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DEEDS RECORDED

Blanch Whitley to Abbie Jewell Mills et al, 1 A, N. Cavanaugh survey, \$10.
Charlie Lengefeld et al to Herbert Campbell et ux, 225.2 A of the B. Eilers survey, \$14,000.
Winifred Cummings et ux to Claude Collins, part lot 2, blk 2, Coryell County addition, Gatesville, \$10.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Curtis C. Cannon and Mary Elizabeth Chamblee.

Gatesville Man Gets High Honors At Lions Meeting

Herb C. Petry of Carrizo Springs, third vice president of Lions International, Wednesday urged members of the Waco club to rededicate themselves to the principles of Lionism. Following his address he presented R. M. Arnold of Gatesville, past deputy district governor, with the key of state, the second highest honor the International can bestow, for having secured 75 new members.

Arnold was the 35th member of the International organization to be so honored.

In rededicating themselves to the principles of Lionism, members must first rededicate themselves as citizens, either of the United States or one of the 19 other nations, Petry said, pointing out that the Lions Club, the world's oldest service club, is also the world's largest because "men who have assumed leadership have kept faith with the ideal of unselfish service."

"A man first becomes a Lion, not when he signs a membership card or pays his first dues, but when he places service thru the organization above any business gain which might accrue through his membership," Petry said.

Petry, who if customary procedure is followed, will become international president in three more years, was introduced by Bassett Watson, zone chairman Ben Peek served as toastmaster. Guests included Marlow Fisher of Austin, State secretary, and a delegation from the Gatesville club, headed by President Sid Pruitt.

Those attending from Gatesville besides Mr. Arnold and Mr. Pruitt were: Ted Copeland, Geo. Painter, Wade Sadler, Roy Pennington and Ollie Little.

ing on them in Justice Court here.

If you can't control your fingers in Camp Hood, put your hands in your pockets, or the MP's'll get you!

Leases Okayed at Camp Hood

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—Former owners of 22,000 acres at Camp Hood, Texas, will be given a chance to lease their old farms, Rep. W. R. Poage (Dem.) of Texas said Tuesday.

Poage said such a decision was made Tuesday by army engineers. The Texan had protested a plan to lease the entire area in two separate tracts to the highest bidder. He said the engineers told him that orders to receive bids on March 2 had been canceled.

The congressman said the army does not want to give up control of the land. It plans to issue 5-year leases subject to immediate cancellation in case of emergency.

The Galveston district army engineer office is to send representatives to the Gatesville area to find out which of the former owners wishes to lease his old land.

Three Injured When Car Hits Abutment of Bridge Near Slater

Sunday afternoon about 6 o'clock, a car driven by Raymond Gardner hit a bridge abutment near Slater, and three of the occupants were injured and were brought to Coryell Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Gardner received a broken arm and other injuries and one of the Gardner twins had a broken leg. Mr. Gardner received chest injuries.

In the car with them, were a Gardner boy and two other small children, and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Smith of Pearl, and all were bruised and scratched except the two small children. The Dyer family brought them to the hospital. The car was badly damaged and it is thought the accident was caused by a broken steering gear.

Markets

Thursday, February 26, 1948

Corn, yellow, bushel.....	\$2.15
Corn, white, bushel.....	\$2.15
Maize, new crop, cwt.....	\$3.00
Oats, bushel.....	\$1.05
Wheat, bushel.....	\$2.40
Cream, pound.....	.68c
Hens, pound.....	\$20c
Roosters, pound.....	.8c
Fryers, pound.....	.30c
Eggs, No. 1, dozen.....	.40c
Pecans, pound.....	15c

WAR IN WASTE

Pearl Dragons Play in Class II-B Tournament in Abilene Friday

This morning, in Abilene, the Pearl Dragons, Pearl's District 25-B champions began their tournament in Abilene, the opening game being between Lometa and Lipan at 8:45 a. m.

Fourteen games will be played and broadcast Friday and Saturday. The championship game will be aired at 8 o'clock Saturday night.

Broadcast of the games will be over KRBCFM's wavelength of 96.9 megacycles on the FM band if your radio's got that.

Other teams entered in the tournament are Lohn, Burkett, Baird, Sterling City, Mertzon, Big Lake, Hawley, McCauley, Beatie Sunset and Early.

FFA Chapter Celeb's Wednesday, Gets Band Out: To Broadcast

Wenesay was a great day for JJ and FFA!

JJ, that is, Bates, sub, is the Vocational Agriculture teacher of GHS, and he had all his FFA boys celebrating, and they were led off by the Gatesville High School Band, which paraded on Wednesday a. m.

An FFA placard says: It's FFA week, February 21-27, and the slogan is "Future Farmers today Agricultural Leaders Tomorrow!"

Carrying on with this, Rhabb Dickie, J. L. McCarver, Jack Woodson, Howard Whitt and Bobby Blanchard will be on the Early Bird program WFAA 820 Saturday morning, at 7:15.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harris of Baird spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Plentge.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gouldy and children are visiting his parents in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wallace in Corsicana Sunday.

Mr. J. C. Powell of Greenville was a business visitor in Gatesville Tuesday.

Miss Bess Holmes left Thursday for a visit with her brother Holland Holmes in Fort Worth.

Births

A daughter was born February 24 at 1:05 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Suggs, Rt 1 Hamilton.

A daughter was born February 24, 1948 at 10:10 a. m. to Mrs. and Mr. R. D. Carroll, Tama Star Rt. Gatesville.

A son was born February 24, 1948 at 11:50 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Anderson, N. 5th St.

A son was born February 24, 1948 at 1:25 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilhelm, Ames.

A son was born February 25, 1948 at 9:30 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Ashby, State School, of Gatesville.

TODAY'S - - AP The Byline of Dependability

"Disguised Dictatorship" in Czechoslovakia

WASHINGTON, D. C. February 26. (AP)—In a statement released by the U. S. State Department, the United States, Britain and France today jointly condemned as a "disguised dictatorship" of the Communists' new government set up in Czechoslovakia.

U. S. HORDS GOLD AMOUNTING, 23 BILLIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 26 (AP)—The U. S. Government gold holdings went above 23 billion dollars today, a record high for any nation in history.

Southern Demos Block Anti-Lynching Bill

WASHINGTON, D. C. Feb. 26. (AP)—Southern democrats, aided by a rule technicality, blocked the House Judiciary Committee action today on the Anti-Lynching legislation. They still face prospective defeat in Committee tomorrow.

Lie, Says Palestine Will Be Chaos

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Feb. 26 (AP)—Trygve Lie, United Nations Secretary-General, said today Palestine will be chaos when the British withdraw unless the U. N. acts quickly. Lie declined to say whether the United Nations has legal authority to enforce partitioning.

Four Die In Meridian PJane Crash

MERIDIAN, Texas, Feb. 26 (AP)—Four crewmen died here last night when a B-29 bomber crashed. Eight men parachuted to safety as the plane came down in flames.

Bread! Here's a little story. Several years before the war, there was a bakery here; rices of raw materials were rising; brea was selling at 6c a loaf; the bakery people figured it out they could stay in business at 7c. All merchants in Gatesville cooperated except one. The bakery left town.

With the two families, they took out, the rents they paid for homes, and, the bakery, bank accounts, water, lights, heat, and the million and one items gasoline, clothing, car repairs, that any family must buy.

About one month later, the two Waco bread companys, selling ALL of the Gatesville and Coryell County bread, raised prices to 10c a loaf. And, of course, during the war years, it's continually gone up to about 20c. They've had a monopoly. Trucks filled in Waco with gas; nothing spent in this county except possibly a few drinks for the drivers—they spent that—no advertising (and they did in other towns)—nothing! Just took the money and got.

Noy, another bread company has moved in. Mrs. Baird's from Fort Worth. They tell us more of this is selling than both of the other company's. We're for this—if money is made here, some ought to be spent here. The Waco company's and Mrs. Baird might try it. Anyway, why did not we keep the local man? Silly.

This not only happens in this particular item, but there are many others, and, it'd surprise, how many people make their money here, but don't nearly "shop" Gatesville stores as they do others. Try HOME, first, anyway

And, another subject. The New Look! Now, The Dallas Morning News, Mr. Ted Dealey's paper claims: "Texas' Leading Newspaper", and deny it? Certainly, we don't. But, we will say in due reverence, that the Coryell County News adopted the "New Look" as we called it (technically, maybe, new "format") before "Texas' Leading Newspaper" did. Admit we copied! Yes, partly from the San Antonio Express, partly, The Ft. Worth Star-Telegram, and partly on our own hook. We like the "New Look in the Dallas News. The heads are 'flush to left', the datelines are one column and 2 columns, they use clever boxes, 'set on a short measure' and featurings a star. Looks more 'liquid' and easier worked, instead of the same thing they started with. A lot of newspapers should change with the times. Vainly, you could say, The News, (that's CCN) leads the leader!

MP's At Camp Hood Picking up "Sticky Fingere Gents"

Some seven different parties North Camp Hood, and in some way or other, their fingers have been becoming attached to certain objects not yet picked up.

MP's of Camp Hood don't like that, are catching them, and fil-

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J. W. Raney, Jim Raney and the
Unknown heirs and legal repre-
sentatives of such of the above
named persons who may be de-
ceased: Greetings: You are com-
manded to appear and answer

the Plaintiff's Petition at or be-
fore 10 o'clock a. m. of the First
Monday after the expiration of
42 days from the date of issuance
of this Citation, the same being
Monday, the 5th day of April
A. D. 1948, at or before 10 o'clock
A. M. before the Honorable 52nd
District Court of Coryell County,
at the Court House in Gatesville,
Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was
filed on the 4th day of February,
1948.

The file number of said suit
being No. 5786.

The names of the parties in
said suit are: Mrs. Early Cheat-
ham, a widow, who resides in
Bosque County, Texas, C. C.
Cheatham, Mrs. Lura Cheat-
ham, a widow, who resides in
Coryell County, Texas; Clovis
Cheatham, who resides in Ector
County, Texas; Gladys Merle St.
John and husband, J. A. St. John,
and Troy N. Cheatham, who re-
side in Taylor County, Texas, as
Plaintiffs' and Joy Lynn Cheat-
ham, and the other above named
persons, heirs and legal repre-
sentatives, to whom this citation is
addressed as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being
substantially as follows, to-wit:
This is an action of trespass to
try title as well as for damages,
and for partition and division by
way of sale through a Receiver
of the Court, the following prop-
erties, being 406-8/10 acres of
the Joel Hudgin Survey in Cory-
ell and Bosque Counties, Texas,
described by Field notes of record
in Vol. 161, page 238-9 of the
Deed Records of Coryell County,
Texas; and 160 acres, more or
less of the T. W. Nibbs Survey in
Coryell County, Texas, describ-
ed in a deed to A. A. Cheatham,
shown recorded in Vol. 40, page
355 of the Deed Records of Cory-
ell County, Texas. The Plain-
tiff's set up, 5, 10 and 25 years
Statutes of limitations, and well
as formal allegations of Trespass
to Try Title and alleges that Mrs.
Early Cheatham owns an undi-
vided 1/2 interest; and C. C.
Cheatham owns an undivided 1/4
interest; and Clovis Cheatham,
Gladys Merle St. John; Troy N.
Cheatham and Joy Lynn Cheat-
ham each own an undivided 1/16
interest in said property, each of
which 1/16 interests are encum-
bered with a life estate in 1/3rd
thereof in favor of Mrs. Lura
Cheatham, who is 50 years
of age; and alleges said prop-
erty to be of the value of \$20,000,
and prays judgment for title, par-
tition, cost and general and
special relief.

Issued this the 19th day of Feb-
ruary, 1948.

Given under my hand and seal
of said Court, at office in Gates-
ville, Texas, this the 5th day of
February, A. D., 1948.

CARL McCLENDON, Clerk
District Court Coryell County,
Texas.

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MOUND

NEWS

Mrs. Edith Norman who died
in Dallas, was brought here for
burial Feb. 17. She was 92. Rev.
Ollie Williams conducted the
services

Robert Darrell Lowery and
Jerry McHargue of Waco visited
in the home of Robert's parents
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lowery last
Sunday and attended church

Joe Vern Lowery went to Amar-
illo where he has accepted a
job.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Manos
and sons, Ray, Roy and Rudy of
Pearl were visitors Sunday with
his mother, Mrs. J. H. Manos,
and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brage-
witz.

Robert Hopson of Waco visit-
ed homefolks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Green of
Waco were recent guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Charlie Marshall over
the week end

Uncle Ed Davidson, Mrs. J. O.
Magee and daughter, Mrs. A. J.
Barnard, Perry Davidson, all
went to Waco Sunday afternoon
after receiving word of Mrs.
Crow's death.

Joe Dan Worthington was brot-
home from the hospital Sunday.
He is doing nicely.

Mrs. Joe Gray was taken to
the Gatesville Hospital Sunday
and was given blood transfusion.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hopson
and Mr. L. D. Clay of Gatesville
attended church here Sunday

Miss Ima Fellers visited in
Waco over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lawrence
of Flat visited Mrs. Alice Law-
rence Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon McHar-
gue and children of Waco visit-
ed Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McHar-
gue Sunday

Mrs. J. H. Tallye of Hamilton
came last Sunday for an extend-
ed visit with her daughter, Mrs.
Grady McHargue and family.

Mrs. Jay Hodges of Jackson
City, Tenn. is still visiting with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E.
McHargue

Mrs. Wm Huddleston's baby was
taken to the hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Marshall
and children of Gatesville at-
tended church Sunday and visit-
ed relatives.

Bob Bruton of Killeen was a
guest in the Lowery home last
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Draper of
Temple, Mr. and Mrs. Quince Da-
vidson of Hamilton were visitors
of Mrs. G. I. Draper and Mr. and
Mrs. Aubrey Davidson Monday,
the occasion being Mrs. Draper's
73d birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd F Green

and Mrs. Wm. Huddleston have
gone to Houston to take Mrs.
Huddleston's baby to the hospital
Mr. James Childers left for
San Antonio to visit with his son
Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Childers.

OBITUARY

MRS. SIRMANTHA J. CROW

Mrs. Sirmantha Jane Crow, 87,
Central Texas pioneer, and wid-
ow of A. J. (Captain Jack) Crow,
died Sunday at her home at 1105
N. 22d St. She had resided in
Waco for 70 years.

Born in Coryell County, Mrs.
Crow was married December 29,
1878. Her husband was employ-
ed by the McFadden Cotton Co.
in Waco for 50 years.

Funeral services were held at
Wilkerson-Hatch Chapel in Waco
at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday with Dr.
Forrest C. Fezor officiating. Bur-
ial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Survivors include six sons,
Sam R. Crow of Houston; E. L.
Crow of Mexia, Arthur J. Crow
of Waco, Neal P. Crw of Fresno,
California, Walter C. Crow of
Chicago, Ill., and Cecil H. Crow
of Waco; two daughters, Mrs. R.
D. Wray of San Antonio and Mrs.

D. Elrod of Waco; four brothers,
Davidson of Hamilton, Alex, Ed,
and John Davidson all of Coryell
County; a sister, Mrs. Joe Magee
of Coryell County; 18 grandchil-
dren, 19 great grandchildren and
1 great great grandchild.

Pallbearers were Ciril, Jim,
Joe, and Frederick Crow, Vin and
Ode Davidson.



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"A Home For The Soul In The
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Church school 10 a. m. Frank
Kelso, Supt.

Morning Worship, 11 a. m.—
Sermon by the pastor "The Earth
is The Lord's"

Youth Fellowship 4 p. m.—
Marguerite Kelso, Adult Advisor
Evening Worship 7:00 o'clock.
Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Geo.
Wier, president. The Auxiliary
does not meet this week.

You are cordially invited to all
services of this church.

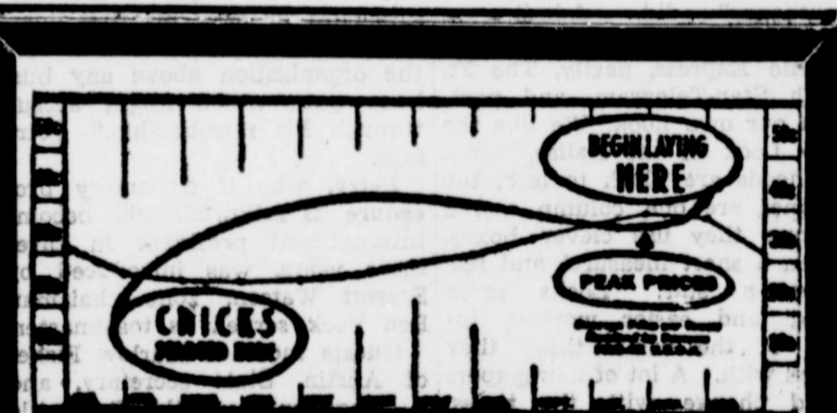
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NEWS

Mrs. Herbert McCarver with Mrs. Watt Smith as co-hostess entertained Tuesday with a shower for Mrs. Bruce Gerald Jones. She received many nice gifts. Hot chocolate and cookies were served to about thirty.

Rev. Fred Grubb had the misfortune to cut his foot while getting cedar osts. We hope he will soon be able to get about.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Adams were recent visitors in the Dave Adams home.

Sunday visitors in the Bea Sparkman home were Mr. and Mrs. Burks from Liberty community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Comer, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Maxwell were visitors Sunday with Mr and Mrs Mike Comer.

Mr and Mrs Moreland visited Mrs. oreland's father and other relatives in Burnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones visited Mrs. W A Smith Sunday.

Donella Smith, daughter of Mr and Mrs Billy Smith, wis injured in a car wreck Sunday.

Mrs. Dudley Morgan, mother of Mrs. Ed Comer, has been ill at the Gatesville hospital. At this writing Mrs. Morgan has moved to her home at Levita.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dyer visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyer, Sr Sunday

L. Z. Edwards of Dallas spent the week end with Mrs S. B. Comer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jones spent the week end with relatives at Purmela.

Rev. Warren Stowe preached at both morning an evennig services at the Baptist church in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Carl Scott.

Mrs. J. O. Winslar visited with Mrs. Ella Harris and Estelle last Saturday

Mrs. Carl Scott is quite ill at this time. We hope she will be better soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Buckner, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Smith visited Rev. and Mrs. Carl Scott in Waco last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Lee was conveyed to the hospital in Gatesville Sunday for an appendectomy. Reports are that Mrs. Lee is resting as well as can be expected. We hope she has a speedy recovery. Jeff Buckner made a trip to Houston last week.

We congratulate R. B. Forrest and his basketball team of Pearl for winning the District Championship. The boys will play in Abilene Friday.

Miss Ada Johnson is visiting relatives at Coryell City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jones and

Rev. Stowe were Sunday dinner guests with Mr and Mrs. Fred Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gartman visited relatives in Belton last Sunday.

DELTA KAPPA GAMA MEETS

The Delta Kappa Gamma Chapter met on Tuesday evening for an interesting program. Mrs. Carl Eubanks developed ideas along the subject of "Straws in the Wind that Indicate Improved Conditions for Women Teachers"

Group singing was enjoyed with Miss Halbrook and Mrs. Leaird leading.

Refreshments of Cherry salad, ribbon sandwiches, hot punch, cookies, nuts and mints were served.

The table setting was patriotic in theme with candles of red, white and blue and U. S. flags.

Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Leaird, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Hite, Miss Holmes, Miss Halbrook, Miss Bigham and Miss Lockard.

TURNERSVILLE

NEWS

Miss Rolene McClendon of Waco was a recent visitor with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family of Fort Worth were week end visitors in the Millard Sadler home.

R. M. "Peck" Tharp and family of Brownwood were week end visitors in the J. T. Garren home

Miss Louise Basham of Austin was a week end visitor with her home folks.

Ruel "Coater" Tharp of Royalty, Maurice Tharp and wife of Dallas and Miss Laura Tharp of Lampasas were week end visitors with their father.

Johnnie Scholl and family of Fort Worth were week end guests in the Vance Cude home.

Richard McClendon of Stephenville was a week end visitor with home folks.

Miss Bonnie Sadler, who is attending school in Waco is visiting homefolks.

Millard Sadler and wife were Friday visitors in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan were Sunday visitors with Mr and Mrs. R. M. Holder.

Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs J. T. Garren were: Dr. and Mrs. John T Garren, Jr and daughters of Temple.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT LEON JUNCTION SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 29

Sunday, February 29, will be Fifth Sunday meeting at Leon Junction. Sunday school will be at 10 a. m. with Rev. R. C Edwards preaching at 11 a m, and at noon hour lunch will be served at the church

There will also be singing and preaching services at 1:30 p. m.

PLEASURE AND PROFIT CLUB

The Pleasure and Profit Club met with Miss Carrie Beavers last week. A quilt was completed during the working period.

Gardening was the main topic for the afternoon, as we have had two entire days of sunshine in succession. Everyone was sure spring had come to stay.

We were happy to have Mrs. Dyson as a visitor in the afternoon.

We adjourned to meet with Mrs. Vernon next meeting.

A variety of cookies, grape juice and goda water was served to those present.

PEARL

NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Jones of Ohio, visited with Mrs. Ed Herrington one day last week. They visited in the C. J. Shook home while returning home.

Several from Pearl attended the funeral of Mrs. Coleman last week at the Hillsdale cemetery.

Clayton Moseley of San Antonio spent the week end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Moseley. He was accompanied by his friends, Arthur Mennery also of San Antonio

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Apel and baby attended services at the Bethel Heghts church Sunday and visited with his parents that afternoon.

Mrs. Elam is feeling much better. She is still in the home of her son. She hopes to be able to return home in a few days.

Vera Whitt visited with Mrs. Jack McGuire of Gatesville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cooper and children spent Sunday in Hamilton with her father.

Mrs. Randall Moseley honored her mother, Mrs. E. M. Hampton with a birthday dinner last Wednesday. Her many friends wish her many more happy birthdays.

Wilburn Cox and Nemier Smith of Houston spent the week end here. Nemire visited his mother who is now in the Lampasas hospital.

Vera Whitt was paid a very short but pleasant visit by Mrs. Monroe Self of the Peabody community Monday morning.

Mrs. DeLoach was able to visit her daughter, Mrs. Alvis Davis a few days the past week.

Lyndell and Sammy Bynum of Dallas spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bynum

Mr and Mrs Edwin Erwin and children of Gatesville spent last Sunday here with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Self had their daughters home Sunday. Kathleen, who is working in Lampasas, and Voncile, who is working in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brookshire of Gatesville also

Mr and Mrs Edwinn Oney and children of Waco last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson spent Sunday afternoon in the Charlie Smith home.

Vera Whitt visite with Edwinni Oney while in Waco last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and baby spent Sunday in the home of his grand-mother, Mrs. Walter Smith of Purmela.

The Earl Hampton family attended the singing at Hay Valley Sunday afternoon. Geraldine Filmon and Nina Whitt went with them.

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Latrell Bynum of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bynum. She had as company Saturday night, Mrs. Lynn Spencer and daughter Darlene

Mrs. Elizabeth McConnaughey and Mrs. Sam Powell of Gatesville and Vera Whitt were Coryell County representatives at the Red Cross Council meeting at the Veterans' Home in Waco, Thursday. There is still much work to be done there.

Mrs. Melvin Long and children of Evant visited her grandfather R. W. Oney, Sunday. He has been very ill lately.

The Raymond Gardner family had a serious car wreck Sunday, which resulted in a broken arm for Mrs. Gardner, a broken leg for Minnie, a lacerated lip for Virginia, and a chest injury for Mr. Gardner. Charles Gardner and wife were also with them, Charles' shoulder was injured, and his wife had a rib broken. The others were scratched and bruised. We hope they all have a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Randall Moseley went to Lampasas Monday to spend a few days with her father-in-law. He is very ill.

Curtis Manning of Dallas spent the week end here. He and his father spent Sunday in Evant with Mrs. Elam, who is ill at her son's, Jack Elam.

Little Lonnie Short, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Short, is very ill with whooping cough. We hope he is better soon.

Bro. Ollie Williams filled his appointment here Sunday morning. His good message was enjoyed by a large crowd. We are sorry Mrs. Williams wasn't present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer and baby spent Sunday in the home of his grand-mother, Mrs. Walter Smith of Purmela.

The Earl Hampton family attended the singing at Hay Valley Sunday afternoon. Geraldine Filmon and Nina Whitt went with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson spent Sunday afternoon in the Charlie Smith home.

Vera Whitt visite with Edwinni Oney while in Waco last Thursday afternoon.

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Piano selections were rendered thruout the evening by Miss Winnie Ruth Rogers, and sandwiches, coffee and cake were served.

Enjoying the evening's pleasures were Mr. and Mrs. Meloria Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Raul Ray Young, Mr. and Mrs. C E Hill and family, Mr and Mrs O W Neel and family, Mrs CD Branham, Mrs. Victor Young, Mrs.

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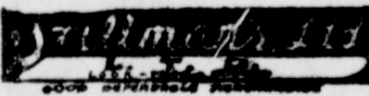
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SAFE DRIVING
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"Don't throw your weight around," advises W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

"Remember that when you are sitting behind the wheel, you are driving a car that weighs more than 2000 pounds, and the pedestrian crossing the street only weighs an average of 150 pounds. It isn't quite fair, is it?"

The Texas Highway Patrol is cooperating in a nationwide "Know and Obey Traffic Laws" program during February, and Chief Elliott said that accidents involving pedestrians are one of the biggest killers. He pointed out National Safety Council statistics to back up this assertion.

Here are some things to remember for the driver in giving pedestrians right-of-way:

1. When pedestrians are crossing at intersections, drivers must give them the right-of-way if they are walking in the cross-walk or where a cross-walk might be.
2. When pedestrians are crossing at signalized intersections they should obey the signals, but drivers turning right or left must yield the right-of-way to pedestrians crossing on the "green" or "walk" light.
3. Pedestrians do not have the right-of-way between intersections, and therefore they should cross only at corners.
4. Drivers must be alert for pedestrians crossing between intersections, particularly at night, even though the walkers should look out for cars.
5. Know and obey the rules

OBITUARY

MRS. SAM COLEMAN

Mrs. Sam Coleman of Izora passed away at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Reese, who live two miles northwest of Lampasas, at 1:50 a m. Wednesday, February 18. She came Sunday a week ago to visit here and suffered a brain hemorrhage Tuesday night a few hours before her death.

Born in Birmingham, Ala., September 26, 1870, Mrs. Coleman was Mary, Etta Fetner, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Fetner, who came to the Izora community from Alabama when the daughter was only five years of age Izora had been her home since that time. She was married to Sam Coleman in 1894, who preceded her in death on February 17, 1917. She carried on and their six children attended school five of them being graduated being graduated from college. A member of the Baptist church, Mrs. Coleman was a devout Christian, loved her Bible and her Savior and lived true to the teachings of them, being faithful in attendance at church as her health permitted.

Surviving relatives are: three daughters, Mrs. G. T. Draper of Houston, Mrs. L B Reese of Lampasas, Mrs George L. Walton of Goldthwaite; three sons, M. J. Coleman of Farwell, Eugene Coleman of Izora, and Ralph Coleman of El Paso; one brother, Jim Fetner of San Angelo; one

sister, Mrs. Lou Higgins of Ad-amsville, and eight grand children.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. H. Mathison from Izora Methodist Church and interment was in Hillside Cemetery with Briggs and Gamel in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were grandsons of the deceased, Audine and Norwood Reese, Coleman and Roddy Walton, and Glynn Draper, and a nephew, L. D. Higgins.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Clarence A. Morton, Pastor

The services last Sunday drew a large crowd as the Service Roll containing the names of those who had gone out from this church into the service of our country was dedicated and lowered. Many of these boys came from great distances to be here for this special occasion as 145 wallets containing blue stars and 7 with gold stars were presented to the boys or their families. The service was impressive and beautiful as the pastor led the church in paying honor to the youth who had served nobly and well.

The morning preaching hour is 10:50, and the evening hour of worship is 7:00. At that time the pastor will speak on "The Everlasting Arms of God"—the fourth in the series "What Is God Like". The Sunday School hour is 9:45 and the Training Union meets at 6 o'clock.

The Young People of the church meet in the church dining hall for Youth Fellowship immediately following the evening preaching hour. A fine group

meet each Sunday night under the direction of Miss Frances Reesing. A cordial invitation is extended to all young people to worship with us and remain for this special feature of the church service.

Annie W. Armstrong Week Of Prayer

The coming week is set aside for prayer and study of Home Mission work and has been named in honor of the first missionary Union secretary who had so much to do with the development and growth of work in the homeland.

The women will meet at the church Tuesday at 10 o'clock for an all day meeting to present the needs of the homeland and to pray. A covered dish luncheon will be serve at noon.

Attend prayer meeting serv-

ices Wednesday night at 7:30 and on the church family in studying "Great Prayers of the Bible"

Sunday, March 7th will mark the Twelfth Anniversary of the entrance into the new church building. It is hoped that a large crowd shall be present at that time. Those who were present at the first service in the church 12 years ago are especially invited to be here Sunday March 7th. It is estimate that at least one thousand people were present on that first day, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to meet with us and help us make the number present for this anniversary as large or larger than for that first service. It is noteworthy that we have the same pastor with us again, and it is with joy that we look forwar to this anniversary.

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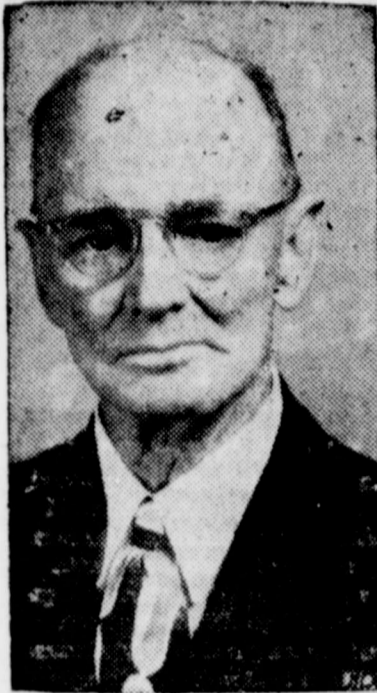
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We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the many friends and neighbors for the many kind deeds and words of sympathy rendered us in the time of deep sorrow at the passing of our father and grandfather, Louis L. Whitenburg. The food, flowers and wonderful message Rev. Ollie Williams brought were all deeply appreciated. May God's richest blessings abide with each of you.
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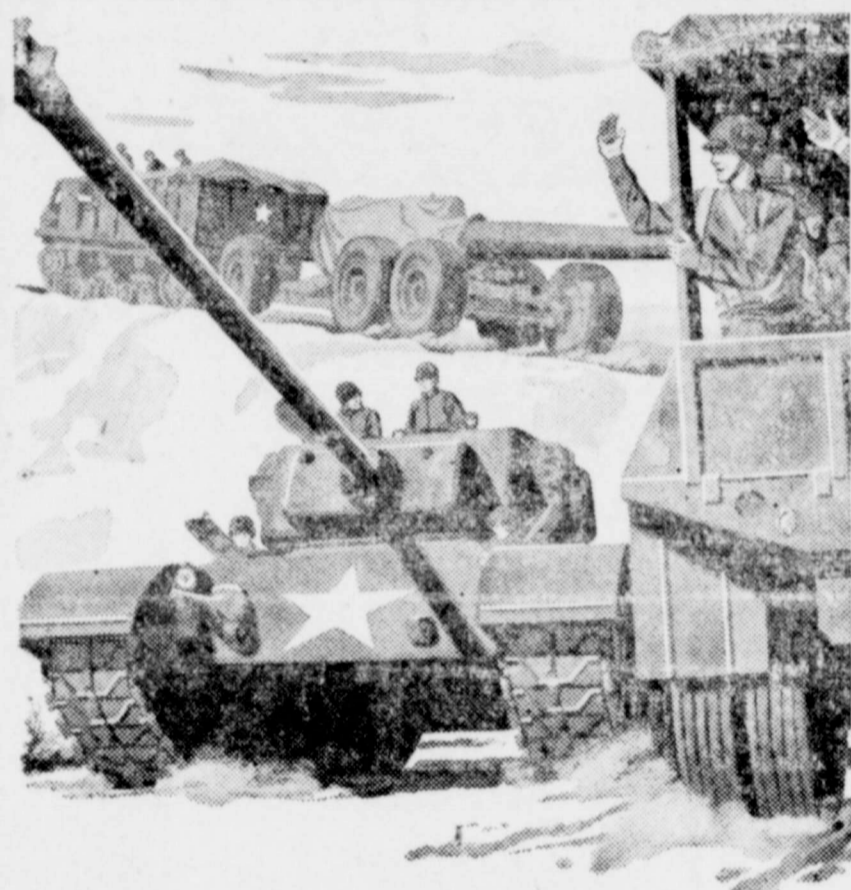
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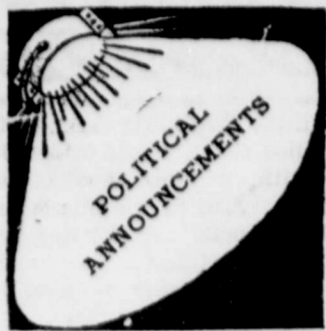


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NEWS

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Fowler a few days last week. Eya Lou King of Plainview and Dorothy Lee McCarver of Gatesville spent one night the past week with Mary Martin.

Don Ryan, Jr. of Fort Worth spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim R. Saunders and Jack.

Jewell Hitt is working in Odesa. Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Hitt and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hitt of Gatesville.

Mrs. T. N. Sanders and daughter and husband of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Lum Stovall one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Herring have moved back to Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bynum of Austin visited Mrs. Ben Herring and daughter the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fowler of Purnela spent Sunday in the Will Fowler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lymon Scott accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Maynard and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blair to Yoaman for a visit with rs. Artie Maynard.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyer spent Friday in the John and Ernest Dyer homes at Schley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lymon Scott were Monday night visitors in the Charlie Wiegand home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Russell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pendelton and Wanda Jo visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Russell and family Sunday.

Slater Club Notes

Mrs. Jewell Hitt was hostess to the Club ladies Wednesday, February 18 in an all day meeting. One quilt was quilted and hemmed and one was pieced.

At noon lunch was served to Mesdames Will Fowler, Lum Stovall, Fred Dyer, Jim Saunders, Ben Herring, Walter Foster, Bill Ford, Otis Dickie, Hardy Scott, Raymond Peudelton, and Emory Martin. Three visitors were Mesdames Jack White of Eastland, Lonnie Hitt of Gatesville, and J. M. Hitt of Slater.

The Club will meet on March 3rd with Mrs. Emory Martin

THE GROVE

NEWS

Mrs. Tex Dodson and baby of College Station visited her mother, Mrs. Johnnie Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dube of Houston spent a few ays last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dube and Mr. and Mrs. August Draeger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brazzill visited Mrs. Zilphia Brazzill in Flat Sunday.

Mrs. John W. Oom and children have arrived safely in Okinawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Chance of Waco spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Key Odom.

Miss Etehl Joe Grissom of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Rogers and Jimmy of Temple spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grissom.

Mrs. August Draeger spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Andres in McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patterson of Moody visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patterson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Evans of Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and son visited Mrs.

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At part of its program of exploration, the company will drill three or four wells in the Gulf of Mexico. Drilling on these submerged lands is difficult and costly, but the high level of demand makes it mandatory that this area on the continental shelf be developed promptly.

Recent surveys indicate that the whole industry, like Humble, is going "all out" in search for new oil—and that a record of more than 36,000 wells are scheduled to be drilled in 1948.

Herschel Clawson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ayres visited their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Tippitt, Jr. in Gatesville Hospital.

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PRELIMINARY COUNTY LEAGUE BASEBALL MEETING HELD TUESDAY EVE: MORE TEAMS?

The called meeting of the baseball fans of Coryell County Tuesday evening at the City Hall, brought an unusual response, and another meeting will be held Tuesday evening, March 2, same place, same time.

Besides the usual windjamming, teams as yet unorganized were asked to have meetings between now and the next meeting and get their organization plans completed, so that the next meeting can be more or less final and the league, with the maximum number of teams will be ready to "shove off" at the first sounding of "play ball!"

Teams definitely in are Coryell City, Herbert Gholke, manager; Francis Rutherford Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Gatesville; Turnersville, Tobe Nichols, expected to be manager; Pirmela, with an unnamed manager, so far; Pearl, and the manager there is as yet unknown.

John Frank Post, Jr., was named Coryell County Baseball League Commissioner and will arbite all the disputes of the various teams, and will be the over all overseer. No other officers were named at the meeting.

Other probable points with teams are: Evant, with Chester

Griffin, probable manager; Mound with Roe Spence; Jonesboro, P. T. Lemons; Copperas Cove, A. T. Hull; Oglesby, Bill Dossey; and Flat, Hubert Simons. If there are other managers, or these are not the ones, ALL teams are invited to be with us Tuesday, March 2 at the City Hall.

E. F. Mason and O. L. Bradley of the B & B Sporting Goods Company, Waco, were present, and offered a trophy for the County Champion, and assured those present, they'd act as a clearing house for umpires, or in any other capacity they could serve.

Present were O. D. Bates, Her-shall Jones, Burl Watts, Wes Nichols, John F. Post, Jr. Mat Jones. Happy Holcomb, Loyd Ivy, Sybil Price, Frank Cohagan, Red White, Jess Weaver, Berkley Larson, Tom Box, Carl Chambers, Hollis Crawford, Charlie Spross, Birdie Watts and Rubert Richter.

Letters of invitation were mailed to all managers and prospective managers Tuesday, so that they can organize their teams and be ready for the final preliminary arranging at the next meeting.

Just For Novelty, And News, Here's a Correspondent, 1899

Here's a Brown's Creek Correspondent's column taken from The Star-Forum, before these two newspapers were combined to make the present Gatesville Messenger and Star-Forum.

"Last Sunday was children's day at Brown's Creek. The day was pleasant and at an early hour a large crowd gathered to enjoy the splendid music rendered by Prof. J. S. Torbit and class. Then the Sunday school children formed a line carrying a United States flag with the motto: "In God We Trust", attached to it, marched to the arbor. An arch, made of evergreens and bright flowers, hung over the platform where the little ones recited their pieces. Prof. Torbit had just closed a singing school and he with his class rendered very nice music.

"A most interesting program was rendered as follows:

Song—"Gospel Train".
Address—Prof. I. A. Farrell
Welcome Song—Sunday School
"Children's Day"—Osha Morrow.

Jesus Loves Me—Willie Catlett
Over and Over, Again—Maud Graham.

Cross of Christ—Minnie Spur-lin.

Child's first grief—Clinton Henderson.

Song, "Mother tell me of the Angels".

Father, Thy Child is Hungry—Bertie Brookshire.

An Answer—Wilbur Trammel.

Everybody's business—May Morrow.

Child's Prayer—Leonard Spur-lin.

In the Shadows—Fannie Trammel.

Song—I are Not Idle Stand.

Sabbath Bells—Roy Catlett.

River of Time—Gracie Graham

From Death unto Life—Barnie Carroll.

Value of a Letter—Ethel Graham.

Fourth Watch—Robert Henderson.

Song—It Is I.

Little Words of Mine—Willie Brookshire.

Do Your Best—Ellis Graham.

The Happy Star—Bailey Trammel.

The Family Bible—Effie Catlett

Song—My Precious Bible.

Sunday School address—Rel. Waddill.

Song—Rock of Ages.

Dinner.

Address on Education—Prof. W. S. Graham

Address—Rev. Abbott.

Song—Lovely Land.

Recitation—Jesse Crain.

Grandpa's Spectacles—Mabel Graham.

Little Hands—Daisy Graham.

Two Pilgrims—John Henderson

Evening Prayer—Frank Spur-lin.

Sowing—Four little girls.

Song—We are Sowing the Seed

The Angels—Vera Morrow.

Keep Your Record Clean—Zee Bryant.

Only wait—Bulah Crain.

No License to Sell—Daisy Henderson.

Rest—Gertrude Graham.

The Psalm of Life—Little Johnnie Webb.

Nearer Home—Laurence Graham.

His Mother's Song—Milton Graham.

Song.

I Wonder What I Could Do—Cora Crain.

Recitation—Tade Graham

The Last Hymn—Mrs. Webb.

Song—Jesus Lover of My Soul

Closing speech—Barney Trammel.

Doxology.

Thus passed children's day on Brown's creek for 1899. We all went home feeling better for what we had heard. The Sunday School tenders its thanks to Prof. J. S. Torbit for his valuable assistance. There was quite a crowd present. We noticed D. M. McAfee and wife, Z. H. Stuart and family, and Mrs. Mohler and daughter, of Gatesville present. Turnover and Little Flock were well represented, also Maple and Harmony. Everything went off nicely and everybody was satisfied.

Prof. Torbit has made up another singing class with thirty-four names enrolled and expects

to have fifty pupils when his school begins.

Joe Graham is suffering with a lame back.

Wes Scott has gone to Brown county to take his aughter, Mrs. Smith, home.

Farmers are busy with their crops.

Grass is fine.—Brownie.

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CAVE CREEK

NEWS

Effie and Bertha Neely Monday Mr. and Mrs. John Holland Crow and children spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Crow.

Sunday supper guests in the Preston Fleming home were: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fleming of Dallas, Mrs. Emily Jones and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brown, Mrs. Clarence Crawford and Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Jones and Don, all of Gatesville

Mr. and Mrs. Holt an dbaby spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Crow.

Mrs. Ike Morse visited Misses

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Change of Hour of Meeting at Lutheran Church to 8 O'clock
 Correcting an error, the meeting scheduled for Monday night, March 1, at the Lutheran church will start at 8 o'clock instead of 9 as was mentioned.
 The program is being sponsored by the Twin Mountains Agricultural Improvement Association, and they have invited W. P. Graham, County Agricultural Agent, the SCS and the AAA to project a program on pastures.



WILL ATTEND MARRIED STUDENTS DAY
 Daughter Anne, five months old, looks on approvingly as dad Ralph Ellsworth of San Antonio works out a petroleum engineer problem at the University of Texas. Anne and her mother,

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small village. His arents never saw each other after that raid—and Leifer never has seen his father. Aaron and his mother moved to Canada when he was nine years of age, settling at Winnipeg where he began the study of piano. The winner of many prizes and scholarships, young Leifer soon entered the

concert field and made several Canadian and American tours and was received with great acclaim. He also has been resented in a series of concerts over the Canadian Broadcasting System. During the was Mr. Leifer was stationed at Cam Fannin and gave many concerts for the armed force ersonell.

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Navy Exhibit Van To Be In Gatesville March 5th and 6th
 The Navy Recruiting Service will have a mobile Exhibit Van in Gatesville March 5th and 6th. Dan L. Loftin, Chief Water Tender, USN will be in charge of the Van.
 Parents of young men who are interested in enlisting in the Navy are invited to stop by the Van and have Chief Loftin explain the fine educational opportunities offered by the Navy. Free accredited correspondence courses in addition to the Navy Vocational school are offered. "Any young man thinking of joining the service, owes it to himself to look into the possibilities for eucation, travel and training offered by the U. S. Navy. Any ex-Navy man may find out what rate is open for men with previous service in the Navy by contacting Chief Loftin. The Navy Recruiting Service now has an office in the Gatesville Chamber of Commerce office and the Recruiter is in on Thursdays and Fridays.

Philip Williams And Aaron Leifer Here Monday Evening at 8

"Bargain day" on the concert stage is certainly a paradoxical thought, but when Philip Williams, violinist virtuoso, appears in concert here on March 2, Monday evening, his performance will amount to just that—for his accompanist will be Aaron Leifer—the same Mr. Leifer who captivated the attention of the local audience when he appeared here



PHILIP WILLIAMS
 as accompanist earlier in the season. Aaron Leifer is a soloist in his own right,—and thus two full-fledged artists will appear in concert, rather than one, and that's a bargain in every sense of the word!

Billy Bob Ashby is Highest of J T A C Honor Students
 Billy Bob Ashby of Gatesville lead the field of the top 12 students at John Tarleton Agricultural College with 60 points in a recent honor roll for the Fall semester. Thirty grade points were needed for the honor roll, and he got 60—more than any one else.
 Other students from this section who made the roll include Harold C. Loesch, Oglesby, with 35, Helen Grubbs, Ireland, 32, and Billy Frank Carroll, Gatesville, with 41.
 Tom Freeman was called to Waco this week for Federal grand jury service.

The concerts are under the Auspices of the Coryell Municipal Concert Association through William Z. Rozan of Houston.
 Because Philip Williams' technique is so facile and dynamic, the average accompanist is unable adequately to follow Mr. Williams in his playing. For this reason the selection of an accompanist has always been a serious problem for Mr. Williams who now considers himself most fortunate to have found Aaron Leifer. The two artists have concertized extensively together, and now find themselves in an accord which seeks fo rthe highest artistry.
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