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20 Percent Fire Record Credit For City Is Announced

A good fire record credit of 20 per cent will apply to fire insurance premiums on policies written in Gatesville for 12-months beginning March 1. This will result in a direct saving on fire insurance as 20 per cent of the normal premium will be deducted on policies written after the effective date.

The 20 per cent credit will result in an estimated saving of \$770 on fire insurance costs for Gatesville policyholders during the next year. The estimate is based on fire insurance premium payments in 1942. A 15 per cent credit has been in effect for the past year.

GATESVILLE INVADED BY CADETS ENROUTE WACO FLYING FIELD

Wednesday morning 158 hand-

LIONS SPONSOR USO "HITCH-HIKING" POSTS: ON DISPLAY

"Hitch-Hiking Posts, for service men, will be installed at advantageous points in and near Gatesville, sponsored by Gatesville Lion's Club, according to R. W. Palmatier, local USO manager.

During the coming week, one of these "Hitching Posts" will be on display at the local USO club.

If you pass a boy in, or on one of these "Posts" and you're going his way, give him a lift. Army rules now prevent the "ordinary" hitch-hiking, and this is the modern substitute.

some Air Cadets over ran Gatesville when their buses stopped enroute to the Waco Army Flying School. The boys recently completed their primary training at Coleman and will start 9 weeks of basic training in Waco. All of these boys are former enlisted men who have had from one and a half to two years in the regular army.

Mrs. J. H. Brown of Port Arthur is visiting his mother.

THOSE 20c TIRES COME BACK "UNWASHED" & GOIN' AT "CP" \$4.45

Those slicks you turned in! There are some similar ones in town, and with a certain certificate, you can get one for the Ceiling Price of \$4.45.

No, nothing that'll show has been done to them. They haven't even had a bath. The ones we saw were from East Texas, a gas refinery, sent to a Houston or Dallas warehouse, and then billed out to Gatesville. Yours may be anywhere, but they're probably going for \$4.45 if you've got the papers.

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE? HERE ARE THE REQUIREMENTS!

February 21-27 will be Women's Army Auxiliary Corps Week in Gatesville. You are eligible if:

You are between 21 and 44 years old, inclusive.

An American citizen. Without financial dependents or children under 14.

Be a member of the Hub of Texas Platoon of the WAAC!

Leaird's Department Store Destroyed In \$125,000 Blaze Wed.

FIRE OUT OF CONTROL SHORTLY AFTER FOUND: SCOTT'S NOT DAMAGED

by Jerry Palmer

Byron Leaird's Department Store was totally destroyed by fire of an undetermined origin which swept through the brick construction early Wednesday morning; when flames became out of control of local firemen.

The fire was first noticed by an unidentified passerby at 5:30 A. M., who saw flames in the

middle of the store, between the dry goods and furniture departments. He immediately reported it, but by the time firemen arrived, the flames were out of control.

Also, damaged to a near loss, was Mr. Leaird's collection of over 3,000 fossils, collected from all over the world, including 190 different specimens of sawfish fossils. Mr. Leaird has hopes that they can be recovered from the debris.

The fire was not only a loss to

Mr. Leaird but to the city and county. His store has served for 45 years. Mr. Leaird has already started plans for reestablishing the store in a building across West Main street from the former location, which has served as his warehouse, as soon as possible.

Byron Leaird, Sr., said the Wednesday morning that the total loss was approximately \$125,000, with about \$80,000 in stock and the buildings value was near \$35,000. About \$50,000 in insurance was

carried.

A fire of this nature, in peace times, could be more easily overcome, but now with the restrictions as to merchandise and other fixture problems, getting the necessary replacements is going to be exceedingly difficult.

Another Tragedy Of Fire

Almost unthought of, possibly, is the fact that Mrs. J. F. Tadlock, who has been a saleswoman at Leaird's Department Store for more than 30 years, is temporarily

out of a job, as a result of the fire.

Mrs. Tadlock is probably known by more people in Coryell county than any other single person in Gatesville. She has been serving the public at Leaird's in the piece-goods and ready-to-wear departments for this long time.

Morton Scott's, house furnisher establishment next door was undamaged, except for possibly a little smoke damage.

IRELAND BOY IS A "PRISONER OF WAR" RED CROSS REPORTS

According to Home Secretary Carl McClelland of the American Red Cross, Pvt. Lester H. Hoard, son of Mrs. Exer M. Hoard, of Ireland, Rt. 1 is a "prisoner of war".

Where Pvt. Hoard is held was not given in the Red Cross announcement, but his mother had previously been advised of his capture.

It looks like now, there'll be a great deal of this bad news coming in from the boys in service from now on.

Mayor Proclaims Feb. 21-27 As WAAC WEEK

An intensive drive to enroll a full platoon for the WAAC from 7 central Texas counties between Feb. 21 and 27 was announced today by Col. Claude K. Rhinehart, district Army Recruiting Officer. Mayor Gandy promptly indicated his co-operation by declaring Feb. 21-27 WAAC Week in Gatesville, and urging that this city give every aid to the drive.

"WHEREAS the Army of the United States has called for immediate expansion of the Woman's Army Auxiliary Corps to its full authorized strength of 150,000 as an important aid in winning the war, and has given our district a quota of 1,504 WAACS to be recruited between Jan. 1 and March 31," he wrote:

WHEREAS the City of Gatesville is an important part of this district, and has a glorious record of furnishing volunteers for all of the uniformed forces of the United States, and does not mean to be less diligent in the task of supplying women power for the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps: "NOW, THEREFORE, I, C. E. Gandy, Mayor of the City of Gatesville do hereby proclaim the period from Feb. 21 to Feb. 27 as WAAC Week in Gatesville, and call upon our patriotic citizenry for their wholehearted support in the recruiting of a special platoon from Gatesville and the areas surrounding this City, to be known as the Hub of Texas Platoon."

The group will be drawn from the following counties, Bosque, Hill, Limestone, Falls, Coryell, Lampasas, and McLennan. The group will be sworn in together and sent to the same training camp.

SINGING AT WHITE HALL

A singing will be held at White Hall School Sunday night, February 21.

A group of singers from Mississippi will be present.

The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Jim Ward and Jimmie Wayne, from Seminole, Okla. are visiting relatives and friends here.

METHODIST PRESENT SPECIAL PROGRAMS SUNDAY, FEB. 21

The Methodist Church will present Mr. R. D. Foster as speaker in our great Layman's Day Service Sunday morning at 10:50 o'clock. All laymen and lay women are cordially invited to attend this service.

At 8:00 P. M. Sunday the Methodist Church will present Lt. Robert L. Haines as feature soloist in a Sacred Musical Program in the auditorium of the church. Lieut. Haines will be assisted by the choir of the church.

The public is cordially invited to hear this musical treat.

Doyle Short in the navy, stationed at San Diego, Calif. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Short.

ELAINE BAIZE STARS IN PLAY AT S. T. S. T. C.

Miss Elaine Baize of Gatesville will play an important role in an old-fashioned "meller-drammer" to be presented Saturday night by the College Players of Southwest Texas State Teachers College.

The play, entitled "Pure as the Driven Snow" is complete with hero, villain, innocent heroine, etc. Elaine plays the part of the sister of the heroine and the mother of the kidnapped babe.

The production will be part of the annual College Players' Jamboree which this year will carry out the Stage Door Canteen motif.

ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Short.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses

Franklin L. Hill and Mary Ann Robinson.

Deaths Recorded

G. H. Diserens to U. S. A.
W. C. Manning o R. E. L. Pope
W. R. Kelso to Luther Whaley
H Tom Chapman to Mrs. Laura Powell
H. O. Barzanier to Staten Methodist Church
Bettie Floyd Hill to Jacob Rascoe
L. E. Burt to Walter Stewart
L. E. Burt to Luke Walker
M. C. Cummings, Sr to U. S. A.

NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

YANKS RETREAT IN TUNISIA

N. Africa, Feb. 17 (AP).—Marshal Erwin Rommel, using 2 divisions of his veterans African tank fighters and his heaviest armor, has smashed an American counterattack, at least for the time being, and with a fresh 18 mile thrust in Central Tunisia Tuesday has cored a net advance of 35 miles in the last three days.

WASHING NOT WORRIED

Washington, Feb. 17 (AP).—The House military affairs committee votes Thursday on the Kilday Bill to set up draft deferment priorities for men with families. The committee is expected to recommend passage of the bill in the face of Army protests that it would put undesirables into uniform.

MME CHANG KAI-SHEK IN CAPITOL

Washington, Feb. 17 (AP).—Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of the Chinese Generalissimo, arrived in Washington Wednesday and was welcomed personally by President and Mrs. Roosevelt. She spoke by radio yesterday to both the Senate and House and the nation.

SUBS BAG 5 JAP SHIPS

Washington, Feb. 17 (UP).—American subs in a blow against the far flung Jap supply lines, have sunk 5 more enemy supply ships and transports and probably sunk a cruiser, the Navy revealed Wednesday night.

\$25,000 TOP SALARIES URGED

Washington, Feb. 17 (AP).—With a strong movement underway in Congress to repeal his \$25,000 limit (after taxes) on salaries, President Roosevelt renewed again Wednesday, a demand for super wartaxes, leaving no single person more than \$25,000 spendable income and no married couple more than \$50,000.

REDS GET MILE AN HOUR

London, Feb. 17 (UP).—Col. Gen. Philip Golikov's triumphant Red Army has captured Bogodukhov, 31 miles west-northwest of Khar'kov, in an advance of better than a mile an hour since the fall Tuesday of the industrial capital of the Ukraine, the Reds announce.

42 FRENCH SHIPS JOIN ALLIES

Philadelphia, Feb. 17 (AP).—Forty-two French warships in addition to the four that steamed

across the Atlantic last week soon will be fighting on the side of the United Nations, Vice-Admiral Raymond Fenard, chief of the French naval mission to the U. S., said Wednesday.

STILL POUND LORIENT

London, Feb. 17 (AP).—The Allies chalked up another sharp blow against U-boat lairs, a heavy raid on Lorient Tuesday night by the RAF and jubilant fliers declared photographic evidence proved their persistent hammering of the Nazis' continental bases is successful.

CANNED FISH & MEAT "CANNED"

Washington, Feb. 17 (AP).—The OPA tonight suspended the sale of canned fish and canned meat.

GOP IN CHARGE OF MONEY BILL

Washington, Feb. 17 (AP).—President Roosevelt lost today the first round of his fight to obtain funds for the national resources planning board as the house, with the closely-knit republican forces dominant passed a bill with the planning board excluded. The bill was \$2,616,972,913.



- Eusebio Diaz
- Hugh Davis
- Mrs. Woodall
- Baby Boy Woodall
- Mrs. Carl Patton
- Baby Girl Patton
- Mrs. E. L. Kuykenball
- Miss Bessie Powell
- Mrs. Milton Kiger
- Mrs. Carl Chandler
- Baby Girl Chandler
- Louis King
- Mrs. Rebecca Hollingsworth
- Baby Girl Hollingsworth
- Carlos Gomez

Markets

Thursday, Feb. 18

Corn, ear	\$1.00
Corn, shelled	\$1.05
Oats, loose	60c
Eggs, No. 1 candled	32c
Cream, No. 1	48c
Cream, No. 2	45c
Fryers	20c
Old Roosters	7c
Hens, light	17c
Hens, heavy	19c

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OUR VERSION OF A NIGHT MARE

"I had the craziest dream last night", I dreamed I was in "Brazil". I arrived there on "The Sleepy Town Train" and at the station was "My Gal Sal" accompanied by "Mr. Five by Five" singing "Stick to your Knitting Kitten". Upon his suggestion to "Let's Hitch a Horse to an Automobile", we rolled along with "Tumbling Tumble Weeds".

Before we knew it we were "3-121 Miles Away" from "Deep in the Heart of Texas". We stopped on the "Sunny Side of the Street" where we saw "Three Little Sisters" crying "Who Threw the Overalls in Mr. Murphy's Crowder."

We went to a hotel where we heard "A Porter Love Song to a Chamber Maid". By this time we were boarding the "Chattanooga Choo Choo" which would "Take Us Back to Tulsa". While in Tulsa "Arthur Murry Taught us Dancing in a Hurry". I also dialed "Pennsylvania 6-500" and ask "Mable, Ain't you Coming Out." I wake up "Every Night about this Time" and wonder "If There are Such Things."

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Command Performance!

Altho Uncle Samuel pays for advertising for the WAACS, Army, Navy, Marines, and lots of others, in the "dailies", and, furnishes jillions of forms, envelopes, etc., etc., he was too poor to furnish the form below, and the "command performance" part of it, the "country press" which don't get any of the paid advertising,

or, printing, is required, asked or requested, or "high pressured" into running this "form" FREE, and from the local War Price & Rationing Board, they say they don't have any of them, and the only place you can get them is from "YOUR LOCAL NEWSPAPER". All this, with paper rationing, too! Awright, we'll be the "sucker" again, and here it is.

The public is urged to register for the second War Book NO. 2, beginning Thursday Feb. 25 from 8:00 a. m. till 8:00 p. m. at the Gatesville Public School buildings. People with last name beginning with the initial from A through H will register Thursday. Friday, same hours with initials from I through P will register. Saturday same hours with initials from Q through Z will register.

The Consumer Declaration coupon must accompany each registrant.

CAMP HOOD MAJOR IS MADE LIEUTENANT COLONEL

Recent promotion of Lt. Col. William H. O'Brien from Major has been announced at the Army's only Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center, Camp Hood, Tex.

Col. O'Brien graduated and was commissioned 2nd Lt., F. A., from the University of Illinois in June 1933. From 1933-35 the Colonel was produce Manager at the Armour Packing Co., Chicago, Ill., then to duty with the CCC's, where he was promoted to 1st Lieutenant in July 1936.

In 1938, back to civilian life as owner of a general store in Warrsburg, Illinois.

On active duty once again in 1941 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma with a promotion to Captain in October. In July, 1942, Col. O'Brien became a major and came to the Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center on August 30th as one of the original plannig board for the Repladement Training Center.

Col. and Mrs. O'Brien, from 1524 W. Forrest, Decatur, Ill., are at present residing in Gatesville with their two sons, Lawrence, 8, and Robert, 5.

OPA Form No. R-1301

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

One copy of this Declaration must be filed with the Office of Price Administration by each person applying for War Ration Book Two for the members of a family unit, and by each person who is not a member of a family unit. File at the site designated. Coupons will be deducted for excess supplies of the foods listed below according to the schedules announced by the Office of Price Administration.

CONSUMER DECLARATION Processed Foods and Coffee

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a War Ration Book Two for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose War Ration Book One I have submitted to the Board;

That the name of each person and number of his or her War Ration Book One are accurately listed below;

That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command;

That no other application for War Ration Book Two for these persons has been made;

That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

Coffee

1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 28, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.
2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

Canned Foods

Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced); canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.

Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jams, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.

3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration.
4. Number of persons included in this Declaration.

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

Print Name	Number
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____
5. _____	_____
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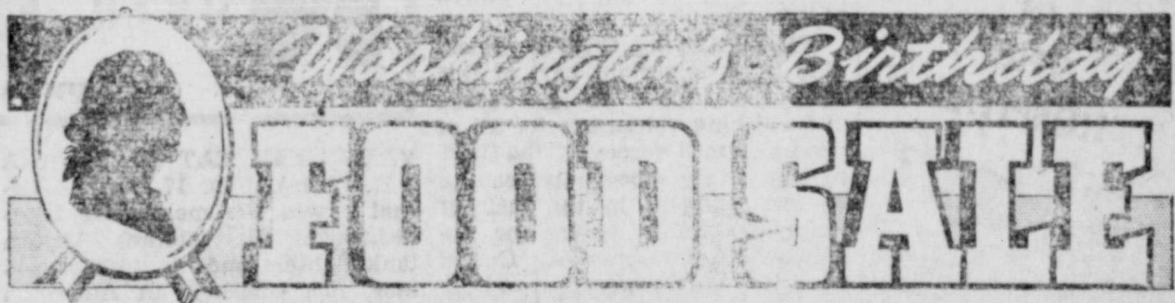
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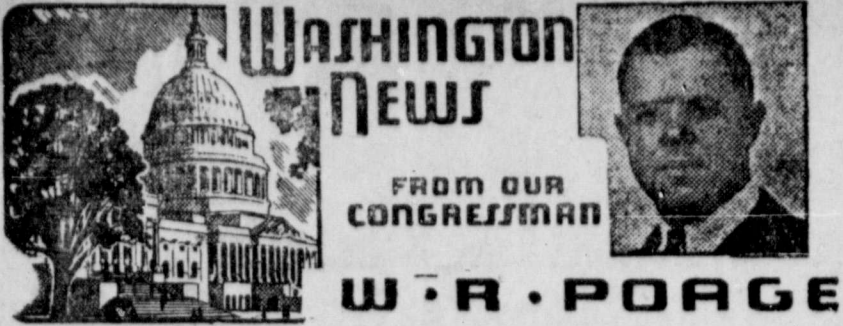
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February 12, 1943
Dear Friends:

The past week will doubtless be known as "investigation week" in Congressional history. The House has not only continued the Dies Committee, but both Houses have created a number of new committees to investigate the activities of various departments of government. I think that this is a good healthy sign. It shows that Congress is determined to get first hand information relative to the activities of the administrative branches of government. While Congress itself has no power to conduct the actual administration of the government bureaus, this being under our Constitution the function of the Executive, it must inform itself of the activities of these agencies if it is to intelligently pass on their requests for appropriations. In the past the Congress has depended too much on the reports made to it by the agencies themselves.

There was a most bitter fight made against the continuation of the Dies Committee. It was charged that the Committee very rarely, if ever, gave a person accused of unAmerican activities any chance to appear in his own defense. There is undoubtedly some justification for this charge, but it seems to me that the Congress has it within its power to minimize this evil by accepting the action of the Dies Committee as the action of a Grand Jury only and not as a conviction in a court of justice. I wish the Dies Committee would be more careful in its action. I think it has been guilty of some inexcusable blunders recently when it listed certain individuals as being UnAmerican slackers occupying important positions in governmental departments when the facts developed that in one or two instances at least the men named were not employed in the departments, but were actually in the armed services offering their lives at the time. These mistakes have not been numerous, but they could have all been avoided if the Committee had taken the trouble to

call on the accused to present his defense before branding him as unAmerican.

On the other hand, if its charges are always considered as indictments to which the accused shall have an opportunity to answer, its work is very helpful in preventing sabotage. I, therefore, voted to continue the Committee. At the same time I voted not to remove all of those Federal employees who were charged by the Dies Committee with wrong doing until they were offered an opportunity to present their side of the case to a new committee which the House set up for that purpose. I simply don't believe in condemning or judging guilty any man until he has been given an opportunity to offer his defense. The Dies Committee had not given this opportunity. It will only take a few days to bring them before the newly created committee. This committee is instructed to listen to both sides. I supported the creation of this committee to sit as a kind of court to try the charges filed by the Dies Committee.

In addition to this new committee to "try" employees, the House created and I voted for another committee to investigate any charges that any bureau, department or agency was administering the law contrary to the intent of Congress. As I see it, this committee is likely to have its hands full. I think I could point out enough abuses to keep this committee busy for a year, and I know other members have had a similar experience. In addition to this check on the bureaus, we authorized the Appropriation Committee to conduct its own investigations of the expenditures of various departments.

The House finally passed a bill authorizing a merger of the Postal and the Western Union Telegraph Companies. This measure has been pending a long time. It had previously passed the Senate. The bill presented to the House would have abolished the preferential rate which the United States Government has long enjoyed in return for the substantial grants of right-of-way, land, timber, and other properties heretofore made by the Government to the Telegraph Companies. The situation is very similar to the "land Grant" rates accorded the Government by certain railroads. The very same members proposed to wipe out these favorable government telegraph rates are the same individuals who have so long struggled to give away all of the advantages the government has enjoyed in regard to railroad rates on those lines that the government helped to build. I have always fought this effort to take from the government the favorable railroad rates, and I offered an amendment to the telegraph bill to protect the government. After spirited debate my amendment was adopted. If my amendment is accepted by the Senate, it will save the government more than \$4,000,000. per year.

Yours for Victory,
W. R. Poage.

Turnersville

Mrs. Emma Jones, Cors.

Mrs. Lester Dollins and Greta left Thursday for Texas City, their future home.

Hildreth Mangum and J. B. McCalls of Waco, were week-end visitors in the Mangum home.

George Vandiver and family were Clifton visitors Sunday.

Lester Gilmore, who has been stationed in Missouri for the past several months, returned home.

Rufus Holder of Dallas is visiting home folks.

Mrs. Ruth Kirschner of Washington, D. C. is visiting in the Vandiver home.

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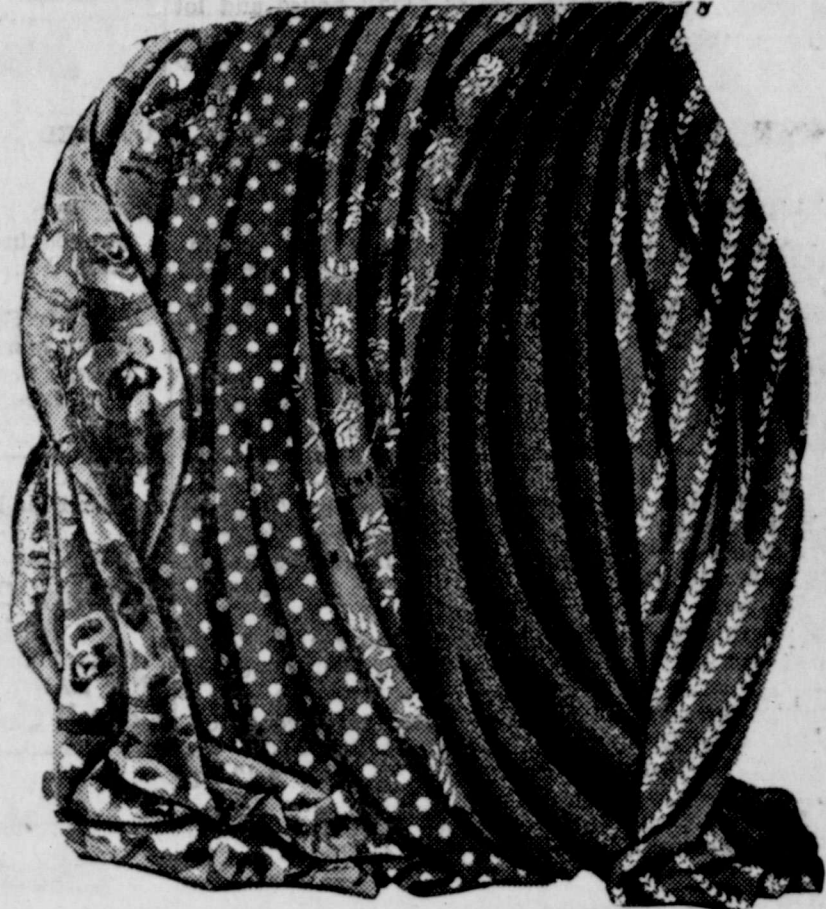
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FOR SALE: McKasky Acct. Register. Good as new. Will sell cheap as I am out of business, also 8 ft. show case, good condition. T. C. Potts, at Pat Pott's Tin Shop. 4-17-2tp

BUY BONDS from the Coryell County News. Available in \$25., \$50., and \$100. 12-tfc

PLANT A VICTORY Orchard! An alarming fruit shortage. We have plenty of fruit trees, roses, hedge, shrubs, evergreens etc., at pre-war prices. Wilson's Nursery Salesyard on W. Main St., Gatesville. Ph. 3404. 1-5-tfc

FOR SALE: 228 A, 80 A, cultivation, on mail and school bus route, good fences, plenty water. Possession if sold by March 1.

MILLET FOR SALE: Genuine Big German, re-cleaned, tested and tagged. 98% germination. Joe Wolf. 4-15-4tp

FOR SALE: 2, 5-room brick houses 1203 and 1205 Pleasant St. Well planned and well built, nearly new. An attractive investment and fine place to live. Tom Chapman. 4-14-tfc

THAT NEW WALL paper. We've got plenty of it and it's pretty and cheap. Several hundred patterns to pick from. W. F. & J. F. Barnes Lumber Co. 4-15-tfc

FOR SALE: 6 ft. soda fountain. See or write A. L. Reese, Izora, Texas. 4-15-4tp

RUBBER STAMPS, at News Office. Get 'em while we can. May ration them on rubber. 4-15-tfc

Wanted

WANTED Cook. Apply Regal Cafe. 5-18-tfc

WANTED: Job to do housework, no cooking preferred, 909 E. Main. Ph. 435. 5-18-1tp

WANTED: Small child to care for in my home. Inquire at 1510 E. Leon, Ph. 131. 5-17-2tp
Tom Freeman, "The Realtor". 11-17-2tc

WANTED: Beauty operator at once. Blue Bonnett Beauty Shop. 5-17-5tp

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WHEN YOU SEE a Fire, Think of Insurance, When you think of Insurance see Jackson & Compton. 4-18-1tc

NEXT Fire may strike you next. Burglars may take what you have. Protect with insurance from Sherrill Kendrick, City Drug Bldg., Gatesville, Texas. 6-18-tfc

Buy and Sell

RECAPPING, tire repairs. Quick efficient service at Bill Nesbitt's. 8-18-tfc

—HOW MUCH of your time do you spend in bed? Have that old mattress renovated and made new, or buy a new one. Try Winfield. 72-tfc

Form Sale

FOR SALE: Dooley Ranch, around 1200 A. Ireland. See W. A. Dooley at the A. T. Dooley residence. Ireland. 4-18-2tp

800 A Ranch, 2 sets improvements, plenty wood and water. 100 A. in cultivation. Located 2 1/2 mi. from Evant. Ideal for sheep or goats. Priced to sell. J. L. Power, Evant, Texas. 9-18-2tc

SPORTS IN THE NEWS

By JONES

G.H.S. Hornets Take Handley In Tourney At Fort Worth Saturday

HORNETS TAKE DISTRICT FROM GROSEBECK

Gatesville's fast moving basketballers roared to the district of the two out of three series in the local gym Thursday, leaving nothing out unadulterated defeat behind them. The third game was unnecessary because they decisively trounced the Goats in the afternoon game 36-19. The locals also took the night game with a score of 36-12.

Wilkerson, with 16 points led his mates to victory with the help of Lengerfelt's ball handling and Dearers, Whittenburg, and Fry.

The Hornets were off to a fast start in the first game to an 11-0 start and headed in the two games of the play off.

"JOHNNY DUNDEE" KNOWN TO BOXING FANS VISITS NEWS

A mit slinger of known ability, who has taken on some of the best boys in the business, professional boxing, was a brief visitor to the News office Thursday. In Uncle Sam's fight, Johnny goes by the real name of Pvt. Joseph A. Papa, and is in Camp Hood, doing special work near Pidgeoke.

He was the coach of the recent Camp Hood part of Temple's Golden Gloves District Tournament teams, and is a master of all ring activities.

It is possible local fans will be treated to boxing exhibitions and more than likely, "Johnny Dundee" will be seen in action locally as a referee, trainer, if not in a mit-slinging role, of which he is very, very capable.

WITH THE COLORS



Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith are really doing their part in the defense of their country. They have seven grand sons already in the service, another grandson and a son in the Naval Reserve expecting to be called any day.

Three of the grandsons went from the Jake Smith home. They are: Pfc. W. H. Smith, New York, Rosco Smith, U. S. N. San Francisco, Pvt. Earnest Smith, Virginia, and the other grandsons: Pvt. W. T. Spencer, Sheppard Field, Pvt. Lynn Spencer, IFroida, F. W. Smith A. S., Brooklyn, New York, Pfc. James B. Jones, Ft. Ord, California, Curtis Smith and Joe Walter Jones are enlisted in the Naval Reserve.

Pvt. Paul W. Russell, son of Mr.

Real Estate

I'LL EITHER SELL it, or make someone pay plenty. See Geo. B. Painter, over 20 years selling experience. 11-18-1tc

Animals and Poultry

FOR SALE: Cornish Game eggs. \$1. per setting. H. M. King, Ph. 2505. 4-18-1tp

FOR SALE: Few Jersey cows and some springer heifers. J. K. Sasse. 12-18-1tp

FOR SALE: Baby beef hens and toms. Mrs. J. J. Glaze, on old Waco road. 4-18-1tp

Gatesville High School Hornets, winners of the District Title, meet Handley in Fort Worth at TCU Gym at 1 o'clock Saturday, for the preliminary game for Regional title.

The Hornets have had a good year, this year, but not much publicized, and due to shortage of transportation and other causes, games have not been as frequent, and with no local tournaments.

The other teams that meet in Fort Worth, are Holliday and Nocola, at 11:30, and the winner of these two games meet for the title previous to the TCU-Texas Southwestern Conference Game, Saturday night.

LOVE AFFAIR OF GEORGE WASHINGTON



Even if George Washington was timid, bashful, and awkward around women, he still had his love affairs.

He was refused in marriage by Miss Phillipse and also by Miss Betsy Fauntleroy more than once, but this was forgotten in 1758 when he met the wealthy Mrs. Martha Custis.

It was in May 1758 and Washington was on his way to Williamsburg to see Governor Fauquier on military business. Col. Washington stopped for a bite to eat at Major Chamberlayne's and he was in a hurry, that is to say as much as Virginia courtesy permitted. Here he met a quest of the Major's small dumpy, the wealthy Mrs. Martha Custis. In Virginia she was quite as celebrated as George Washington, but in a different way. If he was the bravest man, she certainly was the wealthiest woman.

It was swift work. The colonel did not go on to Williamsburg that day, but the long afternoon was spent with Mrs. Custis for it was love at first sight.

What the bashful colonel said that afternoon in Chamberlayne's parlor must have been very effective, for immediately afterwards their engagement was announced.

On January 6, 1759, Washington married Martha Custis. In love with one woman and married to another. Men had done this before, and will probably continue doing it; for with many people there are other considerations in contracting marriages than that of love. In this case the woman he loved was already married to another man. Lady Thomas Fairfax was his real love.

and Mrs. J. J. Russell of Levita, is visiting relatives and friends for a few days. Russell has just completed a course in Aircraft Mechanics in Los Angeles, Calif. He is now stationed in Patterson Field, Dayton, Ohio.

Our fighting men are doing their share. Here at home the least we can do is put 10% of our income in War Bonds for our share in America.

NEW BUS SCHEDULE—

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**SOCIETY
In The**

By
Tomilene Lillibridge
News Society Editor

NEWS

**Miss Emelyn Rystad Weds
Sgt. Billy T. Kirby in Dallas**

The lovely home of Rev. and Mrs. Bland Kirby of Dallas was the scene of a beautiful wedding Saturday evening, January 30, at 7:30, when Miss Emelyn Rystad of Clifton became the bride of Sergeant Billy E. Kirby.

The only attendants were Miss Anna Rystad of Dallas, aunt of the bride, and Miss Karen Gigstad, also of Dallas. After the ceremony a delicious dinner was served to the bridal party and a few near relatives, at the groom's home, Rev. Bland Kirby's home.

Miss Rystad is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rystad of Clifton, and is a graduate of Clifton High School and attended Clifton College. She has been employed at S. M. U. with the Southwestern Microfilm Company for the past six months. Sgt. Kirby is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kirby of Gatesville. He is a graduate of Gatesville High School and attended Baylor University before enlisting in the National Guard. The couple are making their home in Onsit, Mass.

**Wednesday Bridge Club
Met With Mrs. Floyd Zeigler**

Mrs. Floyd Zeigler was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home on 1308 Pidcoke Street, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Kermit Jones won high score and Mrs. Ross Saunders won second high in playing bridge.

Pie and coffee was served to the following present: Mesdames Kermit Jones, Ross Saunders, Paul Browning, E. W. Jones Jr., Madison Pruitt, Johnnie Washburn, Crawford Scott and Mrs. John T. Brown.

**Mrs. Luke Walker Hostess
For Woman's Forum**

The George Washington theme will be carried out in all appointments when the Woman's Forum meets February 22nd with Mrs. Luke Walker as hostess.

The following topics will be discussed: George Washington—Father of Our Country, Mrs. Pat Holt; The Unhappy Warrior — Mrs. Clyde Bailey; Outstanding Day Novelists, Their Best Works, and Round Table Discussion.

Leader—Mrs. Clay Stinnett.

**Ace High Bridge Club
Entertained Tuesday Night**

Misses Lois Grantham and Auroa Yonque entertained the Ace High Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. H. A. Haynes on 210 South 5th Street at 8:00 Tuesday evening.

Miss Dorothy Nell Short won high score and Miss Dorothy Culberson won second high score.

Fresh apple pie with whipped cream and hot tea were served to the following members present: Misses Dorothy Nell Short, Dorothy Culberson, Mary Helen Stewart, Linnie Fore, Truie Pearl and Thelma McGilvray, Elizabeth Bigbam, Bill Cayce, Bess Holmes, Maude Alyce Painter, and Charlie Frances Williams; Mesdames Price Neeley, Evelyn Zunker, J. H. Connell and Noma Hodson.

Guests attending were Misses Wilma Goerdel, Minnie Johnson, Mary Louise McClesky, Mrs. Jeanette Bagby, and Mrs. H.A. Haynes.

**MRS. PARKS RECITAL
A BIG SUCCESS**

On last Friday evening Mrs. Ola Mae Parks presented her pupils in a piano and voice recital in the dining hall of the First Baptist Church. Each pupil appeared in ensemble numbers and special arranged songs in such a commendable way as to bring credit to themselves and to their instructor.

The stage was decorated with ferns and lighted with floor lamps which cast a soft glow and made a beautiful setting for the girls who were so attractively attired in evening dresses of pastel shades.

The boys in their ensemble numbers and duet was especially enjoyed.

**MODERN BEAUTY SHOP
CHANGES HANDS:
NOW DYER AND DEFUR**

Mrs. Ruby Dyer and Mrs. Juanita DeFur, former owners of the Royal Beauty Shop will be ready for business in the Modern Beauty Shop Monday.

Mrs. Grace Bellamy, owner of the Modern will discontinue her business temporarily.

Mrs. J. R. Saunders, Jr. of McGregos visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Saunders Sr.

Lt. Carl McKelvy son of Mr. J. C. McKelvy recently made a lieutenant is now stationed at La Moore Field, Calif.

Capt. and Mrs. David L. Hilton and son Jackie, and Miss Peggy Waddell have moved to Wichita Falls. Captain Hilton was formerly at Camp Hood but he is now attached to the dental corps.

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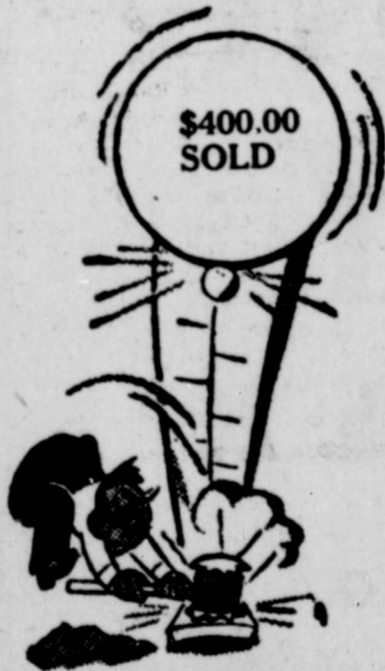
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**METHODIST CHURCH ON
HEIGHLAND ADDITION
HOLDS FIRST SERVICES SUN.**

The new Methodist Church on Heighland Addition will have their first services Sunday at 2:30 p. m. The public is invited to attend each service.

**BETWEEN 18 THRU 37,
YOU'LL BE RE-CARDED
APRIL FIRST**

According to a release from the State Selective Service Board, if you're between 18 and 37, an order has been passed to reclassify all physically qualified registrants who are engaged in non-deferrable occupations or activities. This reclassification will be without regard to dependency status, and will be done, effective April 1.

A little from you...
means a lot to them



Two new professional staff members will soon be added to the staff of USO, including Women's Director to take over the present responsibilities of Mrs. Gillespie (Mrs. Florey) who will soon leave to establish a home in Fort Worth and a Program Director to assist Mr. Palmatier in the administration duties and to organize and establish definite activities within our program.

During the past week many new soldiers have found their way to Gatesville from the field camps established now on the Georgetown road.

The staff urges all people able to accommodate a soldier Saturday night to get in touch with USO office. Due to the building program going on many of the former rooms occupied by soldiers are now taken by construction workers and there is a need for many more rooms. Soldiers desire greatly the comforts of a home on Saturday night.

During the coming week the first of 5 soldier's pick-up stations will be on exhibit on the terrace of the USO.

The following letter was recently mailed to our newspaper office:

February 15, 1943

To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to express a few words of gratitude and praise for the USO Clubs all over the country and particularly for that in Gatesville, Texas. My husband has been stationed in Camp Hood for the past five months, and I have been here with him in Gatesville, for that length of time. I cannot tell you what a blessing it has been for us and all of our friends both enlisted men and their wives, to be able to go to the USO and play ping pong, checkers, write letters, listen to the radio, play records, even to just be able to have a group of people sit around and talk (something that isn't possible when you live in one room). For those boys who are living in the woods and don't have wives or a room in town, to come into the USO and take a shower and shave with Hot water instead of cold, well, there just aren't words to describe their pleasure. Not to mention the happiness the voice recording machine has brought to our folks, who just beg for those wonderful records, that bring their children home to them, and the comfort that is derived from going into Mr. Palmatier's or Miss Florey's office to unburden your heart, knowing that good, wise council will be offered.

Most of us being native residents of New York City found it very difficult to adjust ourselves to living in a town with three moving picture houses, one skating rink and a small bowling alley for entertainment, especially since all of these are insufficiently equipped to take care of more than a small number at a time. However, with the dances, movies, and the numerous clubs that have been started, the USO has become a "second home". We want you and the many people who have donated money to this great cause to know that your efforts have not been wasted but really very much appreciated by those who have been called away from home and have to live on a very limited allowance. Thank you from all of us here at Gatesville, and I am sure, from all, over these, our United States.

Yours very sincerely,
Sarah Elaine Robilotto

OBITUARY

MRS. ABBIE ELIZABETH BLACKSTOCK

Mrs. Abbie Elizabeth Blackstock passed away at her home in Gatesville on February 13. She had been a resident of Gatesville for 2 years.

Mrs. Blackstock was born at Moffat on December 26, 1869. She was married to J. H. Blackstock.

Funeral services were held at Arnett church Feb. 14 at 5:00 p. m. Rev. Studer conducted the services.

Interment was in the Arnett cemetery with Scotts in charge.

Pallbearers: John Holt, Rabon Balch and Stanley Mills.

The deceased is survived by 1 son and 4 daughters.

ROBERT EDGAR MOORE

Robert Edgar Moore, age 68, died at his residence in Gatesville, where he had lived for 2 months.

Mr. Moore was born in Bell county on June 11, 1874. He was married to Miss Jennie Bush in Hamilton, Texas, 48 years ago.

Funeral services were held at the grave on February 13 at 4:00 p. m. Interment was made in the Restland cemetery.

The deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jennie Moore, two sons, F. J. of Gatesville, and Robert of Evant; and four daughters, Mrs. Lily Belle McClendon, Brownwood, Mrs. Myrtle Massingill, of Evant, Mrs. Dora Herrington, Gatesville, Mrs. Wilford Massingill, Gatesville, Mrs. Nora Massingill, Farizon, and Mrs. Jewel Ledbetter, San Francisco, Calif.

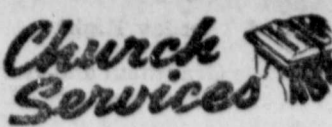
MRS. SOFIA CHRISTIAN GRISMER

Mrs. Sofia Grismer passed away at her home near Gatesville, Feb. 14. She was born in Texas, June 6, 1868 and was married to George H. Grismer, Dec. 24, 1897.

Services were conducted at the Funeral Home with Scotts in charge, Feb. 14, at 2 o'clock with Rev. Wallace Gooch presiding.

Interment was made in Valley Mills. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Lizzie Tension of Gatesville and one brother, John Wittie, also of Gatesville.

Raby Richardson of Camp Hood spent the week end with his wife and daughter.



METHODIST CHURCH
E. L. Craig, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 each Sunday. Morning worship at 10:50 each Sunday. Evening worship at 7:30 each Sunday evening. Woman's Society of Christian Service at 3:30 each Tuesday afternoon. Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening. Choir Practice at 8:00 each Wednesday evening.

The Methodist pastor and membership cordially invite all people to attend the services at the church and worship with us. We especially invite the new people, the strangers, and the Service men of the town to come with us and let us worship together these days. There is great stimulation and strength in worshipping God in His congregation. We invite you to join us each Sunday and Wednesday evening in worship.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Gaines B. Hall, Pastor
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m.
Sermon Subject: "Christian Education, Why?"

Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
Public cordially invited to all services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school convenes at 9:45 in departmental assemble.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Lawrence Hayes who is in Corpus Christi in a revival meeting, Angel Martinez, student of Baylor University, will be the guest speaker for both morning and evening church hour. Angel is a very popular preacher and is in great demand all over Texas. He has supplied in most every large church in Texas.

The Training Union hour is 7 o'clock.

Visitors and friends are invited by the entire church family to attend all services of the church.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat



— FROM THE RUSHMORE MEMORIAL—BLACK HILLS, S. DAK.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
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Education Day will be observed in the First Christian Church of Gatesville, Feb. 21, with a morning message on "Releasing Personality" by the pastor, S. W. Hutton.

This date is being observed by all Christian churches of the state of Texas in behalf of Christian Education.
Church School it at 10 a. m.



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Levita

Mrs. J. H. Permenter, Cors.

Those that attended the funeral of Mrs. J. M. Blackstock at Arnett Sunday afternoon were, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles, Mrs. S. A. Dickie, Sterling Dickie, Mrs. Anamay Maxwell, Mrs. Otis Rogers and Robbie Murry, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Moreland and Mrs. Kate Permenter.

Rev. Layne of Oglesby will fill his regular appointment next Sunday at the Methodist church.

Roy Voss has been on the sick list, but is able to be up and stirring around.

Erwin Maxwell has been called to the bed side of his father, who was very sick. He lives in the Arnett community.

Mrs. Ethel Rogers returned home from Houston Monday after visiting her son, T. L. Rogers. He has just left for a California Airfield.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers visited in the home of the Armstrong's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Timmons is at home to finish out the term as head cook at the school cafeteria.

Grandpa Dooly of Ireland was buried in Gatesville Saturday afternoon. Those attending from Levita were Mr. T. R. Harris, S. A. Dickie, Mrs. Bell Squiers and Miss Letha May Brazil.

Billie Blackstock visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles. He and his mother of Brownwood came to the funeral of his grandmother Blackstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Moreland went to Hamilton Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. Roy Brazzle.

Liberty Church

Freeda Franklin, Cors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Franklin and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower and Mrs. Huckabee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitt were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miers Sunday.

Inez Wilson spent Saturday nite with Margie Faye Pruitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huckaby and family of The Grove spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Huckaby.

Miss Florene Pruitt spent the week end with Margie Faye Pruitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Latham of Dallas have moved in the house vacated by Rev. B. W. Latham.

Mrs. Arlin Huckaby spent Wednesday with Mrs. Bennie Franklin.

H. C. Franklin and Bennie Franklin visited a while Sunday afternoon in the home of L. C. Meharg.

There will be no singing at Liberty Church Sunday night.

Cave Creek News

Miss Bertha Neely, Cors.

Mr. and Mrs. Dero Jones and Bruce visited Mrs. Emily Jones and Mrs. David McBroom one night last week.

Mrs. Preston Fleming visited Mrs. Jim Alford last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Berkley and granddaughter, Thazel of Fairy spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Jimmie Barker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fleming last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas and Misses Effie and Bertha Neely visited in the Jimmie Barker home Saturday night.

Mrs. Russek Adams and daughter, Doris of Purlmela spent last week end in the Dero Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Barker and Charlene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bee Smith and baby last Sunday evening at Pancake.

Mountain News

Mrs. Robert Fisher, Cors.

Friends of this community wish to extend their sympathy with Mrs. C. C. Wittie and family during the illness and death of their sister-in-law and aunt (Dollie) as she was known. Mrs. Sophie Grismer died Saturday night and was laid to rest Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Valley Mills cemetery.

Pvt. Billy Rhoades has returned to Camp in Carlsbad, N. Mex.

Don and Doil Blanchard spent Sunday night with Johnny and Jack Blanchard.

Mrs. Roland Burt and boys, Benny and Billy spent Friday with Mrs. Henry Franks.

Pvt. Levi Wittie has returned to Camp at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Love of Gatesville were Saturday night guests in the home of Robert Fisher.

Miss Ione Conner of Bee House visited friends here the past week end.

Roberta Ann Fisher spent Friday afternoon in the Jake Rhoades home.

Mrs. D. J. Fisher and Mrs. M. C. Hartis attended the funeral of Mr. A. T. Dooley at Gatesville Saturday afternoon.

Linda Jean Fisher spent Friday with Sherrie and Beulah Beth Burt.

Mrs. Pearl Holden of Jonesboro spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hurst.

The Primitive Baptist held their regular meeting here the past week end.

Rev. Warren Stove will fill his regular appointment here at the Missionary Baptist Church Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

Bee House

Bernita Conner, Cors.

Pvt. Edwin Ballard is in Michigan. Mrs. Ballard plans to join him in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Neeley and Nancy of Evant, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Conner and Burnard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis O'Neal and Barbara visited relatives in Moline Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Jones and Bert, of Waco visited relatives and friends of this community recently.

Miss Euvone Clay of Pearl visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Conner during the week-end.

C. W. Lovell has had the misfortune of having the mumps recently.

Sunday is Rev. Studer's regular day to hold services, everyone is invited to attend these services.

Peabody News

Janese Upton, Cors.

James Higgins spent the week-end with his mother who has recently moved to Evant.

Those in Gatesville attending business Saturday were Mrs. S. T. Mariott, Kathylene Self, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, and Mr. F. I. Upton.

Sgt. F. A. Griffin of Camp Hood visited his wife, Wavana Littlefield, this week end.

Also visiting Mrs. Griffin are Miss Hazel Chambers and her sister, Alavard of Bee House.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Thonerson are the parents of a daughter. Mother and baby are at San Angelo and are returning home soon.

E. J. Smith Jr. of Killeen visited home this week end.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Smith spent Thursday with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mell Smith of Bee House.

Mrs. Jimmy Storm and Miss Crystal Upton visited Mr. Storm and Miss Ethel Upton who are employed in San Antonio.

Others making the trip were Mr. Conrad, and Misses Bonnie and Janese Upton who visited their Cadet cousin, Othello Upton, of the Hondo Advanced Flying Center.

White Hall News

Mrs. Jim Alford Cors.

A shower was given at the church Monday afternoon honoring Mr. and Mrs. Rowland.

Mrs. John Nichols of Waco was a guest Friday of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mungust in the Jim Alford home.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Studie Blankenship being ill, but is reported better at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Roberts and children, Virginia and Winston, of Moody were over-night guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Jim Alford and family Saturday night.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Roy Fleming as not improving as she should since coming from a Waco hospital.

Mrs. Jack Mungus and Jimmy Mildred Alford have been ill with the flu.

Mrs. Effie Fleming was a caller of Mrs. Jim Alford Friday afternoon.

Purlmela News

Pvt. Clarence Cox of Stinson Field, San Antonio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cox.

Edgar Davis, who has been attending West Texas State Teach-

ers College, Canyon, same home to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis.

Mrs. Geo. Thetford, and Theon, Mrs. Austin Bertrand and daughter, Ronda Kay, and Mrs. Earnest Smith went to Stephenville Monday to visit Durward Thetford.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Adams and daughter and Mrs. Lola Whitaker spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dero Jones at White Hall.

Staff Sgt. G. W. Roberts, stationed at Fort Bragg, N. C., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Newson.

Cadet Billy Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Williams, recently joined the Air Corps and is stationed in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman and son, James and others from the Purlmela community attended the funeral of Edgar Moore in Gatesville Saturday. Mrs. Freeman has the sincere sympathy of the community in the loss of her brother.

Mrs. Willis Cox went to California to be near her husband, recently inducted into the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones and children of Turnersville spent Sunday with her sister and family Mrs. T. J. Smith.

The Grove News

Ethel Jo Grissom, Cors.

There was several of this community who attended the funeral of Mrs. Charlie McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reese returned home in Alabama Thursday where he is in the Coast Guard.

Those visiting in the Joe Barr

home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Barr and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Barr and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bidy, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Burgess and family, Mrs. Roland Tucker and baby, Thelbert Reese and Dorothy Ellen Reese.

Mrs. Roland Tucker and little daughter, Euvonne, of Brownwood is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Burgess.

Mrs. Owen Reese, who underwent an operation in the Scott & White hospital last week, is doing fine.

Ed Symms, Pvt. Ernest Beran, Charlie Rhodes, and Jay Burgess made a business trip to Temple Tuesday.

Pvt. Ernest Beran of Fort Bliss is here on a furlough visiting his mother.

Mound News

Mrs. P. T. Hightower, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spence and son of Oglesby spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Spence.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Shirley of Moody visited Mrs. Draper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Homan of Gatesville spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowrey.

Mrs. George Franks left Sunday for Mitchell Co. to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Hiser who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Loyd Green and J. Q. Davidson are on the sick list.

Mr. Green is moving into his new home east of Mound.

J. Z. Childers of Killeen spent Sunday at his home here.

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MJR. ROBT. SWANSON STATIONED AT CAMP HOOD

Major Robert A. Swanson, whose home is 1218 Central Street, Evanston, Illinois, stationed at the Army's only Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center, Camp Hood, Texas, has been promoted from Captain.

A graduate of Clver Military Academy and Northwestern University in 1936, he was employed by the Lique Carbonic Corporation, 3100 S. Kedzie, Chicago, Ill. from 1936 to 1941.

February 1941, the Major was assigned to Ft. Sill, Okla. as 1st Lieut. Promoted to Captain in April, 1942, he came to the Tank Destroyer Replacement Training Center in October.

Major and Mrs. Swanson and their son now reside at 306 S. Luterloh Avenue, Gatesville, Texas.

W. A. NEWTON TO DISCUSS COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE

For the convenience of commercial motors vehicle operators who seek adjustments on their certificates of War Necessity, Mr. W. A. Newton, field examiner from the Waco O.D.T. district office, will visit Gatesville on

Saturday, Feb. 27th.

Mr. Newton will be available at the Gatesville Chamber of Commerce office for the convenience of those who wish to have personal interviews.

DISTRICT COURT IS NOW "OUT", AT LEAST NOTHING APPEARS

District Court is just about over, and the latest recent releases from District Clerk Carl McClendon include the following cases which have been disposed of.

Mrs. Tina N. Graeter vs. Ernest J. Graeter, suit for divorce, granted, and Juanita DeFur vs. John DeFur, suit for divorce, granted. It is probable there might be others but so far, nothing has materialized.

Pvt. and Mrs. Edward Douglas Leach have returned to Carlsbad, New Mexico after visiting their parents.

Personals

Miss Lois King of El Paso spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen King.

Pfc. Dewey W. Hannon of Sheppard Field visited relatives here over the week end.

Miss Bess Powell was carried to the local hospital Wednesday night due to a heart attack.

Pfc. and Mrs. Choyce Robertson of San Diego, Calif. are visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Maxine Dollins is visiting in Mississippi.

Mrs. Mary E. Mason and John Chapman have been visiting the Yowes' for the past week. They returned home today.

Mrs. Myrtle Powell of Dallas is making her home in Gaesville.

Capt. Lloyd Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones, is now stationed in Amarillo Flying School.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wehering and Patty Ann of Killeen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Trammel Sunday.

Tommy Thompson, James Reid Powell, Charles Caruth, and Sam Powell left for College Station Tuesday to enroll for summer school there.

Miss Beth Ray from Goldthwaite and Mrs. Ray Scruggs from McGregor spent the week end with Mrs. R. S. Farmer.

Pvt. Thomas Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Richardson, is stationed in Aberdeen, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trice and daughters, Benita, and Betty Jo of McGregor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Trice for the week end.

Charles Sydow of San Diego, Calif. is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sydow.

Pvt. J. F. Clawson, Jr., son of Mrs. J. F. Clawson, Sr. of Flat, entered training at Sheppard Field, as a cadet.



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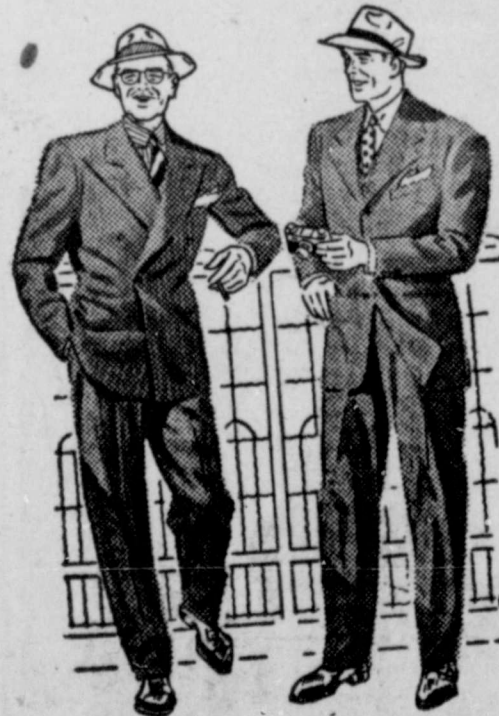
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