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Santa Claus And Children



Santa Claus

Santa Claus is a magnet when he comes to town. He will make one more appearance this Saturday afternoon before he makes final visit to each and every home in the world. Pictured above (left) Santa talks with little Anglia Arnett.



In the second picture are Wesley and Darli Whisenhunt with jolly old Santa Claus. Christmas time is a time for the joys of giving and of fellowship with friends.

Ministerial Association Elects New Officers For 1969

The Gatesville Ministerial Association, in their December meeting, elected new officers. The following were elected: Bob Richmond, Chairman; Joe Broadway, Vice-Chairman and Royce Christmas, Secretary-Treasurer.

The Rev. Ed Robt of Abilene will be the evangelist. The outgoing President of the Association is Father Anthony Weber of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church.

Francine Morrison To Present Christmas Program in Gatesville



Mrs. Francine Morrison will come again to Gatesville to give her wonderful message in song to her faithful friends; who know and appreciate her generosity to Christian Spirit. Mrs. Morrison is well known in this area.

Representative Poage Commends Nation's Farmers For Research Program

The chairman of the Agriculture Committee today commended cotton farmers for their progress in research and promotion.

High-Speed Chase Results in the Arrest of Three

Three young men lead County, City, and State law enforcement officers on a high speed chase Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p.m.

The farmer's money is being put to work in a highly effective manner, citing progress toward development of all-cotton durable press fabrics. Durable press is a major consideration in markets involving 4.2 million bales of cotton.

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Millsap Graduates from DPS School

Tehbert Millsap, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Millsap of Gatesville, finished his Department of Public Safety School.



Tehbert Millsap

November 22 in Austin, Texas. Upon finishing D. P. S. School, Tehbert was signed as Highway patrolman at Brownfield, Texas.

Two GHS Band Students Named to All District Band

Gatesville High School Band entries in the district competition in Brady, Saturday, landed two members of the 1968-69 All District Band.

County Fair Ground Work Underway

County Agent, Don Callahan is presently making the necessary arrangements for judges and show chairmen for the annual Coryell County Fair scheduled for February 7-8.

Gatesville High School Receives 68-69 Accreditation

The Gatesville High School of the Gatesville Independent School District was accredited for the 1968-69 school year by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools at their annual meeting in Atlanta, Georgia, in early December.

County Fair

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Jr. High Footballers Honored At Banquet

The Gatesville Junior High School annual football banquet honored seventy-five youthful footballers and their coaches Friday night.



Rev. Bob Richmond

Internal Revenue Announces Gun Legislation

The publication of final regulations under the new Federal Gun Law was announced today by the Internal Revenue Service. They will appear in a Federal Register of December 14, 1968.

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The fete held at the Gatesville Junior High School dining hall recognized twenty-five eighth grade varsity athletes, fifty intramural athletes, coaches, cheerleaders, and managers.

This year's eighth grade varsity ended the season with a 3-4 win-loss record. The team lost to only two opponents this year but lost twice to both teams.

Receiving awards were these members of the eighth grade varsity: Billy K. Bartlett, Jerry A. Bell, Eddie J. Benson, Jerry L. Blanchard, Terry G. Blanchard, Bucky R. Bonner, Johnny S. Gann, Darrell K. Harrington, John E. Harrington, Johnny J. Herring, Fred L. McElroyfield, Don L. Jones, Andy R. Massingill, Oren L. Montgomer, Richard L. Moore, Jimmy C. Neyland, Robbie A. Nichols, Allen D. Place, Darrell R. Short, Donald L. Smith, Ricky D. Snoddy, Teddy N. Tatum, Dale C. Tippit, Gerald W. Weir and Mark A. Williamson.

Intramural player who received certificates were Marshall Mustangs--Robert Johns, Larry Brazzil, Gary Brown, Dwayne Carley, Paul Collier, Bates Donaldson, Tim Galloway, Terry Johnson, Bobby Jones, Randy Jones, Gary Keeton, Charles Knapp, Dan Robbins, Danny Smalley, Jimmie Smith, Bruce Walker, Eldon Willie and Clifford Worthy; Arnold Longhorns--Ralph Brown, Steve Ashby, Mike Blanchard, Douglas Brazzil, Mike Tatum, Jimmy Davidson, Randy Smith, Troy Chasteen, Larry Walker, Brad Brock, Bobby Herring, Truman Franks, Charles Williams, Jan Bone, David Kellerman, Russell Wright and Jimmy Glenn; Woodson Red Raiders--Randy Kennedy, David Saunders, Jessie Southerland, Reed Brown, Paul Hodges, Dennis Thompson, Dennis Struempler, Gene Fleetwood, David Byrom, Bruce Sims, Cody Fulcher, James Hodges, Davy Nichols, Mike Magee and Hal Knight.



Coach Kenneth Marshall at extreme left, presents the eighth grade varsity with their certificates during the Junior High School Football Banquet. The group of twenty-five players

and two managers completed the season with a 3-4 win-loss record.

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IN SERVICE

S/Sgt. Johnson Receives Award

TACOMA, WASHINGTON -- Staff Sergeant Ronald H. Johnson, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herzog of Yamhill, Oregon, has been recognized for helping his former unit, the 325th Fighter Wing, earn the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

Sergeant Johnson is now a security police supervisor in the Military Airlift Command's 62nd Military Airlift Wing at McChord AFB, Washington, and will wear the distinctive service ribbon as a permanent decoration.

The 325th was cited for exceptionally meritorious achievement in the accomplishment of training requirements for air combat tactics and in-flight refueling operations.

The sergeant, who attended Yamhill Carlton Union High School, studied at Fort Steilacoom Community College, Tacoma, Washington.

His wife, Nancy, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gauer of Route 2, Oglesby, Texas.

Airman Farris in "Beef Trust"

USS KITTY HAWK (at sea)-- Airman Clarence J. Farris, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Farris of Route 2, E-vant, Texas, participated in operation "Beef Trust" aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk off the coast of Southern California.

The last major First Fleet exercise of the year, the eight-day exercise involved 28 ships and 31 air squadrons, including four Canadian units.

Designed to prepare U. S. units for the conditions encountered in Southeast Asia and throughout the Western Pacific, the exercise consisted of missile firing exercises, bombing practice, close air support and anti-submarine warfare.

Cruisers and destroyers fired their guns at the San Clemente Island Range and at a target hull the Ex- USS Jesse Rutherford, while guided missile ships tested their batteries against drone aerial targets in the Pacific Missile Range.

Carrier and land based aircraft flew strikes against the San Clemente Island Range, while the entire task force guarded against two U. S. Submarines playing aggressors.

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purchaser's place of residence and be acknowledged by him. Licensed collectors, who are limited by the Gun Control Act to transactions in curios and relics, will find in the regulations the tests for determining whether a gun falls into this category.

The regulations also point out that clubs furnishing ammunition to be used on their premises in skeet, trap and target shooting activities may do so without a dealer's license. The ammunition may also be furnished to participants under 18, though the new law pro-

Cotton From Page 1

ing given the program by growers and those responsible for collections.

"As you know," he said, "the 1967-68 crop was very short--down to 7.3 million bales. However, collections to date total almost 97 per cent of ginnings.

"The cooperation of first buyers played an important role in this success story, and they are commended for the contribution they are making to the program by collecting the dollar per bale."

For 1969 the producer trustees of Cotton Producers Institute have budgeted \$10 million for research and promotion, contingent upon collections from the 1968-69 crop. This represents a 25 per cent increase over 1968.

The House Agriculture Committee chairman pointed out that the self-help effort was a favorable influence in the successful battle to obtain an extension of the government farm program.

"With farmers a small, diminishing minority in the nation," he warned, "it is getting harder and harder to get legislation in behalf of agriculture and especially in behalf of cotton. There are many in Congress who question the worth of saving cotton if it is going to be a heavy, perpetual drain on the Treasury."

"In my judgment, the fact that cotton farmers were putting up their own money provided strong proof that they intend to become competitive in the market place, and that they deserve further government assistance over a reasonable period of time in reaching that objective."

hibits sales of guns and ammunition to anyone below that age, such transfer not being considered a sale. Included in the regulations are details on the preparation of the records to be completed by a dealer for each firearms transaction. To further aid dealers in complying with the new law, illustrations of required firearms and ammunition acquisition and disposition records are shown.

The regulations implement those sections of the recently enacted Gun Control Act of 1968, that go into effect December 16, to provide firearms and ammunition control assistance to Federal, state and local law enforcement agencies in their fight against crime. They also cover part of the

earlier enacted Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 dealing with the unlawful possession or receipt of firearms by persons such as criminals and fugitives from justice.



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IRELAND NEWS

by Mrs. Joe Faubion



ORDINATION SERVICES TO BE HELD SUNDAY

Ordination services for Jerry Rains, pastor of the Ireland Baptist Church, will be held at the church, Sunday afternoon, Dec. 15, at three p.m. All pastors and deacons are invited; also anyone else interested.

PERSONALS

Dale Perry of Plano visited Friday with his grandmother, Mrs. Zola Williams. Recent visitors with Mrs. Ada Hardcastle were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Walker and son of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Walker of Oregon. Those who visited with Mr.

and Mrs. O. K. Davis recently were Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Davis and Mrs. Steeley Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Davis Jr., and family of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Faubion and Tommy, Mrs. Zola Williams and Troy accompanied by Mrs. Francis Miller of Gatesville, visited Sunday in Avalon with Mr. and Mrs. Max Griffith and family.

Mrs. Emma Neyland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Jones and family and with Mr. Jones and with Mrs. Catherine Laing in Mosheim.

Mr. Olden Neyland returned to his home in Converse, Friday, after spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Emma Neyland.

MOUND NEWS

Mr. McHargue and Miss Ima Fellers visited Mrs. McHargue in the hospital Monday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Green in the hospital where Mr. Green was a patient. Mr. Green's condition was not so good. His wife and sisters have been staying with him. Mrs. W. S. Garnett left Wednesday morning for Austin to spend a few days visiting relatives.

LOST & FOUND

LOST: A Roan Bull Yearling, was lost on Coryell Creek about a week ago. Please notify Jim Nichols of any information.

Food For Thought

Mrs. B.A. Snoddy

"And he spoke to them a parable; Behold, the fig tree, and all the trees; when they now shoot forth, ye see and know of your own selves that summer is now nigh at hand. So likewise ye, when ye see these things come to pass, know ye that the Kingdom of God is nigh at hand." Luke 21:29-31. We should like to continue our writing this week, as food for thought, the "Jews in Prophecy."

When God delivered the children of Israel from the Egyptians, and gave to them the promised land, he told them if they would serve him, and keep his laws and statutes, he would bless them in all their ways,

but if they rebelled and wouldn't serve him, he would let them be overcome by their enemies. Many times they turned from God's laws, and they'd repent, and cry out for mercy, but God would forgive, and restate them.

But finally God's patience was turned into wrath, and he told them, if they wouldn't serve, he'd scatter them among the nations. Nehemiah 1:8 and 9. But, in the latter years he would gather them back, Ezekiel 38:8. God chose Palestine to be the homeland of the Jews. Why this strange and sacred little corner of the earth? Because Palestine has been the home of the Jews from Bible times unto this day. God gave it

to them; Palestine is located at a point of geographic, historic and political interest -- past, present and future. It has been called the cross roads of the nations. It has been the highway and the bridge between the most ancient seats of civilization.

The racial hatred, and bitter persecution has given the Jew a great desire to go back to their homeland.

Palestine was once a land greatly blessed of God, with a population of more than three million people. A land flowing with milk and honey, so to speak. But in AD 70, Titus and his Roman army besieged Jerusalem, destroyed the temple, and slaughtered hundreds of thousands of Jewish people. This was a fulfillment of what Jesus said to his disciples, just before his crucifixion, "That there shall not be left one stone upon another that shall not be thrown down," Luke 21:6. From that time, until the recent return, of the Jews to their homeland, desolation set into the land, and the people of Israel scattered in all directions throughout the long centuries, although much suffering was experienced, many Jews still held to the hope of some day, returning to their homeland.

At the close of the 19 century amidst fiery new outbreaks in Europe against them, the Jewish people again experienced a deep longing for their homeland, and several thousand left Eastern Europe to join some 25,000 Jews who were living in Palestine.

Theodore Herzl spearheaded the Zionist movement, working to the end that Palestine might be established by public law, as an official Jewish state. This was achieved in the Balfour Declaration in 1917. By this time some 7,500 Jewish people lived in Palestine. Many of us remember the thrilling report that General Allenby's capture of the Holy City December 11, 1917, was made without the firing of a shot, nor was there any destruction to the city by artillery. Teh Turks had fled.

General Edmund Allenby, Commander in Chief of the Allied armies of the East, entered the city of Jerusalem. We know this was the hand of God, working out his plan. For centuries of time, the beautiful land of Palestine had been a barren and desolate, under the rule of the Nomadic Arabs, and the four century reign of the Turks.

But the fig tree began to bud, as thousands of Jews prepared to pour into Palestine, where the League of Nations, gave the British a Mandate over the country in 1923.

Leaders of Zionism met with Arab rulers, and purchased poor, barren land from Arab owners at a price far above its value. Jewish immigration continued to increase especially as Hitler's crimes started to fall across Europe. By the time of World War II there were over 500,000 Jewish people in Palestine, who worked diligently to make the land productive, and after the Arabs began to see the great changes made in the land which they thought was of no value, they began to demand that the land be returned.

The Arabs claim all of Palestine as their homeland, and so do the Jews. They both claim to be descendants of Abraham. In fact, the Arabs are descendants of Ishmael the son of Hagar, the bondwoman, Sara gave to Abraham, while the Jews are descendants of Isaac, and God said: "In Isaac shall thy seed be called." Romans 9:7.

The feud that existed between Isaac and Ishmael, back in Bible days still exists today between the Arabs and Israelis. Genesis 21:9-12. But it was with Isaac and his seed that God established the everlasting covenant. Genesis 17:19.

The slaughter of 6,000,000 Jewish people during World War II, under Hitler's regime brought world wide sympathy for the Jews. Israel must have a homeland, to which the scattered unwanted refugees could go. Their people had been reduced from 17,000,000 in 1939 to 11,000,000 in 1945.

Favorable events have shaped up fast. On May 14, 1948, as the last British soldier left Palestine, the Jewish National Council, and the Zionist Council at Tel Aviv proclaimed the establishment of the Jewish state of Israel.

After 1900 years the despised dispersed Jewish people could return home.

The greatest exodus since the days of Moses could begin. All restrictions were done away with, and Jewry had the right of immigration in order to gather all the exiles in.

The infant nation Israel, under the leadership of its first President, Dr. Chaim Weizmann, and Prime Minister, David Ben-Gurion, saw the flag of David lifted for the first time since Titus removed it in A D 70.

After giving these food for thought facts, can you not see the hand of God, fulfilling his word to his ancient people, Abraham's descendants?

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PEARL NEWS

by Mrs. Lyda Cooper



The latest donation to Pearl Cemetery fund was Jim and Marie Wilkinson, ten dollars in memory of Ricky and Mrs. Marie Stoddard, five dollars. Mrs. Susie Smith visited last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Delian Kenchelow and Farris of West Point Community visited last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fillmon.

Mrs. Harry King visited Mr. and Mrs. Delos Walker on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Walker was celebrating their 40th Wedding Anniversary.

Mrs. Carrie Manning of Gatesville visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manning, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Susie Smith visited

Mrs. Floyd Woods Sunday Those visiting in Essie Bynum home Sunday were Mrs. Carrie Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Comer and children.

Calling in Boone Wilkinson home, Monday afternoon were Mrs. Carrie Manning and Mrs. Mildred Manning.

Going to Santa Anna last Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Tully Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Withers where they were graciously entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newsom.

Mrs. Sallie Freeman was carried to the hospital in Gatesville Monday.



Belton District Highway Patrolmen, pictured above, left to right, Tome Lovelace, J. K. Hamilton, H. W. Elliott and J. D. Phipps, walked off with all but two of the trophies awarded in a pistol match, sponsored by the Killeen Police Department, recently. The patrolmen won the team match with a score of 1,026 of a possible 1,200 points. Hamilton is presently stationed in the Gatesville area. Phipps, now stationed in Marlin, was stationed in the Hamilton area about ten years ago.

MOUND NEWS

by Mrs. Walter Wiggins



Mr. and Mrs. Robert McHargue and Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce and Keith visited Mrs. Jim McHargue, of Wortham, in the Scott and White Hospital, in Temple, Sunday morning before going to Waco, where Mrs. Robert McHargue entered Hillcrest Hospital for some tests. Mrs. McHargue returned home Tuesday evening. We are glad to report that the tests were favorable.

Mrs. Aubrey Davidson went to Houston last Friday to spend the week end visiting her son, Gary Davidson, Mrs. Davidson returned home Monday.

Bruce a special guest gave two readings on Christmas. Mrs. Ben Clement, an associate member, brought the devotional. Mrs. Perry Davidson was at the piano and a number of Christmas Carols were sung by the group. A beautifully decorated Christmas tree was in the living room and gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Davidson, the teacher presented hand-made aprons to each of the ladies present. At the close of the party, the group joined

hands and sang "Blest be the Tie That Binds". Mrs. Bruce Bomar is assistant teacher of the class. The group wishes to express their thanks to Mrs. Bomar for a delightful party. Visitors in the T. E. McHargue home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McHargue of Waco, The Muri Montgomery family of Gatesville and Lonnie McHargue of Mound.

Mrs. O. E. McHargue and her granddaughter, Miss Martha Thompson were Gatesville visitors Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bennie Bailey were guests in the home of Mrs. Ben Clement Jr, Sunday. The Marion Stevens were also guests in the home of Mrs. Clement.

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Hospital News

Babies

Baby girl born December 14 at 6:44 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Moore of Gatesville.

Patients

- Mrs. W.R. DeLord
- Wilma Short
- Mrs. Cecil Smith
- Frank Stone
- W.P. Voss
- Mrs. J.T. Allen
- Lew Burt
- Mrs. Estelle Dyer
- Mrs. Preston Fleming
- H.C. Floyd
- Mrs. E.N. Freeman
- J.O. Griffin
- Roy Hamilton
- Mrs. Roy Hayes
- Mrs. J.T. Hodges
- Henry Kistler
- Earl McCorkle
- A.J. McMeekin
- Mrs. Raby Richardson
- Otha Rogers
- Jim Sheridan
- Mrs. Myra Shook
- J.T. Loggins
- Mrs. W.E. Shelton

Last Rites Held For Grove Resident

Funeral services for R. T. Fellers of The Grove Texas were held at Hewett Funeral Home, Saturday, December 7, 1968 at 2 p.m.

Mr. Fellers passed away in a Temple Hospital Thursday, December 5, 1968 at the age of 49.

R. T. Fellers was born in Ogleby, Texas and had lived in Bell and Coryell Counties all of his life.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Betty Je Fellers, a daughter Miss Beliva Joy Fellers; a son, Robert Fellers all of The Grove Texas; four sisters, Mrs. W. C. Carter of El Paso, Texas; Mrs. M. M. Adams of Salado; Mrs. V. C. Vaden of Fort Worth, Texas and Mrs. L. C. Rainbolt of Tucson, Arizona; four brothers; S. M. Fellers of San Antonio, Texas; J. B. Fellers of McGregor, Texas; W. J. Fellers of Grapevine, Texas and D. E. Fellers of Salado, Texas.

Pallbearers were Elmo Winkler Jr, Louis Wadey, Johnny Bruggerman, J. C. Scott, Tim Gschorner and Heinz Tannreuter.

WHITE HALL NEWS

by Mrs. Carl Buth



SYMPATHY EXTENDED TO MARK BAIZE FAMILY

The community was saddened to learn of the death of Mark Baize. We extend to the loved ones our deepest sympathy.

Visiting Mrs. Etta Wright Monday afternoon were Mrs. Raymond Blankenship and Mrs. J.W. Shults.

Mr. Ike Morse attended a birthday party at Wyatt Brashers, Tuesday night and attended the singing at Liberty, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Neatherlin and daughter, Doris, were supper guests, Tuesday night of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Lambert, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Lambert, Jr.'s mother was able to go home from a Sweetwater hospital, where she had been ill for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blankenship visited Mr. and Mrs. J.S. Johnson in Crawford, Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Smith from Gatesville spent Wednesday night

with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neatherlin.

Mr. James Smith, from Fort Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neatherlin, Sunday.

Mrs. Virgie Shults visited her sisters, Miss Stella Powell and Mrs. Abbie Truss in Gatesville, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buth visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Brazelton, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lloyd Barnhill and Mrs. Seagraves are on the sick list.

Rev. Don Hooker filled his appointment here, Sunday and he and his family were dinner guests of Mrs. Loise Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Painter and Mrs. Loise Bennett visited Mr. and Mrs. R.P. Williams, Tuesday night.

Flannagan Nichols and a friend, Fred Michaels, from Tarleton State College, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols.

Gala Price visited Sunday with Patsy Nichols.

The Week Before Christmas

by Roland Magill

We'd never startle Mother by slamming the kitchen door. We'd never left a muddy track across the parlor floor. We seldom left an open door to let in the season's cold. And often split the kindling wood without being told.

We'd even use the wedge of soap, our little necks to scrub. And sometimes even wash the rings from around the old wood tub.

We'd help our darling mother just any way we could. Carry water from the spring keep the big box full of wood.

When mother told our father about such wondrous things. With a knowing smile he said, "I think they've sprouted wings!"

We though we had them fooled, but our parents understood. Just two little Christmas angels: Oh, so very, very good!

But when Christmas Day had gone and before the good New Year, We'd changed back to little brats just exactly as we were. Teeth on edge by slamming doors, muddy tracks across the floor. Shirt and breeches here and there. Toys scattered everywhere. That portrait in of Jack and me, from the files of memory.

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