (AP)—Secretary Morgenthau notified the House Foreign Affairs Committee Wednesday that there recently had been a net increase of \$36,000,000 in British dollar and gold assets available to pay for war supplies in the United States.

“If I felt better I would be dangerous,” Willkie said as the ship landed.

INTER-DEPENDENT

Two weeks ago, a half dozen Gatesville businesses closed on account of the flu. We refer to the churches schools and moving picture houses.

Some folks hereabouts didn't think their closing would bother them and their businesses would go on, just the same, without any loss whatsoever. The first week was not over—no, had hardly started—before they found out by sad experience they actually "missed" these closed institutions.

Now, what we're about, is to remind, that no matter if a little hole-in-the-wall, and it closes, EVERYBODY in Gatesville and Coryell County PAYS. Now, under a 5-year plan a la Russia or some other government-do-it-all-country where everything is a monopoly, one of EACH business would be O K. That, however, is not the so called "American Way of Life", we hope.

Money, even pennies, spent IN Coryell County helps MAKE Coryell County, as well as your, and my business.

WE are glad these institutions have re-opened!



That Pearl Ball Club is going great guns, and Friday night, Ireland and Pearl boys and girls played the Irelanders, no scores were given by our "informer" but anyhow, Pearl girls nosed out the Ireland Lassies by four points, and Pearl Boys had to be content with a 1 point lead.

Monday night, the Lions Luminous Lumbering Loopers divided into two sections will entertain the cash customers. They're going to call it basket ball, but, we doubt it. Anyway here's the Pruitt Gang, J. B. Martin, George Painter, Erle Powell, Jesse Yates, H. B. Franks, Peyton Morgan, Joe Walker, C. H. Wallace, Jim McClellan, E. W. Brooks, Bob Arnold, Dr. C. U. Baize, J. O. Brown, Dr. John Thomas Brown, R. B. Cross, Pat Holt, Byron Leaird Jr., J. H. McClellan, J. A. Painter, V. C. Ray, Jack Roach, L. S. Secrest, Rev. E. L. Craig, Olin Sydow, Floyd Zeigler, and Robert Routh.

And, here's the other side of the argument: H. K. Jackson, Dr. Otis Carter Ray, Bobbie Patterson, Luke Walker, Reb Brown, Bythel Cooper, R. H. Miller, Crawford Scott, Earl Heath, G. W. Dennis, R. D. Foster, A. L. Chollar, W. W. Bamberg, J. H. Brown, Cam McGilvray, J. H. Hamilton, Mat Jones, Dr. E. E. Lowrey, Carl McClendon, Guy Powell, John Reesing, Robert Scott, E. D. Shelton, William Wiegand, Buddy Carl, Theo Copeland and Sherrill Kendrick.

To add ridiculousness to the already ridiculous, they ALL are to be addressed in ridiculous regalia, and if not, will be dressed in basketball suits on arrival. That's the story.

January 30, 31 and February 1, you can see the District Golden Gloves Boxing Tournament at Temple. It was held in Gatesville the two years previous.

Already, one boy has entered from Flat, but we've heard of no more entries from Coryell. May be we ARE getting soft.

This Coryell County boy who's entered, Wilbur L. Gallaway, a 25-year-old lightweight, who lists four victories in a Golden Gloves tournament in Denver in 1937.

GHS Hornettes are hanging up a nice record this season, as usual. So far, their record stands 11 wins one tie, and no losses for the season, and have scored a total of 301 points to 168 for their opponents. They are under the coaching of Mrs. Rabon Balch this season.

Friday night, these Hornettes make the long trip to Ennis where

they'll take on the fast aggregation of this little city.

Mrs. Otha Thomas left Sunday for Menard, where she is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Seth McLarty.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davidson and daughter, and Mrs. John Davidson spent Sunday in Waco.

Among those who attended the inauguration of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel in Austin Tuesday were, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut, Mrs. Tom Davidson and daughter, Lavetta Nell, and Mrs. Gene Huckabee.

Frank Morgan has been visiting relatives in Electra this week.

Kopprel Games Called Off

(J. Mc)

Because of illness of the Kopprel coaches they were forced to call off their games against the Gatesville cagers here Friday night. It is not known now when the games will be played. As you already know the Hornettes are undefeated thus far in the '41 season. They have scored 301 points to their opponents 168. This is a fine record. There will be no games in the GHS gym this week because of exams. Friday night both boys and girls' teams will journey to Ennis and clash with the strong basketball clubs there.

Pearl Sr. Boys Stop Evant, Girls And Juniors Too

Pearl High School teams, Senior Boys, Senior Girls and Junior Boys defeated Evant's teams Wednesday evening at Evant.

In the Senior boys game, the count was close, but according to reports, it was done without much trouble. The count 16-13.

With Conner, Freeman, Moseley, Hanes and Smith as a starting line-up the Dragonettes defeated the Evant Senior Girls 16-7. Freeman and Moseley fouled out. Medart, Clay and Chandler were off the Drangonettes team on account of sickness.

Junior Boys defeated the Evant Juniors 19-9.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of expressing our sincerest gratitude to our friends and neighbors for their help and for the many tokens of love and friendship manifested during the darkest hours of sorrow in the illness and death of our beloved husband and brother, Ed McMordie. Especially do we desire to thank Dr. M. W. Lowrey for his kindness and his sympathetic service, and those whose beautiful floral offerings have made this, our greatest loss, easier to bear.

Mrs. E. B. McMordie
His Brother and Sisters. 11-1ct

Phonographs are used to teach parrots to talk.

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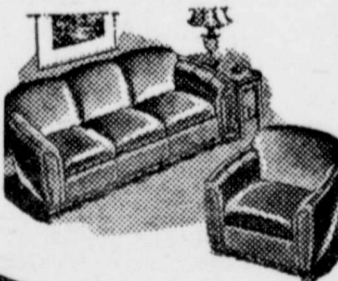
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MEN'S TO \$3.29
 CATALINA
Sweaters
\$1.98

THIS SALE CLOSSES SATURDAY NIGHT. MANY ITEMS REGROUPED. CUT DEEPER

CHILDREN'S FULL CUT
Coveralls
44c

To \$4.98 Ladies
SHOES
\$1.98
 Actual values to \$4.98 ladies fine Friedman Shelby all leather novelty shoes in late 1940 Styles for \$1.98.

Men's To \$1.79
Dress Shirts
98c
 Men! Lay in your whole summer supply these fine, well-made to \$1.79 Dress Shirts for only 98c.

SLIGHT 50c
 IRREGULARS
Mens Sox or Anklets
21c

MEN'S KNIT
Shirts or Drawers
44c

DRESSES
 CUT DEEPER
 Group To \$10.95 for \$2.98
 Group to \$13.95 for \$3.95
 Group to \$16.95 for \$4.95

Men's to \$5.95
 All Wool Worsted
PANTS
\$3.49
 Men! Here is your chance to get the best hand tailored pants for only \$3.49.

Reg. 49c
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37c

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HATS
98c

LADIES \$1.98
Purses
98c

If you have or have not attended this sale, you should do so before Saturday night. We are determined to not carry over one single item. Hundreds of items re-grouped and cut deeper for quick selling.

MEN'S OR BOYS' SANFORIZED
Pants
89c

ALL LADIES' 98c COSTUME
Jewelry
49c

MEN'S BIG SMITH CRAMERTON
PANTS
\$1.98

VALUES TO \$2.98
 LADIES' KID
Gloves
\$1.39

18c Eighty Sq. Prints 12c	39c Woven Seersucker 24c	36" New 15c Prints 10c	29c New Seersucker 19c
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MEN'S FLORSHEIM OXFORDS \$6.85
Painter's
 SHOP & COMPARE - YOU'LL BUY HERE AND SAVE
 Sale Closes Saturday Night!

MEN'S ARMY CRAMERTON
Jackets
\$1.79
 Zipper Front

Loony Lucy

Langtry, Texas.
Jan. 17, 1941.

Mr. Ward Burris,
Sports Editor, The Express,
San Antonio, Texas.
Dear Wardie:

I see where Hitler is still a wondering how to get crost the English Channell. Maybe Gertrude Edlerle could give him a few pointers. She swimmied the dern thing.

If we gets in this war Sammy Baugh and Davey O'Brien could lead the hand grenade squad. I betcha they would forward pass 'em dizzy.

The Brooklyn Dodgers would make good aviators. They been up in the air most of the time anyway. And the Yankees could be parachute troops—they took a dive last year.

I see where the Browns made a little money last year but not enough to go around, maybe some of the players will get drafted and get a raise in pay while in the Ar-

my.
The boy friend ain't a goin' in the draft. He's got flat feet, the Doc says. I ain't seen no report on his head, but it looks a little flat to me too.

I oiled up my gun and sharpened my knives today. I'm goin' to kill a pig durin' this cold spell. I shoots 'em and Dominicio sticks 'em fer me. I ain't never squealed a pig yet.

I seen where the pro footballers is a goin' to hire a commissioner like Landis. Now a important qualification is his ability to eat peanuts at the games. Landis holds the champeenship. The pros will have to be careful to select a good peanut eater if they are a goin' to foller in baseball's footsteps.

I got to quit and get back to my knife sharpenin' job. Be careful, and I'll be a seein' you Pal.

Yourn,

(Published through the courtesy of the San Antonio Express, San Antonio, Texas.)

Lions "Funnies" Meet "Bunnies" On Court

They're going to call it Basketball. We doubt THAT!

Well, two teams of big overstuffed Lions are to meet in deadly combat (they'll all be dead in 10 minutes) Monday night shortly after the opening whistle.

Its a comic-charity contest, for some good reason, but our informant didn't give all the low-down, and our guess is, that that's better.

You'll see no basketball, but it's guaranteed, certinteed, and approved by the AMA, GHkeeping Magazine, the GM&SF and the CCN. Ain't that enough?

SCOPE OF PROJECT WORK THIS YEAR

Summarising the efforts of the Future Farmers in project work and supervised practice, we find that the feeding of livestock leads the list with 19 boys feeding 24 choice feeder calves, 19 boys feeding 50 hogs for home use and market, and 6 boys feeding 34 lambs for mutton and show. Fifteen boys have 20 gilts and sows for pig production with nine head registered. Other leading project work includes 24 boys with 135 acres of corn, 8 boys with 55 acres of oats, with total crop projects exceeding 225 acres; 8 boys with 400 baby chicks, and 6 boys with 225 hens for egg production.

Supervised practice jobs includes home beautification, making home

conveniences, concrete work, fencing, building equipment and houses, vaccination, butchering, culling, dehorning, castrating, budding and grafting with every boy doing ten or more of the improved practices on the home farm.

James Moss' Home Wins 2nd Prize In Port Arthur

We have a photograph from Mr. and Mrs. James Moss of Port Arthur, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mears of Gatesville, whose home won 2nd place in a Christmas Home Decoration contest in that city.

Quoting one of the Port Arthur newspapers: James Moss, 3021 Thomas took second place. For the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Fred Parent, contest chairman, thanked all who entered, pointing out that the displays added considerably to Port Arthur's holiday appearance.

We are putting the Picture in our window so you may see how the "prize winner" looked.



Miss Nell Routh got the jump on 19 other "gals" at the beauty pageant held at the Regal Theatre Wednesday evening, under the direction of Vernon Hart of Waco. Prize was a silver loving cup. Miss Routh represented Benson's Beauty Shop. Playing second and third fiddle were, Frances McCoy and Belva McCoy, winning second and third ribbons, respectively. These beauties represented Wm. Cameron Co., Inc. and Arnold's Drug Store.

ARW

Coryell County is to have its Centennial Celebration in May just prior to the opening of the exposition in Dallas June 6, according to Mrs. Tom Mears, County Chairman, and newly elected President. The tentative plans are a pageant at night, depicting the history of the county, and this is to be followed the next day by an "Old Settlers' Reunion".

ARW

George B. Painter became sole owner of the former Painter & Lee drygoods and department store, when he bought out B. W. Lee's interest in a deal consummated January 10. In the future this store will be known as Painter's.

YOUNGEST H-SU STUDENT IS FIFTEEN YEARS OLD

Fifteen-year-old Donald Eudale Blount of Delwin, Texas is the youngest student enrolled in Hardin-Simmons University for the fall semester, according to Mrs. J. A. Beard, registrar.

Born August 2, 1925, Blount is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blount from a farm near Delwin, in Cottle county. He has one brother and two sisters. Starting in school at the age of four, Blount was graduated from Valley View high school, near Paducah, in 1940 and was valedictorian of his class. When asked why he was allowed to start so early, he replied, "I could read, write, count and spell".

Although not sure what field he expects to enter upon graduation, he is especially interested in journalism and aviation. He is a member of the "Players' Club.—The Abilene Post.

Young Blount is the nephew of Mrs. W. C. Roberts and Mrs. J. L. Rogers, and a cousin of Mrs. Jim Alford, all of Gatesville.

ARTHUR MATTHEWS DIES AT HOME OF HIS DAUGHTER IN DALLAS

Arthur Matthews, age 55, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. B. McCombs, in Dallas Saturday, and funeral services were

held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 in this city from Scott's Funeral Home, conducted by the Rev. E. L. Craig. Interment was made in the City cemetery, Scott's in charge.

He was born and reared in Gatesville, and was married to Miss Alma Anderson July 21, 1909. He was a member of the Methodist Church of this city.

Mr. Matthews was a member of one of the oldest and highly respected families of Gatesville. He had borne the ten years of affliction with bravery and cheerful outlook.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. McCombs, of Dallas; two grandchildren; one brother, Jack Matthews of San Antonio; one sister, Mrs. Holland Turner, of Austin.

Pallbearers were, H. R. Saunders, Reid Powell, B. M. Wollard, J. O. Brown, L. K. Thomson and Rickard Dickie.

The days has been divided into 24 hours from earliest times.

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Miss Ruth Williams, Cors.

We are having some very cool weather at present.

Mrs. Foy Wicker of Gatesville is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams, while Mr. Foy Wicker is going to school at Fort Worth.

Clyde Cook is on the sick list. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Those visiting Monday with Mrs. R. P. Williams were: Mrs. Dorothy Cook, Mrs. Edna Wenderborn and Wanda, Mrs. Cecil Williams and Shirley, Mrs. Loss Huskerson and Mrs. Joyce Touchstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cook and family had as their guests Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hawkins and boys of Jonesboro and Harold Cook of White Hall.

Jewel and Edna Mae Wenderborn of Gatesville spent the week end with home folks here.

Mrs. Bud Williams attended church services at White Hall Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin and Charlene of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wallace and Ozella of

ty and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Martin and family.

Union

Vadena Hagan, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carroll visited his mother, Mrs. W. D. Carroll, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bratton spent Friday in the Roy Gallegly home and helped kil hogs.

Rev. Joe Pat Butth of Baylor spent the week end with home folks.

The Henry Thompson family attended church Sunday night at Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carroll and Marion McDonald were guests in the John Hagan home Sunday nite.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nite and Roland visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Ingram of Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Butth and Joe Pat attended church at Piddoke Sunday.

Mrs. M. T. Carroll was a recent caller of Mrs. Duncan Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Eakin, Monett and Monroe Eakin visited

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eakin Sunday. Monett remained for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Rruery Carroll visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hagan Tuesday night.

Plainview

Almost everyone has had the flu but all are better now.

Everyone says that they have had plenty of rain for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wagner of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. John Shoaf of Gatesville went to Austin on business Tuesday.

They had church at Plainview Sunday night. Everyone is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Terry of Cranfills Gap were visiting friends at Plainview Monday.

Mr. Billie Rhoades of Plainview and Mr. Charles Karl of Pearl were visitors in Austin on Tuesday for the "Buffalo Barbecue" given by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel.

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The "celebrities," following the Hollywood custom will begin to arrive at the theatre in new automobiles and floodlights will light the theatre entrance, while microphones and amplifiers will be used in introducing the guests as they enter.

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GERMAN STRATEGY

Presence of 600,000 crack German troops in Rumania may be the prelude to a lightning Nazi attack against Britain and her allies in the Balkans and the Near East. While the possibility of a Nazi feint toward the Dardanelles to weaken British alertness in their tight little isle must not be overlooked, it must be remembered that Hitler's axis partner is in serious straits and that assistance from Berlin is acutely needed.

From Rumania, Hitler can send his legions through impotent Bulgaria to attack the Greeks in Macedonia, forcing them to abandon the campaign in Albania which threatens to destroy a sizable Italian army. Or the Fuehrer can seek to gain mastery over the strategic Dardanelles and the Bosphorus, now controlled by Britain's friend and ally, Turkey.

An attempt at the latter objective certainly would involve Germany in a long and costly war with the tough Turks, who on many occasions have proved their mettle in battle against superior odds in numbers and equipment. If successful, a war against Turkey would afford Hitler the opportunity to send his mechanized forces toward the vital Suez Canal and to eject the British from their Mediterranean position, which is based primarily upon control of Egypt and the canal.

These are the possibilities which stem from the transfer of 600,000 German troops from central Europe through Hungary to Rumania. What Hitler will do, which route he will choose in an effort to hit the British at a vulnerable spot, is anybody's guess.

Of this we are certain, however: Unless Italian forces independently redeem themselves in Albania and Libya or are reinforced by German assistance, Hitler will lose his Fascist partner in arms during 1941.

Italy's position both economically and militarily is steadily growing weaker and with each successive victory by the Greeks in Albania and the British-Egyptian forces in Africa Mussolini's hold upon his people will deteriorate.

Hitler's great decision is this: Should he divide his forces and seek to save his Italian ally and preserve his continental position; or should he concentrate all his resources upon an all-out attack on England?

If Hitler were certain he could invade and subdue England, he could and doubtless would permit Italy to go under, as the destruction of England would insure Germany's supremacy in Europe and in Africa. But Hitler cannot be sure that his forces ever can run over England as they did over

Belgium, Holland and France last spring; therefore he may deem it necessary to rescue Mussolini.

Hence the presence of large German forces in Bulgaria, poised for possible attacks in several directions, is a source of concern to the British, who lack the forces to repel any sizable invasion of their Near East strongholds.

One thing we may regard as a certainty, probably during the first six months of this year: That Hitler will launch his forces in some direction in an attempt to knock out Britain before the resources of the United States and of the British Dominions forever rule out the possibility of a Nazi triumph.

ANNUAL BIBLE LECTURESHIP TO BE HELD AT A.C.C. FEBRUARY 23-27

Abilene, Texas, January 15.—President Don H. Morris has announced that Christian Citizenship will be the general subject for Abilene Christian college's 24th annual Bible lectureship to be held in Abilene February 23 through 27.

Last year over 700 people from 15 different states were present for this event. Each year lectures are delivered by 35 or 40 of the Church of Christ's more prominent ministers.

Seven of the ten speakers which will deliver the main addresses, two daily, have been chosen. Complete program should be released for publication within ten days.

In addition to the several lectures daily, there will be programs, exhibits, and social affairs sponsored by the various student groups for the entertainment of the out-of-town guests.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. BILL HAMILTON

The death angel crept into the Bill and Ora Hamilton home December 9, 1940 and took home to glory the wife, "Ora". She had been in bad health four years and seriously ill about three months. She had almost lived her three score ten, her time here on earth being usefully spent by doing good for those about her.

She was a devoted wife, loving mother and loyal neighbor. Those who knew her best, loved her most. She was converted when she was 14 years old and joined the Flat Baptist Church the year of 1935. She told her loved ones not to weep for her that she was prepared to meet her Maker. This is the sweetest consolation she could have left her loved ones. Weep not, dear loved ones, for she is now enjoying the blessedness which thou has prepared for those who love the Lord.

Ora Webb Hamilton and Bill Hamilton were wed fifty-one years

and to this happy union ten children were born, all of whom survive; also 31 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

The pallbearers were her sons, Louis of Temple, Tom of Mound, Henry, Ray, Irl and Everette of Flat. Her four daughters are, Alice Brazzil, Mary Palmer, Ruby Smith, of Flat, Eva Holman of Oglesby. Her brothers and sisters are: John Webb of Gatesville, Med Webb of Flat, Mesdames Iccaw Clawson, John Clawson of Flat, and Kota Stephens of Post City.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Ollie Williams, assisted by the Rev. Earl Harper. Interment was made in the Flint Creek cemetery.—A Friend, Mrs. A. C. Smith.

RICHARD TROLL DIES SUDDENLY IN GERMAN VALLEY COMMUNITY

The sudden death of Richard Troll, member of a prominent family in the German Valley community, was a sad shock to the family and his many friends. He died of a heart attack on Wednesday evening, January 8, 1941 at about 4:30 o'clock.

On Thursday afternoon a great company of mourning relatives and friends gathered at the Troll home and paid tribute to the memory of Mr. Troll. Bro. Daily, pastor of the Methodist Church of Cranfills Gap, officiated at the last rites at 2 o'clock. He was buried in the Boggy cemetery.

Richard August Troll was born July 7, 1878 in Washington county. At the time of his death he was 62 years, 6 months, and 2 days. He leaves to mourn his going an aged mother, four sisters, Mrs. Wm. Patzig, Mrs. H. E. Simmons, Mrs. R. C. Pendleton, and Mrs. Milda Cowan; four brothers, Gus, Alvin and Willie Troll; also 12 nephews and 4 nieces. His father and a sister, Mrs. H. F. Gaston, and a brother and sister, who died in infancy, preceded him in death.

A wonderful man has passed and gone, but has left this world richer by having lived, and those who loved him most and have suffered the saddest loss, are offered the comfort and heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends.—Contributed.

NATIVE CORYELL COUNTIAN BURIED HERE SATURDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Ruby Bond, 49, who died at 2 p. m. Friday at her home in this city, where she had made her home all her life, were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Scott's Funeral Home, conducted by the Rev. C. M. Spalding. Interment was made



Before this letter reaches you President Roosevelt will have been inaugurated for a third term—another precedent will have been broken. This nation will have again demonstrated to the world that while we are mindful of habit and tradition that we are not bound by the past when the good of the people and the safety of the nation demands that we break with custom. Probably none of us now living will again have the opportunity to see a man inaugurated President of the United States for a third term. We all hope that the condition of world affairs never again makes it necessary or desirable. There is, therefore, unusual interest in this inauguration. Thousands of seats have been erected along the streets between the White House and the Capitol building from which the occupants will watch the parade which will be led by President Roosevelt himself. Each member of Congress has been allotted seven tickets as have various other officials of the government. For each ticket available we have probably a dozen requests that we can not fill, but with all

in the City cemetery, Scott's in charge. She had been ill for one month.

Ruby Love was born in Coryell County, two miles east of Gatesville December 1, 1891. She was married at Gatesville, February 5, 1921 to Alvie Bond, and to them four children, all of whom are living, were born. She joined the First Baptist Church here one year ago last October.

Surviving are: four children, Gracie Lee, Dorothy Jean, Charles A. and Joyce Marie; four sisters, Mrs. Tom Bond, Mrs. Oliver Tatum, Mrs. Luther Bond, and Mrs. Lige Brazziel, all of Gatesville; two brothers, Raby Love of Gatesville and Wade Love of Arlington; and a host of other close relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were, Ernest Bauman, Clarence Barton, Weldon Gilchrist, Louie Gilchrist, Arlis Bond, and John P. Reesing.

of the excitement over the great event it is not possible to overlook the serious feeling that so strongly influences every action, conversation or gathering in Washington these days.

The meetings of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs are attracting even greater interest than the impending inauguration, and properly so. The Committee is holding hearings on the so-called "Aid to the Democracies" bill. It is meeting in the large Caucus Room where the House itself met last Fall while the workmen were putting braces under the roof of the House chamber. Even here it is impossible to find space for the hundreds who want to see and hear the proceedings. This, of course, evidences a healthy interest in the question, but I can not but feel that quite often we go so far in our effort to provide a fair and open forum that we really overlook the primary purpose of public hearings by legislative bodies. For instance, this bill is admitted by all—friend and foe alike—to be of vital importance. The Committee that must pass on details should have every bit of helpful information that it can get about the subject. It is perfectly proper that it should hear from every person in public or private life who can give information, but it can add nothing to the information that the Committee has to call people whose opinions have been repeatedly expressed in the press and over the radio. It seems to me that some of the members of the Committee and particularly three or four of the Republican members are trying to use these hearings as a means of carrying on a public argument rather than as a means of getting information.

It does seem clear, however, that every witness who has testified so far, and who has any special opportunity to know the facts, as for instance Secretary of State, Hull; Secretary of War, Knox; and Secretary of Navy, Stimson, have agreed that speed in whatever action we take is absolutely essential. It will do no good to aid the Democracies unless our aid reaches them in time for them to use. It is now too late to aid Czechoslovakia. It is too late to aid Norway or Holland or France. If we delay it may be too late to aid Greece or China, or even Great Britain.

Another point that has been brought out with great emphasis has been that any half-hearted measures will be worse than nothing. If we are to aid the Democracies we must do it in a large way. A little aid like a little knowledge is a dangerous thing. A little aid carries with it all the risks of "all-out" aid as far as offending the dictators is concerned. In addition, it invites attack by incurring the contempt of the dictators, and most serious of all, it makes probably the loss of the cause we seek to strengthen. Let us, therefore, recognize that if we ourselves are to be spared active participation in this war we must put the weapons in the hands of other free people with which they can strike a death blow not merely a superficial wound to tyranny. Let it never be charged that the United States has been interested in giving only enough aid to keep the contestants fighting without any prospects of victory as it sometimes seems that Soviet Russia is trying to do. We do not want people to destroy themselves. We want peace—peace not at the price of destruction of the liberties of others, but peace based on the removal of every threat to American security—a complete victory for the forces of freedom. We must have this kind of peace, and it is to that end that I join with the Administration in seeking the passage of this bill.



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WASHINGTON—

HAMPERS DEFENSE PROGRAM

The serious shortage in aluminum (a factor behind the lagging plane production) is not the only crucial raw material bottleneck now plaguing the defense program.

Another is the lack of sheet brass, out of which shell casing is made.

As in the case of aluminum, defense chiefs are shush-shushing the brass shortage. But it is so grave that experts admit privately that it may become necessary to curtail consumption for civilian purposes in order to meet the steadily soaring military demand. In fact, brass may be one of the first base metals to be put on the military priority list.

Cause of the shortage is twofold:

1. Lack of sufficient zinc smelting facilities. Zinc is an essential ore in brass, which in turn is essential in the manufacture of all ammunition casings, from bullets for small arms to giant shells for the heaviest cannon.

2. Shortage of brass manufacturing facilities.

The two are interrelated and there can be no improvement in one unless the other also is remedied. There is no dearth of zinc ore or scrap zinc, which are in plentiful supply. The bottleneck is in smelting and brass-making plants.

At present the United States has some 20-odd primary slab zinc smelters and five so-called secondary smelters, which use scrap zinc instead of ore. Their combined output is 450,000 tons—far short of the American and British defense requirements already specified.

Meanwhile, our own shell needs and those of the British increase daily. To meet this, brass manufacturers are hurriedly expanding their rolling mill facilities and also adding machinery to turn out casings. But all this will be useless unless they can get more smelted zinc.

In a belated move to deal with this menacing situation, the Defense commission several weeks ago granted a "certificate of necessity" to a large zinc smelter at Amarillo, Texas, for an addition to its plant. That will help—when the plant is finished. But even then it will be far from enough.

Independent producers charge that the zinc delay is caused by the same factor which has held up aluminum, namely—monopoly.

They assert that the big operators don't want new competitors in the field and operate undercover to bar them, through strategically placed influences in the Defense commission.

UNDER THE DOME

Thanks to careful advance planning by Floor Leader Alben Barkley and Senate Secretary Edwin Halsey the convening of the senate was the smoothest in the memory of veteran employees. There wasn't a single hitch.

Tennessee's new Rep. Percy Priest, of Nashville, who performed the extraordinary feat of ousting an incumbent Southern Democrat who had won the party nomination, was the most photographed rookie on Capitol Hill. "And the least photogenic," quipped the new congressman.

Most active glad-hander at the opening was bulky, 68-year-old Sen. David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, who, easily re-elected, sat in his aisle seat hand-pumping everyone in sight. Most conspicuous absentee was Sen. "Cotton Ed" Smith.

Cranfills Gap

Mrs. M. C. Terry, cors.

We are sorry to state Mrs. Gus Wold has pneumonia. We hope she is better soon.

Miss Melton spent last week end in Waco with relatives and friends.

Mr. Alfred Christopherson has returned from a hospital in Dallas and is feeling much better.

Mr. Wendell Larson of Dallas is visiting home folks.

Last Tuesday night, Bro. Daily, Aliene Brasher, Lola Jones, Billy Russell, Virgil Brasher, Floy Russell, Mrs. Hubert Uiertel, Uerus Brasher and Ellanora Brasher attended the Hamilton County League at Hamilton. Cranfills Gap was responsible for the program and a recreation number.

The Baptist people are still having prayer meeting on Wednesday night and ask you to come.

The football boys' banquet last Thursday night was well attended. Miss Odessa Rhoades of Plainview, west of Gatesville, spent the

week end with friends near Cranfills Gap.

Miss Kennedy spent the week end with relatives in China Springs.

Last Tuesday afternoon, the Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Alfred Brasher and enjoyed the following program: Song, To the Work; Devotional, Mrs. Daily; The Real Meaning of Word Friendship, Mrs. Homer Burleson; The World Missions, Mrs. Dennie Pendleton; God Bless America, Miss Aliene Brasher; God Bless America, reading, Mrs. Dave Tindall; Song, We'll Work Till Jesus Comes; Prayer of dismissal, by Mrs. P. C. Nelson.

Mound

Mrs. L. T. Lightsey, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mayberry, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowery attended the funeral of Mrs. Mayberry's sister, Mrs. Lon Strickland, of San Saba recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Quince Davidson and Miss Ima Fellers visited in Neff Park Sunday afternoon.

Quite a number have been down with the flu, the writer included.

Mrs. Ted Mayberry and children of Bay City visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. M. Fellers, recently.

Mrs. Ford Roberts and daughter of Waco visited Mrs. H. S. Roberts and other relatives recently.

Imella Lawrence of Houston has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davidson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kinslow of Rosebud.

Aunt Hett Wood is ill at this time and her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Arnold, of Waco is here with her.

Mr. George Franks is ill at this writing.

Spring Hill

Mrs. Fred Dyer, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Dildy have moved to Gatesville to live until they get their house built on their place southeast of Gatesville. Mr. and Mrs. Dildy lived on their farm at Spring Hill 33 years. We wish them much health and happiness in their new home.

Others moving from here the past week were, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Hendrix and family, who moved from the Bates farm to Coryell Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Griffie moved from the Rodgers farm to Levita.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Dyer and Mart of Pidcoke spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dyer and family.

Mrs. Tom Dyer received word Sunday night of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Mollie Nobles, of King.

Cave Creek

Bertha Neely, Corrs.

This community received a rain Monday which we didn't need.

Misses Lorraine and Oleta Taylor of Coryell Valley visited Effie and Bertha Neely last Saturday afternoon.

Ben Johnson and family from Turnersville have moved in our

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community.

Miss Bertha Neely is slowly improving.

Grannie Chambers and Mrs. A. B. Graham are both on the sick list this week. We wish for them a speedy recovery.

Ed Neely is still on the sick list. He is worse at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davis of Turnersville visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham and children last Sunday.

Turnover

Mrs. Elbert Collier, cors.

The men of the community and a few from Friendship and Ewing attended the Government auction sale Tuesday morning of the deceased Vernon Blanchard's plow tools, wagon and team.

Mrs. Floy Blanchard and Mrs. Lydia Wicker visited Mrs. Georgia Wicker Tuesday.

Mrs. Vandyke and Miss M. B. visited in the Sam Spence home recently.

Mr. J. M. Johnston of Gatesville is working for Elbert Collier.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hooser and Pearl have the flu.

Mr. Dink Rose and Elbert Collier helped Tom Blanchard kill

hogs Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Buth visited Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Russell Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Star of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson visited our new neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Rheeder, Sunday afternoon.

Recent guests in the John Hagan home were, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nite, Mrs. J. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson and children and Monroe Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gallegly and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Buth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nite and Roland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baize, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Estes were recent guests in the Duncan Chambers home.

Mrs. John Hagan, Mrs. Sam Patterson, Vadena and Johnnie Belle Hagan attended conference at Bee House Friday.

Monroe Eakin, Roland Nite, Marion McDonald, Howard and Travis Hagan were callers of Sam Patterson Saturday night.

Peabody

Janice Upton, Cors.

There are still a few cases of flu in this community yet. However almost everyone is improving now.

Uncle Finner Jones, who is making his home with Mr. J. H. Conner, is very ill. We are hoping he will soon be improving or quite well again.

Deloris Rambo is absent from school on account of illness.

Frank Upton and his Granddaddy Hayes are just recovering from the flu.

T. J. and Cleve Chambers hunted rattlesnakes Monday. They killed nine of the reptiles, some of them very large ones, according to their report.

Mrs. Fayrene Reece has returned home from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. F. C. Williamson, of Cisco.

Mrs. Norman Allen Smith of the Unity community is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammack, while Mr. Smith is employed at Mineral Wells.

Mr. Mabern Hampton of Wichita, his mother and brother of Pearl spent Saturday night with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Moseley.

Mr. Rabie Hampton and family

of Wichita Falls visited his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Reaves over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rogers and little daughter, Jan, visited Mr. Rogers' mother last Sunday.

Mrs. Alvie Marriott of Pearl visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Irby, Monday.

Mr. Lot Edmondson had as his guests through the week end the following, Mrs. Edna Beaty and two daughters of Luling, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Edmondson and family of Gatesville, Mr. Byron Edmondson and family of Evant and Mrs. Alma Chandler and two children.

Elmer and Roy Chambers of Izora visited their mother, Mrs. Minnie Chambers, Sunday.

Schley

Mrs. Jim Alford, Cors.

Almost all of the flu victims are over it now, and at this writing it looks as if we will have some sunshine.

Schley Woodlock from San Antonio camp spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Q. Woodlock.

Ed McDonald came home from Brownwood Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDonald are sporting a new car since last Friday.

Mrs. Paul Alford and daughters, Doris Marie and Jessie Morene, spent Saturday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Q. Woodlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Painter and daughter, Charlotte, visited in the Jim Alford home Wednesday nite.

Mrs. R. C. Dyess has been ill, also Mrs. Charley Parrish, Mrs. John Seilhiemer and children, Joyce and John Wesley.

Raymond Bankhead of Waco spent the week end here, returning to his work at Waco Monday.

Buster Graves visited his sister, Mrs. Marshall Woodlock, and family Monday afternoon.

Turnersville

Mrs. Emma Jones, Cors.

Howard Southerland and wife and Raymond Southerland attended the funeral of the late Jim Brim in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. D. B. Scott of Speegleville is visiting in the Rev. D. L. Scott

Epidemic Of Cold Symptoms

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

home. Dave Smith and wife are home after spending the past week in Ft. Stockton.

Mrs. Jerry Phillips and Ruby Ellen of Iredell were Saturday visitors in the Dan Sharp home. Tony Wallace and family are visiting his mother, Mrs. E. S. Wallace.

Bailey Huskerson and family of Dallas were recent visitors in the Guy Huskerson home.

J. T. Garren and family, Misses Vivian and Edith Pardue were McGregor visitors Sunday.

R. M. Holder and wife, Oscar Russel and wife, Miss Cleo Holder, accompanied Miss Claudine Holder to Austin Sunday.

Harmony

Miss Louise Whaley, cors.

The Club met in the home of Mrs. Luther Whaley last Wednesday, January 8, to reorganize a new club which we hope to be a better and larger club in the future. All are invited to be at the next meeting which will be in the near future at Gossett's. One quilt was tacked and several cup towels hemmed. Cake, hot chocolate and sandwiches were served. Those present were Mesdames Thomas, Parker, Manning, Brookshire, Liendier, and Gossett.

Mr. Johnnie Brookshire has been ill but is better at this writing.

Mr. W. F. Manning spent a few days with Mrs. Curry of Eliga.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. White, J. C.

Gossett, Ernest Roden spent a few hours in the Boon Wilkerson home Wednesday night.

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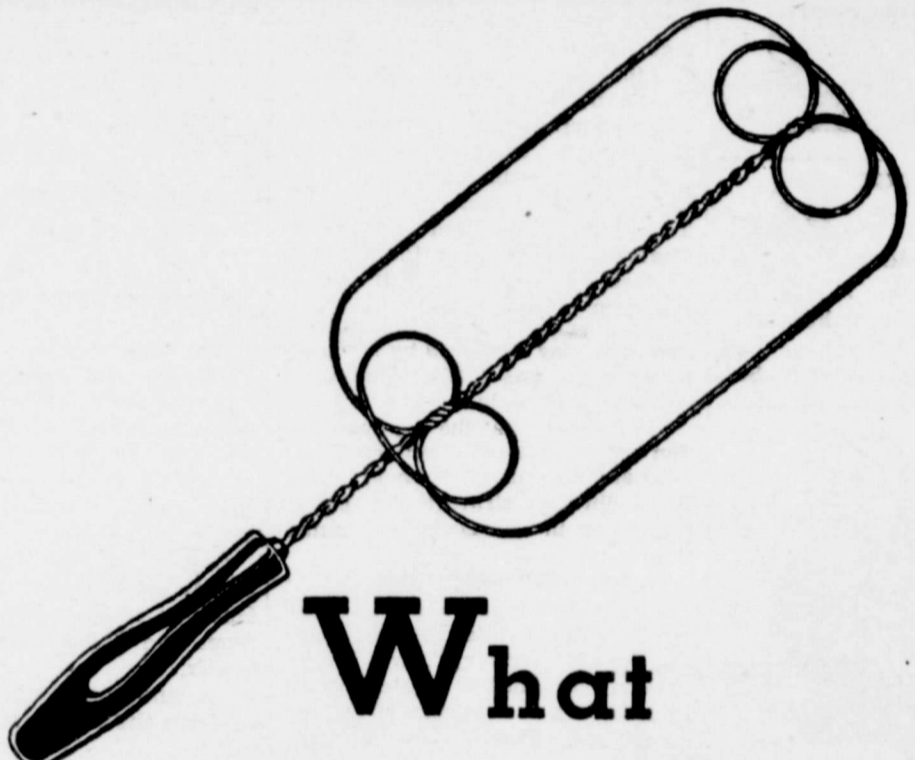
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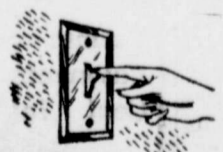
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