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## COURTHOUSE NEWS

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**  
Compiled from instruments filed for record in office of the County Clerk and furnished by the BROWN ABSTRACT COMPANY COURT HOUSE NEWS

W. E. Hayes and others to Tom V. Freeman 5 1/2 acres Wm. Suggett survey \$450.00.

O. W. Overcash and others to J. E. McClellan Part of Blk., 5 Wells Add., in Gatesville 450.00.

E. H. Nesbitt and wife to W. A. Nesbitt and wife 138.3 ac. Samuel Riggs survey 6,000.00

O. W. Petree and wife to Otis D. Coward Lots B Blk., 1 A. A. Jones Add., in Gatesville 6,500.00.

C. H. McGilvray and wife to C. B. Wright 297.1 ac. James H. Hines survey 10,000.00.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

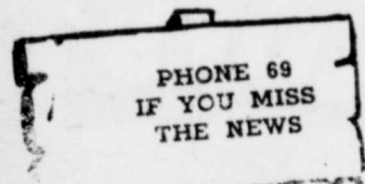
Cecil Woodall and Mrs. Hilda Bagisch.

Paul A. Marble and Mildred M. Cox.

Jack W. Baker and Doris Guyer.

## CASUALTIES

2nd Lt. James E. Nicks, husband of Mrs. Augusta Nicks, % Mrs. Frances Cook, quartermaster corps, North Camp Hood, has been wounded in the South Pacific.



## "BOND-METER"

E Quota	335,000.00
Sales	218,242.75
SHORT	116,757.25
Overall	910,000.00
Sales	697,087.68
SHORT	213,012.32
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## Markets

Thursday, June 21, 1945.	
Oats, bu.	55c
Corn, bu.	\$1.10
Barley, bu.	70c
Maize (per cwt.)	\$1.80
Wheat, bu.	\$1.35
Eggs,	32c
Cream,	44c
Turkeys No 1	28c
Old Toms	25c
Hens, lb.	23c
Roosters	10c
Fryers	28c

## Full Blood Navajo Indians To Put On Pow-Wow & Snake Dance, Rodeo, Tonite

Full Blood Navajo Indians, the first ever to put on a show of this kind in Central Texas, will perform at the Friday evening performance of the Annual Rodeo and Frontier Celebration sponsored by the Gatesville Fire Department. There will only be one performance, FRIDAY night.

The Indians are learning a new kind of "snake dance" at North Camp, where they are in training. They are originally from the Navajo Reservation in Arizona.

The Rodeo Committee are fortunate in securing these "First Americans" and if you haven't seen them in action, certainly, you should not miss it! FRIDAY night only!

## LT. GEN. WALKER GETS WELCOME FROM CENTRAL TEXANS

Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, of Belton, received a hero's welcome and throngs of Central Texans were present at the celebration.

Notables who were present were: Governor Coke R. Stevenson, Lt. Col. Hal Jones, of 36th Division, Temple, Col. B. F. Delamater, Jr., camp commander, Camp Hood, and a classmate of Gen. Walker's in West Point, Brig. Gen. Kenneth G. Althaus, commander of an armored task force with the 20th Corps, Lt. Gen. Walker's command under Gen. George S. Patton, Lt. Col. James K. Evetts, former aid to Gen. Walker; Maj. Frank W. Mayborn, formerly with HEAF and publisher of The Temple Telegram, Gen. Jas. A. Bethea, Maj. David W. Allard, Walker's aide overseas, and many others.

Present from here were Frank C. Higginbotham, Manager Gatesville Chamber of Commerce, Judge Floyd Ziegler, Miller Stinnett, Ted Copeland, President, Gatesville Lions Club, George Painter, and Mat Jones.

## FORMER GATESVILLE PASTOR MOVES TO LAMESA PASTORAGE

Rev. Clarence A. Morton, well known and liked when he was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Gatesville is moving to the First Baptist Church of Lamesa. From here, Bro. Morton went to Ballinger where he has been for a number of years. He says in a note: "Lamesa is twice the size of the Ballinger church." We know they'll like him!

# 7th QUOTA \$910,000E- \$335,000

## ANNUAL RODEO AND FRONTIER CELEBRATION JUNE 20, 21, 22, 23

### PARADE LEADS OFF ANNUAL RODEO AND FRONTIER SHOW

Many were the thrilled folks Thursday morning, after witnessing the Annual Rodeo and Frontier Celebration which opened here Wednesday evening at 6 p. m., with a big parade and was followed shortly afterwards by the opening performance of the 4 night affair.

The parade was made up as follows: State Highway Patrol, MP's, County law enforcement officers, cowboys, Indians, ox-drawn wagons, horsemen, camp wagons, War Veterans, Mrs. Dolly Poston, sweetheart of the Firemen, Waco Longhorn Club, Red Cross, and many, many others.

Particularly attractive was the Lions, Gatesville Auto Supply, A&P, GHS band in cowboy and cowgirl costumes, The Buckhorn Cafe & Domino Parlor,—aw, heck, they say it was good!

And, the same can be said about the rodeo performance which according to Gen. Mgr. Lovejoy, played to a full house.

## TODAY'S EVENTS By Associated Press

### "Uncle Joe" & 10th Mops Up Okinawa

MANILA, June 21, (AP).—Gen. Joseph W. Stillwell, Chief of the Army Ground Forces has been selected by Gen. Douglas MacArthur to command the U. S. 10th Army now mopping up Okinawa, MacArthur's headquarters announced today. Stillwell will succeed the late Lt. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner.

### Okinawa Campaign Over, 82 Days

GUAM, June 21, (AP).—The Okinawa Campaign after 82 days of savage fighting is over as announced by Admiral Chester W. Nimitz today, giving Americans this strategic base only 325 miles from Japan.

It was the costliest of all Central or Western Pacific Campaigns, and took a toll of 35,116 Americans killed, and wounded up to four weeks ago, and cost the enemy more than 90,000 dead.

### Twelve Poles Found Guilty By Soviets

MOSCOW, June 21, (AP).—Twelve of 16 Poles accused of subversive activities behind the Red Army lines were convicted by the Soviets early today, and given sentences from four months to 10 years imprisonment. Three were acquitted and another's trial postponed.

### Strategic Bombing To Be Carried Out

WASHINGTON, June 21, (AP). Strategic bombing will be carried out by two separate heavy bombardment forces, the 20th and the 8th, Lt. Gen. James Doolittle, chief of the 8th Air Force disclosed today.

Doolittle's 8th activities will parallel operations of the 20th commanded by Gen. Hap Arnold.

## WITH THE COLORS



Elgin Field, Fla. Cpl. Virgil K. Boynton, son of Mrs. Willie A. Boynton of Gatesville has been promoted from Corporal to the grade of Sergeant according to announcement from his AAF Province Ground Command. Sgt. Boynton entered service Aug. 20, '41.

Mrs. E. R. Morgan of Purlama has a letter from her son, Sgt. Ernest Morgan of Fulda, Germany and he was happy to tell her of four boys from Purlama and Levita who got together and had a big time. The four were Sgt. Morgan and his brother, Lt. Wilbur Morgan, stationed in Frankfurt, and Lt. Juan D. (Red) Haines of Arnett, Pfc. Fontaine Adams of Purlama and Germany.

S/Sgt. Elvin T. Raley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Matthews arrived safe in the USA June 20 after 2 1/2 years in North Africa and Italy.

Mrs. Ada Martin of Temple made a business call here this week and visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Manning.

## Personals

Miss Shirley Maricle of Houston is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jess Wallace of Gatesville.

Lt. Roy Basking, son-in-law of Chief of Police Rufus Burleson was met in Ft. Worth Wednesday evening by his wife the former Miss Lowery Burleson. Lt. Basking has been with the Navy in the South Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. David Franks and son of Waco are visiting Mr. Franks mother, Mrs. Edgar Franks of Gatesville.

Pvt. Edwin White, who has been a prisoner of war in Germany returned home Thursday from overseas for a visit with his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Joe White. He ought to have a lot to tell after he's rested up.

Mrs. John Coskrey spent the past week in Houston visiting relatives.

Mr. W. M. Gamblin is reported responding to treatment in King Daughters' Hospital in Temple.

Gene Stratton Porter's "Limberlost Cabin" was built on Sylvan Lake near Rome City in the north-eastern part of Indiana.

## RAYMOND DYER HURT IN CRASH OF TRUCK AND BRIDGE

Raymond Dyer, truck owner of Gatesville, was injured about 2 a. m., Thursday when his truck, driven by Vernon Lipsey, hit a bridge abutment about 2 miles west of Oglesby.

Dyer was thrown from the truck into the creek and was burned severely, and also was bruised and scratches. Dyer is in the hospital and is reported "uncomfortable, but satisfactory."

They are reported to have started to Houston with a load of oats, and the load was mostly lost and burned, as well as the truck.

## DISTRICT COURT IS STILL WORKING: NOT TOO FAST

Of course, it only works as fast as the "customers" are ready, and district court since our last "writing" got out these cases, all civil.

Freda Gilliam vs C. L. Gilliam, divorce, granted; Stephen Gursky vs Mary Gursky, divorce, granted; Willie E. Jones vs Mary V. Jones, divorce, granted.

## FOOD HANDLERS HERE TO STUDY SUGAR PROBLEMS

At a meeting held June 20 at the Chamber of Commerce office, R. W. Ward was made chairman of a committee to study the problems of the commercial sugar user.

Mr. Ward was authorized to appoint a committee to work with him and after a study of the situation, another meeting will be held to which all commercial users of sugar will be invited.



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S-2/c Bill Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan of Gatesville, is here on leave from the U. S. Navy.

Recently discharged is Marshall Herwood Henson of Ogles-

by who has had 4 years, 4 months and 10 days of it.

SF 1/c James Sheridan son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sheridan of Gatesville is here after considerable time in the South Pacific with the Navy.

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### WITH THE COLORS



Pvt. Robert M. Krempin of Copperas Cove, has been awarded the combat infantry badge for participation in the battles on Luzon. The son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Krempin of Copperas Cove, he wears the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with one campaign ribbon for service with the 38th "Cyclone" division.

**GETS BRONZE STAR MEDAL**  
2nd Lt. Wilber L. Morgan, son of Russell E. Morgan, Purnela has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal, according to the Southwestern Division Army Engineers, Dallas.

Lt. Morgan was cited for heroic achievement against the enemy, on 21 December, '44.

### DECORATED WITH AIR MEDAL

In a letter to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laxson, now of Dallas and formerly of Coryell county, their son, Lt. Homer C. Laxson, was awarded the Air Medal. The letter reads:

"Recently, your son, Lt. Homer C. Laxson was decorated with the Air Medal. It was an award made in recognition of courageous service to his combat organization, his fellow American airmen, his country, his home and to youu.

"He was cited for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flights in the Southwest Pacific Area from Sept. 27, '44 to October, 27, '44.

"He took part in sustained operational flight missions during which hostile contact was probab'e and expected. These flights included bombing missions against enemy installations, shipping and supply bases.

"I would like to tell you how genuinely proud I am to have such men as your son in my com-

mand, and how gratified I am to know that young Americans with such courage and resocrcfulness are fighting in our country's battles.

You and Mrs. Laxson have every reason to share that pride and gratification.

Sincerely,

George C. Kenney, Lt. Gen.  
USA, Commanding.

The Wittie Twins are here, Ray and Roy. Ray has been in the Philippines on Luzon, and has been here a week Saturday. He reports to Palm Springs, Calif. Roy has been here two weeks and reports to Ft. Sam Houston. They return to their bases July 3.

Sgt. William A. Powell, who was with the 15th AAF in Italy has returned home. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Powell of Gatesville and has 102 points.

Mrs. G. A. Kell of, Red Oak is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. E. Kiger.



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KING



Correspondent, Mrs. Dennis Warden Rev. Stowe and family were dinner guests in the C. A. Stovall home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lipsey and children visited in the Raymond Edwards home in Gatesville last Sunday.

Mrs. Gus Mohler and Mrs. Cecil Arreando were visiting in the Dennis Warden home Friday night. Laura Bell Wayne visited in the John Shoaf home Friday night.

Mrs. Vernon Lipsey and children and Arvil Creasey visited Mrs. Dennis Warden and children Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Perryman of Llayno is visiting her sister, Mrs. Floyd Russell and family.

Mrs. Otick Dickie and children and Mrs. Nora Dickie visited with Mrs. C. A. Stovall Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lipsey and children visited in the Jowell Russell home near Slater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Warden visited in the Lewis Herrington home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. E. Kiger, Jr., and children, Glenda Ann and Ronnie of Port Arthur are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. M. Cude of Turnersville and Mrs. R. E. Kiger, Sr., of Gatesville.

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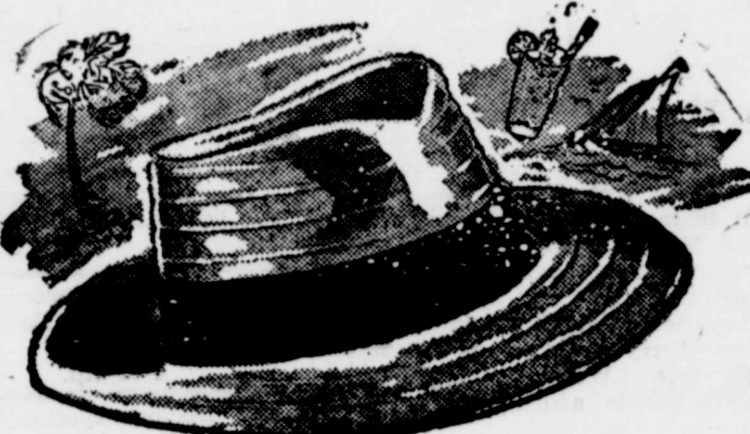


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SOCIETY

# NEWS

In The

**Fathers Day, June 17 Celebrated With Family Reunion**

Sunday, June 17, was a happy occasion for Finas Edwards when all of his children except three sons were present to honor him on his day.

The children present were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wren and C. J.; of Godley, David Edwards of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd H. Edwards, Virginia, Allison, Phillis and Julia Lee of Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smithie, Billie Jeane and Dwaine of Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fillison of Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Theford and Irazav of Indian Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cooper, Scottie Wayne, Vivienne, and Erna Beth of Pearl, Mrs. Wilbur Edwards and Waymer of Lubbock.

Others present for the day were: J. M. Cooper and Miss Ruby McDonnell of Pearl, Mrs. Myrtle Hapton, of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Parrish and children, Rev. and Mrs. Clifford Hampton and children of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King of Carlton and Mrs. Marvin Weiningham of Ohio.

At noon lunch was served on a long table on the lawn in picnic style. The father received many useful gifts. Before leaving the family decided to make Father's Day an annual Family Reunion.

**WITH THE ARC**

SWIMMING

Swimming classes for beginners are to begin June 26, 1945 at 5 P.

M., at the City Swimming Pool, Raby Park. The classes are under the supervision of Miss Earnestine Bauman, who recently attended the National Aquatic School held at Camp Rio Vista, Texas. She is now qualified as instructor for Senior Life Saving, Water Safety, Basic Swimming, and Diving. Classes are being organized at this time and the people of Gatesville are urged to take advantage of this opportunity. If further information is desired, call the Red Cross Office, phone 193.

The Home Service Committee of Coryell County Chapter of the American Red Cross held their regular meeting Tuesday June 19th, 1945 at 11 A. M. Financial policies were set up for the chapter and approved by the committee. Members of the committee present were: Mr. Carl McClendon, Chairman of the committee, Judge Ziegler, Miss Edith Raby, Mr. Wade Sadler, and Miss Minnie Loc Witt, Chapter Treasurer.

Mrs. Hurl McClellan, Chairman of Knitting of local Red Cross Chapter, has just received a new supply of knitting yarn. This yarn is to be made into sweaters and is now ready for distribution. Mrs. McClellan urges that all women interested in knitting please call at the Red Cross office for yarn.

She also urges that any knitting that has not been returned, be completed as soon as possible and brought to Red Cross office.

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Name ..... Age.....

Home Address .....

Parents or Wife's Name .....

Branch of Service ..... Rank.....

(Will not be published, in line with censorship requirements)

Last Known Station .....

Any Special Honors or Decorations .....

What Service Schools Attended .....

Remarks: .....

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**U.S.O. Activities**

**The Club Turns Western For Rodeo**

In keeping with the Rodeo spirit, all USO girls and Military Wives attending the Saturday night dance are requested to wear Western Style Clothes. Decorations of prickly pear, mesquite, and Camp Fire will change the terrace into the proper setting.

Saturday afternoon the Club will be visited by Weaver and Jeanita Gray, Rodeo personalities, from 3 to 5 o'clock to give the soldiers real Western entertainment.

**GSO Girls Represent USO In Parade**

In a station wagon bearing large banners "GSO for USO, to serve men and women in uniform," members of the Girls' Service Organization dressed in Western Style took part in the Rodeo Parade. Members participating were: Martha Brown, Ina Beth Fore, Betty Rutherford, Wanda Stephens, Waldine Swindall, Polly Ward, Virginia Whisenhunt, Wavaley Hinselley, Laverne Ament, Bette Rose, Ernestine Bauman.

**Bingo Party On Terrace**

The Wednesday Bingo Party has gone out-doors, tables being arranged on the terrace. G. S. O. Group IIv, Chairman Wavaley Hinselley, was the hostess group this week. Pfc. Howard Hermes Lucas of Long Beach, Calif., won the long distance telephone call.

**Saturday Afternoon Hostesses**

Mrs. Marion Hückabee, Miss Leona Hatfield and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dooley, all of Ireland, and Mrs. Martin Mack, General Chairman of the Auxiliary VSO, served home made cakes and punch to a large crowd of soldiers during

Hospitality Hour in the USO Club last Saturday afternoon. A cake was also brought in by Mrs. R. J. Hill. Parnela and Stanley's Chapel groups will be represented this Saturday.

**Fathers' Day Program Well Attended**

The Fathers' and Sons Smoker held last Sunday afternoon in the Green Room of the Club provided a friendly hour of visiting between the men of our locality who have sons away in service and men stationed here far away from their own fathers. Several fathers in uniform whose young sons could not be with them were also present.

T15 Fred Gilmartin was Master of Ceremonies and Sgt. Barney Parker was at the piano for the special numbers by Fred Gilmartin and the sing-song. Mr. Bob Arnold introduced the Civilian Members of the party and Mayor Horace Jackson made a few remarks.

**Lions Club Make Voice Recordings**

Last Sunday afternoon Lions Bob Arnold and Horace Jackson were kept busy assisting men making record letters home to the folks. The previous Sunday Ted Cope-land, Floyd Zeigler, John Dillon and Paul Browning represented the Club

**Births**

A baby girl, Laurene, was born to Lt. and Mrs. Laurence Mellott of North Village on June 18.

On June 18 a baby boy was born to T/4 and Mrs. Doyal M. Daniels of North Village. The baby has been named Joseph Randolph.

Pvt. and Mrs. James T. Rogers of Gatesville are the proud parents of a baby boy, James Thomas Jr., born June 21.

**Bonds Over America**



**ASTOR COLUMN**

Atop of Coxcomb Hill the Astor Monument reaches skyward, close to the site of the first permanent settlement in Oregon. Captain Robert Gray on a trading mission and his crew were the first white men to visit Astoria, at the mouth of the Columbia River. They came in 1792 and in 1805 Lewis and Clark passed the spot, setting up winter quarters seven miles southwest. The city's location and name were picked by members of a fur trading expedition sent out by the famous John Jacob Astor Company. War Bonds pay for munitions, planes and warships that guard this area so that future generations may enjoy opportunities still untouched there.

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### CORYELL VALLEY



**Corres. Sidney McCallister.**  
We had a hard rain here Sunday night.  
Sidney McCallister left Monday to be inducted into the Army. He is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCallister to be inducted. One is in the Pacific and the other is in Germany.  
Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Shepherd and Jack Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams, Mrs. Fay Wicker and boys of Busby and Mrs. Roy Logan and children.  
Mrs. Arvin Shepherd and Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Nichols and children and Mr. and Mrs. Earley Bennett of White Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCallister.  
Bob McCallister visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Scott of Gatesville.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Shepherd called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tom Sunday afternoon.

### THE GOVE



**Corres. Ethel Jo Grissom**  
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Melcher and children of Gidding visited Mr. and Mrs. Aug Draeger and other relatives last week.  
Cpl. and Mrs. A. J. Sharp and baby of Waco spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walton.  
Misses Ida Lee and Ethel Jo Grissom of Gatesville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grissom.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Winkler and children of Gatesville, Mr. J. W. Graham and children of Waco spent Sunday with Mrs. Johnnie Graham.  
Miss Mary Sue Williams of Houston visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clawson last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ingram and Mrs. Wilson Henderson of Black-

Waco, Patsy Ann Kennedy of Houston spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Flint Johnston.  
Carole Climer of Waco is visiting Betty Nell Odom this week.  
Mrs. Joe A. Holcomb and son of Gatesville spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holcomb.

### TURNERSVILLE



**Correspondent, Mrs. Emma Jones**  
J. C. Blackwell and wife and Mrs. Marie Blackwell were recent visitors in the Jess Pruitt home.  
Mrs. John Bush and son of Waco are visiting in the McCandless home.  
Supt. P. K. Harnes of Lamesa was a week-end visitor with home folks.  
Carl Weeks of Houston was a recent visitor in the Z. Gilmore home.  
Miss Laura Tharp of Oglesby was a week-end visitor with her mother, Mrs. E. Melendon of Black-

father.  
Mrs. Lloyd Bibb of Waco and land were week end visitors with home-folks.  
S/Sgt. and Mrs. R. E. Broadshaw returned Tuesday from a two weeks visit with his parents at Eastland.  
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Gardner left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otha Gardner.  
Frank Buchanan and wife of Ft. Worth and Miss Bessie Jene Johnson of Stephenville were Saturday visitors here.  
Mrs. Milton Kiger was a week end visitor in Gatesville.  
A. T. Humes Jr., was a Sunday visitor with home folks.  
Mesdames Z. Gilmore, John Taylor and Miss Greta Dollins were Sunday visitors in McGregor.  
Harmon Sellers and wife were week end visitors with home folks.  
Miss Mildred Davis visited Mrs. James Basham Saturday.

S/Sgt. Zack Fore, according to Mrs. Homer Fore, his mother, arrived in New York Friday and will be home shortly.  
T/Ted Fore has been in Honolulu and the South Pacific arrived home this week, after 3 years and 29 days overseas.

Sgt. Albert Lee, veteran of North Africa and Italy is home on leave. He returned from Foggia, Italy, and found S/Sgt. Fred Post was also stationed there, but didn't know it until he arrived home. He's also too, essential, with 120 points.

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Correspondent, Mrs. E. T. Lightsey Mrs. T. H. Manos visited Mrs. C. L. Wharton of Waco Friday. Mrs. Bill Higgins of Houston is visiting here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Huggins. Miss Helen Davidson is visiting relatives in Dallas. Mrs. Joe Spence and son is here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Spence. Mr. Franks visited his nephew Burl Scott who is in the hospital at Temple, where he underwent an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Jean Straw of Gatesville spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Spence. Miss Maggie Leon of Orange and Ann Garrett of Uvalda are here visiting Mrs. Draper and

other relatives. Mrs. W. C. Higgins, Mrs. Bill Higgins and Frank Ann spent Friday in the home of Mrs. J. F. Nabors of Arnett. Mrs. Quince Davidson Jr. went to Temple last week for treatment. Mrs. Charley Garrison and children of West Texas is here visiting her mother Mrs. J. A. Childers and sister Mrs. Frank Blanchard. Cpl. Teddy Spence is home from the Pacific on furlough after spending three and a half years there. Sgt. Douglas Mayberry and Sgt. Lee Brown have returned back to Camp. Pfc. Jesse Marshall of Camp Hood spent the week end here with his family. Mrs. A. J. Davidson of Marlin is here visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Quince Adams. Mr. and Mrs. Felix Parks of Smithville visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parks one night last week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parks of Waco spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parks. Miss Bernice McHargue of Dallas spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. McHargue.

**PURMELA**



Mrs. W. S. Farris, Correspondent, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Spencer went to Pearl Sunday to be present at a family reunion, honoring Mrs. Spencer's nephew, Cpl. Herschel E. Davis, recently returned from the Pacific. As a U. S. Marine he has been in combat on Bougainville, Guam, Iwo Jima and other Pacific Islands. Mrs. R. B. Gibbs of San Antonio visited her mother, Mrs. Hendrix, who returned home with her daughter.

Bill Snow and family have returned from California, where he has been working for the past six months. Miss Lorene Bundrant of Dallas spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Bundrant. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Morgan have moved to their home recently purchased from Mrs. Ada Whitely.

Mrs. D. W. Adams has returned from Mexia where she visited her son, Hugo Adams and family. Mrs. Oris Mason and sons of Lometa visited her father E. J. Myers and brothers, Wood and Jack Myers.

Berkley Laxson and family of Dallas were here Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davis of Hood Village spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. A. B. Graham.

Sgt. S. E. Johnson of Hondo Air Base spent the week-end with his wife and daughter.

Mrs. H. C. Laxson was called to Chicago to be with her sister, Mrs. Beulah Blackshear, who is very ill. Mrs. Laxson left Tuesday.

Mrs. H. F. Carolan of Waco is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. B. Comer and family.

Rev. McCollum of Waco filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday. While here he and his family were guests in the Charlie Gartman and Ed Davis homes.

Mrs. Ernest Smith and son have arrived from New Orleans for a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Davis had as Sunday dinner guests their son, Joe Davis, also Mrs. Claude Giddeons, Mrs. Claudia Wittie and daughter, all of Waco.

The fathers with sons in the service who went from Purmela to be with the Camp Hood soldiers at the Gatesville U. S. O., Sunday were: R. A. Bertrand, A. C. Bertrand, Lee Cox, Mike Comer, H. C. Laxson, E. R. Morgan, Jake Smith and W. S. Farris.

During the rain last week the wind made a freak dip at the A. B. Graham farm, and tore up the barn scattering the tin and boards over the radius of a mile. A stack of loose boards near the barn were left intact.

Mrs. Monroe Chambers and children, and Mrs. R. H. Meyer and children visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thetford in Carlton.

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Correspondent, Mrs. B. F. Goolsby Bob Sellers of Slater, Mrs. Walter of Canyon, Pfc. and Mrs. Marvin Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Berry Sunday morning. Mary Dean Harvison of Austin is visiting Cora Joe Lehman. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hamock of Ireland and Mr. and Mrs. Wal-Mrs. Vada Loveless Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Lemmons and Tommie Charles spent Sunday in Dublin with Mr. Lemmon's

parents. Mrs. Walter Watson of Canyon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Luther Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Watson and Pfc. and Mrs. Marvin Watson. Sgt. Hugh Walker left Monday for Ft. Knox, Ky., where he is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Walker and Mary Ann of Turnersville, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Wilson and R. H. Walker were dinner guests Sunday in the Hugh Walker home. D. J. Hollingsworth S 1/c spent a few days here recently with his wife and daughter.

Mrs. Ralph B. Hartgraves and daughter, Lou Ann and Miss Dorothy McCoy of Boltzer, Miss., and

Fern Hartgroves of Dallas are visiting Mrs. B. H. Hartgraves. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schwabe of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Brashear Sunday.

**CAVE CREEK**



Miss Bertha Neely, Correspondent, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fleming visited Mr. and Mrs. Morse Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brown and daughter Dorothy Helen of Brady, spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. Eeldon Dunn and son of Arizona are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard and other relatives.

Mrs. Roy Fleming and Miss Effie Neely visited in the John ter McBride visited with Mr. and Barnett home at Ater last Wednesday afternoon.

Edd Neely has been seriously ill but is improved at this writing. Sgt. Charlie and Pvt. Jack Jacques who have both been overseas are home on furlough.

Bill Tom Alford, RDM 3/c has reported to Jacksonville, Fla., for reassignment after spending a 30 day furlough with home folks here. He had not been home in almost 2 years, and had spent 19 months in the South Pacific. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alford.



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meet under the direction of Mrs. Evan J. Smith. At 8, Rev. Claydean Patterson, Jonesboro will convene the workers' meeting, and Rev. Fred Grubb, Purlmela, will conduct the song service. Miss Helen Grubb will be at the piano. Four projects will be presented by Mrs. Travis Meharg, J. M. Witcher, Rev. Warren Stowe and Rev. McCollum. Mrs. G. P. Schaub will report on the Bethel Heights Vacation Bible School. Rev. Jack Southerland, until recently of Bellmeade as pastor, will preach the evening sermon. He is now assisting in the campaign to raise funds for the Tidwell Bible Building at Baylor University. All are invited to attend.

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8:15 Evening Worship, Sermon.  
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8:30 Wednesday Prayer Meeting.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
In the absence of the pastor, Dr. Lawrence Hayes who is with the Turner Street Baptist Church, Waco in a revival meeting, Rev. Ray McCollum will preach Sunday morning at 10:50 and Sunday evening at 8:30. Brother McCollum is pastor of Purlmela Baptist Church and employed by the Leon River Association as part time missionary and director of the Vacation Bible School work for the summer months. Sunday school meets in departmental ssembly at 9:45. The Training Union hour is 7:30. There is a Union for every age. The church extends a warm welcome to strangers and visiting friends.

**JONESBORO BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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Worship in Song 11 a. m., Mrs. Hugh Walker.  
Sermon 11:20 "A Welcome For Jesus."  
Worship in Song, 8:30 p. m., Mrs. Hugh Walker.  
Sermon 9 p. m., "The Baptist's Message."  
Plan now to attend our Revival, Aug. 10-19.

**REP. HUDDLESTON REPORTS ON ADJOURNMENT**

To sum up briefly, what was done during the session of the 49th Legislature of Texas. Representative Earl Huddleston has this to say: Provision was made for the running of our worthy eleemosynary institutions where our unfortunate people are cared for in I think a more humane way. Then I think this Legislature did well in the way of providing for our education system making better provisions for the pay of our worthy teachers and for the general financing of our schools in Texas. Also fair provision was made for the caring of our aged people and others who need assistance. I assisted every way possible in trying to care for our aged people in our district and state because I feel they are worthy in every respect. We did all possible to assist farmers in the way of asking Congress to assist us and to know our needs. I assisted in securing an appropriation again for the cotton research in Texas. We started this a few years ago and according to Dr. Cox of The Research Department of The University of Texas we have in Texas been able to supply quite a bit of material for war work which has also increased the use of cotton in Texas thereby aiding our people in a financial way. I introduced a resolution this session and got it passed asking that cot-

ton be used in making shoes in our state institutions which Dr. Cox says is possible. We also did all possible to assist our men and women in service including a law giving the right to vote without a poll tax and other laws which will assist them after they return home. I am in favor of doing all possible for our men and women who are fighting our battles for us and supported every measure which was proposed in their behalf. I think we should not only do this but remember them when they return and are with us here at home. I am glad that the people of our entire county are doing this very thing and have from the beginning of this war.

I will be here at Oglesby from now on so get in touch with me if I can serve you at any time.  
EARL HUDDLESTON  
Sincerely yours,

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Graf of Ft. Worth, parents of Coryell County's No. 1 Stork Derby Winner in 1937, are here on a visit. Glenn Gary is now a student in the Ft. Worth schools and is a big husky boy. He was the first of the News-Merchant's Stork Derby Winners.

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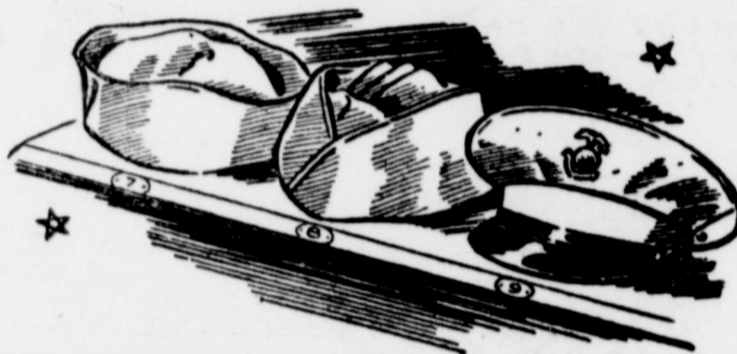
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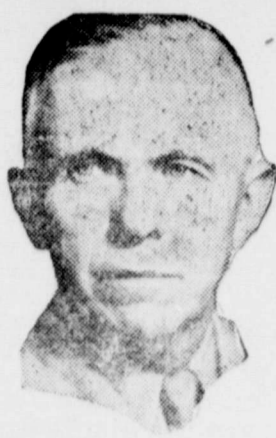
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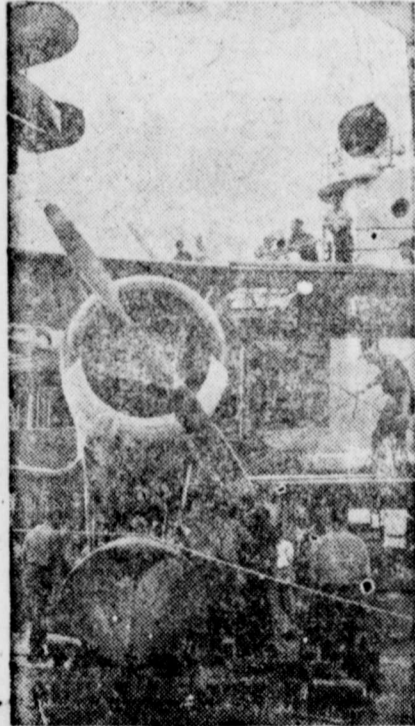
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TED R. GAMBLE, National Director of the Treasury's War Finance Division, and his son, Ted, Jr., exchange War Bond presents in honor of Father's Day, June 17. The Father's Day Committee is urging all fathers and son to follow the example set by the Gambles.

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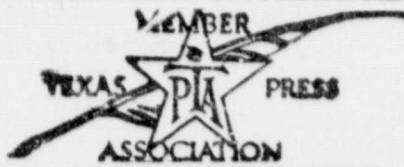
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### MISS ALICE ANN TACKETT

Miss Alice Ann Tackett, 11, of Stephenville, Texas, died in a local hospital at 6:30 a. m., Saturday. Funeral services in charge of Compton's are pending.

Survivors, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Tackett of Stephenville, Texas; two brothers, Johnnie and Tommie, of Stephenville; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Jenkins of Waco; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Tackett of Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. B. T. Tackett of Dallas.

Alice Ann Tackett was born in Waco.

### North Camp Hood



### NEWS

Lt. Richard Gorder, Little Rock, Ark., son of Br g. Gen. Alexander O. Gorder, CO, Tank Destroyer Forces, Camp Hood, and Mrs. Gorder, waited 9 days and traveled more than 20000 miles to receive his first salute as a commissioned officer in the U. S. Army.

Lt. Gorder didn't get in on the traditional West Point game of passing out a dollar to the first enlisted man to salute him while still at the academy. "There was lots of ths going on outside my quarters," but I was in but I was in cadet overalls packing luggage and by the time I left with my bars on no one was in sight. He visited New York and Baltimore. No salute. Chicago, and Wisconsin towns. Still no salute. Figuratively rereading his diploma, he headed south to see his father, pausing in Waco, enroute. No highball yet. On June 14, he drove alone toward the main gate of North Camp. An MP waved him thru, snapped a smart salute and was startled to receive a "Thank you" and a \$1 bill in return. The guard was Pfc. Herman L. Jackson of the Military Police Section, 1348th Station Complement Unit, Camp Hood.

Sixty members of the Central Texas Camp & Hospital Council toured Camp Hood's bakery, laundry and equipment repair shop Thursday as one of the features of their regular monthly business meeting.

Col. B. F. Delamater, Jr., CO, Camp Hood, has been selected as one of 12 camp commanders in the 8th Service Command to attend the 7th semi-annual service command conference, which will be held at Camp Grant, Ill., June 28. They will discuss problems of the next six months, arising out of V-E Day. 300 camp commanders, Army Service Forces representatives and War Department representatives will be present.

Col. Herbert A. Myers, director of personnel, will be acting camp commander during Col. Delamater's absence.

S/Sgt. Lassie Anderson of Camp Swift, was a week-end visitor in Gatesville.

Pvt. J. H. Sparkman of Camp Crowder, Mo., is home to visit his wife and five children.



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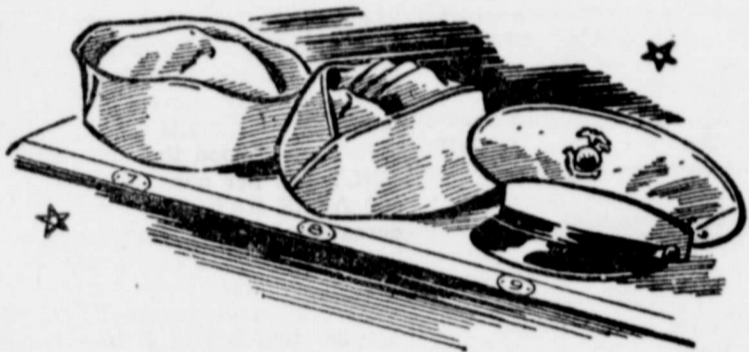
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With the 13th Corps in Germany. —Eight officers and four enlisted men recently were awarded the Bronze Star Medal by Colonel Albert Boehn, CO, of the 1149th Eng., Combat Group, for heroism in action in Germany. They were members of an assault boat crossing on the Roer River. Among them was Lt. Felix Newlin of Gatesville.

An ATC Base, Marrakech, F. M. —Announcement has been made of the promotion to the grade of sergeant of Dan H. Hollingsworth, son of Mrs. Birde Hollingsworth of Gatesville, here in the North African Division, Air Transport Command.

Sgt. Hollingsworth is one of a group of highly specialized enlisted men who perform all the welding required for the extensive maintenance performed by aircraft mechanics to all types of aircraft. The base is the stopping place of thousands of states-side bound planes.

Sgt. Hollingsworth received training in the USA and was transferred overseas, Sept. '43, and has been at this base since April, '44 after serving tours of duty at Dakar, French West Africa and Tindouf, Algeria.

**GETS BRONZE STAR**

1st. Sgt. Louise E. Zuehlke of Flat, is a member of the 460th AA AW En., and was recently awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service in connection with military operations against an armed enemy during the period 12 June, '44 to 9 May, '45, in France, Belgium and Germany. He is a son of Mrs. Selma Zuehlke. He is now stationed in Czechoslovakia.

T/5 Lee E. Gober, of the 998th Treadway Bridge Co., has three Campaign Stars for the Normandy, Northern France and Germany campaigns, and has been awarded the wearing of the Coat of Arms of the City of Colmar.

His unit constructed over 9,000 feet of bridge since reaching the Continent, the most important job being the bridging of the Rhine River at Remagen, Germany. The bridge was the first

and the longest tactical bridge ever built across the Rhine River.

He entered the army Nov. 19, '42, and left for England 24 Mar. '44, and crossed the Channel and entered France 18 July, '44.

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Pfc. Thomas J. Babbitt, Rt. 1, Ireland has been awarded the Bronze Star for heroic achievement during military operations against the enemy.

Pfc. Babbitt is serving in Germany with the 399th Medical Battalion of the 84th Infantry (Rail Splitter) Division. While driving an ambulance he voluntarily evacuated four wounded soldiers fifty miles under blackout conditions over roads where enemy pockets of resistance existed. In previous action he volunteered to evacuate casualties during the Weser River crossing.

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