



Council Hears Fire Dept. Report New Pump Truck Needed

The City Council met in a relatively short session, Tuesday night. The council met with new Fire Chief, Pat Patterson to hear reports on the fire department in an information meeting.

Discussion centered around the need for new proper equipment in the department. Mayor Miller reported Thursday that the past several city council's have seen the need for new pumper equipment but other priorities had to be considered. Miller and the council listened as Patterson review the present situation.

The Fire department has three pieces of pumper equipment a 1934 Dodge, a 1941 Seagraves and a 1953 Ford. Patterson said, Thursday, "Gatesville has the oldest equipment of any city anywhere around us our size." He noted normal replacement is about every ten years.

City Manager Elland Lovejoy said Wednesday that the fire department situation has been under consideration for several years.

Mayor Miller pointed to other major projects as the delay in the purchase of any new pumping equipment. But Miller hoped

that in the future a new truck would be in the budget.

Patterson estimates that a new truck would cost in the neighborhood of \$20,000. Patterson requested the council okay reconditioning and painting of the existing trucks at the Tuesday meeting.

In other council action the Cottonwood Street project was completed and paid for by the council Tuesday night. The extensive repair work on the street to stop water seepage and improve drainage, cost \$4080 at \$1.00 per square yard. Original estimates for the project were around \$6000. Lovejoy noted that a change in the surface material lowered the cost.

Bob Arnold Jr., W.W. Bamberg, and Duey Nolte will serve on the City Tax Board this year. Arnold was named to the Board this year. The three man board replaces one member each year. Bamberg and Nolte served on the board last year.

Evaluation in Gatesville last year totaled \$7,793,046 and estimates are that this year's evaluations will top the \$8 million dollar mark.

The council will meet with Mr. Paul Gregory on the Master Plan for Gatesville at the June 25, 1969 meeting.

Curbing and guttering the low rent housing area is underway now, reports City Manager, Elland Lovejoy. Mayor Miller said, Thursday, "We hope to complete street work the are during the summer."

Miller reported that the new Library could possibly begin construction in midsummer, if everything goes well. Presently the project is awaiting discussions on labor rates. Miller noted that when the Department of Labor completes its review it will take approximately three weeks to ready the project for bid advertising.

NEIGHBORHOOD YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

The Neighborhood Youth Corp has accepted applications of three Gatesville area youth who qualify for the program.

Judge Norman Storm noted that the youths qualifying for the program will work with the commissioners road maintenance crews for the summer.

Storm estimates that eight to ten more teenage youths can be employed under the Federal Government program.

PRICE SUPPORTS FOR SET FOR COUNTY ASCS

The Baise price support rate for 1969 crop wheat, crop grain shorghum and crop barley in Coryell County have been announced. Wheat is \$1.35 per bushel for Grade No. 1 Wheat. Grain Sorghum is \$1.70 per 100 pounds. Barley is \$.95 per bushel.

ASCS officer manager, Clois Stone, reported charges to farmers on warehouse-stored loans as follows:

Loan Service Fee - \$4.00 per loan
Delivery Charge - 1/2¢ per bushel

Storage - If placed in warehouse by June 12, 1969 - 12¢ per bushel. June 13th to July 10th - 11¢ per bushel.

If the wheat is forfeited at maturity (April 30, 1970) there is no further charge to the farmer.

If the loan is repaid the interest rate is 30¢ per hundred dollars per month.

Loans mature on demand but not later than April 30, 1970.

A producer must request a loan no later than March 31, 1970.

A producer may notify the county office of his intention to sell wheat to CCC no later than April 30, 1970.

In order to be eligible for loan or purchase a producer must be eligible to receive wheat marketing certificates on wheat produced on the farm on which the wheat ten acres or more of wheat produced. In other words, the farmer must be in compliance with his intentions under the Wheat Program.

Cloyce Duncan Appointed Commissioner Precinct 2, Wednesday



Cloyce Duncan has been appointed commissioner Precinct 2 by County Judge Norman Storm. Duncan (left) will serve in the position until the 1970 elections. Storm (right) selected Duncan from eight applicants for the post.

Cloyce Duncan, 53, of Gatesville was appointed Commissioner Precinct 2, early Wednesday to fill the unexpired term of the late Pat Hollingsworth.

Judge Norman Storm said the appointment was made with among eight applicants for the position. Storm said "I feel that from considering all aspects of the office, I felt Cloyce is the best qualified for the job."

Duncan, a long-time resident of Coryell County, has been a stock farmer in the Harmon Community for many years. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Duncan. He graduated from Lampasas High School in 1933.

Duncan was stationed in the Caribbean Theatre, during World War II with the Air Force. He was in charge of heavy equipment during his military service.

He has worked as field representative for the Coryell County ASCS office.

Presently, Duncan is a director of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association. As director Duncan represents Coryell County members of the state sheep and goat raisers. Also Duncan is a member of the Loan Committee of the Farmers Home Administration.

Duncan will be required to resign this post to take the commissioners post.

Duncan married the former Miss Jerral Deann Preston of Gatesville and they have three children, Pamela Ann, 16, Kimberly, 12, Joe, 10. The Duncan's live at 701 Park Street in Gatesville.

Wednesday, Duncan reported, "I will serve this Precinct and the county to the best of my ability." I will seek election to the office for a full term in 1970," he said.

Duncan joins Otha Medart, Precinct 1; Roland Wright, Precinct 3; and Cleo Carroll, Precinct 4, on the Coryell County Commissioners Court.

Duncan began his responsibilities for the office, Wednesday, June 11, 1969 and is in charge of a seven man crew and 150 miles of county maintained roads as well as many county wide responsibilities.

CITIZENS TO MEET

Mrs. C. L. Lipsey, president of the Senior Citizens Organization announced, yesterday the next meeting of the Senior Citizens will be June 19, at 2p.m. in the Civic Room of the National Bank.

Make yourself present at these pleasant meetings the third Thursday of each month.



Though it's early for summer and still officially spring summer activities are on the boom. Swimming is a must and to a child it makes little difference whether it's a swank up-to-date pool or tank. There's proof enough in the picture above of Drew and Aundrea Meeks, daughters of M and Mrs. Dean Meeks. "These girls say, water is water where ever you find it! Take me out to the ball game . . . cause little league base ball is going strong."

It's That Good Ole Summer Time

That time is here again—those wonderful lazy, yet active days of summer. A time when kids can put their school manners on the shelf, go bare foot, romp, run and dream; a time when grown-ups relax and become more carefree.

What is summer to you? Is it the hot still sun, the singing breeze of the warm wind, the trickle of a cool brook, or perhaps the shade cast by towering trees on a carpet of green grass?

Whatever it is there's nothing quiet like the "good ole summer time". There seems to be a voice in the magic of the air that persistently calls one to the great outdoors. And oh! what a challenge this is. You may try to resist but you can't, so join the crowd at the beaches, lakes, creeks and pools with your choice of swim suit, water skis, boat, or plain basking in the sun is satisfying.

If this is not on the head of your list for fun, try packing a basket of cold fried chicken, a salad, pork'n beans and cold, cold, lemonade. And don't forget



Let's go out to the ball park . . . baseball. The most active outdoor pleasures open to anyone is the game of baseball. Gatesville youngsters captured the little league. This sport has captured the hearts of the youngsters who avidly participate in the sport.

Dairy Queen Leads Freshman League



Dairy Queen's Bobby Hamilton added a victory to the undefeated season for coach, Jerry Sullivan, Tuesday night. Hamilton allowed the Fire Boys only two hits while the Dairy Queen batters knocked in 12 runs.

DIXON INJURED IN INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT

D.D. Dixon was injured Tuesday afternoon at about 2:30 p.m., when he was pinned between stacks of building materials at Dixon Lumber Company.

The accident occurred when some materials fell from a top a fork lift truck and hit Dixon.

He was carried to Coryell Memorial Hospital by emergency ambulance where he was treated for a broken wrist, broken ankle and multiple bruises. Dixon was held in the hospital overnight for observation.

Dixon is presently at home in satisfactory condition.

FATHERS DAY JUNE 15

FARM BUREAU SEEKS ENTRIES IN QUEEN CONTEST

The Farm Bureau announced Thursday that girls between the ages of 16-22 are eligible to enter the Farm Bureau Queen Contest to be held June 28.

Those wishing to enter must pick up and fill out entry blanks by June 20.

Place of the contest will be announced at a later date. Martha Parrish is serving as the Bureau's present queen.

The queen is judged on appearance, poise and speaking ability.

Gatesville Girl Scouts Hold Annual Day Camp

Scorching temperature, high humidity and what seemed like millions of chiggers didn't stop the Gatesville Girl Scout troops from having fun roughing it during its annual day camp week.

The five-day camp was situated in the Moccasin bend area, northwest of the city.

Five troops of local girl scouts ranging from pre-Brownies to Kadets, participated in the summer camp, said Mrs. Dale White, day camp director.

The camp activities ran from June 2-6. Highlights was a Thursday night parents program and an overnight camp-out for the older girls the same night.

Parents circled the evening campfire and found a "Soft" spot to rest and enjoy the program. Opening the activity were songs sung by parents and scouts.

Then each scout troop chose their favorite song and entertained individually.

Highlighting the gathering were the paper bag dramatics performed by the girls.

In paper bag dramatics, the girls were given paper sacks with items like a toy dog, an umbrella, a purse, or an Indian blanket, said Mrs. White.

Then the youngsters made impromptu skits from the items they received, she added.

The program was closed with all joining in the song "Evening Taps", Director White said.

Thursday night after the meeting with parents, the girls of third grade age or older stayed on an overnight camp-out.

Troops and scouts enjoying the five-day gathering were Brownie troop 383 A and B.

Troop 383 A consisted of first year Brownies (second first year Brownies (second graders). Karen Lengefeld, Becky Kiphen, Karen McGlothlin, Susanne White, Brenda Pancake, Tracy Davidson, Leah Bromser, April Bomser, Ka Grant, Valerie Gartman, Nancy Floyd, Belinda Hale, and Deborah Byrd.

The girls are sponsored by Mrs. Glenn Stover and Mrs. Lewis Lengefeld.

The B section of 383 includes

Sherrie Byrom, Jeanie Carpenter, Diane Byrd, Susan Phillips, and Stahr flentge. These third graders are sponsored by Mrs. R.C. Byrd and Mrs. Paul Bromser.

Troop 98 lead by Mrs. William Earl Blanchard and Mrs. Edward Barnard, includes Vickie Barnard, Kim Blanchard Tam Blanchard, Janie Braziel, Della Esparza, Carolyn Riflin, Charlotte Johnson, Keran Johnson, Debbie Lee, Cindy Phillips and Loveta McDonald.

Helping with the fourth and fifth grade were Mrs. Joe Esparza, Mrs. Edward barnard, and Mrs. Roger Lee.

Seventh grade Junior scouts make up Troop 424, sponsored by Mrs. Wilbur Davis and Mrs. Dale White.

Troop 425 includes Tommie Ruth Shelton, Melissa Brown, Michele White, Teresa Davis, JeffriAnn botkin, Beverly Gartman, Judy Wright, Betsy Floyd, Patty Powers, Roberta Carothers, Debbie Price, Rosemarie Montgomery and Candy McCoy.

These girls will bridge over and become Kadet Scouts in the fall, said Mrs. White.

Kadets Gaye Price, Kay Newton, Beverly Baker, Becky Floyd, Jane Smith, Karen Hill and Lana Stovall of Kadet 493 were among those who attended the camp and were sponsored by leaders, Mrs. Glenn Stover and Mrs. Anita Floyd.

Along with the scouts were fourteen "pre Brownies" or girls that will be of Brownie age next fall.

Among the 14 girls were LeAnn Ballard, Nancy Beck, Janet Davis, Elizabeth Derrick, Bonnie Floyd, Jeannie Goodrich, Melany Gordon, Susan Henricke, Kim Hollingsworth, Patty Lee, Karen Mithcchell, Doris Neatherland, Dee Anna Poston, Talitha Ray, and Elaine Sexton.

Serving as sponsors for the pre brownie girls were Mrs. Charles Derrick and Mrs. Robert Ballard.



Just part of the fun . . . Girl Scouts at the annual day camp enjoy a game of drop the handkerchief, which involves a speedy flight for some, and the momentary disappointment of capture for others.

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First United Methodists To Have Revival Week Services

Eight days of special evangelistic services will start next Sunday morning at the First United Methodist Church in Gatesville. The evangelist will be Quay Farmer of Fort Worth. The song evangelist will be Earl Ward of Waco.

Mr. Farmer is the Conference evangelist for the Central Texas Conference of the Metho-



WARD

Earl Ward is a graduate of Baylor University. His work in evangelism has taken him



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dist Church. His reaching missions have taken him to most of the states in America. Mr. Farmer entered evangelistic work after serving as a Chaplain in the Armed Forces. He has said: "Evangelism is the continuing task of the church. It exists to bring men into a saving encounter with Jesus Christ."

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our deepest appreciation to all the doctors and nurses who cared for our son, Ronnie during his recent illness; many thanks also for the cards, food, flowers, and prayers.

The James Adams Family

FRANK JONES BURIED IN TURNERSVILLE WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for Frank Byran Jones Sr., 73, 1008 Waco Street, was at 11:00 a.m., June 11, 1969, in the United Presbyterian Church, Turnersville, where he was a member, with Rev. David Evans officiating. Burial was in the Turnersville Cemetery. He served in World War I.

He had been a resident of Gatesville for the past fifty years, where his wife, Annie Velma preceded him in death January 16, 1967. Jones was born in Smithville,

May 5, 1896, son of William and Emma Jones. He is survived by three sons, Byran Jones, Deer Park; Jan Jones, Pasadena, Bobby Jones, Houston; two brothers, Howard Jones, Fort Worth, and Johnny Jones, Cheekatah, Oklahoma; three sisters, Mrs. Daisy Giddens, San Antonio, Mrs. Vertie Hollingsworth, Altus, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Bobbie Shepeff of Cheekatah, Oklahoma. Pallbearers were John Johnson, Bruce Jones, Earl Bond, Dan Adams, Vernon Bomar, R. W. Bert.

Evant Funeral Rites For Raymond Callan

Funeral services for Raymond Clovis Callan, 62, of E-vent were held Sunday June 8, at 4:00 p.m. with Bro. Bob

Stokes and Bro. Jerry Seale officiating, at the Evant Jun-eral Home. Burial was in Murphree Cemetery.

Mr. Callan passed away in the Hamilton Hospital, Saturday morning, June 7, 1969. He was born May 21, 1907, son of Jimmie and Georgia Ann Allan, on May 7, 1927 he was married to Inez Hill. Since 1942 he had lived in Evant where he was engaged in farming and ranching. He was a member of the Fairview Baptist Church.

Preceding him in death was a son, Jimmie Dean Callan. Surviving are his wife, Inez Callan; three daughters, Mrs. Curtis Stephens, Mansfield, Mrs. Bill Sims, Albuquerque, New Mexico and Mrs. Billy Seiler, Hamilton; one son, R. G. Callan, Hamilton, eight grandchildren, and his step father W. R. Potter of Evant. Pallbearers were Durwood Creech, Frank Hill, Vernon Poe, Alton Ford, James Flip-kin and Kent Parrish.

into over 600 Methodist Churches in 35 states.

During the eight day revival, all evening services will be at 8 p.m. Original plans for a tent revival on the new church lot have been cancelled. All services will be at the church at 1200 Main. There will be early morning services Monday thru Friday at 6:30 in the fellowship Hall. Coffee, orange juice and donuts will be served. Quay Farmer will also be speaking on the daily radio program at 9:15 on KCLW.

Bob Richmond is pastor of the church. All persons in the community are invited to share in any of these services. A nursery will be open at each evening service.

PURMELA NEWS by Mrs. J.C. Buster



We are sorry to report Mrs. Bulah Weeks is in the hospital seriously ill.

Mr. Bill Price, son-in-law of Berkeley Laxton is ill. It seems Mr. Price had been placed in the hospital in order for his wife to get a few days needed rest, with her Dad, Mr. Laxton and his wife at the lake. He was doing alright at the time they left him, but he evidently took seriously ill about 6 p.m. Saturday. His wife received a call that he was seriously ill and the family rushed to his bedside Saturday night. We are happy to report at this time Mr. Price is better.

We are having quite a bit of sickness in our community at this writing. We are sorry to say, we wish them all a fast recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers

and Mrs. Max Mayberry visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Paul and Bill, Sunday afternoon.

The Pauls have been ill. We hope they will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Neighbors attended the wedding of their grandson, Bobby, son of Pete Nabors in San Antonio over the weekend. Jim and Tom, brothers of the groom, came for their grandparents and returned them to their home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. B. Sparkman came home with a four pound catfish he caught in a tank near by one day recently.

Rev. Dwayne Martin was a Sunday dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grubb, Gitty Braziel and Dwayne Bates were united in marriage Saturday night in the Purmela Baptist Church. A reception followed at the church. Gitty's brother, Mike flew in from California to attend the wedding and we wish for these young people a long and happy life together.

Pam Smith spent Sunday night with Judy Miller.

Mrs. Bessie Brown is ill with a virus in the Hamilton hospital. We hope she is soon well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Buster, Caryol, Jesse, and Mary spent Saturday night in the J. C. Bus-ton home. They were going on to the Camp Hood, Sunday to visit with Mary's husband, Gene Glinn who is stationed there. Brenda Sheets and a friend also visited with her grandparents, the Busters, Sunday afternoon.

Vacation Bible School begins Monday, June 16 at Purmela Baptist Church. Everyone is welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. Penny Smith and family of Cleburne visited with the Keldredge Smith family over the weekend. Dorothy Basham visited Pam Smith, Sunday.

Lonnie Rolls

Promoted To

Army Specialist Five

KILLEEN BASE, TEX. - Lonnie A. Rolls, 19, son of Mrs. Betty F. McGinnis, Hollman Air Force Base, N.M. was promoted to Army specialist five May 26 at Killeen Base, Texas, where he is serving with the Headquarters Company.

Spec. 5 Rolls, a supply specialist with the company, entered the Army in July 1967 and completed basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas. He was last stationed at Fort Lee, Va.

His wife, Sherry, lives at 18 Dewald Apts., Copperas Cove Texas, and his father, Freeman A. Rolls, lives in Tularosa, N. M.

TURNERSVILLE NEWS

by Laura Tharp



COMMUNITY SADDENED BY DEATH OF ALFRED DANIEL

Our community was saddened this week by the sudden death of Alfred Daniel, a citizen who had given much of his time to helping make our community a better place in which to live since retiring from his work in San Angelo, six years ago. He died in the Goodall-Witcher Hospital, Clifton, Wednesday night, June 5, after taking service in the Baptist Church with Rev. John Weaver giving words of comfort and consolation to the family and friends. He is survived by his wife, Helen, and sons, Wallace, Leonard, Curtis and Steele and two grand sons, Richard and Dennis, who were present at the services. Out of town relatives attending the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Daniel, Carol Ann and Keith, Austin; Steele, Daniel, Chicago, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wallace, and son James, Seymour; and daughter, Mildred and husband, Jess Hammock, Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace, San Angelo and daughters, Neida and family, Fort Worth; Danny and family, Cris-toval; and Mrs. E. S. Wallace, Jr., San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wallace and son Jack Wallace, Fort Worth; and Parker Humes, Waco.

Other members of his family who were unable to attend the services were two sons of Wallace Daniel who are in the service, Wallace Jr., having served two years in Iran in October, and Ronald, Sp 5, in the army, San Francisco, who has a baby daughter, Debby. The family of Steele Daniel, his wife, two sons and a daughter, and sisters Miss Zou Steele Daniel and Mrs. Annie Lee, and a

brother, Charles.

MEMORIALS GIVEN FOR MR. DANIEL

Memorials for Alfred were given by the following: Mrs. Mabel Foote, Mrs. Dick Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Cude, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Foote and Than, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henry Tharp, Mr. and Mrs. Price Standford, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, Mrs. Lilla Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cheatham, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross and James, The Baptist Church, Mrs. O. L. Ozler, Mrs. Olivia Eakin, The Ladies' Class of the Baptist Church, Misses Ellen Balch and Mattie Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Kermil Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Zoo Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace Cathy and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Humes, Mrs. Lizzie Foote, Barbara and Adrienne, Mr. and Mrs. Cooter Tharp, Laurene and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. Peck Tharp, Miss Laura Tharp, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fleming and Norris Lynn.

Dinner and Supper was served to the family, relatives and friends, in the homemaking room of the Community Center, Friday by the women of the community.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Worthy, Corliss, Clifford and Ms. L. D. Humes accompanied Valorie Worthy to Big Bend, Saturday, June 7, where Valorie has a job for the summer. They returned home Monday. Dennis Daniel will go to a two week's Camp at Kerrville next

Sunday, June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Peck Tharp spent the week end in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Tharp and attended services with them at Tyler Street Methodist Church, Sunday and a sing-song in the fellowship hall, Monday night, after a covered dish supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory, Temple, were callers of Miss Laura Tharp recently. They also visited the cemetery and left a donation for the cemetery fund and the memorial fund. Callers in her home Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Green Nuckles, Mrs. Travis Latham and Mr. and Mrs. Peck Tharp.

Mrs. Alma Johnson, Stephenville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hollingsworth. Guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schulz, Ben Brooks, and Mrs. Sam Cook, Fort Worth.

Rev. and Mrs. James Shugart and Miss Laura Tharp were guests at the Graves reunion, Sunday, when they met under

the tabernacle.

The family of R. P. Williams had their reunion at the Community Center, Sunday, June 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Daniel, Mrs. Alfred Daniel, and Steele Daniel visited with Miss Zou Steele Daniel and Mrs. Annie Lee in the Stillwell Home, Waco, Saturday and ate lunch at the Picadilly.

Leonard Daniel returned to Sam Houston University, Sunday to resume his studies in a special course he is taking this summer that will be beneficial to him in his teaching next year. Keith Daniel, a grandson will be with Mrs. Alfred Daniel during the summer.

Our community extends sympathy to the loved ones of Mrs. Dero Jones, Frank Jones and Mrs. Cecil Sharp, in their bereavement.

Memorials have been given to Frank Jones by Mr. and Mrs. Vance Cude, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Foote and Than and Laura Tharp.

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GOVERNORS CONNALLY AND DANIEL ENDORSE WATER PLAN



THREE TEXAS GOVERNORS joined forces in Austin Monday as they spoke before a large group of prominent Texans assembled for the organizational meeting of the Governor's Committee of 500. Left to right are Governor Preston Smith and former Governors Price Daniel and John Connally.

The Governor's Committee is the organization set up to campaign for the passage of Constitutional Amendment 2 in the August 5 special election, the next step in the Texas Water Plan. Governor Smith said, "This is one of the most important elections in Texas history. It will determine whether or not Texas can act in time to meet the future needs of an adequate water supply."

Former Governors Connally and Daniel gave their full endorsement to the amendment. Each spoke in behalf of its passage. Another ex-Governor, Allan Shivers, was to have been present but he was called to the bedside of his son, Allan Jr., 23, who was seriously injured in a swimming accident at Eufaula, Alabama, on Friday. Young Shivers is in the hospital in Columbus, Georgia.

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Custodian wanted: Evant school is in need of a school custodian 1969-70 school year. Pay \$300 a month. Twelve months/year. If interested contact Leonard L. Pruden, Box 288 E-avant, Texas. Phone 471-3555.

GARAGE SALE: THURSDAY, Friday and Saturday, June 13-20-21, at 1304 Saunders Street, Mrs. Ernest Buckner.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 14-is Flag Day, the anniversary of the date, in 1777, on which Congress adopted the Stars and Stripes as the National standard with thirteen stripes alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation.

It has been recorded that the first printed illustration of the U. S. flag appeared in Weatherwise's Town and Country Almanac in 1781, but the illustration did not agree with the legal design. Since then, there have been twenty six changes. The first change in the flag was in May 1795 when Vermont and Kentucky were two added stripes and stars.

The last change was July 4, 1960 when the flag received its fiftieth star to represent that Hawaii had been admitted to the Union.

So, once again, tomorrow lets proudly fly our flag and re-view in our minds what it means to us.

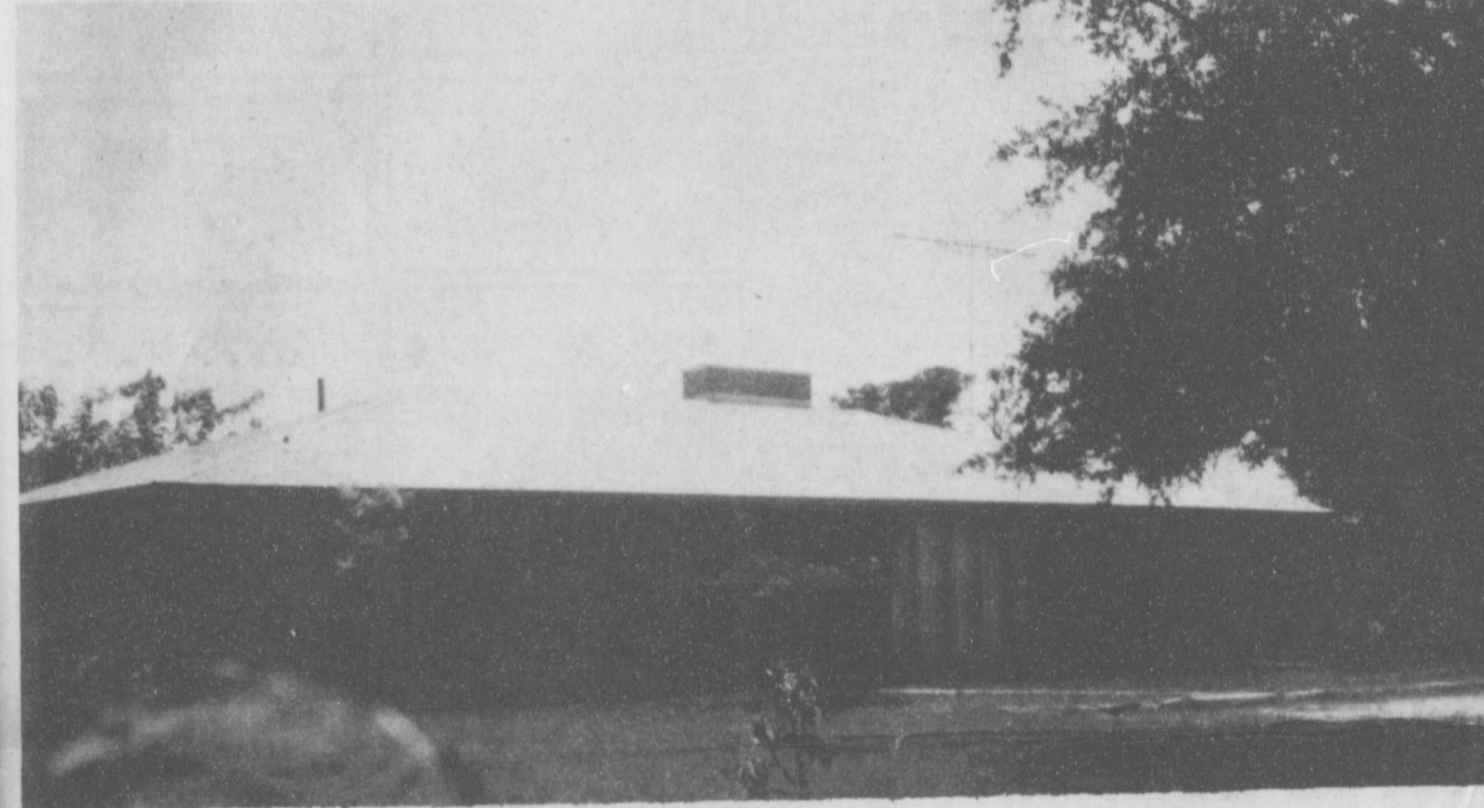
NOT EXCEDRIN HEADACHE - but a Bible School headache is what Delores Pietsch described herself as having one afternoon this week after a morning of Bible School at her church, First Lutheran. Later, in the week though, she described things as "settling down." All of us who have ever worked in Bible school know the feeling, yet we agree it's worth every effort and hardship.

A BIG TREAT - for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cohagan was having their daughter, Linda home over the weekend from the University of Houston. She brought with her, nephews, Mark and Dave and niece, Linda who are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Durham of Houston. The "Lindas" returned Sunday, for Linda Cohagan to attend summer school.

The boys are still in Gatesville visiting with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Durham.

are redwood screens for more privacy which adds for neatness and more beauty. The yard is shaded by huge live oak trees.

I understand Mr. and Mrs. Scott have done a great deal of the building of their house which makes them appreciate its comforts and convenience even more.



WILLIAM SCOTT HOME

BRINGING UP FATHER - is a thought from Mark Twain that always interested me and since it's near Father's Day, I once again turned my thoughts to "father" and this came to mind.

"When I was a boy of 14, my father was so ignorant I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be 21, I was astonished at how much the old man had learned in seven years."

I wonder how many of us will admit we've felt the same?

Sunday, June 15 is a day set aside for Father's Day, a day in which we honor our fathers. To be a responsible father entails awesome obligations. To that little one who makes it possible for you to be "father" you're ten feet tall so watch your every act and attitude because they greatly influence your offspring. Take inventory now, for in a few years you might see a carbon copy. "Carbon Copy" is a poem written by Isabel Carolan and copied from Ted Malones Scrapbook.

Everything I found in him
I found again in you,
All the magic of a dream
somehow twice come true,
You're a darling duplicate,
manly little lad,
Of the great big fellow
that you proudly call your Dad.

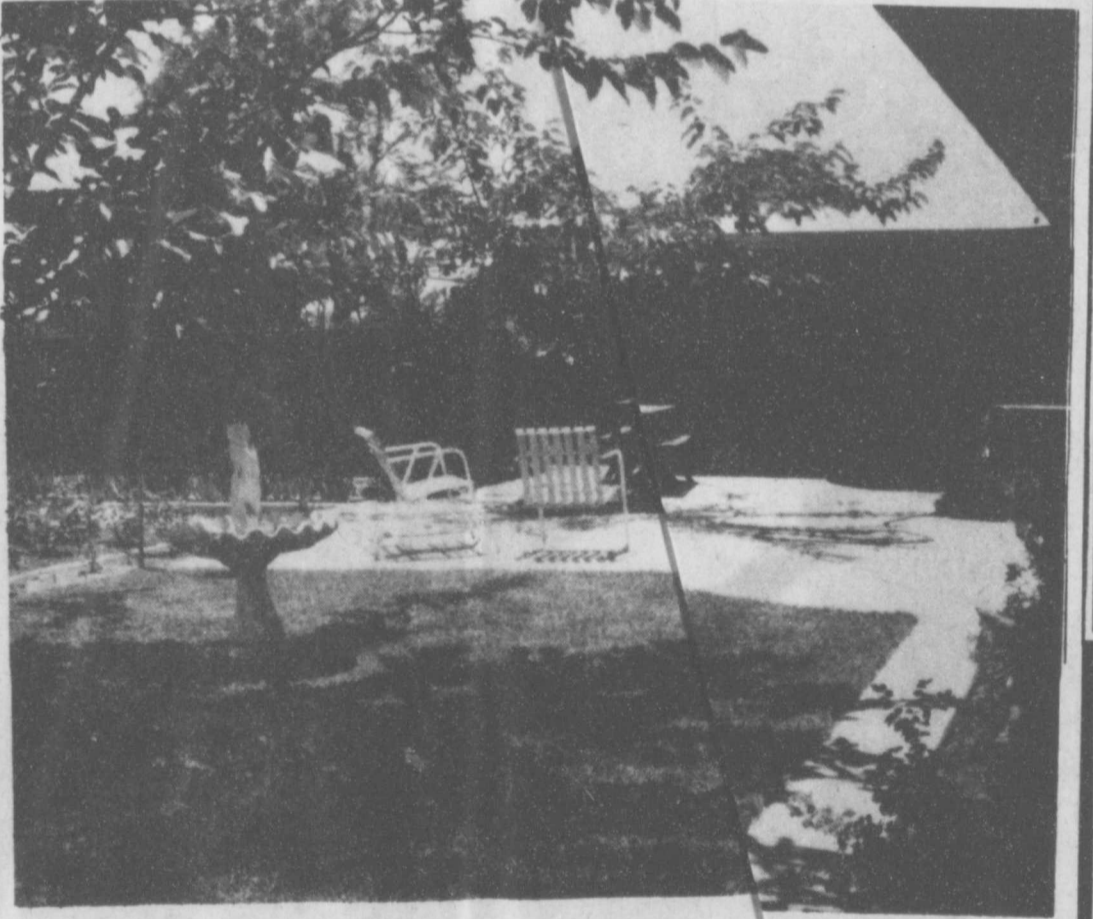
He is you, and you are he --
though you're Dad and son,
in my heart you images
blend themselves in one,
Love, when in a gracious mood,
sent your Dad, and then
Nature, smiling roguishly, said
"Here he is again!"

FISH FRY DELUXE - Smokey Moore and wife furnished the cat fish for a fish fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rainer out on golf course road, Monday night. Fish was fried outside in heavy skillet and hot dogs made for those who didn't have a taste for fish, though it's hard to believe anybody could dislike fish. These lucky enough to indulge in this feast were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Blakeley and Debbie, Los Vegas, Nevada; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lam, Lone Star; Mrs. Olivia Bell, Leaksville, North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyer Jr., Suzie and Tray; Homer Tennison and Joe; Mrs. Neil Tatum and Mrs. A. W. Tennison.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY - to my son, Bobby who is six today. We celebrated this birthday early by attending Six Flags Over Texas last Saturday night with cousins, John Matthew and Allison Shawnt and their mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barham of Forth Worth with whom we spent the weekend. The birthday celebration continued on Sunday when we made the rounds at Forrest Park Zoo. In the afternoon a banana nut birthday cake decorated with an Indian Villiage scene and six big red candles were enjoyed.

CAMP KACHINA - in Belton is a busy place! Four of our Gatesville girls who belong to Girl Scout troop 424 are in all the activity that started June 8 through June 20. This will be two weeks of learning to do new things as well as swimming, horse back riding and hiking. At night singing and Fellowship will be enjoyed around a camp fire. Our four girls are Roberta Carothers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carothers, Teresa Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis, Candy McCoy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy McCoy and Debbie Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Price.

This is the back view of the Scott home where leisure hours are spent enjoying the peace that only the country has to offer. There are also many hours of work put in this area, for it is here to the side a nice healthy vegetable garden, where a part of the family food is raised.



WILLIAM SCOTT HOME

Food For Thought Mrs. B. A. Snoddy

"Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet, and shew my people their transgression, and the house of Jacob their sins," Isaiah 58:1.

We know that the old prophets of God were hated, and ridiculed, and persecuted when they told the people that God was not pleased with their lives.

Jeremiah, in the days of his prophesy, foretold of the wrath of God against the people of Judah, and inhabitants of Jerusalem, because they would not turn from their evil ways, but went after other Gods, to serve them, and the people said Jeremiah was worthy of death Jer. 25th and 26th Chapter, and again he was cast into a dungeon, with no water, but only mire and he sank into the mire, Jer. 38:6, and had it not been for Ebedmelech, an Ethiopian having, pity upon him, he would have perished there.

Elijah, another prophet of God, denounced the old King Ahab and his wife, Jezebel, because of their worship of Baal and for all the other things which they did to provoke the Lord God to anger. 1 Kings 16: 31-33. And because of this he had to escape for his life. 1 Kings 19: 1-9.

John the Baptist was beheaded because he told Herod it was not lawful for him to have his brother, Phillip's wife. Matt. 14: 3-11.

Church history tells us the 12 apostles, or the foundation pillars of the New Testament church, were almost all martyrs, because of their faith, and the preaching of the word of God.

People don't like to be told that what they are doing is not right, but the scripture heading of this writing told Isaiah to cry out, and spare not.

Paul's admonition to Timothy was to Preach the Word.

And the word of God does not agree with the modern trend of living.

There seems to be a world of wide rebellion against the word of God, and hate and greed, and covetousness fills our land, and other lands of the world.

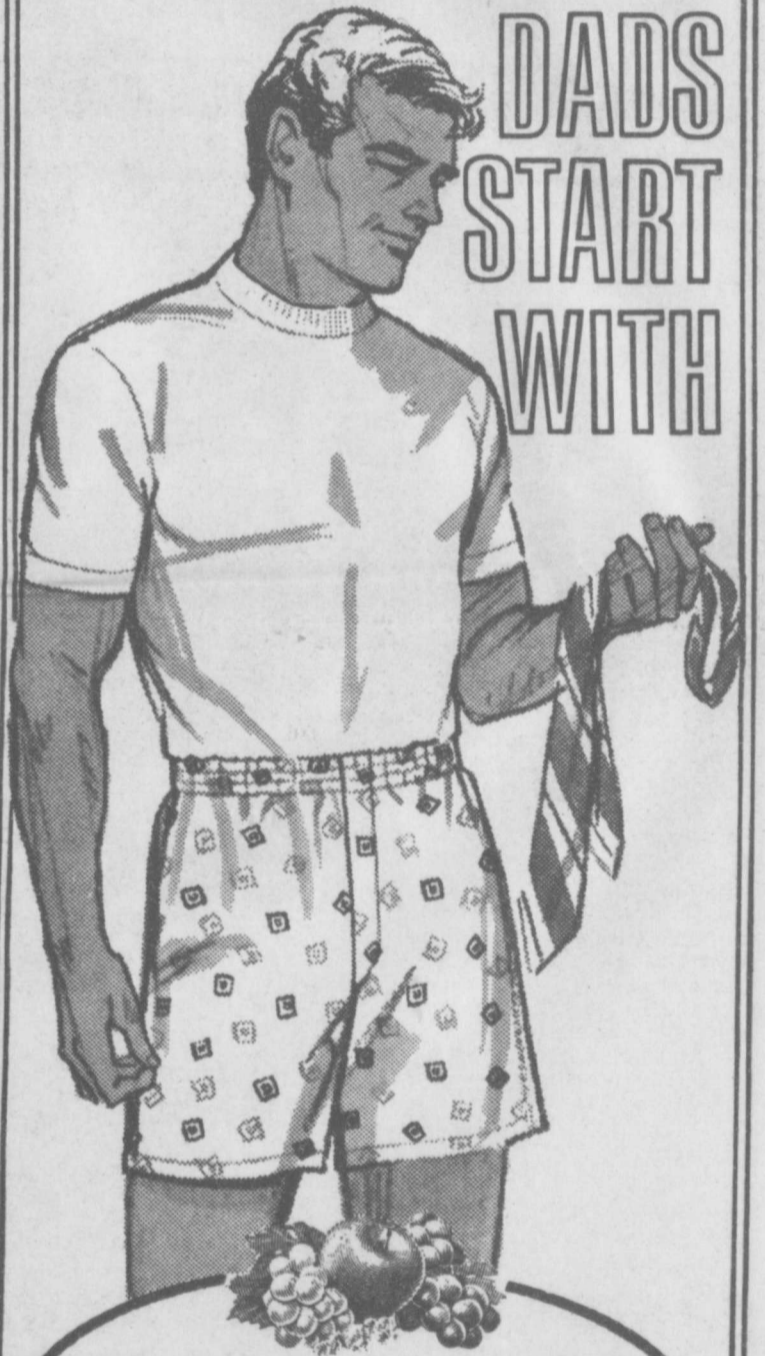
sad to say, but the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ shed at, and made fun of by educators of our land, ruin and wreck the moral precious young people streets in the larger cities and the political world filled trying to cope.

The family altars have past, time a thing of the speak history, so to is hard the family Bible has been.

But if God is still truth. If of God is still himself, words of Jesus again! Must be born except a Jesus said; he cannot born again, Kingdom of God.

It is not, culture, or tradition, or culture will save anybody that that is good. All of it is not legitimate. It even building, is not and putting churches, religious program, women must be and the new birth again, to the world's answer more rebellion in - no we will then see its going forth spiritual spent for others. See THOUGHT column.

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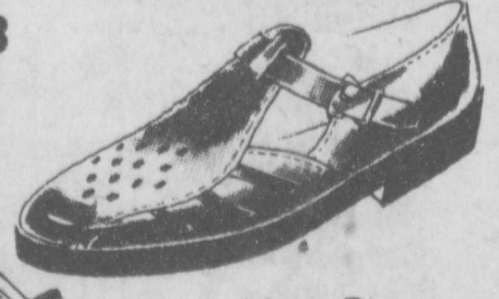
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We also wish to thank Mr. A. D. Smith for the donation of the newest Ben Green book, Wild Cow Tales, and Remember Gollad by Clarence Wharton, a reprint of a classic Texas history volume first published in 1931.

Other new books on the shelves this week are: The New Modern Poetry, all written since World War II, The Soul Brothers and Sister Lou by Kristin Hunter, Edgar Cayce, the Sleeping Prophet by Jess Stearn, Song of the Young Sentry by David Westheimer and Thunder Heights by Phyllis Whitney.

Twenty-Nine Attend Story Book Safari

Twenty-nine children went on a story-book safari Wednesday morning at the City Library. They donned their safari hats and listened to Rudyard Kipling's "The Cat Who Walked By Himself" and "Pierre: A Cautionary Tale" by contemporary author Maurice Sendak. Story teller for the hour was Mrs. Dale White.

All children who are five, six, and seven years old are invited to join the fun at the Story Hour every Wednesday morning at 9:00 a.m. in the City Library. Story teller for June 18 will be Mrs. Ed Schloeman.

A total of 61 books were checked out by these children at the conclusion of the story hour. "One of the main objectives of The Story Hour is to present the wonderful world of books to children, and to interest them in reading," stated one of the staff.

Mrs Dero Jones Rites Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mittie Lee Jones, 82, life-time resident of Coryell County were held June 9, 1969, at 4:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Gatesville, with Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiating. Burial was in Restland Cemetery. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Jones was born to Tom and Sally Crow in Gatesville, January 10, 1887.

She was married August 18, 1902 to Dero B. Jones who preceded her in death in 1955.

Survivors are two sons, Clayton Jones, Los Vegas, Nevada, and Bruce Gerald Jones, Grand Junction, Colorado; four daughters, Mrs. Earl Blankenship, Gatesville, Mrs. Ben Clements Jr., Mound, Mrs. Herbert Har-

die, San Antonio and Roy Holtz-claw, Tulsa; thirteen great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Lillie Dossey, Lamesa, and Mrs. Erma Watson, Haskell.

Pallbearers were Kendall Wright, Bruce Jones Jr., Marvin Stevens, Winston Hardie, Glenn Blankenship and V. A. Zaleski.

MOUND NEWS by Mrs. Walter Wiggins

FIVE CONTRIBUTE TO CEMETERY FUND

Those contributing to the Mound Cemetery Fund since our last report were Pete Blanchard, Buster Evans, Truett Hopson, Robert McHargue and Grundy Ashby.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McNeil and children of Houston spent last weekend visiting in the Frank Blanchard home. Mr. McNeil returned home on Sunday but Mrs. McNeil and children remained to spend the week and returned home on Saturday by train. Mrs. Blanchard accompanied them to Temple to take the train.

The Charles Blanchard family of Beaumont, came early Wednesday morning to visit in the Blanchard home. They remained until early Friday morning. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Barr and family in Temple, on Thursday.

The Bill Wiggins family of Gatesville came to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Wiggins on Sunday, and again on Wednesday night and also visited with the McNeils and the Charles Blanchards while they were here.

Miss Paula Anderson of Dallas spent a week here recently visiting her aunt, Miss Ima Fellers and other relatives.

Visiting Mrs. H. W. Bragewitz recently were her sister and brother-in-law and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bragewitz, and daughter, Mrs. Artis Reeves, of Bronte.

Mrs. Z. E. Ledbetter and Mrs. J. D. Moore, of Waco, also visited Mrs. Bragewitz recently.

The Truett Hopsons and Mrs. F. R. Cole Sr. attended the Cole Reunion, in Gatesville, on Sunday of last week.

Miss Linda Brazier of Gatesville, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Penny, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, and the Wayne Bests, of the Jones-Best Grocery, entertained the people of the community with a weiner roast at the tabernacle on the church grounds, last Wednesday night. The people of the community brought potato chips, ice cream and other food and an enjoyable time was reported about 100 people were there.

Several relatives and friends from here attended a miscellaneous shower given in honor of Miss Martha Thompson, on Tuesday night of last week, at the Civic Room at the Guaranty Bank, in Gatesville. Miss Thompson is the bride-elect of Robert Russell of Salt Lake City, Utah. A September Wedding is planned. Her grandmother, Mrs. O. E. McHargue Mrs. F. R. Cole Sr., Mrs.

EVANT NEWS by Cornella Kreid

GRANDDAUGHTER SIGNS CONTRACT

On Saturday, as this writer was poking nose into rooms at the January Care Home, up popped the best story from there in ages. Word from the C. W.

Lonnie McHargue, and Mrs. Dennis Harris, all of Mound attended the affair. Miss Thompson received a number of gifts.

Miss Ima Fellers entered the Hillcrest Memorial Hospital last Thursday and underwent major surgery on Friday morning. Her sister, Mrs. Robert McHargue, accompanied her to Waco, Thursday and remained until Friday afternoon. Another sister, Mrs. Ted Mayberry also visited her Friday.

Mrs. James Bruce also visited her Saturday. They report that Miss Fellers condition is satisfactory. Mr. and Mrs. McHargue and the James Bruce family also visited her Sunday afternoon.

Word was received here Saturday of the death of Mrs. Dero Jones, the mother of Mrs. Ben Clement, in the Coryell Memorial Hospital, Saturday morning. Funeral services for Mrs. Jones are to be held in the First Baptist Church in Gatesville, Monday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Jones is survived by two sons, four daughters, several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Mrs. Aubrey Davidson spent the weekend in Temple visiting relatives and her niece, Mrs. Vernon Hicks is quite ill in Scott and White Hospital.

Miss Elizabeth Hodges of Houston, spent the weekend visiting in the Gus Davidson Jr. home and attended church services here, Sunday morning.

Rodney Davidson, who is attending school in Huntsville, also spent the weekend in the home of his parents and attended church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Davidson Sr., went to Cleveland, Saturday to spend a week in the home of their son, Rev. Walter Davidson and care for their infant daughter, Rebecca Lynn, while Rev. and Mrs. Davidson attend the Southern Baptist Convention, in New Orleans, this week.

Mrs. W. L. Wiggins went to Gatesville Friday afternoon to spend Friday night and Saturday visiting Miss Molly Montgomery. Miss Berta Saunders of Gatesville, was also a guest in the home of Miss Montgomery, Friday evening and again on Saturday. Miss Montgomery also had several other visitors.

Mrs. Wiggins also visited in the home of her son, Bill Wiggins and family, Saturday afternoon.

The Vacation Bible School will be held June 16 through the 20. Mrs. James Bruce will be the principal.

Mr. Alfred Bragewitz and daughters of Copperas Cove, visited Mrs. H. W. Bragewitz and attended church here Sunday morning.

Moses concerns their granddaughter, Miranda Moses, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moses, Alexandria, Virginia, a graduate of this spring class. Moss Moses, age 18, has just signed a contract with the Prentiss-Hall Inc. to publish her book, "Beastly Animals". The youthful author only went to her friend Robert J. Brady to purchase paper to draw some pictures on, because she loved doing her own illustrations for her themes and the like. She just called it "doodling" but he did not. Being connected with the publishers, Mr. Brady had his "find" meet the official publishers right away, and before she could refuse, she had a contract, and it includes the promise of the release of her book this very summer.

A born lover of animals, Miranda used her own color scheme to make the antics attractive for children that her "beasts" are made friends to all the readers "right off". The price of the book makes it possible for anyone to own a copy for their children to enjoy a long, long time, for it was possible to bind it for a sale price of \$2.50.

Miranda Moses will enter college this fall, and she has two other older sisters, already of college age, or passed. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Moses plan to come to Evant in a few weeks to visit Mr. Moses' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moses, who have been residents of the January Care Home for over three years.

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died last Monday morning, after the news was mailed. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edna Horton, one daughter, Mrs. Laura Benningfield, Gatesville and two sons, Melvin Horton, Evant and Ansel Horton, Ponca City, Oklahoma. There also included is several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. The Hortons have lived in Evant over fifteen years having retired from farming and ranching west of Evant, at that time. Until their health failed, they were most active in the Evant Methodist Church, from which the final rites were conducted for M r. Horton on Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Rev. Bob Stokes and Rev. George Matthews, local pastors and their former pastor and long time friend, Rev. Mitchell, of Pleasant Valley conducted the services.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Adams and C. A. Adams Jr. and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Adams' sister, Mrs. John Earp, at Weiner, at the Baptist Church in that town at 3:00 p.m., Wednesday. In addition to Mrs. Adams, the deceased is survived by her mother, four children and eleven grandchildren.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stiefer have purchased another home, near Austin, and plan to move there shortly.

They have lived in the Evant Community on part of the Cox place, south of the Lee places, for several years. They were good neighbors, but decided they wanted to move back nearer where they came from.

Purchasing the Stiefer place is a family by the name of Wren, from Texas City. No further information is available at this time, concerning them except that Mrs. Wren's mother lives in this section of the state. They will move in a few weeks.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Williams included Mr. and Mrs. Vol Drennan and Jimmy, Hewitt; little Jim Dotson, Lake Bucannan; and Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkam, James Jr., and Stephen, Fort Worth.

Mrs. Allen Sparks has been transferred to Temple, where she is still in a hospital, un-

der treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Faubion stopped by his parents, the M. O. Faubions, enroute to the state of Colorado, on vacation.

Mrs. Frank Cowan has been released to return to her home in Evant, following the family accident at Gatesville last week. Two of the children remain in the hospital, while two are in homes of relatives. Any kindness afforded by neighbors and new acquaintances will be appreciated by this new family, in our midst. Mr. Cowan has been recently employed by the Faubion Truck Line as a mechanic, and they moved to Evant from Gatesville.

Terry Horton, suffered an insect bite of some sort last week and became ill from it, having to make a visit to his doctor, Saturday.

Mrs. Odis Faubion is still in Scott and White Hospital but will be out of traction this week. She can have cards and letters.

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FLAT HOLDS HOMECOMING

The Flat Community Homecoming was held at the community center in Flat, Sunday, June 8. Some 800 people enjoyed themselves as they met old friends and recalled many memories.

A business meeting was held with B. B. Botkin presiding as president. Officers elected for 1969-70 are F. E. Campbell, president and Mrs. Dan Cross as Secretary.

Following the business meeting, lunch was enjoyed by all those present.

The graduating class with the most members attending was the class of 1940. Thirteen members of that class were present.

The Flat Homecoming is held each year on the second Sunday in June. It has been suggested that members of each class try to contact other members of their class for the homecoming next year.

CARD OF THANKS

To all our friends in these four counties and other places, words are inadequate for us to speak the words we desire to say at this time. You have been so kind to visit him, use your telephone and stood by in every way. Writing letters of your deepest sympathy during the past four years speaking words of cheer. He loved people and your visits meant so much to him and his family were always glad to know you care. Then when the end came you again proved your sympathy by making his services more beautiful by sending flowers and food. Just you being with us in that bad hour was wonderful and proved you cared. Your sorrow comes to all and when our time of sorrow comes, may your friends richly bless and be kind to you. May God richly bless and keep you.

Sincerely
Mrs. Paul Horton
Nolan Ansel
Melvin Horton
Laura Benningfield

PERSONALS

Glad is the news concerning the recent visit of Miss Gertrude Hill's niece, Mrs. Mary Ellen Johnson and daughter, last Saturday. They all went over to Cherokee Children's Home, at Cherokee, for a barbecue dinner. The Johnsons live in Abilene, and she will be remembered as the "little girl" who lived with Miss Hill and her late father, Bob Hill several years ago.

Sunday morning brought "Guess who is here," from the folks at Evant United Methodist Church. It was none other than Mrs. Willis Lovins and William, who spent over a year in our midst while the husband and father were serving in Greenland with the armed forces. They were in Texas visiting relatives, and arrived Friday to be with Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Calhoun and family on the Rob Calhoun estate.

Sunday guests of Mr. Tom Carl Sawyer and family and the Milton Faubions were Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Sawyer and daughters, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sheldon has as Sunday afternoon guests, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Sheldon and Phil, Gatesville.

Mrs. Jim Mason was taken to Hico to the hospital Sunday morning, after sustaining a fall in her home, on Viesta Mountain.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mason include Mr. and Mrs. Pink Shave, Sundown, Rev. and Mrs. Irl Holt and Janna, Vernon.

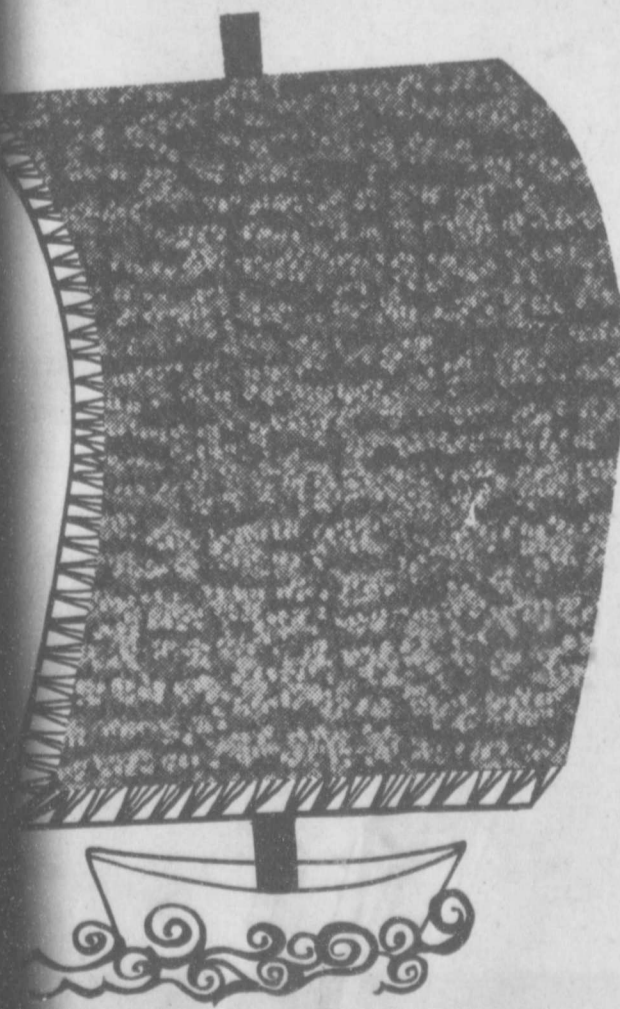
Sudden death came to Raymond Callan age 63, Saturday morning, after he was rushed to Hamilton County General Hospital, earlier in the night. Burial was made Sunday afternoon at Murphree Cemetery, under the direction of Evant Funeral Home. Mr. Callan is survived by his wife and one son, R. G. Callan of Hamilton and two daughters who live elsewhere. The couple were out in Evant visiting with friends on the day before his death.

Treb Waddell has returned to his home west of Evant after a few days of treatment in a Temple hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pax were taken to Hamilton County General Hospital Thursday following a one vehicle accident, in which Mr. Pax broke his arm and sustained bruises. The pickup over turned enclosing the couple within their cab, until help came to release them. In addition to their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stanford, their daughter, Ruth her husband, and family have been with them since the accident.

Mr. Paul Horton, age 82,

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Forward & Reverse

NATIONAL BUILDING CENTER

National Bank Dominates Junior League Play

The National Bankers won their fifth in five to pull ahead in the Junior League of the Lions Club summer program, with a convencing 23-0 win over Pearl.

Rickey Thompson tied up the Pearl batters with a fine one hit performance.

The Bankers batman collected 18 hits during the five inning battle. Third baseman, Jerry Blanchard, picked up a home run and a triple for the National Bankers.

Short stop, Glenn Vernon connected for two triples during the Monday night game. Catcher, James Box hit two stand up triples and a double for N. B. Coach, James Box.

First baseman, Tommy Tatum hit a double and a single and Center fielder, Orbrie Ortega also hit good.

League records are National Bank 5-0; Messengers 3-2; Guaranty Bank 2-2; Pearl 1-3; and Scotts 1-3.



... Summertime

get that fat watermelon and head for the nearest park or favorite wooded area. Some might like to take along that fishing gear or golf bag, but by all means take a pallet and plenty of insect repellent for an even more enjoyable time.

Baseball is, without a doubt, one of America's favorite sports. You may be on a team, or an avid baseball fan or only a supporter to the ego of that child that means much to you. What ever the reason, participate!

Speaking of "America's favorites" what about the hot dog, hamburger and barbecue? If you really like to rough it, build a bon fire to roast weiners and have plenty of cold drinks available. Try digging a pit for barbecuing, for no other affair connected with eating is loved more than this national out-door activity. But, to make it simple, drag that portable grill out to the patio or back-

yard and charcoal hamburgers, the everlasting stand-by.

Don't forget sight-seeing, because the scenery and weather are at their best during this season, and besides, you'll have all those memories, films and snapshots for next winter.

For children, something as simple as turning over rocks for crawfish is the greatest, or searching for little green frogs and turtles. And what's more fun than capturing a lizard. Then too, catching lightening bugs on these still sultry evenings just at dusk are a whole new adventure time after time.

For the more conservative type try the contented motion of a squeaky porch swing and at the same time sip a tall glass of iced tea with a fresh lemon slice or a sprig of mint.

The past times of summer are many and far too numerous to mention or to leave any time for boredom, so wasting no time, add those you like best to the list, take your pick and by all means, get in the swing of things for, its later than you think". Happy Summer!

Dyers To Hold Reunion

The Dyer Reunion will take place at the old high school gym, Sunday, June 15. All relatives and friends are invited. Those participating are asked to bring a basket lunch.

IRELAND NEWS

by Mrs. Joe Faubion

Recent visitors with Mrs. Anne Tyler were Mrs. Minnie Summers, Mrs. Dora Summers and her daughter and husband all from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farris, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Tyler and Barbara all of Fort Worth visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gully took their grandson, Wayne Moore of

MOUNTAIN NEWS

by Mrs. J. H. Jeffrey

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Holt of Waco visited here, Sunday with their parents, and grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt. The girls remained for a few days visit with their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Autry of El Paso; Mrs. Ed Autry and Miss Dorothy Autry of Gatesville visited in the Jack Holt home, Tuesday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cook were Steve Cook of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Cook and Pam of Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cook, Mark, David and Ed of Irvin and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cook and son, J. R. Cook of Gatesville.

Pete Shults of Odessa and his sister, Mrs. W. M. McDonald of Gatesville visited Mrs. J. H. Jeffrey, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited Mr. and Mrs. Knox Whitt and their great grandchildren, Teri and Grayson Whitt, Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited Mrs. Amanda Edmondson, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Willard Newton,

Will Lawrence, Mrs. Edith Harmon, Mrs. Lila Davis and Mrs. Cecil Franks in Rotunda, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McClaren and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McClaren of De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McClaren and family spent Saturday night in the Bill Richardson home. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roscoe visited Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited Mrs. J. H. Jeffrey a while, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kunze, Denise and Douglas of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fisher and Keith of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fisher; Mr. and Mrs. Benton Fisher of Elmont; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hartis of Lancaster and Mrs. Fannie Fisher of Gatesville visited Sunday in the Ernest Fisher home. They all attended the Fisher Family Reunion at the Mountain Community Center. Mrs. Fannie Fisher of Gatesville accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hartis home for a two week visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barton, Tammie, Bradley and Bridget, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barton, David, Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Barton and John were Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barton, Jack Barton visited Mr. and Mrs. George Loer Sr., Sunday.

Recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wadie Sims were Wayne Blanchard, Mrs. Clara Blanchard, Mrs. T. L. Lock, Rev. Bob Jakoby, Mrs. Robert Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sims, Lenn

Fort Worth home one day the past week. He had been visiting with his grandparents for several days.

Mrs. John Eisen and children visited Tuesday with Mrs. Gene Hoherz.

Charles and Linda Jones of Temple spent the past week with their grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Jones. Their mother, Mrs. E. M. Jones came after them Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Edie, Laura, Douglas and Eric of Freeport, visited Mrs. Ada Hardcastle and Lorene Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hoherz and son of Waco visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hoherz.

Sgt. and Mrs. Ward B. Richmond returned home Sunday after visiting in the Joe C. Faubion home and with other relatives. Mrs. Emma Neyland went home with them and will visit with her three sons and their families in San Antonio.

Mrs. Zola Williams and Troy attended the Wilhelm reunion in the Ames Community, Sunday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Ward B. Richmond, Mrs. Joe C. Faubion and Tommy Faubion visited in the Francis Miller home in Gatesville, Saturday.

Mr. Earl Boling and Mrs. Etta Favor accompanied by Mrs. Bannie Faubion of Arnett attended the Edwards reunion at the Youth Center in Hamilton, Sunday.

Dorman Hipp Promoted To Army Specialist

FT. Hood, Tex.- Dorman E. Hipp Jr., 20, whose father lives at 117 S. Mattson, West Columbia, Texas, was promoted to Army specialist four May 23 at Fort Hood, Texas, where he is assigned to the 63rd Engineer Battalion.

Spec. 4 Hipp, a welder with Company B, entered the Army in July 1968 and completed basic training at Fort Bliss, Texas.

His wife, Selma, lives at 1101 Leon, Gatesville, Texas.

County Agent Report

By DON CALLAHAN

Crop and livestock producers planning to attend the annual Stiles Farm Foundation field day June 17 should pick up their tickets now for a free barbecue meal, at my office reports County Agent Don Callahan.

An evening barbecue, hosted by the Taylor Chamber of Commerce, will end field day activities scheduled to begin at 2:30 p.m. Tickets should be picked up from his office prior to the field day, Callahan emphasized.

Featured on the program will be discussions and tours related to farming practices, new grasses, beef cattle, swine, cotton, grain sorghum and new crops. Research workers and Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists will lead tours and discussions, Callahan said.

Information booths will be available where producers can get detailed information from Extension specialists and Research scientists regarding cultural and management practices for crops and livestock grown in the blackland area.

The Stiles Farm Foundation, located near Thrall, is operated as a typical Blackland farm by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station making use of proven agricultural research and practices.

Mrs. Whisenhunt Attends Farm Bureau Conference

Mrs. Jo Dean Whisenhunt of Gatesville attended the Texas Farm Bureau-sponsored training conference for county Farm Bureau office Secretaries, June 8-11 in Waco.

Some 80 office secretaries from as many counties across Texas attended the three-day school at the Allico Inn. The ladies attended classes on Communication (business letters and telephone techniques), Office Procedures, Business Machines, and Service-to-Member Programs.

TFB president, Sidney Dean of Victoria welcomed the secretaries at an opening banquet June 8. They also viewed a film on the history, philosophy and activities of Farm Bureau. Speaker for the Monday evening banquet was Thomas Turner, assistant to the president of Baylor University. His topic was, "Don't Push the Panic Button."

At a general session on June 9, the secretaries heard talks by a county president, a county service agent, and a TFB Field Representative. G. M. Gorham, president of the McLennan County Farm Bureau, discussed, "The Secretary's Responsibilities From a President's Viewpoint." J. B. Owen, agency manager for the Cameron County Farm Bureau, outlined the secretary's roll in service-to-member programs. Ed Cumble, Bronte, area fieldman, talked on the subject, "The Successful Ingredient for

Building a Farm Bureau.

Millard Shivers, Dallas, director of rural development for Blue Cross, Blue Shield, acted as discussion leader at a June 10 session on Blue Cross services. The Secretaries toured the TFB headquarters in Waco on the afternoon of June 10.

At the concluding session on June 11, Cliff Laywell, TFB executive director, discussed, "A Challenge to Office Secretaries." Mrs. Ada Lee Mutchler, office secretary in San Patricio County, gave the response. The conference adjourned following presentation of diplomas.

Stanley Jackson Receives ROTC Commission

BATON ROUGE, LA. - Second Lieutenant Stanley M. Jackson, 22, a 1969 graduate of Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge, La., received his Army Reserve commission through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps program at the school May 30.

As an ROTC cadet, Lt. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Jackson, 803 Cove Avenue, Copperas Cove, Texas, was trained in various subjects which provided him with the skills necessary to command. He is a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta fraternity.

... Thought

In the first chapter of Rev. 20th verse the word teaches that the candlesticks are the churches. In other words, the churches aren't the light, but only the candlestick to hold out the light - which is Jesus, the light of the world. Rev. 2 and 4, says they had left off their first love, and they must repent, or the candlestick would be removed. That is why across our country sides, we see so many deserted, fallen down, little churches. The people have fallen away, and lost their first love, and the Lord said: Repent, and go back, and do the first love.

We know this is God's word, and what am I, that I should withstand God? Acts 11:17.

Gatesville 4-H'er Enter A & M Grass Judging

Three Gatesville 4-H Club boys entered the Grass Judging Contest at State Roundup at Texas A & M University last week. They were Mickie Mattiza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mattiza, Harmon Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon A. Rogers, and Bill Shoaf, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shoaf. The boys came out 4th place. They were accompanied by Mr. Jerry Noles, a 4-H Club leader for the Gatesville 4-H Club.

Pfc. Gary Paxton Receives Expert Rating

FT HOOD Tex. - Army Private First Class Gary L. Paxton, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby L. Paxton, 107 S. 23rd Street, Gatesville, Texas, fired expert with the .45 caliber pistol at Fort Hood, Texas, May 23.

The expert rating is the highest mark a soldier can achieve on his weapons qualification test. Pfc. Paxton, a rifleman in Company A, 2nd Battalion, 46th Infantry, 1st Armored Division, entered the Army in April 1968 and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La. He was stationed in Vietnam prior to coming to Fort Hood, and holds the Bronze Star Medal and the Purple Heart.

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- 1968 Mustang Hardtop, 289 V 8, Selectair, Cruise-o-Matic, Vinyl Roof.
- 1967 Mercury Parklane, 4 door, Sedan, Full Power and Air Conditioned. EXTRA CLEAN
- 1968 Ford Galaxie 500, 2 door Hard top, 289 V8, Cruise-o-matic, Selectair, Power Steering. EXTRA NICE
- 1967 Ford Galaxie 500, 4 Door Sedan, 390 V8, Cruise-o-matic, Selectair, Power Steering, Power Brakes.
- 1967 Ford Custom 500, 4 Door Sedan, Cruise-o-matic, Selectair, Power Steering.
- 1964 Ford 2 door, Hardtop, 289 V 8, Standard Transmission, All Vinyl Interior Trim.
- 1965 Ford Galaxie 500, 4 door, Sedan, 289 V 8, Cruise-o-Matic, Selectair, Power Steering. NICE



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SCHOOL TRANSFERS

We have a NEW LAW on school transfers. A transfer is made to the superintendent of the schools to which a student desires to attend. Transfers are not made through the County Superintendent's office.

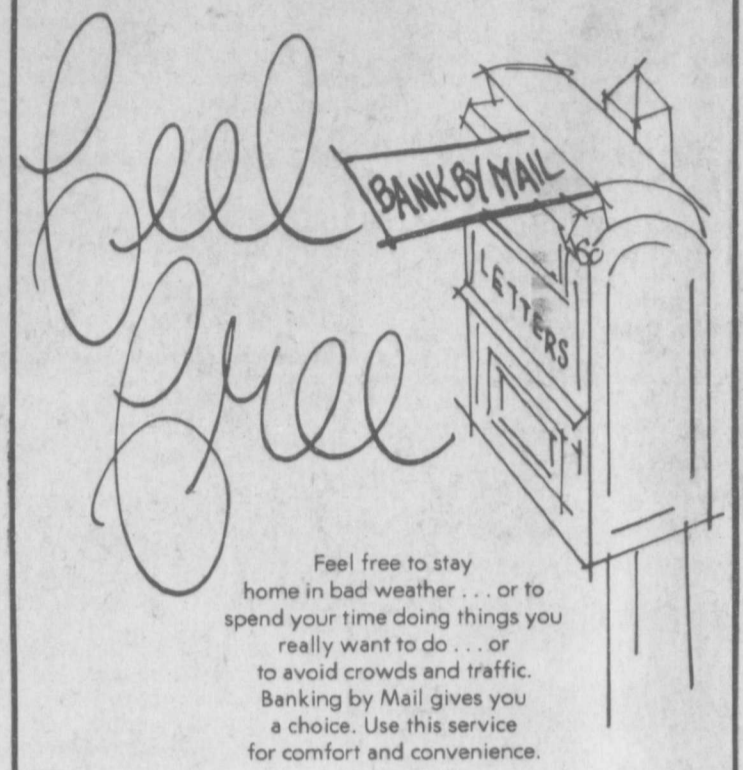
If grade students (1-8) transfers are in on time, no tuition will be charged this year. If a grade student does not officially transfer, tuition will have to be charged.

If students from other districts desire to attend school in Gatesville, please transfer before July 1, 1969.

Gatesville Public Schools

and Malinda. Mrs. Robert Bond of Tallahassee, Oklahoma returned home Sunday after visiting two weeks here, with her sister, Mrs. Autie Halpane and other relatives.

Mrs. P. E. Ballard visited friends in Rotunda Friday. Recent guests of Mrs. P. E. Ballard were Mrs. Jimmie Blakeley and Mrs. Bettie Blakeley of Pearl, and Mrs. and Mrs. Wayne Ballard of Marlin.



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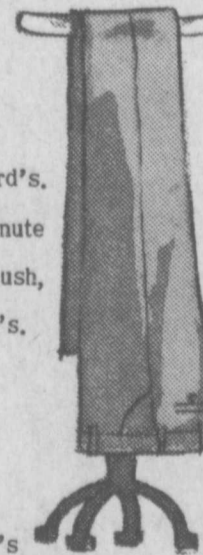


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