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Voters Take "Swing" On Candidates In Today's Race

WELDON BURNEY ASKS DISCUSSION OF "ISSUES"

From State Representative Weldon Burney, who is now candidate for re-election, we have the following for presentation to the public:

In order to give the people of Coryell and Hamilton counties an opportunity to better understand the issues in the coming campaign, and to be informed of the views of the candidates who are seeking to serve as representative from this district, I am requesting thru the columns of this newspaper the co-operation of the other candidates to meet me for a joint discussion before the people of Coryell County at the courthouse in Gatesville, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, April 13, and at the courthouse in Hamilton at the same hour on Saturday, April 20th.

I have made arrangements with W. T. Hix of the Western Auto Supply Store for a loud speaker so that everyone may hear, and urge everyone to be present for this discussion.

Yours very truly,
WELDON BURNEY
Candidate for Representative,
94th District.
(Political Adv. Itc)

G.H.S. NOW IN SOUTHERN ASSO. OF HIGH SCHOOLS

Yesterday, a committee of Central Texas educational leaders headed by Deputy State Superintendent A. M. Tate were here to rate the high school for membership in the Southern Association of High Schools. The local school passed with flying colors, and was accepted as a member, according to Supt. Ercell W. Brooks.

Others besides Tate on the Committee were Dean E. N. Jones of Baylor university; J. R. Humphrey of Temple schools, Alex Dickey, Austin; and J. R. Griggs, Deputy State Superintendent of the Wichita Falls District.

Local school officials, teachers and the public in general are to be congratulated on this fine showing in the educational field.

DOGS FIGHTING, BITES BABY THROUGH ERROR

Norma Louise Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, of near Cox's Spring was dog bitten Saturday, and a painful and bad looking gash on her face required two stitches to close. The dog also nicked the corner of her mouth.

The dogs had been fighting and she went out on the porch and the dog snapped at her, and didn't miss.

Markets

As of April 1

Corn, ear	55c
Corn, shelled	60c
Cottonseed, ton	\$26
Cream No. 1	25c
Cream No. 2	23c
Oats, sacked	33c
Oats, loose	32c
Eggs	12c
Hens, heavy	10c
Hens, light	8c

CONNALLY DEFENDS FARM BOUNTIES BEFORE SENATE

Agricultural subsidies were vigorously defended on the floor of the United States Senate by Tom Connally, Senator from Texas, in



SEN. TOM CONNALLY

answer to charges made by Senator Taft of Ohio that the Senate increases for the farmer were unnecessary.

Senator Connally pointed out "It has only been since the present administration came into power that we have had agricultural subsidies. That present day farmers are just now getting back a little dividend on what their grandfathers and their great-grandfathers have paid in the form of tariff taxes. Mr. President, we (democrats) demand in this item that farmers get back a little nibble, just a little dribble, just a little piece of these tariff bounties we have been paying, because if we ever needed them, we need them now."

MAYO HOLT GETS KEY FROM SCHOLARSHIP FRATERNITY

Mayo Holt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Holt of Gatesville was one of 36 students of the University of Texas who were Thursday elected members of the Phi Beta Kappa, the highest ranking honorary scholastic fraternity.

Homer W. Goode, of Moody, was the nearest other student to be named to this signal honor.

JERRY SADLER OPENS CAMPAIGN THURSDAY NIGHT

First big blast in the 1940 gubernatorial sweepstakes will be fired April 4 by Jerry Sadler, rugged young member of the Texas Railroad Commission.



JERRY SADLER

The colorful and dynamic Sadler will reveal his platform and proposals over a statewide hookup Thursday night, April 4, from 8 to 9 p. m. The broadcast will be carried by radio stations WFAA, WBAP, KPRC, and WOAI.

Since his opening announcement, Sadler has been deluged with a mail and telegraphic response and declares that he is now ready to reveal his program to the voters.

"For the first time in my memory we are going to have a campaign in Texas based on issues and not personalities. There is no hocus-pocus about my program", Sadler said. "It is clear-cut, plain and fitted to the pattern of the great Lone Star State."

MAYOR (?), MARSHALL AND CHIEF INVITED TO MEETING

At the regional three meeting of the city fire marshalls and fire chiefs, which will be held in Waco, April 4, Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner has invited the Mayor of Gatesville (?), Fire Marshall Pleas Walker and Fire Chief R. H. Miller.

At the meeting they will join in a discussion of matters pertaining to fire inspections, investigations, etc., as a means of reducing fire losses.

SENATOR MORRIS SHEPPARD TO REMAIN IN RACE

Senator Sheppard gave out a copy of the following letter he is today sending Mr. William M. Thornton, Staff Correspondent, Dallas News, Austin, Texas.



MORRIS SHEPPARD

"I note your statement in the Dallas News of February 8 to the effect that is felt by some that Morris Sheppard might be willing to step down in 1942, after having reached the age of 67 years and having seen 30 years service in the Senate. In order to dispell this illusion let me say that I shall be a candidate for re-election in 1942. I have an ambition while continuing to serve the people with the best energies I possess to break the all American record for length of service in Congress. Another election will enable me to do this. There are still five men, none living, who have served in Congress consecutively or non-consecutively longer than I have but after another term my record will exceed the record of each of these."

PURMELA STUDENTS ARE APRIL FOOLED: VISIT TOWNS

Teachers at Purmela schools "April fooled" their students, and Mrs. Ocoee Warden brought hers, the primaries, to Gatesville for a day's variety of visiting, and the higher grade students went on to Waco, where, it is supposed, they did the same things.

Those to Waco were accompanied by C. O. Huckabee and the other teachers of the school.

IT'S BEEN "QUIET BEFORE THE STORM": NO INKLING OF OUTCOME

Today's city voters have only one choice on the "printed" ballot, and the only other recourse they might have, would be a "writ in".

If it goes according to Hoyle (that's about another game) there will only be action in the mayoralty race, with these two men as the principals, in the order announced:

C. E. GANDY
(Re-election)
H. K. JACKSON

Now, there you are! Do what YOU think will be the best for the BEST interest of ALL GATESVILLE, and not for YOU or ME. Yes, that's exactly what WE mean, and how YOU and WE SHOULD vote.

Now, as for the three others:

For Alderman, Ward 1:
RUFUS BROWN

For Alderman, Ward 2:
ROGER MILLER,

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
EILAND LOVEJOY

There they are, and it'll not make any difference how you vote in these, because, they've got the axe on the places, already.

Just because you don't have to vote in the last three places, don't lay down on your "constitutional privilege" and not vote.

'Express' yourself, every "Jack's son" of you!
Go Vote!

Methodist Revival Continues This Week

Sunday services of the Methodist Revival, which is being conducted by Evangelist Alfred R. Wells, were well attended with full house both morning and evening. Several professions and additions to the church have been made.

Special services are planned throughout this week. Tuesday evening the choir, under the direction of Rev. Wells, will sing two negro spirituals.

Wednesday evening the service will be introduced with a dramatic song service by a chorus of 50 children. In connection with this a very impressive object lesson talk will be given.

Other special services will be announced later for Thursday and Friday evenings.

This revival is for everybody, including the children and the adults.

CORYELL EXHIBITORS BRING BACK \$500.00 "NEW MONEY" AND PRIZES FROM HOUSTON FAT STOCK SHOW JUST CLOSED

The ytook bacon to Houston and brought "sow's ears" back.

Also, they placed three champions including, Alton Quicksall's Champion Poland China arrow; his Champion Pen 3 Poland China Sows, and P. H. Martin's Champion pen 3 Duroc Jersey Barrows.

Other winners were in the Swine Division: Eight 1sts, going to Alton Quicksall 2, Elton Quicksall 2, Curtis Manning, Paul Guggolz, Elmo King, and P. H. Martin, each one.

Eleven seconds, to Elton Quicksall, C. Manning, Gayle Franks, Paul Guggolz, Elmo King, Elam Bros., P. H. Martin and Cloyce Key.

Five 3rds, to A. Quicksall, Bruce

Hollingsworth, Elmo King, Elam Bros., P. Guggolz.

Four 4ths: A. Quicksall, Paul Guggolz, Elmo King, Paul Henson.

Two 5ths: C. Manning and P. Guggolz.

Two 6ths: Elmo King, Novel Young.

Four 7ths: A. Quicksall, Bruce Hollingsworth, Gayle Franks, Elmo King.

Two 8ths: A. Quicksall and Gayle Franks.

Here are the results in the sheep exhibited: Guy Powell, One 2nd; Gayle and Elmer Franks 2nd, 14th and 15th.

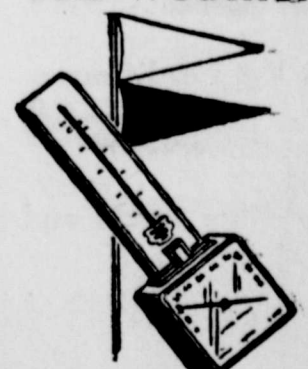
In Poultry: Cloyce Key, 2nd, and Novel Young, 6th.

King and E. Quicksall, and Elmo King, a 10th.

All these prize winners brought back to Coryell County some \$500 or more in prizes and premium prices on stock sold. The pigs sold at 2½ cents per pound over Coryell County prices and calves 3c. The capons sold for 33 and 40 cents a pound.

Those who stayed throughout the show were Gayle Franks, Elton Quicksall, Clarence Dube and those who attended were Jim Voss, Cecil Turner, Danny Lee Taylor, Elmo King, Curtis Manning, Novel Young, Travis Harper, Marshall Jackson and Alton Quicksall. O. Turner and John Taylor took care of the boys while in Houston.

The Weather



Barometer reading ... 30.35
Temperature 2 p. m. 82
Rain00
Western Union Forecast—Considerable cloudiness Tuesday.
Fishing—Bad

DEMONSTRATION AGENTS OFFICE

Bedroom Improvement
Virginia Greenway, Bedroom Improvement Demonstrator for Maple 4-H Club, has planned to improve her bedroom this year. One of her problems to solve was which calendar should be removed from the walls. Out of the two, one highly colored and covered with artificial snow, and the other a picture of the Dionne Quintuplets, she chose the latter, remembering a few pictures in a room prove to be an inspiration and express personality. Also pictures are best when chosen for the ideas they suggest, for their beauty, and should always have a meaning to the person who lives

with them. She learned that they could be enjoyed more if she hung them low enough for her to look directly into them, and it was best to hang them in relation to some piece of furniture. She found that space must be considered in relation to the picture, invisible hanging more pleasing than the appearance of wires or cords, and hanging pictures flat and not tipped is best.

4-H Club Girl Improves Bedroom
Euvone Clay, Bedroom Improvement Demonstrator for Pearl 4-H Club plans to improve her room by making rugs, cutting down her bedstead, by sawing off the post and putting iron pipe across the top, by papering the walls and by adding a waste basket, study table and wall shelves.

Pictures of her room have been made showing how it looks before starting the improvement. After improvements have been made, more pictures will be made.

Bedroom Improvements Planned
Sarah Nell Brazzil, Bedroom Improvement Demonstrator for Flat 4-H Club, plans to fix a convenient study center for her bedroom when making her improvements. A table giving a place for quiet writing or study is one of the essential things. It will be placed so the light falls over her left shoulder when sitting at the table; sufficient artificial light will be provided for use at night.

Book shelves which she will make at home of inexpensive material will provide a place for some favorite books and magazines and necessary reference books. They will be placed conveniently above her table.

IMPROVEMENTS DOUBLE THE APPEAL OF MODERN HOMES

How many times has it happened, after you have visited a smaller sized home of one of your friends, that you have said, "Isn't that a lovely home? . . . It certainly does stand out from the ordinary!"

Pretentious size isn't necessary to call forth such admiration, for more often than not it is the neatness and general air of proper maintenance that give a dwelling its chief appeal. And these two qualities are not dependent on the size of a home.

Frequently a new coat of paint will transform an otherwise drab home into one with a pleasant, inviting atmosphere. Again, sometimes a more extensive program

must be resorted to—a new porch is required, a new entrance or the like.

At any rate, it is wise to take an inventory of your home. Improvements pay many times over!



The News is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the City Election to be held the first Tuesday in April:

- For Mayor:**
C. E. GANDY
H. K. JACKSON
- For Alderman, Ward 1:**
RUFUS BROWN
- For Alderman, Ward 2:**
ROGER MILLER
- For Tax Assessor-Collector:**
EILAND LOVEJOY

CORYELL COUNTY PEOPLE INVITED TO J.T.A.C.

Dean J. Thomas Davis, head of John Tarleton College, sent invitations last week to a number of Coryell County people, inviting them to attend the Parent's Day Program to be held at that institute on May 5. Among those receiving invitations were: Alvin Clements, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alford, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Byrd E. King, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yows, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Huckabee, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Russell Mr. and Mrs. John Hobin. All of these are parents of Tarleton students.

Included in the day's activities will be a pageant, "Tarleton on Parade," band concerts by both the boys and girls bands, military drills, a review, and a talk by the Rev. W. H. Andrews of Bryan.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

DEEDS RECORDED

- Charlie Smith and wife to Hattie M. Austin.
- Audie Hestilow and wife to William Spross.
- Robert W. Brown and wife to Buel Berry
- Federal Land Bank to W. E. Grimes
- R. H. Lacy and wife to P. E.

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

THERE was a fellow from my country, out in Colorado, that went to New York and had a pretty good time. When it came time to pack up to go home, he remembered that he had forgot all about buying a present for his wife. So he went into the pet store that was right around the corner from his hotel, and he began looking at things. He had been buying himself a lot of stuff in a speakeasy, so he wasn't sure just what all the things in the store were. Things was going around and



around quite a little. But he saw a real bright-colored parrot setting on a perch, and it attracted his attention. It kinda furnished him a center of gravity, and he felt good. He walked up to the parrot and looked it over as well as he could. Then he says, "I reckon this one will do. How much is it? Anyhow, wrap it up for me." The parrot had been looking at him, and I guess the bird thought the customer was acting thick. So the parrot says, "What's the matter with you?"

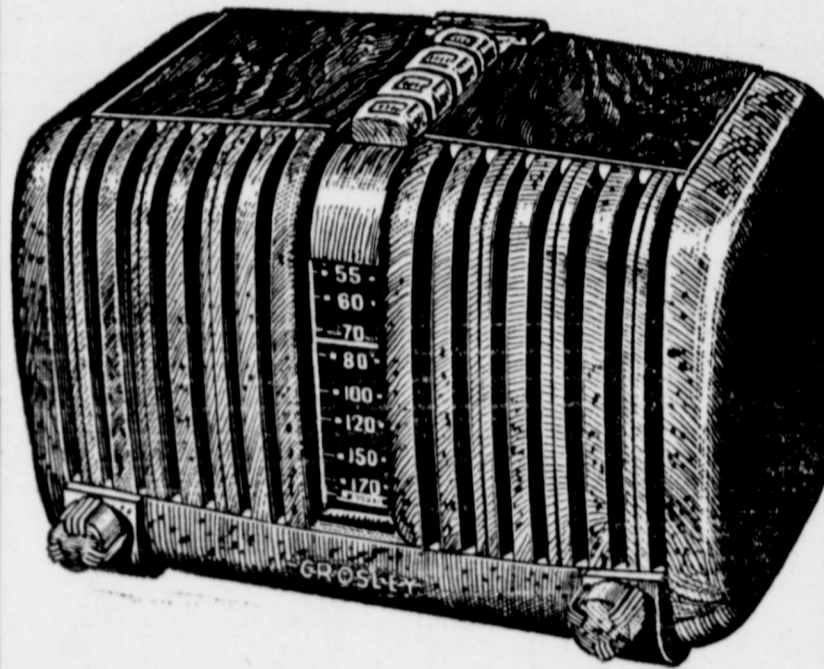
Then the guy from Colorado took off his hat and backed away. "Excuse me," he says, "I kinda thought you was a bird."
(American News Features, Inc.)

Ballard Jr.
N. Foote to Gillie Wallace
Luther N. Arnold and wife to Roy Hayes
NEW CARS REGISTERED
Fred Vickrey, '40 Chevrolet Pickup.

G. P. Schaub, '40 Chevrolet Truck.

Plans are being made for celebration in 1945 of the centennial of Baylor University's founding under the Republic of Texas.

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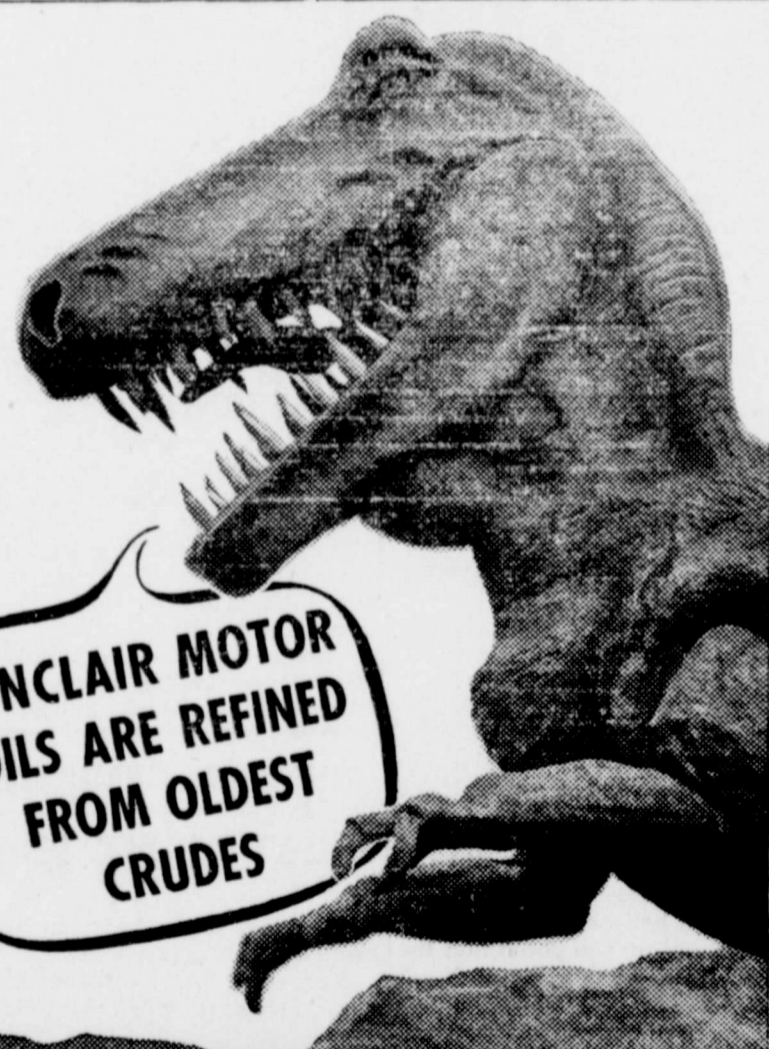
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Betsy Lost Her Puppy!

Things were mighty blue around the Jones' household too. And poor Betsy was simply pining away! Then Dad thought of the News Want-Ads. A small ad in the "Lost and Found" column brought Betsy's puppy back in a jiffy!

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BRACKETED

By BRACK CURRY



That Britain and France eventually may have to fight a Russo-German combination is regarded as on increasing likelihood among informed diplomats in Washington. These sources predict that one of two circumstances may bring about war between the Allies and Russia.

The Allies may declare war upon Russia in an effort to cease the flow of supplies to Hitler's Reich, and to weaken Germany by forcing her to sustain a weaker ally, as was necessary in the case of Austria-Hungary in World War I. Or Russia may join with Germany and Italy and divide the empires

of the Allies and establish a new world order with the three totalitarian states and Japan, dominating separate spheres of influence.

The first eventuality is regarded as the more likely as it is patent that the Allies, to defeat Germany, must find a new avenue of attack other than those now open to their armed forces. Collapse of their continental allies—Poland and Czechoslovakia—plus the victory of Russia over Finland, has strengthened Germany's position immeasurably until now it appears doubtful whether Hitler can ever be defeated by the blockade.

As long as Russia is at peace, Hitler will be able to import some wheat, oil, metals and foodstuffs from the Soviets, perhaps enough to keep his war and industrial machines from collapsing. Potentially, Russia is a vast storehouse of all that Germany needs in the way of raw materials. If German technicians were permitted to reorganize Russian heavy industry and her transportation system, Hitler might secure his economic position for years against the blockade.

This possibility perturbs British and French leaders, who are being spurred on by their peoples to

take aggressive action. Inclusion of Russia in the war might endanger certain vital parts of the British Empire—notably India and the oil fields in Iran and Iraq—but it might also provide a speedier termination of the war.

In 1854 Britain and France joined forces with Turkey to fight Russia, dispatching an expeditionary force to the Crimea and defeating the czar's forces. Repeating this campaign would be contingent upon the continued non-belligerency of Italy.

Without Italy supporting her axis partner, Germany would be weakened by Russian participation in the war. The war against Finland taxed the Soviet's resources to the breaking point—and a maximum of 500,000 Red troops took part in the fighting. To maintain a force of 1,000,000 to 2,000,000 fighting men—and this number would be necessary to repel an Allied-Turkish attack in the south—Russia would require German aid.

As a Soviet ally, Germany would again be compelled to fight on two fronts—and this Hitler sought to avoid by concluding an alliance with the Kremlin last August.

To the Allies, this undertaking, while hazardous and costly, looms as the most likely method of reaching Germany and of eventually reducing the Reich to a state of submission.

But Hitler may turn the tables upon Messrs. Chamberlain and Reynaud, as he outsmarted the Allies last year in reaching an agreement with Russia in the midst of conversation between Moscow and the Allies for a mutual assistance pact.

Hitler now seeks to extend the Rome-Berlin axis to Moscow—aligning a solid bloc of territory from the Atlantic and the Baltic to the Pacific Ocean. As an economic unit, Germany, Italy and Russia would be virtually self-sufficient.

Italy—for a while at least—could prevent an Allied attack upon Russia, while the Russians and Germans consolidated their economic strength. Thus Italy's key position in the European game of strategy is apparent.

Although there are obstacles to the conclusion of such a three-power agreement, this new alliance looms as a distinct threat to the Allies, as Sumner Wells found on his tour of the European capitals.

Advent of warm weather in Europe will bring a decision by the Allies on the Russian question. Meanwhile, the world awaits a holocaust on the Western Front which may not materialize at all.

What Helps Business Helps You!

JUST HUMANS By GENE CARR



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Sunday School Attendance

Sunday, March 31, 1940

First Baptist Church.....	400
Methodist Church.....	210
Church of Christ.....	80
Presbyterian Church.....	83
Christian Church.....	11

COUNTY OFFICIALS

- J. H. Brown Sheriff
- Dave H. Culberson Assr.-Collector
- C. P. Mounce Co. Clerk
- C. E. Alvis Co. Attorney
- Bud Black Constable, Pre. 1
- W. D. Stockburger Co. Supt.
- O. L. Brazzil Treasurer
- E. L. Turner Com. Beat 1
- J. Milton Price Com. Beat 2
- Harry Johnson Com. Beat 3
- Oad Painter Com. Beat 4
- Guy Powell Co. Agent
- L. A. Preston, Pub. Weigher, 1
- C. H. McGilvray . Co. Dem. Chm.
- L. S. Secrest Co. Surveyor

- Geo. Miller .. J. of Peace. prec. 1
- R. B. Cross Dist. Judge
- Carl McClendon Dist. Clerk
- W. H. Allen Dist. Attorney
- Sidney Gibson .. Co. H-D Agent

City Officials, Gatesville

- C. E. Gandy.....Mavor
- R. L. Saunders.....Alderman
- E. RouthAlderman
- J. O. Brown.....Alderman
- Rufus Brown.....Alderman
- Eiland LovejoyCity Secy.
- Dawson Cooper Treasurer
- Dr. H. M. Haynes, Health Officer
- Pleas Walker.....Marshall
- R. H. Miller.....Fire Chief

Natural hot water from many of Iceland's volcanics is piped into the capital, Reykjavik, to provide heat for offices and homes.

The cost of constructing the Maginot Line of fortifications in France was \$150,000,000. The work required five years.

Tune In
Thursday, April 4
8 to 9 P. M.,

WOAI **WBAP**
San Antonio Fort Worth
KPRC **WFAA**
Houston Dallas

HEAR
JERRY SADLER
FOR GOVERNOR

Society

Brown-Evans Nuptials Performed at Evant

In a single ring ceremony Miss Gerald Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown of Gatesville, and formerly of Evant, was married to Johnnie Evans of Leon Junction, who at present is attending school at San Marcos, last Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Baptist Parsonage in Evant. The Rev. John P. Cundieff, Evant Baptist pastor, officiated.

Mrs. Evans is a graduate of Evant High School. She and her family lived there many years.

The newly married couple will make their home for the present at San Marcos.—Hamilton County News.

Wednesday Contract Club Entertained

Vases of flags decorated the reception rooms of the Peyton Morgan home when Mrs. Morgan entertained members of the Wednesday Contract Club on the appointed afternoon last week.

A series of contract games terminated with Mrs. Rosser Sanders holding high and Mrs. Jim J. Brown second high. Other players were: Mesdames Billy Nesbitt, E. W. Jones Jr., Floyd Zeigler, Doyle Morgan, Johnnie Washburn, Eddie Gunn of Fort Worth, Elworth Lowrey, Eugene Alvis, John T. Brown and Kermit Jones.

After the presentation of the awards, the hostess served delicious strawberry shortcake and coffee.

Easter Party Given For Dorothy Ayres

Mrs. Ora Ayres entertained a group of children with an Easter party in the Raby Park Friday afternoon, March 22, of last in compliment to her daughter, Dorothy.

After hunting Easter Eggs, the group played various games. Winners in the contests were awarded golden goose eggs.

Refreshments, consisting of punch, and cake, were served to the following guests: Neta Jean Rogers, Larue Browning, Betty Ann Jones, Ray Juan Lee, Margaret Ann Jones, Frankie Lou Chambers, Bruce Baize, Jimmie Shepherd, Charles McGregor III, Charles Edgar Walker, John Elmo Routh, Freddie Prewitt, and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown Honored

Sunday afternoon, March 24, at 4 o'clock the children and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown entertained them in honor of their birthday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Brown Jr.

The table was spread with many good foods, which each of the 46 guests enjoyed.

As the guests left they wished both Mr. and Mrs. Brown many more happy birthdays.

Couple Married at Gatesville, March 23

Miss Allene Renken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Renken of Hamilton, became the bride of Eldon Lee of Evant in a ceremony performed Saturday night, March 23, at Gatesville. They were accompanied by Gilbert Singleton of Evant.

Miss Renken graduated from Hamilton High School in 1939 and has lived in Hamilton most of her life.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee are making their home in Evant. Their many friends wish them happiness in their marriage.—Hamilton County News.

Officers of Morris Federation Named

At the meeting of the Morris Federation last Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Alvis Sr. the nominating committee reported the following officers had been selected for the new year: President, Mrs. E. W. Brooks; Vice-President, Mrs. W. C. Guggolz; Secretary, Mrs. Crawford Scott; Treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Kendrick; and Reporter, Mrs. Elworth Lowrey.

"Poetry" was the subject of the program, of which Mrs. Ercell Brooks was director. Each answered roll call with a quotation from a favorite poet.

Mrs. J. W. Laird was the reader for the following: Poets Made Famous by a Single Poem: Alan Seeger's "I Have a Rendezvous With Death"; Christopher Morley's "To a Post Office Inkwell"; and Stephen Benet's "Rain after a Vaudeville Show" Emphasizing the trend toward simplicity in poetry today. Mrs. Crawford Scott read poems selected from the following: Lexie Dean Robertson, Robert Frost, Carl Sandburg, and Edna St. Vincent Millay. Humor in poetry was given by Mrs. Laird, who read: Oliver W. Holmes' "My Aunt", ret Harte's "The Society of the Stanislaus", T. A. Daly's "Rosa's Curiosity", and Vachel Lindsay's "The Congo".

FLOWER ARRANGING IS PRESENTED IN BOOKLET

In recent years the idea of flower arranging has become increasingly popular among women everywhere. Indeed, with many, this is now their favorite hobby. The possible combinations and arrangements are endless and the fun comes in the originality with which one's own thought and personality can be expressed.



Laura Lee Burroughs

la Bottling Company of Gatesville states, "Undoubtedly this interest in flower arranging is responsible for the phenomenal popularity of

Peyton Morgan, of the Coca-Cola book called 'Flower Arranging—A Fascinating Hobby', recently published and being distributed by The Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Georgia".

The book is written in a light and fascinating vein by Laura Lee Burroughs, one of the recognized experts in this field. Her ideas and suggestions are illustrated by 48 photographs of flower arrangements exquisitely photographed in full color. It is said that literally thousands of flowers "posed" for their pictures before the final groupings were selected.

Mr. Morgan, said that an idea of the widespread popularity of flower arranging as a hobby may be realized from the fact that four hundred thousand copies of the book already have been distributed. If you are interested in getting a copy for yourself, you can secure one by simply writing The Coca-Cola Company, Atlanta, Georgia, for 10 cents.

THIRTY-NINE STATES ADVERTISING, BUT NOT TEXAS

Texas is one of only nine states not financing advertising through state appropriations, Editor and Publisher, newspapermen's periodical, reported in its current issue.

From facts obtained from the Council of State Governments, the magazine declares that Texas, California, Georgia, Iowa, Missouri, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Utah and Delaware have no appropriations for advertising their advantages in industry and commerce or tourist attractions. Of these all but Delaware have advertising programs financed thru municipal, private or semi-private organizations.

The remaining thirty nine states are spending \$4,400,000 in 1940 on local, regional or national campaigns.

Newspapers are being used by thirty of the thirty-nine states, the council found in its survey.

Entrance of states into the advertising and promotional fields was caused or hastened by the depression. Before 1935 only six state

governments—Arizona, Florida, Maine, Michigan, Vermont and Wyoming—were actively advertising. In 1937 the Legislatures of 19 additional states appropriated money for advertising. In 1939 8 states set up advertising bureaus on public funds.

Several of the states said in official reports that advertising has not been done over long enough periods to evaluate results. Arkansas, New Jersey, North Carolina and Wisconsin reported results far beyond the amount spent.

Funds for financing the various state advertising campaigns were obtained by two methods. Twenty-six states appropriated all the money from their general funds. Ten states earmarked specific tax revenues for advertising. The other three appropriated funds by both methods.

Of all states, whether thru state or other advertising, forty-two are competing for the tourist trade, twenty five encourage new industries and twenty five publicize home products in an effort to find new and more distant markets. Only seven—Florida, Illinois, Indiana, New Jersey, North Dakota, Tennessee and Washington—have campaigns seeking new residents.

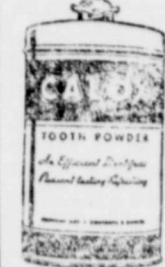
Mound

Mrs. E. T. Lightsey, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mayberry spent Sunday with relatives in Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lam spent

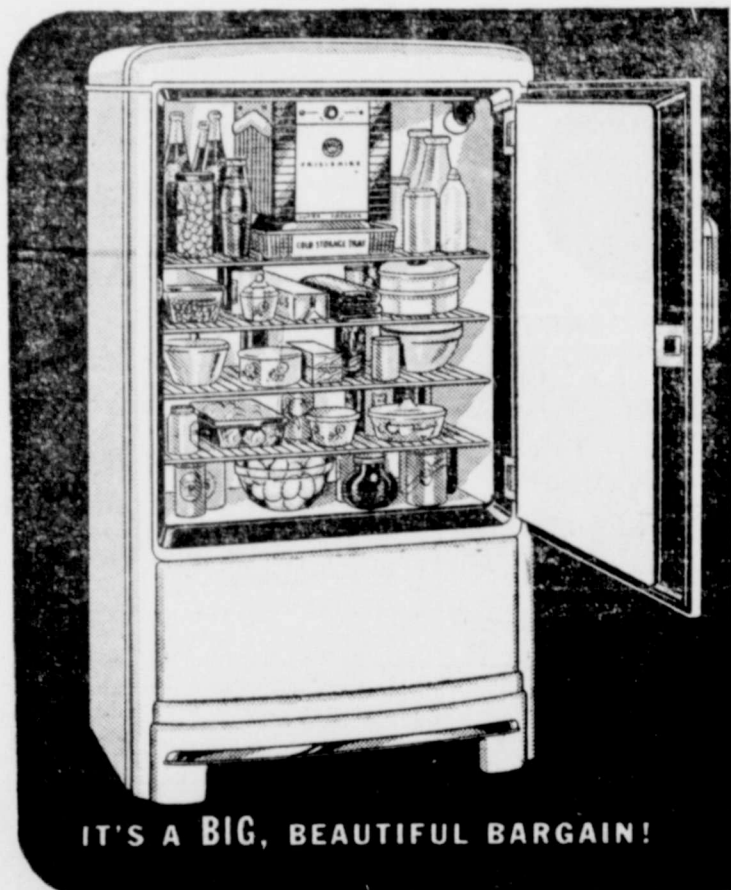
* Help your teeth shine like the stars *
* ... use Calox Tooth Powder *



Many of Hollywood's brightest stars use Calox to help bring out the natural lustre of their teeth—and you can rely on Calox too. Pure, wholesome, pleasant-tasting, approved by Good Housekeeping Bureau. Five tested ingredients, blended according to the formula of a foremost dental authority, make Calox an economical tooth powder that can't harm tooth enamel. Get Calox today at your drug store. Five sizes, from 10¢ to \$1.25.

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BIGGER SIZE...LESS MONEY



IT'S A BIG, BEAUTIFUL BARGAIN!

Super Value 8-40 (Illustrated), Only \$174.00
Never before have you been able to buy a big Frigidaire "8" for so little! There's genuine Frigidaire quality in every inch of it, too! Packed with many deluxe features, beauty-built to the same quality construction standards as higher priced models. See this big, beautiful bargain now.

Only

\$5.00

per month

Giant 8 cu. ft. 1940 FRIGIDAIRE

- A Big "8" At a Price You'd Expect to Pay for a "6"!
- Stainless Porcelain in Interior
- Famous Meter-Miser Mechanism
- Sensational New Frigidaire Styling
- 5 Big Quickcube Ice Trays—including one double capacity—84 ice cubes... 10 lbs. of ice
- Stainless Chromium Shelves
- ...and many other famous Frigidaire Quality Features.

Buy the Favorite
Run Frigidaire

Western Auto Associate Store
W. T. HIX, Owner

Slow Down at Sun Down!!
SIX out of every TEN Traffic Fatalities Happen After Dark!!
UNITED STATES JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TRAFFIC SAFETY LIGHT PROGRAM

That Nagging Backache
May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action
Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.
You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up nights, leg pains, swelling—feel constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.
Try Doan's Pills. Doan's help the kidneys to pass off harmful excess body waste. They have had more than half a century of public approval. Are recommended by grateful users everywhere. Ask your neighbor!
DOAN'S PILLS

Political Announcements

The Coryell County News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1940.

For Congress: (11th Cong. Dist.)
 W. R. (Bob) POAGE
 (Re-election)
 O. H. CROSS

For State Senator, 21st Dist:
 J. MANLEY HEAD
 (Re-election)
 KARL L. LOVELADY
 HENRY CLARK
 LOU HATTER

For Representative 94th Dist.:
 WELDON BURNBY
 (Second Term)
 W. J. DUBE, JR.
 HARDY NABORS
 G. C. (Grover) McANELLY

For District Judge, 52nd Judicial District
 R. B. (Bates) CROSS
 (Re-election)

For District Attorney:
 H. WILLIAM (Bill) ALLEN
 (Second Term)
 TOM L. ROBINSON

For District Clerk:
 CARL McCLENDON
 (Re-election)

For Sheriff:
 JOE WHITE
 J. H. BROWN
 (2nd Term)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
 MONROE MURRAY
 DAVE H. CULBERSON
 (Re-election)

For County Clerk:
 W. D. (Donival) McELVANY
 A. W. ELLIS

For County Judge:
 W. T. BRUMBALOW
 FLOYD ZEIGLER
 (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
 C. E. (Eugene) ALVIS Jr.
 (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
 O. L. BRAZZIL
 (Re-election)
 M. C. (Mack) BRAZIEL
 IVY EDMONDSON

For Commissioner, Beat 1:
 G. B. HARDCASTLE
 E. L. TURNER
 (2nd Term)
 V. L. ARNETT
 A. E. (Albert) HANES

For Commissioner, Beat 2:
 ROY EVETTS
 J. MILTON PRICE
 (2nd Term)
 LEVI AULDRIDGE
 HENRY W. GLASS
 J. H. (John) GRAHAM

For Commissioner, Beat 3:
 N. E. JAYROE
 JOE A. TUBBS
 HARRY JOHNSON
 (Re-election)
 JOEL B. SHIRLEY

For Commissioner, Beat 4:
 T. A. (Tom) CHAMBERS
 OAD PAINTER
 (Re-election)

EDWIN M. ELMS
 DICK PAYNE
For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:
 GEORGE MILLER
 (2nd Term)
For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
 MRS. LUCILE PRESTON

The Rev. C. M. Spalding is conducting a two weeks' revival meet-Church in Waco. The meeting began Monday evening.

INDIGESTION

Sensational Relief from Indigestion and One Dose Proves It
 If the first dose of this pleasant-tasting little black tablet doesn't bring you the fastest and most complete relief you have experienced send bottle back to us and get DOUBLE MONEY BACK. This Bell-an's tablet helps the stomach digest food, makes the excess stomach fluids harmless and lets you eat the nourishing foods you need. For heart-burn, sick headache and upset stomach often caused by excess stomach fluids making you feel sour and sick all over—JUST ONE DOSE of Bell-an's proves speedy relief. 25c everywhere.

Personals

Judge and Mrs. R. B. Cross spent the week end in Pettus as guests of their daughter and her family.

Mrs. Beatrice Le Sar, who underwent an operation at the St. Mary's Hospital in Tucson, Ariz., is reported improving.

Misses Martha Ann Powell, Martha Moore, Jean Pattillo, and Mildred Witcher, returned to Denton Sunday to resume their studies at T.S.C.W. after spending the spring holidays here with relatives.

Miss Helen Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Young of Jonesboro, left Sunday morning for Houston to enter Hermann Hospital as a student nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle of Dallas were week end guests of their mother, Mrs. F. J. Battle, and their grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Hammack.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Northington Jr. of Austin visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Wade Hampton, during the week end. Mrs. Northington is the former Miss Carolyn Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Merriman Patton of Beaumont are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. J. A. G. Weaver, and other relatives at Ames.

Miss Faye Jones has returned to her home near this city after spending the past several months at McAllen and Harlingen.

Miss Mary Dyess, Mrs. Molly Martin and Ezra Dyess, spent last week end visiting in Big Springs.

Hospital of severe burns and shock suffered Thursday when he fell into live wires while working on a rural electrical administration project between Bruceville and Lorena.

Mrs. David Fennell returned to her home in Denison Sunday after spending the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGregor.

Seth McLarty of Menard was a week end guest of relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Newberry of Waco spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Clinton Chamlee of Stephenville spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chamlee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Everett visited Clifford Seawright in a Waco hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner Stockburger visited her mother, Mrs. R. A. Chandler, in Ocee Sunday.

Tom Post Thomson was conveyed to the Scott and White Hospital in Temple last Thursday. He was reported resting satisfactorily following an ear operation.

Mrs. S. V. Bradford and daughter, Margaret, of Wichita Falls, are visiting in the H. B. Bradford home at the State Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Poston and Mrs. Lester Britain spent the week end in Oklahoma City visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. E. Poston and sons, Jack and Estee, attended the funeral of John Earl Farrow in Itasca Monday afternoon. The youth died Saturday night in the Providence

Mrs. Eddie Gunn, who has been visiting relatives here the past two weeks, returned to her home in Fort Worth Thursday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Johnnie Washburn and son, Lynn Sidney.

Wayland Holt attended the annual Baptist student banquet at Stephenville Saturday night.

Mrs. Della Hall and baby, Zackie, spent the week end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Geneva Newman, in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

A baby son, Norris Ray, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Meeks Wednesday morning, Mar. 27. The youngster weighed 8 lbs.

Miss Neva Hubbard and Miss Lois Lipsey of Waco have returned after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard.

NEW "SAFETY" TYPE ROLLER DOOR

A new type of garage door, designed to prevent injury to persons and damage to automobiles, is now on the market.

The door is different from others in that it has a compressible air-containing weather strip along the entire length of the bottom edge. When this strip touches an obstruction during the closing of the door air is compressed, actuating an impulse switch which causes the door to stop or, in some models, to reverse and open completely. The action is sufficiently rapid to remove danger of crushing.

One hundred and nineteen carloads of rosebushes, 30,000 to the car, were shipped from the Tyler area from October thru January. India now has 150,00 European and 165,00 Anglo-Indians.

In The WEEK'S NEWS



IT'S SPRING and if the ladies can blossom out in new bonnets, so can the men. Here Frank (Bring 'em Back Alive) Buck models sports hat made of Canada cloth. 1940's car upholstery fabric, to show it lends itself to smart tailoring.



MARTIAL LAW established by Oklahoma over \$20,000,000 State-Federal Grand River Dam, as Major H. B. Parris, Oklahoma National Guard, confers with Construction Superintendent Towne.



KISS FROM THE MISSUS sends Dizzy Dean away from his Texas farm to training camp of Chicago Cubs.



RESCUE WORKERS recuperate with draughts of hot coffee after vain efforts to save all 71 entombed in St. Clairsville, O., mine explosion.



RESCUED FROM DEATH in Spanish prison. American aviator Harold Dahl is back in arms of beautiful wife who fought to free him.

G-MEN ARRESTED Georgia's Governor E. D. Rivers on contempt order connected with his feud with State Highway Board chairman.

LIQUID OXYGEN EXPLOSIVE is demonstrated to House and Senate Military Affairs Committee by D. B. McCloud, manufacturer, of Carbondale, Ill.

PALACE

The Pick of the Pictures TODAY AND WED.

He had an eye for beautiful things, particularly beautiful young things!



CHARLES LAUGHTON as Sir Humphrey Pengellan monster in human form . . . who snared all but love within his evil web!



Charles LAUGHTON in "JAMAICA INN" with MAUREEN O'HARA and LESLIE BANKS

From the novel by Daphne du Maurier
 Directed by ALFRED HITCHCOCK
 Produced by ERICH POMMER
 A PARAMOUNT RELEASE
 Also Selected Shorts

THURS. AND FRIDAY



ARTIST... ADVENTURER... DREAMER... LOVER!

Ronald COLMAN
 in RUDYARD KIPLING'S
 "THE LIGHT THAT FAILED"

with WALTER HUSTON and IDA LUPINO • MURIEL ANGELUS
 DUDLEY DIGGES • A PARAMOUNT PICTURE
 Produced and Directed by WILLIAM A. WELLMAN

Plus Paramount News and Comedy

COMING SATURDAY
 Jane Withers and Gene Autry, in
 "SHOOTING HIGH"

Carl Drake has been transferred to Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Happy Lee and children and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hill and children spent Sunday in Brownwood and Coleman.

STOCKTON BROTHERS BAND WINNERS IN EVANT AMATEUR CONTEST, FRI. NITE

The Stockton String Band of Moshiem, former Nashville, Tennessee radio artists, walked away with first money in the amateur contest at Evant last Friday night by nosing out approximately fourteen different groups of entertainers to win the judge's unanimous decision. Featuring old time fiddle tunes and numerous vocal numbers these long lanky Moshiem lads really went to town and had the crowd yelling for more after every appearance.

Here's a list of the entertainers and their selections as they appeared on the program:

Jerry Don Collins, Levita, singing "Beer Barrell Polka" and tenor to "Little Rubber Dolly".

Eddie Witt and his "Joy Boys", McGregor, playing "Get Along Home Cindy" and "Drifting and Dreaming".

Thelma Collins, Levita, solist, singing "Oh, Johnny" and "Treasures Untold".

Stockton String Band, Moshiem, "Leather Breeches".

Cletis Chambers and his mandolin from Pancake, playing and singing "The Old Maid and the Burgler".

Mr. Fortune and daughter, "Art and Music."

Dennie (Cowboy) Collins, Levita singing with guitar, "Little Girl Dressed in Blue", and "Old Faithful".

Marvin Stockton, Moshiem, guitar solo entitled "The Silver Dew Drop."

Thelma and Dennie Collins, Levita, known as the "Close Harmonizers" singing "Sweet Evelena".

Pearl Trio, singing, "Back Home in Indiana" and "Johnnie has Left Town".

Henry Rhodes of Evant, violin solos "The Gallopin Horse" and a Waltz.

Gene Puckett, vocal numbers, "Sail Boat of Dreams" and "Truck Driver's Blues".

Dorric Hedgepeth and Fredonia Robinson, Pearl, duet, "In an Old Dutch Garden" and "Scatterbrain".

Ballard brothers, guitar duets, "Five Foot Two" and "Winter Wonderland".

Mr. Bailey of Evant, Solo, "Careless".

One of the most creditable performances of the entire show was presented by Eddie Witt and his "Joy Boys" from McGregor, with their feature tune being the famous "Beer Barrel Polka". Gene Puckett of Gatesville, A Mr. Fortune of near Evant who painted a beautiful tropical scene intitled "Springclore", The Ballard Twins of Pearl and many others performed like professionals and truthfully speaking nobody got the "gong".

First prize was awarded to the Stockton String Band from Moshiem, second went to the "Close Harmonizers", Thelma and Dennie Collins of Levita, Third was awarded to the Pearl Trio, and fourth was captured by Jerry Don Collins, three year old vocalist from Levita who promises to develop in to a regular Tony Martin. Incidentally the Stockton brothers have composed a song, "Just Take a Little Flower" which has been accepted by a nationally known publishing company and is due to make its initial appearance over the air lanes in a few weeks.

Levita To Have Amateur Night

Next Friday night at Levita an amateur contest, featuring several groups of selected entertainers will be presented in the high school gym and already plans are under way to make this one of the greatest shows of its kind ever to be presented in this vicinity.

The stage will be set in "Grand Old Opera" style and only the "tops" in amateur talent will perform, assuring the fans of a "jam-up" show. This musical presentation is being sponsored by the Levita public school, under the direction of principal, Frank Hanes and you are invited.



Organization of the city softball league seems to have struck a knot. There are still rumors afloat that there will be a 1940 city softball league but no definite steps have been taken to organize one.

Last Friday night Joe Louis, heavyweight champion of the world, retained his championship title for the tenth time since he became champion by knocking out Johnny Paychek of Des Moines in the second round of a scheduled 15 round bout. Eleven thousand fans payed to see the "Brown Bomber" do his deadly work and approximately ten percent of the gate fee went to the Finnish Relief fund.

All teams desiring to enter the Coryell County Baseball League are urged to organize as soon as possible so that schedules and other details can be worked out before the opening of the season. As soon as each team has been properly organized and a manager elected, they are requested to notify the Sports Editor of The News so that a meeting of the managers can be arranged as there are several important issues that should be worked out before the season gets underway. To date seven teams have expressed intentions of entering the league and several more are expected.

The rules and regulations that have governed the county baseball league for the past three years will probably be applied again this year with only a few minor changes due to come up. The ten mile limit is the major problem that will have to be passed on, and this will be worked out during the meeting of the managers.

The Texas Interscholastic League is seeking to put into effect a 18 year old age limit which will be effective among its members around September 1. This rule, if enforced, is due to cause a great deal of disturbance as many high school grid stars will be forced out of action. Should this rule be applied to the local high school, both Duncan Kirkpatrick and Jack Moore, stars on the 1939 football teams will be ineligible for another season.

The "Irish of Ireland", one of the leading teams in the six-man football league last year have just finished their spring training and have prospects for an excellent team this coming season. What few members that will be lost due to graduation will be ably replaced and several new stars are apt to emerge. Among these new comers is a 200 pound lad named Smith who is capable of covering a lot of space in the Irish line and it looks as though the 1940 "Irish edition" is going to be plenty hard to take.

Turnersville-Flat Game Rained Out

The Turnersville High School baseball team was scheduled to meet the Flat Yellowjackets at Flat Friday afternoon but reports are that the game was postponed to a later date due to rain. This game will probably be played sometime this week but no definite date has been set.

After the game with Turnersville was called off the Yellow-

jackets took on a crew of Flat outsiders and came out the winner by a reported score of 3 to 2.

Hornets Defeat Training School

Last Friday afternoon the Gatesville High School Hornets with lanky Otis McBroom in the box out slugged the State Training School baseball team by a score of 17 to 5.

White and Richards of the Hornets scored three runs each to lead the locals attack and Kelly of the Training school was outstanding for the losers.

McBroom went the full length of the game for the Hornets and held the State lads to only a few clean hits, while his teammates were pounding Rhoden, State pitcher for 17 runs.

This was the first clash between these teams this season and they are due to meet again in the near future.



Condensed Statement of Condition of THE NATIONAL BANK OF GATESVILLE

Gatesville, Texas
At the Close of Business March 26, 1940

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 329,238.59
Bank Building.....	26,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	4,500.00
Other Real Estate	9,247.75
Cash and Deposits with oth banks	\$470,781.20
United States Gov't Obligations	140,823.23
Other Bonds and Securities	166,156.29
	777,760.72
TOTAL	\$1,146,747.06
LIABILITIES	
Common Capital Stock.....	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	120,610.86
Deposits	926,136.20
TOTAL	\$1,146,747.06

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Condensed Statement of Condition of GUARANTY BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Gatesville, Texas
At the Close of Business March 26, 1940

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts	\$225,019.40
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	20,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank.....	2,100.00
Real Estate	1,601.00
Cash, Exchange, U. S. Government and other Securities	420,462.47
TOTAL.....	\$669,182.87
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	28,629.60
Deposits	590,553.27
TOTAL.....	\$669,182.87

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Member Federal Reserve System



CENSUS TAKERS BEGAN ACTIVITIES HERE MONDAY

Eighteen folks in Coryell county began counting noses yesterday. In fact, they started getting the low down on each and every citizen in Coryell county.

Census-takers in each county will call upon every household in the districts assigned to them. For people who live in town, the enumerators will ask questions, the answers to be filled out on the population schedule, about the size of family, the names, ages and occupations of each person, and other information about individuals. He will also fill out a Housing Schedule for the family, describing the materials the house is made of, its approximate age and condition, facts about its heating, lighting, plumbing, whether it is owned or rented. This is the first time in the history of census-taking that a housing survey has been undertaken, and results shown from it are expected to point the way toward a long-range development plan financed by private capital.

A good many people qualified to become enumerators did not get jobs in District 11, says Supervisor Smith, because there were many more applications than there were places. He will use 18 enumerators in Bosque County, he says; the same number in Coryell County; 20 in Milam; 30 in Falls; 45 in Bell and 80 in McLennan County. He expects to announce population by counties and by incorporated towns shortly after the canvass is finished.

Those delegated to take the census here, barring changes are: J. M. Witcher, Mrs. Pleas Walker, Mrs. Elbert Stone, Miss Grace Richards, Mrs. C. P. McCarver, Mrs. L. S. Secrest, Miss Willie Pogúe, Mrs. Craig Davidson, Mrs. Boone Strickland Roberts, Jack Boyd, Edward P. Fritz, Louis Behrens, Berkley Laxson, Mrs. Arthur Painter, Mrs. Mary Lee Vandiver, Fred Homan, A. B. Sandeford, and John Medlin.

County Line

Mrs. D. D. Dixon, cors.

(Intended for Friday)

We had a light shower and a little hail Friday afternoon. We surely do need a good rain.

Some of the farmers had to plant their corn over on account of the rabbits and crows pulling it up.

Mrs. John Palmer and sons, Oscar and Aaron, visited her son, Jim, in Tahoka recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dixon and children visited Mrs. Dixon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lambright, of Ross last week.

Mr. Jim Gilbreath of Leon Junction, a recent bride, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wolff.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie DeLord entertained with a 42 party Wednesday night.

Miss Flora Etta Wolff visited Miss Virgie Brookshire of Brown's Creek recently and went to the school picnic.

Mr. and Thurston Lambright of Corpus Christi and Mrs. F. C. Bedford of Kingsville visited their sister, Mrs. D. D. Dixon, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dixon visited her father, Mrs. Will Sanderson, in Dallas recently, also her brother, Mr. Cleve Williams.

Mrs. Oscar Tutor and children of Fort Worth visited relatives here last week.

The Dunn school won a few ribbons at the County Meet.

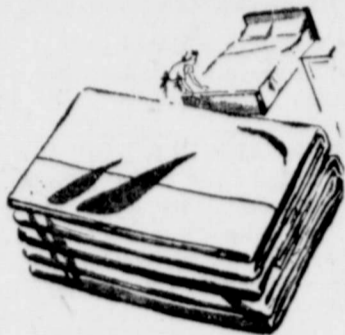
A large crowd enjoyed the 42 party at Mr. A. R. Dixon's home Saturday night.

MOTHER OF MRS. W. H. SATTERFIELD DIES

While enjoying a visit in Hamilton with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Satterfield and family, death from a heart attack brought an end suddenly to Mrs. S. J. Hicks, of Comanche, 82 years of age, on Wednesday afternoon, March 27.

The body of Mrs. Hicks, accompanied by the bereaved Satterfield family and a number of friends, was conveyed to Comanche, where the funeral services were held on Thursday and burial was made in the home city.—Hamilton Herald-Record.

Opportunity SALE



GARZA SHEETS

SIZE 81x99

79c

Famous for their long wearing Quality. On sale for limited time.

LADIES 3 THREAD CREPE HOSE

79c

In all the newest shades. Buy several pair at this special price.



SALE NOVELTY WEAVES PECAYS yd.

17c

FAST COLORS PERFECT QUALITY MANY DESIGNS
Reg. 29c Value

Bright color combinations in a multitude of exquisite patterns makes this assortment of prints really outstanding. We believe that these prints are as beautiful as any we have ever seen. Of course, they are a full 36 inches wide and of the highest quality.



MEN'S SHIRTS AND SHORTS
Reg. 25c Quality

19c

A fortunate purchase makes this value possible combed yarn shirts fine quality broadcloth shorts in all sizes.

MEN'S Sanforized SUN TAN KHAKI SUITS

\$2.25

A fine quality long wearing suit at a price that will save you money. All sizes.



NEW HAND BAGS

VALUES TO \$1.50

\$1.00



Just received a large assortment of new styles in all the seasons newest colors. Buy one to match each costume at this low price.



MILL ENDS TURKISH TOWELS
Whites, pastels, colored border

You will want several bundles of these. 3 and 4 towels to the bundle.
39c

J. & P. COATS AND WILMATIC BRAND Sewing Thread

3 Spools 10c

BATES BED SPREADS

A beautiful new pattern in an extra large, heavy quality, Bates spread colors, Rose, Blue, Green, Orchid and Gold Buy several at this low price.

Reg. \$2.50 Value

\$1.98



APRONS

New styles, bright colors, fine quality print cloths you will want 2 or 3 at this low price.

29c



VAT DYED KHAKI PANTS
SIZE 29 TO 42

Full cut and well made several colors to select from. Buy your summer supply at this low price. Values to \$1.50.

\$1.10



DAVIDSON BROS. & CO.

White Hall

Robbie Chambers, cors.

Grannie Chambers is on the sick list. We hope she will soon be able to be up.



Mrs. Hanley's Dust-Catchers

Like most of us, Mrs. Hanley found it difficult to part with some of her belongings. No good to her, yet they just accumulated in the attic. Then Mrs. Hanley got a bright idea! Why not sell them through a News Want-Ad? It worked like magic! And she used the extra cash to buy things she needed!

WANT TO SELL YOUR DUST-CATCHERS? USE

CORYELL COUNTY NEWS

SAVE!
NEW
BIG PACK
12 FOR 25¢



REGULAR
PACK
4 FOR 10¢

Treet
SINGLE EDGE BLADES
SAVE ON YOUR SHAVES!

Mrs. Robert Leonard and Mrs. Earl Culp and Grannie Vernon visited Mrs. Press Fleming and Grannie Chambers Saturday evening.

Mrs. Earl Culp and Mrs. Robert Leonard visited Mrs. Blankenship and Mrs. Vernon Wright Sunday evening.

Robbie Chambers visited Mrs. Vernon Wright Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Graham Tuesday night.

Mrs. Etta Smith and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. B. E. McCoy.

Mrs. Roy Fleming visited Mrs. W. W. Payne Tuesday.

Mrs. Vernon Wright and children and Mrs. Sudie Blankenship visited Mrs. A. D. Chesnut Wednesday evening.

Mr. C. B. Whitaker has returned from El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCarver, Mr. Jess McCarver and Mrs. Bros Moore made a business trip to Waco Tuesday.

Mr. Raymond Blankenship made a business trip to Waco Thursday. Mrs. Lawrence, McCarver and children, Mrs. A. D. Chesnut, and Robbie Chambers visited Mrs. Etta Smith last Thursday evening.

Mrs. N. L. Douglas and Leon visited in Hamilton Tuesday night and Wednesday. Miss Smith came home with them to spend a few days.

Quite a few enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at Mrs. Clarence Crawford's last Sunday evening.

There will be an amateur contest at White Hall April 19. We would like for all contestants to get in touch with A. D. Chesnut or N. L. Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Payne and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chambers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davidson and Lavetta Nell visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesnut Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Wright and children and Mrs. Blankenship visited Mrs. Lawrence McCarver and children Sunday evening.

Mrs. Joe Walton spent the week end with Raymond Blankenship.

Eliga

Mrs. Hallie Hubbard, Corsep.

Mrs. Bettie Graham has been ill the past few days. We trust she is much better by now.

Mrs. Maurice Fleming and little daughters spent a few days last week with Mrs. Jessie Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Lee Fleming and little daughter and Mrs. Jes-

sie Fleming visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fleming Sunday evening. Miss Beulah Graham and Mr. Nonie Thompson surprised their friends by getting married Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Ann Curry's children surprised her with a birthday dinner on her 79th birthday Mar. 31. Not all of her children were present; several of her grandchildren and great grandchildren were there. We wish for her many more happy birthdays.

Mr. Milton Graham spent Sunday in the Lum Hubbard home.

Mr. Lum Hubbard went to Dallas Monday with a truck load of hogs.

Mrs. George Blackwell has been quite sick the past week. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Evangelist Stevens Melton of Hamilton will preach at Eliga Sunday, April 7. Dinner on the ground. A hearty welcome is extended to one and all.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Whitley visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Graham of Silver City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Lee Fleming and little daughter visited Mrs. Henry McVey Saturday night.

DALLAS SEMI-WEEKLY VINTAGE OF 1904'S FUNNY NOW

First thing noticed in this edition of The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, was a part of the editorial: "The United States Department of Agriculture has done so much that is excellent in the way of assisting the farmers". So, the New Deal isn't "new" at all—least, it was not, even in 1904.

"Special Agent W. D. Hunter, in charge of the experimental work with the Mexican boll weevil in Texas." Evidently, the USDA and the agricultural colleges have not gotten much done on this score even tho they operate at a tremendous cost.

Little further down, a mail order house makes you buy a cane rocker to get their 30 lb. catalogue. Or, you buy 25 lbs. granulated sugar, 25 lb. sack yellow corn meal, 10 lbs. navy beans, and 5 lbs Rio and Santos Coffee, all for \$2.63, and they'll send you the 30 lb. catalogue free.

Cotton picking paid \$1.00 a hundred. The war was on between Japan and Russia, and boys were wanted to sell The Dallas Morning News.

Advertisements Hostetter's Bitters, Carter's Little Liver Pills; a buggy on the installment plan, \$10 down, and \$5 a month, total \$37.50 Russo-Japanese War Atlas, News office, Dallas, 12c; Old Kentucky Mellowood, 8 qts., \$5; Hayner Whiskey, 4 qts., \$3.20.

Confederate Veterans camp organized in Comanche county for first time. World war veterans didn't wait that long.

Liquozone and Oxidine, two patent medicines took large spaces, and The Black Rabbit Potash or Lye, also was displayed plenty big.

Note: The paper these excerpts have been taken from belongs to someone and we've forgotten. Who ever it is, we'd like for them to call before it's lost—and things like this get lost occasionally.



Misses Eula Lee Palmer of Waco and Mabel Julia Payton were house guests of Miss Christine Moran the past week end.

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—FIRE, HAIL and TORNADO insurance for all farm property. See Tom Freeman. 26-tfc

—KELVINATOR in good shape for sale. Doc's Cafe. 22-tfc

—THE LAW says, get receipts for Federal Social Security payments. We have 'em. Coryell County News. 22-tfc

—NEWLIN'S HELPY-SELFY Laundry. We'll wash 'em if you won't. Also, We buy eggs. In Torbett Town 29-4tc

—USED IMPLEMENTS at Bargain prices. Also welding and blacksmithing. Ernest McCorkle, W. Main, Allis-Chalmers Dealer. 28-tfc

—FOR RENT: My home, 3 miles in country. House only. See Mat Jones at News office. Willis M. Jones. 28-tfc

—FEED RED CHAIN feeds for better results; costs no more than other feeds. See us for prices before you buy your Poultry Feeds. Preston's Mill 30-tfc

—SHEEP AND CATTLEMEN: Ship your sheep, goats or cattle by insured truck under R. R. permits. Phs. 128 or 135. G. P. Schaub. 38-tfc

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—LOST: \$7 in bills on E. side sq. Sat. Bring to News office. \$1 reward. Mrs. C. L. Seward. 30-1tp

—STRAYED: Light sorrell mare, blaze face. 6 yrs. old. No shoes, fat. Notify J. T. Beckner, Moody, Rt. 1. Reward. 30-2tp

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TODAY AND WED. And Don't Forget TODAY IS TUESDAY

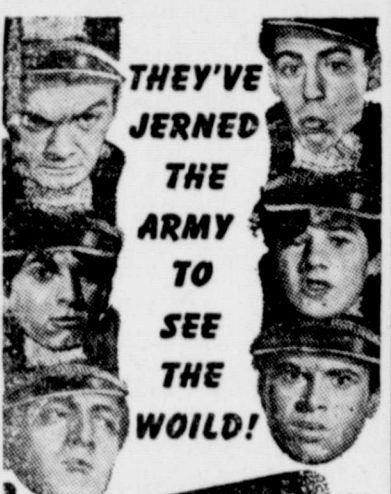
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—How much of your time do you spend in bed? Have that old mattress renovated and made new, or buy a new one. Try Winfield. 72-tfc

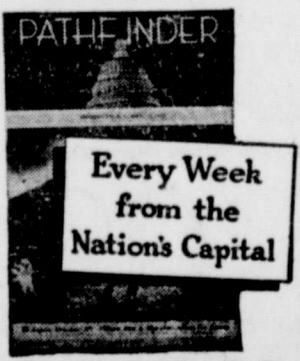
—SEE TOM FREEMAN for all kinds of insurance. Also, real estate and car loans. 22-tfc

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Vadena Hagan cors.

(Intended for Friday)

Rev. L. L. Braughten filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Several from the adjoining communities attended the cemetery working here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Patterson are the proud parents of an eight lb. daughter. The baby was given the name Mary Lou. Both the mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Jim Watts is on the sick list. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomson and children attended church at Gatesville Saturday night.

Guests in the Sam Patterson home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schaub and children and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dyson of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gardner and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Schaub and John Walker of Spring Hill, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bratton and Wayland of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. John Hagan and family and Mrs. Geo. Schaub, Herbert and Reynold of Gatesville.

Misses Nellie Kelso and Wilma Singleton of Hay Valley spent one night the past week with Miss Johnnie Belle Hagan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bratton, Darcas and Mrs. Nathan Bratton of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton and Charles Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Knox Trammell were Sunday guests in the R. E. Gallegly home.

Mrs. J. W. Patterson is spending a few days in the Floyd Patterson home at Ames.

Mrs. R. E. Gallegly and daughter were guests of Mrs. Sam Patterson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bratton and Wayland of Hamilton were guests in the John Hagan home Sunday.

Joe Pat Butch is visiting in the C. O. Russell home where he is employed.

Mrs. Tubbs and Mr. and Mrs.

Thomson and children of Stephenville were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomson and family.

Those who visited Mrs. Sam

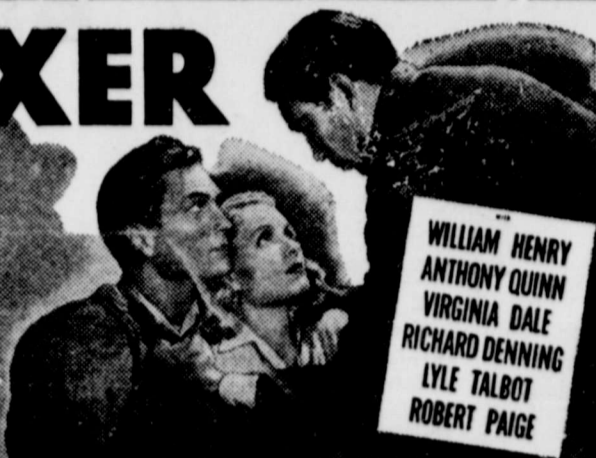
Patterson Monday were: Mesdames C. C. Roberts, Sam Box, M. T. Carroll, and Duncan Eakin and Misses Aileen Estes and Monette Eakin.

PAROLE FIXER

By EDWARD CHURCHIL

Serialized from the **PARAMOUNT PICTURE**

Based on a Story by **J. EDGAR HOOVER**



CHAPTER SIX SYNOPSIS:
Mrs. Thornton Casserly, society leader, pays for her stupidity in campaigning for the parole of Steve Eddson, public enemy, and for giving him a job as chauffeur when Tyler Craden, Eddson's lawyer executes a plan for kidnaping her daughter, Enid, and Bruce Eaton the man Enid plans to marry. Mrs. Casserly still thinks the lovers pair have eloped. Craden, a master mind, is not only using Eddson but Big Boy Bradmore, another parolee, who has killed George Mattison, a G-man. Special Agents Hanford, Waring and Britton are seeking Bradmore.

CHAPTER VII
AFTER discovering the kidnap note attached to Enid Casserly's scarf on the doorknob, Lawyer Randall Porter faced the distracted Mrs. Casserly.
"Randall!" she exclaimed. "You've heard? Enid's eloped with Bruce Eaton!"

transcribe that immediately, please."
As Stiles went out, Hanford asked Porter:
"The two cars are still parked in front of the house?"
"I thought I'd better leave them just as they were," the lawyer replied.
Hanford nodded, looked up with an expectant expression on his features at a man who had just entered with a scarf and note, each now in a cellophane wrapper.
"Any identification, Stebbins?" he asked.
"Not a thing," Stebbins replied.
"I've tried every test."
Hanford turned to Porter.
"You're positive you can't identify the voice of the man who called you tonight?"

right now is give Eddson all the freedom he wants. Make him believe that he's the last person you suspect."
"Very well," faltered Mrs. Casserly. "I'll do my best."
"There's one thing I want you to do right away, Mrs. Casserly," Hanford said. "Have Miss Enid's car put in your garage immediately."
She nodded.
Hanford followed with other instructions about reports of the supposed elopement to the newspapers. She was to continue to pretend that the young people had eloped. She was to discuss the kidnaping with no one, especially with Eddson. She agreed and went home. She had Carter call Eddson and tell him to put the car Enid had driven in the garage. Eddson capily expressed surprise on learning it was outside.
He got it, then began what he considered a thorough job of cleaning inside and out. He removed all of the mud on the floor mat. He was just finishing the job when Carter called.
"Mrs. Casserly wishes you to take her for a drive, Eddson," the butler said.
"Very well."
Eddson hung up, eyed the dustpan he was using, saw the mud and pine needles. He scattered these in the shrubbery, drove the limousine to the front door. On the seat beside him was a newspaper with a front page story devoted to news of Enid's elopement.
He helped Mrs. Casserly into the car.
After he had driven for a while he said:
"I guess that Miss Enid's elopement came as quite a shock ma'am."
At the same time he passed the newspaper back to her.
"Not particularly," she lied smoothly. "But I do wish they hadn't been so mysterious about it. Having someone bring her car back and park it in front of the house—and hang her scarf on the doorknob! Silly youngsters!"
"I see what you mean," replied the mystified Eddson, who wondered what had become of his note. "That was a funny thing to do."
During Eddson's enforced absence from the garage, Waring and Britton went over the roadster. On the rubber brake pedal pad, which Eddson had overlooked, they found mud and a pine needle. In Eddson's wastebasket they found two telephone numbers. They called one and got the Owl Hotel, asking for room forty-two, also indicated on the memorandum. They got no answer and the clerk was uncommunicative. The second number proved to be that of the home of Tyler Craden, lawyer.
"Things," said Britton, "are becoming strangely clear to me. Craden, of course, wouldn't have anything to do with this."
"Oh, no indeed!" countered Waring.
Britton inspected Eddson's shoes. "Funny," he said. "There's no mud on 'em. Mud and pine needles in the car. Somebody else must've done the actual snatch."
Waring discovered the "privacy control" button and how it could be used.



"Oh, I've been so foolish!" Mrs. Casserly said. "I must've been out of my mind when I took him into my home."

She started to cry. Porter very gently led her to a chair in the library and seated her in it.
"If anyone had told me that Enid would have—" she lamented.
"Just a moment, Ella," Porter requested. As she looked at him he pulled the scarf from his pocket.
"Is this Enid's?" he demanded.
"Why, yes—I gave it to her. That is, I had Carter take it to her this afternoon when she left for the horse show."
She gave her lawyer a bewildered, apprehensive look.
"What's the matter?" she asked.
"I think," he replied, "that we'd better go see the men at the Federal Bureau of Investigation about this."
At the offices, Mrs. Casserly, now aware of what really had taken place, told the entire story as she knew it from beginning to end while a secretary filled twenty pages with notes.
"And that's all I can remember now," she said, finally. Hanford, Waring and Britton had been listening intently.
"You've done splendidly, Mrs. Casserly," Hanford told her. He turned to the secretary. "Stiles,

"It was rather high-pitched—certainly nothing like Eddson's. And it was over before I had a chance to think about it much. He just said: 'Mrs. Casserly wants to see you right away about Miss Casserly.'"
At mention of her daughter's name, Mrs. Casserly began to cry.
"Control yourself, Ella," Porter said.
She made an effort.
"It's almost inconceivable," she said to Hanford and the others. "One reads about these things—you know they happen—but you can't imagine them striking—home. How could Steven, of all people, hope to get away with a thing like this?"
"Criminals always believe themselves smarter than anyone else," Hanford said.
"Oh, I've been so foolish! I must've been out of my mind when I took him into my home!"
She rose.
"But we mustn't sit here talking. You should arrest Eddson and make him talk!"
"Not yet, Mrs. Casserly," Hanford warned. "We lack proof. To arrest Eddson now would endanger the lives of your daughter and Mr. Eaton even more. All we can do

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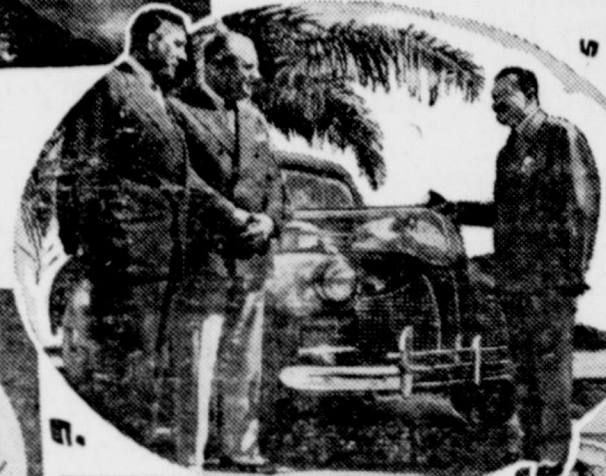


"ADOPTED" BY FIRST LADY was Joan Cameron, 3, Kensington, Pa., Mrs. Roosevelt assumes cost of sending her through new nursery school for under-privileged children.

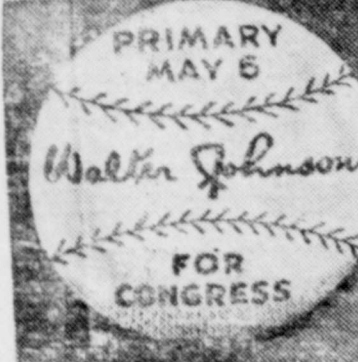


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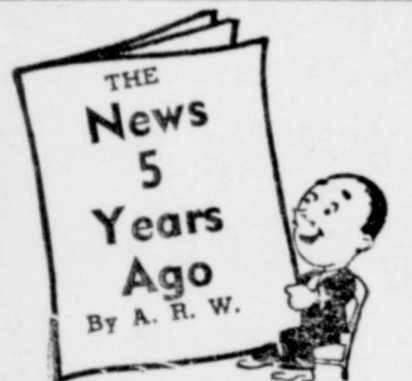


OUT OF RETIREMENT from his Maryland farm, Walter Johnson, one of baseball's greatest pitchers, enters Congressional race with this unique campaign button.



GOOD FRIDAY IN ROME sees this procession of solemn hooded figures of an order of monks living on island in River Tiber.

HONEYMOON ISLE'S KING & QUEEN are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Phelps, St. Louis, Mo., first of couples on island near Tampa, Fla., which owner set aside for honeymooners.



April 2, 1935
The one-act play "Thursday Evening", by Phisitophie Forley, under the direction of Miss Villa Holmes, will be Gatesville's production at the District Meet Friday, April 5. Four pupils are in

the play, namely: Beverly Chamlee, Dorothy Culberson, Fred Byrom and Joe Satterfield.

Clara Kathryn Dixon of Seattle can boast of having seen nine grandparents. She is eleven years old and is named after her mother and all four of her grandmothers. Clara Kathryn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dixon.

Gatesville's newest Beauty Shop opened this week end in Johnson's and Summer's Barber Shop on the south side of the square. Mrs. Alice Rogers Tubbs, of Stephenville and formerly a resident of this county for many years, is the genial proprietor.

A distinguished honor well deserved for his service and loyalty has come to a local pastor, Rev. M. M. Chunn of the Gatesville Methodist Church, in having been chosen to represent the church to the National Younger Men's Missionary Congress to be held in Chicago.

G'ville high school was awarded a cup for making the most points to win the County Meet. The distribution of points given in this schedule is according to the decision of the Executive Committee.

The county consolation basketball tourney swung into action last Tuesday. The teams rested from Tuesday until today when play will be resumed. Teams in the tourney are: Antelope, White Hall, Pidcoke, Ewing, Oglesby, Purlmela, and Flat.

Hervey Chessley, court reporter of this district, whose home is Hamilton, was in this city Wednesday on business.

Society: Mrs. C. L. Thompson entertained a group of twelve

children in the City Park Tuesday afternoon with a picnic celebrating her son, Charles Edgar's four birthday.

Martha Lou Phillips celebrated her ten birthday Saturday afternoon with a party given by her mother, Mrs. R. G. Phillips, at their home on College Street.

Jerry Davis celebrated her 10th birthday when her mother, Mrs. H. B. Davis, entertained Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock at their home on Lutterloh. Games were played with Sue Brooks and Harriet Robinson winning high prizes.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR GEO. W. PENNINGTON HELD LAST WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for George W. Pennington, 63, who died Tuesday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jim Ed Pruner, in this city, were held at Blackfoot Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mr. Pennington was born August 3, 1876 near Levita, and had lived most of his life in Coryell County. He was married to Betty Brumalaw July 31, 1901; she preceded him in death nine months.

Surviving are four daughters: Mrs. Ollie Hale of Jonesboro, Miss Ora Pennington of Austin, Mrs. J. E. Burns of McGregor, and Mrs. J. E. Pruner of Gatesville; eight grandchildren; one brother, J. L. Pennington of Brownwood; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Christian of Evant and Mrs. Ibry Wornick of Troup.



BEST STEAKS IN TOWN

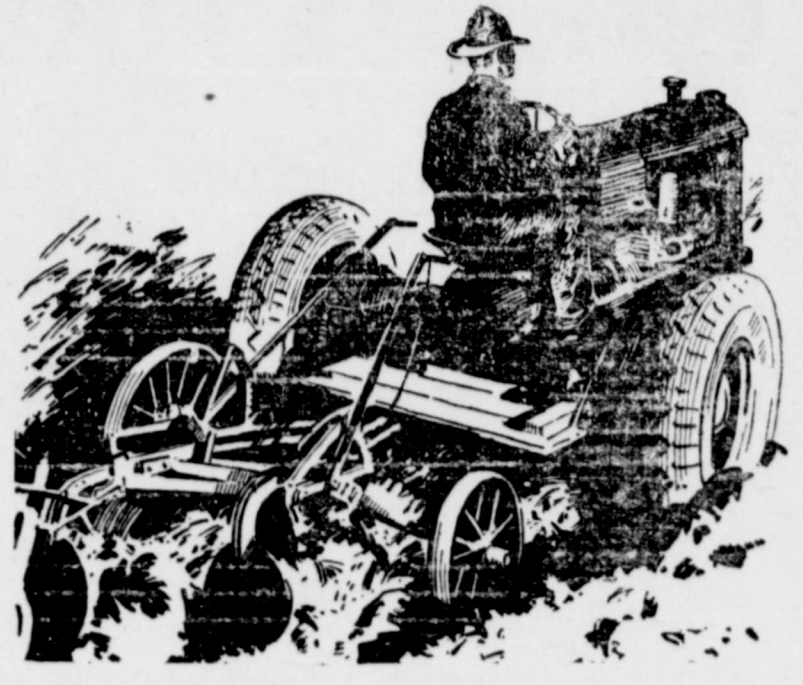
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Copperas Cove

(Intended for Friday)
Miss Sue Joiner, Home Ec. teacher, resigned and left Tuesday to take the position of assistant H-D of Angelina County. She has given us splendid service and leaves with best wishes from all.

Mrs. J. C. Culwell was elected to finish the term as Home Ec. teacher.

Decil and Wyeman Lamb of Temple are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mitchell of Valera and Joe Glenn Mitchell of Gatesville spent last week end with the Joe Morses.

Mr. Jesse Manning has returned from Austin, where he spent two weeks in a hospital.

Walter Turner has gone for an extended visit with his sisters in Muleshoe and Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fischgrabe shopped in Lampasas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams entertained a number of friends with a 42 party Tuesday night.

Wm. Beverly visited friends south of town Sunday.

Our entrants at the County Meet made a splendid showing.

Mr. Louis Behrens visited in Gatesville Wednesday.

James Smylie of Kilgore spent Easter with his mother.

Mrs. Ed Fritz and son, David, have returned from a week's visit with friends in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Morse of Pidcoke spent the week end with home folks here.

William and Julius Beverly visited at Okalla Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Amarillo are visiting the Julius Smiths.

Mrs. W. B. Smylie left Sunday for a month's visit in Mississippi.

Misses Louise and Selma Leonard of Temple spent Sunday with Mrs. Chas. Fischgrabe.

Bee House

Verda Conner, Correspondent

(Intended for Friday)
We are glad to report Mrs. Loys Carrigan, who has been missing teaching school two weeks because of the flu, is better.

Miss Ione Conner, who has been in Kings Daughters Hospital over a month, is slowly improving.

Miss Ettie Harris, who has been ill since before Christmas, is able to be about some now.

Mr. Mack Smith has a bad case of rheumatism and can hardly walk.

Mrs. Minnie Moseley, of Topsey, has been visiting relatives of this community the past few weeks. She is visiting in the A. B. Conner home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sawyer of Evant visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Price Tuesday.

Visitors in the T. L. Conner home Sunday were: Mr. Bill Chaney and Bertie, Mr. Otis Kinsey, and Dewey, Mr. Lloyd Conner and Verda and Bernita Conner.

Mrs. Margaret Conner is teaching school in Mrs. Loys Carrigan's place this week.

Mrs. Doyle Perkins of Stephenville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Moseley and children visited in the A. C. Moseley home Sunday.

Mrs. Edd Ray and Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. Alvy Keeney and children from Cherokee, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Chamber and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dossey visited Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Harris and children Sunday.

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DEMOCRATIC LINE-UP

Although President Roosevelt has not made public his decision about a third term, new deal adherents have been so active in behalf of the chief executive that now there is no doubt that he can have the nomination if he wants it.

With the consent of not by the instigation of the President, third term advocates have sidetracked the candidacies of any and all Democrats who loom as potential opponents of the new deal cabal at the National Democratic Convention.

Their strategy is to enter slates of delegates pledged to the re-election of Mr. Roosevelt in virtually every Democratic election. It is probable that fully half of the 1,000 delegates at the convention will be pledged to Mr. Roosevelt.

The campaign in behalf of Mr. Roosevelt has stultified, for the moment at least, the Garner boom. At the outset of the campaign in behalf of the Vice-President, Garner supporters claimed that their candidate would have 300 to 350 pledged delegates. It is not likely that more than half that number will be responsive to the Garner forces when the balloting starts at the convention.

Security Administrator McNutt has been stymied for months with his elaborate buildup of last year failing to produce results in pledged delegates.

Secretary Hull looms as the outstanding dark horse candidate for the nomination if Mr. Roosevelt refuses a third term. Hull is not seeking the nomination—but if a compromise candidate is necessary to hold the party together, the Secretary of State will probably be the choice.

Postmaster General Farley favors a Hull-Farley ticket, but the new dealers want Attorney General Jackson in the No. 2 spot. This accounts in part for the recent announcement by Farley that, like Garner, he would be a candidate for the nomination regardless of who else seeks the honor.

What the results of this decision will be in regard to the third term movement and the candidacy of Mr. Garner, who patently is the the outstanding anti-new deal possibility among the Democrats, can not be speculated upon. A fusion of the Garner Farley forces undoubtedly would produce a formidable anti-third term bloc at

the convention, and might result in the choice of Mr. Hull for the Presidency and Mr. Farley for the vice-presidency.

Mr. Roosevelt will attempt to place Mr. Jackson on the ticket, probably as the vice-presidential nominee. He has confided to intimates that Mr. Jackson is, in his opinion, the ideal Democratic candidate. But the failure of the Attorney General to win the support of practical-minded politicians will prevent his nomination unless Mr. Roosevelt corrals a clear majority of the convention vote.

Maneuvering by the leading contestants between now and the convention in July will provide some interesting movements for the public to behold and journalists to comment upon.

And no man can definitely predict the result.

Peabody

Janese Upton, Correspondent
Easter rushed in breezy and cool however, we are hoping fruit will not be too badly damaged.

Miss Bonnie Mae Upton came home from Abilene where she is attending school last Thursday evening. She was home until the following Monday afternoon.

Several of this community attended the funeral of Mr. Bud Truss at Ruth recently.

Mrs. Maggie Littlefield and small children went to Lampasas last Saturday. Wavana came home with them to spend the night and Sunday.

The young people were entertained with a party in the Dick Crawford home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hummel of Winters came down for the Bud Truss funeral and visited Granddad Hayes Saturday night, and he went home with them Sunday afternoon.

Duane Marriott has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Joe Piper, near Adamsville the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Bynum of Pearl visited in the Earnest Marriott home Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Moseley and children visited in Lampasas last Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenord Fowler of Izora visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dossey attended church at Evant Sunday.

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Topsey

(Intended for Friday)

Rev. G. L. Derrick filled his ap-
pointment here Sunday. He was
accompanied by Mrs. Derrick, and
they were dinner guests in the J.
W. Irvine home.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugo Kanz and
Miss Alma Falkenberg of New
Braunfels spent Sunday in the
home of the ladies' parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Wm. Falkenberg.

Mesdames Virgil Wooten and
Rector Wolf of Lampasas visited
in the Solon S. Vardiman home
awhile Monday.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Al-
fred Saegert Monday were: Messrs.
and Mesdames Fred Saegert of
Lampasas, Henry Schorn and Fritz
Saegert of Lampasas.

Mrs. J. W. Irvine spent Wednes-
day, Thursday and Friday of last
week with her daughter, Miss Wil-
ma Irvine of Lampasas. Miss Wil-
ma had her tonsils removed and
she is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Helen spent
Sunday afternoon in the Mrs. G.
W. Cowan home.

Rev. W. T. Jeffery and wife,
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jeffery and
Miss Louise Kielman attended
church in Peabody Sunday.

Our hearts were made sad to
learn of the death of Ernie Fet-
ner in San Antonio Monday morn-
ing. We extend our sympathy to
the bereaved family and relatives.

Mrs. Laura M. Terry is visiting
with her daughter and son-in-law,
Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Edward, in
Crosbyton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Allen and
daughter spent the week end in
the Delman Allen home at Pid-
coke.

Our school was represented at
the County Meet by several bright
faced boys and girls. Glad to re-
port they won ribbons in each of
the colors, blue, red and white.

LEVITA SCHOOL NEWS

May we summarize briefly,
some of the 1939-40 school activi-
ties.

A good school spirit has been
maintained, between pupils, par-
ents and teachers.

There has been added to our
school plant: a radio, public ad-
dress system, swings, tennis court,
sand bed, shrubbery, extended
walks, sound aid for the auditor-
ium, flower shelves for the class
rooms, more rhythm band equip-
ment, basketball uniforms for both
boys and girls, and many other
small aids.

The school has sponsored many
program activities, including three
full evening programs for other
schools including one out of the
county.

Athletics and county meet work
has attained a worthy mention. A
banquet was given the basketball
clubs in which about 75 guests
were present to aid in the pro-
gram. John B. Sullivan of the
Hamilton public schools proved to
be a master main speaker. The
Gatesville High School orchestra
under the direction of Mr. D. W.
Diserens, furnished the dinner
hour music in perfect style.

On Friday night, April the 5th
the Levita school is sponsoring an
amateur program, to be Nashville
style, plenty of fun, music, etc.,
plenty of seats, and everyone is
invited to attend.

TONSEY CLUB

Budgeting our expenditures, a
playlet, was given when the Top-
sey H-D Club met with Mrs. S.
H. Priest Wednesday at 2 p. m.,
March 13.

An interesting feature of the
playlet was making bias tape. Cut
a bias strip of material twice as
wide as you want the tape, make
a stitch with a needle in cover of
ironing board width of tape desired,
fold strip of cloth so that the
raw edges are in the center meet.
Pull material through the guage
made with needle and press with
a hot iron.

Due to cold weather so few mem-
bers were present, and no business
meeting was held.

During the social hour refresh-
ments of lemon pie, cake, sand-
wiches and cocoa were served. The
motif of St. Patrick's Day was car-
ried out.

Mrs. C. C. Adams will be hostess
to the Club March 27.

Turnover

(Intended for Friday)

Friday evening several people of
the community attended a nice
program at the Turnover School.
Our school is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lam and
Uncle Jack and Mrs. Blanchard
visited Mrs. Richard Wicker and
Mr. Newt Blanchard Sunday eve-
ning.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Culp stay-
ed Monday night in the Lee Blan-
chard home.

Visitors in the Columbus Wil-
liams home the past week were:
Mr. and Mrs. George Williams,
Mrs. Charley Vandyke, Mr. and

Mrs. Malcomb Curry and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Williams and
daughter, Mrs. Doris Lawton and
baby, Mrs. Minnie Lock and Mrs.
Newland Williams.

Mr. William Ache Powell and
Mr. Wicker Williams visited in the
Dink Rose home Sunday night.

Mr. Nolan Culp visited Mr. Bill
Jack Blanchard and Edwin Bales
and also attended church at Beth-
el Sunday.

Mr. Josh Logan and Wayland
Blanchard spent Friday in the Es-
tle Jackson home.

Mrs. Bess Thompson and daugh-
ters are visiting Mrs. Jim Rose.

Wicker Williams of Waco vis-
ited his grandparents, Mr. and
Mrs. Richard Wicker, and Joe
Newt the past week.

Mrs. Jennie Jackson is spending
several days with Mr. and Mrs.
Rob Hunt of Friendship.

Mrs. Doodly Rose is visiting her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie
Brown.

Several in this community at-
tended the funeral of Mr. Bud
Truss at Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Henderson
and Mrs. George Williams visited
in the R. A. Wicker home Sunday.

Mrs. Hinsley visited a few days
in Mrs. Lettie Graham's and Mrs.
Lora Mae McCutchen's homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Kitchens
visited Mr. and Mrs. Alex Camp-
bell and family Friday night.

Floyd Jackson visited Robert
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