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JUDY WRIGHT WINS 3rd. C of C BIKE



The weekend before Christmas proved fruitful for 10 year old Judy Wright of Gatesville. Miss Wright was confident as she stood beside Master of Ceremonies, Lloyd Ivy while he pulled her name from the pile of many. This Saturday drawing attracted the largest crowd of the three drawings, Christmas nearness and many shoppers in Gatesville contributed to the large crowd. Miss Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright of the city, was the only female to join ranks with the two previous winners, Mark Stevens and Graig Burns.

NEWS-MERCHANTS STORK DERBY CONTEST IN 32nd. YEAR

This is the "thirtysecond"! The 32nd. Annual NEWS-MERCHANTS' STORK DERBY CONTEST!

That means, we have thirty-one News - Merchants Stork Derby Contest Winners, and are 'going for the 32nd!' That's thirtyone we are paper grandparents' of and now, going for the THIRTYSECOND!

We have one Negro, so far, no Latin-Americans, and the others are all white. The boys and girls are about equally divided, and they come from all walks of life. Some are already married and have children of their own, and are scattered just about everywhere.

Too, we've never had twins, triplets, quadruplets or quintuplets, and this Stork Derby Contest is the second oldest in the entire USA, probably the world, only being ranked by one year. by The Winchendon (Mass.) Courier which is a newspaper of nearly 100 years of age.

Sponsors, many of which have been with us since the start of these contests in 1937 have been Bennet's Department count Shoe Center, The National Bank of Gatesville, Round-Up-Cafe, Modern Food Mart, City Drug Store, Gatesville and Foster Drug Store, Powell Supply Company, Guarantee Bank and Trust Company, and Morton and Trust Company, Morton

Scott and Son, Mrs. J.B. Graves, Florist, Jones boys inc ltd & Sally Maude, and Coryell County news.

Of course, there could be others and possibly will.

Every contest has rules, and here are the Stork Derby Contest Rules:

1. Parents must NOW live in Coryell County (official resident)
2. Baby MUST be born in Coryell County.
3. A copy of the baby's birth certificate signed by the attending physician must be brought as it will also identify the parents, since we might not know you.
4. These papers must be filed with THE NEWS by 10:30 a.m. January 12, 1968.

Now, here's what the 31 years has brought forth-count'em 31.

- No.1 Gay Glenn Graff '37
- No.2 Harvey Richardson'38
- No.3 Vernon H. Wells '39
- No.4 Sara Lynn Scott '40
- No.5 John Kermit Derrick '41
- No.6 Ray Van Brown '42
- No.7 Glenda Faye Blanchard '43
- No.8 Joyce Marie Featherston '44
- No.9 Cynthia Ann York '45
- No.10 Nancy Catherine Ferguson'46

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Court House News

Herschel Everett, etux. to James Everett, etux, 50 acres in Henry Dillard Survey, City of Copperas Cove. \$2,200

Ronald Piperi to Century Real Estate, Lot A, Block 12 of Revised Subdivision of Nauert Addition, City of Copperas Cove \$10. and other considerations.

H.K. Jackson etux and George Painter, etux. to E. T. Mayes Jr. etux Lot 12 Block 2 of Crestview Addition, City of Gatesville, Norton Survey. \$1,750

Cecil Edward Clark, etux to Dennis G. Schraeder, etux, Lot 16 Block 1 of G.H. Fritz Addition, City of Copperas Cove \$10 and other considerations

Henry Edwards to F.A. Morris East half of lot, Town of Olgesby, James M. Davidson Survey. \$700.

David F. Johnson etux, to Alvin D. Harris, etux, Lot 7 Block 10 Fariview Addition, City of Copperas Cove. \$10 and other considerations.

J.O. Brown to James Dixon Block 19 or Original Town of Gatesville, Henry Farley Survey. \$10. and other considerations.

T.K. Whiteside, etux to A.D. Glover, etux, lot 1 Block 4 of Sawyer Addition, Evant, Texas.

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PLASTIC LINING WILL SAVE MAINTENANCE COST

The City has just completed project to line the water tower on 23rd Street with a plastic coating.

Normal procedure for maintenance of a tower is to repaint and clean when necessary - approximately every 5-6 years. The cost of such an operation normally is \$5,000 to \$7,000 depending on the needed repairs.

The plastic coating process cost \$7,500 and included painting of the exterior of the tower. Mr. Lovejoy, city manager, estimated that the exterior work would cost \$1,500 in itself.

The plastic lining has not been in use long enough to make accurate estimates of its life expectancy. Mr. Lovejoy has made inquires as to the lifetime of the coating and discovered from other city governments that 50-60- years of good service can be expected.

Two cities reported that towers 9 and 13 years old were still in perfect condition with many years of trouble free use were expected.

Estimated savings over a 50 year period in maintenance cost could be as much as \$30,000.

The tower was refilled on De-

ember 28 Thursday ready for full service.

Bids for the new well and pump are still in the evaluation stage a decision to be made at least by the next council meeting.

HOLIDAY DEATH TOLL

National death toll for Christmas weekend totaled 684 persons. Texas and California each recorded 50 deaths when the toll was completed Tuesday.

New Year's weekend is expected to take 540 more persons as stated by the National Safety Council. The Council also stated that 465 persons would die in the 78 hour period between the count periods. The normal holiday travel will involve 7.5 billion vehicles. The Council urges the individual driver to take extra precautions---Christmas is over but New Years is still ahead. It will take the part of all to stop this highway carnage

DRIVE SAFELY AND DRIVE AGAIN!

HOLIDAY CRASH CLAIMS LIVES



Coryell County's worst holiday accident occurred Monday night about 9:30 p.m. The one-car crash left two persons dead and two injured. The crash occurred two miles northeast of town on the old Chicktown Road.

Dead on arrival at Coryell Memorial Hospital was Miss Sherry Jackson, 21, of Gatesville. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Jackson of the city.

Billy Fred Buth died at 1:30 a.m. Tuesday in the local hospital of injuries sustained in the crash. He was the son of

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buth of Coryell City.

The two injured are Sally Maude Jones, 21, of Gatesville and Jimmy Ray Buth, 19, brother of Billy Buth. Miss Jones was reported in good condition with arm and possible back injuries. Buth was listed in fair condition with a broken right leg.

Investigating Highway Patrolman J.K. Hamilton said the car apparently failed to make a curve on the dirt road and struck a tree on the right side of the road. Billy Buth was

listed as driver of the car. Miss Jackson was a graduate of Durham's Business School and was employed at American Amicable Insurance Company of Waco. Funeral services for her were held Wednesday at 4 p.m. with burial in the Restland Cemetery.

Billy Fred Buth was a junior at Texas A & M University. Services for him were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Scott's with burial in the Turnersville Cemetery.

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NEWS

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Mrs. Mat Jones, Editor and Publisher

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IN HOSPITAL

- Mrs. Carol Ann Barton
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- Jimmy Buth
- Merrell Carroll
- J.A. Childers
- S.O. Curry
- Roy Evetts
- A.J. Franks
- W.A. Graham
- Mrs. John Hampton
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\$10 and other considerations. Grady Houlditch Jr. etux to Joe F. Randal, etux, lot 9 Block 1 Valley View Addition, Copperas Cove \$10 and other considerations.

Gene Herring to Mary Herring Lot A block 4 Pidcoke Addition, Gatesville \$10 and other considerations.

Ronnie Yeltan etux to Jackson Heitz, etux, lot 6 Block 1 Highland Heights Addition, Copperas Cove \$10 and other considerations.

Political Announcements

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held May 4, 1968.

JUDGE 10th COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

VIC HALL
McClellan County

For Sheriff:
WINFRED (Windy)
CUMMINGS
(Re-election)

For County Tax Collector:
J. B. (Jack) WHIGHAM
(Second Elective Term)

- From Bids Page 1
- No.11 Jennie Lou Harrington '47
 - No.12 Catherine Ray Hollingsworth '48
 - No.13 Ronald Carl Chambers '49
 - No.14 Gary Don Kinard '50
 - No.15 Glenn Allen Daily '51
 - No.16 Sherri Lynn Culp '52
 - No.17 Robert Mitchell Williams '53
 - No.18 Elizabeth Jan Maxwell '54
 - No.19 Pam Wray Thorp '55
 - No.20 Mary Jo Crow '56
 - No.21 Kathy Lu Allison '57
 - No.22 Joe Pat Pancake '58
 - No.23 Micky Hucabee '59
 - No.24 Robert Vandiver III '60
 - No.25 Harold Gene Watson '61
 - No.26 Elizabeth Ann Wolske '62
 - No.27 Michael Travis Latham '63
 - No.28 Judy Kay Sneed '64
 - No.29 Timothy Craig Veach '65
 - No.30 Kervin Dwain Harrington '66
 - No.31 Shelly Lynn Gaston '67
- NO. 32 WHO ? WHO ?

Presently the contest has 16 boy winners and 15 girl winners. This year by all indications, should be a girl to even up the race again.

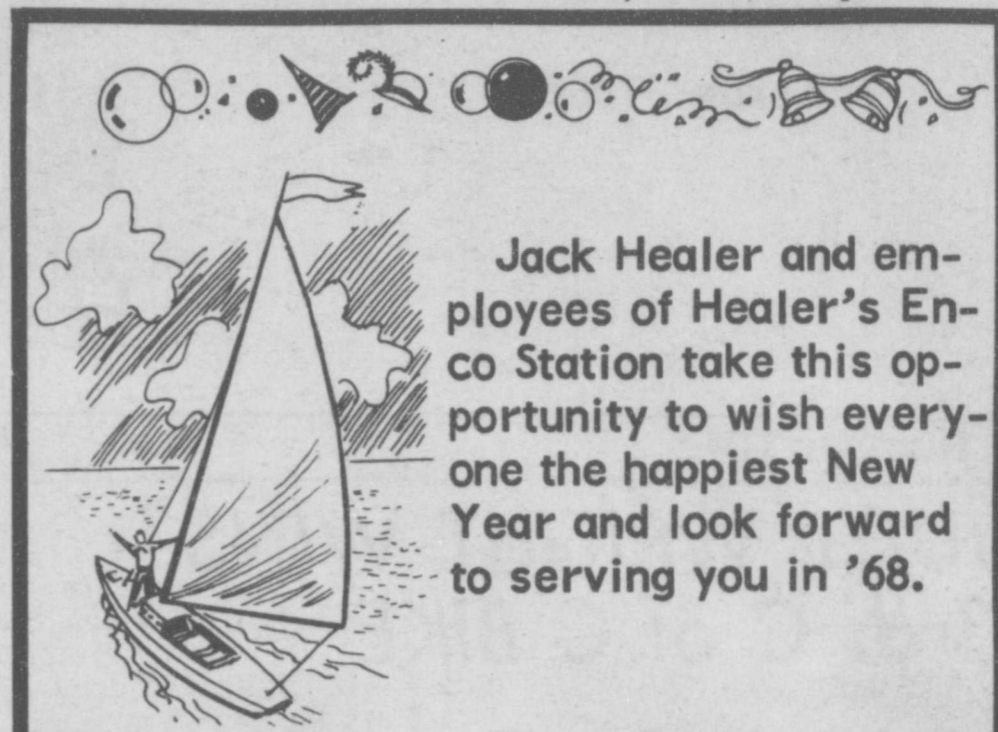
This contest has received national recognition in the past, being noted by Don McNeil of the Breakfast Club, out of Chicago, and the Toni Company when they were featuring their Toni twin Contest, which they have since discontinued. The Breakfast club 2 years, gave gifts and the Toni Twin contest also gave prizes, but we were never able to come up with Toni

the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Hankey said the harbor is "L-shaped," measuring 100 feet by 125 feet with a 50-foot wide boat ramp. A parking area for the facilities is also ready for use.

The new facilities will be used by junters and fishermen coming to the Area and by Area personnel. A new boat house for Area equipment is also planned and will be constructed later.

Twin Girls. All we've got to do now is to wait for the announcement in THE NEWS on January 13, after we've received the required papers January 12. For you 'wagers' a contest like this might interest you! Anyway, it will parents, grandparents, relatives, in-laws and others, and we hope YOU!



Jack Healer and employees of Healer's Enco Station take this opportunity to wish everyone the happiest New Year and look forward to serving you in '68.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

Mrs. C.E. Baize

Funeral services were held at Scott's Funeral Home December 29 at 2 P.M. for Mrs. C.E. (Clae) Baize of Gatesville. Interment was in Restland Cemetery. Rev. Roland McClean officiated.

Mrs. Baize was born July 4, 1888 in Red Rock, Texas. Her father was Jim Petty and her mother was Alcena Ridling. Mr. and Mrs. Baize married in 1904. She was a member of the West Main Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Mrs. Etta Patterson, Mrs. Seta Bryant, Patterson, Mrs. Leta Bryant, Mrs. Quima Schaub all of Gatesville and Mrs. Elaine Bryant of San Antonio; one son, Chess Baize of Muskagee, Oklahoma; 12 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; 3 brothers, Clebe Baize, and Homer Baize of Gatesville, and Jimmy Baize of New Mexico; one sister Mrs. Cuba Nite of Gatesville.

Sherry Darlene Jackson

Funeral services were held at Scott's Funeral Home, December 27, at 4 p.m. for Sherry Darlene Jackson 21, of Gatesville. Rev. Kenneth G. Patrick officiated. Interment was in Restland Cemetery.

She was born December 24, 1946 in Coléman, Texas. Her parents are William H. Jackson and Margaret Kenley Jackson of Gatesville.

Miss Jackson was a member of the First Baptist Church. She was also a member of the Eastern Stars. She graduated from Durham's Business School and was employed at the American Amicable Insurance Company of Waco.

Survivors include her parents; one sister Jan Jackson of Gatesville; one brother, Randal Jackson of Natchitacites, Louisiana; and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Jackson of Douglas, Arizona.

Billy Fred Buth

Funeral services for Billy Fred Buth, 23 of White Hall were held December 27, at 2 p.m. in Scott's Funeral Home. Interment was in Turnersville Cemetery.

He was born January 10, 1944. His parents are Carl Huger Buth and Daire Warren Buth. He was a member of the Liberty Baptist Church and attended Texas A & M University.

Survivors include his parents, two brothers, Eugene Buth of College Station and Jimmy Buth of Gatesville; one sister Wanda Buth of Gatesville.

James O. Necessary

Funeral services were held at Scott's Funeral Home December 27, at 10 a.m. for James Oliver Necessary of Gatesville. Rev. Kenneth Avaritt of Harrison, Arkansas officiated. Interment was in Hemmeline Cemetery.

Mr. Necessary was born January 10, 1899 in Red Rock, Texas. His father was R. Kimee Necessary and his mother was Mary Elizabeth Baize. He was married to the late Dona Etta Martin. He was a member of the Stanlee Chapel Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons, James G. Necessary, Victoria; and Citess Necessary of Houston; 3 grandchildren; four brothers, Moye Necessary, Ed Necessary, Archie Necessary and Dewey Necessary, all of Gatesville; four sisters, Mrs. Ellie Featherston, Gatesville; Mrs. Oneta Davis, Comanche; Mrs. Ora Bartlett, Gatesville; and Mrs. Lella Mae Bellow of Nederland.

Margaret Catherine Ray

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Catherine Ray were held at Scott's Funeral Home at 2 p.m. December 26. Burial was in Restland Cemetery. Rev. Roland McClean officiated.

Mrs. Ray died after being in Baylor Hospital for 3 weeks.

She was born in Alabama in September of 1906. Her father was John Le Croy and her mother was Angeline Boushart. She was married to George Franklin Ray who preceded her in death on January 12, 1950.

Survivors include five sons; Roy Ray, Phoenix, Arizona; Joe Ray and Earl Ray of Odessa, Frank Ray Jr., Colorado Springs, Colorado; and Elmer Ray of Leadville, Colorado; four daughters, Mrs. Leiha Hayman, Houston, Mrs. Angue Wilson, Highlske, Oregon; Mrs. Arlene Rose and Mrs. Earline Ray, both of Dallas; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Other survivors include 2 sisters; Mrs. Grace Huff, Desdemonia and Mrs. Mollie Ballard of Houston.

Ater News

December 26, was the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Timmons

Mrs. Barnett and son, Rufus, spent Christmas Eve day with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Whisenhunt of Pancake and Christmas day with her son, John in Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Helms and their two children, Penny Kay and Rickie, spent Christmas Eve with Mrs. Helms' mother, Mrs. McCasland in Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Timmons had a big day Christmas. Their three grandchildren were there, Scott, his sister Carolyn, and cousin Darin Keith. Also visiting the Timmons home was her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Kind from Waco and Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Upchurch from Houston with their daughter, Penny.

After dinner the whole group went to Killeen to see Mr. and Mrs. Gary Moore. Mrs. Moore is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Timmons.

Christmas night Patsy and Sam Weaver played 84 at the Willie Timmons home.

Happy birthday Aunt Vera, how young are you today?

A great surprise came to Sam Weaver Saturday night. His sister from Sterling City dropped in, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blackman.

In the Ruel Whisenhunt home for the holidays were all the children and grandchildren. All is well. I get it that the Whisenhunts are about ready to move into their new home. It is a pretty little place overlooking the Leon River. This is the second they have built on this plot of ground and they are both very pretty.

Mr. Jeff Buckner and Mrs. June Patterson had visiting in their home for the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Otis Pruitt and Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Lawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Whisenhunt had as their guest, a daughter, Mrs. Henderson from Crane and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Whisenhunt of Pancake.

Mr. Whisenhunt is home from the hospital but not doing well at all.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker took a trip for the holidays. I slipped up I do not know where and I'll have to let you know next time.

Due to eye trouble there will not be a meeting of the Ater Friendship Club on January 2. HAPPY NEW YEAR ALL.

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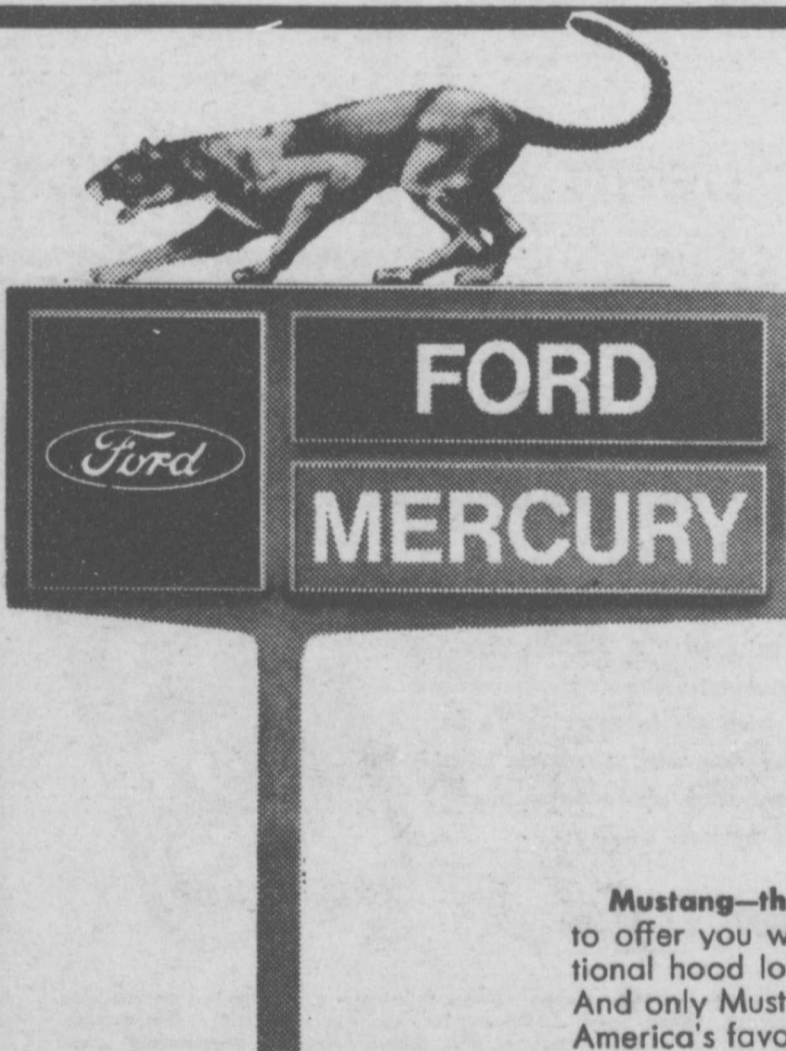
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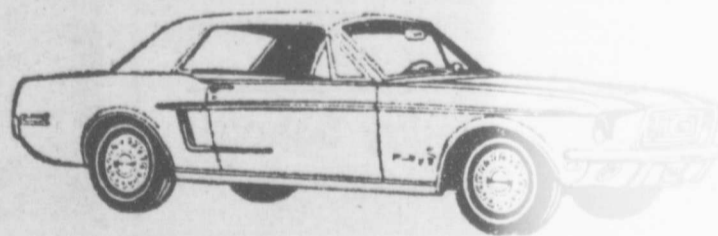
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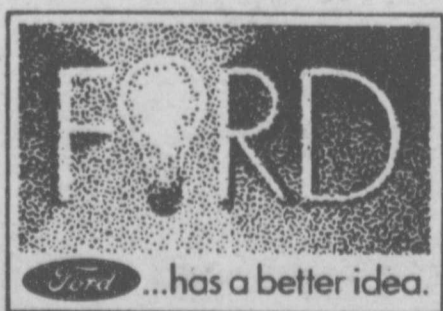
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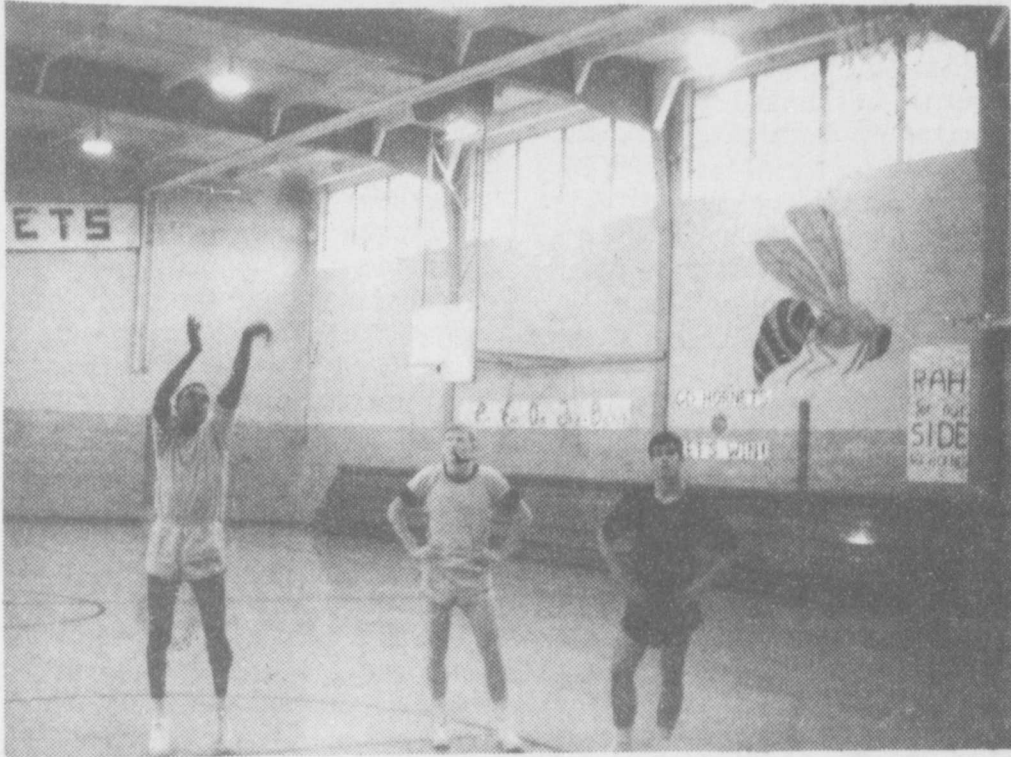


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Hornets Travel To Brownwood Tourney



Hornets work on free throws before leaving for the Howard Payne Christmas Tournament. From left to right are Kenny Gaston, Raymond Cole shooting, Bobby Stovall and Bruce Neely.

The Gatesville Hornet basketball squad left yesterday at 1:00 for the Howard Payne Christmas Basketball tournament.

The tournament is the biggest of the year for the Hornets. There will be sixteen teams playing in two divisions (Classes 4A and 3A; and Classes 2A and 1A).

The locals will be faced with their biggest competition of the year also. First the Hornets will face the defending Champion, Brownwood, in the first round at 7:30 Thursday night.

Should the Hornets make it past the host team they will meet the winner of the Midland Lee High School and Austin High School game 7:30 Friday night.

If the locals lose they will have the loser between Midland Lee and Austin High at 1:00 Friday.

The locals had a contest last week with the Midway Panthers with similar results to the first meeting of the two clubs (a two point loss). The Hornets lead all the way to the beginning of the fourth quarter. The local stanza was fast with the Hornets scoring 18 points and Midway connecting on 20 points.

The Panthers scored a basket with 10 seconds to play and the locals moved down with a chance to put the game in overtime. The shot failed and left the score 60-58.

The scoring for the Hornets was lead by Bobby Cole with

Serving With The ARMED FORCES

Ft. HOOD TEX. (AHTNC) -- Army Staff Sergeant Floyd E. Monical, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Monical, Bellflower, Ill. fired expert with the M-14 rifle at Ft. Hood, Tex., Dec. 14.

The expert rating is the highest mark a soldier can achieve on his rifle qualification test.

Sgt. Monical is a security platoon sergeant with the 2nd Armored Division's 502nd Military Police Company.

His wife, Kathe, lives at 504 Hiway Ave., Copperas Cove, Tex.

Ft. HOOD, TEX., (AHTNC) -- Jerry W. Smith, 20, son of Mrs. Ida Mae Smith, Route 10, Texarkana, Tex., was promoted to Army specialist four Dec. 8 at Ft. Hoof, Tex., where he is serving as a jeep driver assigned to the 628th Transportation Company.

His wife, Linda, lives at 206 Georgetown St. Copperas Cove, Tex.

Mrs. Edna Haley had a nice Christmas. She had her son Von and his family.

COLE RECEIVE MORE FOOTBALL HONORS

Selection of outstanding schoolboy football players from Central Texas has been made



BOBBY COLE

and Gatesville's Bobby Cole ranks among other area boys on the team.

The Waco-Tribune Herald is responsible for the naming of the Super Central All Star Squad. Lists of thousands of the areas top players have been screened and rescreened to come up with the 25 boys who comprise the team.

Central Texas had the best season ever for linemen, 15 of these linemen were selected and they average 205 lbs. per man.

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lic Safety should be tripled in size and that the State Health Department should be made the clearing house for public information on drug use.

WATER IDEA REJECTED

Texas Water Development Board's staff has rejected the idea of moving Missouri River water to West Texas. Proposal is being pushed in Congress by U.S. Sen. John Tower and Cong. Bob Price of Pampa.

It conflicts with the Board's own Texas Water Plan of moving water from the Mississippi River to West Texas to supply future needs. Besides, such a project would require "slack water" operation of the Missouri's navigation system, say board spokesmen.

Lt. Gov. Preston Smith became the first statewide candidate of 1968 to post the \$1,000 filing fee for a place on the Democratic ballot for governor.

Restocking has provided juntable deer population for 42 counties which formerly had few deer, says the Parks and Wildlife Commission.



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Jonesboro Girls Take Connally 53-33



With 3:46 left in the 1st. half, Judy King of Jonesboro takes a free shot to give the Eagles a 22-11 lead over Connally.

The Eagles are playing in the Midway tournament and lost their first game Tuesday night; but they came back with a final score of 53-33 over Connally.

The girls play a third game today at 12:30.

The Jonesboro boys' team continues play today in the championship bracket.

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Of Art

By Charles Ivy

In an effort to keep the GHS student body better informed, this reporter invaded the high school art department, which is one of the more unknown regions of GHS. As I entered this bright, beautifully decorated room, I had but one thought in mind: to find out exactly what lay behind all the beautiful art exhibits which grace the front foyer each year. Mrs. Laura Adams, GHS art instructor and English teacher,

provided the answers to all my layman questions.

Many GHS students are under the false impression that to be eligible to take art one must pass a screening test by producing some great work of art. Actually, first year art is open to all comers. Drawing ability is developed through study and practice. Even if a student can't draw a straight line with a ruler, he will be accepted if he shows a fervent interest in art.

Another misconception is the idea that all one does in art class is draw. In truth, the

class follows a regular planned course of study. This includes a basic study of color, color aspects, color harmony, and color medias, also art theory, art appreciation and the old masters.

Mrs. Adams explained that the high school art program is devised to teach the art of living by seeing and interpreting beauty and then applying it through a chosen media. It also includes the studying of the interpretations of others.

The first year art student is introduced to all aspects of art such as painting, drawing, sculpture, art, crafts, and graphic arts. The second year student selects the one area of art in which he feels he has the most talent and interest. Many students choose to specialize in one of the forms of drawing and painting. This might include color crayons, pastels, water colors, pen and ink drawing or oils.

Each year the high school art department enters various contests sponsored by art studios and galleries in Waco and Temple. The Temple Art Festival, Heart of Texas of Texas Fair and the Coryell County Fair all provide opportunities for display. Many students receive college scholarships for their works. Several students have already commissioned works of art. Even if the student does not win a scholarship or sell a painting, he gains great personal satisfaction and valuable knowledge. Finally, the art course is very beneficial to those entering the field of architecture and interior decorating.

As this reporter wandered over the art room viewing the various art exhibits, he found it difficult to comprehend the thought that all of these beautiful paintings, drawings, sculptures and other works of art were created by fellow GHS students. Most of the exhibits showed a great deal of planning, insight and creative ability. The visit left me with a greater appreciation for the fine job done by the art department and a feeling of surprise in the talent shown by fellow students.

STATE GETS TWO POLLUTION CONVICTIONS

Four pollution cases were completed in October with two convictions and two dismissals according to a report by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department to the Water Quality Board.

The cause of pollution in these cases was oil and salt water entering streams from drilling operations.

Field personnel for the Department received and investigated six water pollution complaints and filed three court cases. A total of three fish

kills were reported: one in the Sabine River in Harrison, Gregg, Panola Counties; one in Big Cypress Creek in Morris County; and one in Highlands Bayou in Galveston County.

Field personnel held six conferences for the prevention or correction of water pollution.


Her daughter, Lillian went to Georgia to visit her son in the Armed Forces.

If anybody see's any of the Dan Coward family, please let me know, Ha! They have been enjoying life and I like that!

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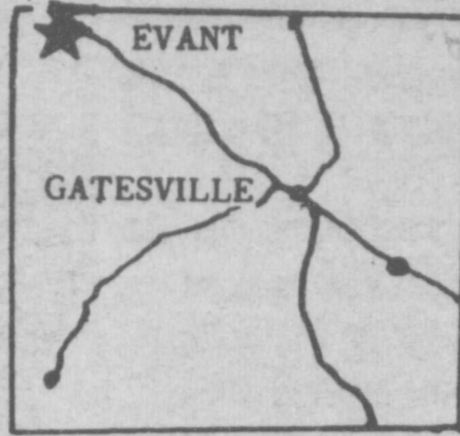
With a New Year left to look forward to, the Christmas presents opened and only the tag on the cards left to ponder, one needs to take off some time to place a real evaluation on Christmas yet. Surely the best part of Christmas is the gift of the heart that we can give away.

What a joy, to have a little boy out of school! He has every day planned and part of the time his parents try to comply and enjoy doing what ever the schedule calls for. Friday, Joe and I took Bryan and visited some of his favorite friends, in Coryell County, Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Gephart, of Purmela. Pop calling on the Adams family, so near night, we were embarrassed not to help with the chores. We did find our former teacher, Walter R. Adams, home for the holidays, from the Temple hospital, and his sister, Mrs. Kate Adams and Houseguest, Mrs. Eula Halcomb, Hereford, all settled down for a cozy holiday.

Mark and Leianna Kreid, children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Kreid came up for the Christmas holidays, on the bus from Waco. This is their first trip, alone, but they confessed they did have a driver! They are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kreid.

Robert Lee and June came up

for Christmas dinner. Overflowing all the baby beds, and stretching out the table at the Owen Lees this weekend are the following of their family: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Howell and six children, Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitsell, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Devon Faubion and children, Lampasas; Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lee and three children, Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pierce, San Angelo; and Mrs. and Mrs. Dude Lee and the O.J. Lees, Evant. A phone call relayed the cries of glee weaving its way over the



home acres.

No casual caller in the Preston Gholson home Sunday afternoon was his brother, Theodore, former Lampasas County sheriff, and now member of San Antonio's law enforcement body. With the presence of young Brvan Kreid to remind them of

the time he broke the law as a child, created so few smiles.. He let "fly" chalk that hit the teacher's newspaper, thereby penetrating same. That was well over fifty years ago. The Theodore Gholsons are constructing a new home on their acreage near San Saba.

Houseguests of the Rev. and Mrs. George Matthews and sons over the weekend and guest with them in Sunday services were two of her nieces, the Misses Ceasers and her aunt, Mrs. Frances Wilson, of the Temple area.

Wilson is a good "home town" name and good to see is another home for the holidays, Spc. 4 Robert Wilson, who is stationed in Germany. He is

visiting his mother, Mrs. Tilda Wilson, his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Wall and their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O.Z. Wilson.

The simplicity of a rural setting, however, not to be taken too lightly, was the first of Pearl Methodist Church's Christmas Pageants, Friday evening. Together with the side features, it was well attended, and some visitors left their cars to participate in building and enjoying a huge bon-fire. Of the living creatures taking part was "Bobo", the tine deer, and a white donkey, acting in keeping with the species, each had to be corrected or corralled as the case may have been, but all went well and was appreciated.



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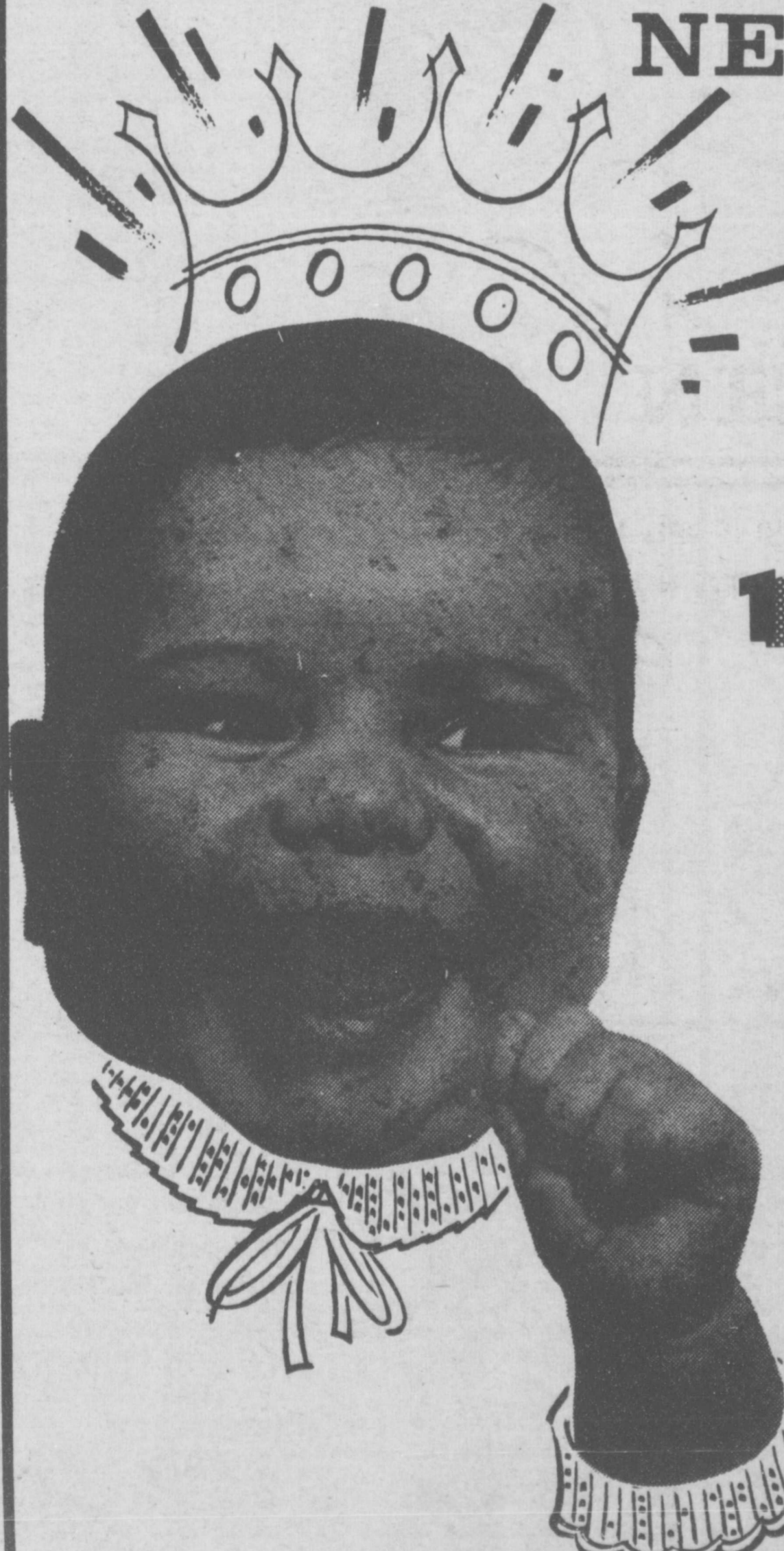

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