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The Coryell County Chapter of the American Red Cross re-

ported Wednesday, March 27,

that only one community had bettered its goal for the year and only one other community

Surpassing the goal set by the American Red Cross was

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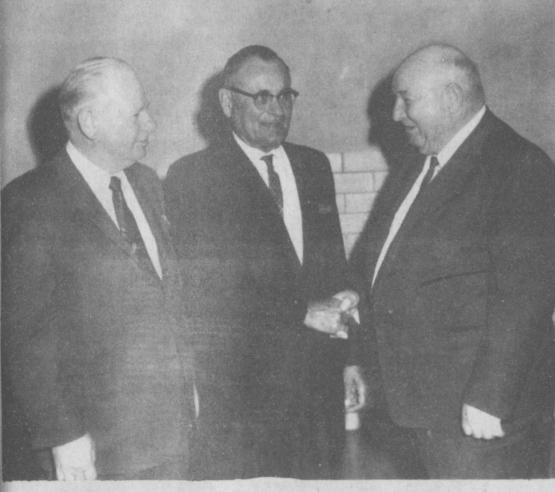
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### Local CPS Manger H.A. Biffle To Retire In September



HONORED AT TESTIMONIAL DINNER — H.A. (Buddy) Biffle, center, veteran of 34 years with Community Public Service Company, the last 22 as Gatesville manager, was honored at a testimonial dinner held in Clifton March 22 by the power company's Central Texas employees. Biffle received gift certificates from fellow employees and heard tributes from speakers including, left, C.L. Cooke, power company president and general manager; and Cecil P Coston, the company's Central Division manager. Biffle, who will retire September 30, will be succeeded by Joe W. Richards, Jr., presently manager at Strawn.

# Gatesville American Legion Post



**Award Winners** 

The Knox Curtis Post 42 the American Legion repsented at the 11th District ring Convention in Killeen Windy Cummings, Post Comander and Pat Patterson, Ad-

### Outsiders' Tournament Sponsored by Senior Class

The Evant Senior Class is onsoring an outsiders' tourment that will be held on arch 29-30 in the high school Teams that are partipating in the tournament are vant, Stephenville, Star and atesville. The men's team Meridian will also be erticipating. Evant and Star's ams will play Thursday night, arting at 7:30 p.m. Gateslle and Stephenville girlsplay 7:30 Friday night, and Gaville and Meridian boys play 8:45 p.m. Friday night. The mals will begin at 6:00 p.m. turday night. Admission will 25 cents for students and cents for adults.

Pat Patterson and Windy Cummings hold awards received at the American Legion 11th District Spring Convention in Killeen. The Knox Curtis Post #42 has begun a rebuilding

The local post was recognized for exceeding assigned quotas for membership. The Post 42 presently has 69 members well above the established number of members.

Legion representatives Cummings and Ratterson accepted a second award for "recognition of an outstanding contribution to the strength of the American Legion and a continued program of service and activities dedicated to the welfare of community, state and

Thirdly, the local post received the citation of Most Dis-

tinguished Service. The local post is in a rebuilding stage at present. Projects to improve the meeting hall are underway with a cooperative program with the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The two organizations will use the facility together.

Present officers of Knox Curtis Post 42 are Windy Cummings, Post Commander; J.D. Blankenship, 1st vice command C.C. Lina, 2nd vice commander; Pat Patterson, adjutant; Ray

jutant, received three awards. Byrom, finance officer; Carl McClendon, service officer; B. W. Lee, historian; John P. Reesing, chaplain; Aaron Roberts, sergeant at arms and Raymond Leonard, publicity chairman.

### Amateur Radio Operators Organize Club

Monday night, March 25th, the area amateur radio operators met in the Coryeil County courtroom in Gatesville to

organize a club. The new club president will be Mr. Charlie Wilson of Gatesville and Mr. Robert Jett of Flat will serve as Secre-

tary-Treasurer. The organization will hold another meeting Monday, March 31 to allow interested persons to join, All "Hams" and interested persons are urged to join at the Monday night meeting in the County Courtroom.

# City Elections Will Be BE MONDAY NIGHT **Tuesday April 2**

City elections for councilman and mayor will be held Tuesday, May 2. Only one race has developed, that being between Paul Bromser and Bob Miller for

Unopposed in their quest for re-election are Gene Chitwood and Dave McCallister. Francis



**BOB MILLER** 

To: The Voters of Gatesville: Since I announced as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Gatesville, I have had many people ask what I stand for; what do I plan to do if elected, or simply, why am I running

I am running because I feel that I have a responsibility as a businessman and as a member of this community to try to make Gatesville a better place in which to live now and a better place for our children, I was born and reared in Gatesville, and I have a deep affection for this community and its peo-

No person, business or community can continue to exist at a constant level. It must either strive to progress, to expand, to develope; or soon it will begin to wither.

Work has already begun on a Master Plan of Community Development. I would continue this work. Such a plan would provide for more orderly expansion and development of our city. It would provide for a better quality of streets, both old streets which would be rebuilt and new additions. It would provide for improvements in our sanitation facilities. It would provide for expansion and improvements of our water system. It would provide for expansion and improvements in our police department, in our fire department, in our library, and in our parks and recreation facilities. Such a plan would provide an orderly and reasonable manner for the city to grow

Such a plan, if carried out, would require a tax structure which would be in keeping with our times and economy. We have had two (2) increases in our ad valorem tax rate in the past three years. Unless such a tax would become a burden, I would propose that the city adopt the 1% sales tax, just as most other progressive communities in our state have done. If such a tax is adopted by the citizens of Gatesville, I would also propose a corresponding decrease in the ad valorem tax

I believe that the city government has a responsibility to the citizens to provide fire and police protection, to provide library facilities and to provide park and recreation facilities. These are city func-tions which by their nature, must be almost entirely tax supported. However, the quality of these functions will not be determined by the amount of tax dollars spent, but by the interest, work and pride of the citizens of Gatesville.

I believe that the work of the city government should be carried out with a minimum of ordinances. All ordinances should be realistic and entirely workable. They should be strictly and uniformly enforc-

As a candidate for Mayor of the City of Gatesville, I do not solicit only your vote, but also your help in working toward the continued growth and developement of Gatesville, Sincerely,

/s/ Bob Miller

Ward is also unopposed in seeking his first term on the coun-

This year, for the first time, all voting will be done at the fire station will no voting in the courthouse.

Take time to vote, The following are statements by the two candidates for mayor:



PAUL BROMSER

To the citizens of Gatesville, Having declared as a candidate for the office of Mayor of Gatesville, I would like to share with you my reasons for seeking your support in the April 2 election.

I have been a citizen of this community for 25 years and throughout that time have held an abiding interest in the town and its people, despite lengthy absences caused by military service. I share with many others the belief that this city will grow and prosper in the future

As the result of just completing five years as a member of your city council, I am aware of the many problems encountered in the everyday operation of the city and the problems that will be brought on by continued growth. If our city is to continue to grow and prosper, continued progress is of vital necessity.

If I am elected mayor, I will continue to support those projects that are needed and that will benefit the citizens. It will be my aim to complete the projects already initiated. I am familiar with the various programs of aid available to municipalities for approved projects and would seek, where practical, the benefits of those programs.

The condition of our city streets requires a maximum effort on maintenance and repair or replacement. I feel our present street committee has been carrying out a program which has obtained the maximum return on each dollar that has been spent. I will give my total support to their efforts to further relieve the existing conditions.

The current number of pa trons of our limited library, together with the desirability of a suitable reference center for our students, justify a new and expanded library. My support will be given to the current library project.

I believe that children and adults need and deserve a municipal swimming pool that is not a hazard to their health. I will give my support to obtaining such a facility.

Needs must be balanced against ability to obtain. I propose to continue the established policy of "pay as you go" in carrying out the programs mentioned above as well as those that arise and are considered in the future.

Gatesville has a low tax structure when compared with other cities of the same population. My personal feeling is that the ad valorem tax is an unfair tax, wherein the property owner is required to pay for services shared by nonproperty owners. I would not support an increase in this tax to carry out the programs I have outlined, but I am convinced these projects can be carried out within our present means.

I earnestly solicit "our support in this effort to make our city an even better place in which to live.

Respectfully, /s/ Paul Bromser

# C OF C BANQUET WILL

The Gatesville Chamber of Commerce Banquet is only three days away. Monday night April 1, the Chamber of Commerce members and guest will feast at the Chateau Ville Restaurant.

The program director for the evening will be retiring President, W.D. Cooper. Bob Salter will recoganize and introduce out of town guests.

President Cooper will recognize retiring board members and introduce the 1968 - 69 president, Sterling Campbell. New president, Sterling Campbell will introduce the new members of the board.

Mayor Wendel Lowrey will be present to present special a-Gatesville Business district wards. Nominations for the and Gatesville residential have Man of the Year have been renot reached the halfway mark ceived in the past few weeks and the award will be pre-The drive will end today. Give a little, for whatever sented during the banquet. Past winners of the Citizen of the reason you wish. A good reason Year Award are: Sam Powell, Ollie Little, L.C. McKamie, Pat Hollingsworth, to name a few. is Vietnam, Beulah, tornadoes

Speaker for the Banquet will be Mr. Edward E. Stoker, Senior Vice President and Service. Trust Officer of the Continental National Bank of Fort

Stoker is a member of the State Bar of Texas, Arkansas and the District of Columbia. He is on the Board of Directors and very active in work of several charitable organi-

He is a member of the faculty of the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking, Southern Methodist University. Mr. Stoker received his Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Arkansas and completed his work on his Doctor of Jurisprudence at Georgetown University in Washington, D. Mr. Stoker is well known in the banking and legal circles

in the southwest. Tickets are still available but supply is limited. Tickets can be purchased at either bank or the chamber office for \$3.00

### FOUR QUEENS TO APPEAR AT PAGEANT

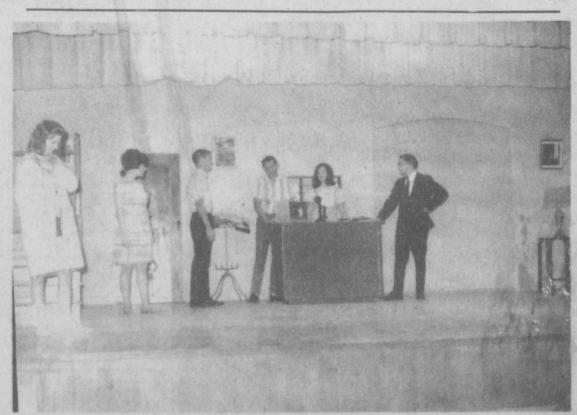


### Miss Gatesville 1967

Miss Renee Manning

The annual Miss Gatesville Pageant will be held at Gatesville High School Auditorium

April 20th at 8:00 p.m. The past reigning queens are Mrs. Heidi Beth Skelton Trewitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. SEE PAGEANT Page 2



If you want to see professional acting by GHS students -- go see the 1968 GHS Senior Play "Hooray for Girls" to be held Friday and Saturday nights. Pictured above, left to right, are Colleen Coward, Paula Bromser, Bob Gillette, Doyce Wright, Sue Byrom and Paul Edwards.

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... Pageant

for her talent at the Miss Texas Pageant she did a Modern Joe Skelton of Gatesville, Heidi Jazz Dance. Heidi is curwas Miss Gatesville, 1964 and rently living in Wimberly and Jazz Dance. Heidi is cur-



Miss Gatesville 1966 Miss Sue Ann Yows



Miss Gatesville 1965 Mrs. Mecca Gann Kenney



Miss Gatesville 1964 Mrs. Heidi Beth Skelton Trewitt

she and her husband Mike Trewitt, are working at Camp Gary and Mike is also attending Southwest Texas State College

in San Marcos. Mecca Gann Kenney, Miss Gatesville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Gann of Flat Community was chose Miss Gatesville of 1965 and representative at the Miss Texas. Mecca's talent number for the Miss Texas Pageant was a Modern Jazz Dance. The Kenney's are living on the "D" Ranch in New Mexico.

In 1966, Miss Sue Ann Yows was Miss Gatesville. Sue is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Yows of Gatesville, Miss Yows sang "These Boots Were Made for Walking" which won ner the Preliminary Talent Contest of the Miss Texas Pageant. Miss Yows is now attending Southwest Texas State College at San Marcos. Sue was chosen "Miss Southwest Texas" for the 1967-68 school

The reigning Miss Gatesville is Miss Renee Manning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Manning of Gatesville. Renee is attending Howard Payne Col-

lege in Brownwood, Texas.
Miss Manning represented
Gatesville at the Miss Texas
Pageant in 1967. Renee selected as her Talent a very stirring song "Cow Town".

These young ladies encourage every girl of Coryell County to enter the Miss Gatesville Pageant. It is wonderful experience for any girl to participate in the local and state

Tickets for the Miss Gatesvill Pageant can be purchased from Bob Edwards at Cummings Insurance Agency, Tickets will be \$2.50 advanced sale and \$3.50 at the door. Everyone is encourage d to attend the pageant, April 20, at the Gatesville High School Auditor-

The junior entries participating in the 1968 Miss Gatesville Pageant will appear on the Dub King Show, April 6 over KCEN-TV. Miss Martha Parrish, the Reigning Junior Miss Gatesville will also appear in the Dub King program with the junior entries

Pearl

bang on opening night, March

Twenty-five teams entered

showing lots of enthusiasm and

eagerness to come out of the

tournament winners at the end.

the Ram Rodder of the tourna-

ment and the Secretary-Treas-

urer of Pearl Community Cen-

ter, Teams signing in for the games came from Temple, O-

glesby, Copperas Cove, Gates-ville, Evant, Izora, Peabody

Saturday, April 6, there will

be a community working at the Pearl Community Center.

Everyone please come and help

30th at 2 p.m. at the Pearl Community Center for Linda

(Gartman) Ray. Everyone is

Mr. Earl Hampton was carried by ambulance to McClos-

key hospital in Temple last

Friday morning where he re-

mains at the time of this writ-

Week ago last Tuesday, Mrs.

Lula Harris attended funeral

service for Mrs. Billie

Richardson in Grand Prairie.

Her son, Sam, accompanied

Kelly and Mrs. Jewell Ballard

to Ft. Worth last Friday where

they are visiting Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rottenberry and boys of Crowley and Joyce and Dan Key of Ft.

Worth visited their parents the S.D. Keys over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Raby Hamp-

ton of Wichita Falls attended the Gartman - Ray wedding

on Saturday night and visited in the Robert Manning home

and on Sunday, the Hamptons and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Shook

had lunch in the Manning home

and in the afternoon they all went to Temple to visit Mr.

Earl Hampton.
Mrs. Hattie Key and Mrs.

Susie Smith were dinner guests Tuesday of Mrs. Lyda Cooper. Mr. Mark Short will preach

next Sunday night at Full Gos-pel Community Church in Ga-tesville; the time is 7:30.

Guests in the Arlie Gartman home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie White and

children of Belton, Mrs. Odessa Gartman of Gatesville and Le-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Man-

ALL PURPOSE

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Mr. Robert Kelly took Mrs.

Last report he was a

There will be a shower March

and Bee House,

clean the building.

little better.

Ronald Ballard.

According to Gordon Shook,

Texas Highway Department employees Frank Knapp and Davis Faubion have installed the Brazos Travel Trail signs along the Coryell County route. The trail enters Coryell County on Highway 36 from the south and travels along F-M Road 236, past Mother Neff Park. The Trail then travels along 107 to the intersection of Texas 36. Turning from Highway 36, the Trail follows F-M 182 through Turnersville and then to the county line on F-M 207.

### Final Specifications of Housing Project In Approval State

Gatesville's Housing Authority Executive Director, Paul Dean, reported Wednesday that final specifications for the 60unit housing project and the community center facility were submitted for final approval by the Regional Headquarters of the Housing and Urban Development Agency.

Dean estimated the review of the plans and specifications could be completed in two weeks. (Final approval has not been received.)

Following approval, discounting rejection, the Housing Authority will advertise for bids on construction of the units and

**Shop Gatesville** 

By Mrs. Lyda

The Domino Tournament at ning and Craig visited Tues-

Pearl Community Center at day in Copperas Cove with the Pearl, Texas, got off with a Curtis Manning family.

Mr. Dean estimated that construction could begin within 10

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cooper

along with Mrs. Lewis and Carl

Edwards of Gatesville, visited

Sunday afternoon in Killeen with

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bischoff

and daughter of Houston vis-

ited relatives in Gatesville and

Pearl and also visited Mrs.

Bischoff's father, Earl Hamp-

ton home last Sunday was Floy Basham, Bettie Evetts, Mr. and

Mrs. A.A. Grayson, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Stewart, Mr. and

Mrs. Vester Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ballard and chil-

dren, Mamie and Myrtle Kee-

man visited Glenn's mother,

Mrs. Clara Herrman in Fort

and Sherry of Copperas Cove,

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Ballard

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Medart

visited Otha's mother, Mrs.

Bertha Medart in Grand Prair-

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Herr-

Dinner guests in the Tully

ton and Vera Whitt.

Worth last Sunday.

who is ill.

Calling in the Edd Herring-

and little Lea Ann.

ton of Temple.

days to two weeks following the awarding of contract. Estimates are that actual construction could begin in early

The units will vary in size from single dwelling efficiency apartments to full-size three. bedroom homes. There will be adequate off street parking provided at each unit. All units will be bricked with large yard areas.

The project will require approximately 300 working days with possible completion in the late spring of 1969.

Units will dot the northeast section of Gatesville from Lutterloh to 18th street on Waco, Mills and St. Louis Streets,

All parcels of land have been purchased at a cost of approximately \$35,000 for the estimated 7.5 acres. The project is estimated to cost \$656,000 and federal funds amounting to \$947,000 have been granted the Housing authority.

### March 31

The Methodists of Coryell County will meet March 31 at 7:00 p.m. at the Oglesby Methodist church for the county's Fifth Sunday Evening Worship

Dallas, our area executive secretary, will be the speaker for the evening.

the order of worship.

Prior to the Evening Worship, beginning at 6:00 p.m., the Coryell County Youth will meet at the Oglesby church. Brother Wayne Batchelder, Conference Youth director, will be their speaker.

### GIRL SCOUT TROOP 98 REPORT

Troop 98 met at 3:30 at the Scout house. Rose Patrol had Ballard home last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Ballard of Gatesville and Mr. Albert Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fillmon were in Marshall over the week end visiting Dan's half sister,

We learned some new songs. They are "Praise to the Hill" "God has Created a New

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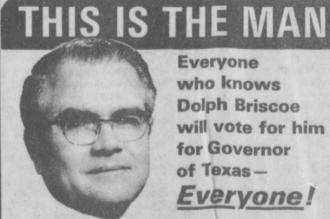
### Methodists to Meet

Brother Sidney Roberts of

The Oglesby Church will lead

the program on manners. Daisy Patrol had the opening and closing. Bluebonnet Patrol had clean up. Refreshments were coke and cookies furnished by Patsy Hodges. Kay Patterson and Patty Hodges were invited in Girl Scouts. Today we put some girls in another patrol. They are Anita Collins, Kay Patterson, Patty Hodges, Kathy Dworsky and Terri Bank-The patrol leader is Anita Collins and assistant leader is Kathy Dworsky. Their name is Sun Flower Patrol.

### ie and their son and his wife, Day' the Roger Medarts in Arling-



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 Dolph Briscoe was the Prime Mover in eradication of screwworm from Texas livestock... and in soil and water conservation. Dolph Briscoe will continue to work for ALL Texans when he is Governor...just as he

has in the past. VOTE SATURDAY, MAY 4TH

### Coryell County News, Gatesville, Texas, Friday, March 29, 1968

### Oglesby to Host

### Fifth Sunday

Oglesby will host the Fifth Sunday evening services, March 31, with Rev. Sydney Roberts Executive Secretary, leading the 7:00 o'clock ser-All Coryell County churches who are associated with this group and all visitors are welcome. The Youth Groups rendered. of Corvell County Methodist fellowship, will be in session from 6:00 until 7:00 o'clock

The News is \$1

Thursday of last week Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franks were

guests in the Dan Coward home

for a fish fry; later they had a

game of 42. On Sunday, Mr.

and Mrs. Raymond Ward of

Gatesville visited the Coward

home, along with Mr. and Mrs.

Willie Johnston for a game of

84, coffee and cookies were

Mrs. Willie Timmons, Mrs. Sam Weaver, with Mrs. Roy Huckabee of Purmela, made a

trip to Killeen Saturday, reason

to deliver quilts to Mr. and

Mrs. James who are on docket

for Germany and they think it's

cold there. The quilts were

made by Mrs. Willie Timmons and quilted by the Ater Com-

Grandma Abbott came home

for a while,, whether she stays depends on her health. She is very old. Visiting her Sunday

was a son Harvey and wife, who

live at Whitney. Bringing her

home was a daughter from Dal-

mons home Sunday was a son,

Billie and his family from Ft.

Worth, also visiting them that day was Mr. and Mrs. Sonny

Mr. Irvin Kitchens entered

hospital in Waco, Monday

Mr. Hershell Wilhelm of this

community is doing nicely in

the Coryell County Hospital.

Nothing serious, just having

his good looks, look better.

cat fish; they are getting bet-

ter all the time, ha, ha!

Sam Weaver caught a 5 lb.

Talking about good looks made me think of something my

little brother said once. He was

'Mama, couldn't you get a pret-

talking to my Mother and said.

tier mama", and she was busy and said, "Son, beauty is only

skin deep", and forgot it, but later he came back with "Well,

Mama if beauty is only skin

Ater Church, I believe Willie

Timmons is going to be the purchaser of this old building.

He will use it for a hay barn,

of course it will be moved, all

of you who are calling about it

We are selling off the old

deep, let's skin her," ha.

afternoon, to have an operation Tuesday morning, according to Mrs. Dan Coward.

Visiting in the Willie Tim-

las, Mrs. J.D. Ellis.

Murry from Levita.

munity Friendship Club.

served later.

ATER NEWS

by PATSY WEAVER

general assembly begins.

### Card of Thanks

The members of Martha (Martena) Galindo's family wish to express appreciation for every kind attention during the illness and death of their beloved mother, grandmother and great - grandmother. With a special thanks to January Care Home for the beautiful floral offerings, to others for food, cards and every kind favor, they appreciate every service

> The family of Martha (Martena) Galindo

Due to the Easter holidays, the Morris Federation meeting date has been changed from April 13 to April 20, according to a federation spokesman,

will know if you read your

Coryell County News. We like

a few signers yet. Yes, there

will be money for the Ater

Community funds and not the

Ater Cemetery. Willie Tim-

mons has offered \$50 for the

thing. There seems to be no

one else that wants it. Some

of the neighbors say he should

get paid to move the thing.
I'll agree, but then it's busi-

Anyone riding along our lit-tle river road might think they

are on the wrong road, no, it's

just that Willis has plowed up

all the old pasture land on the

Ruiel Whisehunt home place

and it sure looks nice. Aunt

Vera has a nice driveway now.

Her little house looks so cute

with all the work she has been

doing around it. Who else could

ness, not joking.

Card of Thanks

relatives and friends for the part they had in making our 50th Wedding Anniversary the success it was. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Blanchard

Give to Easter

Seals.

We want to thank all our

have two new homes on one plot in one lifetime?

Visiting the Sam Weaver home in the last few days was a nephew, John Henry Weaver, who, with his family is staying with his Dad for a visit. They plan to remain in this vicinity, He is affiliated with the Baptist

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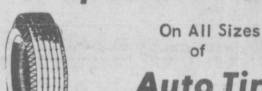
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# KREID

If there is no news, good or bad, lay it to kite weather . . . whoever flies a kite in March must surely feel more than the thin thread in his hands; Orion, Grant, perhaps Hercu-les may enter his mind as the controls of wind pockets makes the kite flyer think he is in control of the elements -- for one brief moment.

And who has found out (besides me) what chansed the snowgale into our vacinity as suddenly out, last week? Spring in her hurry of course. Long pens of rain has written in yellow, pink and even lilac as result of all the good which she has so recently brought with her. It is still embarassing to me to read in the city dailies "Too much rain Hampers Agriculture Pro-. . . Oh, the downright farming it will help; so never mind the formality of agriculture progress.

Our little 4 H Club boy has won "it" again, too . And he knows a "beautiful rain" when he sees it, as well as a good goat. Out of the classes, Faron Kincheloe entered last Friday, at Hico, he placed in all three classes, namely, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. And he won the trophy for showmanship as His six dollars made him smile even broader and (already) he is enough like his Dad who is still one of the most winsome citizens we have, to not be afraid of work or management. By the time Dolan Kincheloe was his age, he could come in and have all the chores done, if hisparents happened to be delayed in some business away from home. It is no idle boast: "Like Father, like Son" -- not to mention his Mother and grandparents.

Albert Silas, Ernest Brewer, Mrs. Ethel Hart and Mrs. Bessie Langford are among the Evant people in Hamilton County General Hospital, at pres-Mrs. Hart is reported resting better and out of oxygen. No report was available on the others, when this had to be mailed.

Late word on Lloyd and Mrs. Thompson's son William, was written March 11 and tells of a dramatic experience through which he admits he is fortunate and God was with them. He was driving a "halftrack" which ran over a concealed mine, in the vicinity of Tayniak, where he is stationed. Some of the men were seriously injured, and though blown some twenty feet, he was soon up and about. William wrote that he was too thankful to be out and alive and could spend no time regretting the loss of his journal of events, which he had kept so carefully. Incident-

ally, in his work with communication service there, he has learned a Mike Thompson of Hamilton is stationed near

visit just now,

feels.

since she entered the hospi-

tal, suffering from some unique

internal bleeding early last

Preston Gholson is due to

return to his home the very

day this newsletter gets into

the mail, so we all shall watch

his miles of smiles to be out

in the green pasture once more,

and to be once more able to eat

food like a human being, he

The V.M. Jones, who are now

located at Boyville, near San

Antonio, report they are enjoy-

ing the change from Beeville

tion there. The Quince David-

sons and the Floyd Smiths, two

more couples who formerly liv-

ed and worked at Evant, are al-

G.R. Gresham, Mena, Ar-

hearted delight for their son-

in-law and daughter, Lucille, have finally completed their

new home and moved to Mena

to be near the parents. Mr. Gresham is still confined to

his bed, and no stronger, but she is still blessed by being

still able to help care for him.

The only member of the "fam-

ily" we failed to hear of was

with them and was a familiar

figure, when they resided at

Home and with Mr. and Mrs.

Frank Lee, at the January Care

Home, were Mr. and Mrs. Clay-

ton Lee, Waco. He reports his

mother's condition quite un-

changed, and with her grand-

daughter, Janice, staying a few hours with her, it allowed the

parents time to drive up to

check on the relatives in E-

vant. Who can believe Janice

Even if I did not get to at-

tend the beautiful wedding held

Saturday night in Evant's

Church of Christ, which united

two Evant graduates in mar-

riage, an article will appear in

the papers, capably written by the talented bride herself. Ron-

ald Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Robert Ray and Linda Gartman,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ar-

lie Gartman, Purmela, will now

make their home in Gatesville.

but he is continuing his studies

Stephenville, where he will be a graduate of the spring class

Tarleton State College,

Word has been received by

grandfather, Wesley Ray, E-

vant, of the sudden death of

James Wesley Nesbitt, age a-

bout 36, in the state of Ore-gon. He was found dead in

and some young children and his

grandfather, his mother, Mrs. Laura Nesbitt, Ballinger and

a brother Billy Ray Nesbitt are the nearer kin. We were

In addition to his wife

is a college student now?

Pop callers in the Owen Lee

the beloved dog, who lived

Late word, from Mr. and Mrs.

seems one of light-

so employed at Boyville.

orphanage to a similar posi-

All direct "hits" do not appear outside of Evant nor are they all so easily solved as the above incident, for it was an amusing sight which appeared in the A.C. Bertrand front yard early last week. Not only did it strike a telephone post, but was stopped ever so gently by the pointing fingers of an iris bed. All day, the car sat in somber silence, but late in the day a kindly and courteous man from Georgetown's wrecking service ask the Bertrands permission to move the invader. He seemed surprised that the occupant had left the vehicle there and not even mentioned the incident to them. Names would probably mean little to Evant citizens, but they weren't available, but it did prove to be a rented car from a lot below Austin, who had failed to make a perfect curve, when leaving the Y between highway 84 and 281. This

As much as I covet good news, I lost my notes on the McGregor Methodist Church ladies who met Mrs. Amy England in her church, at Evant and accompanied them to her home, last Sunday for a luncheon and visit. Although, they surely appreciate their pastor, Rev. John Harper, former pastor of Evant Methodist Church, they understand who she can never feel like rushing off on Sunday to visit them, for they highly complimented Rev. George Matthews and his sermon, Her guests included Mesdames Hol-Haines, Bill Schepers and G.W. Gillean.

is the fifth time a similar in-

cident has occured in the same

In case the Evant column readers have not heard, it is no secret that Dean Turner, owner and manager of Lampasas Radio Station K.C.Y.L. has been undergoing treatment in MD Anderson Hospital. He is now spending part time in Rollins-Brooks Hospital, Lampasas. He cannot see guest, but he can and does appreciate mail from his many friends. I have mentioned his fifteen minute "Between Us Two", program, which is still being presented by tape each day at 10:00 except Sunday In his 10:00 except Sunday personal statement to the public, he said "I am not giving Ihave just begun to fight." Last Thursday's guests of

Mrs. M.J. Broyles were her sister, Mrs. Pedro Jones, Lanham and Mrs. Frank Harris, Pottsville. Her son Brents and wife, Margaret, Dallas, spent Saturday with her, but

> bitt was in grammar school and probably some of high school at Evant. His father, John Nesbitt, preceeded him in death several years ago, as did his grandmother, Mrs. Wes-Ray. Word on Monday, received from William Thompson, which was written on March 23, gave a few more details of his injuries received while serving in the war zone. His arm, injured at the time, has developed infection and is not healing

> > Thompsons that he will write again as soon as he can. Mrs. Herman Kreid is in Rollins-Brook Hospital, Lampasas, Room 9, where she entered when she went to that city on a shopping trip last Thursday. Her condition is consid-

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ered good and she expects to Scotty is in coslege and too be home soon . . . Being the only other Mrs. Kreid around here, everyone who heard the name busy with his studies to make a Mrs. Grady Due, Houston, had to look at her to see if it has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Ethel Hart, was me!

"April"

By Roland McGill

Oh' April, lovely gentle April, How sweet thy song of melody The sassy chatter of the squir-

The birds singing merrily, Along each woodland trail A smokey-green appears We hear the scurry of small

and we know that Spring is here.

Along the pebbly little stream The Pussy-willow shows her wares

Fragrant blooms like balls of cream Leaves like possum-ears. In memory I see the dell where, "Little Black-eyed Susans grow Where she with "Little John-

ny - jump - up Staged their early flower show.

When April's sun comes wooing and kissing every greening hill We catch a flash of diamonds on the rowdy mountain rill

At his caress each bud awakens From its' peaceful winters sleep And along the sunny hillside the green, green grasses creep While the lovely daises blow

I love to watch the April sun Come peeping over the mountain To see him pour his diamond-

on the edge of the hollow deep.

in the spray above the fount-On a lazy April day

No greater joy I know than to watch the little speck-Trout playing touch and go

Just below the Old Mill dam Where the crystal eddies flow. Oh, April with the blue, blue

that smiles on hill and plain We miss your little lazy zephers Come breath on us again Why did you loiter on the way We longed for you the winter

thru chase away the gloomy clouds to let the sunshine thru.

April is attuned to Nature The very closes month of all When every creature of the

Sends out his mating call other month in all the year When hearts are quite so happy or when skies are quite so blue For only in the month of April Oh, lovely April linger on

All the world seems born anew We miss you so when you are gone.



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LINEUP

March 18-24

KCEN-TV

RFD #6 Today Show 7:00 9:00

Snap Judgment NBC News 9:25 Concentration 9:30 Personality 10:00

Hollywood Squares 10:30 Jeopardy 11:00 Eye Guess 11:30 NBC News 11:55

Noon News 12:00 Cathy's Corner Let's Make A Deal 12:30

Days of Our Lives 1:00 The Doctors Another World You Don't Say 2:30

3:00

NBC News 3:25 Dennis the Menace 3:30 Afternoon Movie 4:00 Mon - His Butler's Sister

Match Game

Tues - Women's Prison Wed - When You're Smiling Thurs - The Web Pawnee Huntley-Brinkley Report 5:30

6:00 Newswatch 10:00 Newswatch 10:30 **Tonight Show** 

The Monkees Rowan & Martin Danny Thomas 8:00 9:00 I Spy

Tuesday 6:30 I Dream of Jeanie Petula Clark Special 7:00 Tuesday Night Movie

Wednesday Virginian Kraft Music Hall Run for your Life

Thursday Daniel Boone 7:30 Ironside 8:30 Dragnet Dean Martin 9:00

Friday 6:30 Tarzan 7:30 Hollywood Squares 8:00

Big Movie Saturday Bugs Bunny & Friends 7:00 Super 6 8:00 Super President

8:30 The Flintstones 9:00 Samson & Goliath 9:30 Birdman & Galaxy Trio 10:00 Atom Ant - Secret Squirrel 10:00 Moby Dick 10:30 11:00 Top Cat Cool McCool 11:30

Adventure in Education 12:00 12:30 Rifleman 3:00 Wrestling from Chicago 4:00 TBA

Lone Star Sportsman Frank McGee Report 5:30 Newswatch 6:00 6:30 The Saint 7:30 **Get Smart** 8:00 Saturday Night Movie Newswatch 10:15

Late Date Theater Sunday America Sings 8:00 Gospel Singing Jubilee 8:30 The Answer 9:30 Insight Palm Sunday Special

The Christophers Light of the World Childrens' Gospel Hour Meet the Press Frontiers of Faith 12:30 Social Security in Action 1:00 Income Tax Report

1:15 TBA 1:30 2:30 Eternal Light Experiment in TV 3:00 Grand Prix of Skiing 4:00 G E College Bowl 5:00

Flipper Wild Kingdom 5:30 6:00 Walt Disney 6:30 Mothers-In-Law 7:30 8:00 Bonanza

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7:30 CBS Morning News 7:55 News - Weather 8:00 Captain Kangaroo 9:00 Candid Camera 9:30 Beverly Hillbillies 10:00 ANdy Griffith

10:30 Dick Van Dyke 11:00 Love of Life 11:30 Search for Tomorrow 11:45 Guiding Light 12:00 Ten Acres

12:30 As the World Turns dored thing 1:30 House Party 2:00 To tell the Truth

2:30 Edge of Night 3:00. Secret Storm 3-30 Better Living 4:00 The Fugitive

7:30 Lucille Ball 8:00 Andy Griffith 8:30 Family Affair 0:30 FBI 1:30 Wells Fargo

**Fuesday** 7:30 Red Skelton 8:30 NYPD

10:30 Invaders

6:30 Avengers 7:30 Beverly Hillbillies 8:00 Green Acres 8:30 He and She

Thursday 6:30 Cimarron Strip 8:00 Movie

10:30 Judd 11:30 Wells Fargo Friday

8:00 Movie 11:30 Alfred Hitchcock

11:30 Johnny Quest 12:00 Lone Ranger 12:30 Road Runner 1:00 Big Picture 1:30 Pro Bowlers

3:00 Modern TV 3:30 Irish Sweepstakes 4:00 Wide World Sports

6:00 News-Weather-Sports 6:30 Jackie Gleason 7:30 Lawrence Welk 8:30 Guns of Will Sonnett

10:00 News-Weather-Sports 10:30 Operation Entertainmen 11:30 Alfred Hitchcock

INSERTED IN THIS SPACE, IT WOULD REACH OVER 2,000 FAMILIES TWICE 8:00 Tom & Jerry 8:30 Underdog THIS WEEK.

9:30 10:00 Herald of Truth 10:30 Modern TV 10:50 Church Service 12:00 Directions 12:30 Issues and Answers 1:00 NBA Basketball

3:00 Sportsman 4:00 Hr 4:00 Harley Berg 4:30 Amateur Hour 5:00 21st Century

5:30 Face the Nation 6:00 Lassie

6:30 Gentle Ben 7:00 Ed Sullivan 8:00 Smothers Bros.

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6:00 News - Weather- Sports 6:30 Gunsmoke

9:00 Big Valley 10:00 News - Weather - Sports

6:30 Garrison's Gorillas 9:00 CBS NEWS Hour

9:30 Profile 10:00 News - Weather - Sports 11:30 Alfred Hitchcock

> Wednesday 9:00 Jonathan Winters

10:00 News - Weather - Sports 10:30 Movie

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6:30 Wild Wild West 7:30 Gomer Pyle 10:00 News - Weather - Sports 10:30 It Takes a Thief

Saturday 7:00 Captain Kangaroo 8:00 Frankenstein Jr. 8:30 Herculoids 9:00 Shazzan

9:30 Space Ghost 10:30 Superman hour

5:30 CBS Saturday News

12:30 Sign Off

9:00 Bugs Bunny Linus the Lionhearted

9:00 Mission Impossible 10:00 News-Weather-Sports 10:30 Movie 12:30 Sign Off



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Cummings RE-ELECTION

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Holice Barton

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COUNTY SURVEYOR

Harold L. Burleson NEWS CLASSIFIED

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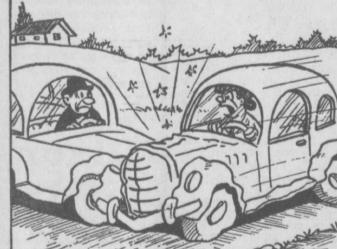
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LVN WANTED - As charge nurse; 11-7 (night Ait). The Rotunda - ph. 865-5791.

WANTED: Man to work noon to midnight at Farrington's Fina Station, Main / 14th. See Frank Cowan.

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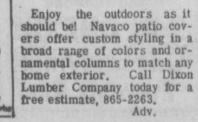
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atesville at a Glance

FIRE, FIRE . . . Well there is never a dull moment around our house. On such a beautiful Sunday morning as last week,

how could so much go wrong! Just as we were about to leave

for a luncheon, Cindy smelled smoke and we found the house

full of the awful stuff! After a quick call to the Gatesville Fire Department, the cause was quickly found and corrected. It seems it was just lint in the heating system — What's next?

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Plainview Home Demonstration Club

Meets March 7

Shop Gatesville

The Plainview Home Demon-

stration Club met March 7th

in the home of Mrs. Sam Pat-

terson with 6 members present

and 2 visitors, Mrs. Billy Mill-

The meeting was called to order by our president, Mrs. Morene Shoemaker. Mrs. Ma-

thias, our warm-up leader, gave a questionaire on The State of

Roll call was answered with:

How I save energy and Our responsibility in elections. Prayer was led by Mrs. Pat-

During our business session

we voted to entertain our sen-

Over The

small trees almost everywhere.

an old legend that this was the

tree upon which Judas hanged

committees to promote the

and along highways. When the thousands of trees on the cam-

pus of the Texas State College

for Women at Denton turn to

misty rose, they choose a Red-

bud queen and have their an-

make the redbud a welcome

addition to the garden even af-

ter the blooming season is o-

ver. Occasionally white flow-

ering varieties occur in the

wild and now these may be

obtained from some nurseries.

Redbud trees are easily grown from seed. As you drive in the

country, make a note of the

location of several of these

attractive native shrubs. Then

when the cool days of fall and

the pleasures of Sunday drives

return, go back to the redbud

trees and collect some of the

flat seed pods which grow so

abundantly. These seeds may be removed from the pods and

sown immediately in a cold

frame. They need warmth for

germanation, so will not sprout

until the following summer. The

The large heart shaped leaves

nual redbud festival.

sap and Susan.

### MISS BLANCHARD HONORED



Pictured above are Mrs. George Adams, Mrs. Earl Summerfield, Mrs. Bill Taylor, Mrs. Jim Bonner, Miss Blanchard, Mrs. Lawrence Purefoy, Mrs. Edmond Dworsky and Mrs. Amon

Monday evening, March 25th, Miss Barbara Blanchard, bride elect of Tommy Gould of Gatesville, was honored with a wedding shower held at the home of hostess, Mrs. Jim Bonner, Jackson Drive, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

The shower table was decorated with the bride's chosen colors and pictures of the bride and groom.

Serving in the house party were Mrs. George Adams, Mrs. Earl Summerfield, Mrs. Bill Taylor, Mrs. Lawrence Purefoy, Mrs. Edmond Dworsky and Mrs. Amon Hale.

Miss Blanchard and Mr. Gould will exchange wedding vows April 27 in the East Main Street Church of Christ in Gatesville. Both the bride and groom are 1965 graduates of

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Ft. Worth were visitors during

the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.

Dale Lovelace of Bryan spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Christian

Blake Lovelace.



Mr. Dale Perry, Mrs. Inez Griffith and Robin of Plano, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with their grandmother, Mrs. Zola Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Adams visited Mr. and Mrs. Stony Hammack in Gatesville, Satur-

of Hamilton and Mrs. Francis Miller of Gatesville visited Mrs. Davis Faubion and Julie of Gatesville, called on Mrs.

Mrs. Zula Williams Sunday af-Mrs. Loree Benner, Dollie and Jack of Gatesville visited Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Davis, Saturday. Sunday, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Claud Smith and Bronson Davis of Hamilton visited Mr. Claud Smith at the Providence Hospital in Waco.

Mrs. Myrtle Jones returned home Saturday after spending the winter months with her children.

Library News

The librarians of the Gates-Public Library, Mrs. Clyde Bailey and Mrs. Albert Rosser accompanied by Miss Leta Bennett, will attend an all day library meeting at the Haltom City Public Library to-This workshop on Library Systematization is sponsored by the Major Resource Center headquartered at the Fort Worth Public Library, The Conyell County Count House main speaker of the day will be Gretchen Schenk

The library will sponsor a one man art exhibit next week by local high school senior, Larry Russell. Larry, the winner of a scholarship at last year's Temple art show, will exhibit mostly oil paintings at the library.

The librarians would like to express their appreciation to all patrons who have been returning their books promptly and also to those who include their overdue fine of two cents per day when dropping their books into the book drop. Money collected from fines for overdue books is used to purchase addi-tional books and decorations for seasonal holidays.

New books received at the library this week are the Tower of Babel by Morris L. West, a nove 1 by the author of The Shoes of the Fisherman, and I Love You, Mary Jane, a birthday party book for our youngest readers. Library hours are 1:30 till 5:30 Monday through Friday and 8:30 till 12:30 on Saturday.



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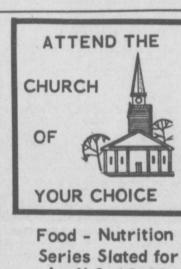
The News



Mrs. Maude Jones

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY GRANNY . . . One of my favorite people has celebrated her 90th birthday this week! Mrs. Maude Jones of Gatesville. The above picture was such a good one, I just had to print it! We wish you many, many happy returns of the day and hope you can know how very high we Joneses hold you in our esteem.



# April 9, 16, 23

A food and nutrition series designed for Young Homemakers will be held in Gatesville on April 9, 16, and 23 at 7:00 Two short lessons will be held each night and the meetings will be held at the Civic Room of the National Bank in Gatesville. The purpose of the series is to give basic nutrition information to young homemakers. The lessons are entitled: Eat to Live Better; Feeding Young Chil-Meal Planning Made Easy; Food Selection and Buying; Principles of Food Preparation; and Food Fads and

Miss Mary Wilson, Home E-conomist for Community Pub-lic Service, Mrs. Diane Friend, Home Economist for Lone Star Gas and Mrs. Marshall King, Gatesville High School Homemaking Teacher will assist in

the presentation of the series. The information that will be presented can easily be applied to every day living. The meetings are for all the people of the county and all young wives and mothers are urged to at-

during this first summer and not be allowed to dry out. They will do best if grown in a nur-sery row for at least another year before being moved to a permanent location. There is some debate as to the need of pre-chilling the seed for two or three weeks if they are to be started in the warmth of

by Sally Jones

ior citizens club one meeting

very interesting program on How to take better care of

appliances and How to make

best uses of your space.

After a brief fellowship, Mrs.
Patterson served refreshments
to Mrs. Gilbert Mathias, Mrs.

Morene Shoemaker, Mrs. Al-

bert Rosser, Mrs. Byrd King, Mrs. Earl Williams and Mrs. Evelyn Millsap and Susan.

The next meeting will be

April 4th in the home of Mrs.

Gilbert Mathias and the pro-

gram will be by our clothing

Mrs. Byrd King brought a

during the year.

be started in the warmth of a house or greenhouse. It might be interesting to try some seeds without a chilling period and some that have been chilled. That favorite sign of spring in Central Texas, the redbud tree, is bursting into bloom everywhere you look. Because of it's drouth resistant qualities, it is an ideal shrub for this area. A drive around town or out into the country



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Those present at the Sunday birthday luncheon are, left to right, standing, Mrs. K.R. Jones of Gatesville, Mrs. W. Mat Jones of Gatesville, Mr. Jake Patterson of Sugarland, Mr. Mat Jones, Jr. of Gatesville, Dr. Dean Jones of San Antonio, Mrs. Edith Floyd of Sugarland, Dr. K.R. Jones of Gatesville, Miss Sally Jones of Gatesville, little Michael Jon Jones of Gatesville and Mrs. Jones of Gatesville. Seated are Mrs. Jennifer Erwin and Kay Dean of San Antonio, Mrs. Jones boroere and Mrs. Jones of Gatesville. Mrs. Jones, honoree and Mrs. Joe K. Jones of Gatesville.

### Mrs. Jones Celebrates 90th Birthday

Sunday, March 24th, the family of Mrs. Maude Jones of Gatesville gathered at the Chateau Ville Restaurant to honor the long-time resident of Conyell County with a birthday luncheon. Mrs. Jones was born on March 25, 1878 and has lived most of her life right

here in Coryell County.
Well known to most of the county's educators, Mrs. Jones taught in the county's public school system for half a century. She is an active member of the Liveoak Baptist Church of Gatesville and is quite spry at the age of 90.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Bob Boyd Mrs. J.M. Brookshire Mrs. Howard Carroll Mrs. Alfred Davis Michael Todd Dryer Lois Gauer Ricky Jackson James Lee Leonard Marshall Bill Nesbitt T.J. Peveto C.B. Walls Inch Braziel Mrs. R.C. Carpenter Mrs. Lillie Cluck P.F. Cockrell Mrs. P.M. Cross Mr. J.H. Gordon Ernest Huey Mrs. R.W. Hunt Mat Quicksall C.J. Sims Oscar Spence Eva Taylor Joe Tubbs

### CRADLE ROLL CALL

Baby boy born March 24, 12:45 p.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Meyer, Crawford. Baby boy born March 27, 11:58 p.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Ina Stanfield.

> Visiting the Blanchards

Those visiting in the John Blanchard home were Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Brown of McGregor Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, Sue and Charles of Navasota, Tevasota, Tev Lester Ray and Brian, all of





### Cheerleader Hopefuls **Have Many Thoughts**

The upcoming cheerleader Dolores Ortega, Barbara Pat-youts have produced some terson, Carla Pfeffer, Tonya have produced some varied reactions among the following girls who are trying—Wheat.
out; Janna Bonner, Sandra Carley, Nancy Conway, Debbie
Day, Debbie Dyer, Debbie Hairston, Lu Lee, Jeffery Neel, leader

Price, Patty Schipper and Paula Recently the girls answered some questions about their feelings toward being a cheer-

leader and many different personalities were revealed through their answers.

One of the questions, "What do you think will be the hardest thing about being a charleader?" produced many surprising answers. The main prising answers. The majority of the girls thought that "trying out in front of everybody" and "trying to please everyone" would be the hardest part of being a cheerlead-However, two of the girls thought that taking all the criticism from other people and trying to keep up studies would be hardest, and three of the girls said that getting out of bed early in the summer would be hard.

To the question, "Are you scared?" everyone of the girls answered "yes!" However, four of the girls said they are more excited than scared.

The question "Why do you enjoy leading yells?" also received various answers. For the most part, the girls enjoyed leading yells because they liked to back the team and liked to help boost school spirit. Also most of the girls enjoyed leading yells because it was very exciting.

"Explain the feeling you have towards being a cheerleader and the upcoming tryouts". Several of the girls answered that question by saying that they thought it was a great honor to be elected cheerleader and they were really "terrified" at the upcoming tryouts. Others said they thought it was a job with responsibilities and obligations. All agreed that a cheerleader should be able to ful-

fill this job. When asked, "What do you feel is most lacking in school spirit and how will you try to remedy it?" most of the girls replied that our school spirit was great -- during football season! They felt that as various seasons progressed, the spirit decreased. To improve the spirit, they suggested hav-ing a contest between each of the classes. It was also suggested that the cheerleaders teach the boys the yells and to teach everybody new and dif-

Being a cheerleader is a job with many responsibilities. In view of their answers to the questions given them, the candidates indicate that they take cheerleading seriously and will do their best if elected.

ferent yells.



### Bennett is 1968 Gatesville Lions' Sweetheart

Six of GHS loveliest students went to a special Lion's Club meeting last Wednesday, March 19. The purpose of the meeting was to select a high school girl to represent the Gatesville Lion's Club at the district contest to be held in Waco. Sue Bryom read a short biography about each girl as they paraded for the assembly. Barbara Bennett was selected to represent the Gatesville Club. Other girls in attendance were Sara Nelle Lowrey, Katherine Lowrey, Anita Williams, Suzanne Drake and Paula Brom-

ley Kopec's pen pal since the first semester. Stanley, a senior, received Ann's address from Coach Bell's health class. She wrote Stan and asked him to send her a yearbook and Mr. Bates gave him a 1966-67 annual

from GHS. 436 Aberdeen Road Gisborne, New Zealand March 6, 1968 Dear Mrs. Bates and the year-

book staff of GHS: Thank you all very much for giving Stanley the yearbook of 1966-67. I was very thrilled that Stan was able to get one because your high school in many ways is totally different from ours and I was very interested to see some of the

things you did. I go to an all girls' school, so the activities are very different. We don't have majorettes, etc. Our school is one of reasonable size with about 750 girls. There are three courses offered, general, commercial and professional. After three years at high school, a student can take a state exam, which is called a school certificate, and then the next year

one can take University Entry, which enables him to go to a university. We don't have any books pub-

lished at our school like the yearbook I received. But sometimes we can see one if any of the girls at our school wins an AFS holarship.

Once again thank you all very Yours sincerely,

Ann Bothamley

Junior P News



Pictured above are two Gatesville Junior High School Majorettes, Trudi Hairston and Debbie Bankhead, who displayed fine form and grace at the Cisco Band Festival, March 23rd. The twirlers presented a duel routine with batons and dance and received first division ratings by the contest judges. Trudi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Hairston of Gatesville and Debbie's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack

### JUNIOR HIGH BAND TRAVELS TO CISCO

Saturday, March 23rd, the junior high band, consisting of sixty seventh and eighth graders, traveled to Cisco for a band concert and sightreading contest, which was held at Cisco Junior College. Forty eight

### Junior High School Teachers Use Visual Aids

On February 27th the 3-M Company sent a van with all the transparencies the company produces on board. Our teachers were able to see the material in ready-to-use form and get an idea of what it could mean to their classes.

As a result of this visit and a faculty meeting following, we placed orders for fifty-five sets parencies will be developed. The greatest number of orders was placed for science material and English teachers

ordered the next greatest num-These transparency masters were financed through the ac-

tivity fund.

Dear Uncle Charlie: Everyone thinks that I like this certain sophomore boy. I really can't stand the sight of him. I tell this to everyone but they won't believe me. How should I convince them?

Mad Freshman

Dear Mad Freshman: What difference does it make if people think that you like this boy? Just as long as you know it and he knows, there is really no problem.

Dear Uncle Charlie: My girl is a senior in high school and is very good looking. She knows that I like her a lot, but she believes that I

like another girl. What can

Dear Buffalo: Why don't you just come right out and tell her that you really like her and that there is no one else?

Dear Uncle Charlie:

I have a really serious prob-There is this guy who me to go steady with The problem is this: I don't want to go steady, per-It is not that I don't think the world of him; I do. I just don't want to go steady. Now, how do I let him know without hurting his feelings? I want to be honest, because any other way would be unfair, but I don't want him mad at me. What should I do?

Don't Want to go Steady

Dear Don't Want to go Steady: I'll tell you what I tell everyone else. Come right out and tell your friend what you think. By being honest, you will avoid all complications, I'm sure that he will underTeam Two Wins

The third period P.E. class has been participaing in a week long volley ball tournament. Each team played eight games.

The team captains were Debbie Powell, Kathy Schraeder, Donna Beeman Betty Pancake

Volley Ball

Tourney

Donna Beeman, Betty Pancake, and Denise Palmer. Team two, whose captain is Kathy Schraeder, won the tournament by winning all the games. On this team were Carla Winters, Marla Jacobs, Mary Kay Warren, Rose Delgado, Carol Sherwood, and Jane Smith.

The new team captains will be Darcy Belf, Carla Winters, Carla Bauman, Shirley Harden, and Dezrea Dossey.

In the fourth period class, the team that won consisted of Patricia Worthington, captain, Arlene Treadway, Pam Herring, Cherry Kelly, Bev-erly Limmer, Becky Aikens, and Christy Edwards.

Debra Brown's team won the tournament in the fifth period class. Her players were: Gloria Cobb, Pam Symm, Ka-thy Mitchell, Pat Kinard, Neva Henson and Sharon Sims.

### **Outstanding Students** Members of

Library Staff

Student assistants in the junior high school library have recently received more than their share of honors.

Patti Green, who was chosen Best Girl Student in junior high school, won a first in coronet solo-playing last Saturday at Cisco. Patti makes the A hon-

or roll regularly,
Marsha Foote, also an all-A student, received honorable mention for Most Congenial Girl. Diane Davidson and Susan Dyer were runner ups for Best Girl Citizen in junior high

Pam Herring was a runnerup in the Best Girl Student contest.

Library assistants who regularly make the all A honor roll are: Donna Bohne, Diane Davidson, MarshalFoote, Patti Green, Pam Herring, Janice Simons, Allen Place, Pam Pee-vy and Debbie Powell.

### Jr. High Annuals Arrive At School

Over 400 - students were arrived. pleased when the 1968 "Crescent" arrived last week.

junior high bands participated.

or ensembles were Patti Green,

cornet solo and Debbie Bank-

head and Trudi Hairston, twirl-

Christy Edwards made a sec-

In concert and sightreading

contests the band made a three

ond and Carolyn Phillips made

a third in clarinet solos.

ing ensemble.

Those making firsts in solos

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tion of "Most Congenial Boy and Girl", "Best Boy and Girl Citizen'', and "Best Boy and Girl Student". Those were selected at the beginning of the year and the ones chosen were not announced until the annual

Class 8-3 Presents

### Skit to Students

Mrs. Miller's homeroom presented a program Thursday March 21, which was a skit, "Pat Paulsen for President" and a play, "Fit to be Tied". Those taking part were Diane Davidson, Glenn Vernon, Janice Patti Brookshire, Simons, Daphne Lam Ronnie Brown, Lyn Del Collier, Walter Sims, Carol Smalley, Kathy Mitchell, Sherazan Turner, Kathy Keeton, Martin Foster, Keith Steward, Barry Nottingham, Elaine

and Diana Millsap.
Joe Hale was the master of gave the pledge of allegiance, Wilson with Mike Winters as

Those students chosen were: ent' arrived last week.

The thirty-two page booklet

Gary Davis: Most Congenial
Boy' - son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Davis; Patti Brookshire: "Most Congenial Girl" - daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brook-A new addition to the an-nual this year was the selec- Shire; Bill Dudark: "Best Boy Citizen" - son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dudark; Nancy Wheat: "Best Girl Citizen" - daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.R. Wheat Billy Hord: "Best Boy Student" son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patti Green: Hord; Girl Student" - daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Green.

### Sports Rated Very High by

### Young and Old

As long as most of us can remember, we have heard that sports are harmful. It is true that there are many injuries in football, a few in basketball and a very small number in track. Fortunately, there is much safety equipment worn by football players. The injuries in other sports are likely to happen to any active teen-ager, and not to the participants in athletics alone. Many of usare sure that parents would rather have a high risk of slight in-Smith, Marilyn Montgomery jury than have a child that stays out late, is a member of a gang, or is lazy. Sports are ceremonies and Walter Sims also very helpful in building mature adults because the par-Program director was Linda ticipants have to make decisionstthat are similar to sit-

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### the assistant stage director, uations in real life, TAPE PLAYERS TAKE YOUR PICK MINI-COMPACT 4 TRACK CART. PLAYER 5" wide, 7-1/4" long by 3" high. Completely enclosed to protect With Speakers the unit from dust AUTOMATIC RADIO 8 Track Cart. Player Also plays 4-track cart, with use of adapter called the Gidget. Unit is With Speakers fully enclosed. FULLY AUTOMATIC TENNA 4 and 8 Track Player Featuring Tenna's Exclusive Fine \$99.95 Tuning. Unit is fully enclosed to With Speakers protect it from dust. Large Selection 4 and 8 Track Cartridge Tapes in Stock

For Girls" Opens Tonight

1968 GHS Senior Play "Hooray

SENIORS PRACTICE ONE LAST TIME Wednesday night in GHS Auditorium. The cast includes, left to right, Bill Hinesley, Becky Smith, Bob Hinesley, Louis Wright, Jack Barton, Anita Williams, Charles Ivy, Katherine Lowrey, Sue Byrom,

Bob Gillette, Paula Bromser, Doyce Wright, Barbara Bennett, Paul Edwards, Colleen Coward, Stan Kopec, Cherry Tatum. Bill Dworsky and Linda Fincher,

plans run amuck when all three

of Bill's steady girl friends

show up at the same time. To

complicate matters, Bill falls

for a counselor from a girl's

camp. Greg too, has his prob-

lems when he gets serious about

another counselor and his fi-

ancee shows up at the grand opening. All of this messalong

with the dances, love scenes and other assorted complica-

tions provide for a wonderfully humorous story. This play, a-

long with between act entertain-

ment, should prove to be a most

entertaining evening. Tickets

may be purchased at the door

at the price of \$1 for adults and 75¢ for students.

FHA TO PRESENT

"Dating Customs"

During FHA WEEK

The main topic of the month

ly meeting of the FHA last week

was the different dating cus-

president, called the meeting

to order. Dionitia Lee re-

minded the FHA members that

the first week in April will

be national FHA week; at that

time the chapter will present

a program for the entire stu-

dent body. The guests for the

meeting who spoke to the group

were Mrs. Antonece Rogers, Mrs

Milner and Mrs. Lucy Bates.

Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Milner

spoke on the changes in dating

customs and Mrs. Bates told

the group about Puerto Rican

dating customs,

toms.

Martha Parrish, the

of two college roommates

Greg Williams and Bill Turner.

It seems that Greg has bought

a run down hotel and has big

plans about how to fix it up

and make lots of money. His

FHA MEMBERS

ATTEND AREA

MEETING IN WACO

Saturday, March 23, twenty-seven members of the Gates-ville Chapter of the FHA jour-

neyed to Waco for the Area VIII

meeting. The meeting washeld

of Baylor University. The

theme of the meeting was "Op-

portunities Through FHA". The

morning session began at 9:30

a.m. with Area VIII president

Ruthann Wilhelm of Jonesboro

presiding. The morning ses-

sion included the opening cere-

mony, a devotional and wel-

come from Mr. Lacy Clifton

President of the Waco Cham-

ber of Commerce. Greetings

were also extended by Mrs.

Norma Parton, Area VIII Vo-

cational Homemaking Consul-

ant, Ronnie West Area VIII

FFA President. The speaker

for the morning session was

Mr. Lewis R, Timberlake, Sen-

ior Vice President of the First

National Life Insurance Com-

At twelve noon, the group was released for lunch. The

second session began at 1:20.

The highlight of the second

session was the installation of

the 1968-69 Area VIII officers.

Ruthann installed each of the

officers into her office. The

group was accompanied by Mrs.

Jeanne King and Mrs. Nerine

Kinsey, the GHS Homemaking

Waco Hall on the campus

Tonight at 8:00 p.m. in the play Hooray for Girls. This GHS auditorium, the Senior Class of 1968 will present the three act comedy can best be

### **Exercise Your Rights**

By Teddy Foote

We the people of the United Freedom of the press is an States of America, are given area that many newspapermen many rights that our friends in do not exercise to their fullest. other countries are denied. A This results in stories that are few being the freedom of choosonly partially true and therefore, the public is led to warped conclusions. It will be a pity, ing public officials, the freedom of choice of religion and the freedom of the press. if before reform takes place, the outcome of our nation rests on

Far too many people take no part whatsoever in local, state, or national elections just the freedom of the press. It is time for the people of America to wake up. Are we, because they are too lazy or because they don't care. For as citizens of our great democracy, exercising our rights a still larger group of people it seems to be a strenuous task to take five minutes out of their day to go to the polls to vote. Someday, the outcome of our nation may ride on a very few votes. Religion is another of our

nation's problems that needs desperate help. Some people are proclaimed atheists and this is their privilege, but many are too lazy they will find by taking a good look at religion. Someday the outcome of our nation may rest

All members of the FHA who plan to run for an office for the 1968-69 school year

Newsettes

must sign up by April 12. Senior class president, Charles Ivy, presided over a class meeting Tuesday morning, March 26, at which time the seniors discussed their senior calendar. The seniors were also urged by Mrs. Dowell to sell as many tickets as possible for the 1968 senior play,

Hooray for Girls. The theme committee for the Junior - Senior Prom met Tuesday morning to select a theme for the prom. The prom will

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and privileges to the utmost of our ability? Those rights and privileges that we can enjoy are being fought for and died for at this very moment. Here at home, we can help save America by using our rights and privileges that were established by our forefathers to the best of our ability.



### Junior Class Meets Discuss 1968 Jr .-Sr. Prom

The Junior class held a meeting Thursday, March 22, to discuss plans for the annual Junior - Senior Prom to take place in the GHS girls' gym and cafeteria, April 26. The decision was made to have a prom this year instead of a banquet to eliminate the crowded arrange-

Aso, the different committees were set up for the Prom. The committees named are theme committee, decoration committee, invitation committee, food committee and clean-up committee. Students signed up for these committees the following

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### Pen Pal Writes Bates And Staff

The following thank-you letter to Mr. Bates and the GHS yearbook staff was sent by Ann Bethamley, from Gisborne, New Zealand, Ann has been Stan-



### MENU

Monday -Piemento and cheese sandwiches; french fries, catsup, peanut butter, crackers, orange juice, gingerbread and milk,

Tuesday - Pinto beans with meat, diced turnips and tops; cole slaw, cornbread, butter, peach pie and milk. Wednesday - Veal Cutlets,

gravy, steamed rice, blackeyed peas, jello fruit salad, bread and milk. Thursday - Meat loaf, combination salad, potato chips, fruit cup, oatmeal cookies, bread and milk.

Friday - Barbecue on bun, escalloped potatoes, carrot sticks, butter cake, orange sauce, bread and milk.



**Trophies** 

Pictured with part of the prizes for the 13th annual Coryell County Horse Show are Bobby Curry, Jim Saunders and J.W. Schultz of the Gatesville Riding Club. Outlook for this year's show is good and entries are predicted to be high,

### **AMAZING** THE BASTILLE, PRISON, WERE GIVEN TO GEORGE WASHINGTON BY LAFAYETTE AND THEY ARE NOW IN MOUNT VERNON! THERE IS A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN MOSQUITO AND A MOSQUITO! A MOSQUITO IS AN INSECT. MOSQUITO IS AN INHABITANT OF AMERICA! KOADS URFACED **UPERSTITIOUS** HTIW WALES POUR A PAIL OF MILK ON THE BRICKS HOUSES, ONCE A YEAR, "76 ARE COMMON IN FRANCE!

by MRS. J.H. **JEFFREY** 

Due to the iliness of this correspondent, the Mountain Village News has been delayed. First I wish to thank my neighbors and friends for their visits, cards and food and every act of kindness received during my recent illness

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited Sunday with Clifford Marriott and Mrs. Effie Marriott and grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox Whitt of Mr. and Mrs. Marion San-

ders and Harper. Visiting over the weekend in the George Loer Sr. home and family of Lometa, Miss Brenda Evetts of Gatesville, Mrs. Sammie Cockrell and Regina and Mrs. Willie Bell Bates

Recent guests of Mrs. J.H. Jeffrey were Mrs. Jerry Short and children, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Shirey and C.E. of Ga-tesville, Mrs. Effic Peveto and Mrs. Frank Roads of Oglesby, Mrs, Bill Richardson and Bobby, Mrs. George Coalston and were Friday night supper guests her lady friend of Gatesville and Richard Willingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barton and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Barton and son were were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Buster Sunday night supper guests of

their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barton. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bal-lard of Marlin, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ballard and Mr. and Mrs, Charlie Ballard and Judy visited over the weekend in the P.E. Ballard home.

Visiting over the weekend with Mrs. Sallie McBride in the Coryell Convalescent home were her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. McBride, Mr. Mrs. Dale McBride and two children of Lampasas and her neice and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Maie Smith of Bel-

Pete and DeAnn Jones are patients in the Coryell Coun-

ty hospital. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bus Barton were Mr. and Mrs. George Loer, Jack Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barton and Jimmie , Hollis Barton, Harold Cot and son of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. George Shipman of Lampasas.

Troy Easley of Montana re-cently visited here with his mother, Mrs. Mamie Lee Easley and his brother, Johnnie Easley. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Otha Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Judd Kemp and Mrs. Irene Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burt visited in Temple Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dan

### RECRUITING VISITS **COME UNDER FIRE**

School people of Texas are talking about a plan to control the recruiting situation.

It seems the colleges are making too many visits and disrupting school work.

The Texas High School Coaches Association board of directors passed a resolution that it would like a plan of limiting the visits to two before signing and those only after the boy has finished his high school football eligibility.

And since the Southwest Conference already is meeting such a rule, it is quite obvious that colleges outside of the conference are the target.

This is no insinuation that Oklahoma, Houston, Louisiana State, Tulane, Oklahoma State, et al, are violating any rule, because the Big Eight and Southeastern Conferences and of course, all independents, are

not bound by such regulations. But it has been quite painful to the Southwest Conference to see Texas boys taken from under their noses by colleges that can contact the athlete any time during his senior year.

And it seems the high schools themselves are feeling pain from the legal raids, too.

The Texas Interscholastic League, the school administrators and the high school principals are talking with the coaches association on what steps can be taken to limit the visits to athletes of not only the Southwest Conference, but all colleges.

Rhea Williams, athletic di-rector of the Interscholastic League, says such a rule would be hard to enforce if adopted by his organization. Realistically, he points out that the colleges that want to contact the boys can do it off campus. And the athletes themselves are not likely to tell about it, since they like to be sought That is, unless they should flunk their courses as a result.

### 13th Annual Horse Show, April 5th and 6th

The Gatesville Riding Club will sponsor the Thirteenth Annual Horse Show at the Firemen's Arena, April 5 and 6. The horses will compete in

several classes with performance testing in roping and cutting.

show starts Friday The morning and continues through Saturday, with a dance to follow the final judging and trophy presentation.

PAINFUL CORNS? **AMAZING LIQUID** RELIEVES PAIN AS COL IT DISSOLVES CORNS AWAY

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Robert Louis Vasquez and Miss Melanie Jaquysh. Joseph Patrick Smischney and Miss Carolyn Fay Hancock. Bobby Wayne Williams and

Miss Debra Kaye Kinsey. Derace Dwaine Owens and Miss Linda Sue Owens. Ronald Wayne Ray and Miss

Linda Gartman. Charles Michael Crow and Mrs. Leta Faye Weir.

David Milton Mumford and Miss Alicia Saucedo Elias. Jerry Dail Shepherd and Miss Janice Darlene Dyson.

Williams thinks an NCAA rule would take care of the situation but isn't sure that body would want to go into it. If there was a chance of the NCAA taking away some of a boy's eligibility in college unless the rule was met, the colleges just

wouldn't take a chance and make the contacts. It seems here that the matter could be handled by the League if its members should decide they wanted such a rule, which, while difficult to enwould build sentiment force, against and criticism of col-

If some school should run into the situation of a boy failing his courses as a result the pressure put on by the colleges with unlimited visitait would be extremely doubtful that the outside colleges would brave public crit-

leges that didn't meet its pro-

icism by going against it.
L.W. McConachie, executive vice president of the Texas High School Coaches Associasaid the majority of coaches were viewing the situation with alarm.

While the coaches can pass no legislation they have influence with their administrations, who also don't like the idea of school work being disrupted by college scouts taking the boys away from the classrooms for visits to college campuses or taking up so much time with the boys that they make poor marks in school.

The Coaches Association might persuade its members to go for such a regulation, it merely being a gentlemen's a-greement. Likely not all the schools would do it but if say 75 per cent did, that would be quite a step toward preventing harassment of boys trying to graduate from high school.

New emphasis will be taking shape for the second Easter sunrise service to be conducted at Bee House Point, with time set at 6:00 a.m. this year. Enlargement, additional characters and more interest is expectations of this pageant. Mrs. Delos Walker, again is In spite of unsettled

**Bee House** 

leading the programing of the event. weather, over one hundred ga-thered for the first pageant and many who thought the weather had stopped the performance, entirely, were sadly disappointed, because they did not attend. Every possible effort will be made by the entire Evant Parish of the Methodist church to amake this event worth anyone's time to rise early and drive to the gleaming cross set above Bee House Methodist Church with hopes this may become one of

counties. Church services undergo changes effective first Sunday in April. Two nine o'clock services, the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month and Sunday school at 10 a.m. each Sunday. Please make note and You are always welattend.

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ingful observances of Easter

Coryell and surrounding

Plans for an outside sunrise Easter service, the second such event, is being rehears d and we anticipate the largest attendance ever on Bee House Point beneath the cross and tomb. A very special invitation to all denominations round-a-bout.

A. W. Smith and sister Juanita of San Angelo were sight-s ang here recently and 3 of the passing of

New S By Roy Conner their mother, Mrs. Mattie. Older residents of the neighborhood will remember the Smiths. Allen Carrigan attended the funeral of Mr. Jake Carroll of Lampasas. Interment was in the Hines Chapel Cemetery.

A. B. Caddel has returned from a visit with relatives in Junction, We regret to lose the John C. Self family. They have moved to Dallas to be with the

Dewayne Hills. Miss Sallie Lovell reminds us of our cemetery dues. Please remit \$2.00 to Secretary-Treasurer, above named.

Best wishes to the recent newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Bauman and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ray. The Ladies Bible Study meets

with Mrs. Pauline Conner this Thursday at 2 o'clock.

Well, haven't seen it so wet since I dug foxholes in the Phillipine Islands in the midforties. Surely looks promising. Spring is here - the wild geese have begun their flight northward and the green earth makes it wonderful.

The sixth annual convention of the Central Texas Singers will be held on Saturday night, April 6, and all day Sunday, April 7, in the air conditioned unior high school building in East Gatesville. Lunch will be served on Sunday. Since many out of town people will attend, it is requested that all local people who come for the noon meal, bring a basket lunch. The convention will furnish barbeque, bread and drinks. Large crowds have attended the conventions in past years and an even larger number is expected to attend this year. Both congregational singing and special

groups will be featured. One of the special attractions will be the singing Bell Family of Temple, Texas. The officers of the convention are Clayton Bell, president; Francis S. Glass, 1st vice president; Troy H. Jones, 2nd vice president; and Martha Price, secretarytreasurer. The general public is invited to attend.

At the regular stated meeting this Thursday night at 7 o'clock, March 28th, Bro. Jack Straw, District Deputy for C-69 will make his official visit. Preparations have been made for this one of the highlights of the meeting.

All members are urged to be present and visiting brethren re welcome.

The Gatesville High School Golf team is in Lampasas this weekend for the annual Lions Club High School Inivitational Golf Tournament, which is staged at Hancock Park Golf Course.

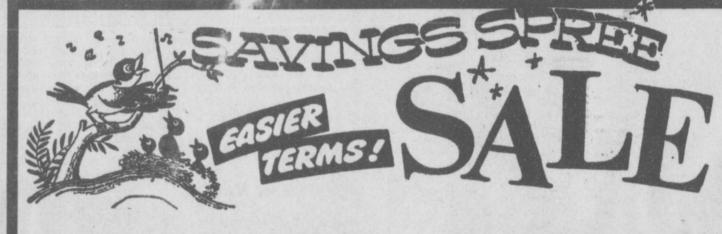
The Hornet squad began play this morning with Temple, Johnston and Rockdale in qualification rounds.

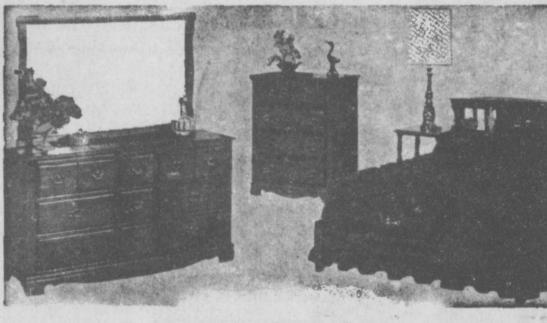
Of the 18 teams entered this year, only the best 14 and ties will qualify for Saturday's final

The Hornets are coming off of a second place finish at last Saturday's Hornet Invitational. Prospects for good weather will push scores down at the

Lampasas "track". This year's line up of teams Temple, Johnston, Killeen, Plano, include Rockdale, Killeen, Belton, Travis, Carter Riverside, Robert E. Lee, Mc-erside, Robert E. Lampasas, Richfield, New Braunfels, Thomas Jefferson, Waco, Harlandale and Gatesville.

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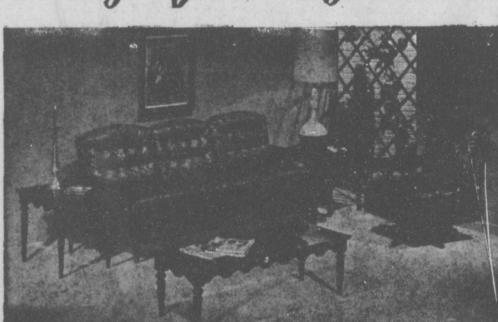
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