



Burglars Steal Equipment From Construction Company Commissioners Barn

Burglars broke into the County Barn Precinct 2, Tuesday night or early Wednesday and stole many tools and other equipment.

The burglary was reported early Wednesday by County Commissioner, Cloyce Duncan. Sheriff, Windy Cummings noted that entry was made by cutting the chain link fence around the equipment yard and the building was entered on the south side through a window.

Taken in the burglary were an estimated \$750 in wrenches and small tools, a 20 gallon water cooler, head of a cutting torch, 2 chain saws and two new truck tires.

Also this week, Willard Key reported that a chain saw and stereo tape player and some tapes were taken from his home.

On September 15, Austin Bridge Company reported several things were stolen from a trailer house near the Leon River Bridge, where the company is working. Ralph Hofer of Austin Bridge, reported an adding machine, an air conditioner, an air drill, transistor radio, and a fishing tackle box were taken from the trailer house.

Investigation is continuing into the three break-ins, reports Sheriff Windy Cummings.

Homecoming Slated For November 14 and 15

Friday and Saturday, November 14 and 15 has been designated at Gatesville High School Homecoming date. Activities will begin with the annual pep rally, Friday afternoon at 2:30 p.m. in the High School gym.

At 8:00, Friday night the fighting Hornets will battle the Lampasas Badgers at McKame Stadium. Football teams of the years of 1918, 1928, 1938, 1948, 1958 and 1968 will receive special recognition at half-time activities, along with the crowning of the homecoming queen.

The following evening, GHS students will gather at the High School at 6:30 for their annual homecoming dinner, fellowship and general meeting. The dinner will be followed by individual class reunion parties. This year the honored classes will be the 1909, 1919, 1929, 1939, 1949, 1959, and 1969.

Moody Courier Editor Dies

W. W. Gay, 80, of Moody, publisher and editor of the Moody Courier for the past 40 years, died at 11 a.m., Wednesday at his home, apparently of a heart attack.

Funeral services were at 2:30 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church at Moody with Rev. Kenneth Rogers officiating. Burial was in Valley Mills cemetery.

Mr. Gay, who entered the newspaper business as a 16-year-old printer, worked his last morning Wednesday at the Courier and had gone home to bed when he suffered the heart attack.

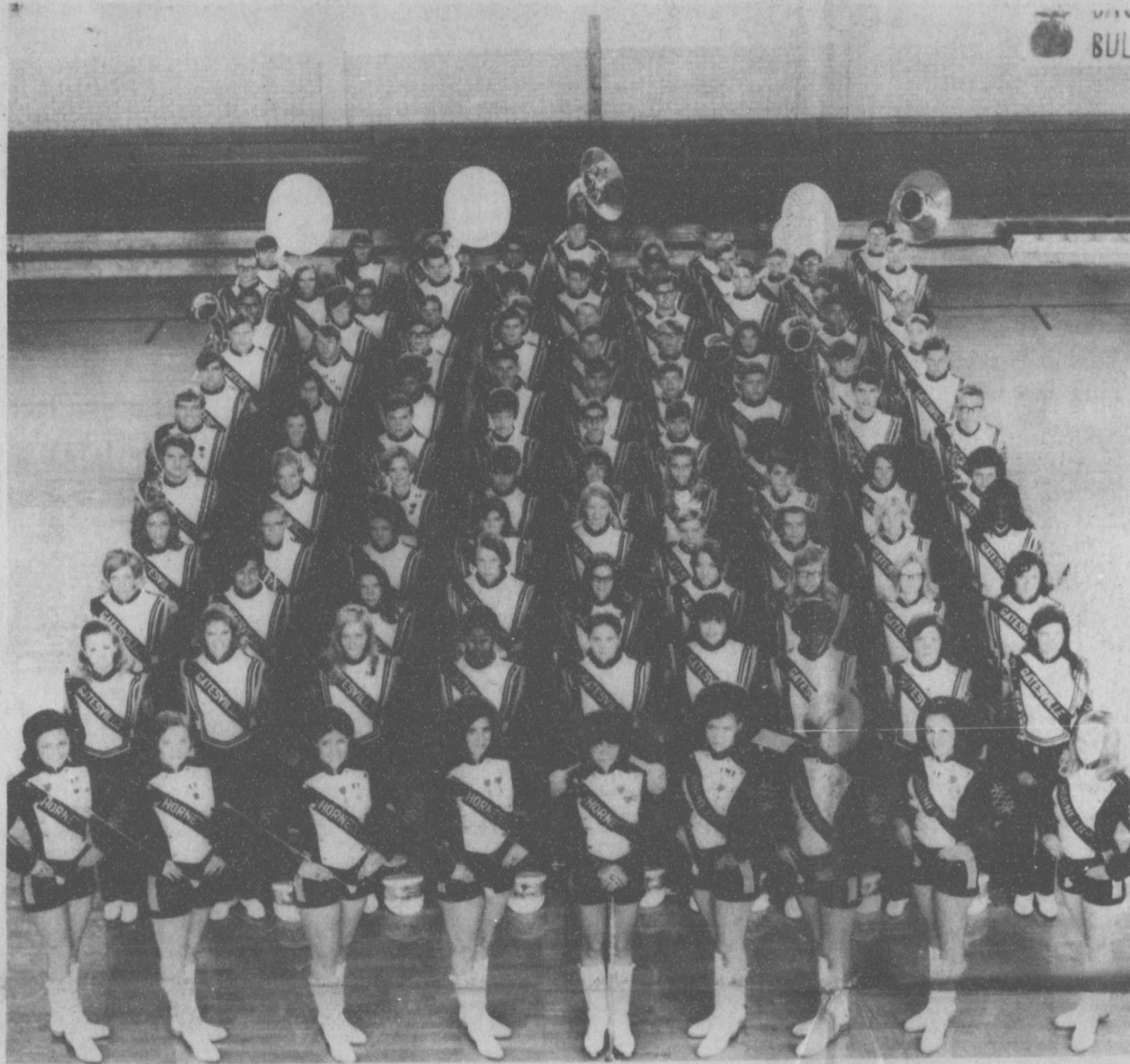
Mr. Gay, publisher and owner for 40 years, recently sold the Moody Courier to the Mart Daily, but continued to operate the weekly despite his declining health. He bought the Moody Courier in 1938 after the death of M. Fox, owner of the paper for 27 years.

As a young boy, Gay worked in Oklahoma for a while, then moved to Hamlin with his family and later to Rotan. In 1912, he got a job as a printer at the Valley Mills newspaper. In August of 1912, he bought the Crawford Advance.

Mr. Gay later owned half interest in the daily newspaper at Longview before buying the Venus News in 1917, which he owned for seven years.

Mr. Gay later published other newspapers in Ladonia, Wolfcamp, Willey and Forney. He bought the Moody Courier in 1938.

The Moody Courier was a handset paper at the time and was continued to operate it as a newspaper. See PUBLISHER page 2



The Gatesville High School Band under the direction of James Burton will perform at the "Governor for a Day" celebration for Sen. J. P. Word in Austin, Saturday.

The Hornet Band, numbering over 100, will begin playing in the Rotunda of the Capital building at 3:00 p.m., Saturday.

"GOVERNOR FOR A DAY" CELEBRATION TO HONOR SEN. J.P. WORD

Friday will be the final day for purchasing dinner tickets for the "Governor for a Day" celebration, honoring Sen. J. P. Word, Saturday, September 20. County Judge, Norman Storm estimates that over 300 Coryell County citizens will attend the day-long festivities honoring Sen. Word in Austin. Tickets have been available in all areas of Coryell County and can still be bought at the County Judge's office at \$5.00 each.

The banquet dinner honoring Sen. Word will be held at the

Terrace Motor Hotel in Austin at 7:30 p.m. The day's activities will begin at 9:30 a.m. with 52nd District Judge Truman Roberts administering the oath of office to Governor Word. At 10:00 a.m., a reception will begin in the Governor's office and continue until 12:00 noon. The reception will pick up again following a family luncheon at the governor's mansion at 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. The Gatesville High School Band is scheduled to play in the Rotunda of the State Cap-

ital from 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., Saturday. Coryell County will be represented by delegations from Gatesville, Copperas Cove, Mountain View School for Boys, Gatesville State School for Boys and other citizens.

The "Governor for a Day" celebration for Senator Word is the result of his election as President Pro Tempore of the Senate in the second special session. His term will end Monday, Sept. 22. Gov. Preston Smith and Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes will be out of the state Saturday, making Sen. Word governor for a day.

Sen. Word has been a leader in the Texas Senate since his election to the body in 1963. He led the fight to provide taxes to finance programs passed by the 61st Legislature this year.

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes today noted the contributions made by Senator Word to the 61st Legislature in a special press release. Barnes discussed the significant part taken by Sen. Word in the proceedings which led to the successful completion of the two called sessions.

Barnes said, "Sen. Word's wise advice and reasoned debate were of tremendous assistance to the Senate in its deliberations on the critical issues of taxation and appropriations. In a session marked by controversy, and criticism, the legislative experience of

J. P. Word served him well, and enabled him to capably represent the people of his district and state."



Dann Mattiza Begins Third Year At Air Force Academy

U. S. AIR FORCE ACADEMY Cadet Dann D. Mattiza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Mattiza of Route 2, Gatesville, Texas, is among the 740 cadets who have entered their junior year at the U. S. Air Force Academy.

As he began his third year at the Academy, Cadet Mattiza was named to the Commandant's List for his outstanding military performance. He wears a silver wreath insignia recognizing the honor accorded him by the Academy commandant of cadets.

The cadet will serve during the fall term as a squadron operations and training sergeant with the rank of cadet master sergeant. He was selected for the position because of his demonstrated leadership abilities and effectiveness ratings.

During the past summer, Cadet Mattiza served as an instructor in the Academy's air base security indoctrination and training program for underclassmen.

The cadet will be commissioned a second lieutenant and receive his B. S. degree upon graduation from the Academy.

He is a 1967 graduate of Gatesville High School.

HORNETS FACE MARLIN IN TOUGH ROAD GAME TONIGHT

The Gatesville Hornets are coming off of 36 to 16 victory over Robinson similar to last season opening victory 36 to 18 against Robinson.

The similarities do not end with the first game, however. Last season the Hornets ran into a tough Marlin squad which fought the Hornets to a 14-14 tie.

This season, things will be the same with Marlin figured for a strong offense and a superb defense. Scouting reports show Marlin to use a "pro set" with two split receivers and two running backs.

Coach Jack Moss looks for the Bulldogs to "throw and throw." He noted, "Against Roebud the Bulldogs passed about half the time." Marlin downed Roebud 9 to 0.

Moss noted that in two scrimmages and one game, Marlin had allowed only one touchdown from scrimmage. Marlin scrimmaged Belton and Richfield of Waco.

A favorite target of Konz quarterback for Marlin, is flanker back, Alfred Davis. Davis will probe the Hornet defensive backs for weak spots all night.

Marlin's defensive team has proven themselves and will probably be a big test of the Hornet offense this season. The Hornets with little real speed

have still found sweeps and power plays successful. However, the Marlin defense is quick and should control the outside running game.

Coach Moss noted this week that the Marlin defense will be the Arkansas "Monster Five" which was so successful several years back.

Turning to the Hornet side of things, the team is 100 per cent healthy this week, with Danny Belf working out all week



BELF and Doug Freeman recovered from last Friday night's dis-



FREEMAN located elbow.

Coach Moss plans to use the same offensive alignment against Robinson this week against Marlin. The Hornet defense had a good work out Wednesday against the B team and optimism is running high in the Hornet camp.

Last week, Mike Barr, senior Quarterback, provided much of the Hornet offensive punch with 126 yards gained in nine plays. Barr is a key figure in the Hornet offensive attack, both running and passing.

With Larry Smith and Danny Belf both in action, Hornet fans can look for aerial excitement from the Hornets tonight.

Defensively, the Hornets will prove tough on pass rushing, since the defense dropped the Robinson Quarterback over seven times on pass plays. The pass rush will come from everywhere with Linebackers, Steve Palmer and Keith Bell and Monster Man, George Thompson, breaking through. Thompson is turning in a top performance as monster

TYC DIRECTOR COMMENDS COOL HEADED COMMUNITY

Local Lions heard Dr. James Turman, executive director of the Texas Youth Council, review the past year, the publicity and the many untrue allegations forwarded this year at the noon luncheon of the Lions Club, Wednesday.

Turman pointed out to Lions at the beginning of his talk that many of the people who made allegations had other motives in mind. Without calling names, Turman said, "he ran all year for mayor of Houston against me."

Recently, Sen. Curtis Graves announced his candidacy for mayor of Houston. Sen. Graves was part of the so-called investigating committee to visit in the Mountain View School for Boys.

Turman expressed his appreciation to the Gatesville area for its "cool headedness" during the unrelenting attack by irresponsible citizens. He pointed to the communities cool headedness saying, that, "it is absolutely necessary when you are under fire."

Discussing the effect of the adverse publicity, Turman said, "It hurts all aspects of the community." Over the state, it cost a reflection on the community.

Turman commended the local news media for their accurate coverage of the situation, noting that many state wide and

daily papers disregarded facts and printed the sensational material.

Dr. Turman recognized the part played by local law enforcement officers from the day-to-day problem of runaway youths to more serious investigation.

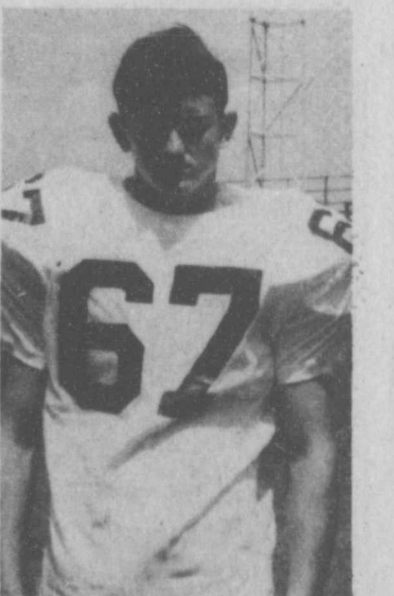
Turman pointed out to Lions that our Representative, Bob Salter, "took a terrific buffing in our (TYC) behalf and your behalf during this period."

Turman noted that Judge Truman Roberts made what Turman estimates to be his greatest service to the TYC and community when at one of the "continuous hearings" in Austin, he invited accusers to bring their allegations before a grand jury.

Turman went on to note that the publicity effected inmate attitudes in other Texas institutes, causing disturbances.

"Under the circumstances, we came out smelling like a rose," said Turman. "We can not expect to go through one single year without this unwarranted publicity by those seeking headlines," he noted.

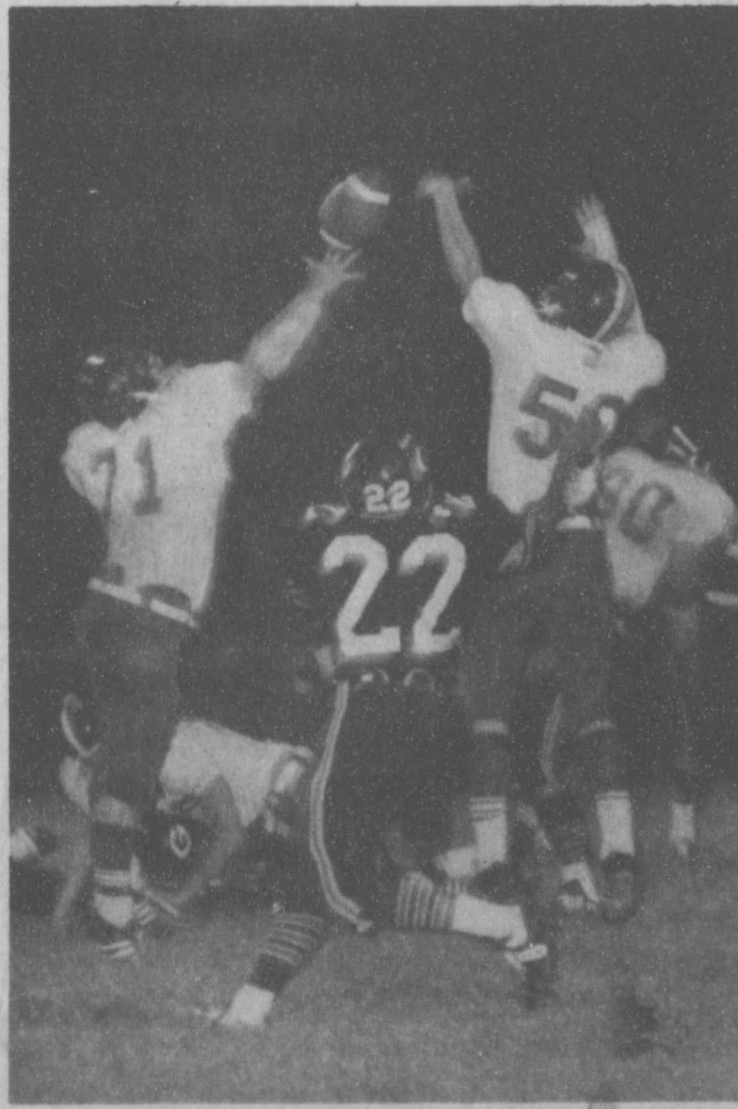
"These frequent periods of criticism often rob us of our zeal and often even our religions." "We must be willing to do some unrelenting hard work to reach our goal," he said.



THOMPSON

man this season. Last week he became almost a common figure in the Robinson backfield. The Hornet coaching staff describes Thompson as one of the hard hitters on the squad this season.

Marlin will be tough and the Hornets will be tough also. Defensively, both teams will hold down scoring. We look for the Hornets to win 16 - 14.



Ray Ortega, #22, awaits a pass from Mike Barr, Quarterback, #15, as defensive players for Robinson reach desperately to deflect the ball. Ortega makes the reception to get the Hornets out a hole near the goal line.



Ronald Brown (left) and Mike Barr (right) lead the Hornet rushing attack against Robinson with a total of 201 yards rushing and four touchdowns.

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TWO ACCIDENTS RESULT IN \$1,100 DAMAGE

Two auto accidents were reported this week by Department of Public Safety Patrolman J. K. Hamilton and David Jund.

William Miles of Waco escaped injury when the station wagon he was driving left the roadway, Saturday at 1 a.m.

The accident occurred on FM 932 near Old Purnela, said J. K. Hamilton, investigating officer.

Hamilton said the Miles vehicle left the pavement, ran through a fence and struck a tree. Damages to the Chevy wagon were estimated at \$300. Miles was charged with driving at an unsafe speed.

A Monday morning two-car accident resulted in a total of \$800 damages for their owners. Involved in the accident were Joe Cullar and Mrs. Patsy Fisher, both of Gatesville.

Mrs. Fisher was attempting a left turn off of Texas 36, 1.7 miles south of FM 107, when her auto was struck from the

rear by the 1963 Ford sedan driven by Cullar, said DPS patrolman, Jund. He estimated damages at \$600 to the Cullar auto and \$200 to the Fisher

Chevrolet sedan. Cullar was filed on for failure to control speed. No injuries resulted from the mishap.

EVANT NEWS by Cornelia Kreid

Rain fell into the news again at Evant, on Thursday. Some one to one and one half inches fell slowly and welcome. Not a single drop was wasted; it never is really. Fall grain looks good, grass looks better and smiles on the ranchmen look best of all.

FORMER CORYELL COUNTY RESIDENT DIES IN REST HOME

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. L. C. Rob-

Farris Aboard USS Kitty Hawk

USS KITTY HAWK - Airman Clarence J. Farris, UF, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Farris of Star Route 2, Evant, Texas, is serving aboard the USS Kitty Hawk, an attack aircraft carrier, which just completed an eight month deployment to Vietnam.

The Kitty Hawk, which was the first ship to receive a Presidential Unit Citation for performance during the Vietnam conflict, conducted wide spread operations in the area ranging from the Tonkin Gulf to the Sea of Japan.

The ship spent 114 days in five line periods. During this time it provided fire support for Allied troops engaged in ground action.

The Kitty Hawk also visited numerous ports during its tour in the Orient.

MOUNTAIN NEWS by Mrs. J. H. Jeffrey

MRS. ADUS RODGERS DIES RECENTLY

Sympathy is extended the Rodgers family in the death of Mr. Adus Rodgers. He was the father of Boyd Rodgers of this community.

Don Horton who received knee injury while playing football, is spending a while here, with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cook.

Mrs. Dee White of McGregor were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt, Mrs. White and Mrs. Holt attended funeral services for Mr. Jack Dorsey in Gatesville, Sunday afternoon.

Recent guests of Mrs. J. H. Jeffrey were her nephew, Ellis Kinsey of Lampasas, Mrs. Ernest Fisher, Mrs. Bill Richardson, Mrs. Bessie Coalston, Mrs. Charlie Ballard, Judy Ballard and Rosa Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cook spent last weekend visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cook and family in Irving. They visited a sister, Mrs. Susie Coil and daughter, Madaline in Dallas. They also visited another sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hardie in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Holt and girls of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holt, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Ernest Dempsey of Waco brought both morning and evening messages at the Pentecostal Church in Gatesville, Sunday. He was dinner and supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barton had their three sons, and their families visiting them Sunday. They included Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barton and family, Ma and Mrs. Bill Barton and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Butch Barton and John.

Mrs. Lola Bray had her children visiting her over the weekend. They were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bray and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hal and family.

Visiting over the weekend in the Robert Featherston home were Mr. and Mrs. John Featherston, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McClendon and family of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Brown and family of Moody.

Otho Smith of Oglesby took Bill Richardson who had been suffering with a back injury for some time to a doctor in Stephenville for a check-up.

Mrs. Frank Roads received severe burns on her right hand while cooking.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Loer Sr. were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Buster and family of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Loer, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Galloway, Misses Brenda and Glenda Evetts, Mrs. Ernest Ochoa and baby, Mrs. Dean Barton, Joe New, Mrs. Patricia Wendeborn, Mrs. Annie Lee Ledford, of Odessa; Mrs. Bert Wilson.

Little Carol Sue Clary of Oglesby is visiting here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McClaren of McGregor were recent guests in the Richardson home.

MISS ANNIE SAWYER RETIRES FROM JUNIOR TEACHER

Sunday, September 14, marked a step for Miss Annie Sawyer, lifelong resident of Evant. She sat in the adult Sunday School class in Evant United Methodist Church for the first time in sixty years. She has just completed three score years as Sunday School teacher, most of which has been in the Junior Class. From a pupil of the late Mr. H. Y. Price, Miss Sawyer began teaching young people, which led to a class of some sixty student, many of whom still live in and around Evant. Through the years, she recalls, she has given many "attendance pins", the latest being to Bryan Kreid, who completed three years in her class, with only seven Sundays out. Four of these were spent in other Sunday Schools and three were due to illness and highwater. These reasonable excuses did not count against his record, she said.

Miss Sawyer, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sawyer, taught in Evant public school for many years having began her career at fifty dollars a month. She has taught the children and grandchildren, in Sunday School, of some of the first pupils she had in public school. Before anyone gets the idea she is getting "on the

PERSONALS

Tuesday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ballow were her sisters, Mrs. Iola Hines, Dordell, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Zola Smith, Wichita Falls.

The Ballows had just received word that Mr. Ballow's brother-in-law, Mr. G. D. Robinson, of Hollis, Oklahoma had just died at Amarillo. The family have been frequent visitors in the Ballow home through the years. Mr. Robinson was buried in Hollis, Oklahoma, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Herlinda Ochoa and family have recently moved to the house formerly owned by the Hosteller family. They purchased the house and seem happy there. They have lived in Evant for several years, as the mother is employed with the January Care Home. Her late husband's parents spent the weekend with the Ochoas having come out from Waco to see their new home as soon as they knew about it.

Mrs. Milton Miller left Thursday for Texas City where she is to spend a few days with her son, Lynnwood, and family.

Mrs. Amy England and brother, Rosser Warren have returned from a long trip to the northwestern states, including some time in the home of Mrs. England's daughter, Emily. The family had gone to Europe and Mrs. England had a summer of "cool" overseeing the care of the yard and house. They visited a total of thirteen states while they were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Higgins had as guest last week, his son, Dock Higgins, from California.

Mr. Chester Sheldon is still a patient in a Temple hospital, but expects to return to his home shortly.

Mrs. B. T. Arnold entertained

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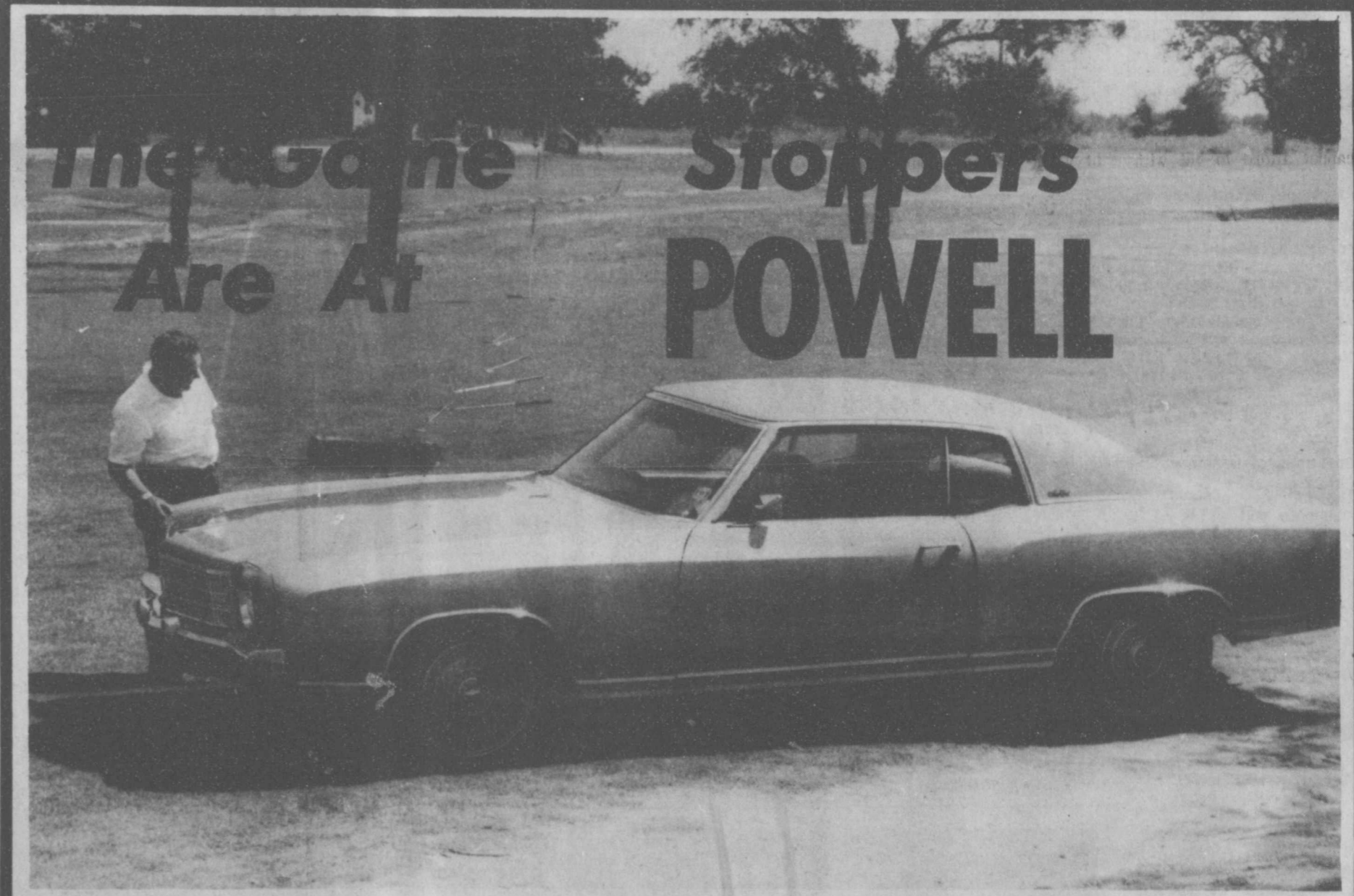
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TOWER NOTES EVERETT DIRKSEN PASSING WITH ESTEEM

It's difficult for me to believe that Everett Dirksen is no longer with us. I haven't known any other leader since I've been in the Senate. From the first day I came to the Senate, he was not only my leader, but my teacher and friend. I quickly developed a deep appreciation for his warmth and kindness and a personal affection for him. I always remember him with the highest esteem. His death has left a tremendous void that I think will not again be filled.

Senator Dirksen had a character of leadership which I believe went far beyond that which can normally be expected in a man called upon to lead his party in the Senate. Senator Dirksen had the ability to sense the majority views of his colleagues and at the same time he remained his own man. He knew when to fight and he knew when to compromise. He had a unique sense of humor and a unique charm that can only be called a blessing.

We are not likely to see all these leadership qualities combined in a single individual again for many years. Those of us who were privileged to know Ev, as he liked to be called, will keep our experiences with him among our fond memories.

But the Senate will go on. We are going forward with consideration of the several amendments which have been offered to the military procurement bill which authorizes the research and development and the purchase of hardware which is vital to our national defense. The other legislative area of particular interest before the Senate this year is amendment of our tax laws. Legislation in this field is now under consideration by the Senate Finance Committee. The Chairman of that committee has said he plans to present a bill to the full Senate by October 31.

The Senate has an excellent opportunity to create an equitable and economically sound tax system. We should take steps to simplify federal income tax reporting procedures. Above all, I believe we must ease the burden on middle income taxpayers.

In our zeal to achieve a more equitable tax system, however, we cannot afford to act with vengeance against those 154 taxpaying millionaires of which we have heard so much. We do, we could find ourselves in even deeper economic straits.

This is because many of the

currently existing tax advantages for the wealthy, act as effective incentives to channel a significant amount of funds into areas which would require additional tax dollars if funds from wealthy individuals were suddenly not available.

One of these areas is philanthropy. Existing tax law encourages the wealthy to donate funds to charitable institutions which serve the public interest. Often these donations are channeled through foundations. If we tax these donations so heavily as to reduce them significantly, we could find ourselves forced to channel government funds into areas where government expenses are not now required.

I do believe that some foundations are mis-using the privileges which current tax law now provides and there should be appropriate oversight to prevent such mis-use. I therefore support the two percent "supervisory tax" on foundations which would raise the funds required to exercise necessary oversight.

Another area where an existing tax advantage needs to be maintained is that of state and municipal bonds. The law now allows individuals who purchase these bonds to collect the interest on them tax free. This allows the bonds to be attractive to investors even though they offer very low interest rates. Taxation of the interest on state and municipal bonds will require state and local governments to pay higher interest rates. That, in turn, means one of two things: a reduction in city services to their citizens, or increased state and local taxes to pay those higher interest rates.

In Texas, we must be concerned also about taxation in the oil and gas industry. Our state owns extensive oil and gas producing properties, and royalties to our state helps pay for state government services to all our citizens.

A change in our tax laws which discourages exploration for additional oil reserves in our state costs all Texans. Texans will have to pay either additional state taxes or will suffer a corresponding lack of state services because funds are not available.

And from the national point of view, a drop in our capabilities to produce oil resource will harm our national defense posture. We see new headlines every day telling of unrest in the Middle East. I do not want to find the United States one day faced with international

blackmail which might force us to take some action on the world scene which we otherwise would not be forced to take.

In summary, we must ease the tax bite on middle-income taxpayers, but we must not exercise vengeance on the wealthy from which we may all suffer.



October 1, 1785—The first city directory was published in Philadelphia, Pa.

October 3, 1632—The first colonial tobacco tax was authorized for the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

October 6, 1876—The American Library Association was organized in Philadelphia, Pa.

October 9, 1855—The Cal-Hope was patented by Joshua C. Stoddard of Worcester, Mass.

October 12, 1794—The African Church was received into full fellowship of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States.

October 16, 1846—The first painless surgery demonstration with anaesthesia was performed in Boston, Mass.

October 20, 1862—The First Presidential Executive Order to be numbered was issued by A. Lincoln.



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Will Lawrence in the home of her son, Bill Wiggins and family.

Mrs. W. S. Garnett, who is staying in the Vernon Hicks home, in Temple, spent the week end at her home, here and attended Church here, Sunday morning. Mrs. Garnett is staying with the Hicks family and caring for her granddaughters during the school term. Mrs. Garnett has been working with the Special Session of the Legislature, resigned in order to stay with her three granddaughters.

"A Coffee" was held in the home of Mrs. Loyde F. Lam, Monday morning to mark the opening of the new year for the Gatesville Garden Club. Mrs. Lam is president of the Garden Club.

Relatives here received word of the death of Creg Davidson Jr., in Colorado Springs, Colorado, Saturday. Mr. Davidson was the son of Mrs. J. Creg Davidson Sr., and the late Mr. Davidson of Pecan Grove. Funeral services for Mr. Davidson were held in Colorado Springs with burial in the Air Force Cemetery, in Denver, Colorado, where the Davidson family lived. Attending the funeral from this vicinity were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Davidson of Gatesville, brother and sister-in-law of the deceased; his mother, Mrs. J. Creg Davidson Sr., and his sister, Mrs. Edwin Graf of Waco. Another sister, who lives in Waco was unable to attend the services. Mr. Davidson was the nephew of Messrs. Gus Davidson Sr., Jack Davidson, of Mound and J. W. (Wes) Davidson, of Pecan Grove. An aunt from Dallas also attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McHargue visited Mrs. C. F. Marshall in the Rotunda Rest Home in Gatesville, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Marshall has recently been discharged from the hospital where she underwent major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. David Barnard, of Dallas visited relatives here and also attended church services Sunday morning.

Miss Leisa Palmer and little niece, Sherri Charbonneau, of Flat, spent the weekend in the Truett Hopson home and also attended church Sunday morning.

W. L. Wiggins was a visitor in Gatesville, Friday. She also visited Miss Montgomery and Mrs.

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Miss Martha Thompson And Robert Benjamin Russell

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Gatesville at a Glance



by sally jones



WHEW! WHEW! WHEW!! . . .Wow, there wasn't any time to Excedrin headache #.03 at work Friday night! Yep, I at ye ole season opener in the roost (press box) high the local grid field--and like most grid irons, the GHS was blazing with activity.

Those Hornets were buzzing so fast--faster than Rockets!-- it was a battle to follow who had the ball, their jersey number, yard line number, and who stopped the runner, then it all down in a legible hand. By the time the Hornets the 36-16 victory under their belts, I was pooped! Chubby was busy down on the turf, clicking those pictures so you folks could see those buzzing Hornets stopped by NEWS eye.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY GRANDMA . . . And happy it was for John White of Route 3, Belton, September 14. Mrs. White, the former Mrs. Floyd Summers of Gatesville was honored with a party celebrating her 80 birthday. Most of friends and relatives visited and gave birthday presents to Granny White. Attending her party were two sets of four generations. Pictured below are (left to right) daughter, Ila Mae Timmerman, grandson, Billie, great-granddaughter, Carolyn and Ila White (seated).



Set of four generations are left to right, daughter, Ila Mae Timmerman, of Waco, granddaughter, Norma, great-granddaughter and Granny White (seated).



GEORGIA . . . Two fine Gatesvillietes are visiting today, with their son and wife, Dr. and Mrs. Of course, it's Jim and Louise Brown. The former Linda Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. of Gatesville, are living in Augusta, where Bob is in research for the Dupont Company. Louise left here, Wednesday by car and drove deep South to their much anticipated destination. In the city, the Browns (both the Jims and the Louises) are enjoying visiting and catching up on all that's been going on since they last saw each other. Louise promised to let us know about their visit and especially about the beautiful autumn scenes in the state. The trip even more special will be the celebration on Sunday, Sunday. I'm sure the group will be happy to see Bob on his birthday in person! And we do too--Bob!



AT TJC . . . It's a husband and wife student this year, for Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dworsky. The newly enrolled in the Central Texas school for agriculture. Billy is majoring in agricultural-economics and is the son of Mrs. Norma Dworsky of Gatesville, the former Jann Bradford, is the daughter of Mr. Edwin Bradford. She is taking business administration.



WASHINGTON . . . I was glad to hear that Cam McCreary is in Washington D. E. this week. Of course, the Washington area is visiting with his sister, Cherry who live in Arlington Virginia. Mrs. McCreary Elizabeth McGilvry of Gatesville.

IN WACO HOSPITAL . . . We are glad to hear that Mr. Robert Manning of Pearl is improving nicely in Hillcrest Baptist Hospital, in Waco.



ALSO IN HILLCREST . . . Mrs. Bess Bush of Gatesville is also in Hillcrest Baptist Hospital, in Waco. Mrs. Bush, in room 465 of the facility, is undergoing observation.



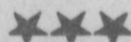
PROUD OF 2 YEAR OLD . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Whitt of Hamilton must be proud of their daughter, Terri Lynn. On her second birthday, Terri sported some of the biggest smiles ever recorded on Granny's eyes!

The party was held September 3 in Raby Park, with cake and fun for everyone! Also mighty proud of their little granddaughter are grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Whitt and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Franks.

Pictured above are (standing left to right) Mrs. Dessie Whitt, Mrs. Dean Franks, Mrs. Knox Whitt, (seated left to right) Mrs. Marion Sanders, Mrs. Amos Ellis, Mrs. Ina Franks and of course the little birthday girl, Terri Lynn Whitt.

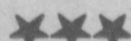


FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH . . . We at 1105 Main must have one of the most unusual problems in the world! My cat "Double T" named affectionately after Texas Tech will not eat cat food and Lush Puppy, my "vicious" hound - basset hound to be exact - wouldn't eat dog food for a while. If you drive by 1105 Main, you might see my two weirdoes playing in the front yard -- they at least fight like cats 'n dogs!! FPH!!!



GOTTA NICE LETTER . . . I was very pleased to hear from Thedra Jones this week. A former Gatesvilliette, that we still consider very much a permanent citizen, Thedra lives in Harlingen now, and is quite busy with work and home!

It makes me feel good when our readers and friends write notes thanking us for keeping them up on the news and we thank them for letting us know how they are doing.



OH, WHAT FUN! . . . Everyone it's Karen Mitchell's birthday party, it had that sentiment after an afternoon of fun and frolic.

Karen was eight years old at the September 10 party in Raby Park. The children enjoyed playing games and of course, birthday cake from ear-to-ear!

Attending the festivities, were Donna Glass, Donna Smith, Tammy Hale, Suzanne White, Deanna Barnard, Sonya White, and Dodie White.



KAREN MITCHELL

In a Mormon ceremony held Friday morning in the Salt Lake Temple, Miss Martha Thompson and Robert Benjamin Russell were married for all time and eternity. Elder George Child officiated at the double ring rites.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murl Montgomery of Route 4, Gatesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie F. Thompson also of Gatesville. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Russell of Des Moines, Iowa.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple were guests of the bridegroom's parents for dinner. Then on to Ogden, Utah for a small reception of the wedding party and family. The table was decked with pom pom daisies, wedding cake, punch--all arranged and served by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Sam Vander Heide. Appointments were of silver and crystal.

Later that evening the couple departed for their wedding trip. On Saturday, thirteenth of September, another reception was given in honor of the couple by the bride's mother, in Gatesville, Texas.

The bride wore a formal old fashioned Victorian gown with a cameo at the base of the neck. Fashioned and designed by herself and made by a friend, tiny covered buttons accented the back opening from the Victorian neck-line down to the empire waist line, which was secured by a large sash. Her floor length veil of bridal illusion was attached to a headpiece of clusters of large ribbon bows, with streamers of velvet and pink and yellow daisies, flocked throughout the veil. The bride designed and made her veil. Her nosegay was of yellow roses.

Mrs. Judy McHargue Smith served as the brides matron of honor and also served the wedding cake. Mrs. Jo Anne Herring also officiated as an attendant of the bride and served the punch. Each attendant wore yellow and white pom pom corsages.

The bride's mother wore a silvery beige suit with brown accessories and a corsage of a white orchid. The refreshment table was laid with a unique crocheted table cloth. A bouquet of yellow and white daisies and the wedding cake were on the table. Punch was served from a silver punch bowl. Cake was served on crystal plates and silver forks were used.

Mrs. Billie Jean Cotton, a special friend of the bride registered guests. For traveling the bride chose a beige crepe dress with ruffles at the neck line. Accessories were of complementing gold. Monday morning the couple left for Iowa for an Open House on the nineteenth, given at the Latter Day Saint Chapel on Ashworth Road in Des Moines.



Mr & Mrs Robert Benjamin Russell

Formerly Miss Martha Thompson

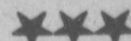
DOC AND HAZEL IN THE PHILIPPINES . . . Boy, was I glad to hear from Dr. and MRS. Otis C. Ray this week. You see, Doc and Hazel are near the mid-point of their tour of the Orient.

They left our fair city in early September for the trip with the Texas State Dental Leaders. The "Goodwill People-to-People" tour will last until September 28, when they will arrive in Los Angeles.

The card Doc and Hazel sent was a beautiful color shot of their hotel, The New Otani, surrounded by a 10-acre garden in the center of Tokyo. The Rays said they were having a marvelous time and I'm sure because Hazel said, Tokyo was a shopper's paradise. They even noticed Tokyo's metropolitan newspapers that look like the paper for a bird cage with all of that scratching!

Now, in the Philippines, the Rays are still enjoying oriental foods, customs and prices! While at each point on the tour, the delegates visit dental clinics in the foreign lands to exchange ideas and promote goodwill. I hope they will share their many thoughts and thrills of the trip with us when they return!

While they are touring the East, Jean is at school in the near West--San Angelo State College. As for Sue, she took the opposite direction and is studying East of Gatesville at Baylor University. And to diversify matters, Buck, the only Ray boy, is at Texas A & M University in South Central Texas. They are sort of like Rays of Sunshine--go every whichaway!



IN AUTO ACCIDENT . . . Mrs. Hardy Owen of Gatesville was involved in an auto accident in Waco, Thursday. We are happy to hear that Mrs. Owen has returned to her home in Gatesville after some days of hospitalization in Hillcrest Baptist Hospital.

Mrs. Owen is the mother of Mrs. Jack Mitchell of Gatesville.

IRELAND NEWS by Mrs. Joe Faubion



CALIFORNIANS VISIT IN

THE MARTIN ADAMS HOME

Mrs. W. F. Creel (Georgia Jane Grubbs) of Fresno, California, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Adams and other friends here, on Thursday. Georgia Jane is a former resident of this community.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Myrtle Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jones of Port Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones and family of Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurlin Dismuke of Oklahoma, have returned to their home after visiting about ten days with Mr. Earl Boling and Mrs. Elta Favor. Mr. Dismuke is a nephew of Mr. Boling and Mrs. Favor. Wednesday visitors with Mrs. Ada Hardcastle and Lorene were Mr. and Mrs. Belvin Hard-

castle. Sunday, Mrs. Myrtle Dildy of Hamilton, Mrs. Edgar Parrish and Elizabeth Cummings of Gatesville visited in the Hardcastle home.

Rev. and Mrs. John Raybon of Brownwood were guests with Mr. Paul Blanchard and Joy.

Visitors Sunday with Mrs. Zola Williams and Troy were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fry of Hamilton.

Aubrey Hedgepeth is at home after being a patient in the Hamilton hospital for several days. Mrs. Dora Wilson is also home from the hospital, but Mr. O. K. Davis is still a patient in the Coryell County Memorial Hospital.

Students from here enrolled in college are Robert Wilson, Gloria Hoherz and Patsy Schrank all at Tarleton State College.

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Bryan Jones

Mrs. Thomas Reed Chappell of Austin announces the marriage of her daughter, Betty Jean, to Cary Bryan Jones of San Antonio. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Jones of Gatesville.

The wedding took place August 14 in the chapel of the Sunset Ridge Church of Christ in San Antonio. The couple are both employed in San Antonio and are at home there at 9215 Lorene Street.

GOLDEN CIRCLE ENJOYS FOREIGN DISH SUPPER

The Golden Circle class of First Baptist Church met September 4, in Fellowship Hall, for their monthly social. A foreign dish supper was enjoyed by the class. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Jack Patton and Mrs. Wendell Byrom. The decorations furnished an atmosphere representing sev-

eral foreign countries. Mrs. Charles Wise, class teacher, assisted the hostesses. Officers for the new Sunday School year were announced and will be installed at the next month's social. Mrs. Bob Edwards was honored with a baby shower. Members present were Messrs. Ray Rabb, Ace Myrick, Benny Bankhead, Don Wolfe, Bruce Necessary, Carroll Duke, Jerry Giebler, Johnny Jones, Bob Meharg, John Huntley, Joe Barton, Bob Edwards, Jack Patton, and Charles Wise.

Ballard - Carl Plan November Wedding



Bride-Elect Of John Dick Carl

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ballard of Purlena announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sharoa Sue, to John Dick Carl of Littlefield.

Both Miss Ballard and Mr. Carl are 1969 graduates of Texas Tech University at Lubbock. Miss Ballard earned a bachelor of science degree in secondary education. Mr. Carl is a member of the Kappa Alpha Order and earned his bachelor of science degree in industrial engineering.

The wedding is planned for November 22 in Westminster Presbyterian Church, 4901 Maple Avenue, Odessa. While Mr. Carl is studying toward a master of business administration degree, the couple will make their home in Lubbock.

New Brownie Troop Organized Here

A new Brownie troop has been organized for Gatesville girls of second grade age. Mrs. Lissa Derrick is the leader of the new group of scouts and is assisted by Mrs. Shirlene Haisler and Mrs. Loyce Ballard.

At the first meeting of the new organization, held Tuesday afternoon at the Scout House, the girls got acquainted with their leaders and each other.

After playing games, the youngsters learned what a Brownie is and does through a story read by Mrs. Nita Davis.

Special note was made that any young girls of second grade age interested in becoming a Brownie, be at the Scout House in Raby Park, Tuesday at 2:30 p.m.

Ruth Bible Class Makes Ditty Bags For Viet Nam

The Ruth Bible Class of the first Baptist Church met in the Graves Fellowship Hall, Monday, September 15 for a salad supper.

Mrs. Ray Scruggs led the group in prayer. Mrs. Carl Chambers, Class President, presided over a short business meeting.

After the supper, the class filled 20 Ditty Bags for the Red Cross to send to Vietnam.

Those present were Mesdames Carl Drake, Bill McMordie, Marvin Englebrecht, John Bradford, Bill Gatlin, T. W. Bigham, J. R. Saunders, Tom Davidson, Ray Scruggs, and Carl Chambers.

The teacher, Mrs. Jim Barton was unable to attend and sent the class a box of candy.

Rodriguez - O'Brian Married August 9



Mrs. Kevin F. O'Brien

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pingley of 1805 St. Louis Street, Gatesville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Christine Rodriguez, to Kevin F. O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank X. O'Brien of Kansas City, Missouri.

The wedding was held Aug. 9 in the home of the bride's parents with Rev. Maurice James officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her step-father. The matron of honor was Mrs. Betty O'Hara and Miss Marie Brown was bridesmaid. David O'Hara served as best man.

Friends and relatives were present for the ceremony. The couple is residing in Gatesville until Mr. O'Brien completes his tour of active duty at Fort Hood. They will then make their home in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mexican Fiesta Honors Sigma Rho Pledges



Thursday night, September 11, the Sigma Rho Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi honored the pledges, Janda Coward, Phyllis Harvey, Joe Lynn Jackson, Becky Kenworthy, Sherry Scott and Lillian Vidler with a Mexican Fiesta at the National Bank Civic Room.

Everyone arrived in Mexican and Spanish costume which added to the cheerful mood of the evening. At 7:30 all were led to the gayly decorated dining room where tables of four were set up and covered with red and white checked cloths, with black place-mats to mark each individual setting. This was accompanied by bright red napkins and plates. Centering the tables were black Spanish Candle holders and a red candle. The buffet table was laid with an orange-red cloth with a center piece of brightly colored flowers, in an authentic Mexican vase. On the walls were Mexican paintings and som-breros.

Acting hostesses were the members of the social committee, Marilyn Myrick, Anne Byrom, Jeanne Cohagan, Barbara Edwards, and Barbara Pearce who prepared and served the menu, beginning with the appetizer of tostados y salsa picante followed by the entree, of enchiladas con carne y queso, tacos de carne con ensalada, arroz espanol, and frijoles Mexicanos, with the beverage ti helado and vieve lemon for dessert.

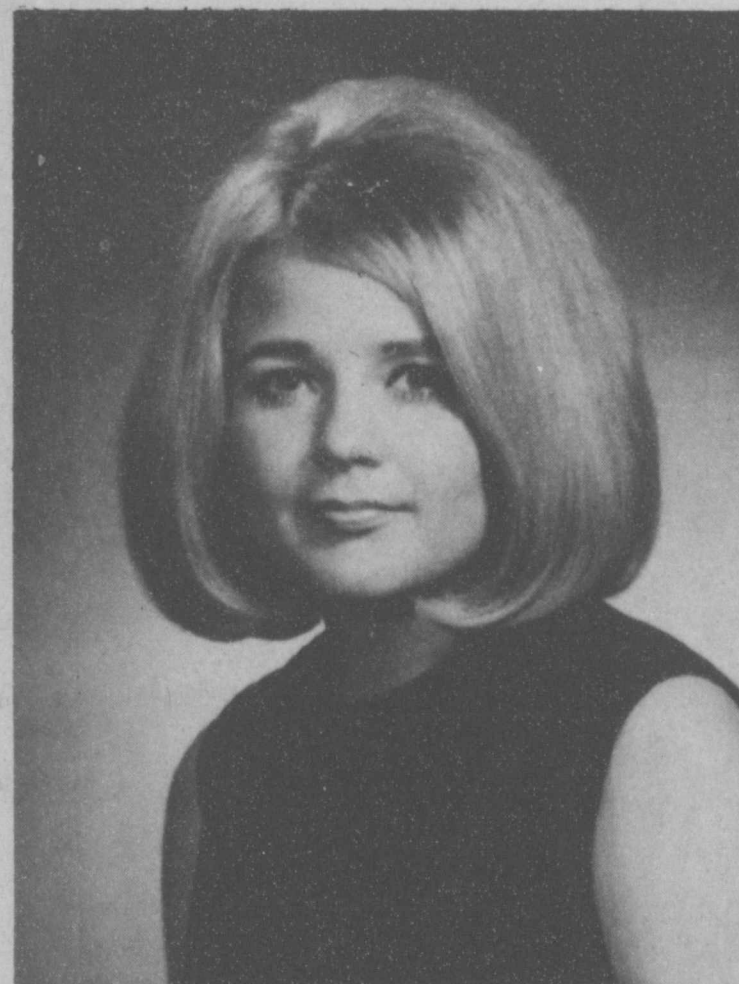
A short business meeting was conducted by chapter president, Doris Reynolds. A decision was made to help the Mississippi disaster area caused by Hurricane Camille, and also to help Coryell County Red Cross reach their goal. Money making projects were discussed. Program and year books for the new year were presented to all present. The meeting was dismissed.

Those present other than mentioned above were Dixie Duke, Barbara Huntley, Pat Jones, Becky Necessary, Rita Weatherby, Nelda Wolfe and Evelyn Lovejoy.

Pictured at left (top) Mary Arnold, Josephine Pollard and Kay Hamilton came into the Xi Iota Chapter at the meeting.

(Bottom) Inez Arnold, and Billy Voss are two Xi Iota pledges.

Jones - Jund To Wed In December



Bride-Elect Of David Paul Jund

Mrs. W. Mat Jones of Gatesville announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Sally Mayde, to David Paul Jund, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul O. Jund of Marlin.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Gatesville High School, attended Baylor University and Texas Technological University. She is now employed as social editor of the Coryell County News.

Mr. Jund is a graduate of Marlin High School and attended McClellan Community College in Waco. He is employed with the Texas Department of Public Safety in Gatesville.

The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, December sixth in the First Presbyterian Church of Gatesville.



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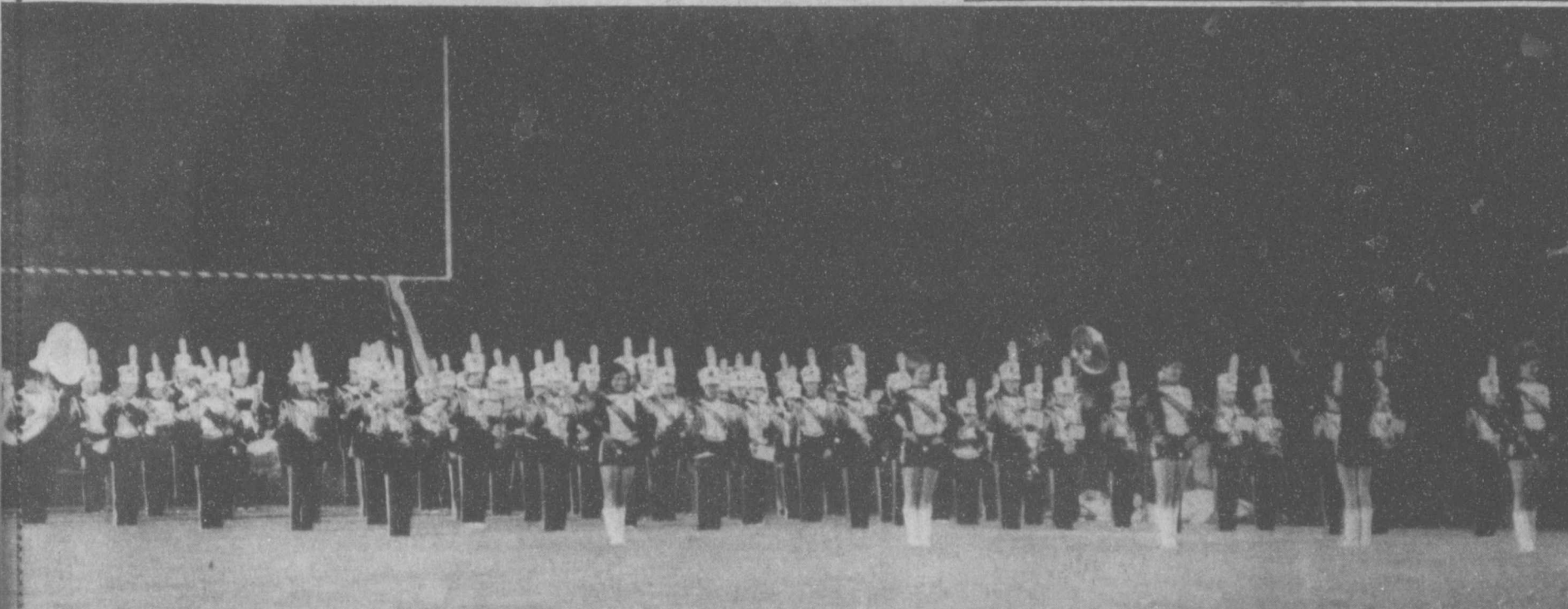
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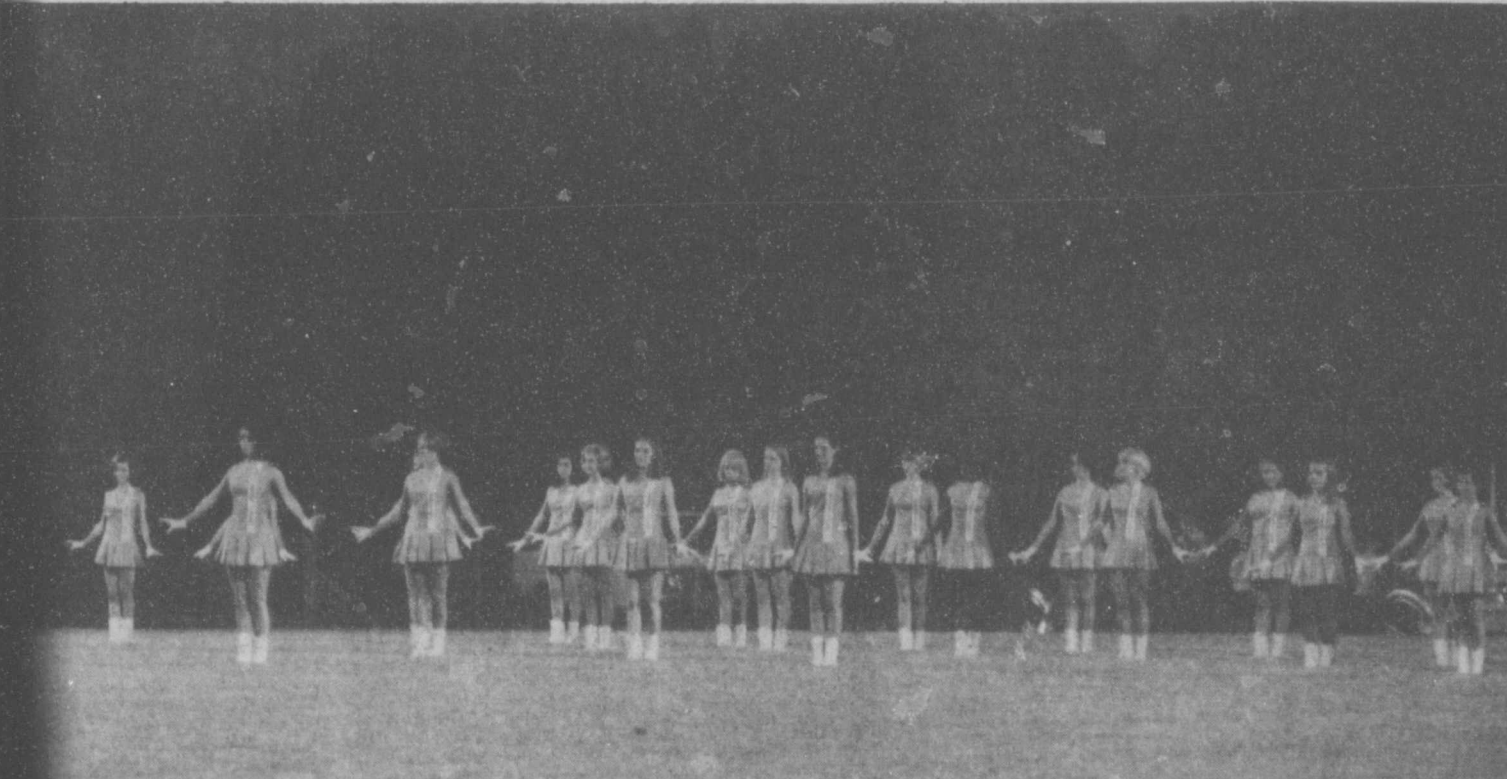
At a packed McKamie Stadium, Friday night, the Gatesville Hornet Band opened their 1969 season of half-time performance schedule.

Under the direction of James T. Burton, the group presented a mixture of intricate march-

ing drills and lively music to the over-flow crowd.

The band which consists of 110 members looked sharp in their new uniforms of black and gold.

The majorettes, Cindy Easley (head twirler), Jeanette



The Gatesville High School Drill Team usually known as the Stingettes put on a spectacular performance last Friday night. The Stingettes supervised by

Mrs. Lana Denny, have worked hard to make their school proud of them. The girls learn new routines each week, which they perform at half-time at Hornet

games. Captain of the Drill Team is Debbie Pruitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Pruitt. Co-Captains are Celia Powell,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell, Paula Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin, and Joy Brookshire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P.

GHS Choir Elects New Officers



Officers

Section Leaders

At the last meeting of the Gatesville High School Choir in May of 1970, they elected officers of the new school year. Officers include President, Gene Braziel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Braziel; Vice-President, Brenda Prock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Prock; and Secretary Cindy Kopec, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kopec. Section leaders for the choir

are Bass Duncan Manning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Manning; Sopranos, section leaders are Lucy Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Powell; and Margaret Hopson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hopson; the tenor section leader is Mike Thrasher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thrasher; alto section leader is Janet Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Little.

CHOIR TO SING FOR TEACHERS
The Choir will have a program on September 29 for the Coryell County Teachers Association and the public.
Under the direction of Mr. Bill Rucker, the choir will sing with the whole choir and different groups made up of the choir and solos.

RECORD NEWS & REVIEWS

Kenny Rogers and The First Edition have a new album out titled, "Ruby, Don't Take Your Love to Town."

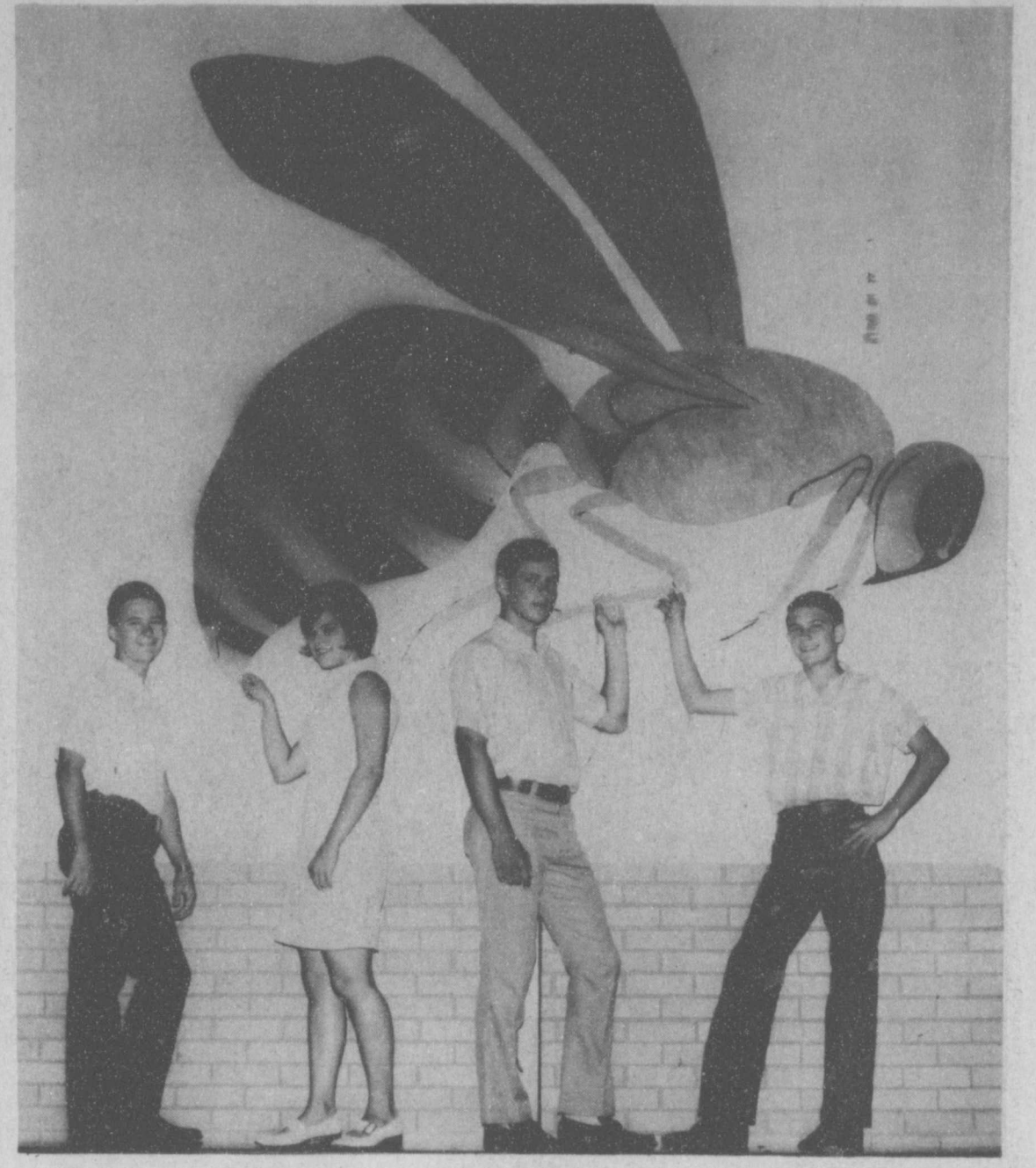
The title song plus "Me & Bobby McGee" which they do an excellent job on, "New Design" and "Ruben James" which happens to be their newest single makes for a very good album. The Rolling Stones' newest album is "Through the Past, Darkly (Big Hit Vol. 2)." Just as the title says, this is the second volume of their past big hits. Included are "Ruby Tuesday," "Jumpin' Jack Flash," "Paint It Black" and the #1 record in the nation right now, "Honky Tonk Women." The Stones' album will be easy to recognize, the outer jacket has eight sides.

By the way, have you heard "Mah-na-Mah-na"? In the County Music field, Jerry Lee and Linda Gail Lewis have out a new album titled, "Together". Included on it is their hit "Don't Let Me Cross Over," as well good jobs on "Sweet Thang", "Jackson" and "We Live in Two Different Worlds."

The most popular Country Singles this week are "Invitation to Your Party" by Jerry Lee Lewis, "Since I met You Baby", by Sonny James and "Tall Dark Stranger", by Buck Owens.

All of the above singles and albums can be found now at The Gallery on the East side of the Square in Gatesville. (Advertisement)

Hord Is Sophomore President



Sophomore Officers

Chosen to lead the Sophomore class for the 1969-70 year are President, Billy Hord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hord; Vice-President, Martin Foster, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Bob Foster; Secretary, Kathey Keeton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Keeton; Treasurer, Joe Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Davidson.

Top Ten Shuffled

Over A Week of Play

"Sugar, Sugar", by the Archies jumps from Number 5 to Number 1 this week, in the "top ten" popular song poll. "Green River" by the Creedence Clearwater Revival drops to Number 2 and "I'll Never Fall in Love Again" by Tom Jones moves from Number 8 to Number 3.

The top ten pop songs for this week are:

1. "Sugar, Sugar" by the Archies.
2. "Green River" by the Creedence Clearwater Revival.
3. "I'll Never Fall in Love Again" by Tom Jones.
4. "Jean" by Oliver.
5. "Put a Little Love in Your Heart" by Jackie DeShannon.
6. "Your Good Thing" by Lou Rawls.
7. "A Boy Named Sue" by Johnny Cash.
8. "Easy to Be Hard" by the Three Dog Night.
9. "Everybody's Talking" by Nelson.
10. "Get Together" by the Youngbloods.

Next week in the top ten, we will give the top ten Country and Western songs.

Hornets Blast Rockets

This past Friday night, at McKamie Stadium, the Gatesville Hornets met the Robinson Rockets in an outstanding playing performance.

The Hornets showed great strength in their offensive playing as well as their defensive plays. Gatesville got 331 yards in rushing and 57 yards passing and completed 17 first downs.

The Gatesville Hornets under the direction of Head Coach, Jack Moss will play the Marlin Bulldogs at Marlin, tonight.

The students of the GHS, in the backing of their team,

TROOP 72

We discussed our camp-out to be held in October. We planned to go on a hike Saturday.

Also, we discussed our court of honor to be held Friday night at 7 P.M.

We played a game of steal the bacon.

Richard Mitchell Scribe

want everyone to come to the Gatesville-Marlin game tonight, and show the boys that the people of Gatesville are behind them.

Laxton Aboard USS Kitty Hawk

USS KITTY HAWK - Machinist Mate Third Class Rolland R. Laxson, USN, son of Mr. A. W. Laxson of 1204 Main Street, Gatesville, Texas, is serving aboard the USS Kitty Hawk, an attack aircraft carrier, which just completed an eight month deployment to Vietnam.

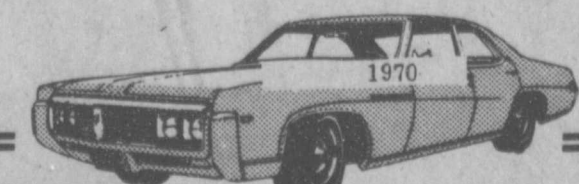
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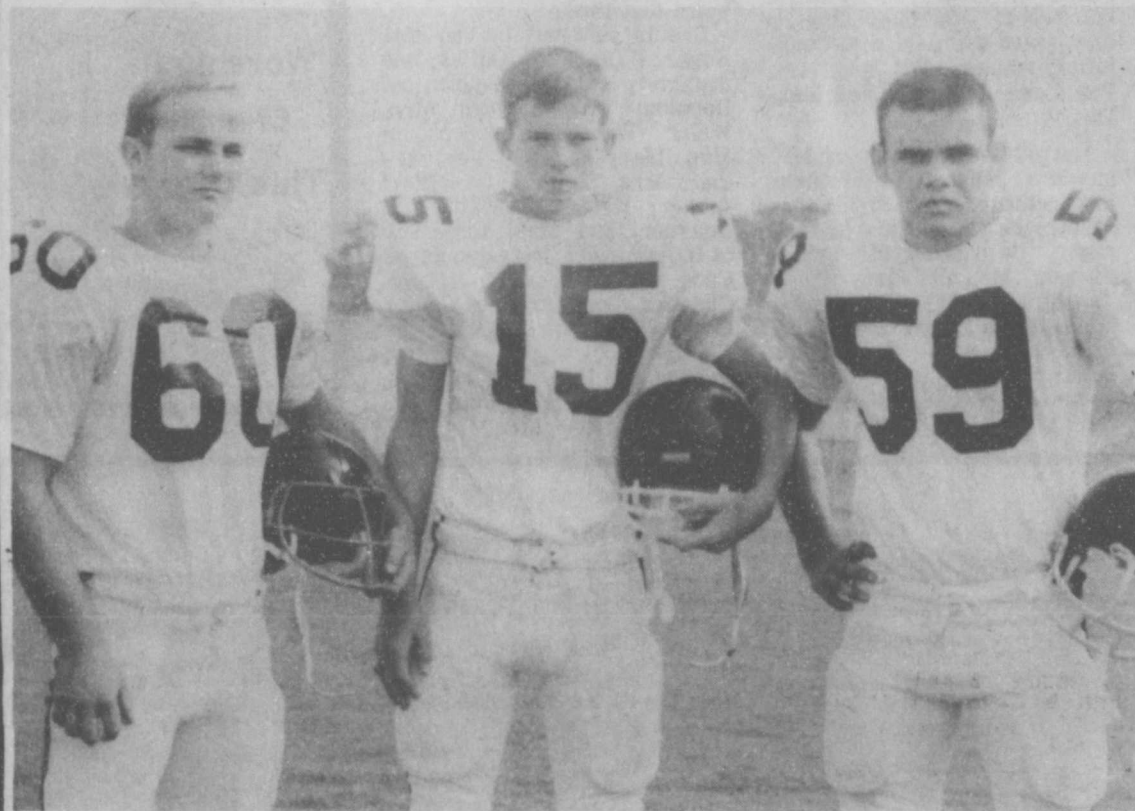
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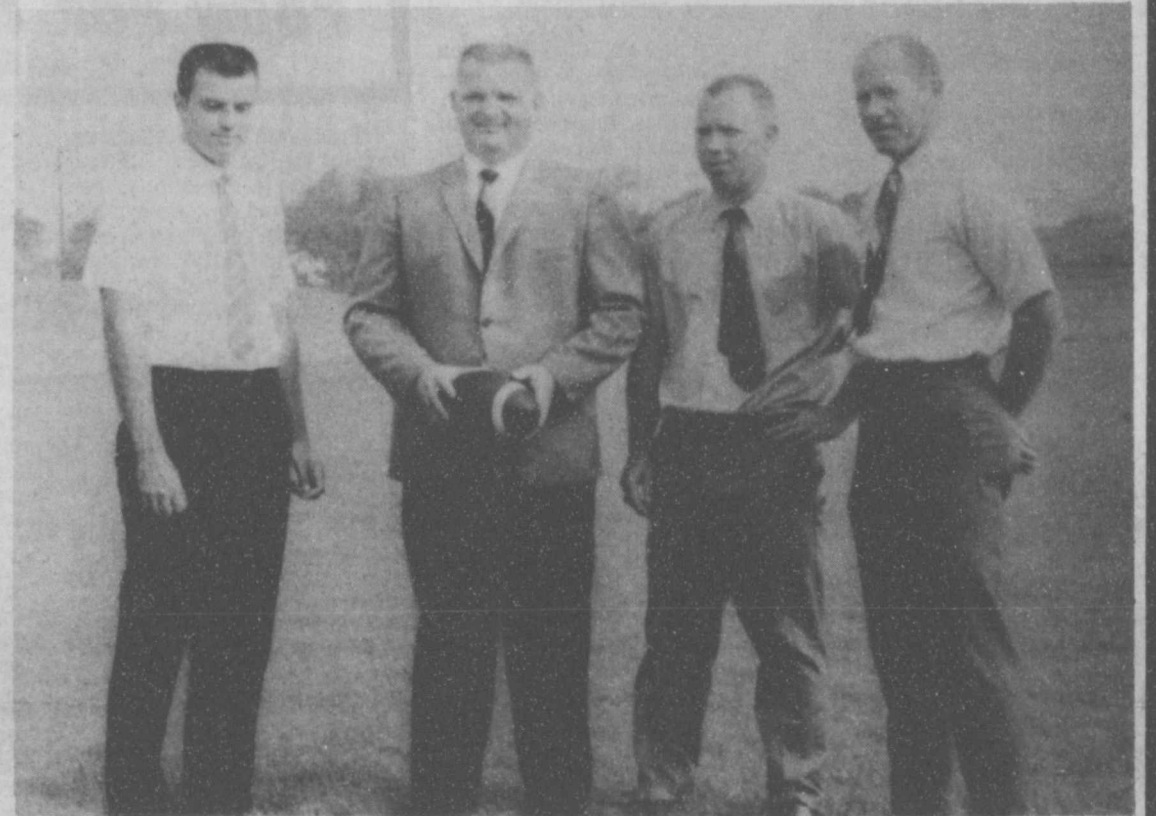


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OGLESBY SET FOR TRINIDAD DROP OPENER TO STAR

Oglesby is set for a battle with Trinidad, tonight and still looks for the first victory.

Last week, against Star, the Tigers were stuned 38 to 29 in part to some errors made by the Oglesby team.

Coach Gary Fox's troops mounted up 428 yards total offense and only 198 yards for the Star squad, but the breaks made the difference.

Fox reported that the Star team took the lead on the second half kick-off, when the Tigers failed to gain possession on the kick and Star recovered the ball in the end zone.

The first half scoring began with a 35 yard Willie Leos and Joe Pitts kicked the extra point. Star followed with a 30 yard pass from Berry Miles to David Henry. The extra point failed. In the second quarter Joe Pitts hit Larry Dorse on a 50 yard pass play and Joe Pitts kicked two more points.

Star ended the first half scoring with another Miles to Henry aerial leaving the score 12 to 0 Oglesby at half-time. Then came the end zone recovery and later in the quarter Don McKelvain hit Larry Dorse on a ten yard touchdown pass to regain the lead.

McKelvain tossed a touchdown pass to Charles Vandiver to tie the lead to 29 to 18. Star popped back in the fourth quarter with first, a 12 yard pass by Miles and then a 20 yard pass from Miles to Gess to regain the lead for Star to 29.

In the closing minutes the Oglesby Tigers drove to the ten yard line and on third down were back to the 35 yard line. Coach Fox intended to try a point field goal, but the end zone loss ruled it out. Fourth down a star defense intercepted the pitch-out and traced the other way for the score, 38 to 29.

This week, Coach Fox made changes to face a tough

Trinidad team. Larry Ross has been shifted to halfback and Charles Vandiver will start at end. Fox will use Richard West at quarterback in place of the ailing Don McKelvain.

Trinidad donned Venus last week 46 to 0 and the Tigers banded Trinidad a 72 to 25 defeat last season.

Coach Fox predicts the Trinidad six will be back for revenge of the last year's defeat. Trinidad has experienced in four Seniors and some good Juniors. Fox noted "They are a big team."

PEARL NEWS by Mrs. Lyda Cooper

PEARL RESIDENTS ATTEND DORSEY SERVICE

There were several from Pearl who attended funeral services in Gatesville last Sunday afternoon for Mr. Jack Dorsey, Mr. Dorsey was a brother of Mrs. Lee Powell. Sympathy is extended Mrs. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Medart returned home last Monday from a week's vacation spent in Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico. They visited the Grand Canyon in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton went to Stephenville last Sunday and visited Earl's Mother, and was met there by two of Earl's sisters, Norene and Ann of Conroe and Houston.

Lt. Harold Hammock who has just returned from Vietnam and Roger Hammock of Dallas spent Sunday night with their grandmother, Leota Graham.

Mrs. Alza Franklin visited her sister, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Herr-

GHS HORNET B TEAM DROPS CLOSE GAME TO RICHFIELD SOPHOMORES

28 TO 20

The Hornet B team dropped a close game to the Richfield Sophomores last Saturday night 28 to 20.

The Hornet B's lead up until the third quarter when Richfield ground out two touchdowns. The first Hornet score came on the opening drive of the game as the Hornets marched 60 yards, capped off by William Ayers scoring on a reverse from three yards out.

Then in the second quarter, with the score tied 6-6, Wendell Lengefeld intercepted a Ram pass and ran 40 yards

for a touch down. Ayers picked up a two point conversion and the Hornet B's lead 14 to 6.

The Hornet failed to score in the third quarter, while the Rams piled on two touchdowns. In the fourth quarter, the Hornets again drove the ball on a long march which was capped by Robert Tilly on a short plunge. The Hornets trailed by only two points and with time running out, the Rams scored once again to make the final score 28-20.

Thursday night the B team tangles with the Marlin B team at McKamie Stadium.

Mr. and Mrs. Tully Ballard visited the Travis Ballards at Copperas Cove, Sunday afternoon.

All of the Travis Carroll family, but Mary spent the weekend at the Carroll place here at Pearl.

We had a real good Community Center Meeting, Monday night. We certainly were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Glover, Mrs. Jewell January, and Mrs. Rex Clifton present.

Mrs. Maude Stewart fell at her home, last week, striking her head against the edge of her cabinet. It has given her a lot of trouble.

Word came to friends at Pearl that Robert Manning is doing nicely.

man, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Medart, Barry and Kyle visited in Fort Worth last Sunday with Glenn's mother, Mrs. Clara Herrman.

Mrs. Eugene Franklin attended a clerk workshop at Bethel Baptist Church last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weeks and Layne of San Antonio spent the weekend and with their mother, Lyda Cooper.

Food For Thought Mrs. B. A. Snoddy

"Paul said to the centurian, and to the soldiers; Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved." Acts 27:31.

The above scripture is taken from the narrative, telling of the time when Paul was being taken, as a captive, down to Rome.

They didn't realize they were carrying out God's plan for Paul, but when God called Paul for a life of service to him, he told him he must carry the message of salvation to kings, Acts 9:15.

They were going, by sail ship toward Italy, and were having difficulty because of a contrary wind, and Paul told them they would have much damage and hurt, not only to the ship, but also of their lives.

I would like to compare this trip to our lives, and the day in which we live.

Paul, the man of God, told them the danger they were in, just so, the true minister of God, is sounding out the warning of the impending wrath of God, except the people repent. And turn to him, and learn to keep his laws, and standards for our lives.

But the Centurian believed the master and owner of the ship more than the things Paul warned them of.

Just so, today, many people think that if we can get the people all educated, and lift everyone out of poverty that everything will smooth out and all the riots and racial problems will be solved--and they love to hear messages that will tickle their ears, not enduring sound doctrine. II Tim. 4:3.

Acts 27: 13 reads: "And when the south wind blew softly, supposing that they had obtained their purpose, loosing thence, they sailed close by Crete."

"When the south wind blew softly", reminds me of the times when heads of Goat's, meet, and when councils meet, and treaties are signed, and

promises are made, and telling the people that progress is being made, for Peace, and hope again rises in the hearts of the people.

But our scripture continues, "But not long after, there arose against it, a tempestuous wind--and when the ship was caught, and could not bear up into the wind."

As long as peoples, all over the world, continue to leave God out, and depart from his laws, and teachings, the storm which is upon the world, will become more tempestuous.

The people who became a part of the great falling away from the love of God, as spoken of in II Thess. 2:3, are only inviting trouble upon themselves.

Our scripture study today brings out the fact that the storm Paul and his companions were in, continued to grow worse: "Sun, nor stars, appeared, for many days, and all hope was taken away."

Isaiah 60:2 reads: "For, behold, darkness shall cover the earth, but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and his glory shall be seen upon thee."

The spirit of the Anti-Christ is in the world today--Anti- is opposite of Christ, and we don't need to be smart, to know this is true, but the Bible also says that the Lord shall arise upon thee, at this time, so we are looking for the coming of the Lord.

At this dark hour of the voyage, where Paul was, he stood among them, and told them that an angel had stood by him that night and told him to "Fear not, for God had promised that they would all be saved," and he said, "I believe God, that it shall be, even as it was told me."

This is a time when we all need to see, and know what God has told us, in his word. His word is Truth--Jesus said, "I am the way."

There are not many ways to enter in to life eternal, only one way, and that is Jesus' way--we need to believe what he has told us in his word.

The 27th verse of our study today, reads: "About midnight, they deemed they were near to some country."

The parable of the ten virgins, as recorded in Matt. 25th chapter reads: "At midnight, there was a cry made, behold, the bridegroom cometh, go ye out to meet him."

Luke 21:20, "And when ye shall see Jerusalem compassed with armies, then know that the desolation thereof is nigh (then gives other end time prophecies) and in 28th verse finishes by saying: "and when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads, for your redemption draweth nigh."

The daily news gives out, everyday, that armies are being compassed about Jerusalem.

Hurridly, to finish our line of thought for today; when the men on the ship realized they were nearing land, some of them began making plans to jump out of the ship and make an effort to save their lives.

But Paul told the Centurian and the soldiers: "Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved." Acts 27:31.

Their being saved was a condition "To abide in the ship." Our promise of being saved in the age in which we live, is on condition.

We must abide in the old ship of Zion, and like Paul said: "I believe God, that it shall be even as it was told me."

God has kept it on record for us to study, and to know; God help us to abide in the ship!

TURNERSVILLE NEWS by Laura Tharp

COMMUNITY CENTER CLUB MEETS

Wednesday night, September 10, the Community Center Club met in the science room of the gym, with Mr. Peck Tharp, president, presiding and all other officers present. Mrs. Cliff Worthy led the opening songs with Mrs. Peck Tharp, pianist.

The group voted to close the skating until the first week in November, with only parties that were sponsored using the gym in that period, and then next summer it would be closed through the months of June, July and August, opened only to parties that were sponsored.

The group decided not to enter the Home Improvement Contest this next year.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting, October 8. Refreshments were served in the homemaking room by the committee, Mrs. A. D. Daniel, Mrs. L. D. Humes, Mrs. Carl Davis, Mrs. Cooter Tharp and Miss Laura Tharp, assisted by Miss Mattie Cooper.

The centerpiece on the table was a Back to School Motif, with arrangements of zinnias on a side table and the piano.

Those attending were Mrs. Mabel Foote, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Foote and Than, Mrs. Lizzie Foote, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Cooter Tharp, Mr. and Mrs. Peck Tharp, Mrs. Minnie Hollingsworth, Mrs. Florine Kyser, Miss Ellen Balch, Miss Mattie Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Worthy, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cheatham, Mrs. Helen Daniel, Danielle Daniel, Buck Wallace, Mrs. L. D. Humes, Miss Laura Tharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hollingsworth, La Marque, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Huckaby, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, David and Clint were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hollingsworth, and this last weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Huckaby and Curt, Roanoke, visited with them, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hollingsworth spent Tuesday, Tuesday night and Wednesday with her brother, Fred Shultz, For t Worth, who has been in the hospital but is at home now recuperating.

George Scriber made a donation to the cemetery fund this month. Mr. Monroe Neyland did some special work on some more lots this week, Mrs. Minnie Hollingsworth, Miss Ellen Balch, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lee, and Mrs. Clyde Lee have done work on their lots this month also, and got caught at it. We were lucky to meet Mr. and Mrs. Howard Franks, also Addie Mae and her daughter there with Minnie.

The Presbyterians will start having morning services at their church the first and third Sundays, beginning, Sunday, September 21. The public is welcomed to worship with them Tuesday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Green Nuckles, Itasca, came by for a pop call, with Miss Laura Tharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cheatham, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Jones vacationed in Colorado last week. On their trip out they spent the night with Charlotte's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Poe Corn, Roswell, New Mexico.

Harold Wason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wells Watson, has returned from four years of service in the Navy in Vietnam. He visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, Tuesday and carried them to Morgan for an overnight stay with Mrs. Virgie Safell, where she met two other nieces, Mrs. Annie McNeely and Mrs. Veda Timms. He

PERSONALS

Can you imagine Mr. Lonnie Wright losing the Post Office? Well, he did, and found it Monday morning when he came for his mail, moved over in the north west corner of



returned them home Wednesday and then visited his grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Watson and helped her move into one of the new houses and spent the night with her.

Mrs. Annie Abel, Clifton, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Ernest Taylor.

Mrs. Cliff Worthy and her mother, Mrs. L. D. Humes accompanied Corliss Worthy to Ranger, Sunday afternoon, where she plans to attend Ranger Junior College this next year.

Larry Cheatham, was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Cheatham, this week and returned Valorie Worthy to her destination, Denton, where she will enroll in the North Texas State Teacher's University, being a Junior plus this year, then Larry returned to his place of work, Greenville. Others from this community who are going to col-

lege are; Robert Jeffcoat, Richard Daniel and Larry Pruitt to McLennan County College, Waco; Lonnie Flippen, Sul Ross, Alpine; Flannigan Nichols, Charlie Gilmore back to Tarleton, Stephenville; James Marvin Baize, San Marcus, South West Teacher's University; Janet Pancake Bass, Diane Halfercamp back to Denton, North Texas State Teacher's College; Fay Whisenhunt back to Sam Houston, Huntsville. We are proud of these students who represent our community in the field of education.



Mrs. R. E. Pearce

Buried In Port Arthur

Mrs. R. E. (Myena) Pearce of Port Arthur died Sunday at 11:30 a.m. in Saint Elizabeth's Hospital in Beaumont following four weeks of hospitalization.

Funeral services for Mrs. Pearce were held Tuesday at 2 p.m., in Port Arthur with burial in that city.

Mrs. Pearce, the former Miss Myena Cude, was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cude of Turnersville. She left the county in 1932 and had lived in Port Arthur since that time.

She is survived by one son, Edgar Pearce of Dallas; one daughter, Connie Pearce of Houston; five sisters, Mrs. Wells Watson of Jonesboro; Mrs. Mary Kiger of Port Arthur; Mrs. Stella Lane of Port Arthur; Mrs. Tillie Climer of Houston; and Mrs. Ruth Ray of Dallas; three brothers; Vance Cude of Turnersville; Raborn Cude of Port Arthur; Curtis Cude of Turnersville.

Other local relatives of Mrs. Pearce are Ruth Jeffries, Mrs. E. J. Pearce; Mary Ann Newton and H. W. Walker.

He will give his angels charge of you.--(Psalms 91:11).

We are always in His presence. And when we consciously acknowledge the presence of God within us, we find ourselves quiet and peaceful. He makes us feel safe and secure. In this way we can live in a world of order and harmony, where truth makes our world a pleasant place in which to live.



J. B. DUNCAN BURIED IN WACO FRIDAY

Funeral services for J. Bruce Duncan, longtime Waco business leader, were at 4 p.m. Friday in St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Rev. J. Sullivan Bond officiated, with burial in Wood Cemetery.

Duncan, 81, died at 9:45 Thursday in a Waco hos-

as vice president of the bank until it was liquidated in the early 1930's.

Mr. Duncan entered the Hereford breeding business in 1940 and operated Trading House Ranch until 1958 when he sold the ranch and retired.

He was owner of Oasis Motel in Temple.

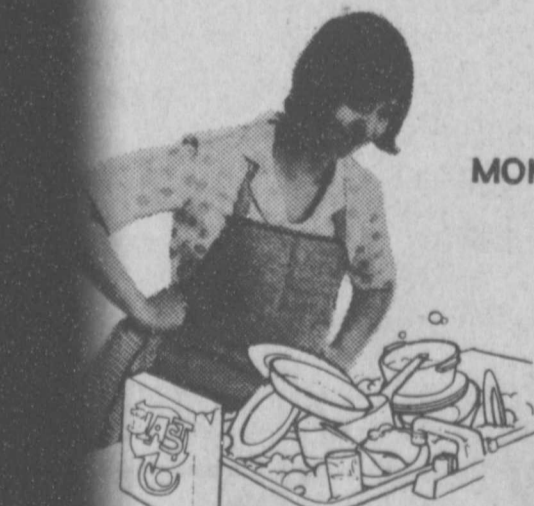
In 1923, he was King of the Cotton Ball at the Cotton Palace.

Mr. Duncan was married to Miss Yvonne Dorr Murphy of Charleston, West Va., in 1917. She died in 1944. He married Mrs. Merle M. McClellan Aug. 15, 1945.

He was a sports enthusiast and was one of the early sailboat enthusiasts after the first Lake Waco was completed in 1930. He was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Mr. Duncan's family has designated the American Cancer Society for memorial contributions.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Merle M. Duncan of Waco; one daughter, Mrs. C. Purcell Lupton of Waco; one son, Donald D. Duncan of Waco; one stepson, Rear Adm. Thomas L. McClellan of Washington, D. C.; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.



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