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G. W. PENNINGTON IS INJURED WHEN CAR DRIVER BLINDED

G. W. Pennington, oil station operator was injured and bruised when he was run into at South Lutterloh and Pleasant streets, when struck by a car driven by Murray Kendrick.

Kendrick was blinded by the rain on the windshield and, although driving relatively slow, knocked Pennington down and he was injured. He was taken to the local hospital and treated and released.

"OKEY" MAYES SUSTAINS BROKEN ARM IN FALL MONDAY MORN

Monday morning about 10 a.m. while "Okey" Mayes, druggist at Koen-Foster Drug Store was taking stock of drugs, a box which he was using to reach the top shelves which turned over, throwing him on his wrist, and both bones in his fore-arm were broken.

Medical attention was given him immediately, and he was taken to his home where he is reported resting nicely.

Mr. Mayes had just started taking inventory of the drug stock in the rear of the store.

GATESVILLE BANKS AND P. O. ONLY, CLOSE NEW YEAR'S DAY

Looks like most of us will work New Years, since the only institutions in the city that will close New Years Day will be the three banks and the postoffice.

Also, hereafter according to information from the banks they will begin Monday January 3 they will close their doors in the afternoon at 3 p.m. instead of 4 p.m. as they have done during the busy fall buying season.

NEWS FROM COUNTY SUPTS. OFFICE

It is very fine to see the pupils and teachers enjoying Christmas holidays in so many wholesome ways. It means some very happy and useful hours of growth and hardwork when schools open again.

Mr. Tate will be in Coryell county Wednesday of this week to finish checking State Aid Applications. These are due early in January in Austin. Teachers need to get transcripts of credits filed in the right form along with their service records. All salaries are based on these records. Mr. Tate cannot legally allow for credits not properly filed. Our teachers do not mean to delay state aid by putting off that which needs to be done at once. Call at the office and see that all service records and transcripts are properly signed.

Mrs. Matie Davis and daughter, Yvonne, of Lockhart were holiday guests of friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Harper of Oglesby were guests Christmas of her mother, Mrs. R. W. Cayce.

Jim Farquhar of A & M is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Farquhar.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jameson of Meridian spent their Xmas days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henson of this city.

Mrs. E. G. Berwinkle was a guest last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Donon, in Llano. She was joined Christmas day by Mr. Beerwinkle, returning home Sunday.

Basketball Activities Pick Up During Mid-Holiday Week Here

Last Monday night both the boys and girls basketball teams went to Crawford and defeated the Crawford quintet and sextette with ease. The girls played first and took a 24-11 decision from the Crawford lasses. The second stringers played most of the game, Coach Schwarz even going so far as to send his second team guards in at the forward slots. Margaret Rutherford was high scorer with 10 markers, while Treva Davis scored her usual 6.

In the next game, the Hornets hit something of their expected stride when they took the Crawford boys into camp, 29-6. The local aggregation played the best basketball they have played this year, their play improving in every phase of the game. The Crawford team did not even score a point in the last half. Gilbreath was high point man with 10 tallies, while Ben McDonald was right behind him with 8 points to his credit.

GAMES TO BE PLAYED IN LOCAL GYM DURING HOLIDAYS

Several games will be played in the local gym during the Christmas holidays, all of them promising to be top-notchers. On Wednesday, December 29, the Hornets femms will risk their season's undefeated record against a Pearl team composed

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR MISS LAURA CAVETT

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church for Miss Laura Cavett, who passed away at her home about 11:30 p. m. following an illness of several weeks.

Dr. Virgil Fisher of Austin, a friend of Miss Cavett's will conduct the services and interment will follow in the City Cemetery with Scott Funeral Directors in charge.

Courthouse News

Warranty Deeds
C. P. Mounce and wife to John nie Bradford.

Marriage Licenses
T. H. Adams and Julia Opal Basham.

W. F. White and Norma Lee Turner.

Grady Rucker and little brother, Leslie are visiting in Teague with their grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Rucker.

of the pick of this year's squad and five or six players from the teams of '36 and '35, both of whom won the county championship. Workouts are already under way, and the Dragonets will come here with high hopes of taking the Hornets. In the second game of the night the pearl boys, strong contenders for the county title, will hook up with the Four C college team of Waco. The strength of the latter team can best be shown by the fact that the Waco High Tigers could barely edge out the college outfit, 29-27.

Then on Thursday night the Hornettas will tangle with a team of Plainview All-Stars. The Plainview squad is composed of ex-Hornets who have a longing desire to stop the winning streak of the Gatesville girls. The two Wisenhunt girls, the two Koch girls, Alfreda Apels, and Ethel Weigand are the girls who have previously cavorted over the courts of this county in the black and gold uniforms of Gatesville. They have already started working out under the man who coached them before they came to GHS. Mr. Claude Wisenhunt. Mr. Wisenhunt has told Coach that he will show him a real team.

On that same night two old rivals will tangle once again. The Jonesboro Eagles vs. the Pearl Dragons! This game alone will be worth the price of admission. The high-flying Eagles have sailed through the season undefeated and the Dragons are anxious to clip their wings. These two teams met once before in the invitational tournament held at Ireland and at the end of the game the score was tied, but in the extra period, Jonesboro made four points to romp off with the decision.

In the last game of the evening the local Hornet team encounters the Plainview All-stars in what promises to be an interesting game.

Holiday Schedule
Wednesday December 29.
7:00 Pearl All-Stars vs. Gatesville Girls.
8:00 Pearl boys vs. Four C College of Waco.

Thursday, December 30
7:00 Gatesville girls vs. Plainview All-Stars
8:00 Pearl boys vs. Jonesboro boys.
9:00 Gatesville boys vs. Plainview All-Stars.
8:00 Pearl boys against Four-C

TWO GATESVILLE BOYS ARE INJURED IN CAR ACCIDENT

Gayle Thompson and Pat Hollingsworth were slightly injured late Sunday night near Valley Mills when the car in which they were riding was in an accident.

Thompson was thought to have received fractures and Hollingsworth was badly bruised.

Details of the accident were lacking.

Neal Hinsley was reported with them but was uninjured.

CORYELL COUNTY SINGERS TO APPEAR ON KRLD RADIO STATION

The Colvin family well known Coryell County Singers have been invited to appear on the radio program over KRLD Dallas in the program "The Singing Convention of The Air", presided over by V. O. Stamps, Wednesday night December 29 at 11 p. m.

Mr. Colvin extends an invitation for his friends to listen in and states that he is very proud of this opportunity.

Members of the family that will perform are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Colvin, Ethel Marie 14, Gilbert Nelson 5, and Nelta Fae 3 years of age.

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE NEWS BROADCAST OF ROSE BOWL GAME

'Course, we're not doin' the broadcasting, but we'll be on the receiving end, late New Year's eve, when, we'll give you the play-by-play of both the Rose Bowl game from Pasadena, and the Cotton Bowl game from Dallas, if they're broadcast on any station or stations we can reach. It'll all be free, and you can either stay in our lobby or, if it's cold or disagreeable, "come on in".

Then, if you want to stick around we'll give you some of the midnight reveling which will come to you from all over the USA, that is if you're not having too much fun on your own hook to fool with listening.

We're going to make an attempt to have some 1938 souvenirs to hand out to each and every one present, that is, if we can get them fixed in time.

AFTER JANUARY 15th THE NEWS WILL BE



A YEAR IN THE COUNTY

\$1.50 out of the County
Look at your label, or
Phone 69



"Mama and Papa, 1938" Will Be Feted by Merchants

"Mama and Papa, 1938", as well as Coryell County's No. 1 Baby, be it boy or girl, will come in for a big hand at the hands of Gatesville Merchants, and the Coryell County News, who are making preparations to welcome this very much heralded visitor.

So far, Mr. or Miss No. 1 Baby, 1938, is a "Madame X" or a Mr. ?" and it's all a gamble, as who will be IT.

Parents, or friends must get the entries in before noon, January 10, 1938, and bring the following information: Baby's name, Address, Doctor's report and birth certificate, and the

TIME (a. m. or p. m.) the baby was born. This must happen after 12:00 midnight, December 31 1937.

There can't be any ties,—at least we don't think so, but in case of boubles, triples, quartets, or worse, duplicate awards will be presented.

Besides our own donation to this lucky baby, others have already been announced, and will be carried in Friday's issue.

Prizes offered by merchants and others must be taken as offered, and no substitutes or changes can be made in the gifts, unless they are agreeable with those who offer them.

Last year, little Glenn Graf Gary, was No. 1, 1937 Baby, and received gifts from The First National Bank, E. Price Bauman's Clover Farm Store, Gamblin's Dairy, Milton Powell Memorial Hospital, Regal & Ritz Theatre's, Painters, Morton Scott, Mrs. J. B. Graves, Florist, Jim Martin, Tailor and the Coryell County News.

This year, Gamblin's Dairy, Mrs. J. B. Graves, Florist, Morton Scott and the News have already offered prizes, and others are to be heard from, of those we can reach will be made Friday.

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MEMORIAL HOSPITAL NOTES



Patients in the Hospital are: Billie Dean Watts, Mrs. A. T. Way and baby, Nancy Elizabeth, Mrs. W. Robbie.

MARKET REPORT (As of Dec. 28)

Mohair	33 to 53c
Wool	20-22c
Wheat	80c
Corn, ear	50c
Corn, ground	\$1.10
Oats, loose	34c
Oats, sacked	36c
Cream No 1	26c
Cream No 2	24c
Cottouseed, ton	\$20
Eggs No 1	23c
Hens, light	9c
Hens heavy	11c
Spring Fryers	11c

Robert Scott-Emma Lee L. Presley Nuptials Held Sun. at McKinney

Miss Emma Lou Presley, daughter of Mrs. Sophie Presley of McKinney, became the bride of Robert W. Scott of this city, at her home in McKinney Sunday, December 27, at nine o'clock a. m.

The Rev. E. D. Mays, pastor of the First Methodist Church of McKinney, officiated before an improvised altar of fern and chrysanthemums. Large baskets of chrysanthemums and smilax were placed about the room.

The bride was attired in a blue frock with rhinestone trimmings, a short fur jacket and brown accessories. Her shoulder bouquet was of chrysanthemums and sweet peas. She carried the handkerchief her mother carried in her wedding. The wedding was by Miss Tennie Strickland, music was furnished in the piano.

Following a trip to South Texas the couple will be at home here where Mr. Scott is associated with his father in the undertaking business.

SOCIETY

Miss Martha Bone Marries On Christmas Day

At two-thirty o'clock afternoon, at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Bone, Miss Martha Bone became the bride of Woodrow Swanner of San Antonio, December 25th.

Rev. Seymour, pastor of the First Methodist Church, performed the single ring ceremony in the presence of the bride's mother and brother, Thomas.

The bride was becomingly attired; her corsage was of pink sweetpeas and her accessories were black. The couple left soon after the ceremony for the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Swanner of Rosebud.

They are expected at their future home in San Antonio after January 3rd.

Mrs. Swanner was a graduate of Gatesville High last spring, and for the past several months has made her home in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Aury Powell. Mr. Swanner has been in San Antonio for some time where he is an enlistee in the U. S. Army.

Sunday School Party At Pinnacle Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Comer were hosts to the Intermediate Sunday School Class Monday evening at their home. The party rooms were decorated with Christmas decorations. Miscellaneous games furnished the entertainment for the evening. After playing games fruit was passed around to everyone. Gifts were on a lovely Xmas tree were handed out. Prizes were won in the contest by Ray Anderson, Imogene Rogers, Cecil Earl Moore and Kathleen Flatt.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to the following: Norris Smith, Harold Fletcher, Clayton Millsap, Valina C. Rogers, Daniel Basham, Doolan Walker, Melissa Adams, A. R. Painter Jr., Cloyce Parsons Jr., Ray Anderson, Geniva Adams, Clayton Bell, Douglas Fletcher, Durwood Fletcher, Edmund Anderson, Alton Spencer, W. T. Spencer, Kathleen Flatt, L. B. Cox, Clarence Cox, Royland Bell, Lola Jean Flatt, Ernestine Adams, Loretta Flatt, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Flatt and the hosts.

Plainview 4-H Club Girls Have Christmas Tree

On Thursday, December 1, the

4-H Club Girls of Plainview met in the auditorium for a business and social hour.

A large Christmas tree, which was decorated by the appointed committee.

After a short business session gifts that had been placed on the tree were handed out to everyone.

They then adjourned to an adjoining room which contained a large table tastefully decorated and filled with delicious refreshments of cookies and hot chocolate. Standing around the table the club members sang the well known Christmas song, 'Holy Night'. After the song they were seated around the table. In the center of the lovely table was a large yucca plant the spines of which had been tipped with cranberries surrounded by autumn leaves. After the refreshments everyone proclaimed the meeting a pleasant occasion filled with good Christmas spirit.

Copperas H. I. Club Meet with Mrs. Williamson

The Home Improvement Club of Harmon met at the home of Mrs. Parce Williamson December 21.

Everyone brought gifts for the Christmas tree. Games were played, then all sang, "Holy Night," Mrs. Wittenburg at the piano.

Gifts were distributed and refreshments of salad, cookies and coffee were served.

Sixteen members and visitors were present.

The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Patton January fourth.

Miss Presley to Wed Gatesville Boy

The home of Mrs. Earl P. Love was the scene of a lovely party Saturday afternoon honoring Miss Emma Lou Presley who will become the bride of Robert Scott of Gatesville December 26, the wedding to take place in McKinney.

Mrs. Love used Christmas motif in decorating the living room, where a beautiful Christmas tree was arranged. Favors of Santas were presented to the guests from the tree, and in Santas pack was the announcement of the approaching wedding.

In the dining room a white and green motif prevailed the table being centered chrysanthemums, with white tapers completing the ensemble. Tea was poured by Mrs. V. J. Brennon of Dallas, and served with a salad plate.

Semi-Annual Clearance SALE of SHOES

You can't afford to miss this great semi-annual clearance. You'll find shoe savings as high as 1-3 and even 1-2. Come early and get in on the cream of the selection, all styles but not all sizes!

Our Complete
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for This Sale!



High front pump in suede that sold as high as \$3.98.

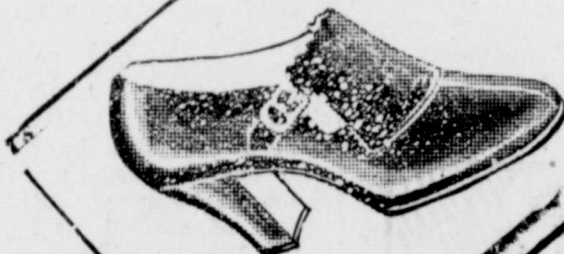


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oxfords into spring! The "shoe hit" of '38. The high front gore we have them in suede, kid calf combinations that sold as high as \$3.98.

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JOE HANNA'S THE FRIENDLY STORE

Holiday Notice

The three banks of Gatesville will observe January 1, 1938, as a legal holiday, (New Year's Day), and will not be open for business on that date. The general public is respectfully requested to transact their business accordingly.

Beginning Monday, January 3rd, 1938, the banks will close at 3:00 p. m.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
GATESVILLE NATIONAL BANK,
GUARANTY BANK & TRUST CO.

The hostess and honoree received the guests, being assisted by Mrs. Sophie Presley, mother of the bride-to-be, and Miss Lois Scott of Gatesville, sister of the groom-to-be. Others in the house party included Mrs. John Pace of Dallas, Mrs. Francis Goodman and Mrs. Wallace of Dallas.

Miss Presley is a popular member of the younger set here (where she was reared and educated.—The (McKinney) Daily Courier-Gazette.

MR. AND MRS. ELLIS SEWARD HONORED ON GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVER.

Mrs. Guy H. Morgan entertained with a dinner at her home, December 19, 1937 for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellie (W. D.) Seward who celebrated their

fiftieth wedding Anniversary.

Mr. Seward was born at Madison, Alabama; Feb. 12; 1868. He came to Williamson County, Texas when a small boy and later moved to Coryell where he has resided for 56 years.

Mr. Seward is a native of Coryell County. She was born at Straws Mill July 7, 1868. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cummings.

They were married at Pleasant Grove, December 19; 1887; Rev. Jerry Farmer performed the ceremony.

There were ten children born to this union. Six of whom are still living. They are; Tom Seward, Rochelle; Texas; Bob Seward; Ingomar; Mont; Mrs. G. C. Simpson, Gatesville; Euna Wilkins; Gatesville; Mrs. R. L. Shults of Grand Prairie; Mrs. Guy H. Morgan, Gatesville.

Those present to help Mr. and Mrs. Seward Celebrate their many years of wedded bliss were: Mrs. G. C. Simpson and children, Florene; Bobby Jo and Sonny, Mrs. W. T. Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chamlee, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shults, Mr. and Mrs. John Caster and little son, Robert William of Grand Prairie, Mrs. Euna Wilkins and daughters, Joan and Patsy Ruth and Mary Louise, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Seward, Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Morgan and Lula Jean.

Ruth Hamilton, Jack Reesing, Tom L. Robinson, students at Baylor, Waco, are at home for the holidays.

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Perry and children of Round Rock spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Perry.



THE OLD YEAR AND THE NEW

At this season of good cheer it is not untimely to think along lines which might enlighten us on some issues and bring perhaps a bit of joy to more of our fellowmen.

The lines of cleavage are so clearly drawn between the upper and middle classes, on the one hand, and the lower classes, on the other hand, that we often find a feeling of unconcern on the part of the more fortunate of us toward those less fortunate.

One does not have to go beyond the news in our daily papers to become distressed at the pitiable conditions among what Mr. Roosevelt chooses to call the "lower third" of our population.

What is wrong with these people? What is wrong with our economic system, which both fosters—perhaps unconsciously—and tolerates conditions which are condemned by all Christian people?

In this land of plenty, blessed with uncounted resources, we of the generation and year of nineteen hundred thirty-seven, find millions of our fellow countrymen who are just as good citizens as are we jobless, homeless, even hungry, certainly not this week partaking of the joys of the Yuletide. While millions starve, millions more revel in the festivities of plenty.

The issue was brought close to home to every American during the depression we of

and especially since 1933. For during the depression we of America witnessed millions living without food and clothing while our granaries were overflowing with surplus foods and cotton was rotting in the fields for lack of markets.

The destruction of foodstuffs was advanced as an alternate to the actual collapse of the prices of farm commodities, as well as the prices of other necessities needed by millions in their extremities. Obviously the problem was not and is not one of production but rather one of distribution.

Today, the problem is no nearer an equitable solution than it was fifty or a hundred or five years ago. Today babies die in Chicago for lack of nourishment while oranges rot in the citrus groves of Texas and Florida for lack of markets and or prices to justify their transportation to market.

While millions are dependent upon the government for clothing and other millions on our farm and in our factories and great stores suffer from lack of clothing. Southern cotton producers sell their cotton—which could be made into clothing in the idle textile factories of New England—for less than the cost of production.

Some economists say distribution is not the cause of this paradoxical situation. Until the purchasing power of the "lower third" has been increased, they say, the abundance of our production and resources cannot be brought within their reach.

As only one example of an effort to strike at the situation in this direction, employers were last winter forced to increase their wages by the Committee for Industrial Organization, tacitly supported by the Roosevelt administration. But while the wage increase demands were made ostensibly for the purpose of improving the economic status of the workers and for the purpose of increasing their purchasing power, we are told a few months later that the wage increases had reacted unfavorably upon society as a whole. Prices of the goods manufactured in the affected industries were increased in order to offset the wage increases. Thus fewer people were able to buy Mr. Sloan's and Mr. Chrysler's automobiles and Mr. Firestone's tires, to mention only three examples.

No attempt will be made at this time to explain or to offer solutions to the deplorable conditions briefly analyzed in the paragraphs above, although attempts will be made to do so from time to time during the coming year, suffice it to say that the world's smartest economists, financiers and states-

men have struggled with problems of this nature for generations—indeed, for centuries. Their quests for a solution have been unsuccessful. It cannot be maintained that an equitable and fair solution has been found in the last five years, for no lasting gain to either the Nation or society as a whole can be attained by striking down one class for the betterment of another class, for such a haphazard process involves a repetition of the same process once the initial purpose has been achieved.

In my belief one answer to the problem of an unequitable distribution of the world's goods lies in the general lethargy of the people toward public affairs. To be specific, many of America's problems today of an economic, social, and religious nature are, I feel, directly traceable to an attitude of selfish personal interests, class interest or group interest.

How many voters manifest any interest in pending legislation of a national or local nature unless such proposed legislation affects them directly and personally? If a legislative act strikes one's neighbor, well that is the neighbor's concern. Only when it moves next door into one's own home or business to take its toll in lost privileges, economic or social discrimination or increased taxation do we, as a rule, let our representatives in Washington know what we want and do not want.

The old adage, "United, we stand, divided, we fall," uttered by the immortal Daniel Webster, has never become trite because it applies in so many instances to so many timely situations.

What does it mean to us as a nation and as a state for one-third of our people to be "ill-fed, ill-housed and ill-clothed," to use the classic phraseology of Mr. Roosevelt? Such conditions, if tolerated in complacency and self-effacement, means that forty-two million Americans must stumble along in abject degradation, poverty, humiliation, with all the human emotions of pride, industry and the desire for comfort stifled by a majority two-thirds.

Conditions of that nature breed revolution. Revolution resulting from the same causes in an intensified form resulted, in large part, in the overthrow and abolition in Russia of all institutions which we in America most cherish—the most important of which was the church.

Revolution in Germany and Italy, caused by economic maladjustments, stifled all that those proud people, once held dear to their hearts, the most important of which, even under the Kaiser, were freedom of religious thought and practice and free education.

Where do we go from here? asked at this time, when the That question might well be old year, filled with unpleasant memories as well as many pleasant ones for us as a Nation, is passing into oblivion. In what fields of activity shall we direct our energies in the coming year? Toward social and political strife, or toward harmony between classes and social amelioration? You, who vote, must answer.

KINDERGARTEN CLASS PRESENTED IN PROGRAM WED.

Miss Lillie Brown who opened a Kindergarten Class last September presented her talented young pupils in a Christmas program Wednesday morning. Christmas songs were sung and played by the Rhythm Band which is directed by Mrs. Rabon Balch assisted by Mrs. Merle Carroll. At the conclusion of the program gifts were exchanged by the children. The children were presented with a Xmas Stocking, a bag of candy and a Santa Claus by the teachers. The spring term begins January 3 and new pupils will be enrolled. Miss Brown's kindergarten is located on 502

South Seventh Street. Children taking part were Robert Painter, Patsy Ann Painter, Carolyn Blankenship, Kent Biffle, Billy Donald Sheriden, Robert Earl and Dewey Meeks, Dianne Jensen, Jackie Richardson, Margaret Ann Jones, Belva Patterson, Neta Jean Rogers, Maurice Ashby and Evans Roberts. Members unable to attend were Jean Hicks, Bobbie Jones and Ray Payne.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR CHARLIE SMITH

Davis, John and Misses Ida and Edith Stockburger and many other Coryell County people attended the funeral of their friend Charlie Smith at Branchville last Sunday Dec. 19. Mr. Smith's body was brought in Scott's Ambulance from Talco, where he had been living with his sister.

Burial, in which the Masons had charge was in the Smith Cemetery. Elder Hirschel Doss conducted the services of Mr. Smith, who had lived in the Flat Community most of his life.

MOSHEIM NEWS

Mr. Billy Joe Cass of Gatesville visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Louie Cass Sunday.

Mr. Billie Poston from A & M visited his parents over the week end.

Miss Inez Loper of Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Loper is spending Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mr. Lee Travis left for Fort Worth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Mills were shopping in Waco Saturday. We are glad to report Mr. Pierce Richard is getting along nicely.

Mr. Otis Mills visited in Dallas and Fort Worth Saturday night. Mrs. Clark Jensen was visiting in Mosheim Monday.

Little Peggy Miles Wilson of Hugo, Oklahoma is visiting her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miles.

UNION NEWS

We are having some more rainy weather at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson of Mason are visiting her son Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gallegly.

visited in the W. D. Carroll home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton have moved to the old Moore place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jon Hagan and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Carroll.

Mrs. Luther Martin visited in the Jim Watts Home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee White and family of Plainview spent Saturday night with Mrs. W. D. Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorena Derrick were callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carroll Saturday evening.

Mr. Raymond Watts of Gatesville, visited his father Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watts Sunday evening. Mrs. Jno. Hagan and daughter spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. W. Patterson of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Graves Morgan were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tompson.

Miss Stella Schellhase of Waco visited her father Mr. Fritz Schellhase of Waco visited her father Schellhase Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Butch were callers in the Otis Smith home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Estes and daughter Edna visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Estes of Gatesville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry and son Brack, formerly of Gatesville but now of Dallas, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Curry, and other relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Melbern of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Melbern of Texarkana were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Melbern for the holidays.

W B Painter of Fort Worth was a guest of his mother, Mrs. G. L. Painter, sister, Miss Maude Alice, and other relatives the latter part of last week.

T. O. Cantrell of Orange, California, is a guest in the E. Cantrell home during the holidays. Thursday the Messrs. Cantrell were callers in the News office.

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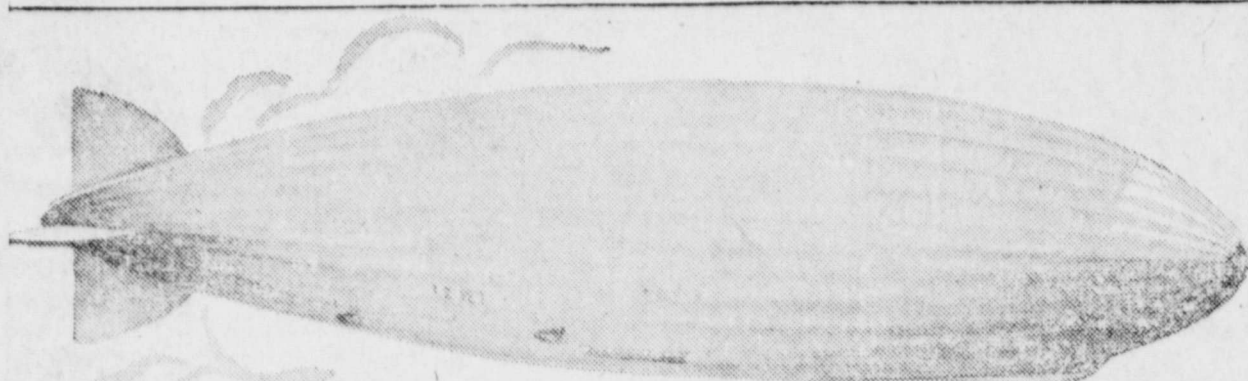
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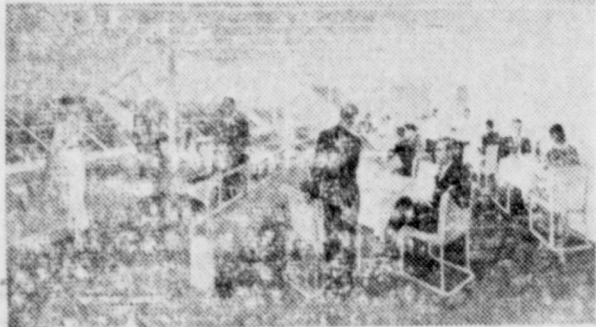
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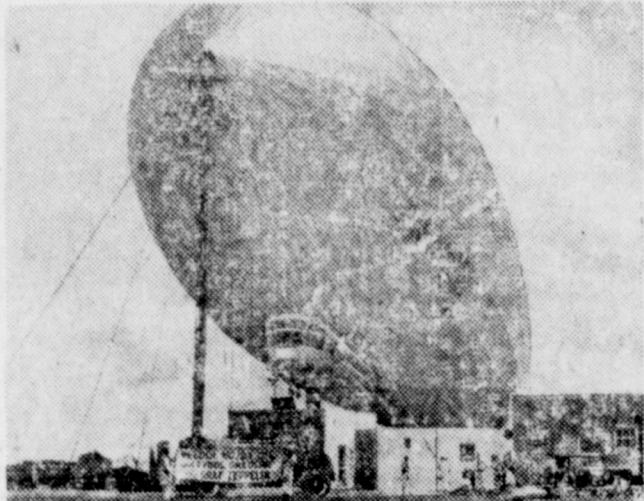
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WILL PLAY IN ROSE BOWL



WILL LEAD CRIMSON TIDE—Capt. Joe Kilgrow, Alabama's All-America candidate, will lead his team in battle with the Golden Bears of California in the New Year's Day Rose Bowl football classic at Pasadena.

LIBERTY



YES



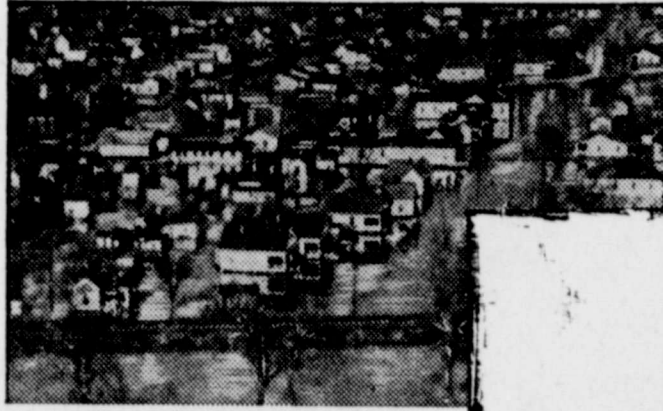
PLAYS FOR CHARITY—John Montague, Hollywood's mystery golfer and strong man

GOLFER



ANOTHER BABE RUTH?—Joe Di Maggio, heavy hitting former Pacific Coast base ball star and one of the most sought after rookies, appears in Yankee uniform as he begins training with his new teammates at St. Petersburg.

A FLOOD



UNDER FLOOD WATERS—The inundated residence section of Poplar Bluff, Mo., as flood waters of the Black River swept into the town. The danger was relieved somewhat when the river washed out its levee and spread over a large farming area.

DETROIT'S HOODED GANG



A POLICEMAN in Detroit is shown wearing the robes of the "Black Legion," a secret society which is being blamed for many deaths in the mid-western states.

WALLY WON



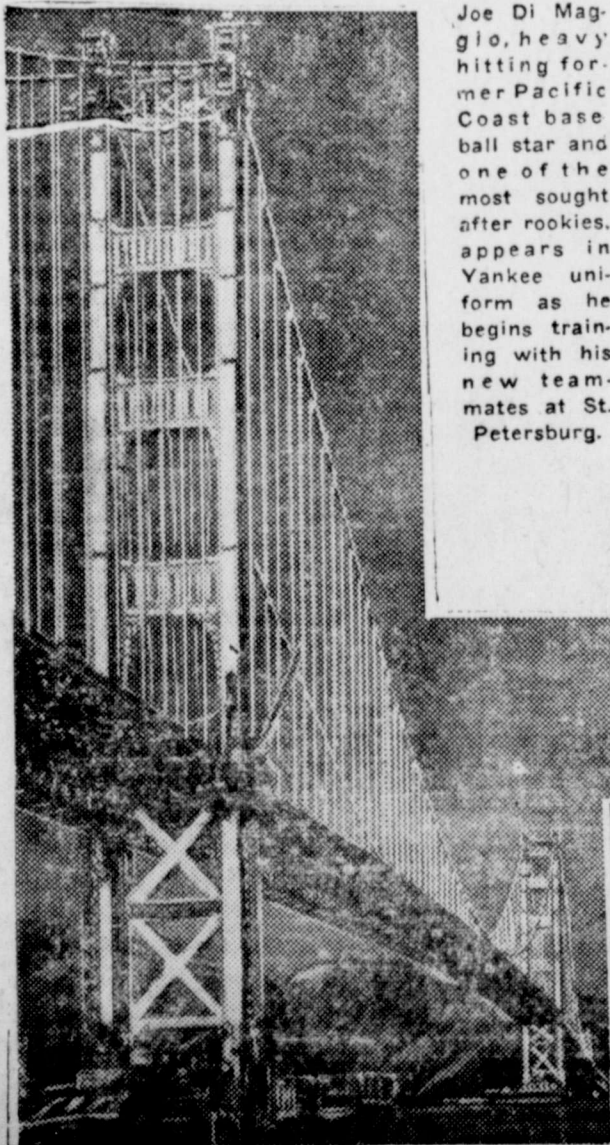
THE DUKE AND THE DUCHESS—His brother formally crowned, her divorce final and complete, the world's foremost lovers pose for a photograph on the lawn of their bridal rendezvous. Hereafter they will pose as the Duke and Duchess of Windsor.

AGAINST WAR



ROOSEVELT LASHES WAR—President Franklin D. Roosevelt, photographed speaking in Chicago at the dedication of the Centennial Bridge over the mouth of the Chicago River. Although making a dedicatory speech, he took occasion to lash war and militaristic powers.

BRIDGE DONE



World's largest suspension bridge at Golden Gate formally dedicated this week—Its main span, 4200 feet long, compares with span of 3500 feet of George Washington Bridge, up to now the longest. Chief contractor for the construction of the bridge was the Bethlehem Steel Company.

INVENTOR DIES



NOTED INVENTOR DIES—Guglielmo Marconi, inventor of the wireless, died unexpectedly of a heart attack in Rome. He was 63 years old.

CORRESPONDENT



ACE REPORTER—Fin Petrie, of Opal, Wyo., who has just been named winner of the annual nationwide contest for country newspaper correspondents sponsored by The Country Home Magazine. His writing for the Kemmerer Gazette wins him \$200 and a trip to New York and Washington. Fin is one of Opal's 50 inhabitants.

TOMMY COMES AND GOES



CHINA ASKS FOR HELP



CHINESE ENVOY SEEKS AID HERE—Chengting T. Wang, new Chinese Ambassador to Washington, issued an appeal on his arrival to the American public for funds for relief and hospitalization of Chinese civilian

LEAVES CITY



ENDING THE YEAR OF 1937

LIBERTY STILL STANDS



SHANGHAI FALLS



AMELIA IS LOST



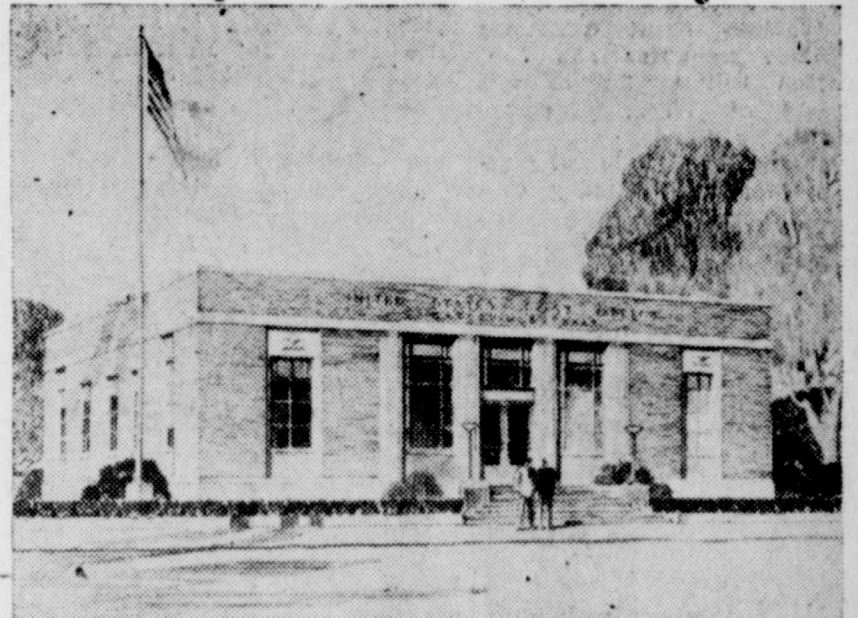
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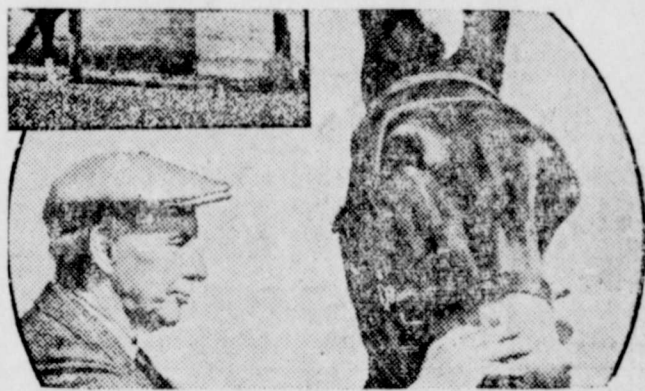


CLANS UNITED—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr.—the son of the President, she the former du Pont beauty. Their wedding was one of the great social events of the season.

WE HAD A RODEO



QUITS SUPREME COURT

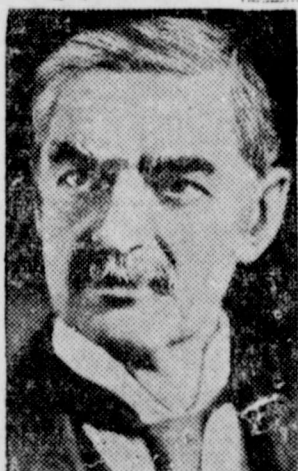


READY TO RETIRE—Supreme Court Justice Willis Van Devanter, who resigned his post on the nation's ultimate tribunal, looks over the stock on the 780-acre Maryland farm on which he will henceforth spend most of his time.

RUSSIAN FLYERS



ARRIVAL OF RUSSIAN FLYERS—The Russian flyers, Alexander Belisakov, Navigator; Valeria Chkalov, Pilot; and Georgi Baidukov, Co-Pilot (left to right) as they landed at Vancouver, Washington, on their flight over the North Pole from Moscow to California.



NEW PRIME MINISTER—Neville Chamberlain, who has succeeded Stanley Baldwin as Premier of England. Chamberlain's family has been distinguished in public service. His predecessor becomes an Earl.

DEDICATED



WILL ROGERS SHRINE

BRADDOCK LOSES



CHAMP IN FINE FETTER—Heavyweight champion James Braddock gets the official medical stamp of approval on the eve of his fight with Joe Louis. The battle in Chicago will be broadcast over the largest network to carry a fight.

JOE WINS



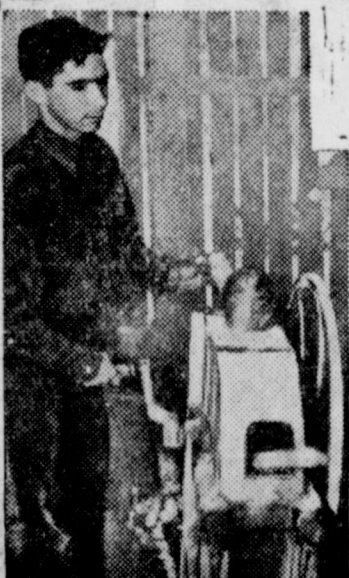
WINNER'S SMILE—Joe Louis beams the smile of victory after his battle with James J. Braddock for the World's Heavyweight Championship at Chicago.

FOR WAR



"IL DUCE" AND "DER FUEHRER"—A study of Premier Benito Mussolini (left) of Italy, and Chancellor Adolf Hitler, snapped as the two dictators watched the marching troops during the recent review marking the Fascist Chieftain's visit to Nazi Germany.

STAR FARMER



AMERICA'S STAR FARMER—Robert Lee Bristow, 21, of Saluda, Vir.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. Frank Poole of Arlington is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kelley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cotton of near Waco were guests of his parents during the holidays.

Joe Powell of Fort Worth was a holiday guest of his parents near Gatesville.

Miss Pearl Brown of Abilene is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Reb Brown, and family.

Rufus Post of Waco was a guest of relatives during the holidays.

Chas. Parrish of Oglesby is at the bedside of his father, who is reported very ill in Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill of Brownwood were holiday guests of her father, W. C. Homan, and her brother, R. L. Homan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Itasca were guests of their parents here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lengefeld of Huntsville were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Byrom, of this city, and of his parents near Plainview.

Louis Woodall of Hamilton was a guest of relatives and friends the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McDonald and daughter spent Christmas with their daughter and son, Mrs. Neil Elliott and Edwin McDonald of Waco. They returned home Sunday afternoon, accompanied by Edwin who remained over until Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barton are spending their Christmas holidays in Glen Rose.

Harry and Irving Bornstein spent Christmas in San Saba with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorraine Webb of Taylor were guests of their parents for the holidays.

Miss Juanita Gooch, who for some time has been in Gilmer, has returned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Milard of Waco spent the holidays with his mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wells of San Antonio were guests of friends and relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spindle of Dallas spent their Christmas days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dickie.

Ed Wollard of Hamilton was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Wollard, and little daughter, Peggy, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Abie Bowlin of Pettus were home for the holidays greeting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wallace and daughter Joyce are visiting relatives in Houston this week.

Mrs. Elbert Hanks of Wichita Falls spent the Xmas days with her brother, Carl Hinson, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Bobo and little daughter of Houston were holiday guests of Mrs. Bobo's mother, Mrs. Dick Bond.

Mr. and Mrs. Huron McCoy of Dallas were holiday guests of his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. B. E. McCoy and family.

Seth McLarty and Herbert Turner, employees of the Wm. Cameron Lumber Co., Menard, were holiday guests of their parents here.

Olin Lowrimore drove to Stephenville Saturday to bring Winfield Jones home from John Tarleton for the Xmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Milstead were visitors in the F. G. Collard home at Oglesby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCoy and daughter, Frances, spent Xmas day with Mrs. McCoy's parents at Waxahachie.

Mrs. Ethel Goodall and daughters Nell and Frances spent Xmas day in Valley Mills.

A. H. Meadows of Longview formerly of this city, is a guest of his parents and other relatives this week.

Maurica Ewing of Shreveport, La. was a guest of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whisenhunt of Kerrville were guests here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Adams of Haltom City were guests of their parents here during the holidays.

Miss Mildred Grant of Waco is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grant. Miss Vivian Grant of Galveston is also a guest of her parents.

Miss Billie Simpson is spending her holidays with relatives and friends in Waco.

While enroute to Waco one day last week; Mrs. J. L. Sullins and son R. V. and Quentin Pollard had the misfortune to be run into by another car. Slight damage was done to both cars—Oglesby Outlook.

Flowl Rucker of Teague was in Gatesville this week on business and stayed over for Xmas day with his parents; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rice left last Tuesday for Long Beach California where Mr. Rice has accepted a position with his uncle who is in the Real Estate Business. Mrs. Rice will be remembered as Miss Madelyne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gossett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rutherford of Waco spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his aunt and Uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McBride.

Ralph Hartgraves and Wilson Lovelace, students at John Tarleton; Stephenville were holiday guests of their parents at Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stocker of Odessa are guests here this week.

Gene and Charles Lary of Dallas are guests of their aunt Mrs. Pat Potts and daughter Mary Evelyn.

Menlo and Regan Holloway, students at NTST College, Del. with their Mother, Mrs. J. H. Holloway at Jonesboro.

Charles Morgan of Washington D. C. is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Morgan.

Elmo, Strickland and Miss Mildred Jones were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Strickland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Carl of George West are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver.

George Witt of Houston arrived Christmas Eve to spend his Xmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percie Witt and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Vinsant Complimented Xmas

Spring Hill and Fort Gates do not believe in letting their preacher and wife do without, so they gathered up many good things to eat from the saints of light, who gave as the Lord had prospered them.

Brother Bud Cummings and wife of the Spring Hill Church and Brother Brick Powell and daughter of Ft. Gates Church found their way to their Pastor's home, 1612 E. Main Street and delivered them in the good old way a warm heart and a God Bless you; saying eat and be Merry. Now we have many good things to eat; among them; bread, meat and molasses. If some one will bring us a little butter to stir in the 'lasses we will laugh until the whole circuit can hear us.

Well done, thou good and faithful servants. Thank you.—Brother and Sister Vinsant.

PALACE

Tuesday - Wednesday



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HOW DO YOU?

This is clipped, but it's good and may fit some cases in Coryell County:

"Some pay their dues when due.

Some, when overdue,
Some never do.
How do you do?"

If it would rhyme with subscription could be substituted for the word "due."

WORK STARTED ON OGLESBY AUDITORIUM GYM

Friday the 17th workmen, under the direction of Sam Powell, began clearing the ground and staking off the lines and formulating the ground work for the erection of the new gym-

nasium-auditorium which will be an addition to the Oglesby public school system.—Oglesby Outlook.

Liberty Church News

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pruitt spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mono Pruitt at Mt. Zion.

Mrs. Bennie Franklin spent Monday with Mrs. Will Brasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenn Turner near Moshier Sunday afternoon.

Ray Franklin spent the week end with Millie Derrick at Pid. coke.

Mr. and Mrs. Orba Turner



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WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE:
Englishman Rudolf Rassendyll arrives in the little Balkan kingdom on a fishing expedition; meets the king on the eve of his coronation; discovers, to his surprise, that he is the king's double. When the king is drugged in plot fostered by his brother Michael, the king's aide, Zapt, asks that Rassendyll help them by impersonating the king. Michael, knowing that the king will not appear at the coronation, prepares civil disorders in the hope that he will be able to seize the throne as regent. Rassendyll and the king's aides depart for Strelsau, capital of the kingdom.

Chapter Three

Sitting in the study of his palace, Michael told his henchmen, Detchard, Drafsstein and Lauengram, as he handed them the proclamation, "Remember this is to be released 20 minutes after Hentzau brings you word that the coronation ceremonies have been cancelled. Twenty minutes — not before."

"Yes, your highness," said Detch-

medals mean nothing to me. I can't raise money on them."

"It will take the revenues of half the kingdom to settle your debts, Hentzau," warned Michael.

"I've heard that great personages sometimes forget their humble instruments after their success," said Hentzau suavely and as he glanced at Antoinette he grasped an idea for getting rid of Michael.

"By the way," he continued to the Black Duke, "the burgomeister of Zenda is outside to pay his respects." As Michael quit the room, Rupert turned to Antoinette.

"I called at your hotel this morning, but they told me you were out. Curiously enough, you were out, too. I'm glad you weren't lying to me."

Antoinette was coldly haughty. "I thought I heard his highness order you to your place at the cathedral."

"I like women who are arrogant," he replied coolly. "It's always amusing to find their arrogance is only a defense. But you don't need a defense with me. I'm on your side. I think Michael's treating you wretchedly."

Antoinette looked at him with contempt, not deigning to notice his insult. As she started to leave Rupert fired a parting shot.

"What is he getting in his mar-



"What did he mean? Michael, have you told me everything?"

ard. "by that time our agents should have the civilian disorders under way. And now, highness, may I offer congratulations?"

"A shade premature," smiled Michael, in false modesty, "but thank you just the same. We must celebrate in wine."

As they left the room, Antoinette de Mauban, sweetheart of Michael entered. She had overheard Detchard say "We go to serve our country and our future sovereign!"

"What did he mean?" she asked Michael. "Michael, have you told me everything? Is there more to this mad plan of yours?"

"As regent, the sovereign power will be mine — that's all he meant, Antoinette."

"Oh, Michael, Michael, my darling — is it too late? I know this has been your dream. I've tried to believe in it. Above all I want you to have everything, but —"

"Can't you see, Antoinette, what it will bring to us both? We shall be together — but where we belong — not outcasts, sneered at by those we despise. All my life I've played second fiddle to that weakling — and why? Because his mother was a princess and mine was not."

Antoinette started to protest when there came a knock and in the doorway stood Rupert of Hentzau, one of the dissolute counts of the kingdom, handsome, gay and profligate, notorious throughout the kingdom as a ruthless lovmaker, a spendthrift and a daredevil. Wearing the smartest of army uniforms, carrying his helmet in the hollow of his arm, he smiled and bowed gallantly to Antoinette.

"I'm sorry to interrupt your majesty," he said with mock deference. The salutation, "your majesty," nettled Michael, for it tended to betray his real scheme to Antoinette.

"There may come a time, Hentzau," glowered the Black Duke, "when your services will no longer excuse your impertinence. Why aren't you in your place at the cathedral for the coronation?"

"Is there any need to hurry, your highness, to the coronation of a king who won't be there to wear his crown? Before I go, just one trifling matter. Detchard tells me that you have promised him promotion. Now of course, rank and

riage of state? An insipid, flax-haired doll. Poor Michael!"

Antoinette turned and stared at him. The thrust had found its mark. She was fighting back her tears, her voice trembled.

"The idea of his highness marrying the princess is hardly up to your standard, Count Rupert. I had heard you were more amusing. What possible reason could there be for such a marriage?"

"How else can he get the crown?" asked Rupert casually.

Antoinette's laugh was obviously forced. "He doesn't want the crown. He wants only to be regent."

"Of course," smiled Rupert, "but after Rudolf's abdication, when Flavia becomes queen? He can't put that off forever, you know."

"A young and inexperienced queen will naturally lean upon her cousin, the duke, for guidance," said Antoinette.

"Really," sneered Rupert, "I should have thought you knew your Michael better." He laughed aloud. "So he's made you think he wants to be the man behind the throne?"

Rupert advanced toward her as if to comfort her, continuing, despite her look of disgust:

"Shameful of him to keep you in the dark like this! But come what's a marriage to a woman of the world like you? You want to hold him? Make him jealous! But you'll have to fall back on me for that. I'm the only man in the country who isn't afraid of Michael."

As Rassendyll sat in the throne chair of the royal special, each click of the wheels on the rails accentuated his realization that he was rapidly approaching the supreme ordeal of his mad adventure.

Zapt and Fritz both swore that he looked enough like the king he was impersonating to fool anyone. But could he deceive his own half-brother, Michael? Could he deceive the members of the palace household? There was Princess Flavia to be considered.

Zapt felt Rassendyll's pulse. "Little too quick," he said, "but you'll do." The train was pulling into the Strelsau station. Fritz was shaking like a leaf. "Stop it," said Zapt, slapping the young captain's knee,

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Miss Inez Sockwell spent Saturday night with and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. John Derrick are

visiting in Waco this week with relatives.

Mrs. Jim Epps and daughter spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Alvin Huckaby and Mrs. Thelma Williams.

Uncle Johnnie Latham visited

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Latham Sunday.

Mr. Wesley Nichols visited Mr. Raymond Huckaby Sunday afternoon.

Everyone remember singing at the Church house every Sunday and Wednesday nights.


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SPORT SCRAPs

By JONES

Looks like basketball is on the upswing for the mid-holiday season, with Pearl All Stars Gatesville girls, Pearlboys, 4-C College Plainview All stars Jonesboro boys and Gatesville boys with fast schedule.

There are not many long faces resulting from the aftermath of Christmas certifying to the fact that the majority of us had a sane-safe Xmas and did not "overindulge". One sporting man assured us that he should have bought fireworks instead of fire-water.

In the bowling business scores since last week are relatively low probably due to the full mid-riffs account of a certain well known American fowl but regardless here they are: 5-pin, J. A. Kelly; Duck J. C. Barton, 109 and Sid Gregory 3-pins with 223.

Hubert, Rebba, Mabel and Willie Mae Galloway of Corpus Christi have been visiting friends and relatives here during the Xmas holidays, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Galloway.

The Baptist Quoir quartett, composed of Leonard Meeks Doyle Singleton, Curt Rogers, and Troy Jones accompanied by their wives motored to Evant Thursday evening where they took part in a Christmas program which was had in the school auditorium.

Nelsa Alexander medical student at Baylor University spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. John Alexander and other relatives here.

Miss Marjorie Hall left Monday morning for several days visit with a friend, Miss Margaret Ann Morton of Ballinger, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Matthews had as their guests their daughter, son-in-law and little grandson, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. McCombs and Bob, of Dallas, during the holidays.

Miss Clara Bell Everett has replaced Juanita Struge as a reporter for the Gatesville Messenger. Miss Struge, accompanied by Mrs. Garland Sydow and children, left Tuesday for Iatan. Mrs. Sydow and the children will return home after the holidays.

Edward Stanford, who is attending school at Southwestern University, Georgetown, is visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Stanford, over the holidays.

Miss Sidney Gayle Gibson, Home Demonstration agent of this county, spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Gibson, at Trinity.

Guests from Levelland of Mrs. G. J. Morris were her daughter, Lillie Mae, and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sherrill and little daughter, Sandra Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. King of Denton spent their holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. W. King near Gatesville.

Helen Hamilton, student at CIA, Denton, was a guest of her parents near Jonesboro for the holidays.

Neil Chapman, second year student at Texas Tech, Lubbock, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Chapman, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rucker and family spent the Christmas holidays with her mother at Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rae of Rogers spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rucker.

Okie Mayes, pharamist at Koen-Foster had the misfortune of slipping and breaking his arm Monday morning.

Bill Carpenter spent the holidays at his home in Marshall.

G. W. Wally left Fri. to spend the remainder of the week with his family in Austin.

Miss Hazel Lovelace, nurse in Scott and White Sanitarium, Temple; is a guest of her parents near Jonesboro.

Miss Jimmy Young, of Dallas is visiting her parents at Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. O'Neal of Waco were holiday guests of her parents; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Franks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williamson of Lubbock are holiday guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hyde of Waco were Guests Christmas of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bird Hair.

Miss Dorothy Ayres of Austin spent her holidays with her parents; Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Bajdrige are holiday guests of her parents, Mayor and Mrs. C. E. Gandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McKinney of Goldthwaite were holiday guest of their parents.

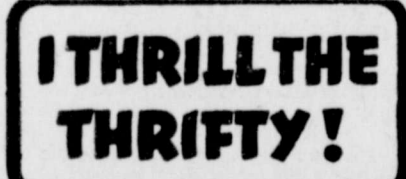


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Community News Letters

UNION NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonald and family of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carrol Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson and children spent Christmas with his mother Mrs. Tubbs of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watts were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin of Waco Christmas day and were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bratton and son

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Galleggly and children spent the holidays with their parents, Mr and Mrs. J. M. Braton of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. M.T. Carrol visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonald of Falls county during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bratton and Wayland spent Thursday night in the John Hagan home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wilkerson and children were recent callers in the S. E. Pendleton home near Levita.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hagan and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Patterson of Ames Sunday.

Everett Watts and Miss Nell Cook were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watts.

Skinner Moore visited in the C. L. Lipsey home of Ames over the week end.

Mr and Mrs. John Hagan and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hagan of Purmela Monday.

Miss Edith Bratton of Hamilton is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Butch were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. King recently.

Miss Vadena Hagan is spending this week with relatives near Purmela.

Fritz Shellhase is visiting relatives of Comfort.

MOUND NEWS

Rev. W. S. Garnett and family if Big Springs and Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Childers of West Brook and Mrs. Quince Davidson and children of Hamilton were holiday guests of Mrs. Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Draper of Oglesby visited in the home of his mother, Mrs. George I. Draper during the holidays. Mr. Frank Lamb and wife of Oglesby visited in the home of Mrs. George I. Draper Sunday.

Mr. H. A. Davidson and family spent Christmas with her mother Mrs. S. C. Fajsam and other relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Furd Roberts and daughter Virginia spent Christmas here with her mother Mrs. Charley Goodwin and Mrs. H. S. Roberts. Mr and Mrs. Buffard Arnold of Tascosa spent Christmas here with his mother Mrs. Charley Goodwin and other relatives.

Mr. K. E. Stewart and wife and Mrs. Wesley Prewitt of Bay City spent the holidays here with relatives.

John Wallace of Houston and Arthur Melton of Gatesville were visiting friends in Mound Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson of Pecan Grove spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bomar.

Mr and Mrs. H. V. Bomar visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Flat during the holidays.

Mrs. Sam Whigham and son spent Christmas here with her sister Mrs. H. M. Fellers.

Baylor Wicker of Dallas visited his brother Harper Wicker during the holidays.

Mr. W. S. Wood visited, his daughter Mrs. John Rigles of Ireland Christmas Day.

Jim McHargur and family of Wortham spent Christmas here with his sister Mrs. J. H. Lowery and other relatives.

Mr and Mrs Leonard Marshall of Pecan Grove spent Xmas here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Evans.

Mr. Pete Lam and children and Mrs. W. J. Evans spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Lam's parents Mr. and Mrs. Rushingburg of the Plainview community Sunday.

Mr. Ode Lam and family of Dallas spent Xmas here with his parents.

Mrs. Alton Mayberry spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Melton Thompson of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and son of Cleburn visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Green recently

Loyd Green and family are visiting her mother in east Texas at this time.

Miss Mary Lou Green spent Christmas with relatives in Waco.

TURNERSVILLE

Clara Basham returned Friday from Lubbock where he has been working the past two months.

Word has been received here that Miss Beverly Basham who has been attending Austin College, Sherman, will attend the Presbyterian Youth Convention on World Missions in Atlanta, Georgia, December 28-30.

Bill Cooper of Baytown is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. R. Cooper.

Kyle Hobin of John Tarleton, Stephenville is spending the holidays with home folks.

E. O. Harrell and Miss Juanita spent the week end in Waco.

Grady Thamp of NTST College Denton, is home for the holidays.

Miss Vivian and Edith Pardue were Waco shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. J. T. Garren were Waco shoppers Saturday.

Miss Lillian Garren and J. T. of NTST College Denton are spending the holidays with home folks.

Sam Carr returned Friday from Lubbock where he has been working the past two months.

ELIGA NEWS

Mrs. Levi Manning spent Saturday night in Gatesville with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Cummings.

Mrs. Ella Graham has returned to her home in Houston after several weeks visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fleming were shopping in Gatesville Monday.

Miss Wilma Whatley is spending the Xmas holidays in McCamey with her mother, Mrs. Vivian Trantham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Manning and family were in Gatesville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Winkle and children of Temple spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hubbard.

Mr. Arthur Sikes of Killeen visited Frank Gault recently.

LEVITA NEWS

We are having some rainy weather for Xmas and plenty of mud and water.

Boss Anderson had as his guest Christmas Day his brother Mr. Bill Anderson and one sister, Mrs. Jes Cole of the Mound and another sister, Mrs. Mollie Keller of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rogers had all of their children and grand children in their home Sunday for Christmas dinner.

Christmas Day Mrs. Kate Permenter and Mrs. Mattie Rogers spent the day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Rogers of Ater and Sunday they spent the day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Anderson of Purmela.

Mrs. Addie Grimes is spending Xmas in Gatesville with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Thomas and Mrs. Jewel Ament.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers who has been having rheumatism is greatly improved and Al Davis has also had rheumatism but is some better; hope they will soon be all right and out again.

Cloyce Lall has been very sick with pneumonia but is some better; hope he will soon be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miles had all of their children in their home for the holidays; Mr and Mrs. L. A. Waren and Mrs. Grace Blackstock and Mr. and Mrs. Conley Miles.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kind deeds and words of sym-

pathy shown to us during the illness and death of our dear wife, mother, sister and daughter, Mrs. Jewel Litchfield.

We appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.

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