



## J C Lighting Display Highly Successful



Royce Rhoades, Bryan Apple, regional manager of Verd-a-Ray, Wilbur Meier, sales representative, Damon Wicker, Jaycee president and Tom Kennedy discuss feasibility of quartz lights for the courthouse lighting project.

The Jaycees are nearing completion of the ambitious project to light the courthouse. After many inquiries and many proposals, the Jaycees have made encouraging progress. Jaycee President, Damon Wicker, reported late Wednesday that "They are offering the best deal and we are not turning it down, but we will make more inquiries".

Verd-a Ray was represented Tuesday night by Bryan Apple, Regional Manager and Wilburn L. Meier, sales representative. The company has not lighted a facility similar to the courthouse, however, indications are that the company is interested in such projects. Verd-a Ray's purpose in lighting the facility will be promotional, offering an almost unbeatable price. Verd-a Ray's Mr. Meier mentioned Tuesday night that the company furnished lighting for the world famous Astrodome scoreboard, to the tune of 50,000 light bulbs. Estimated cost for installation of a system similar to the original lighting display will run as high as \$4,000 to \$5,000.

Jaycee President, Wicker, expects the project can be completed for under \$2,500 with the use of quartz lights. A complete comparison of the quartz lights and mercury vapor light was discussed during the Jaycee Board of Directors meeting, following the demonstration. The Directors consulted with a Fort Hood lighting engineer as to advantages and disadvantages of both types of lights.

The conclusion of the board was that the quartz lights were less expensive to maintain, mercury vapor lights create undesirable radio static (possible interference with local law enforcement) and the lights could be operated for a nominal cost of 31¢ per hour. The lights are guaranteed for 2500 hours, but estimates are that normal lights will last up to 4,000-5,000 hours with no loss of intensity.

The mercury vapor light required an expensive transformer at each lighting position, where the quartz lights will all work off one transformer. Mercury vapor lights do burn cooler, but for safety purposes a protective screen can be used to prevent accidents with the quartz light.

Present plans are for the Jaycees to make accurate drawings of the courthouse. Mr. Jack Poston will make the lighting drawings for the Jaycees in the near future. The drawings will be forwarded directly to Verd-a Ray's chief engineer in Toledo, Ohio for inspection, recommended changes and approval.

When the drawing returns to Gatesville, the Jaycees will consult with the Community Public Service as to feasibility of the lighting plans. Proposed lighting arrangements will consist of twelve 1500 watt quartz lights at the ground level and six 500 watt quartz lights located on the roof to light the dome. Special colored filters are available to give the dome special effects.

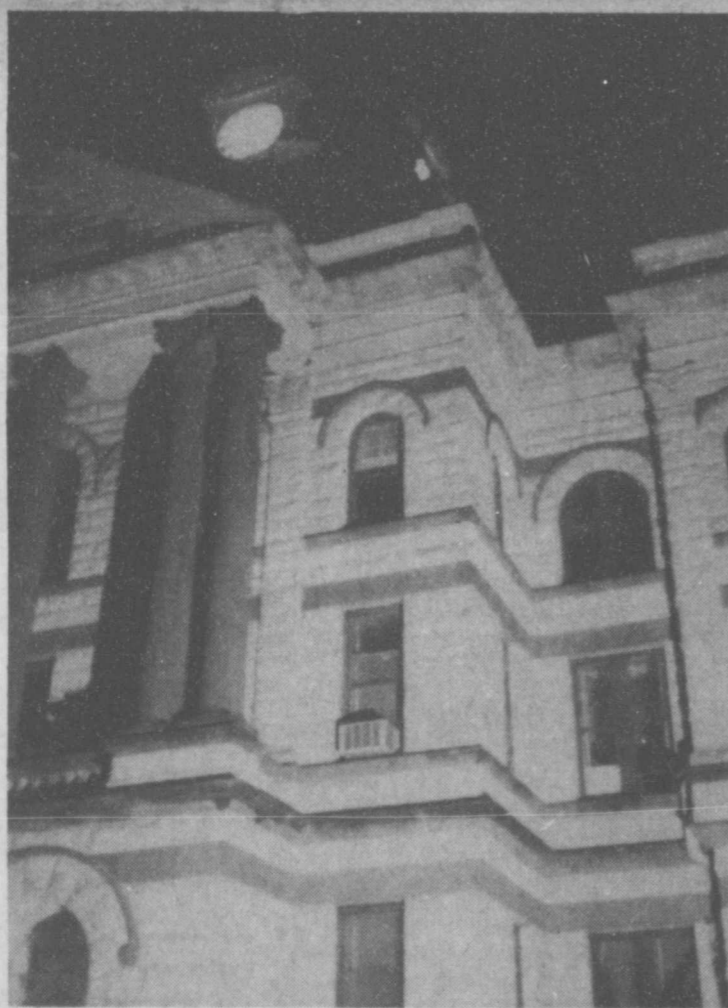
It was pointed out to the Jaycees, Wednesday, that wiring presently available in the 3rd

floor ceiling could be used, eliminating installation cost. Barring any new proposals offering a better deal and barring any major disagreement on the lighting diagrams, the project could be completed in the near future.

Labor for installation of the lights will come from Jaycees and interested specialists in the local area. Equipment for the digging for underground cable

is available and the Jaycees will donate their time.

Financing? The Jaycees collected \$900 to \$1,000 from projects during December. Planned projects are expected to complete the cost of lighting. Cost of the lighting is broken down into light fixtures cost, \$320; cable cost, \$450 to \$750; and unavoidable installation cost. All total, somewhere in the neighborhood of \$2500.



Courthouse will be lighted by 12 ground mounted lights and six lights on the roof to light the dome area. In Tuesday night's demonstration, only one light was used, creating shadows that will not be present under the complete system. The 1500 watt bulbs produce ample light for the project.

## 52nd District Court Summons Jury

The 52nd District Court will begin trials for January Grand Jury cases, Monday, February 26th.

Monday, seven criminal cases will come before the court for trial.

A forty-person petit jury list has been notified to appear Monday for possible jury duty.

The following Coryell County citizens will be summoned for jury duty, Monday.

Charles Powell, Billy Foster, Mrs. Price Bauman, Mary D. Haynes, Pearl Star Rt., Billy Pollard, Walter McKenzie, Francis Glass, Amon Hale, Bob Miller, Melvin Jacobs, Raymond Gholke, Elmer Franks, James Reid Powell, James Dixon, Holicce Barton, Frank Morgan, Bill McMordie, E. Falkenberg, Newell Smith, Noble Coward, Charles Beechley and Kermit Dreyer of Gatesville; Clearance Scheele of Oglesby; Bill Paul, Sam Myers, Ralph Perryman, Kittie Laxson, Clar-

ence Burnell, of Purlmela; Hayott Woods, Tommie Hill, S.T. Weaver, Charles Chambers and Mrs. Floyd Thompson and Rabe Smalley of Jonesboro; Sam Weaver and Willie Johnson of Ater; Bobbie Latham, and Z.N. Gilmore of Turnersville; Mrs. Tom Callaway of Levita and Kirby Cox of Valley Mills.

## Hodge Found 'Not Guilty'

In Judge Norman Storm's County Court, Monday, Mrs. Nathalee Hodge was found 'not guilty' of the charge of theft under \$50.

The case was tried with a jury. The six jurors were Harold R. Cook, Johnny Barnett, Madge Worthy and Milton Coward of Gatesville; Dan Rhoades of Copperas Cove and Melvin Weaver of Jonesboro.

## Two File For Mayor Race

The Mayor's race became a race this week with Bob Miller announcing for that post, Tuesday, February 20th.

Following the regular City Council meeting, February 13th, Councilman, Paul Bromser, announced his intention to run for Mayor.

The City Council's February meeting set the last date for filing at March 2 and election day on April 2. This year, all voting will take place at the Fire station. No voting will be done in the courthouse.

As of Thursday noon, there were no other challengers for mayor and no races have developed for any of the three councilman races.



Bromser



Miller

Paul Bromser, 45, retired from the U.S. Army in 1960, after serving 20 years and attaining the rank of Major.

Bromser accepted employment with the Gatesville State School for Boys, in the business office in 1960. Later advancements included appointments as Personnel Officer and later became assistant superintendent, where he has served for the last four years.

Mr. Bromser is a member of the Board of Directors of the Heart 'O Texas Girl Scout Council, Board of Deacons at the First Baptist Church since 1965, a member of the Board of Directors of the Lion's Club and a member of the City Council for the past five years.

Mr. Bromser married the former Miss Byrd Ann Hollingsworth of Gatesville and they have four children, Cherry 23, Paula 17, Leah 7 and April 5.

Bob Miller completed work on a BS degree in Mechanical Engineering in 1957 from Texas Tech.

Miller has been with Miller Motor Company since 1960 and presently a partner in the company.

Bob is a member of the local Rotary Club and a member of the Gatesville Volunteer Fire Department. He is on the City-County Airport committee and a member of the Board of Directors of the following organizations: First Methodist Church, Lions Club, Chamber of Commerce and Gatesville Country Club.

Mr. Miller is married to the former Miss Ann Kelly of Baytown and they have three children, Robert 6, Kelly 5, and Roger 2.

## Levita Water Supply Receives Federal Aid

Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock word was received from Washington, D. C. of final approval of the \$26,500 Levita Water Supply Corporation federal loan.

Both Rep. W.R. Poage and Senator Ralph Yarborough notified the News of the approval. The loan was arranged through the Farmers Home Administration and has been in process for more than a year.

President of the corporation Gerald Kitchens, reported Thursday that the Water Supply Corporation would serve 26 families and would accept new inquiries at any time.

Mr. Kitchens said, "Some-

time in the next month we will take bids on construction." No date has been set for the acceptance of bids, yet.

The Levita well will be located north of the Miles Store, near the Farm Road intersection.

The Levita Water Supply Corporation Board of Directors consist of Mr. Gerald Kitchens, president; Mrs. A.D. Morgan, secretary and board members, Stanley Miles and Willie Johnson.

## Heart Fund to Hold Block Campaign

Mrs. Henry Lengefeld, chairman of the 1968 Heart Fund Campaign for Gatesville, has announced block captains for the Heart Fund Drive, Sunday, February 25th.

The Heart Days for businesses will start Monday, February 26th, with Allen R. Bennett, chairman.

Communities chairman is Don Callahan.

A door-to-door canvass will be conducted Sunday in Gatesville, when volunteers will be collecting contributions and distributing Heart facts literature.

Serving as block captains are Mrs. Raymond Geye, Mrs. Sid Thompson, Mrs. Raby Davis, Mrs. Edward Hartin, Mrs. H.K. Jackson, Jr., Mrs. W.E. Poston, Mrs. Bobby D. Jones, Miss Leta H. Bennett, Mrs. R.W. Ward, Mrs. O.W. Lowrey, Mrs. J.C. Lipsey, Mrs. Euell Swift, Mrs. B.F. Hill, Mrs. John Thomas Brown and Mrs. G.C. Voss.

The goal set for Coryell County is \$1500. Contributions may also be mailed to P.O. Box 553, Gatesville, Texas.

## Citizens To Organize Travel Committee



Pictured above, left to right, are Norman C. Storm, Clois Stone, Raymond Ford, Tom Miller, Jim Miller, Sam Bwell and Mrs. Johnny Dyche. Texas travel will be big business this year and these citizens are seeking to organize Coryell County for predicted tourists.

Monday night, February 19th, citizens interested in tourist trade and historical Coryell County will meet to decide when and where to hold a general meeting for the purpose of organizing the counties tourist sites.

Present at the Monday night meeting were: Norman C. Storm, Raymond Ford, Jim Miller, Tom Miller, Sam Powell, Clois Stone, Johnny Jones and Mrs. Johnny Dyche. From the meeting, it was decided to hold a public organizational

meeting, February 27th at 7:30 p.m. in the Chateau Ville Restaurant.

Arrangements have been made to have Mr. Dayton Kelley, Assistant Curator of the Texas Collection at Baylor University speak to the Tuesday night gathering. Mr. Kelley is originally from Comanche Texas. He is a Baylor graduate with a Master's degree from Texas University. Kelley has been connected with Mary Hardin Baylor and Baylor University. Mr. Kelley has worked in the fields of Journalism, as writer, publisher, educator and historian. Kelley is responsible for the reprinting of Simmons History of Coryell County and other writings of the area.

Mr. Kelley's talk will be followed by election of officers, voting on proposed names for the organization, setting up committees and other business.

A welcome invitation is extended to all interested citizens to be present. The area must organize itself for the tourist and representation from all areas of the county need to be present.

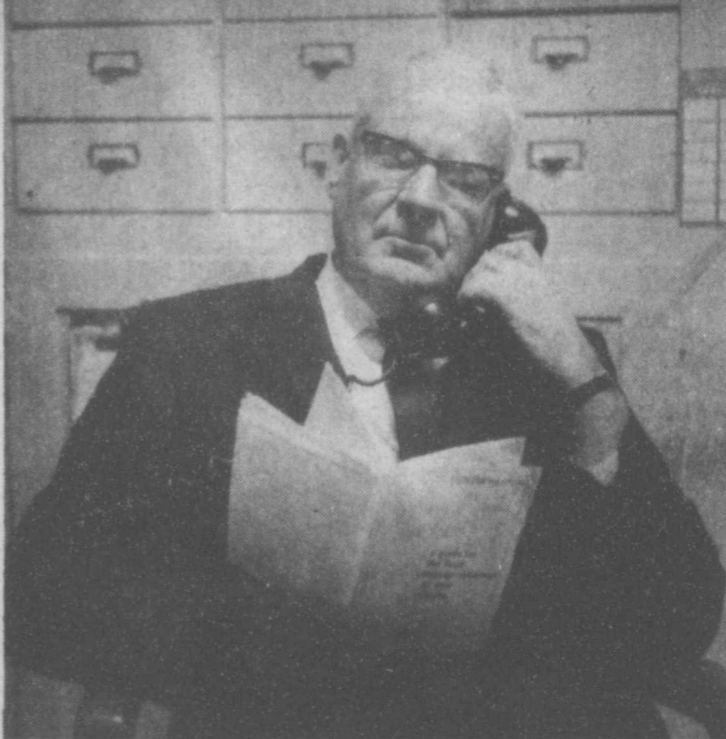
Such things as: How to attract off of IS 35.

What will interest the tourists? How do we make good "ambassadors" to tourists? will be discussed.

The Red Cross appeals for each person to seriously consider the greater need for Red Cross dollars in view of the present world situation.

All persons interested in the drive are urged to attend the special pre-drive meeting to be held in the Civic Room of the National Bank.

## J. D. McCauley Named Fund Chairman



McCauley

Mr. J.D. McCauley, local business executive, has been named Chairman for the 1968 American Red Cross March Fund Drive for Coryell County.

Mr. McCauley will preside over Red Cross activities throughout the month-long drive with concentrated efforts by the Red Cross early in the month.

## Wives Elect Officers



The Gatesville Jaycee Wives have elected the club's officers for 1968-69. The election took place February 15 at Frank's Restaurant

on Lake Belton. Ladies elected to posts, were Nancy Pruitt, Reporter; Jo Rhodes, Treasurer; Linda Ament, Secretary;

Gerry Kennedy, Family Relations; Sue Wicker, President; Pat Worthington, Vice President and Jeanne Hayes, As-

stant Reporter. The Jaycee Wives also elected 'Jaycee Wife of the Year'. See story and picture on page 4.

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## COURT HOUSE NEWS

### Warranty Deeds

Elizabeth Squyers et al to Gordon Mayberry et ux, Lot 4, Block 4, Christman Addition to Gatesville, \$1,000.  
John W. Palmer et al to Jess T. Blanchard, Lots 1 and 2 and block 4 and Lot 16 in Block 2 and a portion of Lot 17 in Block 2, \$900.  
William Henry Marcum et al to Robert J. Bashore et ux, Lot 6 of Kielman Addition No. 5, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Eugene P. Nelson et ux to Gustav Albert Schwausch et ux, Lot 6 in Block 5 of Highland Addition 1st Ext, 2nd Unit, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Mountain Top, Inc. to Dewald Lumber Co., Lots 24 and 25 Block 7 and Lot 31, Block 8, Mountaintop Addition, 4th Inc. to City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Harold W. Evans, et ux to Lloyd H. Hoard et ux, Lot 2, Block 1, Fairview Addition, No.

2, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Warren Parker Austin et ux to William T. Ross et ux, Lot 2, Block 14, Fairview Addition No. 2 to City of Copperas Cove, \$300.00.  
Alton Hall et ux to Ralph F. Battreal et ux, Lot 2, Block 2, Parkview Addition, City of Copperas Cove, \$10, and other consideration.  
Ronald Paul Skermetta et ux to William P. McClanahan et ux, Lot 6, and a portion of Lot 5, Block 9, Mountaintop Addition, 2nd Inc. to City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Mrs. Leanna Lengefeld et al to Charles E. Lengefeld, part of the C. Miller Survey, Coryell County, \$10 and other consideration.  
Administration of Veterans' Affairs to Wintred E. Mills et ux, Lot 5 in Block 9 of Highland Heights Addition, 1st Ext, 2nd Unit, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Randall Wade Jr. to Patricia A. Wade, Lot 1, Block 2, Wil-

liams Addition, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Terrace Estates, Inc., to Jean F. Mangum, Lot 15, Block 5 of Valley View Addition, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
W.I. Franks, et ux to Ruby Smith, part of Lot 9, Block 2, Coryell County Addition, City of Gatesville, \$85.00.  
Jacob Dold, et ux to Clebe Baize et ux, 149.75 acres out of the William Jolly Survey and Madison McCutcheon Survey, \$17,000.  
James Franklin Carson et ux to Earl H. Payton et ux, Lot 11, Block 6, Mountain Top Addition, 3rd Incr. Sub. of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Long Mountain Development Co. to Freddie A. Dewald et ux, Lot 13 in Block 3 of Long Mountain Estates, subdivision of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Robert G. Burroughs et ux to Albert G. Schneider et ux, Lot 10, Block 2 of G.H. Fritz Addition Sub. of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Claude S. Ross, Jr. et ux to Karen E. Buttermore, part of Lot 1, Block 10, S.P. Gilmore Addition, City of Copperas Cove, \$525.  
Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to Joseph P. Prukop et ux, Lot 4, Block 4, G.H. Fritz Addition, City of Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Winnie Rolene Adams York to Richard O. Walsleben et ux, tract of land out of I. Bunker Survey, Coryell County, \$3,000.  
J.T. Blanchard et ux to Arthur D. Blanchard, et ux, Lots 1 and 2, Block 4 of Cosgrove Addition, Flat, \$150.  
Forest Robert Witt et ux to Jerry A. Jackson et ux, Lot 2, Block 9, Mountaintop Addition, 2nd Inc., Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
Jerry A. Jackson et ux to Raymond F. Humbert et ux, Lot 6, Block 5, Terrace Estates Addition, Copperas Cove, \$10 and other consideration.  
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Denson Roosevelt Adams and Mrs. Sheila Marlene Trujillo, Jimmy Dale Seabolt and Miss Beth Allen Ring.  
John Larry Cook and Miss Glenda Faye Miner.  
William Clayton Lynch and Miss Barbara Sue Baize.

### New Cars Registered

Gilbert Colvin, Chevrolet pickup; Joe R. Skelton, Plymouth; Mrs. Bobbie Culp, Ford; Jack Wicker, Ford; M.A. Gilmore, Plymouth; Pat Baugh, Plymouth.

### Hospital News

#### Babies

Baby girl born February 21, at 2:15 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Thompson of Route 3, Gatesville.

#### Patients

Ed Barton  
R.F. Beeman  
Mrs. Harold Michael  
Mrs. Arthur Mueller  
Mrs. Floyd Murray  
Mrs. Robbie Thompson  
Mrs. W.P. Voss  
Cecil Wilfong  
Mrs. E.W. Wilkinson  
Mrs. Esteen Williams  
Clyde Worthington  
Mrs. W.J. Wood  
James Basham  
Mrs. Bell Botkin  
Mrs. Willie Brasgwitz  
Mrs. George Brashear  
Mrs. T.M. Browning  
Mrs. Louise Beck  
Mrs. Bessie Clark  
Mrs. Amanda Lamounson  
Mattie Hanna  
Betty Hinsley  
Mrs. W. T. Huff  
Will White  
Willie Whittenburg  
Mrs. Charles Melton  
Mrs. Walter Jost  
Mrs. Ada Stewart

#### Card of Thanks

I wish to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you for the cards, flowers and visits while my mother, Mrs. E.J. Roach was in the hospital. I especially wish to thank the doctors, nurses and hospital staff for their care and consideration.  
God Bless You,  
Mrs. Charlie Walsh

#### Marriage Licenses

William Parks Short and Mrs. Jane Inez Horvath.  
Gerry Curtis Kavannah and Miss Vera Yvonne Petty.

## LETTERS to EDITOR

### NEWS "Fustest With The Mostest"

Coryell County News  
Dear Editor:  
We are enjoying your paper very much.  
You surely live up to your motto, "Fustest With The Mostest".  
Please add two years to our subscription. You will find personal check enclosed for two dollars (\$2.00).  
Thank You,  
Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Conner  
Bee House, Texas 76512

## FUNERAL NOTICES

### Loydene Smith

Mrs. Loydene Smith, 43, formerly of Pearl, passed away in Beaumont, Texas last Thursday.  
Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Scott's Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiating. Burial was in Pearl Cemetery.  
Mrs. Smith was the daughter of Mrs. Lloyd Williamson and the late Mr. Williamson of Pearl.  
Mrs. Smith had returned recently from Okinawa with her husband who was stationed there.  
Surviving are her husband, Paul, her mother, Mrs. Lloyd Williamson of Pearl, one sister, Mrs. Rachel Richmond of Nome and one nephew.

## "New Life Mission" To Begin At Church

The "New Life Mission" for the First Methodist Church will start March 3rd at 10:50 Sunday morning. The minister, Bob Richmond, will be preaching at all of the services. The mission will continue through Thursday night, March 7th. Church on Sunday night will be at 7 p.m. The Week - night services will be at 7:30. A nursery will be open at all the meetings.  
The public is invited to each of these services.  
Mr. Richmond has announced the following sermon titles:  
Sunday morning - "Worship False and True"  
Monday - "God Needs Men"  
Tuesday through Thursday night, the messages will be on the ministry of the Holy Spirit in the life of the Christian.  
Mr. Jerry Jones, from Dallas, will be soloist and song evangelist starting with the Monday night service. The Methodist Church Sanctuary choir will provide special music on Wednesday night. Miss Orpa Mayo will be at the organ on Sunday, with Charles Ament playing the organ for the week night services.

### Keith Woodley Home from Service

Keith Woodley, who has served in the Air Force the past four years, was discharged last week from McCoy Air Force Base in Florida. He returned to Gatesville this past week.

### The News is \$1

My Neighbors  
"Now we owe them a card!"

### WHY EASTER SEALS?

Recently, speaking at a dinner to raise funds for a great new Easter Seal Center to serve handicapped children in Texas, Miss Eva Adams, Director of the United States Mint, asked the question: "Since Federal funds are made available for these vital programs, why should private citizens feel responsible?" And, after enumerating the vast sums that are today being expended through Federal channels, she answered the question with four major points. These points also comprise the answers to the question: "Why an Easter Seal Campaign?"  
First, Miss Adams pointed out that Federal financing acts as a magnet to draw out state and local money for services to crippled children, the ration of non-Federal money to Federal contributions to such programs running about 2 to 1 at present. Second, because the problems are local, suitable programs and aids must be devised locally. Third, local and state organizations are far better prepared to avoid the duplication in services that would be almost inevitable without cooperation between public and voluntary services.  
Finally, and most important, she said: "It would be a sad commentary on our American system if we delegated to Washington or to any state agency, the full task of caring for children and adults who suffer some physical or mental disability. . . I would remind all of you that a free society will stay in a healthier state if we do not shrink our local responsibilities."  
Thus, Miss Adams in her remarks has answered two questions important to any community in the United States. One is, of course, why there should be voluntary agencies when the government agencies are so big and far-reaching. The other is, why there should be an Easter Seal Campaign. The answers, coming from one of the most knowledgeable of the Federal officials, underscore the importance of local support of the Easter Seal Society, the great voluntary organization that each year provides rehabilitation care for nearly a quarter of a million handicapped children and adults. Our contributions help make that care possible. This year, the Campaign dates are March 1 to April 14.

### New Air Routes

Negotiations have opened between the U. S. and Mexico on four new air routes between the countries, two in each direction. The routes south from the U. S., reports the Mexican National Tourist Council, would be Phoenix/Tucson to Puerto Vallarta and Albuquerque to Puerto Vallarta.

### Service

Ronald Jennings  
U.S. ARMY - GERMANY - Army Private First Class Ronald T. Jennings, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Jennings, Jr. Mobile Motel # 28, Copperas Cove, Texas, was assigned as a training clerk with the 56th Supply and Service Battalion in Germany, January 29.

## Art Classes Display Work



This week, the Art I and II classes of Gatesville, displayed their water colors in the Gatesville Library.  
Mrs. S.L. Adams is instructor for the two classes, numbering 38 students. Students work on projects in different types of art, including water colors, oils, artificial flowers, and crepe paper animals.  
Pictured above with part of the display are, left to right: Paul Coon, Danny Smith, Randy Schoenewolf, Pattie Schipper, Katherine Lowrey, Anita Williams, Kathy Southerland, Wanda Spears and Darline Snoddy.  
Many students were unable to be at the library for the picture, however, the important thing for you to see is their works at the library.  
The classes will begin working with oil paints in the near future and plan to exhibit their works when they are completed.  
Larry Russell, winner of the Temple Festival of art scholarship, last year has continued working as a third year student in art, under Mrs. Adams, and plans are to exhibit Russell's works in a one-art-show in the future.  
Take time to see the exhibit this week.

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## CORYELL COUNTY NEWS

## Police Report

Sheriff Windy Cummings has just returned from Del Rio, Texas, where he had been summoned for Federal Court. Cummings left for Del Rio last Friday and arrived back in Gatesville Monday night.  
Sheriff Cummings reported Wednesday that Mr. Melvin Byrd of Flat, was found at 6:30 on the Hugo Haase property, southwest of Gatesville. Byrd was in good physical condition.  
Thursday morning Cummings investigated a break-in at a Mobil station in Evans. Entrance was through a window in the rease rack of the station and thieves took five tires and a .380 Savage Automatic pistol. Investigation is not complete and officers will continue checking.  
Mr. J.C. Tennon's pickup was stolen this past weekend and was discovered in Waco and reported to local authorities Thursday morning.

## People Are Safer On the Job Than Off, Industry Expert Reports

Industrial safety programs have been so effective that people are an estimated ten times safer at work than they are off the job, the chairman of the Employee Health/Safety Committee of the National Association of Manufacturers said at the meeting of the committee in New York.  
Walter F. Patenge, president, Wohler Corp., Lansing, Mich., noted that, as a result, companies are now stressing total safety programs for around-the-clock protection of employees. "Millions of employees throughout industry take safety very seriously on the job, and we must extend this attitude to the home, to the streets and highways, and in fact to every facet of life," he said.  
State and local authorities were credited by Mr. Patenge for their help in encouraging industrial safety. While much more can be done, he said that thousands of companies throughout the country have set enviable safety records.  
"In view of the significant progress which has been made by industry over the years," Mr. Patenge said, "the NAM strongly questions the need for the proposed federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1968, which would require millions of dollars of tax funds at a time when it is so essential for the Administration to curtail non-defense spending."  
He stated that the most important item on the agenda of the Employee Health/Safety Committee meeting, attended by representatives of industry from all parts of the country, was a panel discussion in which five top corporate executives detailed the mutual benefits companies and employees gain from sound safety and health programs. Such programs are becoming more important as industry faces labor shortages in many areas and searches for new ways to increase productivity.

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## EVANT NEWS by CORNELIA KREID

More rain has been credited since my last letter. An unusual year to say the least. Everytime it rains, I think of Faron Kincheole and his "beautiful rain" when he was about four years old. But the big dailies are calling the clouds "maddening". I still say "More rain, more grass". Clouds and mist is the weather report this Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gholson visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gholson. Additional guests were Lelanne and Mark Kreid of Waco and Bryan Kreid of Evant.

No results have been turned in concerning the San Antonio Fat Stock Show, but that does not mean the Adams family or the Sheldons failed to win a place.

The Evant Elks are playing tonight; results of that is already good, for they are in a tie with Lometa girls. I guess they are called Elkettes, however. If we could get as good sports reporter as we have team, we'd tell our readers about what is going on in the athletic field. The game is scheduled for Badger gym, for the district game as described.

The Paul January's, owner of the Care Home and now owners of the Evant Clinic, are doing some interior and exterior improvement of the latter. In a statement from Mrs. January concerning the clinic, she said, "We have high hopes of a doctor".

Last week, the Adamsville Home Demonstration Club members visited January Care Home to honor their former member, Mrs. Maude Townsen, on her birthday. She was 86 the 15th, the date of the party. Also honored on that day were Mr. Brazil, who was 92 on the 19th and Mrs. Gertrude Newton, who was 74 on the 16th.

A beautiful thought (again for neighbors and friends to have) the club plans to return at the middle of each month and bring cakes to help entertain additional patients in the Care Home.

Former courtesies extended the Home by Adamsville Club, was bids and pot holders presented for use with the chores and patients.

Mr. and Mrs. George Flach and family spent the weekend in Arkansas visiting relatives. Larry Vice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Vice, was buried at Oakwood Cemetery, Hamilton, following 10:00 o'clock services on Monday morning at Riley's Chapel. He was a student in Evant School, age 17, and a member of Evant Methodist Church.

It is reported that he was present last week, when Mrs. Melvin Horton took her mother, Mrs. Frank Shave, to visit Mrs.

T.M. Browning at the Gatesville hospital, then went to the Ronda to visit Mrs. Edgar Moses, we could have had a full column. Neither of the two charming ladies could recall specifically when they had met, but it had been some forty-five or fifty years. They were school mates at Cottonwood School. Mrs. Moses was Minnie Barrett, and Mrs. Shave was May Flait, in those days. Mrs. Moses is a sister of Mrs. Henley White and a sister-in-law of C.W. Moses, who resides in January Care Home in Evant. Thanks to Mrs. Shave for calling about this interesting incident. There is bound to be other visits happening that is just as good; do let me know.

Mrs. Zola Smith, sister of Mrs. Ballow, is spending a few days in the Jim Ballow home. When she left her home in Wichita Falls, snow was deep on the ground. The last snow she saw was just above Stephenville.

James Lee Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Stone, Star Rt. 2, Evant, was inducted in the armed services February 13, and is now stationed at Camp Polk in Louisiana. He is age 20 and qualified to make good in the services for his country. Young Stone is a graduate of Evant High School and formerly employed in Dallas.

On Sunday, February 25, Evant Methodist Church's congregation will hear Rev. J.W. Sprinkle, District Superintendent. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, in the fellowship hall. Following the meal, a Quarterly Conference will be conducted by Rev. Sprinkle, on that same afternoon at 3:30, both Pearl and Bee House congregations will meet at the Pearl Methodist Church for Quarterly Conference, conducted by Rev. Sprinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson entertained friends two different days last week, in honor of their birthdays. On Thursday, they went to their ranch home southwest of Evant and took dinner to honor Mr. John Allen, who resides there, alone. Joining in the dinner party were neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Landrum and Mrs. C.W. Firestone, local florist.

The next day, Friday, the Robinsons opened their home for honoring Mr. P.R. Sawyer and his wife, even if there is no birthday in the family until February 20. To this dinner, in addition to themselves and the Sawyers, Mr. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sparks and Mrs. Anon Platt, were invited. Of such pretty customs, happy birthdays are made.

Mrs. Annie Riley has returned to January Care Home.

Mrs. Bessie Langford remains quite unchanged, in January Care Home, and Mr. Alen Campbell remains still no better, in Heritage Home, Goldthwaite.

Mr. J.M. Winters family reports him still in a serious condition at King Daughters Hospital in Temple. The doctors are still making tests to determine the cause of his severe discomforts.

Dolan Kincheole had the misfortune of falling from his chair one day last week, but suf-

fered no worse than bruises and discomforts which caused his arthritis to pain him more. Mrs. Jim Ray is a new patient in the January Care Home. She is a local citizen. Her sister, Mrs. Minnie Bynum, was already in the home. Returned to the home is Mrs. Addie Soules, also.

Pepper and I went out for an unusually good walk on a day last week; you may come along now, too. At Dry Branch, the water was clearer than sugar syrup on morning pancakes, noisier than small boys whispering in bed on week-end parties, but a most stimulating atmosphere. A bit too cool for comfort in a light jacket and wool dress, I laid a fire, which soon blushed broadly. It lashed the twigs and bark to a mere nothingness in no time, and resembled old luggage burning on a trash heap.

Right then, I tied the dog and sat down to think upon an idea all by myself. I could assemble all my old griefs and regrets and lay them on a blaze. Before they were burned, I would probably drop from exhaustion gained from gathering them. There would be a mountain of ashes, of memory! Since wood ashes make good fertilizer, suppose I scatter my memory ash about and let new and better ideas grow.

I walked away to let the fire wink out, alone, and the stream receded further in the background, which desire little of me, more than being left. Soon I could hear the roar of a tractor; Joe was planting spring oats. The mumbering of progress, hope and spring mean work of a new year. From this I drew little rapture, however, the first clean note that pierced my ears from a bird, sounded like the voice of God.

Spending the winter watching cardinals, need not be time lost. Soon the birds will be gone, but buds will take their place. The plum tree, on the east side of the house, and red but on the west are now showing color. It has not been a long winter, in spite of much discomforts, in many ways. It is not what we have had that contributes to our present state of happiness, but what we have left, so when we wake with the headache, we can still say we have grass on the earth, flowers in an urn and ivy where the sparrows cling. (Believe me, when I wrote that the first time, it was not easy to believe.) Then I find this note in my diary: "I thought of stepping on the hill's crew-cut head, walking barefoot, tangling my toes in the dew. What a dawn! So let us keep trying to fit the ragged part of life, we have left together, to help fashion the perfect whole, once more."

### Pre-Easter Revival Slated at Evant

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Bids will be opened for consideration at or about 8:00 p.m. March 12, 1968.

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Texas draft boards next month must furnish the largest monthly quota of young men for military service in nearly two years.

Col. Morris S. Schwartz, state Selective Service Director, said the local boards have been called on to provide 1948 men -- most since the 2012 man quota of November 1966. Low point in the interim was 674 men last February.

This year's monthly quota has been 1165 in February and 1659 in January.

National call for March induction is 39,000 men. All are for the Army.

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# Gatesville at a Glance

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**SPRING '68, WHERE ARE YOU?** . . . It looks as if Spring isn't going to arrive as fast as we would like it to. With the cold, inclement weather that has engulfed the area, it makes one eput aside the spring fashions one has waited so long to wear.

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**GOOD LUCK** . . . Jonesboro Eagles and Eaglettes, Evant Elks and Elkettes and GHS Hornettes. These teams are to play in bi-district clashes next week.

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**IN HOSPITAL**, . . . Mrs. D.E. Mitchell, of the Harmon Community has entered Breckenridge Hospital in Austin this week for tests. Her room number is 606.

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**RED CROSS DRIVE**, . . . The 1968 American Red Cross March Fund campaign will get underway March 1, with a special meeting in the Civic Room of the National Bank. All persons interested in the drive and drive workers are urged to attend.

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**CONGRATULATIONS**, . . . Mrs. Damon Wicker, "Jaycee Wife of the Year". Also congratulations to Sue on her recent election to President of the Jaycee Wives' Club.

**VISITING SISTER** . . . and daughter, Mrs. L.G. Howell, in Nachitoches, Louisiana this past week, were Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Palmer, Mrs. Dusty Rhodes and Kim.

### Mrs. Aury Powell Is Grandmother

Captain and Mrs. Bill Breene, of Laredo, are the proud parents of a 9 lb. baby boy born February 11th.

Mrs. Breene is the former Miss Zana Powell of Gatesville. Mrs. Aury Powell is visiting in the Breene home in Laredo, with her daughter and grandson.

### Carol Haynes named to Dean's List

Carol Kay Haynes of Gatesville, Texas has been named to the Dean's List at McMurry College in Abilene for the 1967 fall semester.

Kay is a freshman student, majoring in English. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Haynes.

Kay's campus activities include chanters and chapel choir. To qualify for the Dean's List a student must earn a grade point average of 3.5 or better while carrying a minimum of 12 semester hours.

### Garden Club Elects 1968-69 Officers

The Gatesville Garden Club held its regular monthly meeting February 19th in the National Bank Civic Room.

Mrs. A.A. Alford, President, presided. There were 23 members present.

"Awakening of Spring" was the theme of the meeting. In conjunction, Mrs. J.D. McCauley gave an interesting talk on "Berried Shrubs for Beauty and the Birds". Mrs. Lloyd Lam told of interesting "Bird Houses"; Miss Ima Fellers told about different "Feeding Stations"; and Mrs. Marvin Stevens described the different and interesting "Bird Baths".

The following officers were elected for the club year, 1968-69. They will be installed at an installation program in May.

President, Mrs. A.A. Alford; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Elbert Pancake; 2nd Vice-President, Miss Ima Fellers; Treasurer, Mrs. Marvin Stevens; Recording Secretary, Mrs. T.R. Richardson; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. C.C. Franks; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Lydia Patillo; Historian, Mrs. M.H. Shepherd; Librarian, Mrs. Paul Henson; and Pianist, Mrs. M. M. Carroll.

Mrs. M.H. Shepherd and Mrs. M. Thompson of the local club attended a council meeting at the Waco Garden Center on Wednesday, February 14th.

Mr. Frank Ethridge of the Park and Wild Life Department in Austin, showed slides of "Great Outdoors".

it's a woman's WHIRL  
BY MAGGI

Back in 1916, in Indiana, an Evansville housewife was sued for divorce because her husband charged that she spent \$18 a month for "paint, powder and perfume." At that time, the per capita yearly expenditure for cosmetics by American women averaged fifty cents.

A half-century later, some American men are spending what Mrs. Rowe did — and more — on their own grooming aids and toiletries. As a matter of fact, manufacturers of men's colognes and aftershave say they are currently leading the entire fragrance field in gallons sold annually! It is said they now represent fifty per cent of all fragrance sales.

### Ruth Bible Class Meets

The Ruth Bible Class met in the home of Mrs. Carl Drake, Monday night, with Mrs. Bill Gatlin, Mrs. John Bradford and Miss Ginger Bales as co-hostesses.

Mrs. R.K. Stewart presided at the meeting.

After a prayer, led by Mrs. Tom Davidson, Mrs. Jim Barton read an essay written by a niece of Mr. Barton. The essay, entitled "God Wants One Hundred Percent, Ninety-Nine Won't Do".

The essay won a second place award.

A social hour followed. Those enjoying Cherry Ice Box Pie, and coffee were Mesdames Bill McMordie, Carl Chambers, Marvin Englebrecht, E.W. Jones, Jr., R.K. Stewart, Tom Davidson, Jim Barton, M.M. Williams, Ennis Williams, the hostess and co-hostesses.

Library News

When you sell a man a book you don't sell him just 12 ounces of paper and ink and glue — you sell him a whole new life. — Parmassus on Wheels

Are you an educated person? Certainly most people who have been to college will answer yes and many who have only high school or less training will answer no. This, however, may be far from telling the whole story. The college graduate whose educational progress ends when he receives his diploma will certainly be much less educated than the high school graduate who continues his studies throughout a life time.

Some educators see the ideal liberal arts college as an adequate central library surrounded by dormitories. No classes would be held, each student would progress at his own pace and could ask to be examined whenever he felt qualified.

Your public library can serve as a most adequate substitute for a college. With the resources available at the library and through the interlibrary loan system any subject you are interested in, whether for pleasure or to further your career can be studied in depth.

You can study hard or leisurely but don't be an uneducated person. If we don't have the books you want, we will do our best to get them for you.

One of the most important books received this past week at the Gatesville Public Library was "Good News for Modern Man", the New Testament in today's English. Fourteen other books were received and include, Paradise Falls, a novel by Don Robertson; Tales from the Big Thicket by Francis E. Abernathy; Quarter Horses by Robert M. Denhardt; The Young Marriage by Mary Anne Guitar and the editors of Ladies Home Journal; A Complete Guide to Everyday Law by S. Kling; My Diary: 1874 by Cornelia Adair; India, India by Lisa Hobbs; The Great Vitamin Hoax by M. Daniel Tatkoff; American Lit Relit by Richard Armour; Lovejoy's Career and Vocational School guide; Tough Minded Optimist and Enthusiasm Makes a Difference both by Norman V. Peale; North Toward Home by Willie Morris and Antique Automobiles by Anthony Bird.

Five children's books were received and included Dr. Doolittle by Hugh Lofting; Fee Fi Fo Fum by Raymond Briggs; The Hundred Dresses by Eleanor Estes; Zoos of the World by James Fisher and Cave of Danger by Bryce Walton.

### Wesleyan Guild Holds Meeting

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church, met on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Miss Orpa Mayo, with Mrs. Pat Holt and Mrs. Curtis Sims co-hostesses.

Mrs. Elbert Sheldon made the introduction to the study, Christ and the Faiths of Men.

Mrs. Bill Easley spoke on, Is Faith Possible Today?

Mrs. Will Brumalaw spoke on The Bible and The Faiths of Men.

President, Mrs. Guy Marlin, conducted a business session. The Guild benediction was repeated.

A fellowship hour followed and refreshments were served to Mesdames Will Brumalaw, Don Callahan, Paul Dean, John Dyches, Bill Easley, Sotero Gomez, Ernest Huckabee, H.G. Huckabee, Don McElvaney, Guy Marlin, Francis Miller, J.W. Rhoads, G.H. Sawyer, Gladys Saunders, Elbert Sheldon, Pat Snoddy, Glen Stover and Misses Leta Bennett, Mollie Montgomery and Berta Saunders.



Jaycee Wives President, Carol Brim, presents Mrs. Damon Wicker "Wife of the Year" with a charm, for the honor. Mrs. Tom Kennedy, looking on, was the Jaycee "Wife of the Year" for 1967.

## Gatesville Jaycee Wives Select "Wife Of Year"

The Gatesville Jaycee Wives Club has announced the selection of "Jaycee Wife of the Year". Named to the honor was Mrs. Sue Wicker of 2614 Powell Drive, Gatesville.

The presentation was made at the Jaycee Wives' dinner held at Franks Restaurant on Lake Belton, February 15.

Mrs. Wicker has proven to be a tremendous asset to the Jaycee Wives' Club and her community.

Sue is married to Mr. Damon Wicker, President of the Gatesville Jaycees, and they have two lovely children.



put on a pretty face  
BY  
Aubrey McDonald

"Discretion" is the key word when selecting your fragrance wardrobe. You may choose cologne for daytime wear, and a perfume for after-six socializing.

Your daytime fragrance, suitable for school, work or shopping, should have a fresh, wide-awake scent. Don't forget to include a purse-size flacon of your favorite bouquet in your cosmetic case. Fragrances do fade, and should be reapplied as frequently as you touch-up your lipstick.

For evening, you'll want to lavish something a bit more heady on pulse spots at the neck, wrist, and temples. Two of my favorite perfumes are Fashion Two Twenty's provocative "U" and "Nearer RRR."

If you feel daring, and want that delightful fragrance to linger on and on, try the Parisian technique of spraying your perfume over yourself from head to toe.

Colognes and perfumes are divided, according to their fragrance, into four categories: light floral, such as violet and lilac; heavy floral, gardenia and carnation; light Oriental, and heavy Oriental, containing musk or ambergris.

Keep in mind these suggestions when you select cologne or perfume, and you'll be well on your way to total glamour.

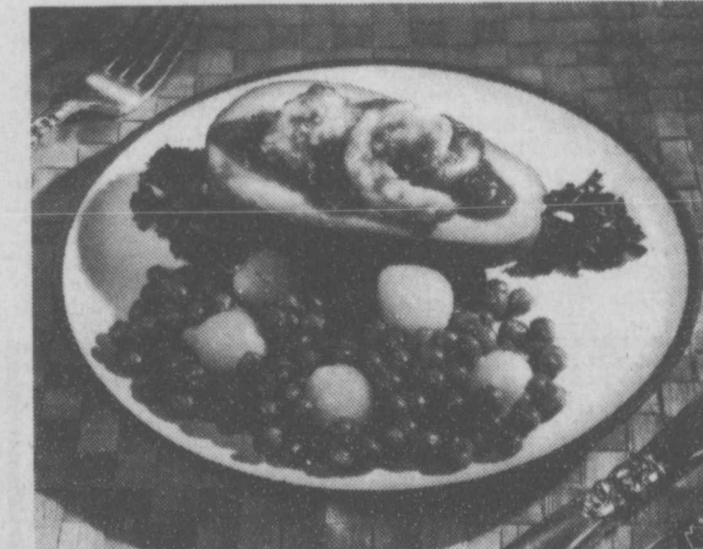


Over The GARDEN FENCE  
By R B

No hour law on the farm, spring comes but once a year, and doesn't last long when it does come. Old Farmers Almanac - 1889.

Although we are still having wintery weather a good deal of the time, it is the beginning of the rush season for gardeners. If you would like to try growing peppers, tomatoes and annual flowers from seed instead of buying started plants, this is the time to start them. Almost any type of container can be used if it has good drainage. Old pans, flower pots or milk cartons are fine. Just fill with a mixture of half finely worked garden soil and half peat moss. Scatter your seeds thinly over the top and cover with a very thin layer of fine peat moss. With your hand, or a small piece of wood, press this firmly down around the seeds. Then set your container in a pan of water and leave until the top is moist. Watering in this way, from the bottom, prevents the seeds from being washed out of place. Now, the whole container may be covered with a plastic cover until the seeds start to sprout. The plastic should be removed as soon as sprouting begins and the container placed in a sunny window. When the first true leaves have sprouted and the plants are about an inch high, they should be transplanted to a larger pot, box or individual pots so they will have room to grow. If the plants are put into peat pots or plant bands at this time, they may be then planted directly in the ground, pot and all, when the weather warms up, about the first of April.

### Avocados Have A Way With Shrimp



California Avocado Advisory Board Photo

California's delicious avocados must have a natural way with shrimp. However they are combined — in appetizers, salads, or in a tempting entree — the two together taste simply terrific! This luscious main course suggestion offers just-ripe avocados (they yield to gentle pressure in the hand) filled with a piping hot mixture of shrimp in a slightly-thickened tomato sauce seasoned with onion and Worcestershire.

The result is a simple-to-make and eye-pleasing dish with zesty red sauce brimming over green and yellow avocado half shells.

#### SAUCY SHRIMP IN AVOCADO

Makes 6 servings (2 1/4 cups sauce)

- 3 ripe California Avocados
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1/2 cup water
- 1 can (8 oz.) tomato sauce
- 2 teaspoons instant minced onion
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 2 cans (4 1/2 oz. each) deviled shrimp

Serve with frozen peas and onions

Cut avocados lengthwise into halves; remove seeds and skin. Sprinkle fruit with lemon juice. Place in shallow pan and fill with 1/2-inch hot water. Heat in 300 degree (slow) oven 15 minutes. Meanwhile, blend in a saucepan cornstarch and water. Stir in tomato sauce, onion, Worcestershire and butter. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Rinse shrimp under cold water; drain and stir into tomato mixture. Heat thoroughly. Spoon into avocados. Serve remaining shrimp mixture in bowl.

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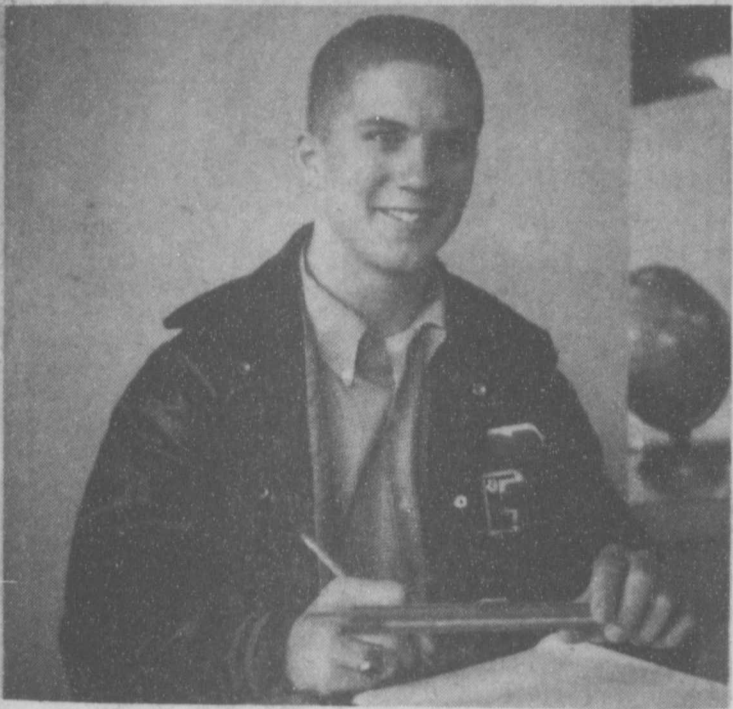


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# HORNETS' NEST

## Bob Gillette To Attend West Point



Bob Gillette

"I realize I must serve my country, and to me, this is the best way possible that I can fulfill and honor that obligation." This was Bob Gillette's answer to a Hornet's Nest Reporter when asked why he wanted to go to West Point. He also stated, "I feel that it is perhaps the greatest honor I will receive.

Bob is a senior at GHS and has participated in many activities in his years at Gatesville High. Among these are F.T.A., Latin Club, Spanish Club and G-Club. Bob has received numerous honors at high school and some of these are, secretary of the Senior Class, president of the Latin Club; he was Future Teacher for the month of January and was named to the GHS Who's Who. Bob has earned four football letters; a freshman and B-team letter and two varsity letters.

Perhaps you have already guessed that Mr. Gillette's favorite activity is football. He says his most enjoyable experiences are those in athletics and he even enjoys practice. He also considers football his chief hobby, but appreciates the sportsmanship of baseball, too.

To give a few miscellaneous facts about Bob, orange ranks first in his choice of colors, he enjoys playing chess, he craves hamburgers and seems to have this "thing" about Mustangs. Above all, Bob enjoys listening to the Rolling Stones and the Beach Boys.

Bob Gillette may possibly be a good choice to attend West Point, because of his deep feelings of honor and pa-



"Well anyway mini-skirt hems, if any, won't get wet in snow drifts."—Louis Nelson Bowman, Tri-County (Mo.) News.

"An old-timer is a person who can remember sitting through many a dull evening without television."—Duane C. Griggs, The New London (Iowa) Journal.

## MENU

Monday - Pimento cheese sandwiches, french fries, cat-sup, peanut butter and crackers, orange juice, gingerbread, butter, milk.

Tuesday - Pinto beans with meat; diced turnips and tops, cabbage slaw, cornbread, butter, purple plum pie, milk.

Wednesday - Chicken and dumplings, green peas, pineapple and cheese salad, Jello with whipped topping, bread, milk.

Thursday - Meat patties, gravy, lettuce and tomato salad, potato chips, peach halves, butter cookies, bread, milk.

Friday - Fish steaks, cat-sup, whipped potatoes, green beans, pickle stix, butter cake, orange sauce, bread and milk.

## GHS

Newsletters

New students to the hallowed halls of GHS are Travis Chambliss, a sophomore; Barbara Gilmore, a freshman; and Kenneth Ingram, another 9th grader.

The final shipment of the Crescent, GHS yearbook, is this Friday, February 23.

The local chapter of the FFA held an assembly Monday, February 19, in observance of National FFA Week.

triotism, which is best expressed in his own words: "Situations abroad could be solved if Americans would show a more fervent love of their country and a lot more patriotism."

## Patriotism

by Paul Stone

Today we seem to think that patriotism is going, or perhaps gone, from America. We look at places which we have through were the bulwarks of freedom, and see a surging tide of dissent. But then we comfort ourselves when we say, "Look at that fine young man, William Worp. He won't be the kind to turn Communist. No sir, He'll go out and fight for his country." Then as soon as we have finished saying this, we see an Anti-Vietnam march at Berkeley, or Texas or even the Capitol and say, "See, there's that bunch of unpatriotic Communist finks." Well, William Worp may very well be a patriot, but one of these "Communists" might be also.

Patriotism could be described as a love or concern for one's nation and its people, or the act of carrying out this love. So it's very easy to say that a person who says "yes" to his country is a patriot and the person who says "no" isn't. True love does not demand absolute obedience or blind obedience. If a person loves something, he will try to help it the best way he knows how. This help may sometimes come in the form of a good long lashing.

Our country, America, hasn't always been in the right, no nation ever has. So if someone sees his country doing something wrong, if he really loves his country, he will try to set it straight. We must remember, however, that what one man's idea of what is right may differ from another man's. So it may seem that we are going to have one big mess since there is such a divided opinion as to what is right. This difference of opinion has been the source of America's strength through its history and as long as the division is responsible, it will continue to

## Students Want

Draft Revised

The questions and answers this week concerning the recent poll taken are as follows:

(1) Are you superstitious?  
145 said no  
108 said yes  
3 said sometimes  
3 had no opinion  
1 said only at night  
1 said only on cloudy days

(2) Do you think the present draft system should be revised?  
140 said yes  
118 said no  
1 said take all long-haired protesters  
4 had no opinion

(3) What is the best movie you have seen lately?  
Top Ten  
1. Bonnie and Clyde  
2. Valley of the Dolls  
3. You Only Live Twice  
4. To Sir With Love  
5. Phantom of the Opera  
6. Barefoot in the Park  
7. For a Few Dollars More  
8. Wait Until Dark  
9. Dr. Zhivago  
10. In the Heat of the Night

## Uncle Charlie

Dear Uncle Charlie: My problem is very serious. I, a freshman boy, want to go with a freshman girl, but the freshman girl is going with a junior boy, but I don't think the freshman girl likes him much, but, how do I, freshman boy, go about getting the freshman girl to go with me without me getting whipped up on?

P.R.S.  
Go ahead and ask the girl for a date. If she really wants to go with you, she will accept. If she doesn't want to go with you, she will turn you down. Either way, you really shouldn't worry about the junior boy. They're usually all talk anyway.

U.C.  
Dear Uncle Charlie: I have been dating two boys about equally. I like them both a lot. My problem is that the boys are constantly picking on each other. They won't even speak to each other. I think that they might even fight if the occasion arose. I really like them both, so what can I do?

Confused  
Dear Confused: There are three possible alternatives for you. (1) You can continue to date both boys until one kills the other. (2) You can choose one of the boys and forget the other, or (3) You can find a new boyfriend.

The latter is by far the best choice, because any boy that is so immature as to fight over a girl is not worth having.

U.C.  
Dear Uncle Charlie: I have a problem. Will you please help me solve it?

Sophomore  
Dear Sophomore: Gladly! Dear Uncle Charlie: Gatesville is a swell town. All of the people are friendly and I like the school a whole lot. My problem is that there is nothing to do. If you ask a girl for a date, all you can do is take her to the drive-in. It is okay, but it gets monotonous. My folks won't let me leave Gatesville for a date, so what can I do on my next date?

Adventure Seeker  
Dear Adventure Seeker: Go to the drive-in.

Jr. FHA Presents Program  
The Junior Chapter officers of FHA were in charge of the February meeting. The main topic of the meeting was "The Problems Facing Teenagers Today". Lucy Powell gave a report on smoking, Benny Spencer reported on drinking, Lu Lee reported on drugs and Kristi Brown reported on crash diets.

Cake Walk for FTA Success  
The Future Teacher cake walk, which took place on Valentine's Day, February 14, was termed successful by FTA sponsors. Mrs. Gail Callahan and Mrs. Virginia Bishop. The FTA's netted \$137.16. Part of this money will help finance the trip to the FTA state convention which will be February 23 and 24.  
Those attending the convention are Barbara Bennett, Pam Bristow, Paul Coon, Teddy Foote, Joy Harrington, Stanley Koepec, Paul Pollard, and Katy Sims. Mrs. Gail Callahan and Mrs. Virginia Bishop will accompany the group.



Sara Nelle Lowrey

Kenny Gaston

# Basketball Sweetheart Beau Selected At GHS

The boys and girls basketball teams recently selected their sweetheart and beau. The boys choice for sweetheart was Sara Nelle Lowrey. The basketball girls chose Kenny Gaston.

Sara Nelle was presented with roses at a boys' basketball pep rally. This presentation is only one of the many honors Sara Nelle has received in high school. She was an All-State Choir candidate this year. Her straight A's gave her a position on Whos' Who. She is a commissioned officer in the band and has participated in the band follies for the last four years, and Sara Nelle has been an important member of the majorettes for the last three years.

During the last four years, Sara Nelle has participated in several clubs. She has been a member of the FTA for four years, a member of the Spanish Club, the Latin Club, the band, choir and the Junior annual staff. Throughout her four years in high school, Sara

Nelle has been an avid spectator at football and basketball games.

Outside of school, Sara Nelle has many hobbies. She enjoys golf, skiing and reading. She also enjoys music, especially playing the banjo. Her plans for college include the University of Texas, where she plans to major in language and minor in music.

Sara Nelle lives with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. O.W. Lowrey at 406 Grandview Street.

Kenny Gaston, a most deserving choice for girls' basketball beau, is very active in many school and outside activities.

Kenny's favorite hobby is all kinds of sports. He has been an outstanding player on the GHS football squads through his high school years and was a lettering tight end his senior year. He has also been active on the basketball squad for four years and was second leading scorer in district his senior year. He has been an excellent member of the track team

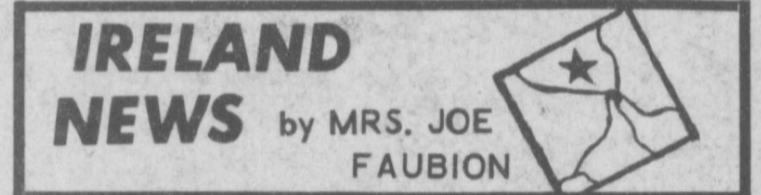
for three years. During the summer, Kenny plays as second baseman on a local baseball team and has had the leading batting average in his league. Another hobby of Kenny's is listening to his favorite group - The Rolling Stones. After graduation, Kenny plans to go to a junior college and later to a SWC college. His favorite is the University of Arkansas. While in college, Kenny plans to take an active part in the athletics program of the college.

During his years at GHS, Kenny has been a member of the G-Club, Spanish Club and

FFA. Among the honors he has received are All-District Tight End, Second team, and basketball beau.

One really unique thing about Kenny is that he seems to like odd things that most people don't like. Among these odd favorites of Kenny's are his liking of the Rolling Stones, whom most people don't seem to like. Other oddities of Kenny's are his liking of the Arkansas Razorbacks and his favorite pro-team, the Packers. Kenny feels that if you like a team, you must stick with them.

Kenny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.Q. Gaston.



Mr. Earl Holing and Mrs. Etta Favor visited a few days this week in Ft. Worth, with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davis of Gatesville spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Noel Neyland. Cleda Jo Wall of Ft. Worth and a student at Tarleton State College spent the weekend in the Joe C. Faubion home. She is a former room-mate of Linda Faubion and served as an attendant at Linda's wedding, which was Saturday night. Rev. Ernest Roper will conduct revival services at the First Methodist Church, beginning Sunday night, February 25, and continuing through Friday night, March 1. Services will begin at seven o'clock each night. Mrs. R. Richmond was hostess at a supper Friday night at the Community Center honoring Ward Richmond and Linda Faubion who were united in marriage on Saturday night; and their attendants. Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Jones; Rev. and Mrs. Don Crum, Purdon; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly and Myra Richmond all of Hamilton; Cleda Jo Wall of Ft. Worth, a student at Tarleton College and former room-mate of Linda; David and Calliss Miller of Gatesville. Also Mrs. Emma Neyland and Mrs. Zola Williams, grandmothers of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Faubion and Tommy and Troy Williams. Lyle Lovelace visited a short time Friday in the Blake Lovelace home. Lyle has recently been transferred from New Braunfels to Ft. Worth. Those who visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Tyler, were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Tyler, Mrs. Dixie Franklin and her great granddaughter, all of Ft. Worth.

## Freedoms Council Hears Bill Glass

A youth meeting for the area Freedoms councils was held in Lampasas, Monday, February 19. The first speaker was from the Texas Bureau for Economic Understanding. His name was Mr. Robert Lawrence, and he gave an introductory speech before the main speaker's talk.

The master of ceremonies, Roger Miller, from Hamilton, introduced Mr. Bill Glass, the defensive right end for the Cleveland Browns. After several humorous caricatures of incidents in football, Mr. Glass got down to business.

The projecting idea of his talk was for youth. In the world of today, Mr. Glass felt the most important idea to reach was to attain a goal. The many problems of modern life require meeting life with set principles and a goal to seek.

Courage, stressed Glass, is eminent in every athletic game. Thus, courage is a prominent part of the greatest game of all - the game of life. He felt that the youth of today should grasp ideas to regain ground lost by bygone generations. "Morality is lower, and ideas of principles are harder to realize in today's world," emphasized Mr. Glass. Mr. Glass touched on several current events and problems in the contents of his speech. Among these were the hippies, civil rights, and the population explosion. He seems to find the answer in his thought of young people as a solution. The future generation is on the way.

The future generation is the way to the answer of the world's situation, according to Mr.

Glass. To conclude his talk, Mr. Glass gave the young people a hint at a way to success in life. He said to lean on the Great Coach (God) and to find strength in his strength. Supper followed, and then a question and answer session. Mr. Glass proved to be responsive to the questioning of the nearly 300 students, and the session was enlightening. Another session will be held later in the year, but the date is yet undetermined.



All things work together for good to them that love God.—(Rom. 8:28)

What do we think when we go into some new situation? If we are starting on a new job, if we are entering a new school, if we are moving into a new house, our approach to this new experience, our thoughts concerning ourself and our abilities are most important. As we keep this in mind we will prove for ourself how true it is; we will discover that we go to meet our good and that already our good is running to meet us.

Attend Church This Sunday



Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited in Belton Sunday afternoon with their aunt and cousin, Mrs. Florence McBeth and Donald. Visiting during the weekend in the Pink Ballard home were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ballard of Marlin, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gaston, Shellie, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ballard and Judy. Friends extend deepest sympathy to the John Rogers family in the loss of their son, J.D. Rogers. Mrs. Effie Peveto of Oglesby visited Mrs. J.H. Jeffrey, Wednesday and Mrs. Ernest Fisher visited Friday. Bus Barton is on the sick list. Recent guests in the Barton home were Mr. and Mrs. George Loe, Sr., Jack Barton, J.T. Davidson, Pete Jones, Mrs. Darrell Jones and DeAnn were Friday dinner guests. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Joel New and Darrell Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher visited over the weekend in Waco, with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fisher and Keith. Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy and daughter, who had been visiting several days here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frison Murphy, returned to their home in Tampa, Florida, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson and Bobby visited in Waco Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry McClaren. Donald McClaren of DeLeon spent the weekend in the Bill Richardson home and little Dena Lou Clary of Gatesville, spent Sunday night. Mrs. Kate Veazey spent last week in Waco visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and Keith. Mrs. Frank Roads and Diann of Oglesby, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson, Wednesday.

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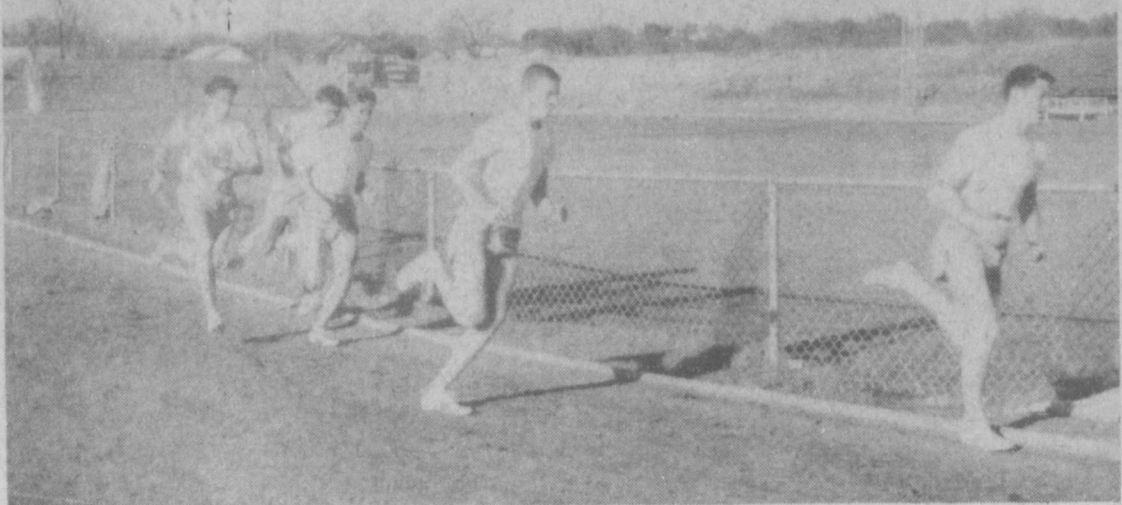
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# HORNETS IN FIRST MEET OF 1968 SEASON



... Prepare for the Long Run

Heading into the first turn on the 880 yard run are Danny Whitt, Mike Barr, Chris Montgomery, John King and Jim Ferguson. These boys will make up the Hornet distance team at the first meet.

The Hornet track team will compete in the first track meet of the season tomorrow at the Schertz-Cibolo relays.

Track events have been up for grabs in inter-team competition for the past two weeks. The sprinters for Saturday's relays will probably be Bobby Cole, Raymond Cole, Gary Carothers and Larry McCutchen. The boys will run the 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash and a leg of the relay events.

In the jumping events, the vaulting will be handled by Jerry Morgan, Steve Palmer and another jumper. The broad jump event probably will not be entered at this meet, but later Bobby Cole will probably handle this chore. In the high jump, two athletes cleared the 5'8" mark and will represent the Hornets at Schertz-Cibolo. The hurdlers were beginning practice sessions Tuesday with no definite results.

The Hornets will win points at Schertz-Cibolo and could come up with some first place finishes. Good luck.

## Little Elks and Elkettes Place High In Tourney

Evant Elks and Elkettes met Lometa girls and boys in district tournament basketball Friday night, February 16, with both teams winning their competition easily.

In the girls' game Debbie Conner was high point girl and Erbey Lopez and Gene Flippen were high scorers for the Elks.

In the second game, both the Elks and Elkettes had hard competition. The Evant girls won a close one from the Cherokee girls, 18-17. Darlene Sheldon and Debbie Conner were high scorers for the Elkettes, shooting for nine points each. The Evant boys met an in-

spired Richland Springs boys team in the second game and lost. High scorers for the Elks were Doug Pale with 6 points and Erbey Lopez with 7 points.

The tournament ended happily for the Evant girls as they came in first, with the Cherokee squad winning 2nd and Richland Springs 3rd.

The Elks managed a second place, with Richland Springs boys grabbing first place in the tournament and the Cherokee boys coming in third.

The little Elks will face the Cransfill Gap Lions on home court, Monday, February 26, at 6:30 p.m., for their season finale.



... Up, Up and Away

Jerry Morgan clears the 11' mark in the pole vault event. Jerry Morgan and Steve Palmer, both cleared the 11 foot mark in Tuesday's practice session and will represent the Hornets in the event.

### Bowling Results

Team standings in Men's Major City League as of the week of February 14, show Koch's Enco in number one place, having won 53 and lost 39, with a percentage of .576. Five Aces, winning 52, losing 40, with a percentage of .565 runs a close second, with other team wins and losses - Scott's Furniture, won 51-1/2, lost 40-1/2, pct. .549; Wood Choppers, won 45-1/2, lost 46-1/2, pct. .494; Rhode Runners won 45, lost 47, pct. .489 and Fou Splits and a Spare won 29, lost 63, with percentage .314.

Last week's high scores show Tommy Thompson winning high individual series with a 516; Ace Myrick, 512 and Jackie Palmer, 509. High Individual game went to Bill Kincaid with a total of 252; Ace Myrick, second with 203 and Charles Stevens third, with 192. High Team Series spits Scotts Furniture in first place with a total of 2246; Kochs Enco, second with a total of 2233 and Rhode-Runners, third with a total of 2229. High Team game is lead by Rhode Runners, 833; with Kochs Enco, second, 819; and Five Aces, third, 773.

In the Women's Major City League, the Bowling Belles lead with 1469, followed by Alley Oops, 1446 and Cable Vision, 1441. High Team game, the Bowling Belles again lead with 529, Cable Vision, 522 and Alley Oops, 510.

In High Individual Series, Jeanette Carothers bowled a total of 459, Bess Bush, 418 and Dixene Allison.

Jeanette Carothers was also High Individual game bowler, with 163, Kathryn Nolte 152 and Dixene Allison 148.

In the Shirts and Skirts Thursday night league, Jones Cleaners leads with 1679, followed by Dixie Discount with 1627 and Bums, 1540.

High Team game went to Jones Cleaners with a total of 605, Dixie Discount, second, 570 and Jones Cleaners, third with 567.

High Individual Series top bowler was Bess Bush with 506, with Marie and Bill Carter each bowling 456. Bess Bush, with 202 was High Individual game

### Colonial NIT To Have Largest Purse Ever

The 1968 Colonial National Invitation Tournament will be held May 13-19, according to Foist Motheral, Chairman of the Tournament Committee.

"And, the purse for the PGA approved tournament will be a record \$125,000" Motheral said, "making the NIT on of the very top tournaments on the tour."

Last year's purse was \$110,000.

This year's tournament, as was last year's will be nationally televised.

Motheral and committee member Frank Rogers recently returned from California where they issued player invitations to the Colonial event.

Ben Hogan and Byron Nelson have been issued the first two invitations as is the custom of the NIT.

The 72-player field is composed of top Golf Pros invited by the tournament officials.

Last year's winner was Dave Stockton, who finished with a 278 over the rugged course. Stockton went on to become the 19th money-winner on the official tour.

May 13 and 14 of the tournament week are set aside for practice rounds for the pros and the Pro-Member-Guest match is held on Wednesday, May 15. The chase for the \$125,000 prize money starts in earnest on May 16, with the last two days of the tournament being nationally televised by ABC.

leader, with Marie Carter, 108, second and Bill Carter 171, third.

Dixon Drive in is Number 1 in the High Team, three game Other scores: #1 Dixon Drive in 1789; #4 1709 and #5, 1684 in High Team, three games; High Team Game, #1, Dixon Drive in, 629; #4, 595; #5, 577. High Individual, three games, Jerry Bates, 504; Carl Bradley and Wilbert Pietsch, 498 each; Dwain Place, 472. High Individual game, Jerry Bates, 195; Wilbert Pietsch, 190 and Carl Bradley, 186.

## RECORD NUMBER OF TEAMS WILL COMPETE

More than 1,000 high school will be playing football next fall in Texas. This is an all-time high, something that is produced annually. However, this will be the first time for the 1,000 mark to be eclipsed.

More than 30 Negro schools were in the University Interscholastic League in 1967. These were the larger Negro schools and it is now definite that the Interscholastic League of Colored Schools will continue to function.

This means there will be no more Negro schools in the University Interscholastic League next fall. But there still will be an increase since more new schools will be opening. The total will soar from 998 to 1013.

Thus there will be more football players than ever before for the Southwest Conference to go after in its recruiting program.

But a paradox exists. Last year there were more players than before, yet there were fewer for the conference schools to recruit.

In the first place, the 1.6 rule had just begun to make itself felt. This is the average a boy must meet to be eligible for an athletic scholarship. So there was a shrinking of football prospects since the scholastic requirements had been raised.

Also, the conference found it was difficult to compete with other conferences, particularly the Big Eight and the Southeastern, and with the independents because of more stringent recruiting rules.

Southwest Conference schools must wait until a boy has wound up his football participation before he can even be contacted. And then he can be visited only twice before the signing date -- this year, it came on February 13.

The other conferences and independent colleges have no such rules. They can contact a boy any time during his senior year.

Obviously, the Southwest Conference is handicapped at least in getting the top prospects.

It seems likely that changes will be made at the next meeting of the conference in May. Some conference athletic officials have the idea that the other conferences might adjust their rules to remove the hand-

icap. But this would appear to be a forlorn hope.

The other conferences could hardly be expected to make it tougher on themselves in getting the athletes. It would seem here that the Southwest Conference will have to remove some of its rules if it is to get on an even footing in competing.

The Southwest Conference has taken the view that the boys should not be harassed any more than necessary, that is a detriment to a boy's educational progress. If he is bothered too much, there also is the chance that he won't make the proper grades and he might not be able to meet the scholastic requirements to get into college athletics.

This may be a reason for the falloff in prospects with advent of the 1.6 thing.

But if other conferences and

independents don't agree to cut down on visitations and recruiting before the Southwest Conference can start, then it would seem advisable to get into the swim since it wouldn't do much more damage.

The conference was down in quality the past year when it made its worst showing in history in inter-sectional football. This undoubtedly was a major factor in bringing to attention the fact that the conference couldn't get all the top boys in its natural recruitment area.



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Wade-fishing is best early in the morning or at night. Do it on the high tides for this is when fish move up over the flats to feed along the shoreline.

In warm weather you can wade-fish in a swim suit and tennis shoes. The shoes are needed to prevent cutting your feet on shells. In cool weather chest-high waders are in order.

Wade-fishing is much like hunting. You move about slowly, constantly watching for signs of activity. As long as you move slowly and make no sudden noises, you can get within easy casting range of fish.

What are the signs to look for? First note the amount of baitfish in the water and how it is reacting. Schools of minnows that dart about and then suddenly explode in all directions are being chased by larger fish. Cast to these areas of commotion.

Speckled trout and redbird ranging up to 10 pounds frequently move into very shallow water to feed. This is particularly so when tides are high enough to flood the salt grass flats. Often you can see the back and tail fins of these fish break the surface of the water.

Fish in such shallow water must

be approached with extreme care. Note the direction in which the fish are moving and get ahead of them.

When you cast to these fish, don't try to hit them on the nose. This is a great way to spook them in a hurry. Try to drop the bait five or six feet in front of the fish and do it with as little a splash as possible.

Now we come to the bait part of wade-fishing. Live shrimp and live mullet three to five inches long are excellent. Use a small hook and weight so as not to hinder the bait in trying to swim about.

Artificial lures are good, too. Either silver or gold spoons are deadly. So is the Bingo plastic worm and the Pico Pet. Strict top water floating plugs aren't much except on a dark night when the water is glass slick.

Clothing plays a very important role in wade-fishing. Remember that in shallow water the fish are near the surface and reflections can spook fish. Avoid wearing anything white or bright.

When it is possible to fish with the sun in your face, do so. Sure it may be tough to see, but you won't have any shadows reaching out towards where you are dropping the bait or lure.

Water is much denser than air and sound carries five times as far in water as it does in air. Always keep this in mind and avoid noises.

If you're fishing with a partner and need to converse with him, it is far better to ease over near him rather than to shout across the water. That shout can only louse up your fishing, as well as his.

## WYNNE CHESTER SAYS: Preserve Shooting Means Family Fun

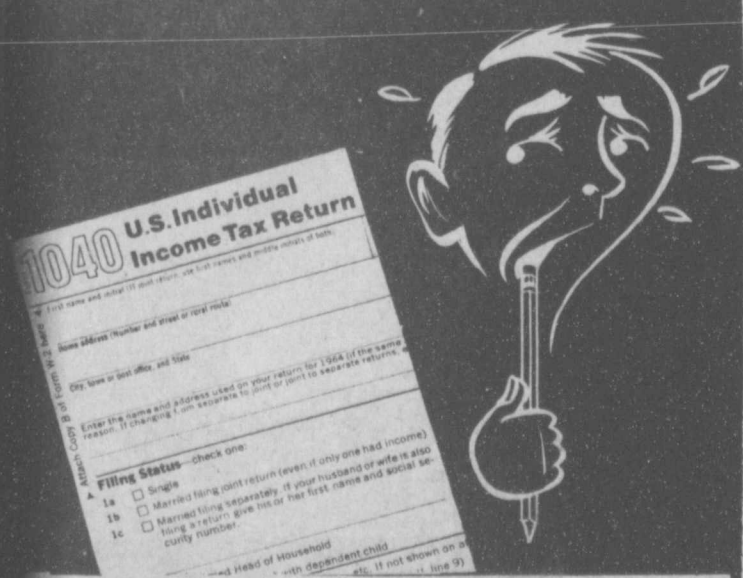


And that's a downright fact. On most preserves, of course, you can hunt pheasant, quail, partridge and mallard. Just as fast and wary as their wild cousins, right through March and into April. There's no bag limit, either -- the number of birds is up to you.

The big trend today, however, is for the preserve to become a year-round family recreational center. Many preserves have trap and skeet fields, bass ponds, trout streams, archery ranges, picnic grounds, camp sites and hiking trails. Others have shooting schools, dog-training schools and special courses in field hunting. Some even provide nature gar-

dens, bird-watching stations and greenhouses. And, to add to your pleasure, many preserves have comfortable accommodations and good restaurants. What more could one ask for a family outing?

Today there are thousands of preserves, spread throughout almost every state. Chances are your local gun dealer will know of some near you. If by any chance he doesn't, write to the National Shooting Sports Foundation, 1075 Post Road, Riverside, Conn. 06878, for a free National Directory of Shooting Preserves. In any case, try the shooting preserves for fine-and-dandy family fun.



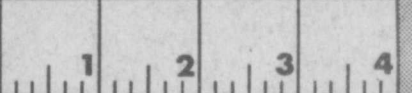
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