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J E McClellan to Fred Smith, lot in block 5 of Wells Addition Gatesville, \$750.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Sam Richard Basa and Mrs. Mattie Ernestine Griffit.

Mrs. Ola Mae Parks Presents Pupils in Piano and Voice Recitals

On Tuesday and Thursday evenings, May 20th and May 22nd in the City Hall Auditorium, at 8:15 o'clock, Mrs. Ola Mae Parks will present her pupils in Piano and Voice recitals.

The program will consist of piano solos, duet ensembles, voice numbers and action songs.

The general public is again extended a cordial invitation to attend both programs.

PTA Meeting Wednesday, May 21 At GHS Auditorium

The final meeting for this year of the Parent-Teacher Association will be at the High School Auditorium May 21, at 4 p. m. The purpose of the meeting will be the installation of new officers. The program will consist of piano selections by Orpo Mayo's pupils and "Looking Toward Vacation" by Mr. J. M. Witcher.

Mrs. Fred Storm and Mrs. Gussie Strckland of Childress were Gatesville visitors this week with friends and relatives.

Markets

Thursday, May 15, 1947

Corn, bushel.....	\$1.65
Maize, loose.....	\$2.50
Oats, bushel.....	.90c
Wheat, bushel.....	\$1.90
Cream, pound.....	.50c
Hens, pound.....	.25c
Roosters, pound.....	.10c
Fryers, lb.....	.28c
Eggs, dozen.....	.36c
Toms, pound.....	.14c
No. 1 Turkey hens, pound.....	.21c



WINNER
Joan Hiatt, 19, of Amarillo, won the bathing beauty contest at the Santa Rosa Roundup at Vernon, Texas. A receptionist in a Dentist's office, she was sponsored in the contest by the Will Rogers Range Riders of Amarillo.

Purmela Knocks Down Pottsville Sunday 8-5 in Fast Game

Curtis Smith, hurling for Purmela, held the hard-hitting Pottsville club of the Four-County League, to 6 hits, scattered so they could only garner 2 runs in 8 innings.

Theo Whatley, relieved him in the 9th, and he was touched for 3 runs on 2 walks and 3 singles.

Smith got nine strikeouts, and was backed up by some neat defensive play by first sacker, Horace Knight.

They've got a pretty fast league out Purmela-Evant way, and the boys are playing Star, Priddy, Pottsville and other places "out of our trade territory". Berkley Laxson is the "old man of the ball club" and is doing yeomanship work with the mask and mit. Says he'll give us the schedule as soon as he gets it from "headquarters", not in Coryell county, bambit!

Bennie Derrick of Weatherford spent the week end with his parents, Rey, and Mrs. G L Derrick of Route 2, Gatesville.

ONE FURNISHED GUN FOR EIGHT WHO GOT OUT AT 12: IN AT 8

Eight "little boys ranging in weight from 122 to 160 pounds, escaped from the Gatesville State School for Boys here about 12 o'clock Wednesday night and made off with a previously stolen pistol from Jim Nichols' home and one from Jonesboro.

Sheriff Joe White said a new man was on duty, and they "crossed him up" by telling him the 8 boys slept somewhere else, and they got out. One was caught on State property, one headin' east from Gatesville in Homer Tenneson's car, 3 were caught at Jonesboro in Bunk Leaman's car, and another in Gatesville in Carl W. McLanes' car which had been parked in front of T. C. Potts home.

One, Sherrill Suggs is still at large.

Two were caught, after being treed just north of Jonesboro near a man's yard where his car was paked.

The three caught at Jonesboro pitched the gun out of the car when they were cornered.

Two Ranger units of Autin were called out, and State Highway patrolmen from Fort Worth, Lampasas, Waco and Temple blocked the highways leading out of Gatesville at McGregor, Temple, Evant and Hico. All but one was back in the "stir" at daylight.

Here's the lineup of the escapees: Kenneth Carter, Dallas, 5 feet 9, 165 pounds 2-timer; Joseph P. Altmore, alias Joseph Joyce, Boston, Mass., 5 feet 7, 150 lbs. sent to the local school after slugging a guard, getting solitary, and claiming he was under the "pen" age; Buster Garret, Houston, 3-timer, 5-10, 162 lbs.; Sherrill Suggs, Cleburne, 5-5, 122 2-timer; Charles Lyle, Houston, 4-timer, 5-9, 150 lbs; Paul Dingle, 2-timer, 5-7, 140, Beaumont; Clarence Birdwell Houston, 3-timer, 6 ft, 160 lbs.; Ray Scott, Dallas, 2-timer, 5-7, 145 lbs.

Grand Jury List Is Announced For June Term Court

Here's the Grand Jury list for the June term of District Court.

W T Michael, Evant, Lyman Scott, King; Louis Behrens, Copperas Cove; Earl Blankenship, W B Brazzil, The Grove; Floyd Murray, Andrew Kendrick, D A Grady Oglesby; Elmo Washburn, Carl Davis, Jonesboro; Charlie Lengefeld, S. J. Barnard, Mound; W. O Wolf, Flat; G B Hardcastle, Ireland; Loyd Russell, King and Wade Sadler.

Mrs. Woodland Meador of Henderson was visiting relatives and friends in Gatesville.

"Corporal Punishment" Out: Says Gregory! One More Reading in House Wednesday

Representative Sid Gregory, Jr. phoned at 4 p. m. yesterday that the House had just passed the "corporal punishment" act on the second reading.

An amendment to allow "whipping and strapping" proposed by Gregory and others, was voted down 52-50.

The bill goes to the House for the third reading Wednesday of next week.

One of our friends down there, Gregory said, was showing a telegram he received on the "break" and said that he knew a "run" would be promoted to defeat the bill.

TODAY'S - - AP The Byline of EVENTS by Dependability

JOHN L. LEWIS AGREES TO BARGAIN

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 15.—(AP)—John L. Lewis is today agreed to bargain on a new contact with three fourths of the soft coal industry. Negotiations were set to begin tomorrow.

His agreement was a reversal of his previous stand.

The agreement raised the probability of avoiding a crippling strike in the coal industry when the government relinquishes control of the pits this summer.

400 MILLION MILITARY AID

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 15. — (AP) — Congress sent to the White House today legislation authorizing a four hundred million dollar program of financial and unlimited Military aid to bulwark Greece and Turkey against Communism.

The House and Senate then approved a bill compromising minor differences between the House and Senate measures.

SOLDIERS BONUS SLAPED DOWN

AUSTIN, Texas, May 15.—(AP)—The House today by a close vote slapped down a second attempt this week to push through a soldier bonus proposal.

Resolution Approved On Texas Training School Code

We quote an item from the Dallas Morning News relative to the Gatesville State School for Boys, and the Gainesville State School for Girls.

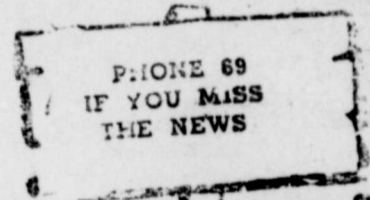
RESOLUTION APPROVED

"Approval was also given by the Governor to the Senate concurrent resolution which will set up the Texas Training School Code Commission to examine the laws governing the administration of the Gatesville State School for Boys and the Gainesville State School for Girls to recommend improvements of the operation."

Sgt. James M. Thompson visited his uncle, Hope Thompson,

Tuesday. He was accompanied by Sgt. W. K. Meadows James is a native of Coryell County and has been in the army for several years.

Mrs. L. B. Brown and Mrs. Eiland Lovejoy left early this week for an extended tour including Kansas City, where they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Honeycutt, Jr., and they will then go to Denver, Cheyenne, Sheridan and Great Falls, and possibly points in Canada before returning home.



WEST TEXAS MARINERS

When a five inch downpour inundated parts of Olessa, Texas, recently small boats cruised down merry a mariners on a raft. The scene is in West Odessa.

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Home Coming of The Liveoak Cemetery Association

The 20th annual home coming of our Association was a decided success. Members attended and

sent greetings and contributions from California, Washington, D. C., Arkansas, Oklahoma, Canada, and from many large cities in Texas.

President A. H. Somerford opened the meeting with the song "In the Sweet By and By" and prayer

was led by Lewis Ballard of Dallas.

Mrs Tom Smith, mother of the association, after acknowledging all telegrams and letters, told a touching story of what a contribution sent in from a distance might do to the morale of the members. "It was a night" after the outbreak of the war. Most of our men were in the army, or war plants, all was chaos and anxiety. Our boys were being shipped overseas by the millions. She decided that it would be useless to try to have a "homecoming" at that time. Just as she started to write a letter to the president of the Association, asking him to call off the meeting—someone knocked. It was Vada Parrish, she had brought a contribution from India, where Newton Parrish was stationed. That settled it! If our boys at the far ends of the earth had not forgotten our cemetery, surely we could keep the home-fires burning, so we have not missed a meeting for twenty years."

Mr. and Mrs. A H Somerford sang a touching duet, "If We Never Meet Again". Rev. W. J Ballard preached a very able and appropriate sermon. We appreciate this talented young minister. He was born and reared at Ohio. This month he will get his degree from Howard Payne College. He possesses not only power, but also ease and dignity that only a splendid college training can give. We congratulate both him and his school.

After an elaborate dinner, president Somerford called the business session in his usual farsighted and business-like manner, he asked the association to put a younger man at its helm. "In the efficient training of our youth rests its success and long life." Clovis Belvin was chosen president, A H Somerford vice-president, Annie Smith and Elsie Riley were chosen co-workers as secretary and treasurer; James Billingsley was chosen director.

Rev. Bertis Ballard reported on the work that his committee had done toward getting all graves marked. He presented the association with some fifteen dollars worth of working tools, including the metal letters, a mold, and so forth with which cement markers can be made very beautiful.

Clovis Belvin made the very generous offer to make a number of these markers free of labor cost. The Association makes an earnest appeal to anyone who can identify an unmarked grave in the Liveoak Cemetery to please drop a card or letter to Mrs. Tom Smith, Hamilton, Texas, giving the name and as near as possible, the date of birth and death (the year is sufficient). Then as soon as possible, make a trip to the cemetery and identify these graves by placing a board or stone on each with the name written on it. After these names have been turned in to Mrs. Smith, she will make every effort to contact the relatives of the deceased.

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CAVE CREEK

Mr and Mrs Ike Morse visited with Mr and Mrs Roy Fleming Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs R P Williams and children spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Bud Williams of Buster.

Misses Effie and Bertha Neely attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the John Taylor home in honor of Mr. John Taylor. Mrs. Bill Henson and Mr Orastus Turner. There were 32 present.

M and Mrs Roy Fleming, Mr and Mrs. Barnhill and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Seemore and son of Waco, and Mrs Elmer Swift of The State Training School spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Monroe Beene.

Approvals For Mowing Pastures Being Issued

The County ACA Committee has started issuing prior approvals for mowing established pastures. Farmers that expect to receive payment for mowing should contact the ACA office before starting to mow. The payment for mowing established pastures is 50 cents per acre. Pastures must be mowed as often as necessary to control weeds and shrubs. Mowing must be done before weed seed mature. Growth mowed cannot be used for feed, for threshing, for seed, nor sold for any purpose.

Classified ads pay in the News

Firemen Offer Cash Prizes for Best Kept Yards During Rodeo

Gatesville Volunteer Firemen are offering for the three best kept yards during the period of the Ninth Annual Fireman's Rodeo, prizes of \$5, \$7.50 and \$12.50. Lawns and landscaping in the yards will be judged by three disinterested parties during the show.

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Murray's Food Market
109 S. 7th Ph. 297

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600 Leon Ph. 276

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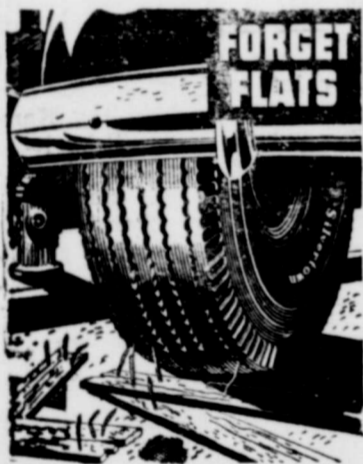
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Piece Goods
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C of C Directors To Continue To Present GSSB Views

A Thursday afternoon Cham-

ber of Commerce Director's meeting focused attention on the GSSB debacle.

The directors laid plans to present the City's views on corporal punishment at the school.

C. City-Crawford Game Ends in Un- Ending Argument

According to the scorebook, Coryell City won the ball game at Crawford Sunday.

It was a two-sided game with a two-sided argument.

They'd battled thru 6 and 5/6 innings, when things heated up, and according to our informant, the C C boys "took their balls and bats and went home". At that decisive moment the game was 4-0 in the Coryell City boys favor, and since we didn't see the game or hear the arguments (the arguments didn't get to the "seeing kind", but close) there are no sides in this for us.

Coryell City, this week end will play Turnersville either there or at Coryell City.

Aint it a pity we "talk" while others play, and with a baseball diamond practically ready, except for the lights-

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

	Day Nite
Police	244 700
Fire: "Fire Department"	
NEWS	69 446
Hospital	499 499
Ambulance	55 161
Sheriff	175 28



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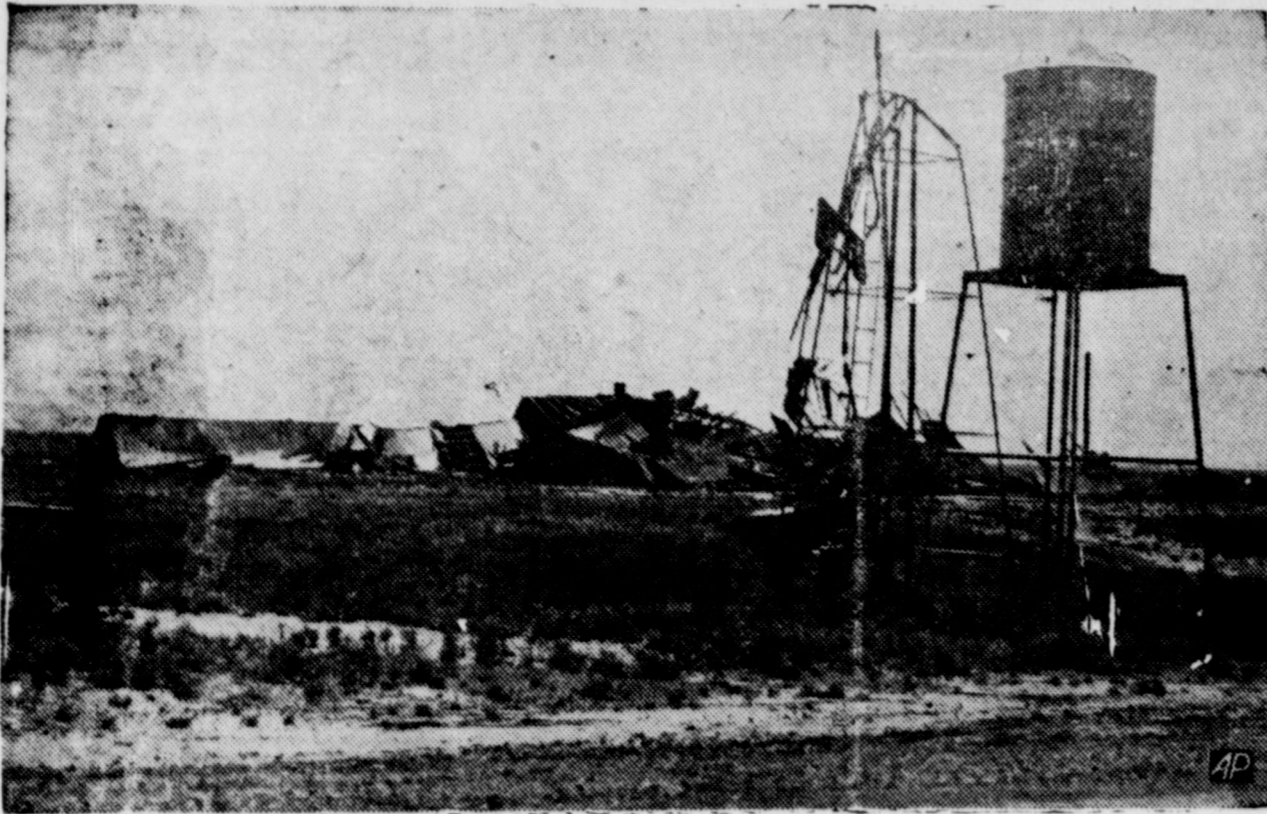
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A tornado which struck Lenora, in West Texas, smashed the build-

ings (background) and snapped the top off the windmill, (foreground). Fifteen persons were injured at Lenora.

LEVITA SCHOOL CLOSING

May 21—Program presented by Primary and Intermediate pupils.
May 22—Sandwich supper at the school at 6:30 p. m.
May 22—Night. Two one-act plays presented by the upper grade.

Come and be with us!

Tenth Anniversary Tea Of Young Matrons Class Baptist Church, May 30

The Young Matrons' Class of the First Baptist church extends an invitation to all members and former members of the class to attend the Tenth Anniversary Tea May 30th 4 to 7 p. m. at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Travis Me-

harg, 1706 Saunders St. Due to the incompleteness of the records, personal invitations cannot be sent to all, but the class takes this method of urging all members of the past ten years to attend.

RED CROSS MEETING

Community Service to Camps and Hospital Council of the American Red Cross for this area is meeting in Gatesville May 21. Representatives from 14 chapters are expected to attend and the public is cordially invited to attend at the City Hall at 10:00 a. m.

Mrs. Jack Dawson and little son left recently for Oklahoma City to join their husband and father, Jack Dawson, who has

been working there for some time.

John F. Kinsey accompanied his sisters and brother, Pearl, Joyce and Luther, Jr., to Odessa where he will work.

SINGING AT COUNTY LINE SUNDAY, MAY 18

Sunday, May 18, an all day singing will be held at County Line beginning at 10 a. m. Allingers are asked to bring their books and a well filled lunch basket.
Sunday night, at 8, the pastor, Rev. George Siler will preach.

Attending the Southern Baptist Convention at St. Louis recently were Mr. and Mrs. T K O'Neal and Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hayes

Funeral Services Held May 9 For Carroll P. Whatley

Carroll P. Whatley died at the Coryell Memorial Hospital May 8, at 5:30 p. m.

He had lived in Ireland twenty years and had been a resident of Coryell County all his life. He was a member of the Church of Christ. His mother was Miss Melissa Moore before she married Edmond Whatley. They came to Texas from Alabama. He was born August 12, 1880. He was 66 years old. On March 3, 1901 he married Miss Maude Hill.

Surviving relatives are: his wife, Mrs. C. P. Whatley; five sons, Fred of Gatesville, C. P. of Pidcoke, Madison of Texas City, Eugent of Ireland and Glen of Ireland also; five daughters, Mrs. Fred Ray of Gatesville, Mrs. Jack Ward of Houston, Mrs. Lester Dollins of Ireland, Mrs. Pat Pearson of Texas City, and Mrs. Carl Ethridge of Victoria; one grand child and one sister, Mrs. Alice Bryan of San Antonio.

Pallbearers were Bill Williams, Gene Huckabee, Tuck Wolf, Andy Wolf Clyde Culp and Happy Lee.

Services were held at Scott's Funeral Home on May 9, at 4:00 p. m. Rev. Luther Norman of Hamilton officiating. Interment was in Restland Cemetery.

TURNERSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

announces its

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Friday, May 16, 1947—8:00 p. m.

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

- PROCESSIONAL.....Mrs. Leonard Dnaiels
- INVOCATION.....M. D. Clary
- WELCOME.....Eugene Clary.....Salutatorian
- CLASS PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.....Chester Brown
- SOLO—"A PERFECT DAY".....Mary Von Jones
- CLASS HISTORY.....Elizabeth Moore
- PROPHECY.....Ladell Garren
- TRIO....."Theer's a Long, Long Trail"
Mary Von Jones, Ladell Garren, Mary Anne Rowe
- VALEDICTORIAN.....Patty June Whitley
- Song—"I Love a Little Cottage".....Class
- PRESENTATION OF AWARDS AND DIPLOMAS..Virgil C. Jones
Superintendent
- BENEDICTION.....L. S. Bernholtz
- RECESSIONAL.....Mrs. Leonard Daniels

CLASS ROLL

- Hazel Ayers
- Chester Brown
- Eugene Clary
- Evis Mae Dorsey
- Ladell Garren
- Richard Humes
- Ruth Ingram
- Mary Von Jones
- Tessie Littlefield
- Richard McClendon
- Elizabeth Moore
- Donald Pruitt
- Mary Ann Rowe
- Marjorie Russell
- Bonnie Sadler
- J. W. Shults
- Naomi Voss
- Mary Ann Walker
- Patty June Whitley
- Eugene Wigginton
- Jo Merie Williams

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kinsey had as guests over the past week end their children, Mrs. J. D. Jones and little daughter, Ardenna, Miss Joyce Kinsey and Luher Kinsey Jr., of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hall and little daughter, Billie Jean of McGregor, and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Jones

and little daughter, Bettie Louise of near Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Blackburn leave this week for Tuscon, Ariz. where they go to make their home. A new man has been named manager of the Gatesville Poultry and Egg Company.



YES, WE HAVE BANANAS Brownsville, Texas, is rapidly

crowding New Orleans as a tropical fruit import center. Bananas, pineapples and coconuts flow in from Mexico and are moved throughout the nation. Bananas, contrary to the singing commercials, are often shipped in refrigerated cars. Above, bananas are being unloaded from a boat.

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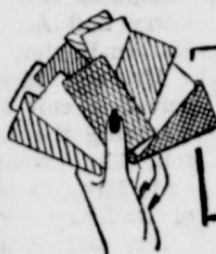
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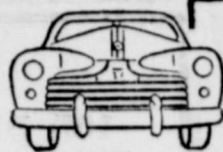
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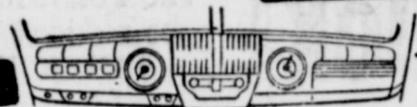
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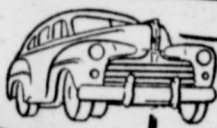
New front-end styling!



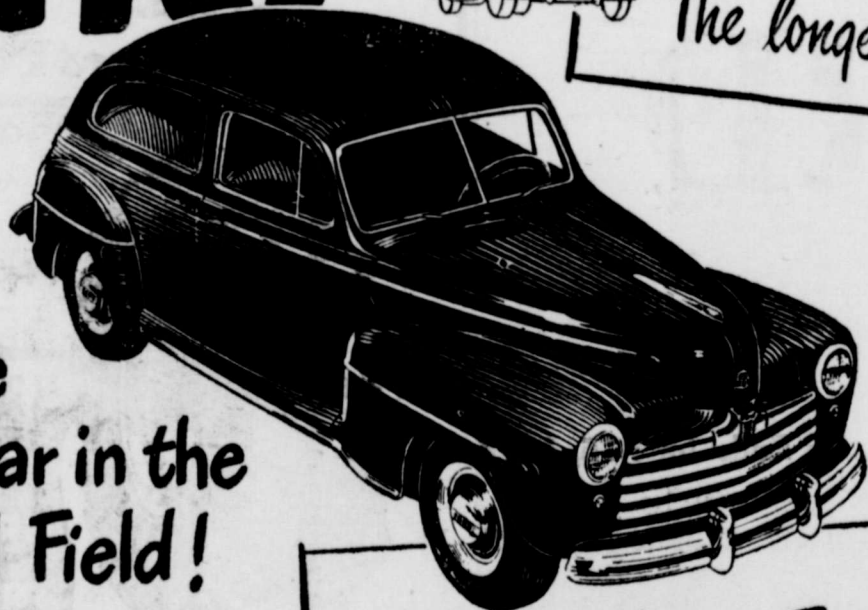
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TURNERSVILLE



Mrs. Adrian Foote and Miss Adreene were recent visitors to Denton. Misses Barbara Foote and Margaret Sue Garren accompanied them home for Mother's Day.

Mrs. J. T. Garren and daughter of Temple were week end visitors in the Garren home.

Kyle Habin and Hildreth Mangum of McAllen were week end visitors with home folk.

Miss Louise Basham of Temple was a week end visitor with home folk.

Joe Maxwell and family of Mexia were Sunday visitors with home folk.

Rev. E. O. Harrell and wife of Cameron, E. P. Harrell and family Mrs. E. O. Harrell and Miss Wilma were Sunday visitors here.

Frank Morgan and wife, Oscar Russell and wife were Sunday visitors in the Holder home.

Miss Mattie Cooker attended the Nurses' Convention in Austin Monday.

Farlan Hollingsworth and family, Homer Cypert and family of Olton attended the funeral of the late Oscar Morrow Monday.

Mrs. Adah McCoy is visiting in the Lee McCoy home.

Arthur Blankenship and family were Waco visitors Sunday.

J. H. Brown and wife of Port Arthur were Monday visitors here.

Miss Joy Cheatham of Abilene was a week end visitor here with home folk.

Mother's Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schange of the Plainview community were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Young and Carolyn of Axtell, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Shoemsmith of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schange and Robert Dale of this city.

Sgt. W. K. Meadows of the Waco Army Recruiting Office will have a sub-station here starting May 19. His office will be located in the Chamber of Commerce. Office hours will be from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. five and a half days a week. Closed Saturday noon.

Byron Leaird, Jr., was a business visitor in Dallas this week.

PURMELA



Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ham came from Texon for a visit with Mrs. Ham's brother, Way Freeman and family; also the Thurman Maxwell family. Sunday, they all went to Temple for a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Bickley, in honor of her mother, Mrs. A. L. Freeman. Homer Freeman took his mother, Mrs. Walter Freeman, to Oklahoma City to see her brother Ray Moore who is very ill. in Luders. Mr. Chambers' mo-

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Chambers and children spent the weekend there who was visiting a daughter there returned with them. Visitors in the Bishop Sanders home were a daughter, Mrs. Lester Williams and son from Monahan; also Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sanders and children of Burlington, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham recently visited their son, Damon, at JTAC, Stephenville. Art Briese of Little Rock, Ark., joined his wife here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. J. Forrest, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dyer and baby of Waco spent Saturday night with Mrs. Dyer's sister, Mrs. Ed Comer. Sunday, both families went to Levita to a wed-

ding dinner at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Morgan, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Morgan who were Married Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee went to Turnersville Sunday to visit Mr. Lee's mother. Mrs. Elkie Reeves and Mrs. Robert Mayes from Mineola were here last week to visit Mrs. G. Blackshear and Mrs. C. E. Blackshear. J. W. Glass of Temple spent last week with his son, O Glass. Mr. and Mrs. Homan Davis of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bertrand and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Ms. George Thetford at Carlton. Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Smith and baby of Dallas spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Smith. Rev. Carl Scott filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. Mrs. Alton Spencer received a bouquet for being the youngest mother present. Mrs. W. A. Smith received one for being the oldest mother present and Mrs. B. Sparkman for having the most children present. Mrs. Carl Scott was very ill in a Waco Hospital Sunday, but was better at last report. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Buckner went to Waco Sunday to visit her. At the Purmela ball park Sunday afternoon Purmela played Pottsville and won the game. Friends from this community attended the funeral of Carol Whatley in Gatesville. J. D. Haddock and family of

Dallas spent Mothers' Day with Mrs. Haddock's mother, Mrs. Albert Kindler. Mrs. S. B. Comer's children served a family dinner at her home Sunday honoring their mother.

MOUND



Rev. J. T. Ayers filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning, bringing a wonderful and inspiring message. Rev. Ayers' brother-in-law, Rev. Marion Harris, of Liveoak brought the message Sunday night. Dinner was served at the church under the shade trees honoring the mothers. Those attending church were Mrs. Jack Thomason and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fowler of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Estes, Mrs. C. T. Huggins and Rev. Marion Harris all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hopson of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hopson and small daughter of Temple, Mrs. Joyce Graham and son of Dallas, Mrs. Carl Clawson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Marshall and children of Gatesville, Tump Martin of McGregor, Misses Kathlyene Brumbalow and Jeffrey Ann McKinney of Lampasas and Misses Joyce Mayberry and Ann Sumner of Mary Hardin-Baylor, Belton. Mr. and Mrs. Q. Davidson received a call Sunday night announcing the arrival of a grandson. The proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Quince Davidson, Jr. of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Mayberry

and little sons of Port Arthur visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mayberry. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Parks turned home recently after absence of several weeks. Mrs. Jack Davidson is ill with mumps. JJames and Joe Vern Lowe left for Bay City. Mrs. Herman Bragewitz and mother, Mrs. Manos, went to Waco to visit and attend the meeting at the Memorial Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Homan and daughter of Gatesville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lowery Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clements and daughter went to Mosheim Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Troy Melton and children went to Canton, Sunday to visit his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Rogers. Those visiting in the Oren McHargue home are: Mrs. Lillie Banas and small grandson, Paul Crawford of Alamo, California; Mr. and Mrs. Harmon McHargue and children of Waco, S/Sgt. Johnnie Skinner and daughter, formerly of Colorado on their way to San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Felcon Green accompanied their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tatum to Lampkin, Sunday, to visit Mr. Tatum's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Rob McHargue and Jerry of Waco were visitors in Mound Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. James Evans and children of Salado visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Brown Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Taylor and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor in Temple Sunday.

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LOOKING AHEAD
 by **GEORGE S. BENSON**
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Clear the Decks

During a recent trip to the nation's capitol, I found the air filled with talk of reducing the budget. Many legislators are now becoming economy conscious. However, one item of the budget—national defense—has been given a respectable detour by many Congressmen. Although its proposed \$12.7 billions represents almost one-third of the 1948 budget, most legislators seem content to economize only on the other two-thirds.

National defense has been given a "halo" of untouchability. Current thought trends believe that any reduction of defense appropriations would cripple our military and naval potential. John Q. Public will gladly pay through the nose to avoid the unpreparedness experienced in the early stages of World War II. Estimates of defense cost by the military forces are accepted without question.

Waste Hangover

However, there is every indication that wartime waste and extravagances still exist in peacetime operation of the armed forces. During the war the over-all annual cost for each fighting man was \$6960. This included everything consumed in combat—ships, guns, planes and ammunition. The proposed budget calls for an annual average of \$6790 per man in uniform. Only \$170 less for the peacetime soldier than when he was maintained in a round-the-world conflict.

In January, 1947—the third year of peace—the Army and Navy had 1,006,577 civilian employees. Two civilians for every three soldiers. During World War II there were two civilian employees for every fifteen soldiers — this during the most wasteful war in all history. The civilian employees represent a yearly outlay of \$3 billion. There should be no room in an efficient fighting force for a costly "bureaucracy."

Excess Baggage

No sane admiral or general would take his force into battle without making it as efficient as possible under existing conditions. Confusion and inefficiency within his own ranks are more deadly than any enemy. He must clear his decks of anything which will get in the way and keep the guns from firing smoothly. We must now use the same technique in peacetime to fight financial suicide.

The armed forces have everything to gain in pruning away their deadwood. The result will be a more efficient and effective defense force. Also, this will promote the confidence of a public that knows its tax money is being wisely spent. A future forced cut might come at a time to really cripple defense operations.

Fighting Weight

It is not a matter of cutting appropriations that would result in a weakened Army and Navy. The reverse is actually true. First, efficiency must be created within the operations themselves. Then the path is open for expenditures more in line with sane economy. Efficiency of operation, public confidence, and sensible financing all depend upon each other. None can stand alone.

This is one of the first steps in bringing our wayward economy back to earth. In our zeal to spend recklessly for national protection, we should acknowledge the presence of more than one type of enemy. It is sure folly to pour an endless stream of money into a wasteful machine to protect ourselves from an outside aggressor, only to result in financial chaos within our own borders. A good deal of economizing can be done within the services without crippling our defense.

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WASHINGTON NEWS
 FROM OUR CONGRESSMAN
W. R. PORGE

May 9, 1947.
 Dear Friends:
 After a full week's debate, the House has just passed the Greek-Turkish aid bill. I voted for the bill and against all of the many amendments that were offered to weaken it.
 I look on this bill as the best chance we have of avoiding war with Russia. Of course, no one can guarantee that it will absolutely prevent war, but it seems to me that to fail to pass it would be the most certain guarantee of war.
 We should consider our situation frankly and without trying to fool ourselves. We know that there is only one nation in the world that can seriously consider war with the United States at this time. On the other hand, we also know that it is impossible for any one of the four or five leading nations of the world to become involved in war and for the United

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States to stay out. We do not as yet have the community of interest between the nations which we hope may be developed so as to prevent conflict, but we have certainly reached a point in world unity where our own vital interest are involved in every part of the world. Wish as we may—we can not overlook the fact that we are Mediterranean (where she would dominate all of Europe and most of Asia and Africa) would involve us. It is not reasonable to suppose that this aggression is less likely to take place if Russia understands at this time that such aggression means war than if we lead her to believe that she can take this area without interference? It is for the purpose of making Russian aggression unlikely that this bill was passed. It makes her less likely. Personally, I am convinced that the only major wars in the future which the United States can stay out of are the wars that will not be fought. Therefore, I am for every program that makes war less likely. Rural Electrification is reported to have received a little better treatment, although the report comes to me that because of personal differences between the Chairman of the Committee (Mr. Dirksen of Illinois) and the heads of REA that the administrative funds have been cut very deeply. My information is that agricultural research, school lunches, etc. also suffered cuts of from 50% to 75% while it is reported that no funds are appropriated for crop today far closer to the Dardanelles in point of time than New York was to Boston in the days of George Washington.—We must learn to measure distance in terms of hours rather than in terms of miles.

Recognizing these facts, we all know that whether we want it or not, Russian aggression into the ly anywhere in the world.
 The Agricultural Sub-Committee of the Appropriations Committee is reported to have completed the appropriations bill for agriculture for next year. While the Committee will not divulge any of the details of its action, it is generally understood that the bill cuts the funds for almost all of the activities of the Department of Agriculture drastically. By the time you read this, you will probably know better than I do now just how drastic these cuts have been. Apparently the efforts of some to transfer the soil Conservation Service and for the soil building practices for which the ACA has heretofore paid. I expect to fight to restore adequate funds for soil conservation work in all its phases.

I am gratified to learn that insurance. The Agriculture Committee is trying to present a new and acceptable bill for the continuation of crop insurance on a greatly reduced and purely experimental basis I do not know whether we can save anything of this program or not, but I expect to try

As I pointed out some months ago, the Republican policy was almost sure to result in grievous injury to agriculture. We are going to fight to see that the worthwhile programs of agriculture are maintained, but it is going to be a difficult fight.

Clayton Franks of Dublin visited with his mother, Mrs. John Franks over the week end. Mrs. Franks accompanied him to Dublin for a short visit.

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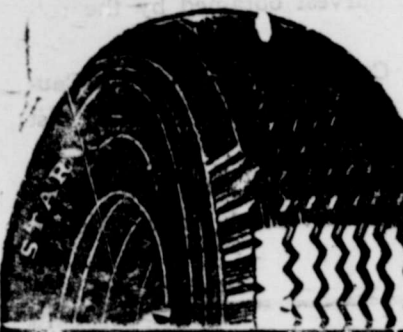
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NEWS

We received a good rain oveh the week end which the grain especially needs We are now ready to watch the crops and gardens grow

Brother Odell Purdy of Lampasas, brought the Baccalaureate message Sunday morning at the school auditorium. His subject was "Father of Our Fathers".

Robert Cook of Lawton, Okla. was visiting friends of Pearl last Sunday afternoon.

Douglas Cox and his uncle, Lee Cox of Purlmela recently visited relatives in Sweetwater for a few days.

The Home Nursing Class presented a program at the auditorium last Tuesday evening It was attended by a good crowd. Congratulations to the sponsor of this class, Mrs. Emma Lovell.

The Will Ervin family from Gatesville, moved back into our community last Tuesday into the Robert Manning rent house.

The Camp Fire show was postponed Friday evening because of the rain. We hope to have it in the near future

Mrs. Hall Evans, Jr., and children of Brownsville, have been visiting with her sister Mrs Earl Culp during the past week

Ms. Carol Braziel of San Angelo spent Moother's Day here with her mother, Mrs. Arthur Cox returning to San Angelo late Sunday afternoon.

Mis Bess Shook who teaches at Denton recently visited her sister Mrs. Will Andrews and other relatives aound Pearl.

Vera Whitt and girls were dinner guests in the Ashcraft home Sunday

Irene Davis, Waymon Davis, Ervin Davis, J. C. Ballard and Nona Bell Ballard all of Waco spent the week-end here with their families.

Mrs. Dan Jones returned to Hamlin Thursday after spending a week here with her parents, Mr and Mrs C. J. Shook

Geman Oney spent Mother's Day here with his mother, Mrs. T. H. Oney.

We are happy to see Mrs C M Hampton who has been on the sick list, return home and in services Sunday morning. We hope she will soon be feeling real well agani

Mr. and Mrs Wayne Ballard of Dallas, and Mr and Mrs Travis Ballard and son of Hood Village spent the week-end at Pearl with their parents and other relatives who reside nearby.

Otha Medart, who works at Lamesa, visited with his wife and children last week. Mrs Medart took him back to his employment. She was accompanied by Mrs. Ogle Ballard, who visited her husband while there.

The Mothers program at the Methodist church Sunday evening was attended by a large crowd.

Mr and Mrs C C Reynolds and daughters of Sweetwater, spent the week end here with relatives and friends of theirs.

Brother Hall, District Superintendent of the San Antonio district, will preach at the Nazarene Church Sunday morning.

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Jim McClellan will continue to have his cattle and hog sale every Tuesday. Scott & Jones will continue to have their cattle and hog sale every Saturday, but neither will sell sheep and goats except at their joint Thursday Sale.

SALE WILL START AT 1:00 P. M.



CUTLINES FOR DANCE CUT... SQUARE DANCE CONFERENCE

As honorary chairman, Governor Beauford Jester poses with members of the Texas Square

Dance Festival, a statewide organization sponsoring square dance contests. Left to right, they are: A A (Pop) Wheeler of Austin,

Henry Hudson, Gov. Jester, Mrs. Paul B Baker of Austin, chairman of the festival, Ed Hill and J M Tidwell. AP Photo.

Texans Have Own Square Dance; Texas Square Dance Festival Is Born

By Garth Jones
Associated Press Staff

AUSTIN, Texas, May 15.—It is the grandeur of o'd English and French courts, the enthusiasm and courage of our Western Pioneers, a smattering of Spanish Rhythm, and the old hoe-down fiddle to make the Texas Square Dance what it is today.

Mrs Paul B. Baker of Austin, chairman of the Texas Square Dance Festival, estimates that two out of every 10 Texans know how to cut a square.

Most of them learned the dance within recent years but the dance itself goes back years.

"The square dance can be traced back to the square figures of the quadrille danced in the old English and French courts," Mrs. Baker said.

"Back in the east they still

square dance to a slower tempo and with more gliding steps."

"When the pioneers moved west the dance came with them. Our forefathers were more energetic and believed in playing and dancing harder without so much formality," Mrs. Baker declared.

"Usually a fiddle and maybe a banjo were the only instruments. The dance began to pick up tempo and variations."

Mrs. Baker says the two-step measure in most of the Texas square dance came from the influence of Spanish music across the border.

"Square dance calling is new too," she said. "There was no calling in the old English and French dances.

"Our old time fiddlers added the calling because many of the dancers couldn't recognize the step unless it was called, besides, it livened up the party."

Today Texas is recognized as the home and center of cowboy square dancing. Almost every town of any size has a group of enthusiasts who get together once a week to dance the old steps

and learn new ones.

In many towns and cities square dance groups have been organized to visit and compete in other communities. Some carry their own fiddlers and musicians with them. Then men dress in boots and western clothes and the women wear the calicos and gingham of a century ago.

It was in the interest of such groups as these that the Texas Square Dance Festival was born.

The Festival was organized Jan. 21, 1947, when a large group of Dancers came to Austin to perform for Gov. Beauford Jester's inauguration.

The charter group decided to promote state-wide participation in the old Texas dancing by sponsoring dances or festivals in various Texas cities. The idea was to give an opportunity for all the square dance enthusiasts to gather together for fun and fellowship too demonstrate dances as danced in different localities, and to set up periods for teaching and discussing new dances.

Then at least once a year the different sections of the state

would send their best square dancers to Austin for an all-state Texas Square Dance Festival.

Present plans are for the sectional festivals to begin the latter part of May.

El Paso will sponsor festivals on May 24, October 4, and November 15. Fort Worth will have a festival May 31. The sectional dance for Austin will be July 3.

The first all-state festival is planned sometime in January, 1948. There will be three full days and nights of dancing and frolic.

Charter member cities in the Festival organization are Abilene, Amarillo, Anson, Austin, Dallas, El Paso, Fort Worth, Houston, San Antonio, Stamford, Sweetwater, Temple, Tyler and Tucumcari, N. Mexico.

Officers of the organization include Gov. Jester, honorary chairman; Walter Bremond, Jr., business manager; James P. Nash, president; Mrs. Roy E. Smith, vice president; Mrs. Baker, chairman.

Sectional chairmen of the 13 sections of the state include: Jack Fomby and Bob Sumrall for the area surrounding Sweetwater and Abilene; Herb Greggerson, El Paso; W H Keeling, Dallas and part of East Texas; Manning Smith Bryan; Ida Mae Williams, Fort Worth; Grady Wilson, Amarillo; Dr. C. D. Journell and Mrs A Storey, Houston area; Doris Johnson and Ellen Easley, Kerrville

area: Mrs. Baker, Austin area. Sectional leaders for the Corpus Christi and Harlingen areas have not been named.



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Sunday School 10 a. m.
Sunday morning, 11, Rev. Jan McMurray will preach
Communion Service, also at 11 a. m.

Young People meet at 6 p. m. with Miss Jean Hix in charge.
Woman's Auxiliary will have Bible Study Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. M H Knox of Wharton will preach at the 11 o'clock hour. At 6 o'clock the Presbyterian Youth Fellowship will meet.

Births

It's a son for Mr and Mrs W A Watson, 1903 E. Leon on May 15, 3:16 a. m.

A daughter was born May 15, at 7:50 a. m. to Mr and Mrs General Smith, Gatesville Rt 3.

"Them Dumb Russians"?

And, we're nothing even slightly resembling a Commy, but we do think something of this news story from London by the (AP).

16 BALES PER ACRE SET AS RUSSIAN COTTON GOAL

LONDON, May 12.—(AP)—Tass, the Russian news agency, reported Sunday night that Soviet Cotton growers will try this year to grow more than sixteen bales of cotton per acre—production which the dispatch said would be "five times the harvest obtained by the cotton growers of the Nile Valley".

The dispatch said cotton planting in Central Asia and Trans-Caucasia increased 412,500 acres this year over last. It did not give last year's acreage.

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