



Bill Shoaf took top honors last week at the Belton Junior Rodeo. Shoaf, pictured above, took second in the bull riding and third in the calf tie down competition...

State Road Water Improved Live Oak Included In Street Work

Brazzil Resigns Post on City Council

Councilman Creston Brazzil turned in his resignation from the City Council on Tuesday...



night, Brazzil is moving out of the city and therefore cannot serve on the Council. The Brazzils are moving to a new home just outside the city limits along north Lovers Lane...

Water pressure to the State School Road area has been improved with the completion of an 8-inch water main from the pump station on North 10th to a connecting point on Highway 36...

around improvement of Live Oak Street. The council accepted the bid of \$4985 by Barnes Lumber Co...

Coles Now Life Members of Polled Hereford Assn.

KANSAS CITY, MO (Special) Chester and Evah Cole, Route 3, Box 236, Gatesville, Texas, have recently become Life Members of the American Polled Hereford Association...

There are more than 35,000 owners and breeders of Polled Herefords in the U.S. The naturally hornless Polled Herefords are the only major breed of livestock to originate in the United States...

Some 5,000 cattlemen have joined the American Polled Hereford Association in the past year, more than reported by any other association.

Footballers Prepare For Pre-Season Practice

Ninety Gatesville Hornet footballers picked up shoes and lightweight equipment Wednesday in preparation for Monday's opening drills.

Football practice means school cannot be far behind, and hopefully, cooler temperatures.

Wednesday the squad received physical examinations and reviewed insurance requirements as well as instructions on hair length.

Shoemaker Still Accepting Contributions for Brush Control

Bill Shoemaker, Coryell County Chairman of Brush Control program has received word from John Matthews, State Chairman of Brush Control and Range Improvement Association that they are still accepting contributions for the Brush Control Program.

Each person that makes a contribution is asked to fill out a pledge card at the time he makes his contribution at the National Bank. It is urgent that each landowner of the county make their pledge as soon as possible, said Shoemaker.

Coach Jack Moss and his staff Wilson Elliot, Fred Walker, and Ronnie Barr, will begin conducting "two-a-day" workouts Monday at 8:00 a.m.

Moss noted this week that the squad has been broken into two groups for opening drills at 8:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Both squads will work evenings from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Highway 36 Assn. To Be Organized

During the Wednesday meeting concerning the Highway 36 loop around Gatesville, Judge Norman Storm asked local citizens for support in forming a Highway 36 association.

The Judge pointed out needed efforts to attract the Houston-Lubbock highway to the citizens.

Storm received the go-ahead on organizing the Highway 36 Association, Gatesville or possibly Temple would be a good place to call a meeting of town leaders all up and down Highway 36.

Hopefully, the organization can point out the benefit of traveling the highway and possibly organize support for needed improvements along the route.

Concerning the proposed new Houston-Lubbock highway bottlenecks in Highway 36 could cause the State Highway Commission to select another route. Hopefully the Association could argue for routing of the highway along 36.

Judge Storm is planning a meeting of town leaders from communities all along Highway 36 for the near future.

Waco Scottish Rite To Present Degrees

The Waco Scottish Rite Bodies will confer the 4th degree through the 32nd degree in a reunion scheduled for August 22 and 23, 1969. The presentation of the degrees will be in the Memorial Grand Lodge Building at Waco.

The remainder of the degrees will be conferred on Saturday, August 23, beginning at 7:30 a.m. and will be concluded at approximately 6:00 p.m.

4-Hers To Play Hosts

The Coryell County 4-H Clubs will be host to six 4-H members of Clay County August 20-22.

This is the first time that an exchange program has been done in Central and North Texas said Don Callahan, County Agricultural Agent.

The six 4-H from Clay County will be welcomed to the county at 2:00 p.m. on the courthouse lawn August 20 by County Judge Norman Storm and Mayor Bob Miller.

While in the County they will tour Anchor Plastics, Medical Plastics, State School for Boys. They will also visit Copperas Cove. The Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce will be host to a coffee at 10:00 a.m. August 21.

The 4-H clubs of the county will have an ice cream supper for the 4-H members at 7:30 at Faunt LeRoy Crossing August 21.

The six 4-H members from Clay County are Mary Spears, Charlene Cross, James Campbell, Virginia Studdard, and Mike Moore of Bellvue, and David Denson of Bowie.

The County Agricultural Agent John Holland and County Home Demonstration Agent Mrs. Lonella Roesch of Henrietta will accompany the 4-H members to Coryell County. Paula Melbern, Douglas Atchley, Becky Mattiza, Garry Freeman, and Kathy Keeton, and Terry King, Coryell County 4-H Junior Leaders will be host to the 4-H members from Clay County, said Callahan.

Highway Department Requests Re-routing of Texas 36

Local Leaders Discuss Rerouting Highway 36 East Of Town



The Library Board, City officials and representatives of Barrett Construction Co. reviewed the low bid of \$76,843 for the new library. The Board members met with City Councilmen last Tuesday night to present the bids.

Pictured above left to right are: representative of Barrett Constr. Co., Mrs. Ed Powell, Barbara Rosser, Mrs. Alice Reeve, Mrs. Nina Kindrick, Allen Bennett. With their backs to the camera are, left to right: City Manager, Eiland Lovejoy and Doug Hearne, architect.

COUNCIL ACCEPTS \$76,843 BID ON NEW LIBRARY PROJECT

A low bid of \$76,843 was received for construction of the proposed new Gatesville City Library Tuesday afternoon.

The low bid was entered by Barrett Construction Company of Waco. Three other bids were received: Waco Construction Co., Sparks Construction Company of Hamilton, and Gabbert Construction Company of Abilene.

The Library Board, headed by Allen Bennett, worked with representatives of Barrett Construction Company and architects concerning details of the project following the big opening.

At Tuesday's City Council meeting, the Library Board met with the Council to discuss the four bids. The Council voted unanimously to accept the bid from Barrett Construction Co.

The Council decided against accepting the Alternate I bid of \$7800 for paving of parking area around the Library. The bid calls for construction to be completed in 170 calendar days.

The \$100,000 Library is to be financed on a 50-50 basis between federal and municipal funds.

FHA Homes Dedication - Aug. 23

August 23 has been set as the date for the Dedication of FHA homes in Turnersville.

A barbecue dinner will be held at 7:15 p.m. in the Tabernacle at Turnersville.

The following program has been scheduled to follow the dinner: a Band Concert; a solo of "God Bless America," the invocation by Rev. James K. Brim of Arlington; "Highlights of Accomplishments at Turnersville," by Florine Kyser; introduction of the guest speaker by Rep. Bob Salter; and the main address by Cong. W. R. (Bob) Poage.

The evening promises to be very enjoyable, and we hope many of you will attend.

Community Committee Elections Set For Early September

The ASC community committee election will be held in early September. Ballots will be mailed to eligible voters about September 5, 1969. The voted ballots must be mailed or returned in person by September 17, 1969.

Presently serving as community committeemen are: Community "A" - Don C. Calhoun, chairman; Horace H. Moseley, vice-chairman; J. Nelson Lee, regular member; Thurman E. Thomas, first alternate; and William L. Graham, second alternate. Community "B" - Herschel T. Wilhelm, chairman; Wayne H. Pruitt, vice-chairman; Andrew Watson, regular member; T. J. Smith, first alternate; and Nathaniel Foust, Jr., second alternate. Community "C" - Raymond Blankenship, chairman; Clebe E. Baize, vice-chairman; Kermit Dreyer, regular member; Raymond C. Gohlke, first alternate; and Charlie Foust, second alternate. Community "D" - Paul Lam chairman; Hy Davidson, vice-chairman; Horace Whitenburg,

The Chamber building will be completely reworked, removing the second floor.

The new library is planned to contain 30,000 volumes; meeting rooms, children's area, lounge area, and kitchen area.

During the Council meeting, Board members discussed with the Council the furnishings needed for the new library. Concern developed over shortness of funds needed for the furnishings and the parking area requirements.

The City's half of the project costs \$50,000 minus the \$16,000 leaves \$34,000 to be added to the federal grant of \$50,000, totaling \$84,000. The construction bid of \$76,846 and an estimated \$3000 architectural fees leave \$6,000 for the furnishings and parking.

The City Council instructed the Library Board to price the most necessary furnishings to see exactly how much money would be needed.

Mrs. Callahan Attends Training Conference

The Teacher Training Conference for Vocational Office Education teacher-coordinators was held August 4 through 8 in Fort Worth. Mrs. Gail Callahan, the local coordinator, attended the Conference.

The past school year marked the beginning of Vocational Office Education in the local schools. This program includes a part-time work program and a laboratory training program. Local businessmen cooperate with the school and provide valuable on-the-job training for the students. Fourteen businesses employed trainees during the past school year. Gatesville High School will be offering the program again this year. If any businessman desires to participate in the program or would like additional information concerning the program, he is urged to contact Mrs. Callahan at the High School Principal's office.

Local citizens, Chamber of Commerce officials and County Commissioners Court met Wednesday afternoon to discuss a State Highway Department request to re-route traffic on Highway 36.

The latest proposal is very similar to proposals made ten years ago. County Judge Norman Storm explained to the group that the loop around the eastern edge of the city would connect with the present route on the south near the intersection of FM107 and on the north at the White Hall Road.

Storm said the east loop would probably require a 420-foot wide right-of-way and the five to six mile stretch would require approximately 300 acres of land. A traffic exchange is planned for the loop where it intersects Highway 84 east of Gatesville.

Storm noted that right-of-way for the loop would cost between \$100,000 and \$120,000 with half of the cost being paid by the county.

"Highway 36 pretty well splits the Coryell County in half," said Storm. He explained, "One reason to take a look at the re-route of 36 is that there is a big move to build a new route from Houston to Abilene and Lubbock."

A close look at the map shows a straight line from Lubbock to Houston falling just south of Gatesville by less than ten miles. Any new road proposal would necessarily have to go around the Fort Hood reservation.

Storm told the group, "We feel like if we continue to put them (Highway Department) off sometime in the future they will re-route and bypass us altogether."

Storm took a stand saying, "I think it is probably the time to give the go-ahead on the loop."

Others present at the meeting had mixed views of the requested "36 loop." Dawson Cooper, president of the National Bank related to the group a meeting held 14 years ago with Highway Department officials. "At that time," Cooper noted, "They convinced me that sometime we will have to have a by-pass." He noted that at that time local citizens asked to prolong the by-pass as long as possible. "We have been living on borrowed time," he said.

Businessman Erle Powell said, "I am bitterly opposed to moving a highway 'three inches' at anytime." Powell went on to explain that with Main Street carrying the tremendous traffic load it does, and its being our only "east-west through street" it is inevitable that Highway 36 will by-pass. He said, "I feel like maybe this is the time to do it."

Mayor Bob Miller expressed the feeling that "every businessman would be opposed to it." The Mayor did point to the possible deferring of the Houston-Lubbock route away from Waco as reason enough to go ahead with the 36 loop.

Tom Miller, Gulf Oil Distributor in Gatesville, expressed opposition to the requested loop. Miller explained that the people he has talked with are in his line of business and will be hurt by the change. "There are lots of people who don't look very far ahead," he noted. In representing these people Miller said, "I am opposed to it."

Bank executive, Andrew Kindrick noted, "the longer the commissioners court puts off buying right-of-way, the more it will cost."

Concerning the urgency of the project, Commissioner Rowland Wright explained, "My understanding is that the Highway Department wants to get it on the drawing board soon." Judge Storm expressed hope to "make a decision not later than August 25." He assured the group that efforts to keep the loop close to Gatesville would be made. If long delays occur, the loop might be rerouted further east than present.

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## Joneses To Celebrate Golden Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones

Sunday, August 24, Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Jones will be celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary with open house at their home in Jonesboro on Highway 36.

The occasion will be hosted by their children. The couple was married at Plano, Texas, September 12, 1919. Before her marriage, Mrs. Jones was the former Lillian Lee Doss.

Children are Mesdames Frank (Bernice) Carr, Dallas; Hayden (Margaret) Watson, Jonesboro; Wallace (Ruth) Sellers, Silver City, New Mexico; and Glenn (Mary Katherine) Robinett, Midland; Mr. Walter L. Jones, Conroe; and Mr. Bruce D. Jones, Houston.

There are twenty grandchildren and one great-grandchild. The family requests that no gifts be brought, but that all friends and relatives are invited.

## Central Texas Fair Stated August 28-30

The Central Texas Fair, slated for August 28, 29 and 30 in Clifton, will include a big parade, livestock and home economics exhibits, dress revue, rodeo, talent and barnyard show, carnival, other exhibits and entertainment.

The parade will begin at 6 p.m. in downtown Clifton. Curtis Bakke, President of the Fair Association, invites all towns in the 8-county area to be represented in the parade. General Superintendent Homer McDougal said "the parade will start from Live Oak St. and Avenue D, so be ready about 5:30 p.m."

Prizes will be given in three categories— Fair catalogues and entry blanks have been distributed throughout the counties. Anyone needing either can contact James W. Smith, Secretary, Central Texas Fair Ass'n., Clifton, Texas 76634.

Deadlines for entering the Livestock and H. E. Exhibits are: August 20 and August 25, respectively. These divisions will include competition from Bosque, Hill, Johnson, Somervell, Erath, Hamilton, Coryell, and McLennan counties.

The H. E. building will be open for the public Thursday morning following the judging, and will close Saturday night. The Dress Revue will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, August 30 at Clifton City Hall. There is no charge

for this revue. Mrs. Paul Barnett of Clifton is General Superintendent of the H. E. Exhibits and Mrs. J. M. White of Meridian is Dress Revue Chairman.

A rodeo will be held three nights, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 28-30, at the arena near the fair grounds. Recognition will be given to livestock winners and others during the rodeo, which will begin at 8 p.m.

A Jr. Livestock Judging Contest will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, on the fair grounds.

A highlight during the 3-day event is the Turkey Dinner sponsored by the Clifton Civic Improvement Society, on Friday, August 29 at City Hall. Serving begins at 11 a.m. and continues until all food is gone.

Everyone is invited to attend the 1969 fair in Clifton.

## Live Oak Baptist To Conduct Census

The Live Oak Baptist Church, Ft. Gates, will be conducting a Religious Family Census, Sunday, August 17, 1969, after the morning worship. This census will cover the Ft. Gates area and all residents are asked to please co-operate in this census. A good census will help the church in planning her future ministry to our community.

If you are not at home when the census takers come, they will leave a self-stamped, self-addressed envelope and a census card. If you would please fill out this card and mail it to the church, we would appreciate it very much.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD WEDNESDAY FOR HERING

Robert H. Hering, 84, a resident of McGregor since 1942, died after a brief illness at 4 p.m. Tuesday in a Houston hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Lee's Chapel with Rev. Louis Hanne-man officiating. Burial was in Comal Cemetery in New Braunfels.

Mr. Hering was born in Brenham. He moved to New Braunfels while still a young boy and lived there until moving to McGregor in 1942. He married Mrs. Martha Hunter Dec. 26, 1952. Mr. Hering was a retired farmer and rancher and a member of the Lutheran Church.

Survivors are his wife; two

sons, Robert H. Hering Jr. of Gatesville and Woodrow W. Hering of Houston; five sisters, Mrs. Matilda Scheely, Mrs. Adeline Scruggs, Mrs. Fred Witte, Mrs. Fred Wiess, all of McGregor, and Mrs. Nettie LaFitte of Shreveport, La.; four brothers, Luther Hering of Waco, Albert W. Hering, Jim Hering, Sr. and Charles Hering all of McGregor; and two grandchildren.

## Great Grandson Born To Roy Langstons

August 11

Mr. and Mrs. Roy A. Langston, 1404 Bridge, are happily announcing the birth of their

## PENDLETON SERVICES HELD

Funeral services for Mrs. S. E. (Vinnie) Pendleton of Gates-

ville were at 4 p.m. Sunday in Scott's Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Kenneth Patrick officiating, burial in Pidcoke Cemetery.

Mrs. Pendleton died early Saturday in the Gatesville hospital.

Mrs. Pendleton was born in Bell County May 11, 1893, and came to Coryell County as a child. She was Miss Vinnie Ora Woodard before her marriage to Eldridge Pendleton on Dec. 13, 1910. He died in 1953.

Mrs. Pendleton lived in Pidcoke, Coppas Cove and other communities in the western part of the county before moving to Gatesville 10 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist.

Surviving are one son Sam E. Pendleton, Jr. of Scottsdale, Ariz.; two daughters, Mrs. A. D. (Jessie) Gartman of Arnett and Mrs. H. H. (Agnes) Wilkinson of Coppas Cove; two sisters, Mrs. W. E. Allen of Coppas Cove and Mrs. J. T. Hoard of Houston; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

## Airman Smith

Completes Basic

SAN ANTONIO, Airman Benjamin S. Smith, son of Mrs. Sylvia R. Bakke, Route 2, Meridian, Texas, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colorado, for training in the munitions and weapons maintenance field. Airman Smith is a 1968 graduate of Gatesville High School. His father, Benjamin R. Smith, resides at 117 Hillcrest Drive, Gatesville.

## Easley Graduates

From Ordnance School

(04FR004602) JACKSONVILLE, FLA. (FHNC) Aug. 6--Navyman Thomas R. Easley, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Easley of Route 1, Gatesville, Texas, was graduated from the Aviation Ordnance School at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Jacksonville, Fla.

He studied the use and maintenance of the various guns, munitions, and rockets used by Navy and Marine Corps air units.

Graduates of the school are assigned to the gunnery and weapons departments aboard aircraft carriers, air stations, and air squadrons.

## LIBRARY NEWS

### Club Certificate

Due Next Week

Hurry! Only one week left to finish the twelve books required for a Texas Reading Club certificate! These certificates may be picked up at the library as soon as we receive them from the State library and you have read the required books. The Reading Club certificate will be your ticket to the Doris Goodrich Jones Puppet show to be given on September 6 in the National Bank Civic Room.

New non-fiction books this week are: THE BOOK OF OLD SILVER; HENRY'S WONDERFUL MODEL T; and A DIRECTORY OF ANTIQUE FURNITURE.

New novels are: THE FIRST CIRCLE by Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn, about one of Stalin's labor camps; THE SENATOR'S LADY, a biographical novel about the wife of Stephen Douglas by Shirley Seibert; THE HERITAGE, Frances Parkinson Keyes' story of Ireland in the 1880's; and I AM MARY DUNNE, a modern tale of the many lives of one woman by Brian Moore.

# NBC 5<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY SALE



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1/4" A D Interior 4 x 8 Sheet . . .	\$2.91
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3/4" A D Interior 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$7.07
1/4" A C Exterior 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$3.21
3/8" A C Exterior 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$4.39
1/2" A C Exterior 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$5.82
3/4" A C Exterior 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$7.69
1/2" C P Sheet 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$3.40
1/4" Sheet Rock 4 x 8 Sheet . . . .	\$1.09
1/2" Sheet Rock . . . .	\$1.59
8' Treated 2 x 4 Yellow Pine Studs . . .	64¢ Each
2 x 4 Framing Grade Yellow Pine . . .	\$8.63 Per 100 Lin. Ft.
1 x 6 Ruff Oak Fencing . . . .	\$5.75 Per 100 Lin. Ft.

**10' X 20' Car Port**  
Baked Enamel  
**STEEL**  
**\$261**  
Installed

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**\$1.00**  
Sack

## FARMERS' HEADQUARTERS

**WATER TROUGHS**  
40" Dia . . . . . \$9.79  
48" Dia . . . . . \$12.98  
Concrete Septic Rings and Lids. . . \$6.98

**2 1/2" CORRUGATED FIBERGLASS**  
**19 1/2¢** Sq. Ft.

**IMPORTED BARBED WIRE**  
**\$6.89**

**STEEL POST**  
**72¢**

1035-12-14 1/2 Sheep and Goat Wire  
American Made \$12.95 Roll

**PLASTIC PIPE**

Ranchland per 100 feet

1/2 Inch Dia.	\$2.65
3/4 Inch Dia.	\$4.30
1 Inch Dia.	\$6.95
1-1/4 Inch Dia.	\$7.70
2 Inch Dia.	\$25.95
1-1/2 Inch Dia.	\$15.39

# NATIONAL BUILDING CENTER

## Lampasas, Setting For Mitchell Family Reunion

Over 100 descendants and relatives of the late Rueben and Luiza Morgan Mitchell met in Hancock Park in Lampasas for their annual reunion, Sunday, August 10.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mitchell, Doug and Lonnie; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Mitchell, Genia and Donna; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell, Richard, Karen, and Kevin; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mitchell, Kay, Ray, and Rusty; Foy J. Mitchell; Mrs. Ammer Carter, Mrs. Annie Clark; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stiles; and Erma Lou Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nichols, Dan and Ronnie; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hayes; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hudgens; Mrs. Albert Brown and Hilton; Mrs. Ivy Stiles Mar-

tin; Mr. and Mrs. Dub Potter, Delton Ray Riddle; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nixon and Delton Glen; Mr. and Mrs. Coy Angley, Linda Kay, Buddy, Becky, and Shirley; Mrs. Viola Stiles, Linda, La-Dell, Dale, and Von; Sandra and Bill Owens; Mrs. Loraine McCormack; Mrs. Allie Stiles; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Edwards; Roy Angley; Mrs. Ila Mae Lowe; Jessie Maines.

Gene and Andrea Hinson; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cody, Dewayne and Diane; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jordan, David and Renea; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Poe; Sol Nichols; Norma Hogan; Luther and Wanda Dunbar; Mrs. Bertis Graham and Sheri; Ricky and Mark Aycock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stiles; Mr. and Mrs. James Stiles; Al and Rose Henley, Milton and Judy; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Taylor, Charles and Becky.

**MOUND NEWS** Mrs. Walter Wiggins

## MRS. BRAGAWITZ'S NEPHEW

HAS SERIOUS HEART ATTACK

Mrs. H. W. Bragawitz received word recently that her nephew, Mr. Mervel Sparks of Bedford had suffered a severe heart attack. The latest word from Mrs. Myrtle Ledbetter of Waco is that her son-in-law is somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson of Odessa spent one night last week visiting in the home of

Mrs. Aubrey Davidson, The Davidsons were enroute to Louisiana to visit relatives. The Mesdames Davidsons are sisters.

Mrs. Truett Hopson and her daughter Margaret Jo and Mrs. T. R. Cole, Sr. and Mrs. O. E. McHargue were Waco visitors last Tuesday.

Mrs. McHargue and Mrs. Cole were business visitors in Gatesville one day last week and also visited Mrs. C. F. Marshall

Joining Our Staff This Week At **KUT-N-KURL** Is Paula Spenser

Watch for the GRAND OPENING of Kut-N-Kurl, coming soon. For the latest in hair styling consult Inez Ingram, owner of the new shop. Remember if you need a kut-n-kurl see us at 2529 East Bridge Street. Call 865-6856 for appointments.



# Gatesville at a Glance

by Lillian Vidler  
call 865-6397  
865-2961



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GIVING IT UP--This so-called writer will be leaving Coryell County News after today, as an employee that is. The News has become so much a part of me the past few months, I already know I'll still be spending a lot of time here. Not to mention Graves Flower Shop.

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CAN'T HAVE YOUR CAKE AND EAT IT TOO--still holds true, or at least in my case. You see, I feel I'm neglecting my family when I spend all these hours away from home during the day. And when night rolls around, I'm not the most pleasant person to be around. Let's face it, I'm just not capable of holding down a full-time job and a home, too.

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IT'S BEEN A GREAT OPPORTUNITY--and a challenge. How else could I have met and made new friends this quickly? I feel that I know Gatesville much better than I would have had I not worked with Coryell County News. Working for the Newspaper has made me more aware of what's going on around me.

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BIG INTRODUCTION PLANNED--Yes, we had planned to introduce your new "Gatesville At A Glance" girl in a big way, and I was to have the honor of doing so in this column. But "our girl" as I always refer to her is none other than Sally Jones herself, the original "Gatesville At A Glance" columnist. Sally has decided to stay home for awhile, and I know she will be a benefit to the Paper.

She is prepared to do you a good job, with experience and then, too, her minor at college in journalism. Plus her eagerness, enthusiasm, and fresh ideas will be a big help.

With this change, you will no doubt notice a pick-up in the column and social pages.

I'll be looking forward to reading Coryell County News from now on with complete relaxation.

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ON THE SCENE AT SIX FLAGS--Tuesday was a lively group of young people from Live Oak Baptist Church. Sharing the day of fun with the group were the pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Howard Porter, and Sunday School teachers, Mrs. Wade Tatum and Mrs. Horace Baker and son Bob.

For lunch all forty youngsters and adults met at the "Plantation" a southern-style pavilion.

They really made a day of it--staying till Six Flags closed the gates.

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FAMILY AFFAIR--Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cohagan and Linda have been on vacation the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Max Blansit and Lisa.

Most of their time was spent in Colorado at different points of interest such as Manitou Springs, Denver, Boulder, and Woodland Park.

From conversation with Vera, I gather the most interesting spot visited was Capulin Mountain National Monument in New Mexico. Capulin Mountain is one of the largest and most symmetrical of the geologically recent cinder cones in the U.S. The mountain consists chiefly of loose cinders, ash and other rock debris of volcanic explosions. Though quiet now, the earth once vented itself in violent eruptions.

Interesting, too, is the fact that from the highest point of its crater rim, you can see parts of five states--New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado.

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PROUD PARENTS--Mr. and Mrs. Ray Edmondson beaming over having their son Kenneth here last week. Kenneth was here a week before taking a new job in Houston with Fisk Line Company. He is previously from Austin.

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KEEPING IN CONTACT--with Mrs. Weldon Jones, she tells us she had another letter from Don, her son who was injured in Vietnam by a Viet Cong mine. The injury was damage to his left hand and arm.

His letter stated he is doing well and as planned, will be home the 21st of August.

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A VERY POPULAR PLACE--for Gatesvillites Tuesday was Six Flags.

Other than the Live Oak Church group, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Esparza and daughters Becky and Della; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mitchell and children, Larry, Richard, Kevin and Karen also found this a good place to have family fun. Most of the places you wait to enjoy the rides are air-conditioned, so it's quite comfortable as well.

## Miss Lackey - Richard Spindle To Wed In August



Miss Lackey

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Sandra Kay Lackey to Richard Wayne Spindle has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lackey, Jr., of Lampasas. The groom-to-be is the son of Mrs. George Spindle of Austin and the late Mr. Spindle.

The wedding will be an event of August 30 at the First Baptist Church in Lampasas. Richard Spindle is the grandson of Mrs. R. G. Dickie of Gatesville.

## Miss Rainer, Joe Mullins United In Marriage

The marriage of Miss Vicki Lynn Rainer and Mr. Joe Norman Mullins was solemnized Saturday, August 2, at eight o'clock in the West Main Street Church of Christ. Rev. Roland McLean conducted the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Rainer. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mullins of Longview. A white archway centered the wedding scene with two candelabra and two white gladioli floral arrangements alternately gracing either side.

Wedding music was provided by Kathy Sims, organist, and soloist, Mrs. Jessie McLean.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal empire gown of white peau de soie and Chantilly lace, with long fitted sleeves and a minitrain.

The shoulder length veil of tulle was centered with a white rose. She carried a nosegay of white rosebuds centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Brenda Mabry of Houston was matron of honor. Misses Janice Mullins, sister of the groom, Longview; Vickie Brown, Dallas; Kathie Schraeder and Linda Lam, both of Gatesville were bridesmaids. The attendants wore floor length empire gowns of pink peau de soie complemented with headpieces of pink lace tulle. They carried a single long-stemmed rose.

Lisa Smith of Gatesville was flower girl.

Eddie Douglas of Stephenville served the groom as best man. Groomsmen included Butch Tiller, Grapevine; David Grounds, Dallas; Steve Shelton, Longview; and William Toshea of Rosebud.

Seating guests were Tony and Gary Rainer, brothers of the bride.

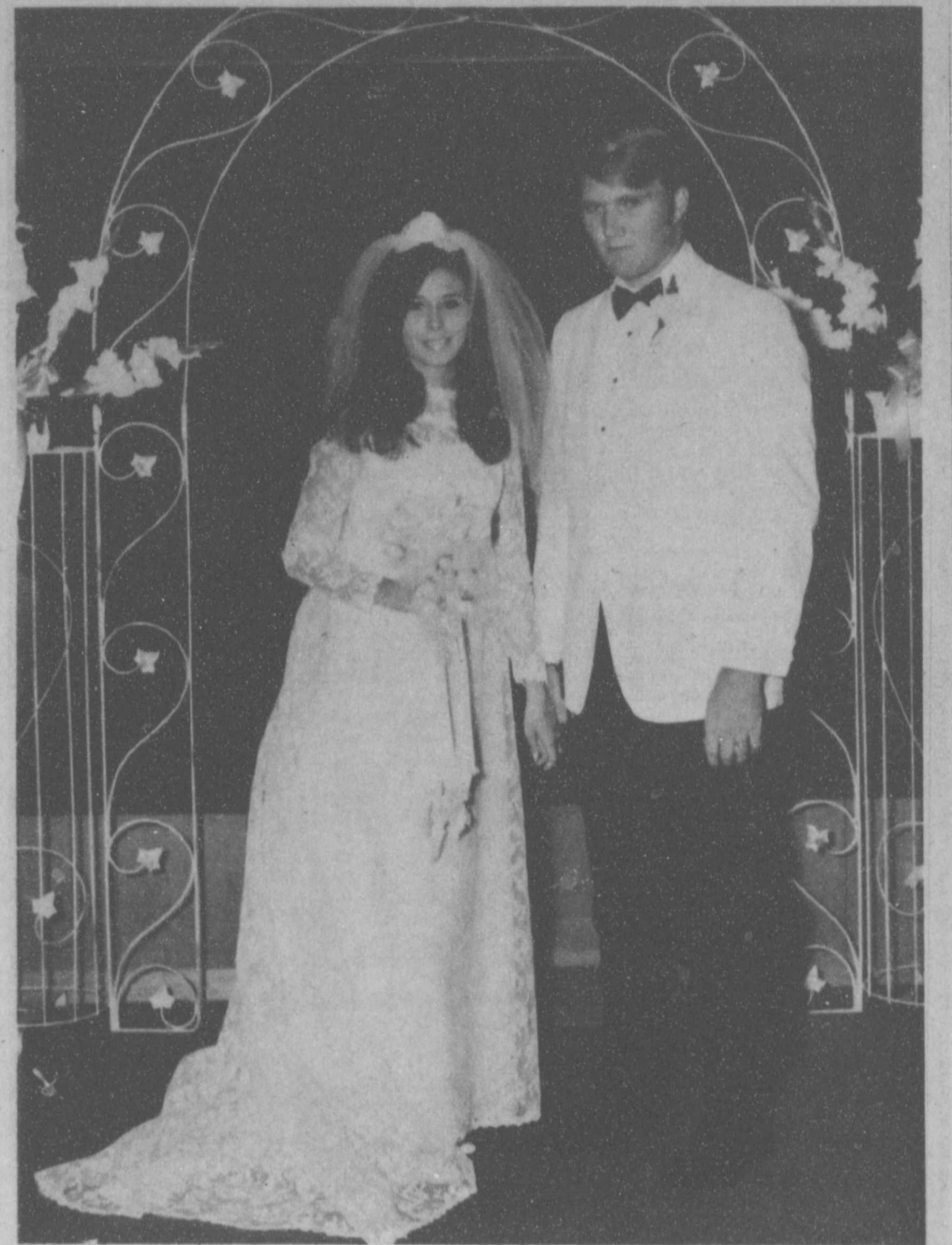
Following the ceremony, a reception was hosted by the bride's parents at the Chateau Ville.

The wedding trip was spent in Galveston.

They will reside at the Garfield apartments in Stephenville.

Mrs. Mullins is a graduate of Gatesville High School and is presently a sophomore at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

Mr. Mullins is a graduate of Pine Tree High School and is currently a junior at Tarleton.



Mr. And Mrs. Joe Mullins  
Formerly Vickie Lynn Rainer

## Nelson - McLean Wed In Home Ceremony

On Monday, August 11, 1969, at 3 p. m., Dr. Jack Hanson McLean, formerly of Gatesville, now of New Orleans, and Linda Nelson of New Orleans were united in holy matrimony in the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. James M. McLean.

The ceremony was ready by Rev. James Elder of Fort Stockton, brother-in-law of the groom. The ceremony used was one that had been written by the groom's father, the late Rev. James M. McLean.

James McLean, Jr. of Richardson served as his brother's best man; Mrs. James Elder, sister of the groom, served as matron-of-honor. Only immediate members of the groom's family and a few close friends were present for the ceremony. Immediately following the ceremony, a small reception was held in the living room of the groom's mother, Mrs. Don Hunt poured punch; Mrs. Tom Miller served cake from a table covered with an exquisite handmade Normandy lace cloth. Mrs. Beulah McCain, aunt of the groom, had made the cloth, along with a corresponding buffet cloth. These cloths have been used in the McLean family

for many auspicious occasions. Very soon after the ceremony the bridal couple left for a short honeymoon. After August 22, they will be home in New Orleans where Dr. McLean is on the faculty of Louisiana State University.



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## IMPORTANT SCHOOL NOTICE

### High School Registration

High school students register August 18, 19, and 20.

Note: If a student registered last Spring, and desires to take the same courses there is no need to register further. If a student desires to change a course please re-register during these three days.

### New Students:

All new high school students, and those not registering last Spring, please register Monday, August 18, 1969.

### First Year Students Elementary School

All students entering school for the first time must have a birth certificate, and a Vaccination certificate for small-pox.

New Students for the Elementary or Junior High School register August 18, 19, and 20.

Please do not come to the school buildings August 25 and 26. Teachers and all personnel will be busy in work-shops.

August 27, 1969, will be the first day of school. Buses will run and lunches will be served.

Please watch for buses the first two or three days to give us time to work out a schedule.

Monday, September 1, 1969, will be a Holiday

First football game September 12. Robinson vs. Gatesville at 8:00 p.m. in Gatesville.

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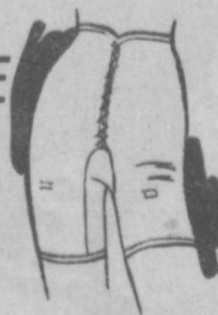
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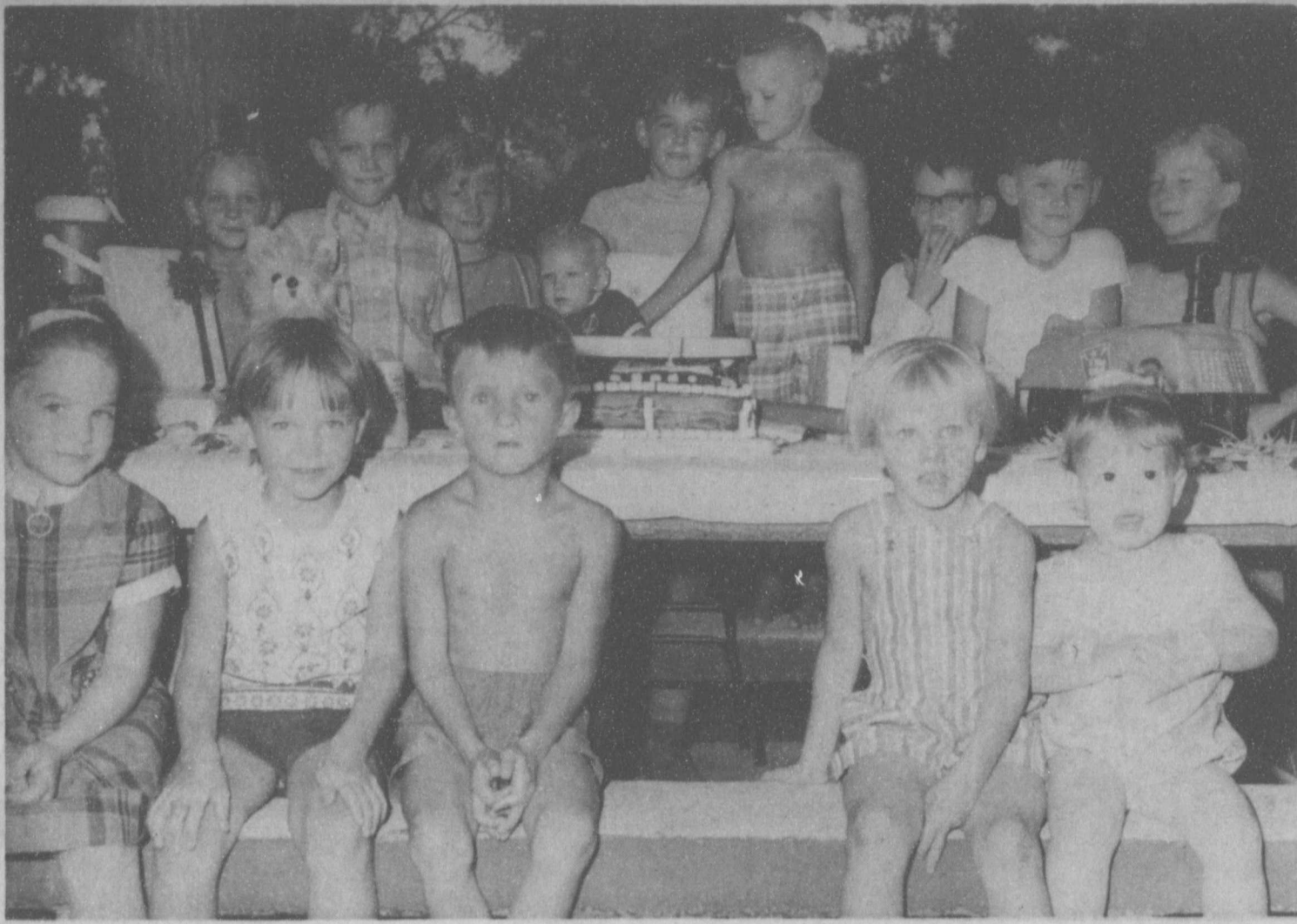
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## Clayton Shane Lynch Is One

ONE YEAR OLD--Clayton Shane Lynch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lynch of Route two, was honored with a birthday party on the evening of August 11 at Faunt LeRoy Park. Birthday cake and homemade ice cream were served to friends and relatives to celebrate the special occasion. Guests pictured are (bottom row, left to right) Mindy Morse, Tana Voss, Tommy Blanchard, Dianna Adair and Missy Necessary.

(Top row, left to right) Tommy Voss, Jim Baize, Tommy Blanchard, the honoree Shane, Bobby Voss, Will Adair, Barry Voss, and Tim and Kim Blanchard.

Others enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Blanchard, Mrs. Audine Necessary, Mr. Joe Pat Rainer, Mrs. Jack Morris and Barbara Lynch.

### Localites Relative Makes Viet Air Strike

WITH U. S. COMBAT AIR FORCES, Vietnam -- Major Buddy E. Dees, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Dees, Finley, Tenn., recently bombed an enemy bunker complex 30 miles west of Saigon. Major Dees and a fellow F-100 Super Sabre pilot of the 3rd Tactical Fighter Wing at Bien Hoa Air Base were diverted to a location spotted by an Army forward air controller (FAC). The target was along two trails leading eastward. The pilots dropped their ordnance in singles along each trail and into nearby trees. The FAC credited them with destroying 11 enemy bunkers. Major Dees, a 12 year Air

Force veteran, is a 1952 graduate of Dyersburg (Tenn.) High School. The Kappa Sigma member received his B. S. degree from the University of Tennessee in 1956 and was commissioned there through the Air

Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

His wife, Kittle, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hedgpeth of Gatesville, Texas.

### Farmers' Mutual Insurance Association Elects New Officers

The annual meeting of Directors and Stockholders of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Association was held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, August 9, in the Civic Room of the National Bank in Gatesville.

The main order of business was the election of new officers and directors. The officers for the coming year are: President, Vern Perryman, Jr.; Vice-President, Taylor Yongue, Jr.; and Secretary-Treasurer, Har-

mon J. White. The other directors include George Adams, Roy Conner, J. T. Davidson, and Elgin Davidson. Farmers' Mutual Insurance Association has been authorized to raise the limit for coverage on one unit from \$15,000 to \$20,000. Also on the agenda were plans for the upcoming Texas state convention of FMA which will be held in Gatesville in November.

### HOSPITAL NEWS Babies

Baby girl Palmer born August 11, 1969, 8:26 p.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Palmer of Gatesville.

Baby boy McCoughey born August 12, 1969, 1:50 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCoughey of Gatesville.

Baby girl Veazey born August 12, 1969, 2:43 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Veazey of Gatesville.

Baby girl New born August 12, 1969, 4:03 a.m. to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd New, Gatesville.

### Patients

Mr. Hope Thompson  
Francis McDonald  
Mr. Loenard Ivy  
Mrs. Burl Jones  
Mrs. Virginia Lovell  
Mrs. Mary Marshall  
Mrs. Burnie Brazzil  
Mrs. Bessie Thompson  
Mrs. Edith Mueller  
Mrs. Thomas McCoughey  
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Mrs. Nora Copeland  
Rosie B. Walters  
Mrs. Doria Hill  
Mrs. Billy Manning  
Bill Price

### DID YOU KNOW ...



### ... Highway

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sently proposed. At present the loop probably will be routed west of the city's water reservoir east of Gatesville. State School Business Manager, R. V. Woollever expressed concern over the route through the state school and its effect on a \$17,000 swimming pool just completed at the school. Woollever also reported that he had experienced such re-routing in another town. He said "It will hurt filling station and restaurant businesses, but over a period of five years the town will benefit from the change."

### ... Football

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the Hornets will scrimmage Mexia at home. First regular game for the Hornets will be Robinson on September 12 in Gatesville. The Hornets intersquad scrimmage will divide the squad into two equal teams. Coach Elliot and Coach Walker will handle the two squads. Each season, mid-August practice sessions bring expectations of a top flight team. Coach Moss noted this week that the same things in Gatesville make for a winning combination. He specified player attitude as vital to success. All three coaches said they have never had a group of kids with as good an attitude. Moss said, "They have decided they are tired of loosing." Winning takes many factors, most of which are still undeveloped in the 1969 rendition of the Hornets. The squad has five returning starters and a host of last year's 'B' Team ready for varsity action. There are twelve Hornet seniors ready for practice sessions this year. Coach Moss pointed to these men as experienced in the 3-A pigskin wars and the anchor to the team. The seniors will be in the offensive and defensive line. Moss said he had sophomores and juniors in backfield with very

little varsity experience. The all important quarterback duties will be handled by three boys: Mike Barr, senior; Larry Moore, junior; and Jim Saunders, sophomore. The Hornet backfield will have potential, but presently everything is unknown. Randy Schoenewolf is set for a try at fullback. Douglas Freeman is slated for a test at wingback. Steve Palmer, Ronald Brown, and Jim Smith will also see action as backfield prospects. Looking at the over-all picture of the team, Coach Moss noted that practice sessions would probably alter personnel and position to some extent. The Hornets will put on a new look this season with a Slot 1 offense much like college and professional formations. The power formation sets the running game to go either way. "Passing will be a weapon," Moss said. He explained that this season the Hornets would pass the football to move the ball and not just on obvious down such as third and eight yards. The team has the needed size but lacks the necessary speed. Good moves and quick reactions will be important to the Hornet success. The fastest boy on the squad is Larry Moore with 10.4 second hundred yard dash.

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## Season FOOTBALL TICKETS

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OPTIONS If you hold an option, please exercise your option by August 29, 1969. If you do not intend to hold your option please call the high school office 865-2935 and release the option.

NON-OPTION SEATS There are several non-option seats available. These seats will go on sale August 14, 1969, for the 1969 season only.

There are five home games at \$1.50 per game. All reserved seats \$7.50 for season.

Reserved seats are not good for any other games except the varsity.

We are looking forward to a good season.

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