

# CORYELL COUNTY NEWS

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## Farmers Vote "Yes" 933 And "No" 53 For AAA Program

In Coryell County, like the rest of the territory covered by the AAA Program, farmers voted overwhelmingly for the program, and here it was 933 for and 53 against, with a total of 986 votes cast.

In the entire country the percentage was reported Sunday to be some 90 percent for as against 10 percent against.

## Second Casualty In World War II Edwin N. Mitchell

Sergeant Edwin N. Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Mitchell of Adamsville and grandson of Mrs. J. T. Ming of Evant is the second casualty near Coryell county of World War II.

Hartley Franks was the first county casualty altho he lost his life in the sinking of the Reuben James, and not on the Far Eastern front.

Sergeant Mitchell was with the 22nd Material Squadron at Hickman Field, Honolulu, Hawaii. It is not known whether Mitchell's home was actually in the county or not, not that that makes any difference.

## TWO LEFT OUT, BUT DON'T THINK WE DID IT

Two names were left out of the Junior High School Football Team advertisement, recently carried in the News. We don't know who done it, but they were Rutherford's Barber Shop and Paul's Cafe. We're sorry.

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Allen Barton and Mozell Brown.  
Erich William Haack and Oma Lee Joiner.  
Sandy Woodley and Lenora Neuman.

Victor Krempin and Wilma Irvine.

**DEEDS RECORDED**  
Mrs. Exa Saunders to Jim R. Saunders.

T. J. Sockwell to Kirby Cox.

H. R. Gaddy and wife to Sam Hinson and wife.

## Markets

As of Dec. 15

Corn, ear	60c
Corn, shelled	65c
Oats, loose	37 to 39c
Cottonseed, ton	\$40
Cream, No. 1	32c
Cream, No. 2	27c
Eggs	30c
Fryers, 2 lbs	13c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	11c
Hens, heavy	13c

## Curtis Maynard's Car Taken: Found In Santone Sun.

Curtis Maynard's automobile was stolen from near Ashby's Service Station on West Main about 8 o'clock Saturday night, and supposedly by an escapee of the Gatesville State School for Boys. The car was found by officers in San Antonio late Sunday night or early Monday.

Maynard had just finished filling his gas tank, and had groceries and other supplies in the car. The boy is reported to have jumped from the car in San Antonio and to have taken another. He was not caught when the car was found.

## Hornets Meet Fast Club: Brownwood Tonight In Gym

GHS Hornet basketball team makes their debut tonight in the gym when they meet the boys from Brownwood high school, and the local school will feature lettermen Blanchard, Manning and Fry, with probably Wilkinson and Wittie filling the other two places.

Coach Madison Pruitt said yesterday he only had 19 men out for the two places, and that even some of them could move up to some of the lettermen's places.

Thursday night, the Hornets will tackle the Marlin basketball team in their second appearance of the season.

## SECRETARY KNOX ANNOUNCES 2,729 OFFICERS-MEN KILLED PEARL HARBOR DECEMBER 7: 3 BATTLEWAGONS GONE

(Via Radio)—Secretary Frank Knox yesterday announced that in the initial attack at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, the United States lost the USS Utah, Arizona, and the USS Oklahoma capsized but it is thought it can be raised. Also, the following destroyers were sunk, the USS Cassian, Downes, and Shaw, and the Mine Layer Ogalala.

Japan lost 3 subs, one captured and 2 sunk, and 41 aircraft.

### 2,729 OFFICERS AND MEN

There were 2,729 officers and men killed in the attack and 656 wounded. Of this 2,729, 2,638 men and 91 officers were killed and of the 656, 636 men and 20 officers were wounded.

Many stories of heroism were brought back by the Secretary of the Navy, who stated that the Navy had maintained a dawn patrol before the raid.

### WAKE HOLDS OUT YET

Washington, Dec. 14 (AP)—A major Japanese bombing attack on the heroic Marine garrison at isolated Wake Island was reported turned back Sunday with destruction of two enemy war planes by the battling Devil Dogs.

### BOMBERS SINK 4 SHIPS

Manila, P. I., Dec. 15 (AP)—Japanese forces which have established a foothold around Vigan were reported sending out patrols Monday in an apparent effort to widen their holdings in the face of attack by United States Army bombers which were disclosed to have sent four Japanese troop

## "Bill Of Rights" Day, Monday Very Important

Yesterday was "Bill of Rights" Day, and President Franklin D. Roosevelt told you about it on the radio last night.

This is just about one of the most important days in our life. Constitution Day is very N. B., but no more N. B. than this day. By the way, do you know the Bill of Rights. Watch this newspaper, and we'll give you them, just as soon as possible.

## 'IN THE WAR ZONE'

More boys (and thanks, folks) who are in or near the war zone:

Bryan Laceywell and Larry Laceywell are at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Foster Hinson is somewhere in the War area.

Charlie Ray Dorsey is at Schofield Barracks, an Army post in Hawaii at Honolulu.

Benton McGaughy of Purlmela, Naval Air Corps, Radio Operator at Pearl Harbor. Parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGaughy.

Charles Roy Boswell is on the U.S.S. Tennessee at Pearl Harbor.

Leonard (Jiggs) Daniles is in the Air Corps at Wheeler Field, Hawaii.

Robert G. Simpson, U.S. Marine from Copperas Cove is at Pearl Harbor.

Robert Clements is stationed in the Philippine Islands. What branch of the service was not given by Gordon Adams who gave us this information.

Billy Simmons, son of Mrs. Charity Simmons is on the U.S.S. Portland "in the Pacific."

Capt. Bryan Arnold is at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

Pete McIver also has a brother that was on the U.S.S. Oklahoma. Lee F. Brown is at Schofield Barracks.

R. E. Painter is in Manila.

## Births

Jerry Windle Ritcheson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Ritcheson, 1310 North Ninth street, Waco was born Dec. 5 at 10:58 a. m. in Providence hospital. He weighed 6 pounds, 12 1/2 ounces at birth. Mrs. Ritcheson was Miss Elizabeth Williams before her marriage. Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Williams of Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ritcheson of Waco are the baby's grandparents.

## DEFENSE RALLY HERE AT 2:00 P. M.: PROGRAM ANNOUNCED: CROWD EXPECTED

Today at 2 o'clock, Coryell county will begin girding itself for action and protection of civilians, and in other ways, outlining civilian necessities, including a big boost for Defense Stamps and Bonds, the American Red Cross War Fund Drive and all the other activities necessary in carrying on a No. 1 all-out war.

Besides a band concert, beginning at 1:45, there will be speakers including B. B. Garrett, Judge R. B. Cross, County Judge Floyd Zeigler, P. D. Holt, Dan E. Graves.

Schools of the county will close and the school buses will be used to bring the children to the rally.

This kind of rally is being carried on thruout the United States,

and Coryell County is fast getting in line.

Monday, Judge Zeigler called a number of men in and assigned them to air raid warning posts for organization purposes only and in case they became necessary. Each of the men have two posts in the county to organize and full instructions from the OCD were given to them.

Of course, this is only a precautionary measure and probably nothing will come of it, unless it is necessary, but Coryell County will be prepared.

All Coryell County will be looking for you today on the courthouse lawn, barring rain, and if it rains, the meeting will be held in the City Hall.

## REGAL-PALACE GO "ALL-OUT FOR RED CROSS WAR FUND: SPECIAL SHOWS WED.

You'll have to hand it to the motion picture industry of good old Coryell county and Gatesville—they back everything, so:

At the REGAL THEATRE, Wednesday, every last cent of your picture show admission will go to the War Fund of the American Red Cross. We mean it all. The picture is even being paid for by the theatre owner, and he won't even be in the box office. The picture is "BEHIND THE HEADLINES" and SELECTED SHORTS.

At the PALACE THEATRE, also Wednesday, the show is also "on the house" and the entire proceeds will go to this same, the War Fund of the American Red Cross. There'll be no "overhead" here, and the gross will go in the War Fund. Pictured here, will be "NEW WINE", and SELECTED SHORTS.

According to local Red Cross officials, these two shows were volunteered by these gentlemen of the cinema world, and this will do a great bit to raising the necessary \$2,500 quota which has been assigned to Coryell county as it's part of a \$50,000,000 which is to

be raised in the United States.

Both shows will open at 1:30 in the afternoon, showing two complete shows in the afternoon, and then two more in the evening. If full houses can be had during each of the four performances at each house, and nobody "asks for change", it might be that the entire fund would be raised on this one Wednesday.

When you go, pack enough dough, so you won't have to ask for "change". If you don't have but a \$1, pass it in the window, and walk off, same for 75c, or 50c. The admission at the shows for adults is 25c children 15c.

In former years, The Palace, Regal, Ritz, Boy Scouts, Firemen, Lions Club and the News have put on a Tin Can Matinee each Christmas for the underprivileged children, or whoever needed help. This show will not be put on this year, due to the fact that this War Fund Drive is on. All concerned are pleased to have a part in this new enterprise, and if it again becomes necessary for a Tin Can Matinee, it will be put on again at a later date.

## Burglars Get \$4.00 In Perry Brothers Friday Morning

At 1:30 a. m. Friday morning, officers called Howard Franks, local manager of Perry Brothers, and told him his store had been burglarized.

Entry had been made at the east

back door, and they had rifled the cash registers and got something over \$4. The safe had been rolled out of Mr. Franks' office and the combination knocked off, a punch was left in the safe door, and a sledge hammer nearby.

Surprised by the night watchman who heard noises, the burglars ran to the front, skidding on the floor covering, and went thru the plate glass door on the west side of the front.

A glove was dropped in front of Davidson Bros. & Co.'s store. It is not known how many there were, or how they got out of town. So far, no suspects have been picked up.

## Radio Programs

**MORNING PERIODS**  
WFAA-WBAP—6:00, 7:45, 9:30, 11:45.

KGKO—6:30, 7:15, 7:30, 10, 10:30  
WRR—6:45, 7:15, 7:30, 8:30.

KRLD—5:45, 7:30, 8:00, 10:30.  
**AFTERNOON PERIODS**  
WFAA-WBAP—5:15.

KGKO—12:00, 3:45, 5:15.  
WRR—12, 2:45, 1, 2:45, 3:45, 5.

KRLD—12:15, 2:45, 3:45, 4, 5:30.  
**EVENING PERIODS**  
WFAA-WBAP—6:30, 10, 11, 11:45  
KGKO—6:45, 8, 8:15, 9:45, 11:45  
WRR—6:45

KRLD—6:45, 7:45, 10, 11, 11:45.



## THE WEATHER

Barometer Reading ..... 30.20  
Temperature ..... 64  
Western Union Forecast:  
Cloudy Tuesday

**Ater**

Mrs. Birdie Coward, cors.

We have received a nice rain after several days of favorable weather for farming.

Mrs. Oran Baker and baby son of Texarkana, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker.

Mrs. W. C. Coward of Levita was a guest in the home of her son, Mr. Roscoe Coward, and family last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rix of Fort Worth are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Coward and family.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Payne were, Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson and

son, Elwood, of Marble Falls, Mrs. Willie Noble of Bakersfield, California, and Mrs. V. C. Brandon of Coryell City. Mrs. Brandon and Mrs. Noble accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jackson home for an extended visit.

Mr. Jake McDonald and Mr. Guy Rix and Mr. Coward made a business trip to Fort Worth Tuesday.

The Coward family and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rix were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weaver Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet York of Waco were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russel last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Esteen Snoddy of Amarillo, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake McDonald this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ferguson are entertaining a new son, Aubrey Don, since December 4th. The youngster weighed eight pounds.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY IS PLANNED BY HOME EC. GIRLS AT U. OF T.**

Austin, Texas—A Christmas party that follows the Christmas spirit of thinking of someone is one of the oldest traditions of the University of Texas Home Economics Club, composed of girls majoring in that field.

Complete with all the "trimmings"—carol singers and lighted tree—the members bring gifts, not for themselves, but for several

families previously suggested by an Austin welfare agency. The gifts are clothes and food.

Other activities of the club, the year round, include discussion meetings, participation in intramural athletics, and an annual scholarship award to an outstanding student. Incidentally, the home ec girls are quite proficient in athletics, for in the last three years, they have won first place awards in baseball and volleyball.

Anita Lillian Lowery, of Gatesville, is listed as a member of the Home Economics Club. Miss Lowery is a senior in the University this year.

**TOPSEY H D CLUB**

Miss Eva Durham entertained eight members of the Topsey H. D. Club at her home on November 26. During the business hour, it was decided that each take a gift to the Christmas program and draw numbers for gifts.

Refreshments were served. Mrs. Buster Krempin announced she would take the Club on December 10.—Reporter, Mrs. Simpson.

**GHS ANNUAL STAFF SAY "NO" TO ANNUAL TO RAISE DEFENSE \$\$**

Monday, the GHS Annual Staff unanimously voted to abandon plans for the year book, and to devote their efforts in Defense Bond

Drive. Twenty-six members composed the staff of the yearbook under the sponsorship of Misses Linnie Fore and Bettie Wynn Watson, and the student body of the school okehed the move 100 percent.

The Annual Staff has been changed to the GHS Student Defense Council, and has set a goal of \$500, \$150 of which has already been collected for the purchase of Defense Bonds.

Personnel includes, Ralph Bailey, chairman; Josephine McClellan, Assistant Chairman; Virgil Copeland, finance chairman, Fred Post, sales manager; Billie Margaret Eubanks, Billy Clay McClellan, Milroy Powell, Hallie Joe Jackson, salesmen; Norma Joy Pollard, art

chairman; Daisy Lee Hopson, and Grace Wiegand assistants.

Gene Stinnett, literary chairman; Dorothy Chamlee, Tom Post Thomson, and Betty Jane Jones, assistants; Marie Meharg, write-up editor; Martha Lou Phillips, research chairman; Patty Ruth Stewart, Hary Straw and Twiford Schloeman, research committee; June Chamlee and Maxine Lovejoy, typists; Sara Graham, Bob Cross and Hariett Robinson, picture committee.



**We Satisfy HUNGRY PEOPLE**

**BEST STEAKS IN TOWN**

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- Chili and Oysters

**Buckhorn Cafe**  
Johnny Milstead, Mgr.

Meats From  
**MURRAY'S MARKET**

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**ASK FOR MENTHO-MULSION**

FOR COUGHS FROM COLDS THAT WON'T TURN LOOSE

TAKE ONE SIP OF MENTHO-MULSION WAIT FIVE MINUTES IF YOU FAIL TO GET EXPECTED RELIEF

ASK FOR YOUR MONEY BACK

**FOSTER DRUG**

"Bless His Little Bones"

**MILK'S**

What Builds Them!

Gold Food Stamps Accepted

**Gamblin's Dairy**

Phone 419

**THIS YEAR give a share in America**

**DEFENSE Bonds and Stamps**

**SANTA CLAUS CAN HELP AMERICAN DEFENSE!** This poster, drawn by J. W. and W. J. Wilkinson, a father and son artist team of Baltimore, reminds Americans that they can help the Defense Program this Christmas by giving Defense Bonds and Stamps in addition to the usual present. Nation-wide distribution of this poster has been made, especially in the windows of 500,000 retail stores where Defense Stamps—for as low as 10 cents—are now on sale.

**INVESTIGATE OUR LOW COST BURIAL INSURANCE**

For All Members of the Family!

**MORTON SCOTT BURIAL ASSOCIATION**

**THAT BOY IN THE SERVICE....**

**...WILL WELCOME THE NEWS as a CHRISTMAS GIFT.....**

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**\$1.50 a year wherever he is, or goes**

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705 E. Main St. News Bldg. Phone 69

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**Custom Grinding or Red Chain Feeds And Holland Laying Mash**

Feed Good Feeds to Good Stock for Good Profits

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**DOLLS DOLLS DOLLS**

**Character Dolls!**

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**Genuine F. B. Dolls**

ONE TO PLEASE EVERY LITTLE GIRL YOU KNOW!

**Foster Drug**

**IT'S FUN TO SHOP**  
at  
**PAINTER'S**

JUST UNPACKED HUNDREDS OF NEW  
**MARCY LEE**  
*Fashion* **FROCKS**

Only Three of the New Spring Styles Sketched Here



#789

*Marcy Lee*  
**Success!**

A figure-flattering, long-torso fashion of Picadilly broadcloth... brown, red or copen with contrasting swirl-dot print. Style 789, for junior sizes 9 to 15.

**2.98**



#449

*Marcy Lee*  
**Success!**

A doll of a date dress of lovely French crepe print... with luggage, navy or red predominating and bands and bows of two-tone gros-grain ribbon for trimming. Style 449, sizes 9 to 15.

**3.98**

**New Spring Coats and Hats Unpacked**

**GIFT LINGERIE BY MUNSINGWEAR AND BARBIZON**



She'll adore these smart underlovelies in these two famous brands. Also she'll recognize the quality and admire your taste.

**SATIN OR JERSEY SLIPS**

**\$1.29 to \$2.50**

Big collection of luxury slips in tailored or lacy styles. For gifts or for you. In tea rose, white, navy and black.

**MUNSINGWEAR PANTIES**

**49c to 79c**

Smart silk and rayon jersey panties by Munsingwear. In tea rose and black. For gifts or for you.

**BARBIZON OR MUNSINGWEAR GOWNS AND PAJAMAS**

**\$1.29 to \$4.00**

Smart tailored or lace trime gowns in satin or silk jersey. In pink, blue or beige.

**LUXURY HOUSE COATS**

**\$3.49 to \$10**

**BRASSIERS**

**29c to \$1.75**

Luxury House Coats in Chenille, quilted satin, brocade satin and brushed rayon. Sizes 12 to 42. Deeptone and pastel shades.

**FLAG RED . . .**



926

*"Fun-togs"*

**BY MARCY LEE**

The spun rayon weave in this new arrival looks like a soft, tropical worsted... the details have what it takes to make you look slim and smart. In addition to a lovely red... it comes in blue, Benedictine and green. No. 926, sizes 10 to 18.

**7.98**

**MEN'S ROBES**



**\$2.98 to \$10**

**Men's HOUSE SHOES**

**\$1.29 to \$2.95**

**MEN'S KERCHIEFS**

**5c to 29c**

You'll enjoy shopping at PAINTER'S, Gatesville's big gift store, the store with the Christmas spirit. You'll enjoy the lights, the Christmas music and the decorations. You'll appreciate the low prices and the many standard brands known the world over at Painter's. FOR LADIES—Phonix Hose, Musingwear, Barbizon slips and gowns, Catalina sweaters, Marcy Lee Dresses, College Campus Dresses.

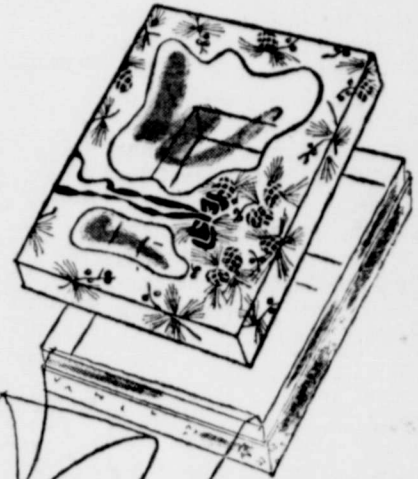


*A lovely way to give lovely hosiery*

**PHOENIX PINE-CONE BOX**

A real glamour-package — and wait 'till she sees what's inside! Three pairs of lovely Phoenix Hosiery! It's the hosiery that's specially treated for LONG WEAR . . . and that means something to her these days! She's got a practical side—you know . . . but she wants loveliness, too . . . so give both with Phoenix. In these special colorful Pine-Cone gift boxes.

**89c to \$1.15**



**PRACTICAL GIFTS PLEASE MEN!**



You'll find practical gifts in standard brands at PAINTER'S at low prices that sure to please him.

**Manhattan and Perfecto Shirts**

**\$1.98**

**Fadeproof Dress Shirts**

**98c to \$1.79**

**Hickok Belts and Suspenders**

**\$1 to \$1.50**

**Munsingwear and Phoenix Sox**

**29c to 55c**

**Men's Leather JACKETS**

**\$4.98 to \$12.95**

**Cheney TIES**

**\$1**

**Other Ties . . . . . 29c to 69c**



**Christmas Party Honors  
Young Matrons' Class  
Of Baptist S.S.**

A Christmas party was the compliment given members of the Young Matrons' Class of the First Baptist Sunday School Friday evening in the adult assembly room of the church with Group One of the class acting as hostess.

The decorations were suggestive of the Christmas theme, and a beautifully decorated tree adorned the room. After singing carols and playing games, the group was favored with a reading and Christmas story by Mrs. B. K. Cooper. When members were exchanging gifts from the tree, they presented Mrs. Travis Meharg, a new teacher, and Mrs. Dan E. Graves, the old teacher, lovely gifts.

Refreshments of pie and coffee were served to twenty-three members.

**Methodist S.S. Class  
Has Christmas Tree  
At Party Friday**

The Friendly Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday School entertained Friday afternoon at which time they had their Christmas tree and revealed their "pals". The Christmas theme prevailed in all decorations.

Mrs. Arthur Schloeman gave the devotional, and Mrs. D. K. Porter brought a Christmas talk to the group. Other numbers on the program included a solo by Mrs. E. L. Stewart and a medley of Christmas carols played by Miss Sidney Gibson on the violin.

At the conclusion a refreshment plate, consisting of sandwiches, cake squares, and coffee, was passed to approximately twenty-five members and guests.

**Coffee-Shower Is  
Courtesy Tendered  
Miss Thomson**

Mrs. Henry Sadler and Mrs. Lila Holmes entertained Thursday morning in the home of their mother, Mrs. J. R. McClellan, on East Main street with an informal coffee and miscellaneous shower in compliment to Miss Jane Thomson, whose marriage to Hal Anderson of Rockdale will be an event of December 21.

Greeting the guests at the door was Mrs. Pete Breithaupt, and in the receiving line were the co-hostesses, the honoree and her mother, Mrs. L. K. Thomson.

The table in the dining room was laid with a beautiful cut-work cloth and centered with an arrangement of large white chrysanthemums, placed on a reflector. At either side white tapers burned in silver candelabra.

Mrs. J. A. Hallman of Hamilton and Mrs. Jim McClellan presided at the silver services at either end of the table with Mrs. Bill Nesbitt, Mrs. Pete McIver, Miss Mildred Gandy and Mrs. James Pritchett assisting in serving. Refreshments of sand tarts, coconut cookies, salted nuts, chocolate covered ments, hot biscuits, with ham spread, and coffee were served from the buffet.

Throughout the morning Mrs. Byron Leaird Jr. pianist and vocalist, furnished a delightful program. Other members of the house party were, Mesdames Rosser Sanders, Annabel Chamlee, H. K. Jackson, J. R. McClellan, and John T. Post.

Mrs. C. L. Kirby Jr. presided at the Bride's Book where seventy guests registered. Among the out-of-town guests were, Mrs. Kirby Perryman of Lubbock and Mrs. Denver Roberts of Pettus.

**ARNETT COMMUNITY  
HELPING RED CROSS**

Over fifty garments have been made by people in the Arnett community for the Red Cross, and another box is being sent out there to be worked on. They hope to have them finished soon.

**Miss Iva Lee Hardin  
Weds Johnny Stippick  
At Camp Bowie Sunday**

Miss Iva Lee Hardin, daughter of Mrs. Henry Wiegand of Gatesville, and Johnny Stippick of Wisconsin were married Sunday in the chapel at Camp Bowie with the chaplain performing the ceremony.

The young couple are making their home at 1912 Avenue D in Brownwood. The bridegroom is a technical sergeant, stationed at Camp Bowie.

**No-Host Sausage  
Roast Given By  
Young People**

A no-host sausage roast was enjoyed by a group of young people of the Twin Mountain community about three miles north of Copperas Cove Sunday evening. Attending were, Erna Nauert, Marvin Kindler, Esther Herzog, Arnold Kause, Olga Kindler, Albert Nauert, Laura Kindler, Ben Mickan, Lorenia Kause, Edgar Teinert, Norma Mickan, Alvin Krause, Lole Miller, Agnes and Norma Milling Miller, Agnes and Norma Miller, Lorette Mickan, A. J. Lehman and "Bozo" Eurben of Thorndale.

**Ace High Bridge  
Club Entertained  
Thursday Evening**

Members and guests of the Ace High Bridge Club were complimented when Misses Linnie Fore and Minnie Lou Witt entertained in the home of the former on Pleasant street Thursday evening. Decorations carried out the Christmas motif.

Misses Mamie Sue Halbrook and Lois Grantham were winners of the high and second high score awards. Other players were, Misses Bess Holmes, Aurora Yongue, Thelma McGilvray, Maude Alvey Painter, Mary Ross, Nell

Routh, Betty Wynn Watson, Elizabeth Bigham, Dorothy Nell Short, and Mrs. Ernestine White.

At the conclusion, the hostesses served ice cream, with whipped cream and cherries, and cake squares.

C. H. McGilvray, Misses Truie Pearl and Thelma McGilvray spent Sunday in Crockett, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Freeman and baby son.

**Damon Wicker Is  
Birthday Party  
Honoree**

Damon Wicker was complimented at a birthday party, given Sunday afternoon by his mother, Mrs. Clifford Wicker. Damon was ten years old.

After playing, the guests were served birthday cake and hot chocolate and candied popcorn.

Those sharing the occasion with the honoree were, Robert Earl and Dewey Meeks, Weldon and Deane Meeks, Royce Vann Pennington, Ranzell Meeks, Danny Winship, Doris and Jim Edd Berry, and James Hoyle Wicker.

**Personals**

Cadet "Sonny" Hair of the Air Corps, from Taft, California, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bird Hair of Gatesville, returning to Luke Field at Phoenix, Arizona yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brewster of San Angelo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Roberts of Gatesville this week end.

Mrs. Byron Leaird Sr., Mrs. Byron Leaird Jr., and Mrs. Dan McClellan were in Navasota Monday to attend the funeral services of their cousin, Mrs. John Preston. Mrs. Preston had visited Mrs. Leaird Sr. frequently and was well known to a large group of Gatesville people.

Alf Lockhart, who has been in

a Waco hospital, was conveyed to his home at Pidcoke Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler B. Schley and daughter, Jerry, of Kilgore were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Culberson.

Mrs. Grant Williams and Mrs. Webbie Quicksall of Dallas spent the week end with relatives and friends in this city.

Visitors in the R. H. Rauschenberg home Tuesday were, John Keith and his wife of Moody, Texas and son, Loyd Keith, and family of Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wiegand and daughter, Avadell, returned last Friday night from a visit with relatives in Edcouch. They also visited at other points in the Valley and into Old Mexico.

Mrs. R. S. Farmer spent the week end in Goldthwaite, where she was a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. V. C. Bradford, and Mr. Bradford.

Danny McClellan, who has been attending SWSTC in San Marcos enlisted in the Army and reported at San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dick of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Paulos here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McLarty, Mrs. Otha Thomas and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weaver at Pancake Sunday.

Albert Voss of St. Louis, Missouri is visiting his brother, Harry Voss, at Jonesboro. This is his first visit here and the first time he has seen his brother in thirty years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lornie White, Mrs. Juanita Chamlee and daughter of Waco and William Mayes of Coolidge spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Mayes Jr. Mrs. White is the former Miss Billie Simpson.



**NOW...  
AS ALWAYS**

The poinsettia is red, Christmas spirit! Make her really happy this year... give her flowers!

**Mrs. J. B. Graves  
Flowers FLORIST**

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## Awards Given Jr., High School Football Team

Yesterday morning, with Dorothy Jo Hodson reading the "citations", members of the GHS Junior High School Football team were presented letters and footballs at a special meeting in the Junior High School.

Coach Clinton White was presented with a military set, a gift from members of the team, who evidently think he'll be with Uncle Sam soon.

Those awarded letters were: Red Spence, J. A. Sims, Ayres Anderson, Pat Weaver, Ray Painter, Bill Blankenship, Joe Bates, Wayne Sullivan, Charles Campbell, Edwin Thompson, George Hodges, Jr., Oran Whittenburg, Billy Joe Braziel and Manager Eddie Campbell.

Class B letters were issued to Billie Melton, John Gates, J. C. Tennison, David Haskins, Glenn Roy Gartmann, Johnnie Johnson, Dub Hodges, Billie Joe Coskrey, Sam Ed Franks, Bill Dickie, Wade Tatum, Harold Pennington, Lee Ingram, Bertram Davis, Durwood Newton, Billy Phillips, Wallace Watson, Louie Campbell, Ed Allen Summers, Milroy Powell, Robert Bonds, Floyd Patterson and Jasbo Johnson.

Yell leaders for the Junior High came in for their awards and included: Pattie Ashby, Bobbie Jean Hudson and Countine Jean Pruner. Coach Clinton White made the

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## Hornettes Defeat Dragonettes 18-14 At Pearl Friday

Playing Friday night in Pearl's

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Featherstone was high point for Gatesville, and others on the team included Perkins, Shoaf, Apel, Black and Mueller.

### Osage

Vala Dee Huff, Cors.

Mrs. W. D. Craddock and daughter, Evonne, were visitors in Temple the past week end.

Wilma Dean Hartwick spent Thursday night with Louise Griffith in Gatesville.

Vala Dee Huff spent Monday night and Tuesday with Louise Griffith in Gatesville.

The Lone Star Playboys were in

Osage Thursday night and put on a very nice program.

C. A. Tubbs Jr. left for the Army Monday and is now in Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Mr. Bob Petree, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Tubbs, for the past three weeks, returned to his home in Waco.

Edna Earle Barnard of Houston has been visiting in Osage.

Mrs. Bob Baskin of Houston visited with her sister, Mrs. M. B. Edwards.

Mrs. Carl Etchison and daughter, Betty Jo, spent the night with her sisters, Miss Florence Edwards and Mrs. Ruby Stanford.

### Topsey

Mrs. William A. Cowan, cors

Rev. Frank Stone filled his appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night. Accompanied by Mrs. Stowe, they were guests in the J. W. Irvine home.

Sunday guests with Mrs. G. W. Cowan were, Mr. and Mrs. Solon Cowan and baby of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Simpson, Mrs. J. D. Storm, Mrs. Otto Frazer and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Cowan and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lewis of Enid, Oklahoma are visiting Mr. Lewis' sister, Mrs. C. C. Adams, and family.

Mr. Homer Scott was injured Wednesday afternoon while knocking stalks. A part broke, hit him on the head and knocked him off the tractor. He was unconscious for some time. At present he is convalescing as well as possible, due to the serious injury he received.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Meissner were host and hostess at a birthday supper Tuesday evening, being Mrs. Meissner's birthday. Those present were, Messrs. and Mesdames Walter Krempin, Otto Frazer, Henry Meissner, and Ted Schwausch.

Mrs. J. R. Stiles and son, James Ivan, spent several days last week in Brownwood with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Courtney of Jonesboro are the parents of a baby daughter, who has been given the name Myrna Lynn. Mrs. Courtney is staying with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Fowler.

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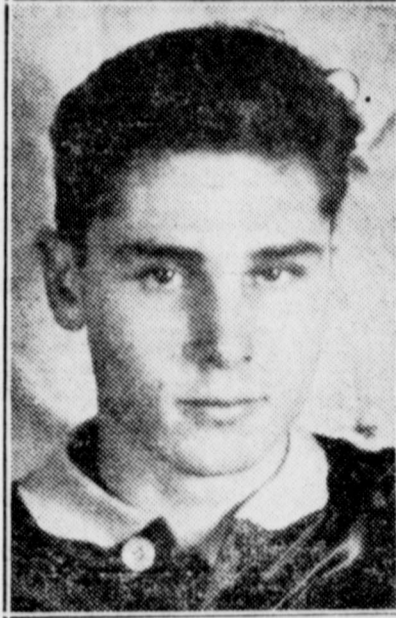
**PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR QUARTERLY MEETING OF LEON RIVER W.M.U.**

The Quarterly meeting of the Leon River W.M.U. will be held Tuesday, December 15, beginning at 10 a. m. in the First Baptist Church at Gatesville. The theme will be "Oh Send Out Thy Light and Thy Truth." and following is an outline of the program.

Song and Praise Service—Mrs. Knox Lovejoy.  
History of Year's Hymn—Mrs.

L. P. Foster Sr.  
Quartet: "The Light of the World Is Jesus", Mrs. A. W. Ellis, Mrs. Roy Southerland, Miss Catherine Lee, Miss Pauline Smith.  
Echoes of State Convention—Mrs. Vernon Ray and Mrs. C. L. Bellamy.  
Lottie Moon Gleanings—President of Leon River W.M.U.  
Plan of Work for 1942—By Twelve WMU members.  
At 12 o'clock noon a paper bag lunch will be served. At 1 o'clock will be the departmental reports and the adjournment at 1:30 p. m.

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"Another local boy making good in the big city" is L. V. Arnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Arnett of near here.  
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This, folks, is unusual, considering the number of students from Coryell County who attend colleges and universities over Texas and some of the other states.

spent last Tuesday night with Lorene Burgess.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Barr of Temple spent this last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barr and

family.  
The Grove school will have their Christmas tree and Christmas program in the school auditorium Friday night, December 19.

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By JONES



La Vega got over, whipping Handley in Fort Worth 13-0, thus ending the Class One A, since it is only carried to the regional. Sherman did the work, or the "brilliance" for the La Vega boys. But you know, he also has to have some help.

Temple entered the semi-finals by taking Tyler's number 14-7 and enters the semi-finals, Class Double A, and now meet Lamar of that school in Houston, Friday.

Wichita Falls aerialled Ysleta out of it 21-0; Austin favored, lost to Lamar 6-28; Sunset won over Highland 7-0.

The other semi-final will be Wichita Falls and Sunset; and, where they'll meet, we haven't round out yet.

This war, has knocked the damper out of sports, and they've been skipping the sport pages for the front.

Just in case you'd not noticed, Coryell County has one boy on Eaylor's basketball team, (he was last year, but he's a regular now) and that is L. V. Arnett, and he's going good this year.

Flat had their football banquet, which we missed. That Flat folks, is like the "ox in the ditch", or "cotton picking time" with us. This is the Christmas Season, and it's been almost night and day since December One, and we just could not make it.

War has already stopped both East-West game in San Francisco and the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena.

**The Grove**

Lorene Burgess, cors.

There will be church services here next Sunday morning and Sunday night. Rev. Ollie Williams the pastor will conduct the services. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

There were several from here who made a business trip to Temple Saturday.

Everyone enjoyed a party at Harold Andrews last Saturday night.

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all oiled up and ready. I'm waitin'  
fer a rullin' from the Game, Fish

Oyster and Lobster Commission, a  
declarin' open season on Japs. I  
figger I ought to get two bucks a  
head, countin' both ears which  
they ought to pay off on.

I don't see no reason to get wor-  
ried much. Jest call out the Texas  
Rangers. They'll be more'n glad  
to take care of the situashion.

All my life I've lived fer one big  
moment which I didn't ever expect

to see—the time when We, "U.S." would be at war with them dern Japs to give our Pacific fleet the target practice they have been a dreamin' of fer many, many years. Now I am sure the boys are a goin' to have some fun, and believe in Santy Claus again.

Texas U. said they still had their self respect to fight fer, so they went out and whipped the Aggies 23 to 0, and Oregon 71-7, so that shows you what us Americans can do when we are a fightin' fer our self respect. I gut a hunch they's a lot of self respect a goin' to hake a heluva lift in the next few days in the Pacific Ocean, if you get what I mean.

I'm jest a plain old A.B.C. gal now—America, Britain, China—and if the worst comes to the worst I'll be in there a cuttin' and a slashin'.

By the way, have you heard from Charlie Lindberg and John Lewis lately?

I'll be a seein' you, Pal, and "Keep 'em Flyin'".

Yourn,  
LOONY LUCY  
(A.B.C.)

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## JUNIOR HIGH HONOR ROLL FOR SECOND SIX WEEKS GIVEN

Following is the Gatesville Junior High school honor roll for the second six weeks:

Ninth grade: All A's: Jo Ann Bailey, Lenola Baize.

A's and B's, Paul J. Ashby, Martha Claire Brown, Cherry Clary, Wilma Earl Colvin, Dorothy Dean Crow, Bobby Jean Hudson, Hallie Jo Jackson, Pauline Martin, Wanda Ruth Stephens, Patsy Walker, Peggy Wollard, and Carl

Gandy.  
Eighth grade: All A's Evalee Baize, Billy Gene Freeman, Harvie Jean Hamilton, Carol Zeigler.

A's and B's, Ayres Anderson, Johnnie Johnson, Virginia Raye Powell, Janet Sadler, Henry Straw, Betty Weaver, Eugene Whitt, David Williams.

Seventh grade: All A's: Billy Bob Ashby, Billy Carroll, Mary Ann Davis, Louise Graham, Ray Kirby.

A's and B's, Betty Jo Adkins, Glenn Roy Gartman, Billy Laxon, Charles Milner, Mary Ann Powell, George Ricketts, Doris Marie Sanders, Carolyn Stewart, Doris Rae Walters.

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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE  
The Squeaker, underworld  
character who acts as a fence  
for jewel thieves and usually be-  
trays them, is being sought by  
the police of London. Inspector  
Barrabal of Scotland Yard, pos-  
ing as the down-and-out "Cap-  
tain John Leslie," gets a job in  
the office of Frank Sutton, who  
specializes in hiring derelicts.  
Before long Leslie and Sutton's  
fiancee, Carol Stedman, who  
helped him get the job, find  
themselves falling in love. Larry  
Graeme, jewel thief, steals the  
almost priceless Kissik pearls  
and is double-crossed by The  
Squeaker. He escapes from the  
police, bent on revenge, and  
goes to the dressing room of his  
sweetheart Tamara, dancer at  
the Leopard Club, where they  
are interrupted by a knock at  
the door.

### Chapter Five

"Yes?" called Tarama, while  
Graeme stood tense, ready to spring  
through the window whence he had  
entered. But it was only her dresser,  
warning that it was almost time  
for her to go on in the show.  
He kissed her a hurried but pas-  
sionate goodbye, while she vowed  
to come to him somehow, anyhow,  
wherever he might be, if only he

promptly spotted the slinking fig-  
ure and fell in behind him, follow-  
ing him.

Graeme turned the corner at the  
rear of the house and waited, pistol  
in hand. And when Sutton turned  
the corner he found himself look-  
ing down the muzzle of the gun.

"Good evening, Mr. Sutton. We're  
going to take a little walk to the  
police station. I came here tonight  
to kill you, but I've changed my  
mind."

Sutton started to argue with him,  
while they proceeded along the paved  
walk toward the outer gate.

"Listen, Graeme," he protested. "If  
you turn me in they'll get you too."

"They've got me," growled the  
escaped thief. "I'll do fifteen years,  
but you'll do life. Life in a prison  
—full of men who know you and  
hate you!"

By now they had reached a pillar  
of the canopy that extended over  
the path. They paused behind it to  
argue.

"Don't be a fool, Graeme," said  
Sutton. "I can get you out of the  
country tonight. Look, I'll give  
you all the money you want — any-  
thing! I'll give it you right now!"

He thrust his hand into his hip  
pocket. A moment later there was  
a muffled pistol shot. Larry Graeme  
silently crumpled and sprawled on  
the walk. Sutton, after wiping the  
handle of his gun and flinging it  
into the hedge, walked coolly into  
the house.



No words were needed for what his eyes spoke.

could elude the police. Then, when  
she had gone out to take her turn  
on the floor of the night club, he  
put on the hat and overcoat which  
an accomplice had sent for him to  
Tamara at the club. In the over-  
coat were a revolver and a scrap of  
paper on which was scrawled the  
message: "Sutton at Stedman house,  
Little Green tonight. R."

He crammed the note into his  
pocket and, fingering the revolver  
inside his coat pocket, climbed out  
to the fire escape.

Stedman House, the sumptuous  
suburban home of Frank Sutton's  
senior partner, was gay with music,  
brilliant lights and the festive chat-  
ter of two hundred party guests. As  
Carol and Leslie strolled about the  
grounds she seemed quite oblivious  
to the fact that her fiance had not  
yet put in an appearance.

Inside the band struck up a liv-  
ely tune, but Leslie made no move  
to go in.  
"Don't you like dancing?" Carol  
asked.

"Very much — but not at the  
moment."  
"Are you worried about some-  
thing?"  
"Yes — I'm afraid I am."  
"Something I've done?"  
"No, no. I'm terribly happy about  
you. As a matter of fact..." He  
stopped and looked at her. No  
words were needed for what his  
eyes spoke.

"I'm so glad," whispered Carol.  
She raised her lips to his kiss.  
"Darling!"  
"Thank you, Carol," he said sim-  
ply, then kissed her again, linger-  
ingly.

It was Leslie who found Graeme's  
body, and when Inspector Elford  
arrived to take charge of the case  
he placed Leslie under arrest on  
prima facie evidence. Carol started  
to protest that there was no proof  
whatever of Leslie's guilt, but she  
was interrupted by Sutton, who  
pointed out that he had been in the  
garden shortly before the body was  
found, and had seen nothing.

"The murderer must have come  
from the house," said Elford,  
"otherwise you would have seen  
him, since you came down the  
drive. Isn't that so, Mr. Sutton?"

Sutton replied that it was so.  
During all this Leslie, despite  
Carol's impassioned pleas, made  
only the most perfunctory effort to  
defend himself against the charge.

And after hearing Sutton's admis-  
sion that he had been in the gar-  
den just before the murder, Leslie  
suggested to the inspector that they  
get along to prison.

"Haven't you anything to say?"  
cried Carol. "No explanation? No-  
thing?"

"There's nothing I can say," re-  
plied Leslie, and turned to go out  
with the arresting officers.

Leslie and Elford, having reached  
Scotland Yard, congratulated each  
other on the success of their bit of  
play-acting at Stedman House.

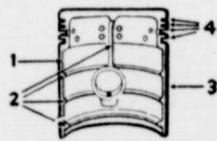
"That fake arrest certainly made  
Sutton talk," remarked Leslie. "He  
was so anxious to squeak on me  
he did a little squeaking on him-  
self."  
"What we need now," pointed out  
Elford, "is a definite link between  
Sutton and Graeme."  
"You're right," agreed Leslie.  
"And I think I've got it!"

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**WASHINGTON NEWS**  
FROM OUR CONGRESSMAN  
**W. R. POAGE**

This has been a very busy and important week in Washington. The House has today completed action on another tremendous defense appropriation this time in the form of a supplemental appropriation bill. As passed, the measure calls for approximately eight billion dollars to pay the deficiencies that will exist in the various governmental departments as a result of unforseen expenditures that they are authorized to make. While the bill covers all of the departments of government, and while it is customary to pass such a bill about this time (or early in January) each year, this measure is so gigantic as to stagger the imagination. Practically all of these vast sums are to be used for defense purposes. Alarming as these great expenditures and the resulting indebtedness are, they are not so alarming as a lack of defense ability. It is costing tremendous sums and it is taking more time than we like to take, but America is slowly but surely strengthening her defenses to a point where we may within the next two years hope to overcome the great advantage of equipment that the dictators had built up over a period of ten or twelve years of sacrifice on the part of their people.

While a group of Republicans undertook to strike out all appropriations that could be used to carry out our well established policy of aid to the Democracies, I am glad to report that they did not have anything like the united support of their own party, and the amendment was rejected. Another amendment which was sponsored by a Republican, and which was defeated, was a proposal to provide funds with which to pay the fare of our troops home for Christmas. I think this was a wise and humane amendment. I voted for it and was embarrassed to find that it was defeated by the manipulations of the Democratic floor leaders who were able to prevent a record vote. I am convinced that if we could have secured such a vote the proposal would have passed. Personally, it seems to me that our government could well afford to be a little more considerate of our enlisted men.

Of course, the most spectacular and far-reaching action of the week was the passage of the House of the so-called Smith Bill for the relation of labor disputes in defense industries. For more than a year many of us have recognized that this country could never hope to perfect its defense program unless we were able to induce the various labor organizations to carry

out their promises of cooperation. I realize that the great masses of the members of organized labor have tried honestly and sincerely to do, and are still doing, their part in our national defense program, but so long as leaders like John L. Lewis can call strikes without a secret vote of the members, it is going to be impossible for the patriotic working men to keep from striking even on the most vital defense programs, and so long as there are those who will abuse power that might very properly be delegated to 99 out of 100, it is still necessary to take the power away from all.

I have urged effective governmental action to stop unwarranted defense strikes for more than a year, but for many months it has been impossible to get any action here in Congress. However, at last the membership has become fully aroused, and on last Wednesday we passed a bill which I sincerely believe will be worthwhile. I am hopeful that the Senate will pass the measure without material amendment and that the President will sign it. If they do we will have a really effective strike control measure, which will do no injury to patriotic labor, but which will take the control of the labor unions out of the hands of the racketeers and require real democratic elections in labor unions. It will also require cooling off period before any strike is called and will outlaw jurisdictional strikes. The bill provides that during the emergency all closed shops shall remain closed and all open shops shall remain open. It provides governmental mediation boards and compulsory arbitration, and gives all parties a chance to have their views heard. As I see it, it will remove most of the cause for the type of strikes that have so long interfered with our defense program. It goes further and provides that if these safeguards fail and a strike is called that there shall be no mass picketing and no violence. Of course, violence has always been against the law, but the definition of "mass picketing" will go a long way toward stopping violence.

These strikes in defense industries have been by far the most serious problem with which this country has had to deal. I was glad we were able to work out a bill which could receive such a substantial vote in the House—252 to 136, and of course, I voted for the bill.

## Gets "Bars" In Luke Field Graduation December 12



Second Lt. Dave H. Culberson, Cadet Dave H. Culberson Jr., until December 12, when at Luke Field, Phoenix, Arizona Cadet Culberson because Second Lieutenant Dave H. Culberson Jr., as a member of the largest class so far to receive commissions and wings from the United States Army Air Corps' Advanced Flying School at Luke Field.

Graduation exercises were held at the field Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Lt. Col. Whitehead, commandant of the field awarded the commissions.

Lieut. Culberson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave H. Culberson of Gatesville.

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Ausborne Brown Chitwood was born March 15, 1868 in Dyersburg, Tenn., where he lived until he was eight years of age. He then moved to Texas with his father and one brother, who both preceded him in death a number of years.

He was married to Sarah Phe-mister October 18, 1890 at Bonham, Texas at the age of 22. They moved to Coryell county, where they lived until his death. To this union were born nine children. He was a member of the Baptist Church at Purlena.

Words need not be spoken to express our love for our father. His life was an open page for all to read. All who knew him loved him. Especially did the young people and children love him. His neighbors and friends were many.

On October 18, 1941 only the children and a few close friends gathered to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. On account of papa's declining health, more friends could not be asked. This was his last day of enjoyment with close friends, his wife and children and grandchildren.

It was hard to say goodbye to one we loved so dearly, but God knows best. May we all live to meet our father some sweet day.—Written by One Who Loved Him.

## CIVILIAN FLAG COURTESY WHEN "OLD GLORY" PASSES: SERVICE MEN KNOW



Recently, we had a little story about no heads being uncovered when the flag of the United States passed.

Here, Gentlemen, is the correct procedure in showing respect for the Flag for civilians. We quote from official U.S. Army Recruiting Service bulletin, giving the requirements. This entire bulletin has already been run in this newspaper, but evidently needs repeating. We are putting it back in our window, for everyone's information.

"During the ceremony of hoist-

ing or lowering the Flag, OR WHEN THE FLAG IS PASSING IN A PARADE, OR IN A REVIEW, all persons should face the Flag, stand at attention, and salute. Those present in uniform should render the right hand salute. Those MEN not in uniform should remove their headdress with the right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. WOMEN should salute by placing the right hand over the heart. The salute to the Flag in a moving column is rendered as the Flag passes."

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