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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
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DEEDS RECORDED

J. P. Gerald et al to Gertrude Hill, lot in Evant, E. C. Glover survey, \$10.00, etc.

E. H. Schloeman et ux to C. F. Lively et ux, 26.3 acres, A. Wood survey, \$3,200.

Dr. E. R. McCauley to F. A. Morris 5 1/2 acres Robert Brown survey, \$10.00, etc.

Cora Mae Warren et al to F. A. Morris, 10 acres C. Lajoice survey, \$100.

Pat M. Neff to F. A. Morris 5 1/2 acres C. Lajoice survey, \$480, etc.

DISCHARGES

Charles D. Gilchrest, Hubbard W. Frazier, Richard G. Foote, Barney L. Epps, Harry Chappell, Jr., Winford E. Herring, Albert L. Stewart, Daniel R. Boone.

C. B. Rogers Perryton Banker Dies of Heart Attack at Home

Curtis Rogers, business man of Gatesville, received a message Tuesday, January 7, informing him of the death of a kinsman, Clyde B. Rogers, who passed away suddenly of heart attack at his home in Perryton, Texas, at six o'clock in the morning of that day.

Mr. Rogers, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Granville Rogers, was born at Levita, but the family moved to Gatesville when Clyde was a child. He was reared in this city, and went into the armed forces from Gatesville and served through World War I. He was employed before moving to Perryton, in Gatesville First National Bank. He had been president of a bank in his home town for a number of years.

Married at Perryton, Mr. Rogers is survived by his widow, two sons and a daughter.

Births

Coryell County Memorial Hospital reports the arrival of the following little folks:

January 7 at 6:21 a. m., a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wood, Rt. 5, McGregor.

A little girl was born January 7 at 10:17 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morgan of Mound.

Born, January 8 at 1:05 p. m., a son to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lee, Rt. 3, Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Holt received a telegram from their son Mayo

Grand Jury Report Gives 2 Misdemeanors; And 7 Felonies

TO THE HON. BATES CROSS, DISTRICT JUDGE:

We, the Grand Jurors for the January 1947 term of Court report as follows: We have been in session four days and have examined 39 witnesses. We have returned 9 true Bills of Indictment, 2 of which are misdemeanors.

We find the condition of the county to be good with respect to violations of the law, especially in comparison to the larger centers of population. Organized gambling and other vices, which are so closely connected with so many other law violations, have never been tolerated for which we thank our citizenship and officials.

We wish to take public notice of the efficient and valuable service rendered to law enforcement by the Texas Department of Public Safety. Although hampered by lack of funds, men and materials it is nationally recognized for its fine work. After the defeat of Japan, the Director of the Department was solicited to take over the training of police in Japan, which in loyalty to his State, he refused to do. We feel that our tax money cannot be expended in a more useful way than in reducing the bill for crime and we would like to see active public support of the Department. Especially needed is constant highway patrolling to eliminate drunken drivers. In this connection we wish to call attention to the stock law prohibiting the running at large of livestock. Persons releasing cattle on the open range must keep them off the roads and highways in this county.

We wish to thank all of our officials for their assistance in our work and to thank your Honor for your charge. With continued public support of law enforcement, we will have the type of communities in which we wish to live.

We have inspected the jail and find it to be well kept and in good condition.

Respectfully submitted,
Jim McKelvain, Foreman.
Sam J. Powell, Secretary.

Roy Milstead of Oklahoma City was a Christmas visitor here.

Holt in Washington, D. C., that an 8 pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Holt early yesterday, and has been named Phillip Gordon. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bryson of Bastop.

Divorce Suits Are Dismissed by District Court

Here's a list of divorce suits that had been filed in District court and have been dismissed, according to Car McClendon, District Clerk.

Frank Kazmiercrak vs Margaret Kazmiercrak; Presly Goins vs Ruth Goins; J. O. vs Evelyn Popham; Gilbert vs Evelyn Coe; Floyd vs Irene Potter; Maude vs J. H. Barratt; Elizabeth vs Louise Robinson; Phillip vs Josephine Patrick; Harvester vs Mrs. H. Column; Yerby C. vs Thelma Green; J. E. vs Pearl E. Clawson; Theo vs Viola Johnson; Clifford C. vs Helen N. Morris.

James C. vs Leona Wayne; Vito vs Theresa Froentino; John vs Lillian Nolan; Dorothy vs Eldon Ward; Verne vs Roscoe Craft; Jack vs Ola Cox; Josephine vs Howard Davis; Maggie vs Jack Moron; Erry R. vs Roberta Jane; Hazel vs John H. Sanford; Frederick vs Margaret Seivert; James vs Ann Turner; Harry A. vs Annie Ray Blanchette.

Divorces granted were: Ester Smith vs Fred Smith, and Wm. C. Jones vs Mary Jones.

Pearl High Boy Stars With the E T S T C Commerce

Commerce, Texas, Jan. 8.—Tall, silent Bennie Kelley, East Texas State Lions forward and former Pearl High school star, has one holdover from the army that confuses him sometimes in basketball.

Aside from an occasional free throw this slight perplexity costs him, the brown-eyed, 24-year-old cager has performed remarkably well with Coach Darrell Tully's East Texas State Lions in games preceding the 1947 Lone Star conference race.

Kelley, who stands five feet-11 inches and weighs 165, was graduated in 1940 from Pearl High school, where he lettered four



years in basketball. He captained Coach A. T. Hodgeth's Pearl Dragons to the Coryell county and district championships in 1940. During his senior year he was voted Pearl's best all round athlete.

Inducted Nov. 18, 1944, Kelley was assigned to the 12th Armored division at Fort Knox, Ky., as a tank driver. He shot baskets for one month in a round robin at Fort Knox. He was discharged July 18, 1945.

Bids Asked on Flat Part of Hwy. 36 8.421 Miles of Road

Citation in this issue of the News asks for bids on 8.421 miles of Highway 36 from Flat to the Bell county line.

That's nice, if the job is let, and it'll put Coryell county that much further on the pavement, and give an outlet south east that's all paved.

MISSING CARS, BICYCLES PICKED UP; SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES BUSY

One car belonging to a Copperas Cove man was taken Monday night and was recovered in Fredericksburg.

Another, taken at Gatesville, belonging to Miss Ozella Hargis, was recovered at Mexia, and two

Screen Story of Gun On Iwo Jima Pictured For Lions by Marine

Lion President R. E. Blair, recently welcomed back into active participation in affairs of the club after a long and dangerous illness, presided Wednesday noon at the first meeting of the New Year of Gatesville Lions luncheon in the basement hall of First Methodist church.

In the routine business given attention after dinner, E. S. Bennett, manager of the Coryell Co. Cotton Oil Co. mills was elected to membership. Also announcement was made of a luncheon at Grand Prairie, and a dinner in Dallas on January 16, in recognition of the Melvin Jones lionism anniversary January membership drive. The goal for the year is set at 30,000 new members for Texas. It is expected that a number of Gatesville Lions will attend these affairs.

Sergeant Larson, Marine Corps recruiting officer, here in Gatesville, entertained with a screen production showing the battle on Iwo Jima, the story being built around the gun, "Glamour Gal". The entire company was deeply affected in this anniversary month of that 28 days of the bloodiest fighting the world has ever known. The call to the country is for a recruited Marine Corps to "keep the peace", and that there may never be in the years to come a repetition any where on the earth of an Iwo Jima story.

WAR IN WASTE

TODAY'S -- **AP** The Byline of Dependability

STRICKLAND, MISSION, RESIGNS

AUSTIN, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Governor Coke R. Stevenson announced the resignation of D. F. Strickland, of Mission, from the Board of Regents of the University of Texas.

Governor said he may leave the vacancy to the appointment of Governor-Elect Beauford Jester.

3 DROWN AFTER 90 PER RIDE

ORANGE, Jan. 9.—(AP)—Three boys drowned today when their automobile pursued by a police car, dove off a dock at 90 miles per hour, plunging into the Sabine river.

A professional wrestler plunged into the stream fully clothed saving a fourth boy.

The three Moscow, Texas, boys, including the survivor, hitch-hiked a ride with a teen-age driver from Austin—a stranger to them.

WORK COMPLETED ON LABOR BILL

WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. 9.—(AP)—Representative Francie Case, Republican, S. Dak. today completed work on a new "Case Labor Bill" which he said was intended to let Labor and Management "live together" peacefully.

The Bill authorizes the government to enjoin Labor unions from strikes endangering the public welfare, make workers as well as employers liable to unfair labor charges

PHOSPHATE TO BE HERE SOON—A C A SAYS

Coryell County ACA is to receive a car of 20% superphosphate soon. This phosphate can be applied to pasture and summer legumes, including Hubam clover. The ACA office is now taking requests for this phosphate and it will be issued on a first come first served basis. Producers wanting phosphate should make their request now.

The county committee is now issuing farmers prior approvals under the 1947 Program for terraces, grass seed, Hubam clover, and other approved practices.

G S S B boys got two bicycles and they've been recovered.

Don't pay to leave things layin' around—some people don't respect ownership.

U. S. Marine Corps Mobile Recruiting Unit Here This Week

A United States Marine Corps Mobile Recruiting Unit is here in Gatesville and will be here all this week to interview young men between the ages of 17 and 29 for enlistment in the Marine Corps.

The recruiting office of the unit arrived here last Sunday and will exhibit some of the Japanese weapons of war which were used against the Marines in their march across the Pacific, ending in the surrender of the Japanese.

Staff Sgt. A. C. Larson and Staff M. M. Sandlin, the two Marine Recruiters with the unit said, "Beginning the New Year with the Marine Corps offers unlimited opportunities for young men who wish to earn an education through a study in the Marine Corps Institute, or through travel and adventure." Sgt. Larson pointed out that duty in many foreign lands are now open to men of the Marine Corps. "Some of these are South America, Virgin Islands, Hawaii, Guam, Panama Canal Zone, Alaska, and almost any part of the globe including duty here in the United State", Sgt. Larson added.

Men accepted here will be transferred to Dallas for their final examination after which they will be sent to San Diego, Calif., to receive Recruit training.

The Mobile Unit and display of Japanese weapons is located on the east side of the Court House Square. Office hours will be maintained from 8:00 a. m. until 4:30 p. m. daily. The public is invited to view the display.

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MAT JONES..... Editor and Publisher

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Miller Stinnett, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben and son John, have returned to their home here after a delightful holiday visit in Jackson, Mich. Mrs. Ben Wandel is the former Miss Jean Stinnett, a bride

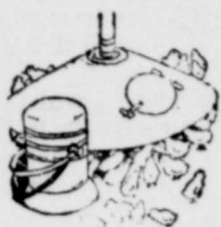
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of a few months.

Ben Jones and family have returned to their home in Sudan, after a Christmas visit here with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Jones.

Gas Utilization Advancements In Due Says A. G. A.

American homes and industry may look to even greater advancements in the fields of gas utilization and developments of new applications, as a result of a comprehensive research program of the American Gas Association.

This is a feature of the annual report of R. H. Hargrove, president of the A. G. A., and vice-president and general manager of the United Gas Pipe Line Co., of Shreveport, La.

"The gas flame is being literally torn apart in the laboratory to bring out every scientific factor to deliver more comfort and convenience to the consumer," Mr. Hargrove said. "Entirely new uses of gas are being made possible by postwar appliances developed."

"One of these is gas radiant heating, which turns walls, floors, or ceilings into spacious heating, requiring no radiators, no register grillwork. This gas appliance is gaining wide acceptance by builders who previously let it lie in the laboratory."

Mr. Hargrove's optimistic observations also reflect the condition of Lone Star Gas Company which serves this territory and whose officials point out that, "Steady developments for many years has brought the natural gas service to this section to its highest degree of dependability since the Lone Star Gas Company built its first line in 1909. As the year 1947 opens, there is connected to Lone Star's system the largest volume of gas reserves in the history of the company."

"The gas industry of the United States has demonstrated its traditional stability and soundness by passing through the difficult reconversion period without losing a step in its march of progress," Mr. Hargrove said.

"Indicative of the rapid growth anticipated, it is estimated that in the four years, 1946 to 1949 inclusive, the gas utility industry will add 2,535,000 new customers, exclusive of the liquified petroleum gas industry."

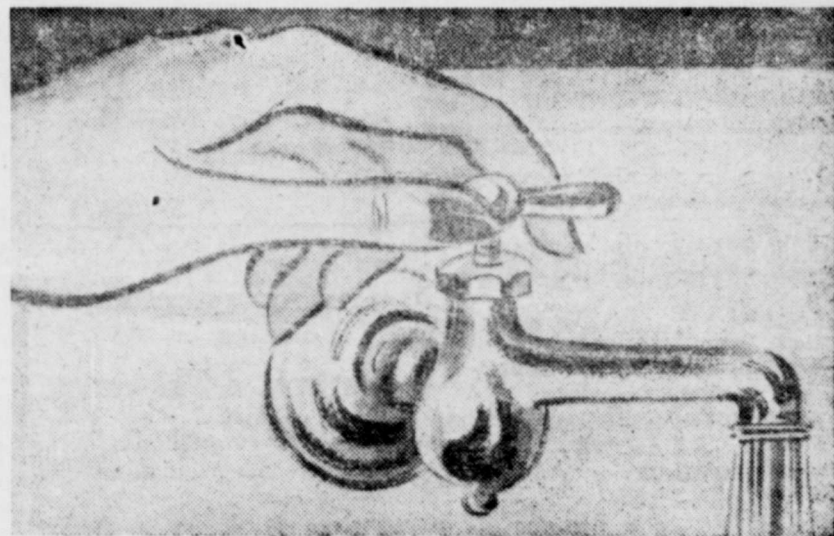
"Not only in the existing market but also in the new home field, a strong preference was apparent in 1946. The natural gas industry

Mrs. Vera Whitt and daughters were Sunday visitors in the Mark Short home.

try now serves an area with a population of 41 million in 33 states using a network of 220,000 miles of trunk lines and mains. "Proved recoverable reserves by natural gas in the United States as of December 31, 194, were approximately 148 trillion cubic feet, thus indicating an ample supply to meet the stepped up demand for many years to come."

85 %

of all water used
in the home is hot!



SIZING of water heater is all important

The average family dirties-up a full acre of dishes and three miles of clothes each year. No wonder automatic laundries and dish washers are meeting with so much enthusiasm.

But, most important of all is the supply of hot water with which to operate these labor-saving machines. They are an addition to the other 140 needs for hot water. So today, 85 per cent of all water used in the home is hot!

In your modernizing plans a new automatic water heater of ample capacity deserves first consideration. See your water heater dealer or gas company about sizing water heater to your particular needs.

SIZING CHART

for automatic storage gas water heaters

Number Bathrooms	Number Bedrooms	Storage Capacity Gallons
1	1 or 2	30
1	3 or 4	40
2	2 or 3	40
2	4 or 5	50
3	3	50
3 or 4	4 or 5	75

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Women's Regular 79c HOUSE SLIPPERS

Sizes 4½, 5, and 5½ only Womens regular 79c felt or suedecloth house shoes soft padded sole.

49c

Big Group Girls' Print

DRESSES

59c

Sizes 8 to 14 print dresses, floral patterns with blue, red green or yellow background, priced for quick Clearance at 59

Womens' Up to \$4.98

SWEATERS

\$1.99

A big group of women, children and misses 100% wool sweaters going for \$1.99.

Women's Regular \$1.98 HOUSE SLIPPERS

35 pair of women's sizes 7, 8, and 9 only, wine or blue brocaded rayon fur trimmed house shoes, soft padded sole, leather tap heel, regular \$1.98 shoes—

99c

Children's \$1.69 Print

DRESSES

\$1.00

One group of children's and misses regular \$1.69 size 7 to 14 print dresses, checks, stripes and floral patterns.

Women's Regular \$6.49

SWEATERS

\$2.17

One small group of women's 100% wool, regular \$6.49 coat style sweaters for \$2.17.

Small Group Women's \$3.49 HOUSE SLIPPERS

One small group of women's house shoes formerly sold for \$3.49, blue or rose felt, wedge heel, fabric and synthetic sole, open toe and elastic strap back, open heel—

99c

Women's Up To \$8.95

DRESSES

\$1.99

Big group of women's up to \$8.95 jumper style dresses, sizes 10 to 18, corduroys, wool, gabardine and cotton jersey.

Children's \$2.98 Cowgirl

SUITS

\$1.00

One group sizes 1 and 2 year \$2.98 cowgirl suits, corduroy skirt, imitation leather jacket.

160 Pair Children's \$1.98 HOUSE SLIPPERS

160 pair of children's brocaded rayon, woven wool and sheepskin house shoes, sizes 7 to 2 fur trimmed regular \$1.98 shoes, colors wine or blue.—

99c

Women's Up To \$24.95

DRESSES

\$5.00

A small group of women's dresses that originally sold up to \$24.95. Now marked to \$5.00 for quick Clearance.

Girl's \$4.49 Cowgirl

SUITS

\$2.00

Small group, sizes 1 and 2 year sizes only girls skirt and jacket leather fringe trimmed, regular \$4.49 suit.

Children's \$2.29 Shearling HOUSE SLIPPERS

One group of children's sizes 7 to 12 regular \$2.29 genuine shearling house shoes in red or blue, full grain soft leather sole padded with sheepskin.—

\$1.49

Men's \$2.49, \$2.98 and \$3.49 Army SWEATERS

Big table of men's O D Army color sleeveless slipover sweaters, all wool or wool and rayon formerly sold for \$2.49, \$2.98 and \$3.49

\$1

\$1.00 and \$1.50 Men's

BILLFOLDS

50c

A big group of men's regular \$1.00 and \$1.50 billfolds, leather and elastic glass, gowns and black. Many styles to select from.

Girl's \$1.98 to \$4.98 Wool

SKIRTS HALF PRICE

Girls woolen skirts, sizes 3 to 14 regular price \$1.98 to \$4.98 plaids, checks, solid colors and tweeds now marked at ½ price for quick Clearance.

Men's 100% Wool \$1.50 Army KNIT GLOVES

Men's O D Army color wool knit gloves, regular \$1.50 gloves, 100 per cent wool, will make good warm gloves to drive in—

69c

Boys' Eskay Wool

SUITS

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A small group of boys' Eskay long pant suits, regular price from \$4.49 to \$10.95 now reduced 1/3 for final and quick Clearance.

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Stovall-Mosley Wedding Vows Solemnized at King On Christmas Eve.

Within the home sanctuary where the bride was reared at King, Miss Mary Kathryn Stovall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stovall, was given in marriage to C. H. Mosley of Odessa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Mosley of Gatesville, on December 24 at 11:30 in the morning. The Rev. Stole of Waco heard the exchange of the holy vows by the bride and groom.

For her marriage the pretty bride wore a dress of aqua crepe with accessories of black. The happy affair was characterized by quiet dignity with witnesses including members of the immediate families of the young couple and Grady Spence of this city.

In the living room where the ceremony was solemnized, decorations included a Christmas tree and arrangements of chrysanthemums and roses.

Immediately after the marriage Mrs. Stovall served luncheon with places at the table marked for the bride and groom, and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mosley and children, Bobby and Jane of Hamilton; Joe Spence, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. York of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Stovall and members of the home family.

After being entertained at King and in Gatesville at a Christmas dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosley and Miss Ruby Nell, the couple left for Odessa, where they have established their home. Mr. Mosley has been employed there for the past twelve months by the Waples-Platter Company.

The Mosley family came to Gatesville some three years ago, and C. H. became quite well known and made many friends all of whom extend congratulations to him on his new happiness as a bridegroom, and his success in business.

The bride is a graduate of King high school, and holds diplomas from two widely known Texas schools of business administration. She is popular in King society circles.

Miss Orpa Mayo Hostess To Club Circle at Home On New Year's Day

A club courtesy of distinctive features was given by Miss Orpa Mayo last week on New Year's day in the afternoon. The home of the hostess had an added atmosphere of festivities given by the arrangements of red roses throughout the reception suite.

Miss Mayo was assisted in receiving the members of the 1920 Club by her sister, Mrs. Pat D. Holt. A series of games of '84' gave diversion and contests for victory lent keenest zest to the games for all players. Following the game the delectable collation, tastefully served proved one of the modern miracles of refrigeration. Miss Mayo offered her guests strawberry shortcake that brought visions of spring. Whipped cream topped the cake, and there was a cup of delicious hot coffee that dispelled all thoughts of the outside inclement weather.

The guest personnel included: Mrs. J. O. Brown, Mrs. J. D. English, Mrs. A. P. Graves, Mrs. J. H. Hamilton, Mrs. I. F. Johnson, Sr., Mrs. Byron Leaira, Mrs. M. D. King, Mrs. H. E. Poston, Mrs. Dessie Anderson, Mrs. C. A. McConnaughey, Mrs. Claude Wallace, Mrs. Claude Byrom, Mrs. R. Bates Cross, Mrs. A. W. Ellis, Mrs. Price Bauman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wittie had as their guests during the holidays, Arnold and Ray Boyd Wittie of Odessa, and Sgt. H. O. Wittie and wife of Roswell, N. M.; Nathan Wittie and wife of Waco, and two daughters of Gatesville. Grandchildren guests were Gary and Shirley Ann Wittie of Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Ament and Wyllis have returned to their home in Lubbock after a holiday visit here with their Colgin and Ament relatives, and with friends.

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Morris Federation to Hear Review of History Of Coryell County, Sat.

Mrs. W. C. Guggolz, Mrs. W. C. Bradley and Mrs. C. E. Alvis are co-hostesses for the Morris Federation meeting in the home of Mrs. Alvis, Saturday, January 11 at 3 o'clock.

Miss Zelma Scott, who at present is teaching in Conroe, Texas, will be the guest speaker. Her theme will be "The History of Coryell County". She has done much original research on this subject in preparing her thesis for her Master of Arts degree from the University of Texas.

The Morris Federation members and their guests will enjoy a social hour in completion of the program of the afternoon.

LEAVING FOR MIAMI, FLA.

Mrs. Grace Stinnette, who has been in Gatesville since last May, connected with The American Red Cross Chapter of Coryell county, serving in the capacity of stenographer and bookkeeper in the office department here, has resigned, and with her husband, Bill Stinnette, recently discharged from the armed forces at North Camp Hood, leaves this week for Miami, Florida, where they will enjoy a vacation. Mrs. Stinnette, a former teacher, is considering returning to her profession. She came to the south from Tiffin, Ohio, and leaves a large circle of friends, all of whom will be happy to have Mrs. Stinnette come back for a visit.

HOLLY GAYLE KOPCHIA ARRIVED AT WACO HOME

A dainty little white "messenger" comes to the Coryell County News from 2937 Proctor, Waco, telling of the arrival of a lovely little baby girl on December 20, 1946, at 10:43 o'clock in the evening. Holly Gayle Kopchia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kopchia, and at birth weighed seven pounds and five ounces. The tiny lady's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Yates and Mr. and Mrs. John Kopchia.

Gatesville Friends at Furber Chesley Funeral In Hamilton Wednesday

Furber Chesley, widely known employe of the Fire Company Adjustment bureau, died at the age of 49 years, in his home, 2218 Parrott Avenue, Waco, Monday morning, January 6 at 9:30.

Funeral services were held in Hamilton, native city of Furber Chesley, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Gatesville friends

Legal Notices!

Contractors' Notice of Texas Highway Construction

Sealed proposals for constructing 8.421 miles of Gr., Strs., Found. Course & Asph. Seal Coat from St. Hwy. 36 at 1.0 mi. E. of Flat to Bell County Line on Highway No. FM 184, covered by S 505 (1), in Coryell County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., Jan. 23, 1947, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with provisions of House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each craft or type of "Labor", "Workman", or "Mechanic" employed on this project. Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of J. H. Aiken, Resident Engineer Gatesville, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. O-5-7-2c.

Last Rites Held Here Wednesday Afternoon For Mrs. R. C. Faucett

A long illness proved fatal to Mrs. Stella Lucille Faucett, wife of Roy C. Faucett, 508 South 7th, cafe operator in Gatesville for the past twelve months. Mrs. Faucett passed away in Providence Hospital in Waco on Tuesday, January 7 at 6:15 o'clock in the evening.

An impressive service of the last rites was held at the Scott Funeral Home chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the Rev. Ollie Williams officiating. Burial was in Restland, where the mound was marked by a tribute of beautiful flowers, the floral pieces covering the grave and spaces adjacent.

Stella Lucille Hamilton was born, April 25, 1920 to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hamilton in Travis County, Texas. Her mother was Miss Emma Bruton of Flat, and after the birth of Stella Lucille Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton came back to Flat to make their home, and this daughter grew to lovely womanhood, and on August 7, 1941 was married to Roy C. Faucett. The young couple had lived in Gatesville for a year, the greater part of that time conducting a cafe on the south side of the square. Some three months ago Mrs. Faucett was stricken with an illness and since that date had been a patient in the Waco hospital.

Survivors are her husband, Roy C. Faucett and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hamilton of Gatesville; two sisters, Mrs. Wanda Huckabee of Gatesville, and Mrs. Mozelle Roden of Grand Prairie, and a brother, J. D. Hamilton.

Mrs. Faucett was a member of the Baptist church, and was a Christian of strong influence over those with whom she was associated. She leaves many friends to mourn with bereaved loved ones.

attending the memoria ceremonies and interment included Judge R. Bates Cross, Roger Miller, H. S. Compton, and Horace Jackson, who served as a pallbearer.

Furber Chesley was a brother of Hervey Chesley, Jr. known in Gatesville and Coryell county as court reporter for the District for a number of years, now living in the western part of the state. A brother, J. T. Chesley died some ten months ago, of a heart attack in Perry National Bank at Hamilton, where he was cashier. Survivors including Hervey Chesley, are Mr. Chesley's widow, the former Miss Josephine Langford, daughter of the late Judge Dewey Langford of Hamilton, and two children, Joseph Furber and Sandra; his mother, Mrs. H. E. Chesley of Hamilton, and a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Beaty, Chapel Hill, N. C. Mr. Chesley was a Presbyterian and a Mason.

Coach Mitchell Gives With the Schedule For Basket Ball

Here's the schedule for the 1947 Basket Ball season, Senior Boys, Gatesville High School as was released by Coach L'oyd Mitchell this week.

- January 9, Clifton here.
- January 17, At McGregor.
- January 21, Hamilton.
- January 22, At Lampasas.
- January 24, At La Vega.
- January 28, At Evant.
- January 31, Itasca.
- February 4, Clifton.
- February 7, District Tournament at McGregor.
- February 11, West.

G H S Hornets Bring Consolation Trophy From Brownwood

At the tournament, Invitation, last week in Brownwood, Gatesville's Senior Boys were shunted out of the leading bracket, and quick, by Kerrville, who dropped them 28-16. Members of the local club, said they were off.

For the Consolation Trophy, and a beautiful one, they managed to bag these games, Gatesville 40, Priddy 12; Gatesville 43, Bangs 18; Gatesville 23, Early 18.

Starters included Gilbreath, who made All-Tournament, Anderson, Patterson, Crawford and B. Davis, who is Captain.

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Jack. May God bless each and everyone
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Mrs. Lizzie Turner
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barton.
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Rev. Ollie Williams, pastor will
preach at Cold Springs church
Sunday morning and night, January
12.
This announcement was sent in
by Mrs. J. L. Glass of Flat.

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that Dr. W. R. Hall of Marlin, su-
perintendent of Central Texas
Presbytery, will fill an engage-
ment to preach at Gatesville First
Presbyterian church next Sunday
morning, January 12 at 11:00. A
cordial invitation is extended to
everyone who desires to worship
with the congregation and to hear
the message of Dr. Hall.

Mrs. W. A. Taylor of Arnett,
under treatment in Coryell Me-
morial Hospital, is reported by
her daughter, Mrs. Donald McKin-
ney of this city, to be improving.

Charter No. 4097

Federal Reserve District No. 11

Report of condition

THE NATIONAL BANK OF GATESVILLE

in the state of Texas at the close of business on December 31, 1946.
published in response to call made by comptroller of the currency,
under section 5211, U. S. revised statutes.

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve bal-

ASSETS

ance, and cash items in process of collection....	801,194.76
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed...	2,189,800.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	117,404.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures.....	300,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$5,150.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	5,150.00
Loans and discounts (including \$1,592.78 overdrafts).....	351,623.50
Bank premises owned \$20,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,000 00	21,000.00
(Bank premises owned are subject to no liens not assumed by bank)	

TOTAL ASSETS \$3,786,172.26

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations.....	\$3,383,247.02
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings).....	69,723.28
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	75,015.07
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.).....	26,477.50
TOTAL DEPOSITS.....	\$3,554,462.87

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$3,554,462.87

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus.....	73,600.00
Undivided profits.....	52,609.39
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock).....	5,500.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....	231,709.39

TOTAL Liabilities and Capital Accounts..... \$3,786,172.26

MEMORANDUM

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and
for other purposes..... \$ 392,039.00
State of Texas, County of Coryell, ss:

I, W. D. Cooper, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly
swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge
and belief.

W. D. COOPER, Cashier

CORRECT—Attest: Andrew Kendrick, H. S. Compton, Leake Ayres.
Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th. day of Jan., 1947.

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303 A, 108 culti., well improved.
100 A, 70 cult. well improved.
80 A, 40 cult, river bottom land.
266 A, 65 cult. well improved.
223 A, 30 cult., well improved.
13 A, 4-room house, on Hwy.
1 1/2 A, 4-room house, close in.
2 A, 2 houses, 2 & 5 rm, close in.
10 A, 6-rm house, close in.
General 2, 3-rm houses in town.
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Painter, Office over Guaranty
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4-79-tf

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good motor and rubber. See
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'36, good running order. J. D.
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FOR SALE: '40 Model G M C
Pickup; good rubber and palat.
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WANTED: Housekeeper. Room,
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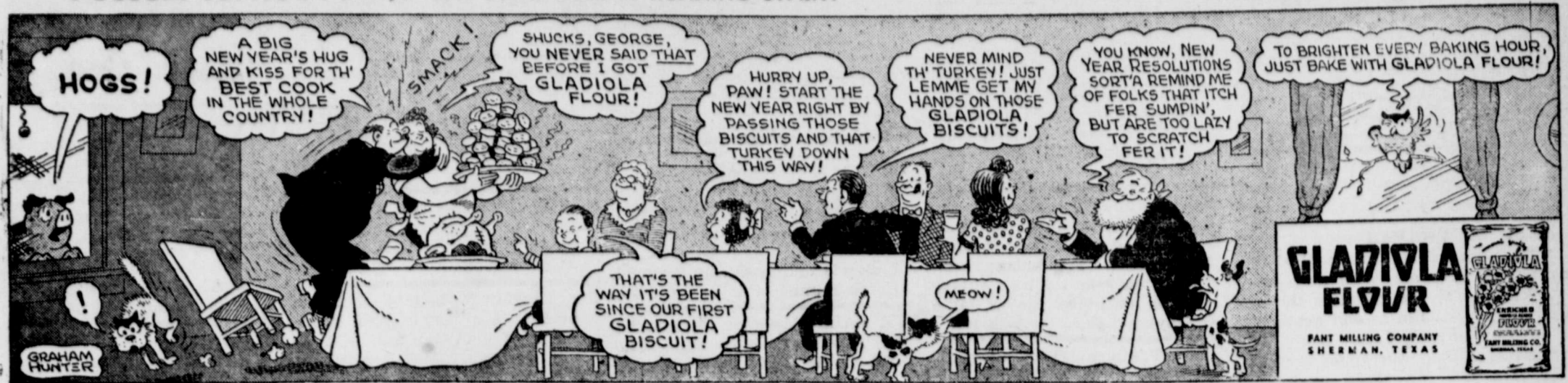
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THE GROVE



Mrs. J. E. Grissom, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holcomb and son of Port Arthur, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holcomb and Mrs. H. Dixon. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dube is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Profit in Port Arthur this week. Mrs. Para Lee Odom visited Mrs. Dock Brazzil in Flat last week. Miss Ethel Jo Grissom has returned to Waco after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grissom. Mr. and Mrs. George Lipsey of

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Corpus Christi; Miss Freda Culwell of Stamford, and Bill Lipsey of College Station were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Choat.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Kattner of Temple spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kattner. Mrs. Johnnie Graham is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lois Jones in Amarillo.

This community was made sad over the death of Mrs. Pearl Barnard.

M/Sgt. John W. Odom left last Thursday morning for somewhere in the Pacific. His wife and children will live in Gatesville while he is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bone and children of Dublin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ayres.

KING



Mrs. Dennis Warden Cor.

Our Christmas summer weather left us rather suddenly, and Old Man Winter moved in with fury.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Russell and children visited in the C. O. Russell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Arnett of Hood Village and Miss Helen McCleskey spent Saturday night in the John Herrington home.

Billie Lloyd Russell spent last Thursday with Dennis, Jr., Lewis Warden.

John Herrington is reported quite ill at this writing.

Jola Jann Pruitt returned to Waco Wednesday, after a week's visit in the C. A. Stovall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Warden and sons were Sunday guests in the John Herrington home.

Distinguished War Veteran is Assigned to Boca Raton Air Field

First Lieutenant Garland E. Holt, of Gatesville, has recently been assigned to Boca Raton Army Air Field, Fla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holt, of the same address.

Lt. Holt entered the service on

April 3, 1942 and served overseas in the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre of Operations as a pilot from October 6, 1943 to October 5, 1944. He wears the Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal with one Oak leaf cluster.

Prior to his entrance into the service, Lt. Holt was employed as a surveyor by Sou. Conservation Service, Gatesville, Texas. He is a graduate of Gatesville High School and attended Independence Kansas Junior College.

To Lecture at Humble Refinery

Houston, Texas, Jan. 9.—Dr. R. C. Fuson, of the University of Illinois, who will begin a week of lectures on January 13 at Humble

in the "Humble Lectures in Science" series.

Dr. Fuson's subject will be—"Special Topics in Hydrocarbon Chemistry."

The lecture series was inaugurated by Humble last year for the benefit of technical and research personnel at Baytown refinery. Preceding Dr. Fuson have been Dr. C. C. Price, of the University of Notre Dame, and Dr. E. R. Gilliland, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Last fall, another series at the university graduate level was begun which will continue through the spring of 1947. These are lectures on physical and organic chemistry, being conducted by Drs. F. A. Matsen and H. L. Lochte of the University of Texas.



DR. R. C. FUSON

Oil & Refining Company's Baytown refinery, is the third nationally known scientist to participate

PEARL



Mrs. Vera Whitt, Cor.

We have had a week of the coldest weather this section has experienced in a number of years. There is still plenty of ice on the ground. It was unpleasant in a way but was a blessing in retarding the blooming of fruit trees, saving fresh meat and killing insects that infest the grain.

The Leonard Fowler family remained at Evant one week waiting for the Highways to clear up. They left Monday for Anton.

Mrs. C. M. Hampton returned home last week after an extended visit with relatives at Conroe and Houston.

C. J. Shook celebrated his 74th

birthday anniversary Wednesday, January 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gardner of Kent visited relatives and friends around Pearl during the holidays. Mrs. Gardner is remembered as the former Miss Voncile Bates.

We are glad to report Tullie Ballard feeling better after being ill for several days.

Rev. and Mrs. Welch returned home last week after spending Christmas with their children at Carlsbad, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Medart and children spent Sunday of last week at Arnett in the home of her brother, Elmore Keeton and family.

Mrs. Ernest Cooper visited Mrs. Jim Key one afternoon recently.

Gene Lacy, SMU student in Dallas, spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lacy.

We are glad to report Mrs. Randal Mosley and children better after a few day's illness.

S. W. Hampton and Erwin Davis returned to Bethany, Okla., last week where they are attending school. They spent the holidays here with relatives and friends.

James Murray of Port Arthur brought his father home, Friday. He was accompanied by Lois Collins. The Murrahs have moved to their home, the place the Leonard Fowlers vacated.

Gorman Oney and Ervin Davis returned to school at Stephenville last week after spending their holidays here with relatives and friends.

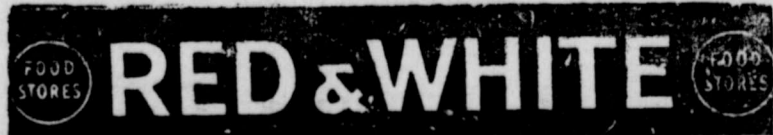
Nelda Pearl White returned to Lorena last week, after spending the holidays here with her aunt, Mrs. Jim Ashcroft and others.

Classified ads pay in the News

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EDDIE NEWTON

Miss Louise Colgin has returned to Austin where she resumes her studies at State University. She was in Gatesville for holidays in the John R. Colgin home, and with other relatives and her many young friends.

Uncle Sam Says



One of the fine old American customs is to begin a new year with a lot of resolutions. Some we keep. Others we make with the intention of breaking them to the delight of ourselves and friends. You're being a good American to resolve to do something or other from this day on until eternity. You're being a better, wiser American to make a solemn resolution to strengthen the future security of yourself and family. Resolve to put some of your income regularly into U. S. Savings Bonds, which pay \$4 for every \$3 invested in 10 years.

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Coryell Conservation Boosted by ACA Allocation Of \$83,100 Program

James F. Blair, chairman of the Coryell County ACA Committee, said today that Coryell County has been allocated \$83,100 to carry out conservation practices under the 1947 program. Mr. Blair also stated that of the \$83,100 received \$12,232 has already been issued for winter legume crops of Austrian winter peas, vetch, clover, and ryegrass. These were planted in the fall of 1946.

The following conservation practices have been approved for Coryell County and we will be glad to discuss any of the practice specifications with you at the time you ask for approval from the County Committee to start to work on the practice. It is suggested that you not ask for an approval until you are about ready to start to work because approvals will be issued for only about the length of time required to carry out the practice.

Conservation practices approved for Coryell County are:

Construction of standard terraces for which proper outlets are provided. Secure written approval of the County Committee before construction is begun.

Construction of diversion terraces. Secure written approval of the County Committee before construction is begun.

Establishing a vegetative waterway. Secure written approval of the County Committee before sodding is begun.

Construction or enlarging of drainage ditches. Secure written approval of the County Committee before construction is begun.

Construction of earthen dams or reservoirs for livestock water or erosion control. Secure written approval of the County Committee before construction is begun.

Drilling or digging wells for livestock water. Secure written approval of the County Committee before the practice is begun.

Elimination of destructive plants (cedar, scrub oak, prickly pear, and mesquite) on non-crop pasture and range land. Secure written approval of the County Committee and preliminary survey before the elimination work is begun.

Mowing established pastures. Secure written approval of the County Committee before mowing is begun.

Establishing permanent pasture

by seeding perennial pasture grass. Secure written approval of the County Committee before seeding the grass.

Establishing or improving permanent pastures by seeding adapted pasture grasses, pasture legumes, or mixtures of grasses and legumes. Secure written approval of the County Committee before the seeding is begun.

Establishing permanent pasture by sodding Bermuda, buffalo, or Dallis grass. Secure written approval of the County Committee before sodding is begun.

Harvesting legume and grass seed. Secure written approval of the County Committee before the seed are harvested.

Growing a green manure and cover crop of summer legumes. Secure written approval of the County Committee before seeding the legumes.

Application of potash and phosphate other than raw rock phosphate. Secure written approval of the County Committee before the material is applied.

Cotton Crop Insurance

Applications for insurance under the 1947 Cotton Crop Insurance Program are now being written at the ACA Office. Cotton farmers, including landlords, tenants, and sharecroppers interested in applying for or obtaining information pertaining to this all-risk Federal Crop Insurance contact the county office.



'Pointing With Pride'

BUT, NOT

'Viewing With Alarm'

'Cause, she knows her way 'round in these grocery stores!

—And, she knows, P. & W. is going to have the Quality she's looking for in—

**MEATS, FRUITS
VEGETABLES
and GROCERIES**

—You know, it's nice to be able to depend on your GROCER, and it's a lot nicer to know that we're



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P & W FOOD STORE

S. L. PRICE — BURL WATTS

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Leaird's Department Store

BYRON LEAIRD, Jr., PROP.



Joan Miller

Joan Miller's wing-sleeved casual will arouse more than casual interest!

Skirt is new—featuring two deep unpressed pleats in front and slim fitted back. Comes in pastels—of Tegra, a Labtex-Jur-Jail fabric. Aqua, Pink or Sand. Sizes 9 - 16.



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State No. 986

Reserve District No. 11

Report of Condition of The

GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY

of Gatesville, Texas, at the close of business Dec. 31, 1946, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	686,755.92
United States Government obligations, direct and Guaranteed	1,523,500.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	54,824.51
Corporate stocks (including \$2,350.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	2,350.00
Loans and discounts (including \$150.33 overdrafts).....	374,467.13
Bank premises owned \$13,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,000.00.....	17,000.00
Other assets	679.56

TOTAL ASSETS \$2,659,577.12

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,338,795.61
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	58,727.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	139,831.59
Deposits of banks	2,222.92
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,539,577.12
Other liabilities	6,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below.....)	\$2,545,577.12

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	30,000.00
Undivided profits	28,000.00
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) ..	6,000.00

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS..... 114,000.00

TOTAL LIABILITIES and Capital Account..\$2,659,577.12

*This bank's capital consists of:

Common Stock with total par value of ...\$50,000.00

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes.....\$ 193,000.00

I, B. K. Cooper, vice-president of the above named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. K. COOPER

CORRECT—Attest: J. O. Brown, J. F. Patterson, Reed Powell, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Coryell ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th. day of Jan. 1947.

(SEAL) WALDINE SWINDALL, Notary Public

THEY SAY "DON'T RUN 'EM ANY MORE!"

First says, "sold by 10 a. m., and second says, found already, don't run. They're ringing our phone off the wall."

LOST: Somewhere in Gatesville, Memorial Service Day, Class ring, 1945. W. T. on it. \$15 reward for return to Oliver Tatum. 2-3-1tp

FOR SALE: 3-piece living room suite, wine colored, at \$40. Apartment 217-D, North Hood Village. 4-4-2tp.

We're kind of tickled about this! Told lots of 'em, if it'll sell, and you want to keep it, don't run it in the NEWS Classified Section.

Barton Wood of Waco was a recent visitor in Gatesville.

They've Got to Play!

—And Many, Many Times

There are Sore Throats, Flu and other Complications.



—Now, if it should happen, Certainly, you'll see your Doctor, first, and then, bring his prescription here to be compounded by your druggist.

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