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Miss Cindy Carol Diserens Is 1968's Stork Derby Winner

The 1968 version of the Coryell County News-Merchants Stork Derby contest is completed. Miss Cindy Carol Diserens in this year's winner. Cindy Carol was born January 9, at 10:30 a.m. Cindy weighed in at 7 pounds 11 ounces, 7 and 11 - good number to be sure.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Diserens Jr. live on Route 2 south of Gatesville. They have three other children, Lesa Gayle, 4 years old, Judy Lynn 2 years old and Tammy Sue 1 year old.

Mr. Diserens is a carpenter contractor presently working in the Copperas Cove area. Mrs. Diserens is a housewife, now with four "bundles of joy" to look after.

We thought when our 25th baby came, we'd have a family reunion but just never did get to it, and the addresses of all them mostly are gone. A lot are married and have children of

their own and it won't be long before some of them are grandparents. So, now, we are 'paper grandparents to 33 youngsters.

Bless Miss No. 32! Now who is going to be Miss or Mr. 33?

If one of the Gastons or their representative will come to the NEWS office, they can pick up a letter of introduction, and a list of donors who will be pleased to see them, and to give them their prizes, or gifts. Mr. or Miss 1968.

During this period of time, from 1937 to 1968, we have been unfortunates in only one instance, and only one of our winners has died. That is a considerable record. That was Gary Don Kindard, our winner in 1950. During the same period, we have had only one colored baby, and that was Mary Jo Crow. So far, we've not had a Latin-American winner.

This contest, started in 1937, in the 2nd oldest in the entire USA and possible, the world-the

oldest being the one conducted by The Winchendon (Mass.) Courier, a newspaper which is around 100 years old, and ours is only thirty-six years old.

Many of our supporting merchants have stayed with us thru the years we have had the contest, and here are the ones we've depended on thru these years - Bennet's Department Store, Discount Choe 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, J. B. Graves, Florist, Jones Inc Ltd & Sally Maude, and Coryell County News.

Of course there's nothing exclusive in the "Baby Club" and, any and all other merchants are invited to join. We run a small advertisement twice for each merchant, and they give a small present to the winning baby. Of course in case of multiple births the gifts would be matched, even up to 'quadruplets' or 'quintuplets'! Who knows, it might happen.

Contest rules are a necessity in any contest, and particularly in this one, due to the large area of the county, and offer the difficulty in getting around to comply with the regulations. Here they are:

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 to THE NEWS as it will also identify the parents in case we do not know you.
4. These papers must be filed with THE NEWS by 10:30 a.m. January 12, 1968.

THE FLU BUG EMPTIES CLASS- ROOMS IN SCHOOLS

This week the flu bug officially hit Gatesville with powerful force. Coupled with the bad weather of the last two weeks and the highly contagious flu bug the attendance and faculty dropped sharply.

Gatesville High School Principal, Sidney Pruitt reported that 313 students were absent from Gatesville Schools Wednesday and by Wednesday afternoon the total had risen to 320 absentees, greater than 17% of the average daily attendance.

Mr. Pruitt said that one faculty member from the High School was absent. Two faculty members from Elementary School were not in attendance said

See DISMISSED page 4.

Pat Hollingsworth is Appointed Commissioner of Precinct #2

Wednesday, January 10, it was announced by County Judge, Norman C. Storm, appointed

Mr. Pat N. Hollingsworth of Gatesville, Commissioner of Precinct #2 to fill the vacancy created by the death of Commissioner Roy Evetts.

Under Vernon's Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, article 2341, the appointment will be until the next General Election. In this case until November 1968.

Mr. Hollingsworth, 48, is a native of Coryell County and for 30 years was associated with the grocery business in Gatesville. He owned Hollingsworth Food Mart for 12 years before excepting the Civil Defense position October 1, 1967.

Mr. Hollingsworth was a member of the U.S. Army in the Pacific Theater during World War II. He is a past President of the Chamber of See COMMISSIONER page 2.

Jan. 30 Election Day In Cove

The Commissioners court reconvened Tuesday January 9, 1968 to hear Mr. Bob Royal's petition for a local option election on the sale of alcoholic beverages off premiss in Copperas Cove.

The necessary signatures were checked by the court. The Court set the election date as, Tuesday January 30. The date was selected to remove confusion as to who can vote in the election. Only those who voted in the last gubernatorial election can qualify as voters. This year's registration will not qualify voters.

It was established that the polls would be open at normal hours (8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.) on January 30. The polling station was set as the Fire Station in Copperas Cove.

Approximately 1000 voters are expected to participate in the election.

NEW APPOINTMENTS MADE IN DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

The Coryell County Democratic Executive Committee met in a special session Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 to make the following appointments to fill existing vacancies.

Mr. Charles Powell of Gatesville was appointed Democratic Chairman for Coryell County replacing Mr. Pat Hollingsworth of Gatesville, who resigned recently.

Mr. Leo Spross of Coryell City was appointed Precinct Chairman for the Second Precinct replacing Mr. Charles Spross, deceased.

Mr. Jaime Erwin was appointed Precinct Chairman for the First Precinct replacing Mr. H.K. Jackson Jr.

Each of the appointed officials will file in the May Democratic Primary.



Mr. and Mrs. Walter Diserens of RFD Rout #2 Gatesville with their new daughter "Cindy Carol"-Stork Derby Winner

TOURISM CAN BE AN IMPORTANT SOURCE OF INCOME

The regular meeting of the Gatesville Lions club was held at the First Methodist Church of Gatesville Wednesday noon.

The noon luncheon program chairman was Mr. Sam Powell Jr. Lion Powell introduced Phil Davis, chief of community relations for the Texas Tourist Development Agency, who spoke in the area of Tourist Development.

An interesting point brought out in Mr. David's talk was the fact that tourist trade averaging 24 persons for a 24 hour period every day of the year was equivalent to an industrial payroll of \$100,000.

Mr. Davis pointed out that the "Tourist" dollar amounted to approximately \$30 billion

in 1966 and asked the local Lions how much of that money came to Gatesville?

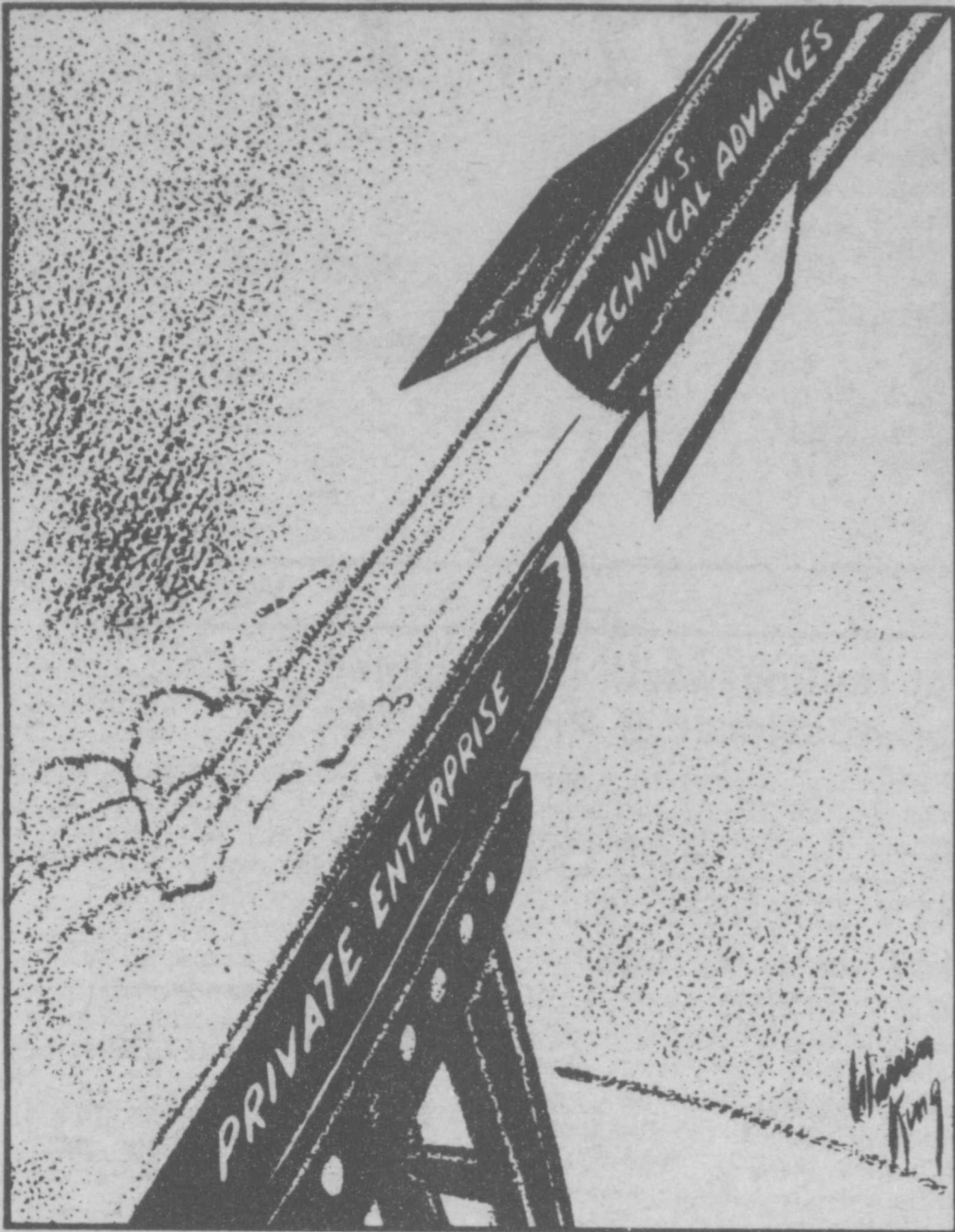
Estimates are that 19 million tourist came to Texas in 1966 and brought in \$1 billion. How much came to Gatesville?

The Tourist Development Agency of Texas is looking for this 1966 figure to double in 1968. Many conventions, the Hemisfair, and the 1968 Summer Olympics in Mexico City Mexico, will increase tourism in and through Texas.

The economic value of the tourist dollar is tremendous. Mr. Davis pointed out that the "tourist dollar" is a "new dollar" and can turnover 7 or

See TOURISM page 2.

THE LAUNCHING PAD



THE TECHNOLOGICAL EXPLOSION

Have you attempted to assist your youngster with his science homework lately? If you have, you probably have been impressed by the rapid advance in technical knowledge. Actually these advancements in the last twenty years have surpassed the entire previous span of civilization.

For a few current examples: new drugs have reduced diseases to record lows, computers process complicated information in split seconds, satellite communication encompasses the world. It hardly needs to be pointed out that those inventions and discoveries have come essentially through the direct contributions by creative individuals in American industry.

Although this may seem to be obvious, there is a body of opinion maintaining that government will be the major sponsor of invention and innovation in the years to come.

The government of course has a place in research and development. But it should never be forgotten that the general technical pre-eminence of America, whether it be evidenced by the latest work-saving appliances, life-saving drugs, or new products affecting our work and pleasure, has been fostered by the private enterprise system which is the foundation of industrial progress in this country.

CITY COUNCIL

forcement officers to issue warnings at first to try to improve the situation. If all else fails the instructions are to consider the autos abandon or using the street for a garage.

The Memorial Cemetery fund has accumulated \$1,485.14 but local officials expect the fund to someday be the source of funds for all maintenance of cemeteries and possible the financial source for acquiring new land for the city cemeteries.

Jan. Last Day for Allotments

January 15, 1968 is the last day to make an application for a new-growers cotton allotment. To be eligible for a new-growers allotment the farm must not now have a cotton allotment and the owner or operator must not be working another farm that has a cotton allotment on it for 1968.

All wool, mohair and unshorn lambs sales receipts from January 1, 1967 through December 31, 1967 should be turned in to the ASCS office not later than January 31, 1968 in order to be eligible for incentive payment. Payments will probably be made about April 1, 1968 for those timely reported.

Coryell County ASCS office has had 172 persons to visit the office since the 2nd of January. A majority of the visits were to turn in sales receipts on wool, mohair or unshorn lambs, or to request cost-sharing on ACP practices. Most of the ACP applications were for sprigging Coastal Bermuda this winter and spring. Some of the applications were for cross fencing pastures, drilling wells, digging earthen dams, dozing cedar or brush. Applications are still being taken, however, no applications can be approved until funds are made available.

Many of the things we worry about the most never happen, and we hope this holds true of the latest predictions in men's fashions.

TOURISM

8 time before it loses its effectiveness. These economic terms mean that they can effect 7 or 8 business transactions before they lose additional value to the community.

The Lions Club got off to a red-letter start at its first meeting of the new year by voting in three new members. And excellent Lions they'll make! They are Roland Burke, deputy sheriff; Bob Edwards, who is in the insurance business; and Curtis Logan, local accountant.

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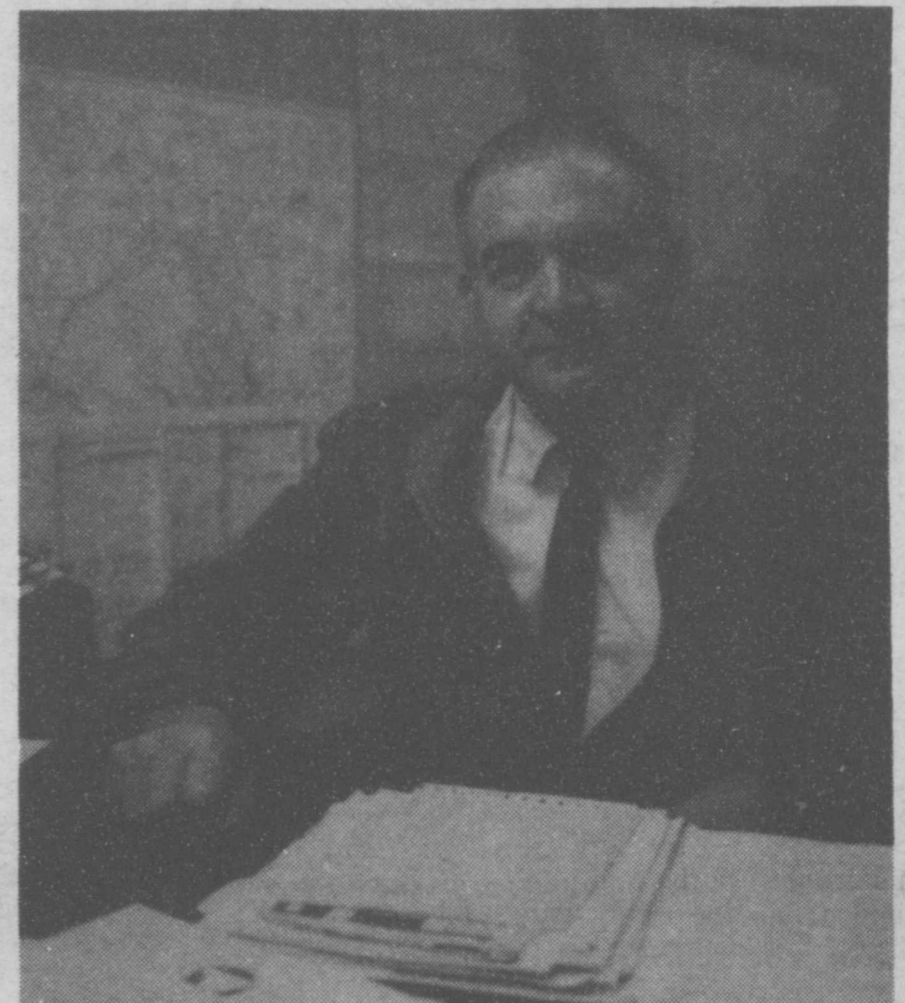


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PAT HOLLINGSWORTH

COMMISSIONER

Commerce and a nominee for Man of the Year in Gatesville in 1960.

He lives in Gatesville with his wife, Ella, and his daughter Vicki at 303 South Sixth Street.

The job of Commissioner covers two main areas, County Commissioners Court and County road maintenance in Precincts.

The Second Precinct is bounded on the east by Coryell Creek to the Leon River then east taking in Mother Neff State Park to the Bell County line. On the South by the Fort Hood reservation and the county line. On the West the Precinct is bounded by farm Road 116. The northern boundary in U.S. 84 east to Coryell Creek.

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			STATE	COUNTY	CITY	

If under 21, show date of birth _____

If resident of state less than 1 year, show date of arrival _____

If resident of county less than 6 months, show date of arrival _____

Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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I understand that the giving of false information to procure the registration of a voter is a felony.

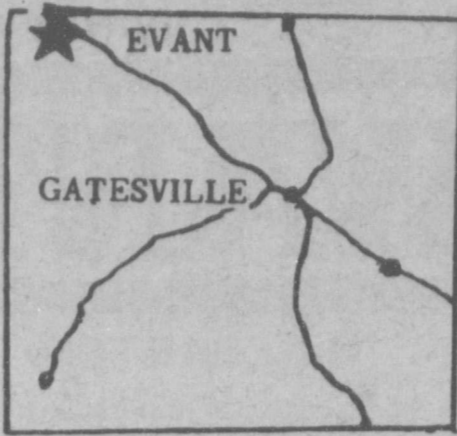
**No one can act as agent and sign for another except husband, wife, father, mother, son or daughter. Agent must be qualified elector in county.
Note: Return this application to the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

Signature of applicant or agent** _____

Agent's address _____

Agent's relationship to applicant _____

EVANT NEWS



Cornelia Kreid

Funny things happen, and its a good thing. . . So many serious ones are in this news, I hate to write it. I am more interested in good news, than bad, as I have said before, if I have to make it up.

Some ask how I get the news; I tell them I twist arms of the readers; some say they like it--others do not. Anybody want a good job?

Chicken pox, bad colds and some flu as well as mumps are playing their part in helping keep little boys and girls out of school. I like to think this is bad; to listen to "I hate school", makes one think it is good to hear of sick children. Once I heard of one little boy who had to stay home so long, he needed an outlet so badly he climbed upon the refrigerator to eat his meals. . . and that is a fact.

It was colllldd! Sunday morning, services were cut short and limited in attendance, due to 18 or below temperatures. Attendance at the socials may have been worse, but I was not there to see.

Preston Gholson has returned home from Rollins-Brook Hospital, where he spent several days. He is better and his pups and wife are real glad he is home, he agrees.

Evant Ind. School closed Monday due to sleet and slick roads.

Mrs. Walter Coffey has just returned from her sister's, Mrs. Hester Lindsey, San Antonio, where she spent some ten days, following the death of her nephew, Morros Lindsey, age 51. Attending the service, also from Evant community, were Mr. and Mrs. Esker W. Coffey, son and daughter-in-law of Mrs. Coffey.

Home from the Providence Hospital, Waco, is Mrs. Ben Williams.

Remaining in the Gatesville hospital is Mr. Evant Brooks, and in the Hamilton County General Hospital, is Mr. Allen Campbell.

In addition to the station wagon that has brought mystery to all of Evant, there was a second fire call within the last week, that was answered by Evant Fire Department. The wagon was a total loss; at last investigation, the officers were still investigating as to the ownership, as no one could be found to admit they owned it.

On Friday night, a chicken house on the James Flippins place, eight miles northwest of Evant burned to the ground, with its contents. The project of F.F.A. member, Jimmy Flippins, the young chicks and house were set at an estimated \$300.00 Mr. Flippins stated that the probable cause of the fire was a heat bulb that may have come too near the litter.

Mrs. Minnie Chambers, Izora Community resident, was buried Sunday afternoon, from Evant Funeral Home Chapel, in Hillsdale Cemetery. She was 91 and a resident of January Care Home at the time of her death.

Jesse Hammett, brother of Mrs. Hugh James, was buried Saturday in Hillsdale Cemetery.

Friday, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bates, Hamilton, was buried at Murphree Cemetery, following services at Evant Funeral Home. She was the great-grandchild also of Mr. and Mrs. John Massengil, Evant. The child was born in Hamilton County General Hospital and lived twelve days, after being diagnosed as a heart patient. She died in a Waco hospital. She is survived by her parents and two tsisters, in addition to her grandparents.

The wedding of Miss Sharon Persons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S.T. Persons, Austin, on December 30, is news to the Evant news readers. Sharon is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee, Married to Steve Phillips, Austin, in the First Methodist Church, in Austin, Sharon Persons was given in marriage by her father, and was favored by her brother, Esteen serving as bestman to her bridegroom. Her grandmother, Mrs. Frank Lee, Evant, was a guest at the wedding. Both the young people are junior students in State University, where they will continue their studies.

Sharon and her family have spent much time visiting in the home of relatives in Evant community.

Mrs. Nettie Clamp, a former patient of January Care Home, died December 23, at Waco. She was a sister of the late, Mrs. Bertha Whistler, and aunt of Mrs. Zena Loden's of Evant. Mrs. Clamp and Mrs. Whistler were in the local care home, for about one year.

Mrs. Mary Farmer, wife of the late J.D. Farmer, Methodist minister, died Thursday, January 4, after a lengthy illness in Eventide Rest Home, San Saba, and was buried Friday in Murphree Cemetery, following funeral services at Evant Methodist Church, at 2:00 p.m.

Survivors are four daughters, Mrs. John Ellison, Cherokee; Mrs. Cleo Cathy, Denver, Colorado; Mrs. Antone Freeman, Richardson; and Mrs. T.C. Shurtleff, Austin. Two sons, Woodson Farmer, Austin, and John D. Farmer, Irving, also surviving as well as 12 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

The Farmers made their home in the Methodist parsonage, for three years, about 25 years ago, when he held the local church, and at the end of his ministry, some ten years ago, they bought and remodeled a house north of town and moved to it, making their last few years, together in the Evant community. Mrs. Farmer, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Massey moved to this area at the age of five, and grew up, married, and began her home life, all within a few miles of Evant. "Dee" Farmer, as her late husband was known, was not a minister, when they married, but became one of the most influential of the frontier preachers, in what was then the unsettled West. They celebrated both their fiftieth and sixtieth wedding anniversaries. The latter being at their home in Evant community; the former, at Harper, in west Texas.

Mrs. F.B. Jurney has received news that two of her brother-in-laws have passed away.

Allen Jurney of California died January 1st of a heart attack. He once lived in Hamilton County.

Also Mr. Ross White of California passed away January 1st He was the husband of the former Selma Jurney. She lived in the Hamilton area also. He died of a heart attack also.

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WILLIAM JESSE HAMMETT

William Jesse Hammett, 73, a life time resident of Izora was born January 19, 1894 son of the late Annie and Wyatt Hammett. Passed away at his home January 4, 1968.

November 24, 1967 he was married to Mrs. Lena Humphrey who survives him he is also survived by 3 sisters: Mrs. Addie Smith and Mrs. Lizzie Finigan of Izora, Mrs. Josie James of Evant and 7 step children: Otto J. Humphrey and Mrs. O.L. Carlile of Weatherford, Dee Humphrey, Dallas, Mrs. H.A. Justice, Post, Texas, Mrs. J.E. Trimble, Colorado City, Mrs. J.W. Hearn, and Bob Humphrey of Lubbock. Two nephews: Kelvon Smith, Copperas Cove and Willis Dale Warner of Nederland. Three great nephews and 1 great niece and a host of friends.

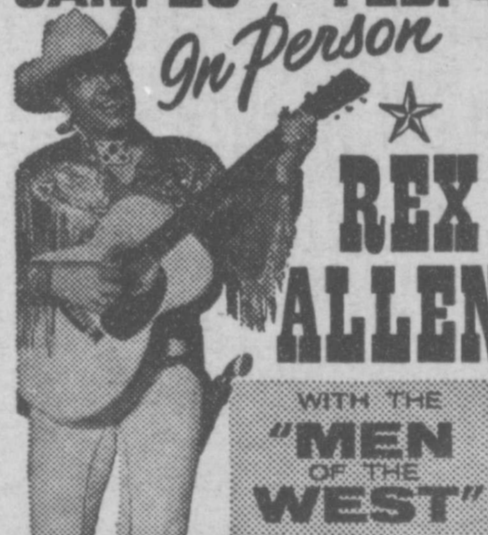
He was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Flippen and family would like to thank the Evant Fire Department, friends and neighbors for coming out and helping put out the fire that destroyed Jimmy's F.F.A. chickens and house that was completely destroyed.

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Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 3:00 p.m. from Evant Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Dick Derrick officiating.

Burial was in Hillsdale cemetery with Evant Funeral Home in charge.

Pallbearers were: Kelvon Smith, Percy Littlefield, James Higgins, Jim Hearne, Howard Justice, Fred Blakley, Lee Carroll and Willis Dale Warner.

MINNIE BELL CHAMBERS

Minnie Bell Chambers was born September 23, 1873 in Miami County Kansas, passed away January 5, 1968. She came to Texas with her parents at the age of one, she lived in and around Izora all her life.

She was married to Andrew Jackson Chambers in the year 1889 to this union 10 children were born. She was preceded in death by her husband and one son.

She is survived by four sons and five daughters, Elmer, Roy, T.J. and Ola Rambo of Izora, Maggie Littlefield and Ada Fowler of Copperas Cove, Clara Carbin of Ada, Oklahoma, Ire-

land Chambers of Dallas, Alpha Hullum of Burnet. She is also survived by 20 living grandchildren 44 great-grandchildren and 5 great great grandchildren. One brother, John Upton of Izora and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. from Evant Funeral Home with Bro. T.O. Darling officiating.

Burial was in Hillsdale Cemetery under the direction of Evant Funeral Home.

Pallbearers: Allen Fowler, Larry Corbin, A.J. Littlefield, Durth Chamber, R.C. Hullum, Thomas Hullum, Orlanda Fowler, and Gerald Fowler.

Mrs. Fred Mayberry has returned home after spending the Christmas holidays with her sons Fred and family in Eagle Pass and Jack and family in Austin.

The U.S. farmer is currently feeding 200 million Americans, 60 million Indians, and 100 million others around the world, reports the Arizona Farm Bureau Federation.

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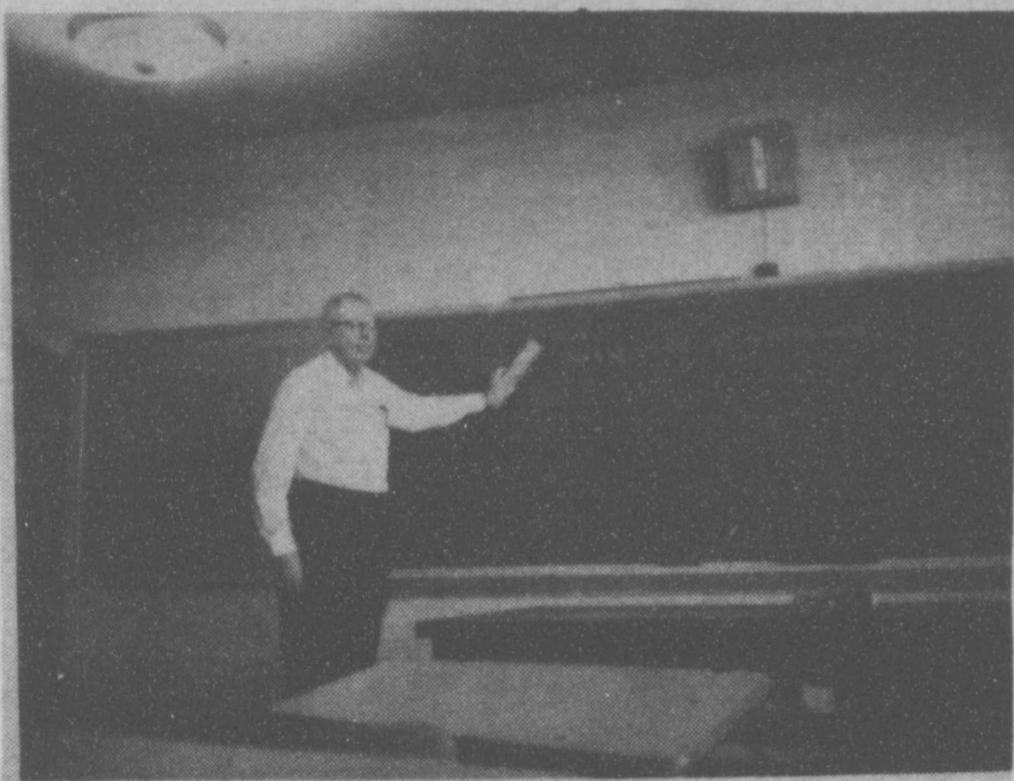
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DISMISSED

Principal O.D. Bates, Principal of the Junior High School, Glen Wittenburg reported one faculty chair vacated by the flu.

Mr. Pruitt explained that because of the great number of absentees the school was forced to close to prevent the average daily attendance from dropping sharply enough to cause loss of faculty members. Plus with mid-term exams scheduled for next week, the extra time will give the students a chance to recover.

The absence of classes at Gatesville schools will cause

the system to remain open for probably three extra days in May said Puritt. Mr. Pruitt reported that the seniors will be dismissed on the scheduled date but the rest of the students will make up the days. This changes the school dismissal date from May 24 to May 27 or 28.

Also to enable Mid-term examinations enough time two extra days will be taken for their administration.

The district (basketball) game between the Gatesville High School Hornets and the Tigers of Belton High School will be held Friday night at 7:30 p.m. in the G.H.S. gym even though the schools are closed said Pruitt.

O.A. BARTON

O.A. Barton of Routel, Gatesville died at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday in a Killeen Hospital. He was 75.

Funeral services for Mr. Barton were held at 1:00 p.m. Thursday in Wilkerson and Hatch Funeral Chapel with Dr. Ken Hay of Dallas officiating. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mr. Barton was born in Riesel and attended school in the Marlin School District. He was employed by the First State Bank of Riesel. He married Edna Bohannon in 1914.

After 20 years at the Riesel bank Barton moved to Marfa where he was Vice President of the Marfa National Bank. In 1952 Barton retired and moved to Waco where he was associated with F.J. Guthrie and Company. After six years with the firm Barton moved to Gatesville.

Mr. Barton had been ill for about seven years.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Col. William B. Barton of Austin and O.A. Barton Jr. of Denton; three sisters, Mrs. H. B. Cannon of Fort Worth, Miss Minnie Sue Barton of 2505 North Fifteen A Street and Mrs. James D. Barton of Fort Worth; three brothers, F.W. Barton of San Angelo, John B. Barton of Riesel and James W. Barton of Gatesville, two grandchildren.

MRS. O.W. GREENE

Mrs. O.W. Greene of San Angelo, died Monday night in a San Angelo Hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Greene was the former Irene Schley of Gatesville.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. in Johnson Funeral Chapel in San Angelo with burial in San Angelo Cemetery.

Mrs. Greene is survived by her husband Ossie W. Greene of San Angelo; two daughters, Mrs. Jock March of San Angelo, and Mrs. Phil Bladine of McMinnville, Oregon, and a sister Mrs. Virgil E. Curry of Waco.

FRED KOCH SR.

Fred Koch Sr. of 1212 Bridge Street, Gatesville, died at 2:30 a.m. in Coryell Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. Mr. Koch was 83 years of age.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church of Gatesville. Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiated and burial was in Hemmeline Cemetery.

Mr. Koch was a retired farmer who moved to Gatesville 10 years ago. He lived most of his life in the Plainview Community.

Surviving relatives include four sons, Gus A. Koch of Waco, Fred Koch Jr. of Gatesville, Roland Koch of Bridgeport and Alvin Koch of Dallas; five daughters, Mrs. Ed Lengefeld of El Campo, Mrs. G.P. Schaub, Mrs. Clovis King and Mrs. Gus Schloeman all of Gatesville; a brother Albert Koch of Fort Worth; 23 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

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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.

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Coryell County Youth Show Will Be Held Feb. 2 & 3

DON W. CALLAHAN
The Annual Coryell County Youth Show and Home Economics Show will be held February 2 and 3rd at the Community Center in Gatesville. Animals will begin moving in Thursday evening February 1. Judging will begin at 10:00 a.m. on February 2 and Rabbit Judging and Judging of Home Economics Division. At 10:00 a.m. will also start the Judging of the Junior Horse Division--At 1:30 will be the Dairy Judging following the Dairy Judging will be Swine, Poultry and Beef Cattle division.
On Saturday beginning at 8:30 the Sheep judging will begin and following the Fat lambs and breeding classes of sheep the Goat division will conclude the judging of the show. All animals

will be released at 2:30 on February 3rd.
All youth presently enrolled in 4-H and F.F.A., and attending schools in Coryell County are eligible to participate in the Coryell County Youth Show.
Judges for the various divisions are being contacted by the Superintendents of each division.
There will be a grass judging for 4-H and F.F.A. teams at 9:00 a.m. on February 3rd. This judging event is sponsored by the Coryell-Hamilton Soil Conservation District.

Miscible Oil Used to Improve Fruit Quality

Don W. Callahan
County Agent
Now is the time to control Scale in peach, plum and apricot trees. Control of this disease will increase fruit production for the coming spring and increase the vigor of these orchards said, Don Callahan, Coryell County Agriculture Agent.
For the Commercial growers use 4 gallons of 97% Miscible Oil to 100 gallons of water. For home growers with four or five trees use 1 pint of the 97% Miscible Oil in 5 gallons of water.
Now is also a good time to prune peach trees before spraying for scale, severe pruning needs to be done on trees that have never pruned. Fruit yields will be reduced but the quality of fruit increased.
Also clearing up the orchard removing all dead trees and setting out trees can be done at this time of the year.

AUTO HISTORY
In 1895 there were only 300 privately owned automobiles in the United States, of which only four were manufactured in this country.
Reforestation and timber stand improvement work were carried out on 164,000 acres of National Forest lands in the Pacific Northwest Region in fiscal year 1967. This represents an 8 percent increase over the 150,000 acres where work was done the previous year, reports Mr. Chares A. Connaughton, Regional Forester, U.S. Forest Service.

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Mid 50's HOLD NATIONS WEALTH

Life begins in the mid-50's not at 40, if you judge happiness in terms of money. That conclusion may be drawn from the January FINANCE FACTS, a monthly newsletter on consumer behavior, published by the National Consumer Finance Association.
The newsletter reported that the average age of the top wealth holders in the United States is the mid-50's. For married men and women, and single men it is the early 50's, for single women the late 50's, and for widowed men and women the late 60's.
Top wealth holders are defined by the Internal Revenue Service as those with gross assets of \$60,000 or more. According to the IRS survey made in 1962 there were 4.1 million people in this category.
About 2.5 million were men with average asset holdings of \$173,000, while the 1.6 million women were wealthier with an average of \$196,000 in assets. A total of 84 per cent of the men were married as compared to only 48 per cent of the women.
The men are more inclined than women to own real estate, notes, mortgages, insurance and annuities, FINANCE FACTS reported. But proportionately more women own bonds and corporate stock.
Insurance was the greatest difference in ownership--87 per cent of the men had some insurance but only 46 per cent of the women. For men, debts too0 up some 14 per cent of assets compared to 7 per cent for the women, the newsletter said.

The NEWS is \$1.00

NEWSPAPERS PROVE INTERESTING TO COWS ?

A mixture of ground-up newspaper and molasses was fed to a test group of heifers for 56 days in an experiment by dairy scientists at Pennsylvania State University. And believe it or not it made good cattle feed. These cows digested the mixture--at the rate of two and a half pounds of newsprint daily -- just as well as a controlled group of heifers digested a standard high-quality feed supplement. Both groups of heifers **USUAL CALORIE NEED**
Normally active housewives between the ages of 20 and 35 need 2,100 calories a day. Those between 35 and 55 need 1,900 calories daily.
A Mongolian newspaper, Novosti Mongolii, recently confirmed their presence in a report on a parade in Ulan Bator, the Mongolian capital.
LBJ has his critics, but no man who can marry off two daughters without borrowing money can be called fiscally irresponsible.

were fed conventional corn silage along with the supplement. It is predicted by Dr. Earl M. Kesler, professor of dairy science, that a newsprint-molasses mixture could help alleviate the expected world food deficit by making available a cheap and nutritious and cows can digest molasses better when it's mixed with newsprint. Furthermore newsprint provides the kind of fiber the animals need. What affect the mixture had on the milk was not mentioned but evidently there was no appreciable difference in the quality or quantity.

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IRELAND NEWS

Funeral services for three former residents of Ireland were held the past week.
Rev. Hayden Edward who was born and raised in Ireland, passed away January 1 at his home in Ft. Worth. Funeral services were held Wednesday in Ft. Worth.
Fletcher Patterson of Waco, also a former resident of Ireland, passed away in a Marlin Hospital Wednesday after an extended illness. Services were held on Friday in Waco.
Mrs. Henry Austin of Buene passed away Wednesday. She was the sister-in-law of Miss Hattie Austin and had lived here. Services were held on Thursday at Buene for Mrs. Austin.
Mrs. Ada Hardcastle attended funeral services Friday in Waco for her brother, Fletcher Patterson. Lorene Walker spent Friday with Mrs. Otis Chambers in Gatesville. Friday night Mrs. Hardcastle and Lorene Stayed with Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Hardcastle of Arnett, with Mrs. Otis Chambers in Gatesville. Friday night Mrs. Hardcastle and Lorene stayed with Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Hardcastle of Arnett.
Rev. and Mrs. George Lunsford of Brownwood called on Mrs. Ada Hardcastle and Lorene Sunday.
Dr. J.W. Sprinkle, district superintendent, preached at the Methodist Church Sunday morning.
Mrs. Joe C. Faubion and Tommy visited Mrs. R.B. Richmond and family Sunday afternoon.

Among those on the sick list are Martin Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Wilson, Mrs. Marshall Davis and Mrs. J.L. Turner.

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RESOURCES	Dec. 30, 1967	Dec. 31, 1966
Loans and Discounts, Net.....	\$3,062,121.62	\$2,549,469.44
Bank Premises.....	36,000.00	42,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	15,000.00	20,000.00
Cash and Deposits with other banks.....	816,565.07	1,037,532.42
United States Government Obligations.....	1,367,180.98	1,083,855.98
Other Bonds and Securities.....	2,880,427.75	2,328,835.49
Other Assets.....	13,752.54	10,584.27
TOTAL.....	\$8,191,047.96	\$7,072,277.60

LIABILITIES	Dec. 30, 1967	Dec. 31, 1966
Capital Stock.....	\$144,000.00	120,000.00
Surplus.....	200,000.00	200,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	62,184.21	70,701.28
Reserve for Contingencies.....	150,000.00	125,000.00
Reserve for Taxes.....	12,200.00	10,200.00
Deposits	7,622,663.75	6,546,376.32
TOTAL.....	\$8,191,047.96	\$7,072,277.60

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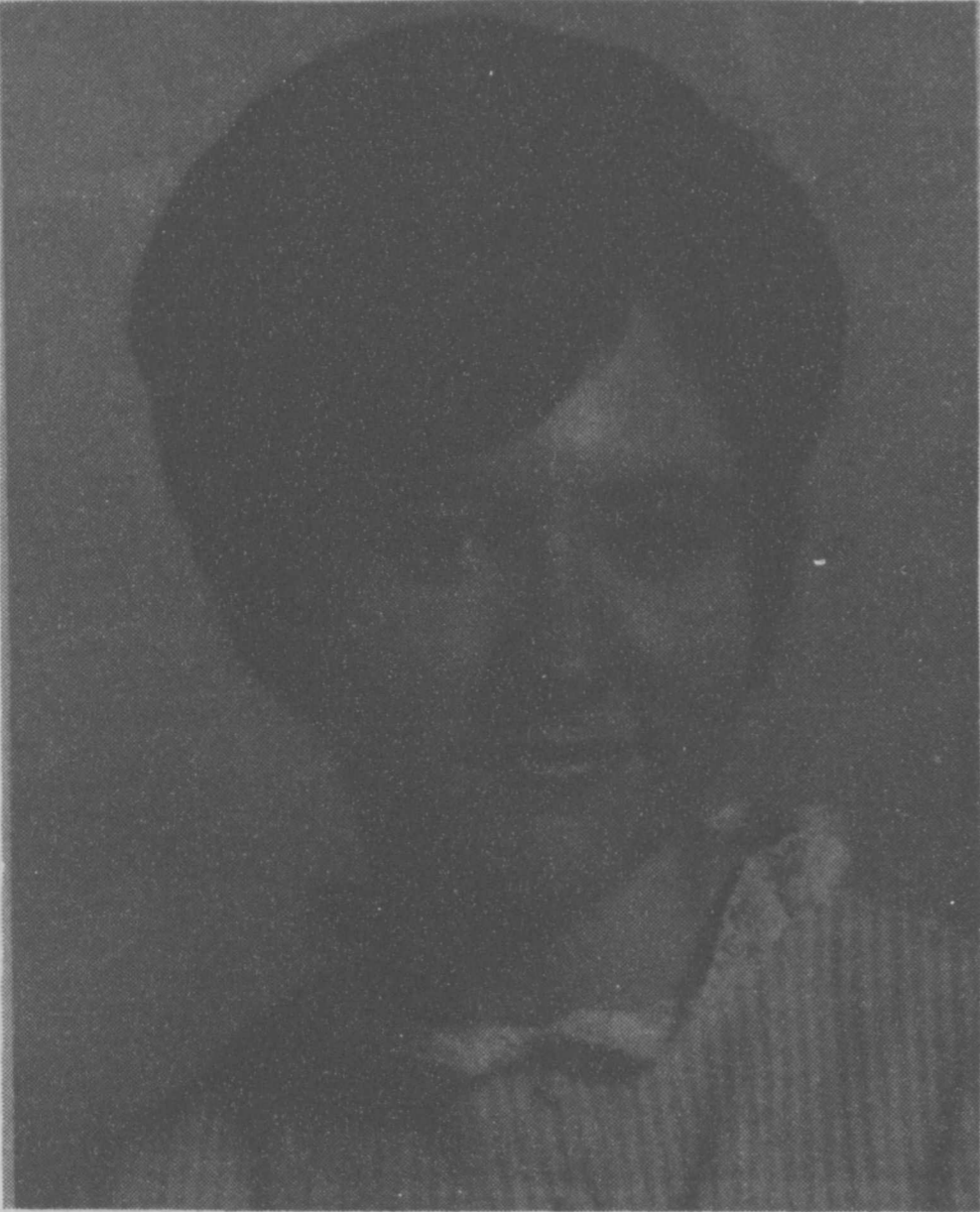


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Miss Kay Haynes

Kay Haynes of Gatesville, a McMurry College student, will be with the McMurry Chanters when they make a 10-day tour Jan. 19-29 to perform 27 concerts in 15 cities including a special concert in Carlsbad Caverns in Carlsbad, N.M.

The Chanters are directed by Paul Engelstad, who is currently serving as treasurer of the National Association of Teachers of Singing.

While on tour the Chanters will sing in Seymour, Lorenzo, Lubbock, Littlefield, Dimmitt,

Lereford, Muleshoe, Bovina, Morton, Denver City, El Paso, Van Horn, Colorado City, Clovis, N.M., and Carlsbad, N.M.

Appearing with the Chanters will be the famed Windjammers Trio from McMurry College. The collegians will be making their final tour with the Chanters as two of the group are scheduled to graduate in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Haynes of Gatesville are the parents of Miss Haynes.

IN SERVICE



Sgt. Charles O. Hart Senator John G. Tower

Long Binh, Vietnam (AHTNC) Army Staff Sergeant Charles O. Hart, (left), son of Mrs. Dessie Walling, 313 Huron St., Cleburne, Tex., met and spoke with Senator John G. Tower (R-Tex.) at II Field Force Headquarters near Long Binh, Vietnam, November 22.

Senator Tower was in Vietnam to gain current insight into the Vietnamese situation. His visit included a meeting with Major General George S. Eckhardt, deputy commanding general of the II Field Force, Vietnam, as well as his meeting with his fellow Texans who were in the area.

The Senator is a member of the Armed Services Committee

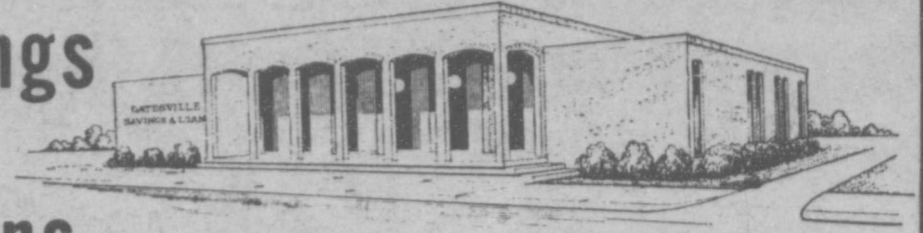
and the Joint Committee on Defense Production.

Sgt. Hart is a member of the 53rd Signal Battalion's Company A. His wife, Tintie, lives at 804 Hills St., Copperas Cove, Texas.

U.S. ARMY, VIETNAM, (AHTNC)--Army Corporal William H. Adams, son of Mrs. Nora F. Adams, 4315 Bedford Ave., Midland, Texas, was assigned as a rifleman in Company B, 2nd Battalion, 39th Infantry of the 9th Infantry Division in Vietnam, December 11.

His wife, Annis, lives at 705 Mickan St., Copperas Cove, Texas.

**Gatesville Savings
 And
 Loan Associations**



OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

Of the GATESVILLE SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION AT GATESVILLE STATE OF TEXAS, as of the close of business on the 31st. day of December 1967.

ASSETS

First mortgage loans outstanding.....	\$4,464,880.33
Accrued interest receivable on above (unless included).....	.00
Advances for taxes, ins., etc., on above (unless included).....	.00
Second mortgage loans.....	.00
Loans on savings accounts.....	37,244.41
Accrued int. receivable on loans secured by savings accounts (unless included).....	.00
FHA Title 1 loans.....	69,353.44
Property Improvement Loans.....	20,286.45
Personal Loans.....	33,903.95
Real estate sold on contract.....	.00
Accrued interest receivable on real estate sold on contract.....	.00
Real estate owned.....	.00
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank.....	38,400.00
U.S. Government obligations.....	389,554.75
Other investment securities.....	30,000.00
Accrued interest receivable on investments.....	.00
Cash on hand and in banks.....	492,025.96
Office building, less depreciation.....	103,940.65
Leasehold improvements less amortization.....	.00
Furniture, fixtures and equipment, less depreciation.....	7,715.31
Prepayment to Secondary Reserve, FSLIC.....	56,695.65
Deferred Charges.....	2,206.57
Other Assets (specify).....	.00
TOTAL	5,746,207.47

LIABILITIES

Savings Accounts.....	5,153,955.51
Advances from Federal Home Loan Bank of Little Rock.....	.00
Other borrowed money.....	.00
Dividends declared and unpaid.....	.00
Taxes accrued and unpaid on real estate owned (Including Office Building).....	.00
Accounts payable.....	.00
Loans in process.....	8,000.00
Advance payments by borrower for taxes and insurance (Including Unapplied Mtg. Credits)	16,585.40
Other Liabilities.....	357.75
Deferred credits to future operations.....	20,331.88
Specific reserves:	
Reserve for uncollected interest.....	.00
Reserve for junior liens.....	.00
Permanent Reserve fund stock.....	150,000.00
General reserves:	
Legal reserve and/or Federal Insurance Reserve.....	234,362.82
Reserve for contingencies.....	132,392.86
Other reserves.....	30,221.25
	396,976.93
Surplus or Undivided Profits.....	.00
TOTAL	5,746,207.47

STATE OF TEXAS,
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We, Horace K. Jackson, Jr. as President, and C.T. Dansby as Secretary of the Gatesville Savings & Loan Association located at Gatesville, Texas, each of us do solemnly swear that the statement above hereof is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CORRECT - ATTEST

Horace K. Jackson Sr.
 Byrom L. McClellan
 E. Price Bauman

Horace K. Jackson, Jr. President
 C. T. Dansby Secretary

Paul Edwards Receives Top Choir Honors

After many years of practice and performances, members of the Gatesville High School Choir made quite a record at the All State Choir tryouts in Brownwood, January 5 - 6.

At the tryouts held on the campus of Howard Payne University, the G.H.S. Choir's success was a result of weeks of individual and group work under the direction of Harold Rucker sponsor.

The All State contenders were elected from the winners of the regional contest held on the same campus in November. Eight top students were selected from each voice type for the Regional Choir. From these eight talented youths the top four were eligible for State Competition. The best two singers from each classification won places in the All State Choir with the third and fourth places as alternates.



PAUL EDWARDS

Top winner from Gatesville is Paul Edwards who won a place in the All State Choir. Edwards is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Edwards of 2214 Bridge Street. A senior at G.H.S Paul has gained much of his

choral experience singing 2 years in the G.H.S. Choir and in the First Baptist Church Choir. Edwards will sing with the All State Choir in concert.

Winning first alternate in the State Choir are four members of the G.H.S. Choir. Holding places of State 1st alternate are Kermit Swindall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Swindall of 2526 Mears Drive, Gatesville; Sarah Nell Lowery daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O.W. Lowrey of Gatesville, Martha Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Parrish of Gatesville and Bobby Thrasher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thrasher of Gatesville.

Also Regional Choir Members attending the affair were Ruth Sims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sims of Gatesville, Margaret Hopson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Hopson of Gatesville, Jana Bonner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Bonner of Gatesville, Barbara Bennett daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bennett of Gatesville, Wayne Shirley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shirley of Gatesville, and Duncan Manning son of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Manning of Gatesville.

Commencement for Mid-Term Graduation Set for January 20

Larry O. Harrell of Gatesville is one of a record 817 students applying for mid-term graduation at Texas A & M University, announced Registrar H.L. Heaton.

Harrell, who resides in Gatesville at Route 3, is seeking a B.S. degree in veterinary science at Texas A & M.

Heaton said 482 students have filed for baccalaureate degrees and 335 for advanced degrees, including 96 Ph. D. candidates.

Commencement exercises will be conducted January 20.

The All State Choir will perform along with the All State Band and All State Orchestra at the Texas Music Education convention to be held in Austin in late February.

Texas as a state, produces number one All State Choirs, Bands, and Orchestras each year.

Awards Presented at Boy Scout Banquet

Mr. J. Olin Hudson, President of the Heart O' Texas Council Boy Scouts of America, announced today that the big Annual Council Banquet will be held Friday, January 12th, 1968, 7:00 p.m. at Baylor University Drawing Room in the beautiful Student Union Building in Waco, Texas. Highlights of the program will be the presentation of four Silver Beaver Awards, the highest award that a council can bestow upon an individual for outstanding service. Four adult Scouters from over the council will receive them. President Hudson announces the following people to serve as Committee Chairmen for the Annual Banquet. Annual Dinner Committee Richard Hill, Program Committee J.D. Hudson, Jr., Attendance Committee I.O. Olsen, Physical Arrangements Committee Dr. Herb Schwetman, Nominating Committee Truett K. Smith, Silver Beaver Committee Irving Pettis, Chairman. All Committees are making preparations for a great banquet.

Lieutenant Colonel Gregory H. Oldenburgh, Information Officer for the 75th Tactical Reconnaissance Wing at Bergstrom Air Force Base, Texas, will be the guest speaker.

Everyone is encouraged to make reservations now at the Council Service Center, 3112 Franklin, Waco, Texas 76710, or phone PL4-5447.

G.H.S. MAJORETTES 1974?



... June Taylor Dancers? No, not at the present time but possible recruits for that company in the 1980's. These lovely young ladies are members of the 3rd and 4th grade class of twirlers under the able direction of veteran twirler Mrs. Dorothy Bankhead. The young starlets are Judy Rhoads daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rhoads; Terry Bankhead daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bankhead; Pamela Palmer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Palmer; Lorn Stevens daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brad Stevens; Tammy Moore daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moore; Jackie Sue Riley daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Riley; Anita Collins daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Nolte; Kathy Moore daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moore; Debbie Hill daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hill; Cindy Nichols daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Nichols Jr.; Janie Braziel daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Braziel; and Tamers Smith daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vandever.

Also present but not pictures were: Judy Jones, Carolyn Lulcher, Kathy Edwards, Rebecca Wedparza, Kathy Tull, Lana Worthington, Pam Adams and Nancy Tatum.

Those people who think stars are born overnight couldn't be further from the truth. It takes years of practice beginning with early training for most performers of the future. Around Gatesville one of the most sought-after positions any young girl can hold is that of a G.H.S. Majorette or Stingette.

Some girls began their twirling careers as young as 4 or 5 years of age and twirling classes are offered to all who seek instruction by Mrs. Dorothy Bankhead of Gatesville. Once

a week Mrs. Bankhead holds classes for girls of all ages.

Though these young starlets are not at present in the limelight they are eagerly working diligently looking forward to a place on the twirling team either as majorettes or as members of the Stingettes. Both organizations perform during half time ceremonies at football games and at other functions during the school term.

However, these youngsters can look forward to a chance to perform before their secondary education begins. Mrs. Bankhead's classes hold their annual recital in May. The members from each of the twirling classes present a twirl or dance routine and strut their stuff. To the amazement of the audience even the youngest twirler shows a real knack for performing.

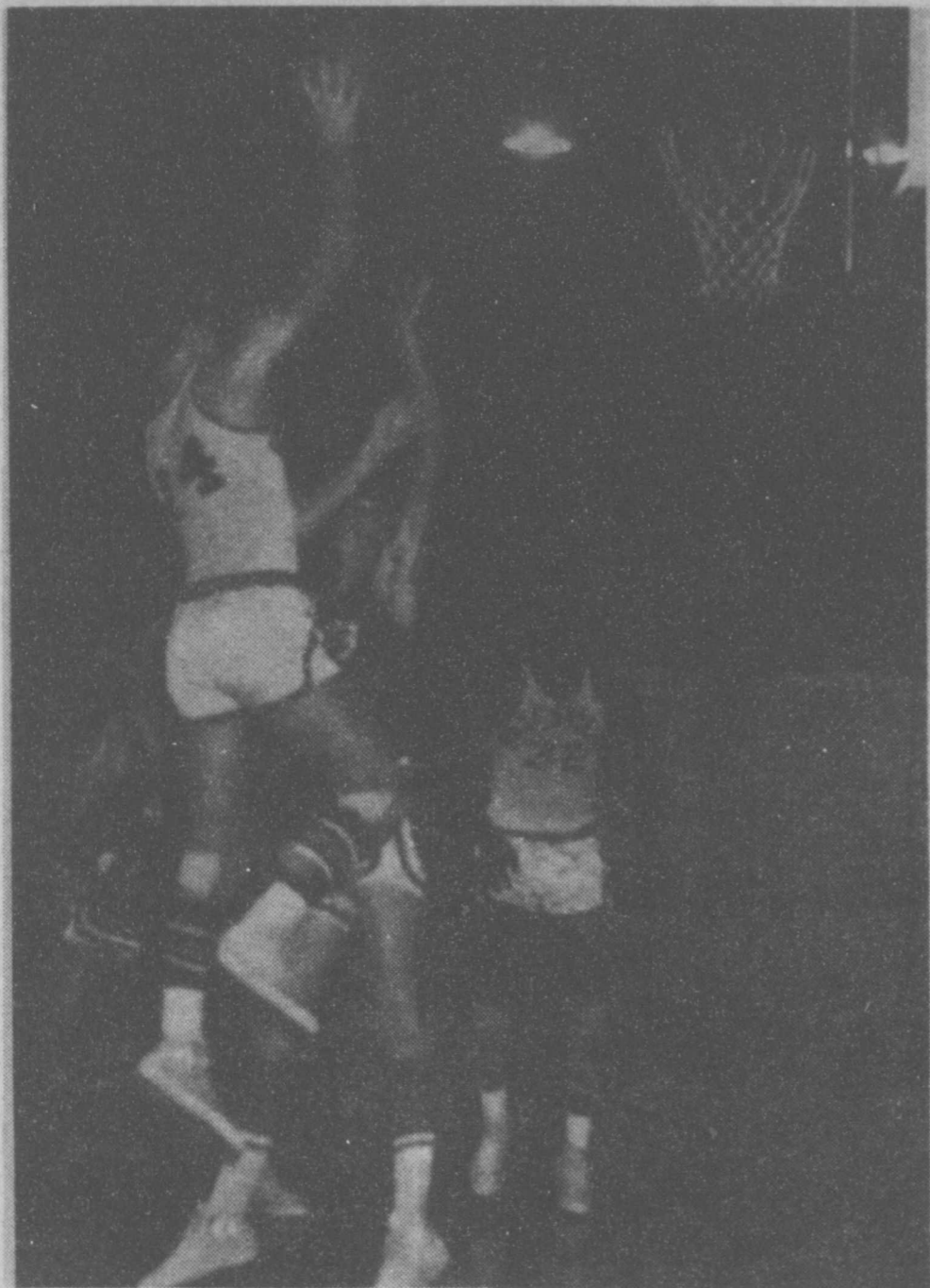
COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT By Grace Chandler

The Coryell County Fair will be held on February 2nd and 3rd. The three age divisions are Junior (9 through 13), Senior (14 through 19) and Adult and married girls under 19. Each person must pay an entry fee. Each person must have done all the work on the exhibit and the entry must have been made since January 1, 1967. Each individual may enter 1 entry in each Class except Food Preservation. An individual may enter a limit of 5 jars without duplication. All entries must be in by 9:00 a.m. on February 2, 1968. Exhibits may be picked up after 2:30 p.m. on February 3, 1968. Entry forms and Fair Catalogs are available in the Extension Office. Entry forms must be returned to the Extension Office by January 29, 1968. Ribbons for the first four places will be given. Small cash prizes will be awarded the Junior and Senior Division. Girls and women of the county are urged to enter the Fair.



... Gatesville High School Award Winning Choir During Practice Session

HORNETS LOSE TO ROCKDALE 81 TO 63



Kenny Gaston shoots for two points in the District opener against Lampasas. The Hornets are now 1 and 1 in district play with the loss to Rockdale.

Gatesville faced the districts best team Tuesday night in the High School gym. The flu bug had visited the Hornet squad before Tuesday night and four of the local basketballers had not recovered their strength.

The first quarter determined what would be the final result. Rockdale, coming off of a defeat at the Belton gym, were primed and ready to get back on the victory road.

The cold and flu ridden Hornets scored 11 points in the first quarter which the Tigers ran and shot for 22 points. Coach Bell reported that this quarter and the 11 point deficit made the job of beating the leagues best difficult to say the least.

At half time the Hornets were moving and shooting better with the score 40 to 23 in favor of Rockdale.

After the half the locals closed the gap steadily in the third quarter with convincing fashion.

With one minute's play in the fourth quarter the Hornets had pulled to within 10 points of the Tigers only to loose the ball three times to an alert Rockdale defense.

The last quarter was very fast with 52 points being pumped in by the combined squads. The Tigers got 29 points while the Hornets picked up 23 points.

The Tigers have managed to stay alive in the race with the victory but no one can count on the Hornets.

Spirit for the boys is building with the Senior Class coming out in force to back the squad Tuesday night. Support makes a difference in anything and sometimes little things determine winners and losers.

Scoring for the night went as follows:

Player	Points
Bobby Cole	15
Kenny Gaston	14
Raymond Cole	11
Jerry Morgan	8
Reggie Scheonewolf	6
Bobby Stovall	3
Bruce Neeley	2
Kermit Swindall	2
Buddy Wiggins	2

Hornet "B" Team Loses 3rd. Overtime Against Rockdale

The local "B" squad seems to be one of the most exciting groups around. This season they have already played in 3 overtime duals. In all cases, however, the "B" squad has had to except a loss at the end of each over time.

Against Rockdale the Hornet B's scored 59 points in regular play, which is excellent offense for a "B" team.

The first quarter was very fast with Rockdale scoring 25 points and Gatesville scoring 23 points. The teams played very close to each other the entire game.

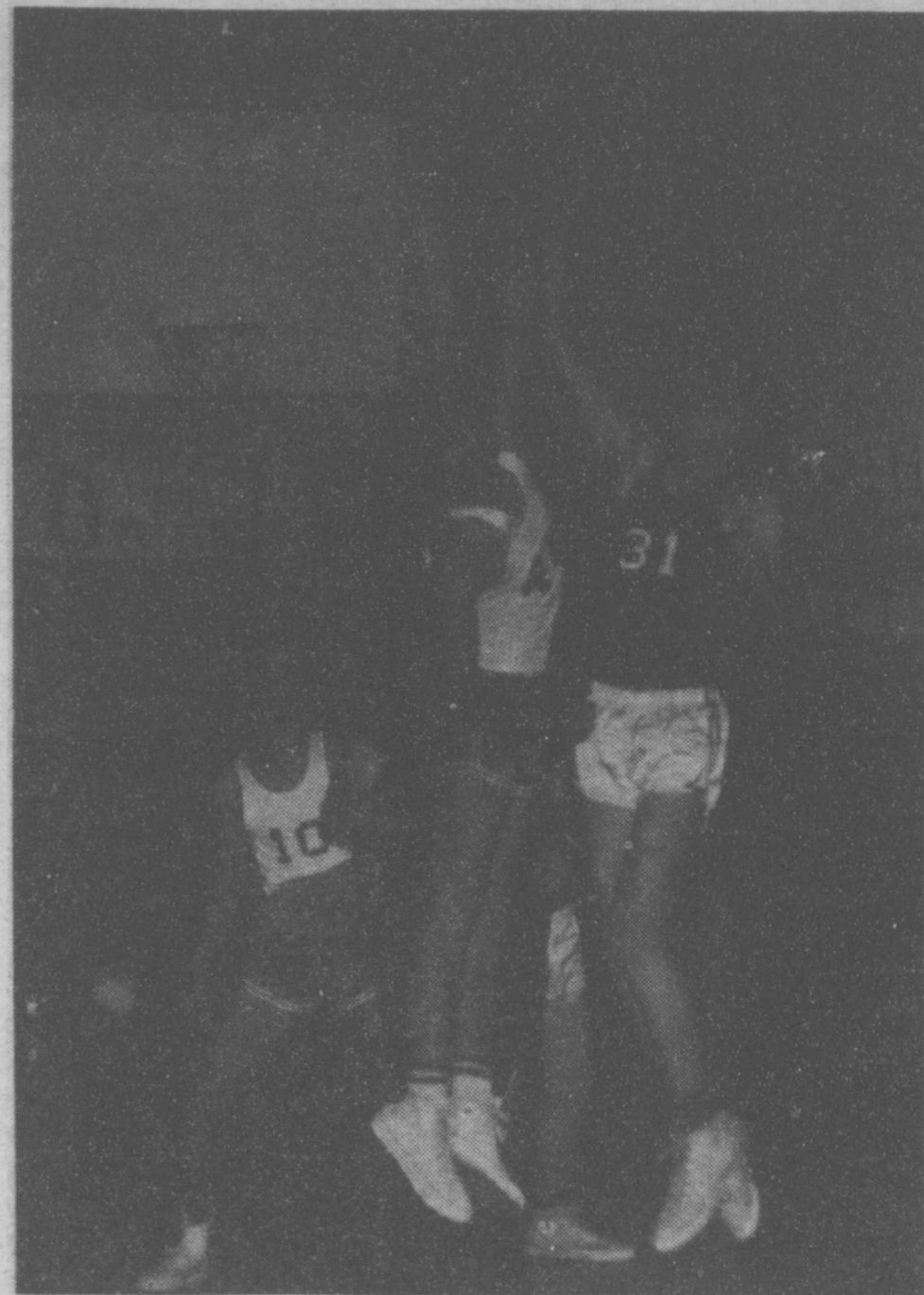
The Hornet B's tied the game at the end of regulation play.

The overtime period was won from the free throw line with the Rockdale B's making four foul shots while the locals picked up only one.

The scoring for the B's went as follows:

Player	Points
Fred Rhea	21
Mike Barr	15
Danny Belf	10
Mike Moore	7
Gary Carothers	3
Doug Freeman	2
Billy Stovall	2

Tonight the Hornets will face the Belton brand of Tigers. The "brand" that beat Rockdale last week. Coach Bell pointed out that "The kids like to play Belton" They will be up for this one and it should be a good game.



The Freshman Basketball team at Gatesville High School plays a full schedule of games during the weeks of the season. Many boys will get the necessary background training for "B" team and varsity ball. Here Gary Cafer jumps center against the Lampasas Freshman squad.

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