



Looks like the rains won't ever cease—or, does anybody want them to. Friday's was .53, Saturday, 1.07, Sunday .13, Monday, .17 and then last Saturday, .35. Feed stuff, corn and cotton (without the bugs) ought to certainly make bumper crops for Coryell County, and, so far, without any mentionable floods, or overflows. Lucky Old Coryell County, as usual.

What else is on tap around! Pretty quiet. Everybody that has the wherewithal is on vacation. We haven't.

City's to spend about \$8,000 on paving program, and that's fine, especially on Bridge, Park, Spindletop and Leon. Parts of town that have been here longer than we can remember, and haven't had a drop of paving until now. Believe all city councilmen have good intentions. Just the wherewith that stops them.

Now that the school is in "Independent hands" there ought to be major improvements in that field, also. Anyway, the opportunity is here, and if it's not done, nobody can squawk about the City Fathers not cooperating in every way. It's plainly now, up to the voters, and July 20 is the date.

All of which brings up the problem that it's only two weeks off until things around the court house will be settled, and well be back in the groove, and all set to see what happens nationally, Democratically, or, with those "out-casts" The Republicans.

Watch this paper for another news item, soon!

### "Big Track" Found Between Levita And Ireland: "Kitty"

About the biggest track we have seen lately was the case of a cougar, or Mountain Lion brought in by Webster Bundrant of Levita.

Now this track, a hind foot track, was 4½ inches across, and they say the front was even bigger, about 5 inches. The tracks were made in a field after a rain sometime back on Plum Creek, between Ireland and Levita.

Webster say the cat is stretchy "local" and that he wasn't "going places", but just looking around. He could go places in a hurry because his step was 24 inches, and his stride twice that. Nice playmate to meet in the dark, and personally, we'd like to have a lot of "difference" if we met him.

You never can tell just what is in these Coryell County hills and valleys. And, this qualifies anybody to be a "Big Game Hunter", just what W. T. is.

## Markets

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## COURTHOUSE NEWS



### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ray Hambrick and Louise Rownd. W. T. Perryman and Minnie Ola Dyson.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

J. S. Neyland et ux to O. P. Neyland, lot 7, block 17 Spurlin Addition, City of Ireland, C. M. Dirr survey, \$75.00.

### City To Turn On Lights Again: Cable Is Here For Lights

The Main Drag and other sections have been in the dark for some time, and now, soon this will be changed.

The city fathers have recently bought 2,000 feet of underground electric cable, and as soon as possible the bad cable will be taken up and the new put down. The new will be laid under the street, next to the gutter. The other was laid under the sidewalk.

### Boyer Is Named As Chairman, Red Cross For Coryell County

C. D. Boyer of the Veterans' Vocational Program, was named Chairman of the Coryell County Chapter of the American Red Cross at their meeting held some time ago.

Mr. Boyer has not yet named the committees, and other officials of the chapter.

Corn, yellow, bushel.....\$1.80  
Oats, seed, bushel.....95c  
Oats, bushel, feed.....90c  
Wheat, bushel.....\$2.00  
Cream, pound.....70c  
No. 1 Toms, pound.....20c  
No. 1 Turkey Hens, pound.....28c  
Eggs, No. 1, dozen.....40c  
Eggs, No. 2, dozen.....30c  
Hens, pound.....20c  
Roosters, pound.....08c

### Jim Griffin, Candidate For Com. of Agriculture To Be Here Thursday

Jim Griffin, candidate for State Commissioner of Agriculture will be in Gatesville on July '5, (Thursday) during a 3,000 mile tour of Central Texas.

Mr. Griffin is a native of Kemp and is now farming near Mission. He favors an advisory council, Comprehensive soil conservation program, state water conservation policy, and cooperation with other state and Federal agencies.

### Fires! Fires! Fires! Keeping Your Rates On Insurance Up

Every time there's a fire, dig up, brother, it's costing YOU!

Here's the latest survey of fires. Saturday a week ago, one of the Alford boys had a truck fire on Main street, near the bridge, east west of town.

A little bit later, about 10:30 that Saturday night, Pat Holt's house was gutted and Mr. Holt told us the damage to the house was about \$4,500, and that he had no estimate of the furniture and fixtures, which was considerably more.

Then, in a rain storm, Thursday afternoon, Byron Leaird, Sr. barn was struck by lightning, and much of its contents, and so they say, part of his household goods salvaged from his recent house burning were destroyed.

And, on, and on, some unavoidable, some not, but the rates go up just the same.

### Mrs. Hulda Strack Is Killed Near Tomball: Sister of Willie Schrage

Mrs. Hulda Strack died at 2:30 p. m. June 26, 1948, following a collision with a truck on the Tomball-Huffsmith Road. She was with her son, Marvin, and they had been to Tomball shopping and started home when the accident occurred near the Zion Lutheran Church. A T-T Construction truck driven by Ellis Kuehn, Jr. headed for Tomball collided with their truck.

Her son was thrown clear of the wreckage, his right leg was entangled.

Both were rushed to the Conroe hospital and it was discovered Marvin suffered head injuries, internal injuries and three breaks in his left leg. Mrs. Strack suffered multiple head and internal injuries. A broken rib that caused her lung to collapse is attributed

### David Harold Guthrie To Be Brought Home For Re-Burial

Pfc. David Harold Guthrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie of



Oglesby, who was with the 5th Army in Italy, and was killed in action May 24, 1944, is among the 4,842 Americans being returned on the U S Army Transport Carol Victory. Among this number are 234 Texans.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been announced for Pfc. Guthrie.

Mr. James Bates, Jr. of Fort Worth visited his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bates the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonnie Reeves, Jr. of Houston were week end visitors in Gatesville.

James Sheridan of Houston was a visitor with relatives over the week end.

as the cause of her death.

She was 55 years of age, and the widow of Gus Strack who died several years ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Edgar Matzke, Cypress; four sons Marvin and Lawrence of Spring; Paul and Edwin of Houston. a brother, W. Schrage of Gatesville, and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the chapel of the Klein Funeral Home with Rev. O. A. Taylor officiating. Interment was in the Rest Haven Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Allie Strack, Ed Hassler, Herbert Strack, Theo Hassler, Herbert and Paul Hildebrandt

### Funeral Arrangements For Pvt. W. W. Watts Announced for Thursday

Pvt. Wyatt B. Watts, World War II soldier who was killed in the



Pacific and is being sent home for re-burial, will be buried in Restland Cemetery, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, following a short service at the Cemetery.

He is a son of Mrs. Grace Shelton of 2104 Saunders and was returned home aboard the U. S. Army Transport Lieutenant Geor. W. C. Boyce to San Francisco.

He was stationed in Hawaii in November 1943, and was later killed in New Guinea and was a member of the 186th Infantry.

His mother received posthumously a Silver Star Award at Camp Hood, by Lt. Col. Orlin D. Horne, and it read: "For gallantry in action—Island, June 7, 1944. Pvt. Watts was a member of a Mortar Squad which had set up

on open terrain the only position available which their fire could be accurately directed on the enemy. He was seriously wounded in the ensuing action, but remained and worked with the squad until he was too weak to carry on, soon, thereafter, dying.

"He refused to give up the fight and insisted on remaining at his post, stating that he was needed to keep the mortar in action. The heroic performance of duty by this intrepid soldier is worthy of the highest praise. Pvt. Watts serves as an inspiration to all his comrades."

Visitors in the J. L. Bond home the past week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Wade Love and daughter, Alice Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Harrison and daughter Linda Jean all of Webb, Texas. and Claud Nabors of Oklahoma.

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

### DR. WILLIAM R. NEWTON IS RELEASED

HUNTSVILLE, July 12. (AP) Dr. William R. Newton, of Cameron, was released from the state prison today after serving less than a year on a two year sentence on conviction of assault in the shooting of the late Dr. Roy Hunt of Littlefield in 1942.

Newton earned time off with six blood donations, and good behavior.

### McDONALD PLEADS INNOCENT OF FED. CHARGE

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12. (AP) Texas Agriculture Commissioner James E. McDonald pleaded innocent today on a charge of violating the Federal Lobbying Act.

### AIR CRASH VICTIM IDENTIFIED, SANTONE

SAN ANTONIO, July 12. (AP) Air Force officials identified the body of a pilot who crashed here in a plane as Aviation Cadet William N. White of Kansas City. The plane crashed Sunday, burning three houses.

### W. O. DOUGLASS OUT: SOUTHERNERS BATTLE

PHILADELPHIA, July 12. (AP) Justice William O. Douglass removed himself from the Vice-Presidential picture today as the Democratic National Convention opened. Southerners and Trumanites were ready to battle over the Platform's Civil Rights Plank.

### BRITAIN SENDS TROOPS TO BERLIN

By The Associated Press  
Authoritative London sources report that Britain has sent a considerable number of new troops to Western Germany because of the tension in Berlin.

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### JTAC Honor Roll Spring Term Is Announced.

Coryell County made the Honor Roll at John Tarleton Agricultural College, and Billy Bos Ashby, Billy P., Chamlee Janelle Haines and Ray C. Kirby, all of Gatesville made the roll.

From other points in the county those on the roll are Helen Grubbs and Dan C. Huckabee, Ireland; Lee R. Wigginton, Jonesboro; and Harold C. Loesch, Oglesby.

Joining the services from Coryell County are John B. Young of Turnersville, who is with USAF; Allen R. McFarland of Jonesboro, with the Field Artillery and Everett W. Owens of Evant, with the U. S. Navy.

Miss Doris Gilbreath of Washington, D. C., who is spending the summer at home, is visiting her uncle, Byron Fletcher in Dallas. Mr. Fletcher is a former Coryell County boy, and a World War I veteran. Miss Gilbreath was ac-

### Minnie Ola Hayes Is Bride of Glenn E. Cox

Miss Minnie Ola Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hayes of Gatesville, is the bride of Glenn E. Cox of Texas City.

The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride July 4, 1948, at 6:00 p. m. with Minister Wallace Gooch, Minister of Ave. G. Church of Christ celebrant in the single ring ceremony.

The bride married in all white with white accessories, and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations.

The brides maid was Doris Nell Ray of Texas City, she wore a pink piquett street length dress with a shoulder corsage of white daisies.

The first best man was Bobbie Gittinger of Baten Rouge, La., the second best man was Johnnie Ray Dyer of Texas City.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Clayton Bell of Killeen, Texas, a-

panied by her sister, Miss Dolie Gilbreath.

### Mrs. Glenn E. Cox Honoree at Tea Shower Tuesday

A tea shower was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vick, Tuesday, July 6th, honoring Mrs. Glenn E. Cox, of Texas City, formerly Miss Minnie Ola Hayes.

Refreshments of cookies, candy and punch was served by Miss Martha June Jones, Miss Bessie Lee Hayes and Miss Harriett Ann Vick.

Mrs. Cox as presented with an array of lovely gifts which were admired by all present.

sister of the bride. Mrs. Bell played the traditional wedding march, after which she played "Here Comes The Bride".

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the bride's home. Miss Bonnie Mae Upton of Lampasas, cousin of the bride, poured punch, and Mrs. Thomas Lancaster of Adamsville, cousin of the bride, served the three-tiered wedding cake, which was cut by the bride. Presiding at the guest book was Mrs. Lamon C. Bell of Dickinson, Texas, sister of the bride.

Others attending the wedding were: Mrs. Lula Hemmline of Evant; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rhoads, Mr. and Mrs. Don Aulden Rhoads and family of Rumley, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Dauris Emmett Rhoads Mr. Reece of Goldthwaite; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nurrahs, Harmon; Mrs. Thomas Lancaster, Adamsville; Miss Ethel Upton, Izora; Miss Bonnie Mae Upton, Lampasas; Opal Chester, Texas City; Mrs. Frank Brown, Virgil Curry, Lew Weldon Meeks, Mrs. J. H. Malone, Mrs. Reba Jones, Mrs. A. C. Vivk, Athnall Nan Vick, and Mrs. Manson Meek, all of Gatesville.

The bride was a graduate of Gatesville High School of the class of 1946, since that time she has been employed at Dickinson as a telephone operator, also a telephone operator in Texas City until her marriage.

The groom graduated from Mt. Vernon High School, attended the Junior College at Paris, Texas. He served several years in the U. S. Navy and is now employed in the Post Office in Texas City.

After a short wedding trip to various parts of the country, Mr. and Mrs. Cox will make their home in Texas City.

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### Evangelist Adkinsson Holds Meeting At Union Valley Church



Evangelist Jack Adkinsson, student in Baylor University, is doing the preaching at the Union Valley Baptist Church at Pancake during the revival meeting which started Friday night, July 9th and ends July 19.

Reverend Adkinsson, former pastor of a Dallas church and present pastor of the Mother Neff Baptist church, has held numerous meetings in West Texas. While attending Hardin-Simmons University he gave full time to Evangelistic work.

The pastor, Rev. M. L. Keller, will lead the singing during the meeting. He recently led the singing during the Baptist encampment at Pidcoke.

John Pipes, a former resident of Coryell county, and now living in the Rio Grande Valley, is visiting in and around Gatesville.

Mrs. Rembert Wooldridge left Monday to be with her husband, in Palestine, Texas.

Mrs. Seral Hudson is in Hillcrest Hospital, Waco, undergoing an operation.

### MISS HALLIE JO JACKSON MAKES "A" AVERAGE IN BAYLOR UNIVERSITY

Miss Hallie Jo Jackson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Horace Jackson, maintained an A average during the spring quarter. This placed her name on the Dean's list which is compiled each quarter in order to honor the outstanding students on the campus.

Nine students had all A, and the Junior class topped the list, placing 26, Freshmen and Seniors 22 each, and the Sophomores got 17.

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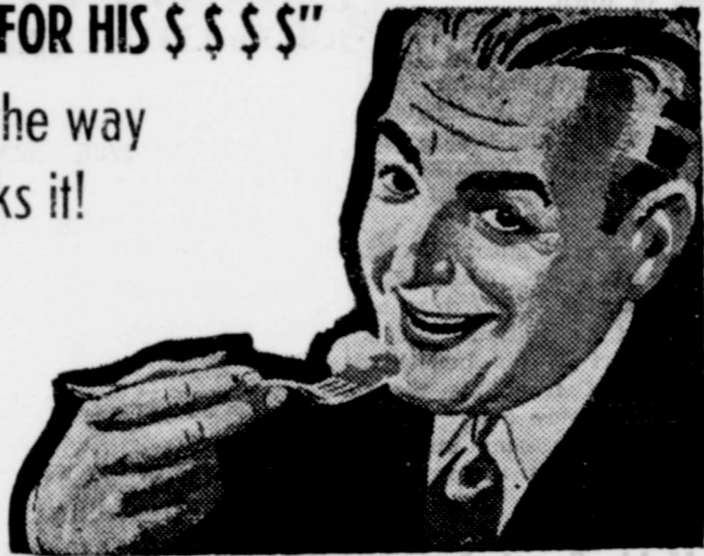
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**Legal Notices!**

S. J. R. No. 2  
A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Section 28 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board for apportioning the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fail to make such apportionment; providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation by the Governor; and making an appropriation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 28 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows: "Section 28. The Legislature shall, at its first regular session after the publication of each United States decennial census, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, agreeable to the provisions of Sections 25, 26, and 26-a of this Article. In the event the Legislature shall at any such first regular session following the publication of a United States decennial census, fail to make such apportionment, same shall be done by the Legislative Redistricting Board of Texas, which is hereby created, and shall be composed of five (5) members, as follows: The Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Attorney General, the Comptroller of Public Accounts and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum. Said Board shall assemble in the City of Austin within ninety (90) days after the final adjournment of such regular session. The Board shall, within sixty (60) days after assembling, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, or into senatorial or representative districts, as the failure of action of such Legislature may make necessary. Such apportionment shall be in writing and signed by three (3) or more of the members of the Board duly acknowledged as the act and deed of such Board, and, when so executed and filed with the Secretary of State, shall have force and effect of law. Such apportionment shall become effective at the next succeeding statewide general election. The Supreme Court of Texas shall have jurisdiction to compel such Commission to perform its duties in accordance with the provisions of this section by writ of mandamus or other extraordinary writs conformable to the usages of law. The Legislature shall provide necessary funds for clerical and technical aid and for other expenses incidental to the work of the Board, and the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall be entitled to receive per diem and travel expense during the Board's session in the same manner and amount as they would receive while attending a special session of the Legislature. This amendment shall become effective January 1, 1951."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the amendment to Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of Texas providing for a Board for apportionment of the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment."

"Against the amendment to Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of Texas providing for a Board for apportionment of the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment."

Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

58.60.62-3tc.

H. J. R. No. 7  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an Amendment to Article IV, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section to be known as Section 3a, so as to provide for succession to the office of Governor in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, or fails to qualify, before taking his oath of office as Governor; and providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation and publication by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended, by adding another Section to follow Section 3, and be designated Section 3a, to read as follows:

"Section 3a. If, at the time the Legislature shall canvass the election returns for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor, the person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, has died, then the person having the highest number of votes for the office of Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until after the next general election. It is further provided that in the event the person with the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, shall become disabled, or fail to qualify, then the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until a person has qualified for the office of Governor, or until after the next general election. Any succession to the Governorship not otherwise provided for in this Constitution, may be provided for by law; provided, however, that any person succeeding to the office of Governor shall be qualified as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and shall, during the entire term to which he may succeed, be under all restrictions and inhibitions imposed in this Constitution on the Governor."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of this State at a General Election to be held throughout this State on the date provided by law in the month of November, A. D. 1948, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon: "FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

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Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of this state not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

58.60.62-3tc.

H. J. R. No. 30  
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another Section to be designated as "Section 60" to authorize counties of this State to provide insurance for county employees; providing for the Governor's proclamation, and submission to the electorate.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the State Constitution be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto another Section following Section 59, to be designated "Section 60" to read as follows:


"Section 60. The Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable all counties of this State to provide Workman's Compensation Insurance, including the right to provide its own insurance risk, for all county employees as in its judgment is necessary or required; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the counties of this State and for the payment of the costs, charges and premiums on such policies of insurance and the benefits to be paid thereunder."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing Workman's Compensation Insurance for county employees." and "AGAINST

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**Martha Groves Becomes  
Bride of Woodrow  
Tumlinson, July 3**

Miss Martha Beck Groves became the bride of Woodrow Tumlinson Saturday night, July 3, 1948 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Groves.

Rev. George Brown of the Memorial Baptist church of Temple performed the single ring ceremony. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Tumlinson.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white dotted swiss ballerina length dress with a tiara of white carnations and carried an arm bouquet of orchids and white carnations.

Emanuel Tumlinson, brother of the bridegroom, played the nuptial music and the traditional wedding march.

Attending the rouple were Miss Ruth Lancaster and William Tumlinson, brother of the bridegroom. Miss Lancaster wore a blue dotted swiss ballerina length dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Martha Ann Tumlinson and Charlette Groves, both dressed in blue dotted swiss with nosegays of pink carnations, were the flower girls.

A reception was held at the Groves home following the ceremony. Miss Alene Walker presided at the bride's guest book. Mrs. Billy Groves poured at the punch service and Mrs. William Tumlinson served the threetiered wedding cake.

The bride graduate from Gatesville High School and the bridegroom graduated from Lampasas High School and served with the armed forces in the Pacific for 4 years and eight months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tumlinson will make their home in Lampasas where he is employed.

**Doris Walters Is  
Honored With Shower  
Tuesday, June 29**

Miss Doris Rae Walters, bride-elect of Clayton Skipper, Jr. was honored with a miscellaneous shower, given by Mrs. S. V. Music and Maggie Ellen, Tuesday, June 29, in the home of Mrs. C. C. White, 2008 Waco Street.

Miss Martha Jo Summers presided at the guest book.

After several games were played, the honoree was presented with gifts by Clayton Music and Edward Cato, as Maggie Ellen Music sang softly in the background, "Tell Me A Story."

Refreshments were served to 25 guests. Those who could not attend sent lovely gifts.

**Waldine Swindall  
Bride-to-be Of  
Odis Howard, July 17**

The approaching marriage of Miss Waldine Swindall to Mr. Odis Howard has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Swindall.

The ceremony will take place July 17 at 7:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church, Gatesville, Texas.

The bride is a graduate of Gatesville High School, and has been employed as bookkeeper for the Guaranty Bank, Gatesville, for the past five years.

Mr. Howard served in Europe during World War II with the U. S. Army. He is now with the American Republic Oil Company.

**IMPORTANT NUMBERS**

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

**OBITUARY**  
**MRS MARY ELIZABETH WHITE  
IS BURIED HERE AFTER  
DEATH AT BURNETT**

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth White, 56, died July 7, 1948 at 2 p. m. at the hospital. She lived in Burnett.

Mrs. White was born at Gatesville April 10, 1892, and her father was W. F. Manning of Ga., and her mother, the former Miss Levie Powell of Louisiana. She was married to J. A. White, October 13, 1907. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

They lived in the Camp Hood area until the war, when they moved for a time to Hurst Springs and then near Lake Buchanan in Burnet County.

Funeral services were held July 8, 1948 at 3 p. m. at Scott's Funeral Home, and interment was in Restland Cemetery with Rev. Wallace Gooch conducting the services, Morton Scott & Son, Funeral Directors in charge.

Surviving are her husband, J. A. White, five sons, W. F., Meriville, and Barney E. of Gatesville; Lonnie D. of Temple; and Johnny C. of Turnersville. Also five daughters, Mrs. A. B. Wilkinson, and Mrs. A. O. Gartman of Pearl; Mrs. W. M. Gartman of Turnersville; Mrs. C. B. Delaney of Rogers; Mrs. Claudis Autrey of Temple. Also 31 grand children; her mother, Mrs. W. F. Manning of Gatesville, two brothers, Bud, Manning of Purmela, Wm. (Bill) of Odessa, three sisters, Mrs. Mamie Thomas, Temple; Mrs. Mattie Cummings and Mrs. George Manning of Gatesville.

Pallbearers were A. B. Wilkin-

son, Crawford Delano, A. O. and W. M. Gartman, Claudie Autrey and Billy Manning.

**JAMES ARTHUR HEARNE  
IS BURIED HERE TUESDAY**

James Arthur Hearne, week old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hearne of College Station, was buried in the City Cemetery, July 8, with Rev. J. W. Sprinkle conducting the services, Morton Scott & Son, Funeral Directors in charge. The services were at 10 a. m. at the graveside.

He was born Saturday, July 3, and died July 7.

Besides his parents, he leaves a brother, and great grandmother Mrs. C. S. Tucker, and his great grandfather, John Hearne, his grandfather, Jack Hearne, and his grandmother, Mrs. Lyman Scott.

**JAMES BRACK SCOTT IS  
BURIED HERE MONDAY:  
A RETIRED RANCHER**

James Brack Scott, 65, of 302 N. Lutterloh died at his home at 12 noon, July 7, 1948. He was born here January 16, 1883, and his father was W. S. Scott of Ga., and his mother was the former Miss Dona Rainer. He was married to Miss Osha Viola Morrow January 13, 1909, and spent his entire life in Coryell County.

Services were held July 12, 1948, at 4 o'clock at Scott's Funeral Home and interment was in City Cemetery, Rev. C. A. Morton conducting the services, Morton Scott & Son, Funeral Directors in charge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. J. Brack Scott; four sons, J. C. of Waco; Earl in service; Adren of

Gatesville; five daughters, Mrs. Earl Parks, San Sabe; Mrs. D. A. Young, Galveston; Mrs. Thomas Brasher, Houston; Miss Barbara Jean Scott of San Antonio and Miss Sarah Scott who now is in Japan. There were also 9 grand children, four sisters, Mrs. Catlee of Gatesville; Mrs. Charlie Bray, Monahans; Mrs. Frank Bates and Mrs. Miles Davis, both of Gatesville.

There are four brothers, L. W. R. T. and Walter Scott of Gatesville and Arthur of Memphis.

Pallbearers were Dick Payne, Troy Hunt, J. O. Brown, Herbert R. Edwards, Waco, and Rufus Brown.

**Births**

Baby girl born July 7, 1948, at 10:54 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. James C. Lipsey of 1605 East Leon Street Gatesville. Mrs. Lipsey was the former Miss Helen Chambers.

Baby girl born July 10, 1948, at 5:50 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Melbern Spross, Rt. 2, McGregor.

Baby girl born July 11, 1948 at 4:07 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook 1301 Saunders St.

Baby boy born July 12, 1948 at 1:22 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Jones, Gatesville. Mrs. Jones was the former Miss Bertha Ushery

Baby boy born July 6, 1948 to Mr. and Mrs. Cumberland. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pate Williams of Pearl, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Blackman of Gatesville. The mother was formerly Miss Myrtle Williams.

**GATESVILLE  
SCHEDULES  
CHURCH**

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**First Methodist Church**  
J. W. SPRINKLE, Pastor  
Church Services:

- 8:30 a. m.—Men's Breakfast Bible Class
- 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. Classes for all ages and groups.
- 10:50 a. m.—Morning Worship Service.
- 6:15 p. m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship Wednesday
- 7:00 p. m.—Mid-week service. lar schedule.
- 7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
- 8:00 p. m.—Youth Recreational Hour.

**CHURCH  
OF  
CHRIST  
16th and Saunders**

**Sunday.**  
Bible School, 9:45 a. m.  
Worship and Sermon, 11:00 a. m.  
Young People's Meeting 6:45 p. m.  
**MAIN STREET CHURCH  
OF CHRIST**  
Services regularly, as follows:  
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Wednesday: 8:15 p. m.  
Everyone is invited.



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Your electric refrigerator is working harder than ever these hot July days, protecting your perishables and providing you with extra quantities of ice cubes and frozen desserts. Help it serve you more economically . . . keep it operating at top efficiency . . . by following these timely suggestions:

- Defrost at least once a week. Frost acts as an insulator and makes your refrigerator work harder to keep foods cold.
- Don't waste ice cubes. If you use only part of a tray, refill the empty sections and return tray promptly to freezer.
- Use fast freezing sparingly. Keeping control at coldest setting for long periods increases running time and operating cost.
- After freezing desserts, turn control halfway back to normal to hold until served. Then return control to normal.
- Avoid frequent and lengthy door openings.
- Let hot dishes cool before putting them in your refrigerator.
- Check door gasket for tight seal. If it permits entry of warm air, have it repaired or replaced.
- Keep condenser clean. Dirt and dust interfere with its cooling efficiency and increase running of the motor.
- If your refrigerator is an open unit model, oil the motor according to manufacturer's directions.



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 H. W. Allen ..... Dist. Attorney  
 Carl McClendon ..... Dist. Clerk  
 Bert Davis ..... Assr.-Collector  
 Joe White ..... Sheriff  
 Floyd Ziegler ..... Co. Judge  
 A. W. Ellis ..... Co. Clerk  
 Curtis Smith ..... Com. Beat 1  
 Roy Everts ..... Com. Beat 2  
 Jake Clearman ..... Com. Beat 3



### Ten Million Votes

If one of the first steps of socialization—government ownership—should come now in this country, ten million voters would be added immediately to the payroll of the federal government. Sounds unbelievable, doesn't it? Ten million votes could make quite a showing on a Tuesday of any November. Mr. Wallace, or any other candidate, could go far with that kind of backing.

There are approximately that many persons employed in the transportation industry in the United States. Transportation would be one of the first industries to be marked for nationalization, in this country as in Britain. This would include waterways, airlines, and possibly our trucks and their drivers. (Note on airlines: the British Overseas Airways Corporation, government owned and operated, is expected to show a \$32 million loss!)

### Is This Fantasy?

Even in taking over American railroads, a would-be dictator could get possibly 1,500,000 votes. There are that many people employed by our railroads. Not all of them would vote the party line, at first. That would reduce the number of rail employees somewhat, until replacements were available. Of course, a new and revised form of WPA would be set up to absorb the unemployed. But even a WPA-er can vote. Either way, perhaps, the government would appreciate votes!

Lest we carry this satire too far, I will interrupt by saying that such a mess as the above is not sheer fantasy. It could happen here. The worst thing about it is that the general public, and even many folks in the transportation industry, are unaware of the danger. Yet, economic collapse and consequent government ownership is quite possible. The nation would not have to go Communist or be conquered by Russia for this to happen.

### Socialism, Quickly

Yet, some of those who are closest to the transportation industry fear that collapse may come. The trouble lies in outmoded forms of Federal regulation. Too much bureaucracy can take us to socialism more quickly than we think.

This setting of the scene for trouble goes back a generation. The nation has compromised on policies so long that the result is a patchwork of rules and regulations that creates as much inefficiency as possible. Over 50 government bureaus are charged with supervising some kind of transportation, with little overall coordination of policy. Actually, in event our common carriers find business no longer profitable, the government is already well prepared to begin the take-over.

### Elbow-room!

The trouble is that despite the largest volume of peacetime traffic, too few of our common carriers are able to make enough profit to attract capital to the industry. If nationalization comes in this country, it may well come because private capital has dried up as far as transportation is concerned.

The problem is this: We must have efficient, low cost transportation, and we must have it the American way. At a time when our railroads, like other forms of transport, are trying desperately to reconstruct themselves after an all-out job in wartime, we can ill afford to shackle them with heavy tax burdens and other financial obstacles that prevent rehabilitation. As the president of one of our largest life insurance companies puts it: "Our railroads need financial elbow-room."

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 Ollie Little ..... Co. Supt.  
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FOR SALE: Clean '39 2-door Chevrolet sedan, radio, heater, fog lights, defroster, fan; one owner. See Mrs. Lois Scott Welch. Ph. 196. 6-58-2tp.

HELP Wanted: Dairy Hand, Apply in person. Meeks Dairy, 2 1/2 miles on Levita Road. 5-57-2tc

## Classified

**CLASSIFIED INFORMATION—** Five lines or less (minimum) 25c each time. Over five lines, 5c per line. Blind advs, 10c extra for records. Readers, citations, cards of thanks, 5c line or 1c per word. Minimum, card of thanks, 50c. Corrections: Corrections, and re-runs made without charge **ONLY IF Corrected before next edition. THE NEWS.**

FOR FANS, Air Conditioners. See White Auto Store. 1-42-tfc.

### STOP THAT ITCHING

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### NOTICE

There will be a graveyard working July 2', in Pidcoke Cemetery. Everyone is urged to come. 1-58-1tp.

TUNE IN on Hamilton Radio Station at 900 on your dial Friday afternoons at 7:00 o'clock and hear announcement of L. Brann Candidate for District Attorney. 1-57-3tp.

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LEAVE a Guaranteed living to those you love. Consult Buzz Colgin, Amicable Life. 1-25-tfc

## Real Estate

122 A. STOCK FARM, only 2 mi. from City, 30 a. good sandy land farm, fair 6 rm. house, electric lights, windmill, running water in house smoke house, garage, chicken house. Leon River is

south boundary line, lots of pecan trees. If you are interested in something close to town, on all weather road, school bus and RFD, this is your opportunity. The price only \$5,500, or will trade for home in Gv. See GEO. B. PAINTER, office over Guaranty Bank. 0-58-1tc.

6 ROOM HOME and bath, only 500 yds from City limits, 3 a. good fertile land. Every convenience you have in the City, school bus, RFD at front door, good suburban grocery store 200 yds. Wash house, chicken house, garage and barn, nice fruit orchard, garden spot, beautiful shrubbery. City water and City lights, the price is \$7800. See GEO. B. PAINTER, office over Guaranty Bank. 0-58-1tc.

BEAUTIFUL 6 room home, bath and entrance hall, large spacious living room, 3 bed rooms, dining room and kitchen, hard wood floors, wood burning fireplace, plenty of closets beautiful shrubbery in yard. The location of this home cannot be beat, near school. The price is \$8,500. See GEO. B. PAINTER for appointment to look at this place. 0-58-1tc.

3 LARGE ROOMS and bath, hot and cold water, gas, lights and all the other city conveniences, garage, located on large lot. The price is \$2,000, see GEO. B. PAINTER, for this and other good values in City real estate. 0-58-1tc.

FOR SALE: California style ranch ranch house of solid rock and masonry and many other substantial features, 2 bedrooms, all conveniences, 15.82 acres, deep well with windmill and pressure pump, garden and young orchard; 2.8 miles west of square on Highway 84. Bert Pollard, Rt. 3. Ph. 3622. 0-37-tfc.

## For Rent

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, 3 rooms and private bath. 1304 Waco St. Mrs. Tom L. Robinson. Ph. 408. 3-58-1tp.

FOR RENT: Nice large room, furnished or unfurnished. 1106 Pidcoke. Ph. 603 3-58-2tp.

FOR RENT: 3 room upstairs business office; cool, best location summer and winter. Jones Bldg., Mat Jones at News Office. 3-44-tfc.

FOR RENT: Sanding machine. W. F & J. F. Barnes Lumber Co. 3-51-tfc.

## For Sale

FOR SALE: Acetylene Welding Torch with cutter, 35 ft. hose complete. See C. D. Conway, Walker Motors Inc. 4-58-2tc.

PEACHES! Peaches! Elberth; Yellow Cling and White Cling; \$2.50 and \$3 a bu. Now ready. Ph. 3913. L. R. Love. 4-58-3tp.

FOR SALE: 3 room house to be moved. Bargain. Roy Pennington, Phone 48 or 391. 4-57-tfc

FOR SALE: Three extra nice colts ready to break out now. Bailey Curry, at the National Bank. 4-57-2tp.

FOR SALE: Aermotor Windmill with 8 ft. wheel with or without tower; also 35 bbl. tank; all in good condition. Geo. A. Bertrand, Turnersville. 4-57-2tp.

BROOM CORN BALERS, Seeders, new or used machines and baling wire; Border Collie puppies, 5 months, either sex, very intelligent. No. 7 Dwarf Broom corn seed. Plant til August 1. Perkins Broom Co., P. O. Copperas Cove. Warehouse near Pidcoke. 4-55-tfc.

FOR FANS, Air Conditioners. See White Auto Store. 4-42-tfc

STEEL or Aluminum Venetian Blinds, as low as \$4; \$4.20 installed in Gatesville only. We also have wood blinds. E. L. Sadler 5c, 10c, 25c, Store. 4-28-tf

FOR SALE: Aermotor Windmills, few tanks, water heaters; bath tubs; plumbing fixtures. Pat H. Potts Tin Shop. 4-36-tfc.

FOR SALE: Concrete Tile and Brick machine. See C. C. Chandler, Highland Addition, Gatesville, Call 4104. 4-54-tfc.

SEE SCOTT Furniture Store for quality fans, coolers and lawn furniture. Scott Furniture Store. 4-53.tfc.

FOR SALE: Missouri hickory smoked, sugar-cured hams and pork loins. Barney Owens, Ph. 11, Bus Station. 4-50-tfc.

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## Wanted

WANTED: Sewing at 1310 Waco St., Gatesville. Mrs. J. L. Blacklock. 5-58-1tp.

### "Help Wanted—Male and Female"

SALESMAN WANTED: Must have car. Good man can make excellent salary. Must apply in person. Evant Butane Gas & Plumbing Co. 5-45-tfc

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USED CARS: Bought and sold. All makes and Models at ALL Prices. Walker Motors, Inc. 6-20-tfc.

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**Julia Ann Melbern  
Bride-Elect Honored  
With Tea Shower**

Miss Julia Ann Melbern, who will become the bride of Mr. Tom

Marsh Robinson of Temple, July 11, was honoree at a tea shower, Saturday, given in the home of Mrs. T. M. Davidson of 401 Fennimore St., and Mrs. B. H. Melbern of 404 Fennimore Street, Gatesville.

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- 1st Golf Tournament Trophy
- 1st Play-by-play Football Story
- 1st Gas, Refrigeration and Electric Show
- 1st Stork Derby Contest
- 1st "Classified" Want-ad Section
- 1st Office Supply Service
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  - Texas Sports Writers Association
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  - World-Wide News Service, AP.
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**CORYELL COUNTY NEWS**

TUESDAY — FRIDAY

705 Main Jones Bldg. Phone 69

Receiving with the honoree and the hostesses were Mrs. E. F. Melbern, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. F. W. Lam of Oglesby, an aunt of Miss Melbern, Miss Leta Bennett of College Station, and Mrs. B. D. Reynolds of Victoria, cousins of the bride-elect.

The lace-laid table in the dining room held the punch service and the candelabras.

Arrangements of garden flowers and daisies decorated the party rooms.

Assisting in the house party were Mrs. James Yows, Jr., Mrs. Rembert Wooldridg, Mrs. R. G. Davidson, Mrs. Robert L. Melbern, Miss Marguerite Kelso, Miss Pauline Martin, and Helen Johnson of Port Arthur.

**United Nations and Used Fats**

"Fats and oils, the food commodity probably second in importance to cereal," says the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations, ". . . unfortunately appear to be almost as inadequate as a year ago while prospects do not warrant any real optimism for the next year or two at least." Fat saved in your kitchen and sold to your meat dealer helps ease the most critical shortage of fats and oils in history.



The News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

**For Congress, 11th District:**  
W. R. (Bob) POAGE  
(Re-election)

**For State Senator, 21st Dist.:**  
W. A. (SON) SHOFNER  
W. W. ROARK

**For Representative, 94th District:**  
SID GREGORY  
(2nd Term)

**For District Judge 52nd District:**  
R. BATES CROSS

**For District Attorney:**  
HERBERT (Buss) GORDON  
L. BRANN

**For District Clerk:**  
CARL McCLENDON  
(Re-election)

**For County Judge:**  
FLOYD ZEIGLER  
(Re-election)

**For Sheriff:**  
JOE WHITE  
(Re-election)  
JOHN D. MURRAY

**For County Clerk:**  
A. W. ELLIS  
(Re-election)

**For Tax Assessor-Collector:**  
BERT DAVIS  
(Re-election)  
JOHN GILMER

**For County Treasurer:**  
OSCAR FOWLER  
(Re-election)

**For County Attorney:**  
TOM R. MEARS

**For Commissioner, Beat 1:**  
CURTIS SMITH  
(2nd Term)

**For Commissioner Beat 2:**  
ROY EVETTS  
(Re-election)  
ROY HAMILTON

**For Commissioner Beat 3:**  
JAKE CLEARMAN  
(Re-election)  
W. P. (PRICE) GREEN

**For Commissioner, Beat 4:**  
CLEO H. CARROLL  
T. R. (Raby) RICHARDSON

**For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:**  
GEORGE MILLER  
(Re-election)

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ford and family of Teague were week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry and other relatives

**SINGING AT WHITE HALL**

There will be singing at White Hall, Sunday, July 18, at 8:00 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited.

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Report of Condition of

**GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY**

of Gatesville, Coryell County, Texas, at the close of business June 30, 1948, 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 . . . . .	\$ 614,020.56
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed . . . . .	1,057,500.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions . . . . .	57,851.38
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank . . . . .	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$239.25 overdrafts) . . . . .	684,130.59
Bank premises owned \$12,500.00, Furniture and Fixtures \$3,400.00 . . . . .	15,900.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS . . . . .</b>	<b>\$2,432,402.53</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .	\$2,110,470.32
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) . . . . .	33,428.76
Deposits of States and political subdivisions . . . . .	138,355.96
Deposits of banks . . . . .	782.23
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS . . . . .</b>	<b>\$2,283,037.27</b>
Other liabilities . . . . .	2,854.41

**TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) . . . . .** \$2,285,891.68

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

* Capital . . . . .	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus . . . . .	50,000.00
Undivided profits . . . . .	46,510.85

**TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS . . . . .** \$ 146,510.85

**TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS . . . . .** \$2,432,402.53

\*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 . . . . . \$ 144,500.00

I, Ray H. Byrom, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RAY H. BYROM.

CORRECT—Attest: J. O. Brown, B. K. Cooper, J. F. Patterson, DIRECTORS

State of Texas, County of Coryell ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of July, 1948 (SEAL) WALDINE SWINDALL, Notary Public



# NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Rev. James Enoch filled his regular appointment Sunday, his message was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jones and son of Texas City visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Voss Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Anderson and Edna Sue of Texas City, spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Berry and other relatives. They all attended the Berry reunion near Gatsville, all the children were present except one sister.

Mrs. G L Rogers spent Sunday with Mrs. Nettie Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. E R Maxwell and Evalyn Powell spent the Week end with their sister, Mrs. O A James and family in Kermit.

Misses Jane Copeland and Lavillas Vernon were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Voss.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Whisenhunt and Linda and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cox spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Lillie Murry.

Rev. Enoch was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will York, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Herring and La Nell, Jackie and Ann of Dallas spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Herring and Peggy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin McDonald visited Mrs. Jewel Squyres last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles, Myrna Marie, Sandra Sue and Stanley Joe spent the holidays on the San saba fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Davis, Patricia and Andrea of Copperas Cove are spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Davis. He is doing some remodeling for Mrs. Davis.

Dr. and Mrs. W E Moreland, Rosemary, William and Martha of Houston spent the week end visiting Mr. W. O. Moreland, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Moreland and Dickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kays had several of their children with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Flint Lee Saturday

## For State Senator



**W. A. FERGUSON**

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(Political Adv. 57-3tc)

Mrs. Kate Permenter spent last Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Dickey.

Mrs. Joe Rubarth visited Mrs. E. R. Maxwell Wednesday.

Mrs. Lillie Timmons visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Estel Cantrell in Kermit over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Braziel, R. L. and Janell went to Buchanan Dam fishing during the holidays.

Mrs. Artie Quicksall spent the week end in San Angelo.

Billie Bob Russell of Fort Worth spent the week end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Graves Bates, Johnny and Bill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Bates.

Week end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morehead were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pierot and Dale, of Dallas, Mrs. Allen Campbell, Lila Sue, and Hilda of Evant.

### PURMELA

# NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Mr. and Mrs. A B Holt of Canyon have been visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Parsons. Their daughters, Ann and Virginia who have spent several weeks here returned to Canyon with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Bertrand and family visited in the George Thedford home Sunday.

Recent guests in the home of Mrs. Oren Hagan were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McMahan and son of Gainesville; Mr and Mrs Weldon Tatum and Ivy Jr. and Frank Tatum of Denison; also Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Tatum of Gatesville.

Dian Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Smith had the misfortune of breaking her arm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Laxson attended the funeral of H. H. Hanes at Jonesboro last Friday.

Mrs. H. C. Hardie and Mary Alice of San Antonio are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dero Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Campbell visited in South Texas last week.

Miss Bernice Sparkman is visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jones in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Hudson and family of Waco visited last Sunday in the J. O. Winsler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Chandler of Temple visited Mrs. E. J. Forrest Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C B Comer were Monday visitors in the Mike Comer home.

Mrs. Edna Reggisfield of Colorado City visited Mrs. E. J. Forrest a few days the past week.

Mrs. Estell Rubarth and Mrs. Ella Harris visited in Gatesville with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Marriott, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Comer visited with her sister, Mrs. W. D. Riddle at Turnersville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Featherstone and Brenda of Port Arthur, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McCarver and Nadine, Nadine will return home with them for a visit.

Nina Mae Comer of Waco spent the week end with homefolks.

Sam Myres left Monday for a visit in Colorado with Mr. and Mrs. Stoney Comer.

L Z Edwards and Jack Myres visited Buster Comer in Dallas last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spencer visited his mother Mrs. Bertha Spencer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Yows and family visited in the Watt Smith home Friday night.

Several from this community attended the program at the Youth camp Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drum Heath of California are visiting his brother Joe Heath and family.

Rev. Culp of Baylor spoke to a large crowd at the close of the vacation Bible School Friday nite. In spite of the rainy weather the enrollment was above all previous records.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Forrest and Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce Jones

visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vandiver Saturday night.

Miss Bernice Millsap, Miss Geraldine Ballard and Miss Martha Laxson of Gatesville spent the week end at Purmela with their parents.

Mrs. E. J. Forrest and R. B. and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laxson and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Forrest and Lynn all attended the Chandler reunion at Lampasas, last Sunday.

Rev. Ferguson of Baylor filled the pulpit for Bro. Scott at the morning service Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wecke and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Dyer were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dyer Monday night.

Weekend visitors in the Herbert McCarver home were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Jones, Pat and Peggy of Gatesville.

### TURNERSVILLE

# NEWS

John Cooper and family of Dallas are visiting in the Cooper home J. T. Duncan and wife of Port Arthur were weekend visitors in the Holder home.

J. T. Garren and wife were holiday visitors to Chaudnant, La. They were accompanied by R. E. Bradshaw and wife of Cisco.

Miss Margaret Sue Garren was a holiday visitor to Troy, Texas.

Frank Jones and Mrs. Bobbie Shepherd were Tuesday visitors with Mrs. Emma Jones.

Mesdames L. McDonald and Clarence are home after spending the past month at Yoakum.

Dr. Hawkins and wife, Mr. Knuckles and wife and Mrs. Vela Humes of Itasca, Mrs. Pearl Cooper of Clifton, Mrs. E. O. Harrell and Miss Thelma of Waco, were here to attend the funeral of the lat Mrs. Hatti Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Mayes and family and Dr. and Mrs. Elworth Lowrey and family spent last week in Kerrville on vacation.

Al Lindley of Breckenridge has been visiting his grandfather, N. Pederson of Gatesville, and other relatives.

Al Bennett of Maplewood, La., and formerly with Federated Store here, was a visitor in Gatesville Saturday.

Thursday Night 84 Club Entertained By Mrs. J. O. Brown

The Thursday night 84 Club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brown of 1112 East Main St. Gatesville, Texas.

Each party ring was set with Will Guggolz, Dr. and Mrs. Hamblin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Schloeman Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cross, Mr and Mrs. Jeff Bates, Mrs. C. E. Alvis, Howard Compton, Ed Schloeman.

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PHILIP DORN  
SIR CEDRIC HARDWICKE  
EDGAR BERGEN  
RUDY VALLEE  
BARBARA O'NEIL

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

## Puddin' Head

JUDY CANOVA  
FRANCES LEDERER  
RAYMOND WALBURN  
"SLIM" SUMMERVILLE  
EDDIE FOY, Jr.  
ASTRID ALLWYN  
ALMA KRUEGER

# Regal

Today—Last Day

## SAIGON

ALAN LADD  
VERONICA LAKE  
DOUGLAS DICK  
WALLY CASSELL  
LUTHER ADLER  
MORRIS CARNOVSKY  
MAHAIL RASUMNY  
JANE FRAZEE  
ANDY DEVINE  
BOB NOLAN  
SONS OF THE PIONEERS

Wednesday and Thursday

## To The Victor

DENNIS MORGAN  
VIVECA LINDFORS  
VICTOR FRANZEN  
BRUCE BENNETT  
DOROTHY MALINE  
TOM D'ANDREA

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Tuesday, Wed., Thursday

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## Little Soft, But All All Teams Play In Sunday League

In the League series, 2nd half, Coryell City still stays in the winning column, and blasted out Oglesby in a pretty good game at Coryell City Sunday, with the following results:

Coryell City 12 runs, 11 hits, 3 errors. Oglesby 3 runs, 6 hits, 5 errors.

In the local VFW-Pearl, set-to, the veterans stayed on top, also, clouting out 11 runs to 7 for Pearl which also seems like a nice game.

Over at the Seattle-Pidcoke go, the "so'the'ne's" came out on the came out on the long end of the count, with a 11-7 victory. (It sounds like another game we've heard of).

And another bunch of top hands stayed in the running, Turnersville, topping the northwesterners, Jonesboro 12-1, and the hits were 14 for the winners, and 6 for the losers, the losers making 5 bobbles and the winners none.

In the CHB League, Purlmela nosed out the Aleman boys in a grand game, 6-5, and will be beating their way back into the standing with this kind of play.

### Another Team Enters

Turnersville Buffaloes have joined Coryell City, and will be in a District Championship play-off in Waco. Coryell City had previously entered.

For a practice game, Turnersville goes to De Leon tonight for a game.

## Coryell County Gets Kansas City Break: History to KC

Tho we've only about 30 copies of Frank Simmons' "History of Coryell County", it's still serving its purpose. Now, it's taking Coryell County's bountiful history to Kansas City.

Mr. H. M. Sender, Kansas City book broker, has ordered ten copies for a group of students of Texas & Southwest History, and we've mailed him these ten.

Mr. Simmons wrote this history and the NEWS published it in 1936 after carrying each episode in the columns of the NEWS.

Maybe, either Mr. Simmons, or some other historian is ready for another edition on Coryell County's colorful past.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Pate visited their grand-parents, Mr and Mrs. Pate Williams of Pearl over the week end

Mrs. Lou Graham of Evant is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E E Curry.

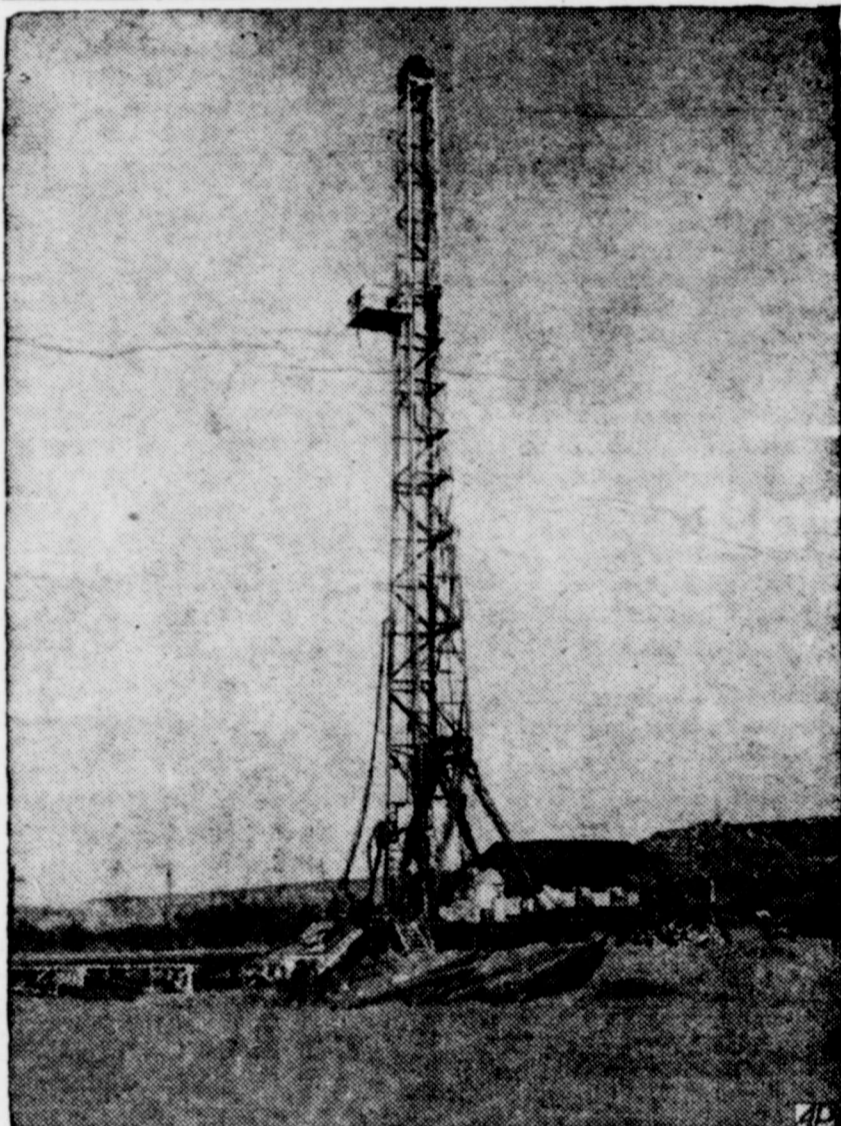
Mr and Mrs E. A. Richerson of Lancaster, California has been visiting her mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davis.

## Post Offices Sell U. S. Savings Bonds



Washington D. C.—Postmaster General Jesse M. Donaldson displays Security Loan poster which will remind millions of Americans as they visit local post offices to buy extra United States Savings Bonds now to build security for themselves and their country.

Mr. and Mrs Douglas Hightower were week end visitors in the G. W. Price home. If you have had visitors lately, call 69, or drop by the NEWS office and tell us about them.



PORTABLE RIG Johnson Lease, Deed 15, about 4 miles north of Borger. This portable drilling rig, standing about 170 feet high, is in operation on the Sinclair Perry Oil, another location. (AP) Photo.

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