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Bryan Hanks, Former Gatesville Boy Is "Columnized"

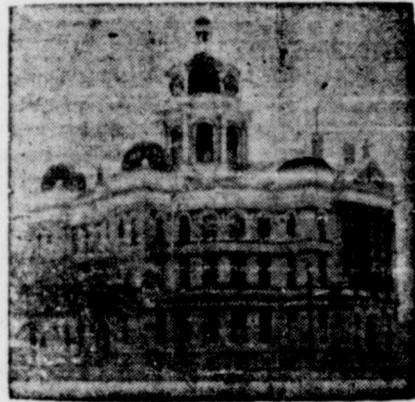
Bryan Hanks, formerly of Gatesville, and well known in Florida where he is one of the heads of a large utility company was given a long write-up by Ellis Hollums, Executive Editor of the Miami Herald of Miami, Florida.

He had just been named president of the Miami Wiwanis Club, and he is eulogized highly by Mr. Hollums. Mr. Hanks is a member of practically every organization of any note in Miami, and is really making a record in that city. He has many relatives and friends here who will be pleased with this recognition.

Mrs. Una Campbell visited Mrs. Curtis Hatter in Moody the past week end.

Mrs. G. W. Byrom is spending the week in Temple visiting Mrs. Edd Wilson.

Courthouse News



MARRIAGE LICENSES
Walter J. Windham and Mary Edith Whitson.

DEEDS RECORDED
H. C. Stinnett to Guaranty Bank and Trust Co.
R. W. Roeboth and wife to Ruth Walker.
S. P. Sadler to Mrs. Sarah Belle Sadler.

L. Kemp and wife to J. B. Kemp
A. (Aug.) Beteit to Mrs. Eugenia Chatham.
Isabell Edwards and others to W. H. Everett.

Mrs. Marjorie Stewart and husband to Mrs. Norris M. Treadway.

NEW CARS REGISTERED
W. Howard Lee, '41 Buick Sedan.
Joe Cross, '41 Chevrolet Sedan.

Markets

As of February 3

Corn, ear	50c
Corn, shelled	55c
Cottonseed, ton	\$28
Cream, No. 1	24c
Cream, No. 2	19c
Oats, sacked	34c
Oats, loose	32c
Eggs	13c
Fryers	12c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	9c
Hens, heavy	11c

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall of Port Arthur announce the arrival of a baby daughter, Sandra Gene, who was born last Monday, January 27, at 4:15 p. m. in that city. Mr. Hall is the former Miss Winnie Bell Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis of Gatesville. The paternal grandparents of the infant are Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall of Arnett.

Friends and relatives in this city have received announcements from Mr. and Mrs. Durward Taylor of San Antonio of the arrival of a baby daughter, who was born at 3:06 p. m. Sunday, January 26, in the Santa Rosa Hospital in that city. The little miss, who weighed 9 1-4 pounds, has been given the name Constance Kay.

A baby son, who weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Miller Sunday morning at 2:30 o'clock at their home in this city. He has been given the name Tom Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Reb Hale announce the arrival of a baby son, born Saturday morning at their home in the Straws Mill community. The youngster weighed seven and one half pounds.

CAR CATCHES FIRE AT POWELL CHEVROLET CO.

Monday about 1:45 p. m. a car at the Powell Chevrolet Company caught fire, but the blaze was extinguished before the firemen arrived shortly afterward. No serious damage was done.

HOUSE O.K. BRITISH AID DUE

Washington, Feb. 2 (AP)—Administration strategists said they hoped to obtain House approval of the aid-to-Britain bill by next week end without major amendment and then grant any necessary concessions to assure Senate passage by a substantial majority.

A determined fight was in the making, however, in the Senate. Its foreign relations committee arranged another week of hearings. Opposition witnesses, including Norman Thomas, Col. Charles A. Lindberg and Philip La Follette, former Wisconsin Governor were on the list.

AGORDAT TAKEN BY LIMYS

Cairo, Egypt, Feb. 2 (AP)—The capture of Agordat, important rail center of Eritrea, with many hundreds of Italian prisoners, guns and transport material, was announced Sunday by the British who said they were moving forward on all fronts in the East African campaign against Italy's empire.

Quiz Asks And You Can Win By Answering

It starts today in the News! It's a "Quiz Asks" contest—we ask the questions, and you answer them.

First three get the "pay-off", which will be announced the following Tuesday.

See the "Quiz Contest" advertisements inside for all the particulars.

It's always fun, and it's popular, these quiz contests, and it's legal, since it's educational.

And, that's the contest!

4-H Boys Show Animals In Houston

County Agent Guy Powell and Vocational Instructor J. C. Fox of Oglesby accompanied a number of boys to Houston yesterday where they will enter calves, hogs and sheep in the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Two large trucks left about 3:30 p. m. for Texas' leading city, and the News was unable to get the names of the boys making the trip. A preliminary showing of the show stock was held on the square, and the results of this show could not be obtained.

The Houston show opened Monday (yesterday). Coryell county exhibited the champion Poland China barrow at the show last year, and the champion Duroc barrow pen.

Three Sets Answer Uncle Sam's Call In February

Uncle Sam will decrease Coryell County's population this month, February by twenty-five. They'll be going to some "service" camp.

Here's the going order: five men will leave here the 11th, and are all volunteers.

Eleven will leave the 13th, and these are "replacements" for those who have been "repatriated" and sent back home.

Finally, 9 men will be sent to Fort Sam Houston on the 26th, and these are from the "selectee" list, and so far, will not be volunteers.

GHS Hornets Are Honored at Football Banquet of Lions

All the boys were honored at the Gatesville Lions Club Football Banquet which was held at the M. E. Church basement Thursday night, with Robert Nelson, all-American center from Baylor University as the principal speaker.

Erle Powell did the toastmastering for the occasion, and invocation was by Rev. E. L. Craig, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Miss Jerry McClaren of JTAC delighted the audience with a recitation, Kenneth Fry spoke briefly on "Our Coach", and Clyde Lee stole the show with his short tribute from "The Boys from the Bench."

Coach Madison Pruitt reviewed the season briefly and the Dean of JTAC showed films depicting activities at the school.

Besides the squadmen present, were Pep Squad Leaders, Camille Lester, Mary Jane Slone, and Madlon Copeland; Pageant Representatives: Mary Margaret Holmes; Sponsors: Mrs. Rabon Balch and Miss Louise Hall; Majorettes: Gene Stinnett, Adeline Powell, Sara Frances Graham, Mary Margaret Holmes and June Chamlee.

Members of the squad honored were Charles Sydow, Dick Anderson, Raymon Sexton, Everett Gribble, Lewis Bone, Ben Owen Crow, Elmo King, Billy Oldham, Billy Manning, Bob Cross, Fred Post, Charles Caruth, George Walker, Eugene White, Curtis Davis, Kenneth Fry, and James Riley, all lettermen, and Delbert Williams, Harold Thomas, Cloyce Parsons, Eugene Blanchard, Clyde Lee, Walter Brown, Ray Wittie, Johnnie Gilmore, Durward Thetford, Twiford Schloeman, Ira Gohlke, Gerald Martin, Norris Graves, Joe Hanna, Bobby Melton, Earnest Evans, Oran Bragewitz, all members of the "Scrubs", and the two managers "Red" White and "Rosy" Ward.

Two Accidents Occur During Week End

R. W. Ward was the only occupant of his car who was injured when it overturned Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock two miles north of Antelope as he and Mrs. Ward, Mrs. W. C. Bradley and son, Billy Carl, were en route to Wichita Falls. He received a sprained ankle, while the others only received scratches and bruises.

The accident occurred when the left back tire blew out and Mr.

Red Cross Meets Thursday Night: To Report and Plan

County Chairman C. E. Alvis Jr., of the American Red Cross has issued a call for a general meeting to be held in the County Court room at 7:30 p. m. Thursday. All members are urged to be present.

Mr. Alvis stated the meeting was called to hear a report on the Roll Call from Mrs. Tom R. Mears, Roll Call Chairman and to elect the Executive Committee for the county organization. The years work and the activities of various committees will be discussed.

Interested people, whether they are members of the Red Cross are requested to be present.

Special emphasis will be given to the phase of Red Cross work dealing with war relief. It is imperative that the Coryell County Chapter launch this part of its program at this time due to the dire need of stricken and conquered peoples for wearables and emergency supplies that may be and are being supplied by unselfish voluntary workers that are willing to give their services in order to help sustain life for the helpless non-combatants in nations disordered by war.

Particularly it is urged that all ladies who are interested in sewing or knitting for this cause, if materials are furnished, be present.

Chairman Alvis stressed that it was hoped that members from all over the county be present, for the entire membership must get behind this movement to make it successful.

C. of C. Banquet Committees Are Named

H. K. Jackson was named to head the Nominating committee for the Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet to be held soon, and committees are named to nominate the officers for the new year. Plans are now being made for a large banquet, with a splendid program.

For the Nominating Committee, Leake Ayres has been named chairman, B. K. Cooper, Byron Leaird, Jr., L. M. Stinnett and Charlie Mounce as committeemen.

Program Committee: H. K. Jackson, chairman, Floyd Zeigler, George Painter.

Decorating: Rev. Edward S. Bayless, chairman, Mrs. Mabel Gardner, Mrs. Ethel Ford.

Arrangements: L. K. Thomson, chairman, Howard Franks, and Miss Sidney Gayle Gibson.

Tickets: Robert Scott and Floyd Murray, section west of 5th street, L. S. Secrest and Cam McGilvray, National Bank Block and all of section north; A. W. Ellis and Hurl McClellan, courthouse, block south of courthouse and all east of it; Joe Walker and Otis Ray, block east of courthouse and that section to the east; E. W. Jones Jr., and John Reising, all of the section east and north of Flentge's Drug Store.

Ward lost control of his car, which overturned several times in the ditch.

Another accident occurred somewhere in the Osage community Sunday when one car backed into another, breaking the glass. A son of W. H. Williams received a cut on his jaw but it was not known whether anyone else was injured.

THE WEATHER

Barometer Reading 30.40
Temperature 46
Western Union Forecast:
Fair and rising temperature Tuesday.
Fishing Good

NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

3 NAZIS, 1 LIMY DOWN

London, Feb. 2 (AP)—The British opened a new daylight aerial offensive Sunday against the French and Belgian coasts from which Germany is expected to try to invade Britain in the spring.

An air ministry report said 3 German fighting planes encountered by RAF were destroyed, and that 1 British plane was missing.

ITALIANS STILL ON RUN

Athens, Greece, Feb. 2 (AP)—Greek soldiers, fighting persistently despite heavy rains and mist, occupied new and important heights in the central sector of Albania Sunday and captured 270 Italian prisoners.

The high command said many automatic arms, mortars and all kinds of material were captured.

JOHANNESBURG RIOTS

Johannesburg, Union of South Africa, Feb. 2 (AP)—Fierce rioting between soldiers and civilians suspected of anti-British sympathies broke out in this capital of Transvaal Province Friday and peace was not fully restored until Sunday.

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK

Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 2 (AP)—Striking CIO workers at the Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation's Bayway plant voted Sunday to accept a tentative em-

FRENCH SITUATION SHAKY

Vichy, France, Feb. 3 (UP)—Admiral Francois Darlan, chief confidante of Marshal Henri Philippe Petain, left for Paris early Monday aboard a special train bearing Petain's answer to Adolf Hitler's collaboration demands, which include the return to power of Pierre Laval.

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IN THE

NEWS

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

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CONVOYS FOR SHIPS
TO BRITAIN

WASHINGTON. — Advisers who have talked to the President during the last four months say that he has gone through a significant transition regarding aid to Britain, also regarding a more aggressive policy toward Japan.

Last August, for instance, Secretaries Stimson, Knox and Morgenthau, who have strong influence on international policy, wanted Roosevelt to bar all oil shipments to Japan. But the state department persuaded Roosevelt to the contrary.

Several months later, when the duke of Windsor flew to visit Roosevelt during his Caribbean cruise, the duke put up to him the desperate plight of British shipping and asked for American naval convoys to protect British ships across the Atlantic. To this the President gave an emphatic No.

It was at approximately the same time that the late Lord Lothian came back from England and submitted a list of the naval vessels Britain would need to maintain her lifeline of supplies from the U. S. A. The list included not only destroyers, but four cruisers of the Omaha class.

Lord Lothian did not actually ask for these ships. He merely listed the vessels which Britain desperately needed. But Roosevelt continued to shy away from the idea of convoying British ships with U. S. naval vessels.

Later certain White House advisers, including such powerful figures as Secretaries Knox and Stimson, pointed out that the British navy had lost a terrific toll of men, did not even have enough seamen to man the American over-age destroyers. What Britain needed was ships manned by the U. S. navy.

The British picture was also made depressing by the difficulty of finishing work on vessels in British shipyards. Two battleships of the King George class were launched

last spring, but since then no ship of any importance has come off the ways. Reason is that the bombardment of Britain began in earnest last summer, and shipyards have been one of the main targets. Since the yards are exposed, they have suffered much more than factories. As a result, ships have been bombed, patched up, then bombed again.

Another development is that within the last 10 days in the Mediterranean, where the British have lost the equivalent of seven ships. The

Southampton was sunk, the Illustrious was put out of commission, and five others damaged so badly that repairs will take two or three months. Repairs are difficult in the Mediterranean, because Malta is under constant bombardment and the naval base at Gibraltar is small.

Meanwhile, German bombers, realizing that the strength of the British fleet in the Mediterranean is the key to victory, have taken over Italian bases and are raining destruction on the royal navy.

It was the succession of these developments which began to change Roosevelt's mind about U. S. naval convoys for British shipping.

Note—No commitments have been given the British, and no policy has been definitely decided for convoying British ships. But advisers believe the President will adopt such a policy if permitted by congress.

SCURRILOUS LITERATURE

Sensational feature of the forthcoming report of the senate campaign fund investigating committee will be an expose of scurrilous literature disseminated in last year's hectic presidential battle. A 500-page "scrapbook" of exhibits has been assembled by Harold Buckles, committee investigator, from all over the country.

While partisans of both candidates resorted to this type of literature, more than 80 per cent of Buckles' collection is anti-Roosevelt. Also, of 466 typical exhibits, one-half are wholly anonymous or only vaguely identified.

The committee lists 135 such groups, of which 111 were pro-Willkie and 22 pro-Roosevelt. Only six of the 135 filed reports of their contributions and expenditures with the clerk of the house. This failure to

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UNDERCOVER DOCTOR

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Adapted from the story by
J. EDGAR HOOVER

CHAPTER SIX SYNOPSIS:
Dr. Bart Morgan, brilliant young surgeon, becomes a gangland doctor when he does not achieve success in his regular practice. Bank bandits headed by Eddie Krator, Public Enemy No. 1, are his best customers. After a bank robbery in Cossagrove, Morgan is summoned by Krator to operate on Johnny Franklin, one of the bandits who was seriously wounded in the gun fight with guards. Morgan, who is facing loss of all his money in the stock market, refuses to operate until he is paid \$25,000 in cash.

CHAPTER VII

FROM various pockets Elmer Porter produced packets of money. Bart counted and inspected them carefully before he took off his coat and started to work on the injured man.

Porter produced paper and pencil and scribbled for a moment. He

In Bart Morgan's office, Margaret stared at the picture of Eddie Krator on the front page of the newspaper. So this was Public Enemy No. 1. And Bart was linked with him in some strange way! She must leave him. But he needed her.

Hours later she looked up as the door opened and Bart entered. He was exhausted and had been drinking. For a moment they two faced each other in silence. Bart's glance traveled to the newspaper with the picture of Krator. He shrugged wearily. "You know now," he said as he pulled the wads of currency from his pockets. "Get that to Easton in the morning, before the market opens," he added.

Margaret continued to stare at him. He squirmed under her gaze.

"Are you afraid I'll tell what I know? I won't."

"It isn't that. It's because you're the only one I listen to . . . I guess that's it." He dropped his head in his hand. "I don't know . . . I can't think . . . Just don't leave me."

Margaret was deeply moved, touched by his helplessness and his apparent sincerity.

"Promise me you'll never have any dealings with those people again."

"I'm through with them," Morgan repeated. "I told you that."

"Then I'll stay"—she picked up the money—"if you send this back to them."

"But that money—
"It's the only way you can make me believe you, Bart."

With sudden decision, Bart took the money from her and started into his private office. "You're right. I'll show you," he said over his shoulder. Margaret followed him. "I'll return it in the morning."

He took a large envelope from his desk, placed the money in it and sealed it. Then he started turning the dials on a small wall safe. His hands were shaky and the safe refused to open.

"Get me a drink. No liquor. Something for my nerves."

As Margaret disappeared into the treatment room, Bart's hands became steady. Swiftly he twirled the dial and opened the safe. He crossed to his desk and tossed the envelope containing the money into a drawer and locked it. Seizing another envelope, he crammed it full of hastily folded memo pads and sealed it. When Margaret returned with the sedative, she found him opening the safe. As she watched, he placed the envelope in the cash drawer, locked it and swung the safe door closed. The key to the cash drawer he tossed to Margaret. "You keep it," he said and sipped the sedative.

"Thanks," Margaret smiled happily. She spun the safe dials to lock it and her eyes followed Bart as he crossed to the couch and collapsed wearily on it. Softly she crossed to the waiting room, closing the door noiselessly behind her.

For several minutes she sat at her desk, lost in deep thought. Finally she picked up the telephone and asked information for the number of the field division office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Kingsley, Bob Anders and Tom Logan were grouped around the desk.

"If the watchman really got Johnny Franklin, that's a break for us," Kingsley said.

"Right!" Bob agreed. "Krator's brains are under Johnny's hat."

The telephone rang sharply. Kingsley picked up the receiver. He listened intently to Margaret's voice. "Yes, lady. Yes, this is the F.B.I. 'What?' His voice revealed his excitement. A click announced that Margaret had hung up. He turned to Anders and Logan.

"She hung up but she said 'Go to Ace Inn. You'll find Eddie Krator there.'"

"A woman scorned, eh?" Logan said dryly.

"Take three or four men. It may be a trap," Kingsley ordered.

(To be continued)



"Take three or four men," Kingsley ordered, "it may be a trap."

handed the paper to Krator. The bandit glanced at it, then glared angrily at Porter.

"That's what this money will cost you," Porter said.

"Fifty thousand!" Krator was furious. "But that's just double."

"I've got to have a wide margin when I'm handling Federal Reserve money," Porter explained. "Those serial numbers make it difficult."

"You've got me over a barrel and you know it," Krator snarled. "All right, I'll pay. But some day I'm going to settle with all you chislers." He picked up a canvas bag. On it was stamped \$50,000.00. "Here—this says fifty thousand and it's never been opened."

Porter took the bag. "Thank you, Eddie. It's always been a pleasure to do business with you."

"It ought'a be," Dizzy Warner snarled. "We take all the chances and you take all the dough."

"I'm beginning to think we're a lot of saps and suckers," Spats Edwards chimed in.

Krator turned to Bart. "Get busy!" he snapped.

Bart handed the can of ether to Edwards. "Punch a hole in that cap," he ordered, "and kill your cigarettes. That stuff's worse than dynamite when it goes off."

"Well, say it," he blustered.

"One word keeps drumming in my brain, Bart. WHY?" Margaret answered. "What if you have lost your money. You can earn more. You don't need the criminal fees you get from those people."

"I tried to quit them. I did quit them, weeks ago," Bart explained. The girl gestured toward the money. "Yet you took this?"

"I wouldn't have gone to the Ace Inn tonight of my own accord for twice that amount," Bart tried to justify himself. "Then today that stock broke the wrong way and this thing tonight was my chance to get out. I didn't go because I want to; they forced me. And as long as they made me go, I made them pay."

He glanced up and dropped his eyes again. "I know. I know what you're thinking," he went on. "You're thinking that I couldn't take it. That I was weak." His voice became defiant. "Well, then, I am weak. But I'm marrying in a few days and I had to have money. I . . . I had to think of Cynthia."

"Yes, you had to think of her," Margaret said slowly. She was silent for a moment. "I'm leaving, Bart," she said at last.

Bart was shocked. "Leaving? Margaret, you can't!"

S'MATTER POP—Hey, Soldier! That's Playground Business!

By C. M. PAYNE



(Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Bee House

Verda Conner, Cors.

Mrs. S. E. Conner, who is in the King's Daughters Hospital in Temple, is getting along fine.

Miss Willie Mae Webb of Pearl visited Bonnie Wayne Gholston Thursday night.

Miss Doris Haynes, who is staying at Evant going to school, came home ill Friday evening.

Mr. Roy Conner attended a dinner given by the Four County Press newspaper at Evant for their correspondents Friday.

Mrs. A. C. Moseley visited her daughter, Mrs. Vernon Manos, of Pearl Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Davis have moved in their new home, and all the nice things they have received, are greatly appreciated.

Uncle Finner Jones is still ill but is improving some.

Misses Janese and Crystal Upton visited in the T. L. Conner home a while Friday evening.

Miss Vada Ballard of Pearl visited Misses Irene and Edwina Conner a few days last week.

Mrs. O'Neal and son, Lonso, of Moline visited a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elvis O'Neal.

Mr. Herschel White and son, Herschel Keith, visited in the T. L. Conner home a while Friday night.

Miss Mollie Jean Conner has been ill the last few days, but she is improving now.

Mrs. E. J. Conner visited Mrs.

Charlie Moseley one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Conner visited Mrs. S. E. Conner Saturday. They went by to get Miss Ione Conner, who is teaching school at Mountain. She also accompanied them to see Mrs. Conner. They reported that Mrs. Conner was out of danger and that she may get to come home next week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Conner spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Basham, of Pidcoke.

Bro. Ollie Williams, who is pastor of the Baptist Church at Pearl, preached here Sunday evening. The service was enjoyed, and there was a good crowd.

Union

Vadena Hagan, cors.

Rev. R. M. Studer filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night. He and Mrs. Studer were dinner guests in the John Hobin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Schaub of Spring Hill Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Martin and daughters spent the week end in Waco with relatives.

Guests in the Sam Patterson home Monday night were, Mrs. George Schaub Sr. and sons and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Buth.

Miss Minnie Jane Featherston was a week end guest of Bobbie Nell Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Buth, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton and son and Mrs. C. N. Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gallegly Sunday.

Howard and Travis Hagan and Monroe Eakin were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carroll Sunday. Mrs. J. W. Patterson visited Mrs. John Hagan Tuesday.

Topsey

Mrs. William A. Cowan, cors

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saegert were Lampasas visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Storm of San Antonio visited his mother, Mrs. J. D. Storm, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Stiles and baby, Sandra Sue, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Adams, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Simpson and Mrs. C. C. Adams were Gatesville visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Toppy Polk of Killen were guests Sunday of Mrs. G. W. Cowan.

"That Watkins Girl", a play, will be given by Littlefield community at Topsey February 7, and a small admission will be charged.

Pidcoke

Laura Kindler, cors.

Charlie Kindler came home from the Temple Hospital last Tuesday.

Mrs. Keener is staying in the A. C. Vick home this week.

Mrs. Johnnie Hoard spent Wednesday with Mrs. Fred Rodway Sr.

Will Garrett is serving on the jury at Gatesville this week.

Rev. L. J. Werner of Twin Mountain visited Charlie Kindler Thursday afternoon.

Several new pupils have started to school here.

The wood school building was torn down the first part of last week.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vick has been ill but is improving.

Mother Neff Park

Miss Tullie Jones, Cors.

Waymon Henderson of Mineral Wells is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Sam Irvin.

L. C. Anderson of Waco visited the Joneses in the Park Sunday.

Those visiting in the Park were, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mize, Temple, Mrs. Elton Shannon and Lee Binta Shannon, Temple, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dugger and Billie Ruth, Waco, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Waldrop and Alton, Mrs. B. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franks, Reginald Franks, Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neff and daughter, Martha Frances, of Houston, Mrs. Ben Neff, Mrs. James Martin, McGregor, Mrs. Walter Rush, Moody, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Jones.

Harmony

Mrs. Felix Whatley and sons of Houston are visiting Mrs. F. B. Whatley.

Doris White and Cleone Thomas spent Saturday night with La Verne Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. John White and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alec Vanwinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Manning made a business trip to Gatesville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odus Parker and daughters visited his father, Mr. J. R. Parker, who is in the Temple hospital, Tuesday.

Visitors in the Mrs. W. F. Manning home Tuesday were: Mrs. Bud Manning and son, Mrs. Craig Thomas, Doris White and Mrs. Keener.

Billie Dot Whaley spent Monday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Whaley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Turner visited George Blackwell, who is seriously ill, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. F. Manning spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Martha Ann Curry.

Jack Gentry was a Gatesville visitor Tuesday evening.

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**Mrs. Porter Entertains
SCS Bridge Club**

Complimenting members and guests of the SCS Bridge Club, Mrs. J. C. Porter entertained at her home on College street Friday afternoon. Players were, Mesdames E. W. White, Ray Scruggs, P. M. Browning, Eugene Alvis, Scott Russell, Sherrill Kendrick, Rufus Brown, and the hostess.

Mrs. Brown was recipient of the high score award, and after the presentation, Mrs. Porter passed an appetizing refreshment plate, holding sandwiches, cakes and hot tea.

**Welch-Tubbs
Rites Solemnized**

Miss Aidele Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Welch of the Center City community, became the bride of Walter Marion Tubbs of Dallas, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at her home. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tubbs of Ireland, Texas.

Rev. George G. Smith of Eureka, Texas, friend of the bride's family, read the ring ceremony, before an improvised altar of palms and tall baskets of gladiolas.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white marquise wedding dress with a lace bodice and short puffed sleeves of lace squares. The veil of bridal illusion hung from a halo of white gardenias. The bridal bouquet was of pink and white carnations, tied with white satin bows of ribbon.

The living room was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and acacia matching the color of the gold brocaded satin curtains which

served as a background for the altar. The simplicity of the ceremony was accented by the warm glow of a huge log fire in the fireplace and by the candles burning on the mantel and on the altar.

Marie Moser Glick, wife of Dean Walter R. Glick of Texas Wesleyan College of Fort Worth, played Lohengrin's wedding march.

The bride chose as her attendants, her two sisters, Mrs. Jack Tubbs, of Osage, and Lucille Welch of Goldthwaite. The groom was attended by his cousin, Jack Tubbs of Osage, who is also a brother-in-law of the bride. Boutonnaires and corsages for the attendants were white and pink carnations matching the bride's bouquet.

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The dining room was decorated with white flowers, carnations and candy tuft, and pink candles. Presiding at the white wedding cake was Mrs. Jane DeTolier Sims, dietician at Texas Wesleyan College and at the punch bowl was the bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Tubbs. Dorothy Jane Sims was in charge of the bride's book, which was made and decorated especially for the occasion by Louise Doggett, friend of the bride.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Welch, into a rose wool suit for her wedding trip to Tyler. Brown gaberdine slippers and fitted hand bag, brown kid gloves and brown bonnet-shaped hat and veil were the accessories.

She was a corsage of white gardenias, given to her by the groom. Guests were chiefly members

of the immediate families of the bride and groom. Honoring the groom where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tubbs; brothers, James, Glen, Johnnie, George and Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tubbs Caradan; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tubbs, Hamilton. Besides the bride's parents, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Welch, and children, Charles Edward, Carlos Van, Janetha Lee, and Joe Bill; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch and children, Billy Gwen, Bobby Lynn and Beverly Sharon and Louise Doggett.

Out of town guests were Mrs. George Smith, Eureka; Mrs. Glick, Mrs. Sims, Miss Sims and Paul Irwin, Fort Worth.—The Goldthwaite Eagle.

**Miss Halbrook and Mrs.
Ricketts Co-Hostesses**

Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook and Mrs. Joe Ricketts were co-hostesses when they entertained members and additional guests of the Ace High Bridge Club at the home of the former on College street Friday evening. Bowls of chrysanthemums decorated the party rooms throughout.

High and second high score prizes were awarded Miss Minnie Lou Witt and Miss Lois Grantham, respectively.

Concluding the affair, the hostesses served delicious ice cream with chocolate sauce and ice box cookies to the following: Misses Wilhelmina Cayce, Aurora Yongue, Thelma McGilvray, Truie Pearl McGilvray, Sidney Gibson, Maude Alyce Painter, Bess Holmes, Ann Jacobs, Lois Coleman, Mary Ross, Linnie and Lala Fore, of Corsicana, Minnie Lou Witt, Lois Grantham, and Mesdames Norma Hodson, Robert Scott and Elworth Lowrey.

**Both Circles of WSCS
To Meet Tuesday**

Both circles of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Belle Bennett circle will meet with Mrs. J. R. McClellan with Mrs. B. S. Cook as co-hostess, and the Mary Sue Brown circle will meet with Mrs. D. K. Porter.

The subject of both meetings will be, "Investing Our Heritage For Health in the United States", and topics to be discussed will be the same with different speakers.

Following is the program for the Belle Bennett: Devotional, Mrs. E. C. Lay; The Mystery, Mrs. Madison Pruitt, leader; Health in my Community, Mrs. Eugene Alvis; Helping the United States, Mrs. E. G. Beerwinkle; What Methodist Women are Doing, Mrs. B. Miller, and The Strange Impartion, by the leader.

The program for the Mary Sue Brown follows: Devotional, Mrs. H. S. Compton; The Mystery, Mrs. D. K. Porter, leader; Health in my Community, Mrs. Joyce Ryan; Helping the United States, Mrs. Robert Thomas; What Methodist Women are doing, Mrs. A. C. Schloeman; The Strange Impartion, by the leader.

**Miss Bonnie Westerfield
Honored at Shower**

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Erwin Mueller, Mrs. Erwin Freyer and Miss Earline Schulz entertained for Miss Bonnie Westerfield, bride-elect of Earl Schulz, with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Mueller in Coryell County.

In keeping with the season approaching, a Valentine theme was carried out.

Informal games provided entertainment for the honoree and guests. Refreshment plates were passed, and further carrying out the Valentine theme, red hearts were placed on the plates with the announcement, "Earl and Bonnie, February 6". Serving were Miss May Westerfield and Mrs. Erwin Freyer.

Miss Earline Schulz presided over the bride's book, where 55 guests registered.

**Former Gatesville Boy
To Wed Beaumont Girl**

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Neal of Beaumont of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Zona Belle, to Lieut. Ralph R. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson of the White Hall community.

Lieut. Patterson is stationed at M'Cord Field near Tacoma, Washington, where the couple will make their home after their marriage on February 15.

The bride-elect, a senior at Baylor University in Waco, has been tendered several courtesies.

**Valentine Motif Featured
At Owl Club Meeting**

The Valentine motif prevailed in all decorations and other appointments when Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates entertained members and guests of the Owl Club at their home on East Leon Thursday evening of last week. Adorning the reception suite were bowls of red godetias, narcissi and ferns.

At the conclusion of the games

of 84, the hostess served cherry pie, topped with whipped cream, and coffee and nuts.

Thirty-two guests shared the compliment.

A party, composed of Reb Brown, Jack Fickerson, Cub Poston, Jack Straw, Edwin Wilhelm, and Gus Schloeman, spent the week end in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Miss Dorothy Blakley of Austin visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Blakley, Sunday afternoon.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin visited in Hico and Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwarz and children of Hico were here Sunday afternoon visiting friends.

Miss Nannie Lazenby of Brownwood was here during the week end for a visit with her father and sister.

Miss Lala Fore of Corsicana was a week end guest of her sister, Miss Linnie Fore.

M. H. Shepherd Jr. went to Houston Sunday, and Mrs. Shepherd, who had been spending the past week there, returned home with him. They were also accompanied home by Mrs. Scott Gunn of Houston, who is a guest in the W. H. Everett and M. H. Shepherd homes.

Miss Ruth Yongue, a teacher in the public schools of Waco, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. R. H. Yongue.

Miss Nell Routh, a senior student at TSCW in Denton, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Routh.

Miss Gladys Marie Phillips left Sunday for Huntsville, where she will enter Sam Houston State Teachers College the last semester. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips, and C. H. Wallace Jr., who returned to school after spending the week end here.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Scott Sunday were, Mrs. Dovie Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cheek, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie True, all of Waco. Mrs. True remained to spend this week in the Scott home.

Miss Madelyn Patterson of the Ames community left Friday for Dallas, where she has entered training for a nurse at Parkland Hospital.

James Weaver, who attends TW C in Fort Worth, spent the latter part of the week with his parents at Ames and friends in this city.

Bryan Jones, student at Texas University, and Jan Jones, who is attending SHSTC in Huntsville, were week end guests of their parents and other relatives and friends.

Buster Cathey, who has been attending Independence Junior College at Independence, Kansas, the past semester, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fitzgerald of Dickinson were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percie Witt, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sadler and children, Betty Anne and Bob, of Waco spent Sunday afternoon with relatives here.

Bob Foster, student at Texas University, was here the latter part of the week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Foster.

George Williams, A. and M. College student, visited friends and relatives in this city over the week end.

Doc Rutherford has accepted a position in Temple and assumed his duties Monday morning. He will be joined later by his wife and Martha and Don Burdette, who will make their home there.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Goodall during the week end were, Miss Ann Goodall of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Glover of Coolidge and Dr. and Mrs. Otis R. Goodall of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Busby and son, Rance Turner and Miss Velma Foote of Freeport were week end guests of relatives here.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McGilvray and family during the past week end were, Mr. and Mrs. Burl McGilvray, Miss Elizabeth McGilvray of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman of Belton.

M. H. Shepherd Jr. has accepted a position at Joe Hanna's.

MRS. O. K. LOVEJOY BURIED HERE SATURDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. O. K. Lovejoy, age 67, who died at her home in this city Friday at 1 p. m., were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the First Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. C. M. Spalding. Burial was made in the City cemetery.

Muggie Belcher was born Sept. 27, 1873 in Alabama, and came to Texas in July, 1892. She taught school at Ewing and Pidcock before her marriage to O. K. Lovejoy in June, 1895 at Gatesville. After her marriage she and her husband moved to Copperas Cove and later to Gatesville, where she had made her home the past 40 years.

At the age of 10 years, she joined the Presbyterian Church, but in 1897 she joined the Baptist Church at Copperas Cove.

Surviving are: her husband; two sons, F. A. and Eiland Lovejoy, both of Gatesville; and one sister, Mrs. Janie Eiland. One son, Boyce Lovejoy, died at the age of three.

Pallbearers were, Leake Ayres, C. E. Gandy, Francis Caruth, J. R. Hill, Rufe Brown and Edgar Franks.

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Guests in the R. M. Wolff home Thursday night were Opal Lee and Bennie Dixon.

Mrs. Alvis Dixon, who has been ill, is doing nicely.

There will be an amateur contest in the Cold Springs School house Wednesday night, February 12. Everyone is invited. No admission charge. If you can dance, sing, or play any kind of instrument, be sure and come. Prizes will be for the three best musicians.

There was a large crowd at the P-TA at Cold Springs last Wednesday night. They had a good program.

Some people who haven't been to Seattle in a short time would not know it, because there has been a process of moving several buildings away.

Spring Hill

Mrs. Fred Dyer, cors.

Visitors of Mrs. W. L. Wittie and Brack Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Alford and Nell of Schley, Mrs. Virgil Deavers and Ethelyn of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koch of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. John Dyer and Mrs. and Mrs. Walter Wittie.

Miss Martha Dyer spent Saturday night with Miss Sarah Scott of Schley.

Mrs. John More and Billy John Leonard left Saturday morning for Corpus Christi to visit Mrs. Louine Leonard and also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aishman of Port La-

vaca.

Virgil Deavers and sons of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Deavers Sunday.

Visitors in the Fred Dyer home Saturday night and Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Dyer and Billy Van of Jonesboro, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dyer and Bobby of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley of Gatesville recently.

Mrs. Lizzie Tennison is spending the week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Aaron Mohler.

WILSON D. STOCKBURGER

Davis Stockburger passed out of this life after a short illness in a Temple hospital, January 1, 1941. He was born at Mound, Coryell County, Texas, November 6, 1884. For some forty years he was a resident of Oglesby.

He spent the major portion of his life in the school room, either as a teacher or student. Graduating from Oglesby High School, he later attended North Texas State Teachers College, taking his A. B. degree there and later doing graduate study at Texas University. He taught school for 20 years in Coryell and surrounding counties, Mullin, Ewing, Turnersville, McGregor, and Gatesville being among the places he taught. In 1938 he was elected county superintendent of public instruction in Coryell County.

He united in early childhood with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Davis Stockburger was a man of God, one of the purest and sweetest spirited men this pastor has known. This world is a better place for his having lived here and Heaven is richer since his going to Eternity.

Mr. Stockburger is survived by three sisters, Misses Edith and Ida Stockburger of Oglesby and Mrs. Winnie Parker of Port Arthur; five brothers, L. W. and J. A. of Oglesby; C. F. and Garner of Austin; and R. E. of Gatesville; and one nephew, Robert Stockburger of Gatesville.

Funeral rites were conducted at the home by Rev. W. C. Taylor, assisted by Rev. Carroll Chadwick of Leonard, Texas and Rev. John E. Lewis. He was interred in Post Oak Cemetery.

Coryell County has lost a good citizen, a trusted public servant and a Christian gentleman, as well as we, a good friend and devoted brother. Seldom do we see all of these qualities woven into a man as they were in Davis Stockburger. We, and a host of friends, prof-

fer our condolence and sympathy to the survivors of this man.—Rev. W. Cecil Taylor.

GEORGE TRUELOVE PASSES AWAY DECEMBER 24th

The death angel crept into the home and took our darling husband and father, George Truelove, December 24, 1940. He had been confined to his bed for over a year.

He was a devoted husband, loving father and a loyal neighbor. He bore his suffering with a smile, and his friends were numbered by his acquaintances. He was converted when just a young man and joined the Baptist Church of Bethel.

George Atlas Truelove was born April 29, 1862 in Raleigh, North Carolina. At the age of sixteen he came to Texas with his father, Tommie Truelove and one sister, Mrs. John Blanchard. In 1887 he was united in marriage to Alice Medlin of Friendship. To this union eleven children were born. Two preceded him in death; those surviving are: Mrs. Ben Gilbert of Ennis, Mrs. G. C. Beck, Gatesville, Mrs. Brit Williams, Ewing, Tommie Truelove, Straws Mill, Claudie Truelove, Flat, Carl Truelove, Scurry, Bill Truelove, Gatesville, and Barney and Marion Truelove of Straws Mill; also one brother, Frank Truelove of Sidney; twenty two grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were his five grandsons: Orba Lee Beck, Lenard Williams, Cleveland Beck, Atlas Beck, William Gilbert and nephew, Winfred Medlin.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Spalding, assisted by the pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church. Interment was made in the Bethel cemetery.

MOTHER OF MRS. GAMBLIN DIES AT HOME IN HASKELL

Mrs. M. M. Tubbs, age 87, who had resided in Haskell since 1908, died at her home at 9:15 Saturday night. Mrs. Tubbs, the mother of Mrs. W. M. Gamblin of Gatesville, had been in ill health for nearly eight years.

Mary Missouri Richardson was born June 18, 1853 in Missouri, and came to Texas and settled in McLennan county, near Crawford. She lived there until thirty-two years ago when she moved to Haskell. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church of Haskell, having joined in 1914.

Surviving are: five daughters and one son. Her husband preceded her in death several years.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the Presbyterian Church in Haskell, and burial was made in the Crawford cemetery. Attending the last rites at Crawford with Mrs. Gamblin were, W. M. Gamblin, Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Pete Powell, and Mrs. Curtis Sims.

FATHER OF GATESVILLE RESIDENT PASSES AWAY IN MART

Obe Adams, age 83, father of Mrs. Doc Rutherford of this city, passed away at his home in Mart Monday afternoon, and funeral services were held in the Methodist Church of Mart Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Surviving are, his widow, four daughters and several grandchildren.

Among those from here who attended the last rites were, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Rutherford, Bettye, Martha, Jeanne and Don Burdette, and Mrs. John Morgan.

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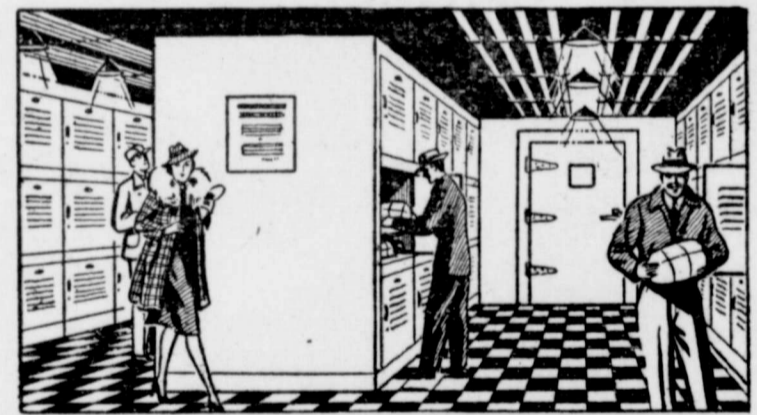
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report is a violation of the law and carries heavy penalties.

Dominant theme of the scurrilous literature is racial and religious prejudice. More than 60 per cent of the committee's exhibits harp on this, 10 per cent played up the war issue, and 15 per cent leveled foul personal attacks on the candidates.

Note — Committee investigators are of the private opinion that not less than \$10,000,000 was spent for this material.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Sam Pryor, ball-bearing-tongued national committeeman from Connecticut, is pushing lame-duck Governor Baldwin as successor to National Chairman Joe Martin. Some time ago Pryor had his own ambitions for the job, but was stopped dead by a blunt warning from mid-western leaders.

Franklin Field is a famous football gridiron; also the name of a man who urges more Good Neighborliness through private aviation.

Ireland
D. D. Grubb, cors.

The weather man is furnishing us plenty of rain. We are long on wet weather but short on sunshine and that is what we need most at the present time.

Mr. Elmo Tyler and family have moved from the farm and are now occupying a home in east Ireland.

Mr. John Voss of Gatesville was an Ireland visitor Wednesday.

Mr. A. H. Pagal and family are moving from the Barnes Ranch to a place near Gatesville that belongs to Mr. Tom Robinson.

Mr. Tom Stiles and wife of Ohio, Texas, their son, wife and little girl from Huntsville were here on a visit with friends last Sunday.

Messrs. Torance of Waco and Mr. Griffin of Evant have leased the Barnes Ranch near the city limits of Ireland and are now stocking same with cattle. Mr. and Mrs. Sims of Hamilton have moved in the past week and are now occupying the Barnes home, and they will help to look after the ranch.

Messrs. Harry Bunnell and Tom Boling were visitors to Aleman and Hamilton Thursday trying to buy sheep.

The following had late attacks of the flu, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pagal, Mrs. Mike Robinson and son, Billie Robinson, Mrs. T. N. Grubb. We hope they will all improve and soon be out again and that no more will have it.

Our community was shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. W. W. Freeman, another of our early pioneer citizens of Coryell County. She was born August 20, 1850 and body was entered beside her husband in the Evergreen cemetery on Tuesday, January 28. Mrs. Freeman was well-known to most all of us and was held in the highest esteem. May the future meeting sustain you all. Our sympathy is extended to each of you.

All who are interested in applying for government mattresses, who haven't already applied, please be at the school house Wednesday, February 5th, at 1 o'clock, and Mrs. A. B. Chitwood will take your applications.

Ater
Mrs. Birdie Coward, cors.

The farmers in this vicinity are very busily engaged in farming. Teams and tractors are at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whisenhunt and family were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rubert Whisenhunt at Levita.

Mrs. Bill Cheuvan and baby returned to their home in Louisiana Saturday. They were accompanied as far as Waco by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whisenhunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Painter visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rile Laughlin Sunday.

Miss Mildred and Mr. Bob McDonald of JTAC visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDonald, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roebuck received a call to come to their daughter, Dorothy, who is a student of Tehuacana College. She

was seriously ill. We hope she is now on the convalescent list.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pruitt attended church at Jonesboro Sunday night.

Mrs. Colmer Watts was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benner of Gatesville last week.

Mrs. Paul Russell of JTAC visited home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Jim

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Quiz asks

Gatesville's population, '40 is: 997? 2428? 3,175, or 2601?



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Russell and Mrs. W. C. Coward, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harley Corder of Desdemona is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Webb Choat, this week. She is helping care for her father, Uncle Bob Russell, who is ill.

Mrs. Birdie Coward visited Mrs. George Johnson Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Davis of Waco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Anderson, was buried in the Ater cemetery Sunday afternoon. She was the mother of four children. A large crowd was present for the last rites. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community.

Antelope

Several people of this community are in various hospitals at present.

Mr. Charley Kindler has been in the King's Daughters Hospital at Temple, also, Mr. Herman Headge has been a patient in the same hospital; Mr. Kindler and Mr. Headge fortunately occupied adjoining rooms.

Mrs. Herman Sherwood was taken to the Lampasas hospital for an operation, Monday, January the twenty-seventh.

Mr. Thurman Thomas is also a patient of the hospital at Lampasas, where he was taken last Thursday for an appendectomy. Thurman is reported to be improving rapidly.

Mrs. Evelyn Chelf has taken her small son, Allan Eugene, who has been ill for several weeks, to San Antonio, where he can be under the treatment and supervision of a baby specialist.

Mrs. John Whitmire, who was recuperating from a recent illness, was sick again last week, but is now improving again.

Miss Nadine Goodwin was ill during the week end, Monday, and Tuesday, but has again assumed her teaching duties.

We wish all of these people, a complete and immediate recovery. Miss Aniece Thompson, a student of the Southwest Teachers College, San Marcos, was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Calvary and daughter, Billie Sue, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Calvary of Chilton, Texas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic McBride of Topsey attended church here Sunday and spent the remainder of the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hinson.

Mr. Ben Thompson, who has been suffering with his mouth recently since having two of his teeth pulled, is better.

Rev. and Mrs. Fred Grubbs and children went home with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thompson after church, Sunday.

Mesdames George Wright, Archie Wright, Albert Sherwood, and A. L. Insall visited Mrs. Herman Sherwood, in the hospital at Lampasas, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Martin and son, Jack Dariot, of Navasota, brought a truck load of sheep to the place on which Mrs. Winnie Collier lives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tomastik, Lilly, Annie, and Louis, visited Mrs. Tomastik's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bartk, near Temple, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. W. O. Frye returned home Saturday night from a several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Oma Honeycutt of the Spring Hill community.

J. O., Ruby, and Erwin Barker attended church Sunday night in Gatesville.

Plainview

Plainview played baseball against Purnela. There were three games, and Plainview won two and lost one.

Mr. John Rhoades of Temple spent two nights with Mr. Jake Rhoades of Plainview.

Miss Mary Lee Wilder of Evant has been spending a few days with friends of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wendland spent Sunday at Plainview.

Almost everyone around Plainview is putting up their farming

land. They had church at the Baptist German Church Sunday night. This is mid-term test week at Plainview.

Quiz asks

Coryell county's population '40 is: 1869? 1492? 19,999 or 20,225?



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Hornettes Defeated By Ennis

(J. Mc.)
The second defeat of the Hornettes' season and their second defeat by Ennis came when they tangled with the strong sextette on the Gatesville court Friday night. Ennis received the ball first, shot several times but missed; the

Gatesville guards carried the ball out and Moore rang up the first two points of the game. Ennis' first counter was a pivot shot by one of their tall forwards. Ennis made another goal and a free toss. The first quarter ended 5 to 2. In the second quarter Moore and Patterson made one each for the Hornettes while Ennis added up six points, making the score at the half 11 to 6. Coming back in the second half the locals were unable to score. Ennis made a pivot and

two charity throws. In the last period the Gatesville forwards played faster ball, trying to catch up with their opponents score. At one time they lagged only four points behind. Moore made two beautiful shots and Patterson made one. The Ennis team made two field goals and one free shot. The final score was 20 to 12 in Ennis' favor.

The Gatesville guards used a new defense set-up to keep the ball away from the pivot girl instead of their usual zone defense.

If the Hornette forwards had made their free tosses they would have won the game. They missed nine of these shots, making none.

The local starters were Captain Moore, high point for Gatesville with eight tallies, Patterson, with four points, Perkins, Mueller, Captain Black, and Lester. Turner and Shoaf substituted.

The Ennis line-up was B. Armstrong, high pointer of the game with eleven, M. Armstrong, with six points, Idlett, Dyess, N. Armstrong, and Merritt. Bates substituted as a guard.

mann; Maria Coggles by Mrs. Ruth Martin; and Caleb Coggles by Harper Saunders.

PURMELA SCHOOL NEWS

Purmela School's Current Events Club has been enjoying a most interesting and profitable time during the first term of school. The club was organized by the 8th and 9th grade pupils for the purpose of development of interest in events of world importance and expressing their ideas concerning world affairs.

The officers for the first term have been Charlotte Bertrand and Edwin Morgan, presidents; Eugene Medlin and Carel Braziel, Vice-presidents; Sybil Snider and Louise Love, Secretaries; Carel Braziel and Clayton Bell, Librarian; Alton Spencer and Gaines Morgan, Corresponding Secretaries. Mr. Hite, our teacher has acted as sponsor for the club. Many socials have been enjoyed during the existence of our club.

Each Monday we have a "round table" discussion of world affairs; each Tuesday we have reviews of articles found in school periodicals; each Wednesday we have current reports of local and world importance; each Thursday we have reports on incorrect English and two new words to add to our vocabulary with meanings and used in sentences; each Friday we have a prepared program composed of 8th and 9th grade pupils. All of these Current Events Club periods have developed a great deal of interest and called to our minds things that would have otherwise passed our attention.

If other schools in this county have Current Events Clubs in their schools we would like to hear from them and trade ideas for meetings and socials. You may get in touch with me at the following address: Miss Maxine Love, Purmela School, Gatesville Route 3.

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What state has the most cattle? Main, Florida, Montana or Texas?



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What animal was used by the Army in Texas from As'a and Africa? Elephant, water buffalo, giraffe, or camel?



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GAMES THIS WEEK

Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m. in Evant.

Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. McGregor here.

Thursday night Evant here at 7:30 p. m.

Loony Lucy

Langtry, Texas
January 31, 1941.

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

Well, you heard about Jenie with the light brown hair and Harry with the light brown jeans, but you ain't heard nothin' till you hear about "Lucy with the dark brown taste."

My stars alive. I walked down to the barber shop with the boy friend to get a hair cut and the oil changed, and while I was a waitin' I took on a few beers and this mornin' I couldn't hit the ground with my hat in four throws. I never knowed water was so good before.

Maybe we better change that song to read: "The Eyes of Taxes Collectors Are Upon You."

I see where Max Schmeling is a trainin' fer the parachute troops. I remember onct in the first round of a fight with Joe Louis when I bet he wisht he had a parachute.

I see where the British war expense is now \$50,000,000 a day. Purty soon they will be a spendin' as much as our government.

It is jest a goin' to be too bad if Bing Crosby ever goes out of the race horse business. The radio comedians will have a heck of a time gettin' jokes.

I'm a comin' in to that Texas Open golf toureymment. I seed what you said about season tickets. What do you have pay fer, if it's a open toureymment?

I see where Adolph and Benito had a meetin' and agreed on everything. Adolph said, "We do it this way," and Benito agreed.

Well, Chum, I got to get back to my whittlin'. Keep youre amateur standing protected, or the A. A. U. will get you.

I'll be a seein' you, Pal.

Yourn,
LOONY LUCY.

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EX-STUDENTS TO PRESENT PLAY AT SLATER FEB. 7

"Good Glory," a heart interest comedy-drama in three fascinating acts by J. Tobias, will be presented by the ex-students at Slater school auditorium Friday night, February 7.

The cast includes, Drina Hartfield played by Miss Vivian Bradley; Agnes Witherspoon by Mrs. Ethel Herrmann; Todhunter Trevelyan by Elbert Brandley; Roma Trevelyan by Miss Lura Williams; Kit Witherspoon by Miss Ruth Saunders; George Darnell by Darwin Herrmann; Samuel Witherspoon by Miss Billie Louise Herr-



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