



Coryell County Court House

Gatesville, Texas

## Gatesville Schools Open Enrollment Nears 1800

School Days Again with 1746 students enrolling in the Gatesville Independent School District.

The Elementary School grades, one through five, reported 707 students with anticipation of more students to report on September 3rd.

The Gatesville Junior High School, grades, six, seven and eight, reported 152, 163 and 148 students respectively, with most students attending first day classes.

Gatesville High School reported an estimated 556 students in the four top grades.

The students will have their first holiday after only two days of classes, with no classes Labor Day, Monday, September 2nd.

## Gatesville Housing Project

Slightly Ahead of Schedule

The Gatesville Housing Project is moving ahead with the good weather through the month of August.

The project is slightly ahead of schedule, reports construction superintendent, Horace King for B.A.R. Construction Company of Killen.

The ground leveling project is nearing completion with approximately one-week's work yet to be done.

The 60-unit project is presently employing 29 workmen and is estimated by Mr. Smith to have a peak employment of from sixty to seventy construction workmen.

Smith pointed out that four common laborers were hired Thursday with jobs still available.

The 60-units will consist of 25 buildings, ranging from duplexes to four-unit complexes. Foundation pouring is scheduled to be completed in the month of September. Smith has scheduled pouring two building foundations every other day through the month, averaging one foundation per working day.

As foundation cure work will begin on frameworks and other stages, creating jobs for skilled and unskilled labor.

## Jaycee Lighting Project Seeks Support

The Gatesville Jaycees have been working on the Courthouse lighting project almost two years and are still seeking donations to complete the project.

All the planning has been completed, diagrams, light positions, fixture location, types of lights and other details have been completed.

Actual shipment of the light fixtures were received in July of this year.

The only item left incomplete is approximately \$1000 needed to complete the construction cost and installation of the fixtures.

Club director, Tom Kennedy, had anticipated completely the project before now, however, lack of funds have delayed the project.

To date \$1721 have been collected from interested citizens and business and civic organizations. The latest group of donors are: Dr. J.T. Brown, \$5.00; Louise Colgin, \$2.00; I.N. Franks, \$1.00; C.C. Lima, \$1.00; Koch's Enco, \$25.00; Roy M. Jones of Texas City, Texas, \$10.00; Slater Ladies Club, \$5.00; Gatesville Lions Club, \$50.00; Coryell Medical Society, \$50.00; Sam Powell, \$25.00 (second time around); Gatesville Fire Department, \$50; W.D. Cooper, \$10; Harry Jones, \$10.00 and Chamber of Commerce, \$150.00.

The project seems to have bogged down as it nears completion. The Jaycees have planned several projects for the fall and winter months to raise money for the courthouse lights, however, none of the projects will provide the needed money. It will take more "second time around" people like Sam Powell and others to complete the project. It will take more of the \$1.00 donations from Mr.

## Mrs. E.R. Huey Honored With Luncheon

Mrs. E.R. Huey was honored with a luncheon at the Chateau Ville Restaurant, Wednesday, August 28th, commemorating her years of service with the Gulf States - United Telephone Company. She was presented a corsage and a charm bracelet at the luncheon.

Those taking part were Robert M. Cotten, Mesdames Rose McBride, Nita Baize, Frankie Meeks, Ruth Parr, Reva Morgan, Wanda Manning, Wavalee Dallimore, Gwen Watson, Bonnie Chappell, Waldine Cummings, Marcella Claxton, Myrtle Music, Otis L. Cummings, Wille B. Taylor, Wanda Storm, Virginia Rauschenberg, Bobbie D. Farrell and Bobbie McLaughlin.

## Miller Reappointed to TADA Board of Directors

Roger Miller, of Miller Motor Company, Gatesville, has been re-appointed to the key post of Area Director of the Texas Automobile Dealers Association.

"Mr. Miller will report to the TADA Board of Directors on all phases of activity relating to the motor vehicle buying public in the Gatesville area," commented TADA President Boyd Mullen, Pasadena.

"He will work closely with legislative and other governmental officials for better auto safety standards, safer highways, and effective driver education," added Mullen. "The job of Area Director is one of the most important in our giant statewide association," said Mullen, "and we are confident Mr. Miller will continue to serve with distinction."

## Cropland Adjustment Discontinued

The 1969 Agriculture Appropriation bill did not include funds for approving additional agreements under the Cropland Adjustment Program in 1969. Therefore, there will not be a sign-up under this program for 1969. However, agreements entered into in 1966 and 1967 will continue in effect for the duration of the individual agreement periods.

Citizen to complete the job. The Junior Chamber of Commerce is going ahead with installation plans and will carry much of the labor burden of the project. Mr. Citizen you are needed to help financially (it will make a better town).

## Department of Public Safety Estimates Labor Day Death Toll At 46

Colonel Wilson E. (Pat) Speir, acting director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said today the DPS estimates 46 persons may die in traffic accidents in Texas during the Labor Day weekend. "This is the last holiday weekend of the summer, and thousands of motorists traditionally take to the highways for an outing," Speir said.

"It is indeed tragic that so many men, women and children will become victims of motor vehicle accidents during an otherwise happy period," he added.

Speir said the Department of Public Safety will use all facilities and personnel at its disposal in an effort to reduce the predicted death toll. A special "Operation Motorcade" will be activated at 6 p.m., Friday, August 30 and continue through midnight Monday, September 2. During this period, all uniformed DPS officers and equipment will be used on the highways to enforce traffic laws.

The Texas Motor Transportation and its Texas Council of Safety Supervisors will sponsor a holiday road patrol during the Labor Day weekend to assist stranded motorists. Many Jaycee Clubs will have coffee stops in their respective towns; some 40 cars marked "Holiday Road Patrol" will be on the highway and will work as volunteers.

The Texas Highway Department has provided the news media with a bulletin listing all road construction areas in the state.

## Methodist Senior High Banquet Held Saturday Night

"Soar to Venus" was the theme for the Methodist Senior High Banquet, held at the Chateau Ville, last Saturday evening at 7:30. Upon entering the lovely dining room, you saw tables arranged in a "V" for Venus and in the background, large white columns with ivory and in front a figure representing the "Goddess of Love."

Bob Hinesley gave the invocation. The menu consisted of fruit nectar, salad, chicken fried steak, baked potatoes, hot rolls, ice tea and ice box pie.

Special music on the organ was given by Charles Ament, throughout dinner. Dale Bidwell, Paul Stone and Charles Ament performed several special numbers.

Bill Hinesley, president of the MYF, introduced the speaker, Rev. Skip Blacett, assistant pastor of First Church of Brownwood. Reece Knight led the group with the M.Y.F. benediction.

## Kit Carson Rites Held Thursday

Kit Carson, 79, died in the local hospital August 26, 1968. Funeral services were held August 29, 1968 in the First Methodist Church with Rev. J.W. Sprinkle, assisted by Rev. Bob Richmond, officiating. Interment was in City Cemetery. Mr. Carson was born near Gatesville and had lived in Coryell County all his life. He had taught school in several of the Coryell County schools and last taught at Gatesville State School for Boys before retiring.

He was married to the former Minnie Grant on September 15, 1911, who preceded him in death. He had been a resident of Riverside Nursing home for the past three years. He is survived by one son, Grady Carson of Gatesville.

## City Sales Tax Vote Slated For Sept. 3

The Gatesville City Sales Tax will be held Tuesday, September 3, 1968. Voters will have the opportunity to decide their method of taxation.

Mayor Bob Miller pointed out Wednesday, "This election is the first time in many years that the general public has had the opportunity to decide a taxation policy."

Miller said, "We would like to have everyone take part in the sales tax decision." The election could be a barometer of public opinion if a large enough vote is cast.

"City 1% Sales Tax is a fair tax," reported Miller. He explained the Sales Tax is paid by people with "buying power". The tax is not levied on an item being considered necessities, therefore persons able to buy only necessities would not pay the tax.

Conversely, person who have money to buy goods and services beyond the necessity items are burdened with the tax. The tax is aimed at the person with the ability to pay.

Acceptance of the City Sales Tax has been widespread with 277 cities approving the measure with approximately 56 cities ruling against the tax. Of the 56 cities rejecting the tax, most were small and of the larger towns rejecting, most had other major sources of income.

The Sales Tax election comes at an important time in the growth of Gatesville, reported Miller. The growth potential of Gatesville seems to be unlimited.

## 33.1 Miles of Coryell County Farm to Market Roads in Highway Improvement Plan

The Texas Highway Commission announced Monday a \$60.6 million State Highway Safety and Betterment and Farm to Market Road Improvement for 1969.

The program includes 1,177 projects in 224 counties of the State. In all, 7,764.1 miles of highways and FM roads will undergo improvements. Sixty-two percent of the work will be on U.S. and State numbered highways.

The bulk of the work will serve to increase safety on the highways. A large portion of the program is for the reconstruction of highways and FM roads, including such work as widening pavement and structures, improvements to shoulders and construction of improved surfacing.

Scope of the program this year has been expanded from the 1968 program passed last year. Last year, the program included 859 projects on a total of 5,182 miles. Cost of last year's program was \$40 million.

J.H. Kullgren, Chairman of the Highway Commission, said: "This program emphasizes the long-standing concern of the Texas Highway Commission and the Highway Department for the safety of those who use the highways."

District Engineer Elton B. Evans of Waco said that a total of 325.2 highway miles in District No. 9 will be involved in this year's program.

The safety and betterment portion of the program for District 9 will cover 94.0 miles and the farm to market improvement portion will cover 231.2 miles of FM roads.

A total of 33.1 miles in Coryell County will be involved in this program. Work will be under the supervision of Paul T. Hensler, Senior Resident Engineer at Gatesville.

The projects approved for Coryell County are: Level up and Seal Coat on FM 1873 from FM 929 to US 84, a distance of approximately 12.0 miles.

Additional Base and Surfacing on FM 185 from FM 929 to US 84, a distance of approximately 7.7 miles.

Widen drainage structure on FM 929 at 7.8 miles Northeast of SH 36.

Level up and Seal Coat on SH 36 from Hamilton County line to Gatesville State Training School, a distance of approximately 13.3 miles.

proving and will require the city to promote the development. The following is a reprint of a question and answer series Mayor Miller has compiled as an explanation of the tax.

## SALES TAX

Q. How much money will a 1% City Sales Tax produce for Gatesville?

A. According to the Texas Municipal League, Gatesville should receive approximately \$25,000.00 annually.

Q. When would the tax become effective?

A. January 1, 1969, if passed on September 3, 1968.

Q. What items would be taxed?

A. Only the items subject to the State Sales Tax would be covered.

Q. What will the additional money be used for?

A. Initially, the money will be used almost entirely for repairs and extensions to our streets and water system. Q. Why is the Sales Tax a Fair Tax?

A. Because it is paid by everyone who lives in the city and will be paid by those who live outside the city, but benefit by its facilities.

Because it is paid by everyone in proportion to what they have to spend. The elderly and the low income groups of people will pay less tax because they will purchase fewer consumer goods. Food, drug items and other necessities are not covered by the tax.

Q. How has the City Sales Tax affected other cities?

A. Other cities have found that the City Sales Tax does not drive people and business away, but on the contrary, boosts city growth.

City officials in other states report that a local sales tax is often an inducement for an industry to locate in that city levying it. Owners of business want to see how the local city government is financed, and to see that important services are provided in sufficient quantity, and that property is not the sole support of the cost of all.

Q. How will the city collect the tax?

A. The collection will be made by the state and the money returned to the city. At the time that a consumer makes a purchase, the merchant would collect the 1% City Sales Tax in addition to the State Sales tax. He would then forward the total collected, along with his quarterly report, to the State Comptroller. The city's portion of the tax would then be turned.

Q. How much will this service cost the City?

A. The state would retain only 2% of the City Tax money as a collection fee. This is considerably less than the cost of collecting any other type of tax.

Q. How many cities in Texas have passed the Tax?

A. As of July 9, 1968, 277 Texas Cities have approved the Local Sales Tax. This covers over three-fourths of the urban population in the State.

Q. When would we receive the first money from the tax?

A. The first money collected from a local sales tax would become available to the city in mid-June 1969. Additional money would be received each quarter.

Q. How can this tax, if passed, be repealed?

A. Another election would be necessary. This could be called by the City Council, just as this election on September 3 was called, or by petition from a sufficient number of qualified voters. At that election the voters would then determine whether to continue the tax or repeal it.

Q. What if the Tax fails?

A. If our city is to continue to grow and expand and compete with other cities, for new industries and job opportunities for our citizens, we must have more funds. There are other sources of revenue available, but none as fair and equitable as a sales tax.

Q. Where do I vote?

A. All qualified voters, residing north of Main Street, will vote in the City Hall. All qualified voters, residing south of Main Street will vote in the County Court Room in the Courthouse.

Q. How should I vote?

A. That must be determined by each individual.



The Gatesville Hornet Coaching Staff has molded a potential top title contender from the local athletes. Pictured above, left to right, are Bob Arnold, Jr., Assistant Coach of the Junior High School; Lowell Bishop, Gatesville High School B Team Coach; Jack Gunlock, Head Coach; Jack Bell, Varsity Assistant Coach; Kenneth Marshall, Head Coach of the Junior High School and Grayson Wetzel, Freshman Coach.

## Hornets Hold Scrimmage Tonight

The 1968 edition of the Gatesville Hornet football team saw the first preview of action Tuesday night in Cameron.

Coach Jack Gunlock summed up the scrimmage, "The defense did a real fine job, however it is normal for the defense to be ahead of the offensive game." Coordination and execution of offensive formation requires more practice and timing.

The Hornet offense was able to move the football in spurts with big plays coming from Chris Bone and Raymond Cole. Bone gained 55 yards on a 'slant play'. Coach Gunlock explained that the slant is designed to run just inside the offensive end and then break for the outside.

Gunlock pointed to Chris Bone's ability to run the play all through his football career. Raymond Cole represents the break-away threat in the Hornet attack. Cole used his speed on a sweep to get around the Yoemen defense for a 50 yard gain, Tuesday night.

Coach Gunlock looks to Larry McCutchen and Raymond Cole for the potential game breaking play. Inexperience is the major problem for McCutchen and Cole, since neither saw too much action in 1967.

The Hornet passing attack centered around the McCutchen - Cole threat Tuesday night. Of eight passes attempted, two were completed, one each to Cole and McCutchen and both passes picked up first down yardage.

Assistant Coach Jack Bell described the first scrimmage similar to Gunlock. "The scrimmage was typical for old Gatesville with some good areas and some rough areas."

Bell pointed out that normally the Hornets go through two weeks of "two-a-day" prior to the first scrimmage, but this year there was only one week. Bell described the Hornet team as "promising" and "certainly we are not downhearted."

The Hornet Defense proved itself in the first outing. The defensive line, linebacker and defensive backs proved to be

capable in all situations. The Yoemen were able to move the ball on occasional plays however, good pursuit stopped Cameron from mounting any substantial drive.

The defensive backs proved to be "Johnny on the Spot" on pass coverage. Gunlock pointed out that Cameron com-

## 4-H'ers Encourage Safety During New School Year

"Watch Out for Children." Because it's back to school for the nation's 51 million elementary and high school students. Among the 9 to 19 year olds are more than a half a million 4-H boys and girls who have a

special interest in safety. They carry on safety projects to prove it.

These safety-minded youngsters work hard for school and community safety, and for home and personal safety as well. Their projects include campaigns to find and correct hazards that may cause injuries to pedestrians and motorists alike. Hazard hunts turn up articles left lying around the yard, along highways, on playgrounds and in parks.

Through their efforts to publicize and dramatize safety, the 4-H'ers create posters, exhibits, appear on radio and television and cooperate with local authorities. Older teens serve as junior safety club leaders and help young members with their projects.

Observing bicycle safety and abiding by safety rules in sports and play are high on the list. Encouragement and recognition for safety efforts came from the Cooperative Extension Service which supervises the national 4-H Safety program and from the sponsor, General Motors.

## Coryell County Swine Show Held Saturday

The Coryell County Swine Show was held Saturday morning, August 24, in the Community Barn.

First place went to Douglas Freeman of the Pearl 4-H, with Roby Snider of the Gatesville 4-H taking second place. Other winners were Richard Moore, Gatesville 4-H, 3rd place; Audrey Barker of Coppas Cove 4-H, 4th place and Lawrence Pruett of Jonesboro 4-H, 5th place.

Mr. Eldon Lange of Bartlett judged the show. Douglas Freeman with the first place gilt and Ricky Chambers with the County Boar will compete with other counties in the Waco show on September 7.



## Special Display Winner

Lloyd Mitchell of Gatesville, displayed a portion of his spur collection in the Fort Worth Gun Collectors Association's Annual Show in the Hotel Texas and received the First Place Special Display trophy. Mitchell has over 3,000 spurs in his collection, many of which have historical backgrounds.



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Retired Painting  
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Buried Here

Mr. William Combs Hildebrand of Gatesville, died in a Hamilton Hospital, August 24, 1968.

Funeral services were held at 10:00 a.m. at Scott's Funeral Home, with Rev. Bob Richmond and Rev. G.I. Norris officiating with burial in City Cemetery.

Mr. Hildebrand, a retired painting and papering contractor, had lived in and around Gatesville for the last sixty years. He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Gatesville.

He was born February 14, 1872, in Adairville, Kentucky, the son of Henry Jacob and Emily D. Hildebrand. He married the former Alice Dorsey, who preceded him in death.

Survivors are, one son, H.C. Hildebrand of Amarillo; three daughters, Mrs. John Guyer of Bangs, Mrs. Ella Schooner of Vancouver, Washington and Mrs. Carrie Norris of Bangs; fourteen grandchildren; thirty great grandchildren and eleven great great grandchildren.  
A sister, Mrs. Carrie Peck, preceded him in death in 1967.

Services Held  
For Husband  
of Former  
Gatesvillite

Funeral services for Raymond Lee Rhoades, 47, of 1716 10th Street, Brownwood, were held Sunday in the Calvary Baptist Church in Brownwood, with Rev. Mac Farrington and Rev. Neal Sheppard, officiating. Burial was in Eastlawn Memorial Park.

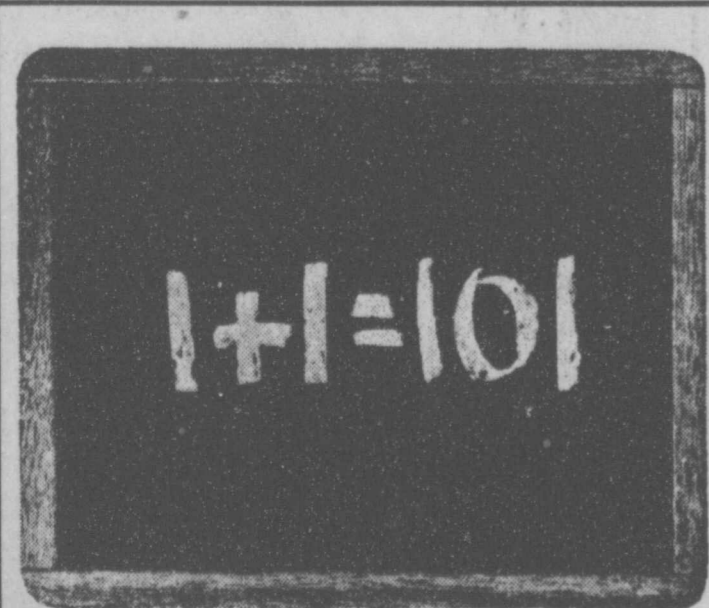
He died last Friday in a Brownwood hospital.

Mr. Rhoades was born in Erath County, June 21, 1921. He married the former Helen Nottingham, August 21, 1953 in Bluffdale. They had resided in Brownwood since 1954.

Mr. Rhoades was an employee of the Texas Highway Department and member of Clavary Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, mother, Mrs. Lola Like of Mineral Wells, three brothers and one sister.

Mr. Rhoades was a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mack of Gatesville.



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## Hospital News

### Babies

Baby girl born August 26 at 7:13 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Ramie Saxon, Copperas Cove.

Baby girl born August 27 at 2:02 p.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adcock, Purnela.

### Patients

Mrs. Savoy Lawrence  
Jim Barton  
Quine Burke  
Mrs. J.R. Cook  
Mrs. Stony Hammack  
Homer Heleman  
Mrs. Elmer Hodge  
Mrs. Ward Jameson  
Mrs. Eric McCutchen  
Joe Wilson  
Mrs. Frances Williamson  
Floyd Zeigler  
Mrs. Mollie Ashby  
Mrs. Kate Calhoun  
Walter Clopp  
Mrs. Emma Dixon  
Mrs. Annie Graham  
Mrs. W.F. Gilmore  
Fritz Schultz  
Evan J. Smith

### Relative of Gatesvillites

W.H. Williams, 79, of Fort Worth, passed away Sunday in a Fort Worth hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m., Wednesday in Greenwood Chapel in Fort Worth with interment in Restland Cemetery, here.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Geneva O. Williams of Fort Worth; sons, Willie C. Williams, W.L. Williams, J.B. Williams, Elmer Joe Williams, Wendell A. Williams, all of Fort Worth and Floyd L. Williams of Dallas; a daughter, Mrs. Oline Ross of Fort Worth; step-sons, Wayne Monk of Ft. Worth, Thurman E. Monk of Bainbridge, Maryland; step-daughters, Mrs. Zelta Vick of Fort Worth, Mrs. Lavann Saliee of Fort Worth; sisters, Mrs. Undine Rhoads of Gatesville, Mrs. Bessie Clark of Gatesville, Mrs. Myrtia Foster of Houston; sixteen grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; eleven great grandchildren.

August 31, 1682—William Penn sailed from England to America with Quaker settlers.

September 3, 1833—The first penny newspaper in New York, the New York Sun, was published.

## IRELAND

### NEWS by MRS. JOE FAUBION



Burl Pearson of Dallas spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Alta Pearson and other relatives.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Davis, Sr. were Mrs. Reacie Davis, O.K. Davis Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, all of Gatesville.

Mrs. Maydell Coleman, Mrs. Glenn Christian and Mrs. Gene Christian, all of Hamilton, visited Thursday with Mrs. Zola Williams and Troy. Sunday visitors in the Williams home

were Mrs. Francis Miller and David, of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Richmond of Universal City, are visiting with Mrs. Richmond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Faubion.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Faubion took Mrs. Emma Neyland to Alvarado, Sunday, where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. S.B. Hill and family.

Joy Blanchard spent last week in Dallas with friends.

### Eighty-two Attend

#### Poston Reunion

The Poston reunion was held August 25th at the Clifton American Legion building, with eighty-two persons attending.

The visitors came from Texas, Arkansas, Colorado, California and Michigan. The longest distance traveled to be at the reunion was from upper Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poston.

### Last Rites Held

#### For Former Jonesboro Resident

James Elic Harvison, 82, died Wednesday, August 21st, at noon in the Fireside Nursing Home in Brady, after a long illness.

Mr. Harvison was born September 14, 1886 in Williamson County. He was a retired trucker. He had been a resident of McCulloch County since 1933.

## The Grove

### News By Mrs. R.T. Fellers



Mrs. W.E. Ayres, Mrs. Tee Graham, Mrs. R.T. Fellers and Belva visited in Moffatt, Texas, Saturday morning with Mrs. Betty Landrum and also went shopping in Temple, Texas.

Jerry Ayres, Jr. of Moffatt, spent Saturday night, August 17, with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Ayres.

An ice cream party was given Saturday night, August 17, celebrating Mrs. Rosie Symm's birthday. Those present were Mr. E.C. Symm, Miss Nancy

Symm, Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers Symm, Robert, Tina, Katy and Robert Fellers.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Heiner and family of Killeen, Texas, visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Ayres.

Mrs. Tee Graham visited Mrs. Betty Landrum and Mrs. Elvin Wolf in Moffatt, Texas, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thompson and family, from Virginia, visited Mr. and Mrs.



Pictured above are John Otto, left, of Victoria, Texas and Mr. B.W. Lee, of Gatesville, during a Wednesday afternoon sale of fryer rabbits.

Mr. Otto makes a scheduled stop in Gatesville on designated Wednesdays, to pick up rabbits weighing from 4-1/2 to 5-1/2 pounds. He then carries the rabbits to the nation's largest processing center at Rogers, Arkansas.

Otto has indicated that he plans to make Gatesville a regular stop if area rabbit breeders can supply the rabbits. Prices for fryer rabbits are approximately 25 cents per pound at the truck.

Ted Graham and Mrs. Hattie Thompson, Monday, August 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Rogers and sons, of Dallas, Mr. Ernest Gressom, Route 1, Gatesville, visited relatives in Searcy, Ark. Other points of interest visited were Eureka and Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clawson gave a birthday supper for Mrs. Kieth Mathney Sunday, August 18. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Mathney of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mathney of Temple, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore Graham, Sr. visited in Blanco, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Moore Graham, Jr. and family, last week.

Clifford Johnson traveled to Dallas with Mr. Moore Graham, Jr. and then to Blanco, Texas.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Clawson, Monday, August 19th, were Mr. Fred Bolton and Mr. Dick Bolton, from Lubbock,

Texas. Mrs. John Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. Moore Graham, August 24.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tee Graham, Saturday night, were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bunnard and children of Gatesville, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fellers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kindler, Jimmy and John Fellers.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Symm from Dickerson, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Symm Miss Nancy Symm and Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers Symm and family over the weekend.

Mrs. Ernest Gressom is not feeling well today and this is the Gressom's 46th Wedding Anniversary, on August 26. Belva and Robert Fellers are both ill on this August Monday.

Mrs. R.T. Fellers, Belva, Robert visited in Gatesville, Texas, with Mrs. Janice Bunnard, Treasa, Jimmy and also

visited Mrs. Barney Tippit and Tommy.

Mr. Moore Graham Jr. visited Mr. and Mrs. Moore Graham, Tuesday, August 27.

Mrs. W.E. Ayres visited in Gatesville, Texas, August 27th with Mrs. Barney Tippit and Tommy.

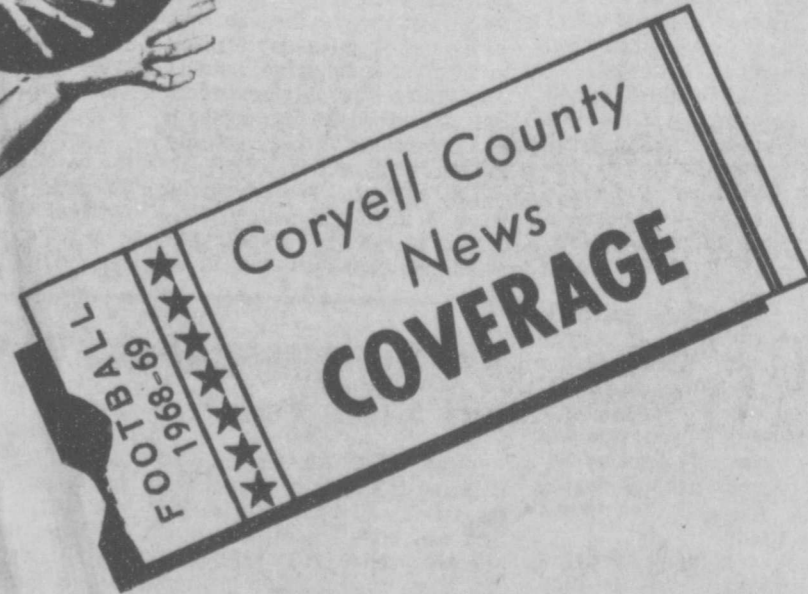
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Symm visited Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wolff, Sunday.

Visitors in the W.J. Dube home, over the weekend, were Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Dube, Jr., Sue Ann and Bob, from Katy, Texas. Also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sohns, Mr. Gilbert Sohns, Mrs. Elmer Graf, all from Vernon, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Dube attended the funeral of Mrs. Dube's brother, Mr. Herman Kieschnick at Lincoln, Texas, Monday.

Misses Debra and Denise Cosper of Nolanville, visited their great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Tuesday afternoon.

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The modest little dream house or moderate-rental apartment may go the way of the two-cent newspaper, five-cent cigar and the fifty-cent haircut.

Who's the villain? Skyrocketing construction costs, due in large measure to inflationary wage demands. They not only threaten to cripple new private and public construction, but also could put new residences out of range of many middle and lower income families.

Last year's wage gains for construction employees worked out to 34.9 cents per hour—the highest for any industry and more than double the all-industry average of 14.3 cents.

Some sources allied with the President's Committee on Price Stability observe that the construction unions' goal for all of 1968 is to meet or beat the 1967 settlements in Ohio, which ranged between 10 and 18 per cent.

The high incidence of strikes by construction unions, their resistance to new methods of construction and insistence on duplicating and "make-work" projects, and their discriminatory hiring practices—which help to perpetuate a shortage of skilled workers—all contribute to the cost-push that threatens both public and private construction.

The billions of dollars of private and public funds now earmarked for building will buy less and less unless these roadblocks to building progress are eliminated.

\$700 per year





EHS Yell leaders: Shown above are the 1968-69 Evant High School Cheerleaders, left to right, Debbie Flippen, Barbara Connor, Joyce Thomas, Patsy Rogers and Marilyn Green.

## EVANT CHEERLEADERS READY FOR 1968 ELK SEASON PLAY

Five lovely members of the Evant High School student rostrum will lead the some 226 Evant School members in cheers for E.H.S. this year. The girls were selected last spring to serve as standard bearers for the spirit of the Elk squads -- football, basketball and the like.

The student body will be led by cheerleaders who'll be led by head cheerleader, Miss Joyce Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Thomas of Purlmea. Other members of the yell-leading staff are Miss Debra Flippen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Flippen of Evant, Miss Barbara Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conner of Bee House, Miss Patsy Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Freeman of Pearl and Miss Marilyn Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Green of Evant.

The girls will encounter their first battle of the lungs on September 13, when the Elks meet the Liberty Hill footballers at Liberty Hill.

### EHS Students Receive Yearbooks

It was that time of year again and the excited members of Evant High School distributed their 1967-68 yearbooks, Wednesday, August 28th. After the distribution of annuals, the order of the day switched to signing annuals of friends and classmates at the school.

B. T. ARNOLD

### UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mr. B.T. Arnold, who underwent throat surgery at Scott and White Hospital, Temple, last Wednesday, is home but instructed not to speak for a few more days. If it was this writer, she would wonder if it was part of the punishment or treatment.

## EVANT NEWS

By Cornelia Kreid

### NO LABOR DAY HOLIDAYS

#### EVANT SCHOOLS

#### OPEN DOORS

Evant School began Monday, with plans to not dismiss for Labor Day, in order to help make mid-term possible prior to the Christmas holidays. Four new teachers are working on the Evant faculty for the first time and are named as follows: Terry Walls, Mrs. Bob Gautier, Mrs. J.E. Green and Bruce Jones, all in high school. Mrs. J.W. Adams, Route 2, Hamilton, has been employed as full time librarian.

School was opened with pledge to the flag and prayer offered by Supt. L.L. Pruden. A special place on the program was the words from Bernadine Conner, student representative of the State Small Schools workshop, which met in Austin in July. Bernadine was one of the fourteen, only, which attended from various parts of Texas. The students were permitted interviews with foreign students, permission to take part in observing drama classes and other demonstrations of education and also a tour of highlights in the city of Austin. Important announcements included bus schedules and plans for PTA. School will dismiss at 3:45 in the afternoon, with buses leaving five minutes later. Students are not due to be permitted in the buildings until 8:05 a.m.

#### NANCY SPROYLES ILL

#### IN HAMILTON HOSPITAL

Decided concern has been had over the illness of young Nancy

Sproles, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Sproles, who is in the Hamilton Hospital, suffering from a bone infection. She is now reported to be slightly improved and hope is held that she may be moved home in a week or ten days. Her father, a retired Navy man, has suffered a heart attack since coming to Evant, but is improving also. The mother is a nurse at January Care Home and is a sister of Mrs. J.C. Tyson. The family has not lived at Evant long.

#### FIRE AT

#### BLAKLEY PLACE

Evant Fire Department was called to the Blakley place, three miles south of Pearl Saturday night, to a barn fire. The extent of the loss was not stated in the notes concerning the report.

#### NEW STRUCTURES

#### BUILT IN EVANT

Two new structures are going up in sight of each other in Evant. Ready for use is the new "carwash" unit at O.J. Lee's Service Station, on Highway 84. Under construction in the Allen Sparks Addition is a new home to be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Parrish and sons. Builders are the Brown Brothers, Gatesville.

#### PTA TO OPEN 1968-69

#### PROGRAMS

PTA, with Mrs. Pruden as president, will open the year's programs on September 12 at 8:00 o'clock in the evening. Students will be used on the

first program of the season and a program for observance of the action of LSD and other social problems will be aired for the parents, in November.

#### EVANT PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mason of Fair, visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mason in the Oddfellow Home at Ennis one day last week. The couple formerly lived at Waco, are well acquainted at Evant and are now happy in their new location. It is not just a home for the ill and afflicted, but for the retired who are still able to enjoy the comforts of the social hours under one roof with meals and church services convenient to all.

Mrs. Lona Burney's daughter, Mrs. Charles Willis, Houston, spent two weeks visiting her and other relatives near Evant. Being uncertain which of her daughters was her guest, and being unable to call, has delayed the news item, much to our regret.

Guests of Mrs. Ibera Lovins and William are Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Calhoun, Colorado Springs, Colorado and their two charming daughters, Mrs. Lovins and Mr. Calhoun are children of Mr. Rob Calhoun, who is a patient in the Hamilton Rest Home. They were all in morning services at Evant Methodist Church and visited Mr. Calhoun in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. George Walker have moved into the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Massingill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Kreid and Bryan attended the Harvey Ballew Art Club meeting in Lampasas, Saturday evening, at which time Bryan displayed three of his oil paintings. The club is composed of local artists who include programming on the workshop order, with constructive criticism as part of the evening's lesson. Mrs. Jane Francis, Lampasas, an accomplished artist, issued the invitation for Bryan to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lofland and family have moved from the old Haskins place east of Evant, to the Luke Lee place, south of Evant. The children are still in Evant school. Word has been received that Don Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Lee, will not be permitted to come home on a visit due to his extended illness and confinement in the Navy hospital. Don is improving decidedly.

An article on the Edwards-Suggs wedding, which took place in Evant Church of Christ, Saturday evening, August 24, will be carried at a later date. The newly weds will be at home in Lubbock, soon, where Mr. Edwards will be a student in Lubbock Christian College, where he is preparing for the ministry, and Mrs. Edwards has been transferred to pursue her former position connected with government work. Mr. Edwards was formerly employed with HEB Store, Lampasas.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Adams included their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Adams, Jr. and Christy and Marsha Sue Marbles, Odessa. Sunday guests was their brother-in-law, Mr. W.M. Moseley, Fort Worth. The Allen Sparks joined their son, Kenneth Allen and wife, Hamilton, in a Sunday visit to the home of Kenneth Allen and Jean's son, Dale and wife's up for dinner, remained until after the evening meal, made a survey of Dallas after the lights were on, then got home in time for early retirement. And to think, it has not been many years since one expected to spend at least one night if they went to the county seat to pay taxes.

Spending part of their vacation with their aunt last week, were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reagan, David and Patricia, Caddo Mills and Mrs. Reagan's mother, Mrs. Era Sprinkle, Greenville. The aunt entertaining the above guests is Mrs. Tilda Wilson, who is employed at January Care Home.

Late word from Robert Wilson, Mrs. Tilda Wilson tells us, is that he is getting a ten day leave and will use to tour Switzerland and Austria. His sister, Wilma, wishes she was going along needless to say. Staff Sgt. Billy Ramsey has returned to his post in Alaska; Captain Jerry Ramsey will leave for Vietnam by September 1. They were honored recently by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Ramsey at Tow, in the lake home they maintain there. From Evant, their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Williams were among the many guests for the celebration.

Word reached the Taylor Williams family on Wednesday that their son-in-law, D. Ramsey, has been admitted to a hospital following a back injury. He is a contractor in Austin.

Mrs. Maybell Bunnell is announcing the birth of a granddaughter. Born to Mr. and Mrs. T.S. Corder, August 15, a

# CLASSIFIED ADS



#### KCEN-TV

Monday Thru Friday

- 6:40 RFD #6
- 7:00 Today Show
- 9:00 Snap Judgment
- 9:25 NBC NEWS
- 9:30 Concentration
- 10:00 Personality
- 10:30 Hollywood Squares
- 11:00 Eye Guess
- 11:55 NBC NEWS
- 12:00 NOON NEWS
- 12:15 Cathy's Corner
- 12:30 Let's Make a Deal
- 1:00 Days of Our Lives
- 1:30 The Doctors
- 2:00 Another World
- 2:30 You Don't Say
- 3:00 Match Game
- 3:25 NBC NEWS
- 3:30 Dennis The Menace
- 4:00 Afternoon Movie
- Mon - When the Redskins Ride
- Tues - Temptations
- Wed - The Young Don't Cry
- Thurs - Stranger Wore a Gun
- Fri - Tougher They Come
- 5:30 Huntley - Brinkley
- 6:00 Newswatch
- 10:00 Newswatch
- 10:30 Tonight Show

#### Monday

- 6:00 1968 Major League Baseball
- Tuesday
- 6:30 Billy Graham Crusade
- 7:30 Showcase of '68
- 8:00 Tuesday Night Movie Summer Stock

#### Wednesday

- 6:30 The Virginian
- 8:00 Billy Graham Crusade
- 9:00 Run For Your Life
- Thursday
- 6:30 Daniel Boone
- 7:30 Ironside
- 8:30 Dragnet
- 9:00 Dean Martin Presents The Gold Diggers

#### Friday

- 6:30 Banana Split Adventure
- 7:00 AFL Preview
- 7:30 AFL Football Cincinnati at San Diego

#### Saturday

- 7:00 Bugs Bunny
- 8:00 Super 6
- 8:30 Top Cat
- 9:00 The Flintstones
- 9:30 Banana Split Adventure
- 10:30 Under Dog
- 11:00 Birdman
- 11:30 Super President
- 12:00 Cartoon Carnival
- 1:00 Major League Baseball
- 4:00 World Series of Golf
- 5:30 Frank McGee Report
- 6:00 NEWSWATCH
- 6:30 The Saint
- 7:30 Get Smart
- 8:00 Johnny Carson Discovers Cypress Gardens
- 9:00 Miss America Pageant
- 11:00 NEWSWATCH
- 11:30 Star Trek
- 12:30 Late Date Theater Phantom of the Opera

#### Sunday

- 8:00 America Sings
- 8:30 See the USA
- 9:00 The Answer
- 9:30 Insight
- 10:00 This is the Life
- 10:30 The Christophers
- 11:00 Light of the World
- 11:30 Children's Gospel Hour
- 12:00 Meet the Press
- 12:30 Frontiers of Faith
- 1:00 AFL Football
- 4:00 World Series of Golf
- 5:30 Campaign & Candidate
- 6:00 Frank McGee
- 6:30 Walt Disney
- 7:30 Mothers-in-Law
- 8:00 Bonanza
- 9:00 High Chapparral
- 10:00 Newswatch
- 10:35 Tonight Show

#### KWTV-TV

Sunday - Sept. 1

- 8:00 Tom & Jerry
- 8:30 Underdog
- 9:00 Linus
- 9:30 Bugs Bunny
- 10:00 Herald of Truth
- 10:30 Church Service
- 11:30 Face the Nation
- 12:00 This is the Life
- 12:30 Film Feature
- 1:00 Modern TV
- 1:30 British Half Hour
- 2:00 Big Picture
- 2:30 Movie
- Kettles on Old MacDonald's Farm
- 4:30 Amateur Hour
- 5:00 21st Century
- 5:30 Harley Berg
- 6:00 Lassie
- 6:30 Gentle Ben
- 7:00 Ed Sullivan
- 8:00 Pro Football Vikings vs Cardinals
- 10:30 News, Weather, Sports
- 11:00 Movie Hush, Hush, Sweet Charlotte

#### Monday Thru Friday

- 7:30 CBS Morning News
- 7:55 Local News & Weather
- 8:00 Captain Kangaroo
- 9:00 Candid Camera
- 9:30 Beverly Hillbillies
- 10:00 Andy of Mayberry
- 10:30 Dick Van Dyke
- 11:00 Love of Life
- 11:25 CBS NEWS
- 11:30 Search for Tomorrow
- 11:45 Guiding Light
- 12:00 Ten Acres
- 12:30 As the World Turns
- 1:00 Love is Splendored
- 1:30 House Party
- 2:00 To Tell the Truth
- 2:25 CBS NEWS
- 2:30 Edge of Night
- 3:00 Secret Storm
- 3:30 Better Living
- 4:00 Dream House
- 4:30 Bewitched
- 5:00 General Hospital
- 5:30 Cronkite CBS NEWS
- 6:00 News-Weather-Sports

#### Monday

- 6:30 Gunsmoke
- 7:30 Lucy Show
- 8:00 Andy Griffith
- 8:30 Family Affair
- 9:00 Big Valley
- 11:30 FBI

#### Tuesday

- 6:30 Garrison's Gorillas
- 7:30 Showtime
- 8:30 NYPD
- 9:00 Charles Kuralt
- 9:30 TBA
- 10:00 News-Weather-Sports
- 10:30 Invaders
- 11:30 Alfred Hitchcock
- Wednesday
- 6:30 The Avengers
- 7:30 Beverly Hillbillies
- 8:00 Green Acres
- 8:30 He and She
- 9:00 Dome Delouse
- 10:00 News-Weather-Sports
- 10:30 Wednesday Night Movie Blue Hawaii

#### Thursday

- 6:30 Cimarron Strip
- 8:00 Movie Party Girl
- 10:00 News-Weather-Sports
- 10:30 Judd
- 11:30 Wells Fargo
- Friday
- 6:30 Wild Wild West
- 7:30 Gomer Pyle
- 8:00 TX Friday Movie Slim Carter
- 10:00 News-Weather-Sports
- 10:30 It Takes a Thief
- 11:30 Alfred Hitchcock
- Saturday and Sunday Will Be in Tuesday's Paper

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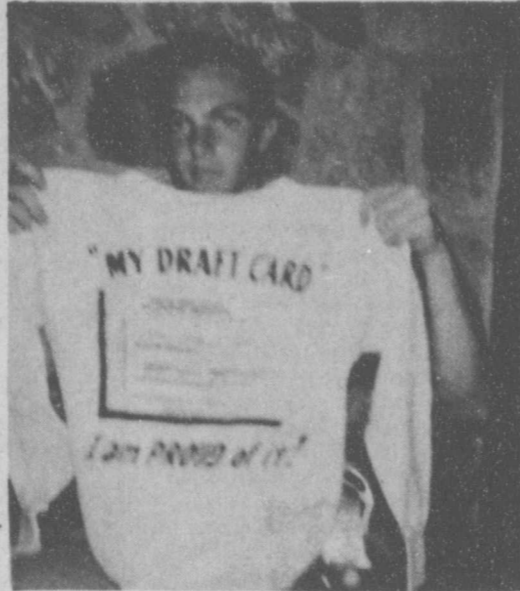




# Gatesville at a Glance

by Sally Jones

**PROUD TO SERVE . . .** Tommy Chambers is certainly proud to serve his country. The picture below, sent to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chambers of Gatesville, shows Tommy displaying a gift from a fellow naval man and a close friend, Glenn Ray. The shirt says, "MY DRAFT CARD" -- "I'm Proud of It", and sports an actual copy of Chambers' draft. In fact, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers have good reason to say: "My Son, I'm Proud of It."



Tommy, now serving as a fireman in the US Navy, in San Diego, California, is the third ranking in his class of electricians at the San Diego base. The 22-year old Gatesvillite is a 1965 graduate of Gatesville High School and a volunteer in the U.S. Navy.

**AT RIGHT, TOMMY DISPLAYS HIS SHIRT**

**VISITS MRS. POTTS . . .** Welcomed visitors recently in the home of Mrs. Evelyn Potts were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheir and Andy of Seabrook, Texas. Mrs. Sheir is the daughter of Mrs. Potts.

**RETURNS FROM NORTH CAROLINA . . .** Mrs. Clarence Sims of Gatesville, has returned to the city from a pleasant two-week visit with her son, Raymond, and his family, who reside in Weldon, North Carolina.

**NEW GIRL IN REAVIS CLAN . . .** Well, there are two proud parents in Copperas Cove this week and all the smiles are credited to a new princess in the Reavis family. Little Miss Kathy Dean Reavis was born August 27 in the Lampasas Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Decil Reavis of Copperas Cove. Equally happy and proud over the new arrival are Kathy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of Pidcoke and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reavis of Oakley, Texas.

**RECEIVES PIN FOR SERVICE . . .** Congratulations are in order for Charles A. Bond of Gatesville, this week. Mr. Bond received a pin August 23rd at Fort Hood for twenty years of loyal service to the Department of the Army. That's a fine honor at any age, but at 36 - the greatest!

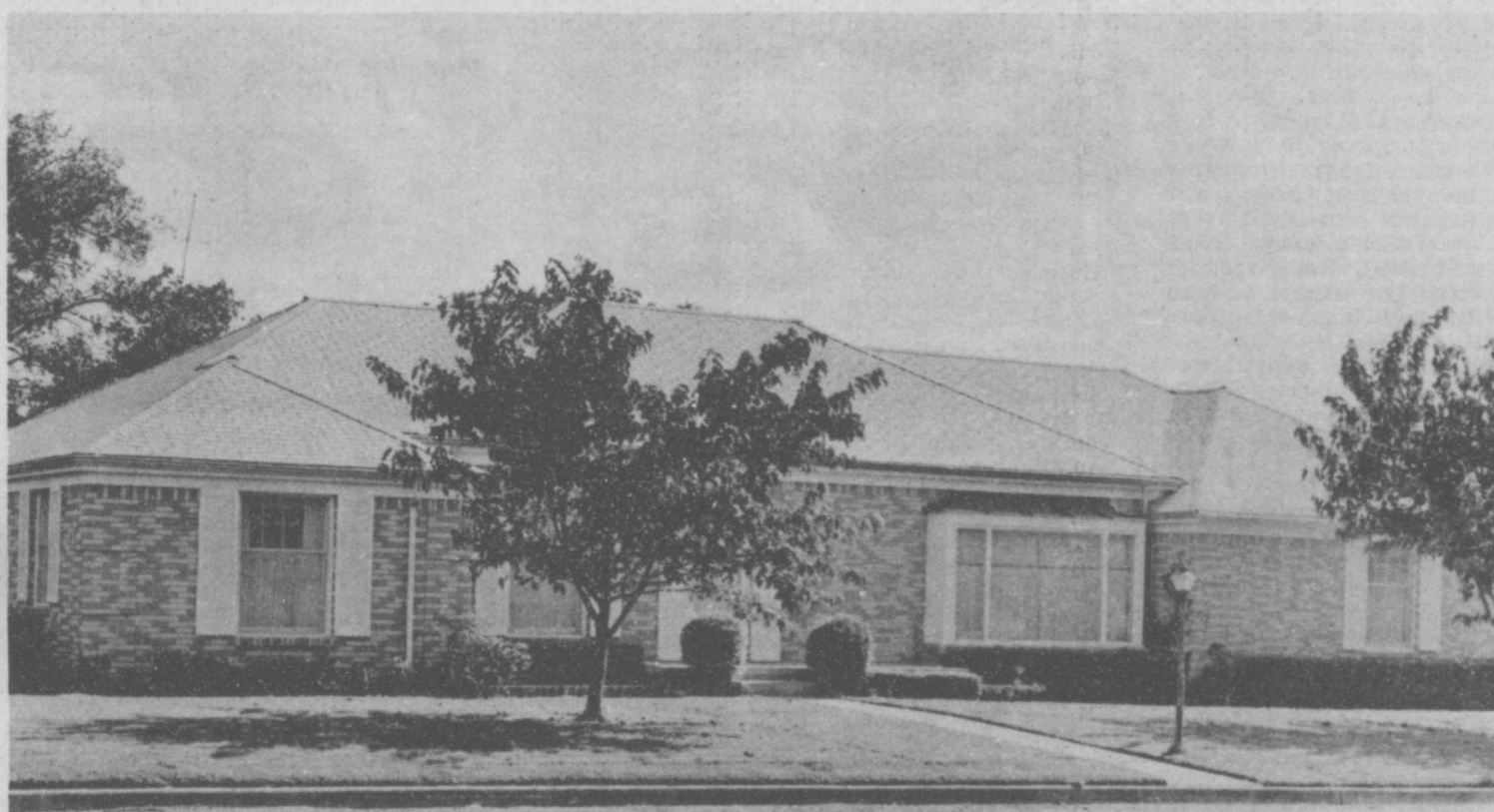
**DALLASITES HERE FOR WEDDING . . .** Visiting in Gatesville and Coryell County this week, were Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler B. Schley of Dallas. The Schleys' visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whigham and other family members while here for the wedding of Mrs. Schley's sister, Dorothy Culberson to Mr. Louie Dunbar of Belton.

**PHILADELPHIANS VISIT HERE . . .** Man, we've got some "Phillies" in Gatesville! Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mack and family have been enjoying a visit by Mr. and Mrs. George Fertig of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Fertig is their daughter, the former Miss Margaret Ann Mack.

**SIMPLICITY AND ELEGANCE BLENDED . . .** those words describe the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Black of Gatesville. The Black home is situated on a quiet street and reflects a similar mood. Perhaps the most striking aspect of the Black home is the bay window, located at right to the home entrance. An immaculately kept hedge complements the window area and a friendly, warm air is reflected by the very effective lighting near the entrance to the residence.

The E. R. Black home is particularly elegant and strikingly beautiful at night with its ornate "welcoming" lamps and two beautiful carriage lamps at each side of the recessed front area.

The landscaping of the home reflects the elegance of simplicity with shrubs and trees placed in "just the right" places. Drive by this fine home at 1104 Bridge Street, day or night and see for yourself how a home can be warm and friendly any hour of the day.



The E. R. Black Home

**PROUD GRANDPARENTS . . .** I think those two words could best describe Mrs. Uneva Freeman of Gatesville and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles of Levita this week. You see, Uneva and the Miles are the grandparents of a bouncing baby boy. Parents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miles of Waco. The couple named the new addition, Michael Joe Miles. The 8 pound 12 ounce future "football star" was born August 23 in Hillcrest Hospital in Waco. Congratulations, Joe and Jo Carol.

**VISIT FRANK COHAGANS . . .** Little visitors were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cohagan and Linda, this week. The tykes were Mark and David Durham of Houston. The boys like visiting their gramps and granny, so much that little Mark was quoted as saying, "Next year I'm gonna come to Gatesville the 3rd of June (the day the youngster gets out of school) and stay 'til August 31st. What better compliment could grandparents and aunt hear?"

**ATTENTION . . .** Clubs, Sunday School Classes, Brides, Bride-elects, Hosts, etc. Let us know about your up-coming events, weddings, engagements, parties, showers, anniversary celebrations, reunions - We're interested in YOU - and so is Coryell County - so get your news and pictures in the NEWS!

**CONGRATULATIONS DOROTHY . . .** One of my favorite people receives my most sincere congratulations this week. My wishes go out to a fine lady, whom I love dearly, Mrs. Louie Dunbar, formerly Miss Dorothy Culberson of Gatesville. Dorothy was married Saturday, August 24th in Temple, to Mr. Louie Dunbar of Belton.

**B.U. WILL GET TWO . . .** Yes, adding to the ranks of Baylor University's fall enrollment will be two eager young students, both grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eubanks of Gatesville.

The students - to be Miss Margaret McCoy of Lampasas and Zolie Carl Steakley of Colorado City. Both Margaret and Carl were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Eubanks and are making final plans for school at Baylor University this fall.

Steakley will be the fourth Eubanks grandchild to attend the famed Waco institution. Miss McCoy will be a junior this fall. Also visiting the Eubanks were Jerald Graves and Miss Jean Keith of Colorado City and Miss Jane McCoy of Lampasas.

**Miss Culberson - Mr. Dunbar Exchange Vows**

Miss Dorothy Culberson and Mr. Louie Dunbar were married August 24th in the First Presbyterian Church of Temple with Rev. Walter Keenan, officiating. Those present at the wedding were members of the couple's immediate family. After a wedding trip to the

Evant Couple To Wed September 22

Mr. and Mrs. Donald I. Moore of 3300 North 29th Street, Waco, announce the engagement of their daughter, Delia, to Terry Walls, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Walls of Evant.

The couple will exchange vows September 22nd at 2:00 p.m. in the Miller Chapel of Tidwell Bible Building at Baylor University.

Miss Moore graduated from Richfield High School, Waco, where she was a member of Pan American Student Forum, Varsity Choir, Student Council, Senior Social Committee, secretary of Future Nurses Club, home room secretary three years and office assistant. She was a member of Baylor Rodeo Club at Baylor University and is employed as a clerk and typist for General Tire and Rubber Company.

Mr. Walls graduated as valedictorian of Evant High School where he was a member of Future Farmers of America. He graduated with highest honors, taking a degree in agriculture from Tarleton State College in Stephenville. He was a member of Los Caballeros rodeo club, the rodeo team, Student Council parliamentarian and was named sophomore favorite, distinguished student and to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. He teaches in Evant Schools and ranches.

Attend The Church Of Your Choice This Sunday

Miss Wanda Jean Buth - Mr Clayton Brazleton Wed In Home Ceremony

Miss Wanda Jean Buth and Mr. Clayton Brazleton exchanged nuptial vows, Friday, August 23rd at 8:00 p.m. in a double-ring ceremony held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buth, the bride's parents.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brazleton of Trent.

Rev. Edgar McNeely, pastor of the East Bridge Baptist Church, officiated at the ceremony. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal wedding gown, with a bell-shaped skirt of imported white lace over traditional bridal satin. A full-length train fell from her shoulders. The wrist-length sleeves were fastened with tiny pearl buttons. The round neckline was accented with a pendant necklace, a gift of the bride's mother. Her fingertip veil of illusion was held by a white satin band.

The bride carried a wedding bouquet of feathered carnations and white streamers. The tradition of "something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue" was carried out by the bride. Miss Ann Hollingsworth provided a sixpence for her shoe.

Serving as maid of honor was Miss Ann Hollingsworth of Dawson, cousin of the bride. Miss Hollingsworth wore a street-length dress of white lace over yellow satin. Joe Kotrlak of Ballinger, served as best man.

The bride's mother chose a gold and brown two-piece knit suit. The bridegroom's mother wore a heather blue dress. They each wore a carriage of white carnations.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Buth home.

The bride's chose colors of green and white were carried out in the reception decorations. The refreshment table was laid with white lace over green and centered with a floral arrangement of white asters and greenery.

A four-tiered wedding cake and mint green punch were



Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Brazleton

served by Miss Ann Hollingsworth and Mrs. Carol Buth, sister-in-law of the bride.

Miss Glenda Brazleton, of Sweetwater, niece of the groom, was in charge of the bride's book.

For going away, the bride chose a two-piece green suit accented with a white and green polka dot scarf and matching

accessories. After a short wedding trip, the couple are at home in Gatesville.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brazleton and family of Trent, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brazleton and family of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Buth and family of Bryan.

## HOME DEMONSTRATION REPORT

White sales this time of year can offer bargains in towels. But how can you decide what to buy to get a bargain?

Check the fiber count, the number of warp (lengthwise) threads plus the number of filling (crosswise) threads in one square inch. More threads per inch means better and faster drying.

The number of and height of the loops makes the difference in quality. However, long loops which are far apart do not make a good towel. Long or short loops, close together, make the best towel. This makes it more absorbent.

The background for the loops should be firm and closely woven. Examine the weave by

holding the towel up to the light. The pin holes of light should be tiny and even.

Check the selvage. A good towel has extra threads in the selvage. This makes it stronger. Cheap towels usually have hemmed edges, expensive towels may have one hemmed edge. The hemmed selvage should be sewn with small, even stitches.

If the selvage is properly finished, regardless of the kind, it will give satisfactory wear for the life of the towel. Overredging, which is the overlocked stitching on all four sides of a wash cloth, should be close and evenly stitched to avoid any raw edges or threads from showing.

Quality towels often come in three degrees of softness depending on the fineness of the yarn used.

Different grades are appropriate for different purposes. For the children in the family, choose a small, medium quality towel that is easier for them to handle. Men usually prefer a large, heavy towel with rough texture and women usually prefer the luxurious deep-piled soft towels for bath use. Remember to consider ease and cost of laundering in choosing size and weight of towels. Think about the handling job if you do your own laundry. Also think about storage space when deciding how many towels to keep on hand.



BY MAGGI

Young amateur musicians, those up to the ages of 21, now number approximately 17,100,000 in the United States, whereas adult amateurs number 26,800,000. This was an increase of more than 1 1/2 million over the previous year for the youngsters, and about 700,000 for the adults. Credit is given to new methods and philosophies in music teaching, more leisure time for adults, and the growing awareness by parents and educators that music belongs in the lives of young people, and contributes to their well-roundedness.

At a press seminar on sports and physical fitness attended by high school newspaper reporters, a New York City dermatologist advised that exercise and sports are good for the skin and for skin conditions, such as acne. It seems the profuse perspiration loosens blackheads. However, the dermatologist said, the beneficial effects of profuse perspiration are counteracted if the individual doesn't wash properly to remove dried perspiration and superficial bacteria which have accumulated on the skin.

Unless you are really an expert and determined shopper, it is often wise to ignore the end-of-the-season clothing sales. It takes real willpower not to settle for a color, size or style that is not quite right, when you find a terrific mark down. Or you may come home with a fantastic buy in a raincoat when what you really needed was a suit!

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# Miss Marcia Gail Storm — Mr Benny Raymond Wallace Repeat Vows



MRS. BENNY RAYMOND WALLACE

Miss Marcia Gail Storm became the bride of Benny Raymond Wallace, Friday evening, August 23, in the First United Methodist Church of Gatesville, with Rev. Bob Richmond officiating the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Judge and Mrs. Norman C. Storm of Gatesville. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Wallace of Hillsboro.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white peau de sole designed and made by her mother. Re-embroidered Chantilly lace covered the bodice which extended to form the scalloped collar and the bell sleeves. The slim A-line skirt featured lace motifs down each side and was accented by a full detachable chapel length train trimmed with lace insertion and outlined with lace scallops.

The bride's bouffant veil of illusion was held by a coil of satin rosebuds studded with seed pearls. Her bouquet was a cascade of white split carnations, stephanotis, and Eng-

lish ivy centered with a white orchid, which she wore as she

left the reception.

The bride's mother chose an aqua lace suit with matching accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations. The bridegroom's mother wore a pink silk shantung dress with matching pink accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Miss Ann Kiker of Waxahachie, was maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Mrs. VanNecessary of Waco. They wore identical floor-length gowns of striking pink delustered peau de soie fashioned with empire bodice and A-line skirts. A striking pink peau de soie cabbage rose and rosebuds held their veils. Both attendants carried a nosegay of pink and white gladioli.

Steve Wallace, of Norfolk, Virginia, served as his brother's best man. Edward Rather of Waco was groomsmen. Ushers were Steven Storm, brother of the bride, Marvin Courtney of Winnie and Gary Turk of Dallas.

Miss Orpa Mayo, organist, furnished the wedding music. Following the ceremony, the bride's parents were hosts for a reception at the Chateau Ville Restaurant. The bride's table, covered with white satin, was centered with an arrangement of white gladioli and pink carnations.

Members of the houseparty were Miss Louise Sherer of Weatherford, Miss Sue Yows of Gatesville and Mrs. Arnold Bethke of Winnie. Sammy Wallace, brother of the groom, and Mrs. Edward Rather distributed rice bags. For going away, the bride chose a turquoise suit with white accessories. Following a wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple is residing in Denton.

Mrs. Wallace is a graduate of Gatesville High School and is now a senior at North Texas State University, where she is majoring in elementary education. Mr. Wallace is also a senior at North Texas State University. He is now employed with King's in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Wallace were hosts for a rehearsal dinner for the wedding party Thursday evening at the Chateau Ville Restaurant.

## Evant Bridal Shower Honors Miss Kathleen Sugg

A beautifully arranged bridal shower was hosted at Evant Church of Christ's Fellowship room, Saturday afternoon, August 17, from three until four thirty, honoring Miss Kathleen Sugg, bride-elect of Lee Otis Edwards. Serving the refreshments were Misses Donna Johnson, Darlene Sheldon and Janice Daniels. Miss Patsy Firestone presided at the bride's book. An arrangement of blue and white flowers centered the serving table laid in all white. In the receiving line, together with the bride-elect was her mother, Mrs. Robert Sugg, Mrs. Lee O. Edwards, the prospective bridegroom's mother and Mrs. Richard Weeks, sister of the bride-to-be, and Mrs. Gertrude Daniels, grandmother of the groom-to-be.

Co-hostesses included Mrs. Claud Griggs, Mrs. L.L. Smith, Mrs. J.D. Henderson, Mrs. Truett Thompson, Mrs. C.W. Firestone, Mrs. Jim Kenchelo, Mrs. Frank Shave, Mrs. Buel Webb, Mrs. Marvin Rowland and Mrs. Don Johnson.

## MOUNTAIN NEWS by MRS. J.H. JEFFREY

### WRITES HELD FOR MRS. FLORA MURPHY

Mr. and Mrs. Frison Murphy, David and Gene, attended funeral services for their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Flora Murphy, in Hope Arkansas, Friday and they spent the weekend in Cotton Valley, La., visiting Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson returned home Sunday, after spending some two weeks visiting relatives in Calif. Miss Tammie Barton returned home from Hillcrest Hospital, Thursday and she is feeling fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Barton and John were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited Roy Stovall in Coryell Hospital, Sunday, and they also visited Mrs. Edgar Petty, Mrs. Amanda Edmondson, Mrs. E.E. Ballard and Mrs. Ernest Barrington in the Convalescing homes in Gatesville.

Visiting over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bus Barton were Mr. and Mrs. Joe New of Lawton, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Marshall of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. George Shipman of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Jones and family and Junior Loer and they were all Sunday dinner guests in the Bus Barton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Willingham and family attended the J.A. Brown family reunion in San Saba, Sunday.

Mrs. Knox Whitt and Mrs. Marion Sanders were visiting in Waco, Saturday.

Neely Adair attended the rodeo in Austin, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher visited in Cedar Park, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Penn Hopson.

### Library News

CERTIFICATES AWARDED

The Texas State summer reading program was closed with a party at the Public Library, Tuesday morning.

Reading certificates were earned by forty-three boys and girls who read twelve or more books apiece. Book prizes were given for those reading the most books and for the ones who read the most non-fiction books.

In the 7 to 9 age group, Jim Bob Kafer received first prize for reading 112 books and Johnny Hendricks received the second prize for reading 110 books.

For the 10 to 12 age group, Judy Kafer read 105 books to win the first prize and Sheryl Stewart received the second prize for reading 80 books. Tommy Brock won the prize for reading 15 non-fiction books out of a total of 41 books read.

Door prizes of books and refreshments were furnished to the twenty-four children attending the party by the Friends of the Library Association. Reading certificates may be picked up at the library by those who earned them but were unable to attend the party.

Miss Leisa Echert has returned to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J.C. Coyle, after spending most of the summer with relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Ben Clement, Jr. accompanied relatives to Grand Junction, Colorado, to attend the wedding of a niece, Miss Linda Jones, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gerald Jones.

## Concludes 1968 Dallas Summer Musicals

# "Fiddler" At Music Hall

The warm-hearted, funny show, "Fiddler on the Roof", will close the Dallas Summer Musicals 1968 season, August 27 through September 8. A national touring company, headed by Joe Cusanelli will present this musical comedy block-buster which won nine Antoinette Perry "Tony" Awards and the title of "Best Musical of the Year" when it played over 700 performances on Broadway in 1964-66. It later re-opened in New York where it is still playing.

"Fiddler on the Roof" was directed and choreographed by Jerome Robbins, who earlier won international acclaim for his choreography for "West Side Story" and his own company, "Ballets U.S.A.". The book is by Joseph Stein and is based on the stories of Sholom Aleichem. Stein also wrote the musical shows, "Take Me Along", "Mr Wonderful" and "Plain and Fancy". Jerry Bock wrote the music and Sheldon Harnick the lyrics, a team performing the same tasks for the Pulitzer prize-winning "Fiorello!", "Tenderloin" and "She Loves Me".

Called by many "the finest work of the musical theatre of the last decade," "Fiddler on the Roof" has become internationally known through companies in London, Amsterdam, Finland, Israel, Denmark, Swe-

den, Australia and Japan.

The story of Tevye, a Jewish dairyman with five marriageable daughters, and his problems of living in Czarist Russia in the early 1900's, is universal in its appeal. Tevye's life is shaky, relying on the traditional life of his village, a tradition that is being shat-

tered by the younger generation. His faith is in a very personal God and his unique philosophy of life not only solves most of his problems, but makes him a symbol of eternal man triumphant even in defeat.

With all of this depth of meaning, "Fiddler on the

Roof" is in essence a very funny show, filled with rich humor, colorful dances and gay lilted music. Among the musical numbers already well-known are "Tradition" which says a lot in song; "Miracle of Miracles", an enchanting song; "Sunrise Sunset", "Now I Have Everything", "Do You Love Me" and "Far From The Home I Love", with its deep yearning.

Production numbers are exciting, including the "Wedding Dance", the "Bottle Dance" with the male dancers actually carrying bottles on their heads, and the exuberant "To Life".

Joe Cusanelli has played Tevye on Broadway and with an earlier national company on tour. A veteran of over 100 productions with the St. Louis Municipal Opera Company, he played on Broadway in "Can-Can", and toured with the national companies of "Call Me Mister", "Peter Pan", "Paint Your Wagon", and "Die Fledermaus". He was selected by the show's producer Harold Prince, from a number of other former "Tevye" players, after many months of deliberation, because of his fine presence on stage and his real feeling for the role.

Janet Pavak, a Metropolitan Opera Star and wife of Joe Cusanelli off-stage, plays his on-stage wife in "Fiddler on the Roof", the sharp-tongued but warm-hearted Golde. "Fiddler on the Roof" has been seen only once before in Dallas, in 1966, when a national touring company played for two weeks during the State Fair of Texas.

Tickets for all performances of this year's "Fiddler" are now available at all Titcher's Department Stores.



Joe Cusanelli as the colorful Tevye heads the distinguished cast to be seen in the hilarious Broadway musical comedy, "Fiddler On The Roof," at the State Fair Music Hall in Dallas, Aug. 27 to Sept. 8. The new national company of this winner of 9 Tony Awards and the title "Best Musical of the Year" will open its tour at Dallas as the 6th and last show of the 1968 Summer Musicals season.

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As football season approaches Cindy's thoughts are aimed at "THE" outfits for the 1968 Hornet Clashes. Cindy just can't decide whether she likes the all-leather look or a striking leather - wool combination! Which ever outfit she chooses, Cindy can't go wrong when she completes her wardrobe with a smartly tailored coat fashioned of corduroy.

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## Mound News By Mrs. Walter Wiggins

### THE "MANOS" REUNION TO BE HELD IN EVANT

The "Manos" Reunion will be held at Evant, on Monday, September 2nd (Labor Day). All relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davidson and Jeanette assisted their son, and brother, Karl Ray and family, to move to Huntsville, Karl, who recently graduated from Connally Tech, in Waco, is planning to enter school in Huntsville and he also expects to work part time. Mrs. Davidson also expects to work. Their son, Dowd, will enter a nursery. The Perry Davidson's at-

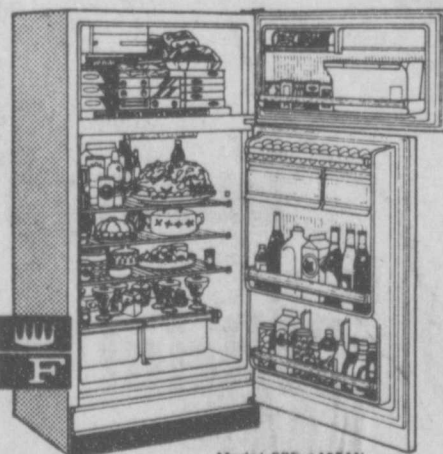
tended the HemisFair in San Antonio, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blanchard went to Houston, Friday to visit the R.F. McNeil family and also the Charles Blanchard family in Beaumont. The Charles Blanchard's have recently moved from Hurst to Beaumont, where Mr. Blanchard is manager of a new "Drive In" Theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby S. Hopson accompanied Lieut. Commander and Mrs. John S. Groat and daughters to San Marcos to visit the Paul Hopson family. The Groats are leaving this week for Huntington Beach, Calif., where they are to be stationed. The Groats have recently moved from Key West,

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**Power Sweep**

Power and good speed. Chris Bone 199 pound sophomore proved to be an outside threat against the Cameron Yoemen, Tuesday night, at the Hornets' first scrimmage. Bone picked up 55 yards on the first offensive series for the Hornets.

**Football**

pleted some short passes, but the defense was always in position to make a quick tackle and hold Yoeman passing for short gains.

Both Coach Gunlock and Bell described Bubba Neel as "pound for pound the toughest football player we have." Neel played part of the time as a linebacker where he jarred ball carriers on many plays. Bubba also played a portion of the scrimmage at halfback, where he proved to be carrying the same bone-jarring philosophy to the Yoemen defense.

The Hornets will be in front of the hometown crowd tonight at 8:00 p.m. in an intersquad scrimmage, which will pit elements of the varsity against each other and a second contest between elements of the B team.

Coaches will divide the talent as equally as possible for the

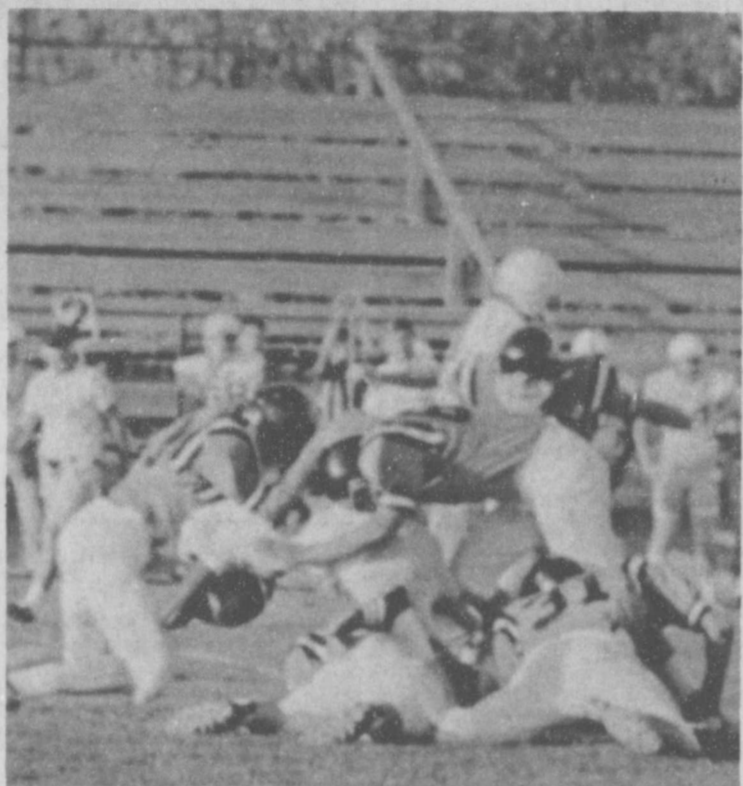
scrimmage. There will be an introduction of all the players and their parents at tonight's scrimmage.

Come on out and see the 1968 Hornets, there is no admission charge.

Coach Gunlock anticipates a good test of the Hornets when they scrimmage Weatherford Tuesday, September 3rd at 6 p.m. in Hillsboro. The Weatherford team has two good lines that will provide a test for both offense and defense of the Hornets.

The Weatherford team will display four good runningbacks to test out the Hornet tacklers and pass defense.

The scrimmage should point out areas that will need more attention. Coach Bell pointed out Thursday that the Hornets will have a full week following the second scrimmage to improve before their season opener against Robinson.



On defense, the Hornets proved to be unyielding to the Yoemen attack. Pictured above, five Hornets take aim at the ball carrier and stop him for a short gain. The Hornets produced a fumble with their hard tackling on the above play.



Thy word is a lamp to my feet, and a light to my path. —(Psalms 119:105).

When we do not know how to proceed, when it seems difficult for us to make a decision, let us for the moment let go our attempts to resolve the matter that is troubling us. The right decision, the right guidance will come by letting ourselves be channels for the light and intelligence of God within us.



**IS YOUR BOAT IN THE WAY?**

A well placed boat is just as important as an accurate cast, and the hand on the throttle may be as responsible for subduing a trophy fish as the trembling fingers locked around the rod.

Proper boat handling, say the fishing experts at Mercury outboards, plays a vital role in fishing. Unfortunately, they add, its true significance often becomes apparent too late . . . after a good fish has been lost.

Most anglers are reasonably adept at handling their rigs while trolling and casting. And hooking and netting ordinary size fish present no special problems.

However, things change quickly when the once-in-a-lifetime lunker comes along. Everyone focuses attention on the battle, and tends to forget that the boat can be a big aid to a happy outcome.

Some guides run their motors during the entire battle to help the fisherman hold the fish out in unobstructed water and to turn with the fish. When the fish shows signs of tiring and resistance slackens, the guide backs off steadily so that continual pressure can be exerted without letting the fish get a second wind up near the hull.

Large fish such as pike, salmon, trout and muskies have a peculiar affection for boat bottoms — particularly when about to be landed. They may slide docilely alongside, appearing completely whipped. Then, splash . . . down and under.

Unless the angler plunges his rod deep into the water, and the helmsman swings the boat quickly, say the Mercury lads, something's going to get snagged and the escape made good.

Since you can't keep a big fish away from the boat, keep the boat away from the fish until he's definitely beaten.



Good Shooting! Henry Brim of Gatesville, achieved a special honor for golfers recently while on vacation in Glendora, California.

Henry ventured on to the Glendora Golf Course for a relaxing round of golf with Bob

Brim, R.S. Brim and Robert Brim.

It was just a lot of fun until Henry hit a seven iron on the 5th hole 158 yards into the hole. Yes, a Hole-in-One!

"It hit short of the green and bounced up on the green,"

reported Brim. "It is on the green, its going to be close, IT WENT IN!" screamed one of the foresome.

It does not take long to turn a fun-filled afternoon into an indescribable, historical hole-in-one.



**BACK TO COLLEGE**

Autumn is just around the corner, and so is back-to-school time for millions. Many of you will be going away to college, packing up clothes, shoes, cosmetics and shaving gear, and trying to remember the thousand and one items you'll need away from home. Before you close that suitcase, check these suggestions in handy spray form from the Aerosol Division of the Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association.

(1) Keep your closets and

dresser drawers fresh with an aerosol sachet. They come in a variety of fragrances, from sweet floral scents to a masculine lime or sandalwood, so your clothes—and you—will always be "nice to be near".

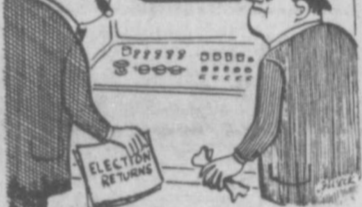
(2) Going away to school is

meeting new people—professors, future boy—and girlfriends, sorority and fraternity members. First impressions are important, and what makes a better impression than a shiny pair of shoes? Pack a spray to keep your leather footwear glossy, and an aerosol cleaner and restorer for suede.

(3) Starch is a must—there's no one but you to keep your clothes clean and pressed now. Aerosol starch is quick and easy, and no problem to store.

(4) Make room in the suitcase for a spray antiseptic. It's wonderful for the little cuts and burns that are part of daily living, and less provident roommates will call you a lifesaver!

(5) Last but certainly not least, don't forget all the personal grooming sprays you normally use. Take your cologne, hair spray, deodorant, shaving cream—and add an aerosol foot refresher. On a big college campus your feet may need it!



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**Pearl News** By Mrs. Lyda Cooper

A linen shower for Maggie Dever, bride-elect of Eugene Franklin, will be held at the Pearl Community Center, on September 14, at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, who were patients in Coryell Hospital a few days last week, have been moved to a rest home in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bynum, Norma and Harvey, Lu Lee and Ronnie Barnard visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bynum, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manning and Craig visited Mrs. Mary Chafin in Lampasas, last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Addie Kirschvink and Violet Campbell of Waco, visited a few days last week with their mother, Mrs. Maggie Campbell and their brother, Jim Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones, Mrs. Mable Jones and Mrs. Allie Bynum were in Marble Falls last Saturday, sightseeing and visiting.

Mrs. Willie B. Hoover, of Austin, spent the weekend visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fillmon and Bethel.

Mrs. Mable Jones, of Port Arthur, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Bynum and other relatives.

Those visiting Mrs. Leota Graham, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Graham and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Graham and children of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Graham and children of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene McClelland and children of Pampa, visited recently with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady Tension and children, of Odessa, visited their parents and grandparents, the Boone Wilkinsons'. Mary and Pam remained for a longer visit while their parents are getting moved to Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Medart, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Medart and boys spent the weekend at Buchanan Lake.

Those visiting Lyda Cooper, Sunday, were Bill and Beth Weeks, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Ellie Hayes, Mrs. Ama Williamson and Estelle Cooper of Gatesville.

Friends and relatives have been anxious over condition of Arnold Whitt, who had heart surgery in the hospital in Austin last week. Latest report that he stood the operation and the doctor thought it was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones are excited about being great-grandparents - so are Mr. and Mrs. Creed Oney. No particulars on either one.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Medart went to Houston, last Friday, where they attended a ballgame at the Astrodome, then on to San Antonio to attend HemisFair.

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WITH US COMBAT AIRFORCES, Vietnam - Sgt. Clifford R. Bates, son of Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Bates of Pearl, has received the U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal at Phan Rang AB, Vietnam.  
Sergeant Bates was decorated for meritorious service as an aircraft mechanic at Phan Rang. He is a member of the Pacific Air Forces.  
The sergeant, a graduate of Pecos High School, has studied at Arlington State College.  
His wife, Mary, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Cox of 2019 41st St., Lubbock, Texas.

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