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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
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W R Millsap and wife to S S Millsap and others part of lot 11 blk 3 in Copperas Cove—\$2,500.00.
Emma Brahear to Harry C Jones lot 4 and part lot 3 blk 7 Lutterloh Add. in Gatesville—2500.00.
David Wiegand and wife to Paul Wiley 36 ac C Cazenoba survey—300.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Alton L. Lockaby and Bobbie William Bishop.
J. C. Bunnell and Betty Sue Ricketts.
Robert Lawrence George and Roas Loretta Kinchloe.

52ND DIST. LAWYERS RENEW ORGANIZATION STOPPED BY WAR

Friday, in Gatesville, members of the Bar of the 52nd Judicial District met and organized a club, or association, which had been discontinued during the war.

Hugh Cureton of Meridian was named President and Mr. Nicholson of Comanche was named secretary. Dinner was served at a local cafe.

Others present were Oscar Calloway, Y. W. Holmes and Mr. Long of Comanche, Burl Word of Meridian, Judge R. B. Cross, Harry Flentge, Robert W. Brown, L. M. and H. C. Stinnett and Tom Mears of Gatesville.

Markets

Monday, February 4, 1946.

Oats, Bu.	75c
Corn bu.	\$1.25
Maize, (per cwt.)	\$2.16
Wheat, bu.	\$1.35
Eggs No. 1	30c
Cream	48c
Turkey Hens	30c
Toms	30c
Hens, lb.	20c
Poultry	12c
Papers	27c



"THEY ALSO HAVE SERVED"

Gayle Clawson
Raymond Maxwell
Lonnie H. Jacobs
Donald R. Fisk
Roy B. Lane
Windell C. Newlin
Louis J. Bone
John M. Davidson
Richard C. H. Kattner
Phillip Robinson
Floyd Murray
Carl H. Wright, Jr.
Oscar V. Foust
Charles C. Longmire
Curtis C. Quicksall
B. A. Hering, Jr.
W. B. Cummings

LIONS CLUB OFFICERS NAMED FOR COPPERAS COVE CLUB

The Lions Club met Monday evening at 7:00 p. m. at the school house for purposes of organization. The following officers were elected: president, Supt. W. R. Goodson, vice-president, A. T. Hull, second vice-president, Henry DeWald, secretary, L. W. Uselton, lion-tamer, Emil Mickan, tail twister, Delbert Stevens; directors, Louis Behrens, Otto Urbantke, Herbert Schneider, George Fritz.

A number of guests from Gatesville club were present to assist in the organization of the club. They were as follows: Ted Copeland, president of the Gatesville club; Bob Arnold, zone chairman; Robert Scott, secretary; John Gilmer, chairman of program; and Wade Sadler, chairman of membership. A dinner was served to about thirty by the home economics class of the local high school. The next meeting of the club will be held on the second Monday night in February.

—The Copperas Cove Crony.

Personals

Roy Cooper who is now a student at North Texas Agricultural College of Arlington visited home-folks here this week end.

Floyd Lee Riley, 17, of Rt. 1, Jonesboro has enlisted in the AAF for three years and has asked for assignment in the European Theatre.

Pfc. Clay L. Millsap of a Gatesville has returned to the states aboard the USS SANTEE which left Saipan, January 19, and is scheduled to arrive at San Pedro about Feb. 3.

LEON JUNCTION MAN KILLED IN COLLISION HERE

First fatal traffic accident in McLennan county this year was registered Friday morning at 2:02 o'clock, when Clyde Philip Robinson, 20, of Leon Junction, was killed in an automobile collision at fifth street and Jefferson avenue and his brother, Billy Travis Robinson was injured.

January passed without a fatal



accident in this county.

Billy Travis Robinson was driving the automobile east on Jefferson when it was in collision with a coupe driven south on Fifth street by Reginald Owens of Elgin, police said. The left side of the Robinson car was considerably damaged.

Police officers R. B. Mackie, B. Payne and George Francis, with Capt. Jesse Gunterman, investigated.

Both the Robinsons were recently discharged from the armed services.

Brown's ambulance carried Clyde Robinson to hospital but he was dead when he reached there. Waco Ambulance company carried Travis Robinson to Hillcrest hospital, where he was reported to be recovering from injuries not regarded as serious.

Arriving home from overseas last Sunday, young Robinson had served 18 months in the South Pacific. Funeral arrangements are pending the arrival of his mother, who is visiting in California. Authorities had not been able to contact her at noon Friday.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waler Robinson of Leon Junction; three brothers, Billy and Raymond Robinson of 1004 North Fifth street, Waco; Lee Robinson of McGregor; three sisters, Mrs. H. F. Roos, Mobile

TODAY'S EVENTS By Associated Press

CONFER, SMILE, BUT SAY NOTHING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4, (AP)—President Truman held a hurriedly-called conference with Labor Secretary Schwollenbach and CIO president Philip Murray today in a new effort to settle the steel strike.

Neither Schwollenbach nor Murray would comment after the 30 minute meeting, but labor secretary Schwollenbach said: "We came out smiling".

NAVY MAN TESTIFIES AT PH HEARING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4, (AP)—Naval Captain L. F. Safford testified today that "in my own mind" a suspicion exists that General Marshall and Admiral Harold Stark violated laws against destroying public records. Safford made the statement to the Pearl Harbor investigators. Earlier, he testified an intercepted Japanese message indicating war, has vanished from the files.

TUGBOAT WORKERS STRIKE: LONGSHOREMEN

NEW YORK, Feb. 4, (AP)—Strike by 3,500 tugboat workers supported by 35,000 longshoremen, was declared by union leaders 98 percent effective today, cutting off a large portion of the city's food and fuel supplies.

Ala., Mrs. Eva Haney, Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Jesse Lockwood of California.

WITH THE COLORS



FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas—For gallantry in action near Lonoy, Leyte Province, Philippine Islands, on Dec. 19, 1944, 2nd Lt. (then T-Sgt.) Floyd A. Weaver was awarded the Silver Star Medal at headquarters, Army Ground and Service Forces Redistribution Station, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

The award was made by Col. Robert E. Jones, station commanding officer.

On Dec. 19, 1944, Lt. Weaver led his platoon in an attack on an unknown number of enemy heavy artillery pieces which by their fire on the regimental command post, had killed one man and wounded fifteen. Through his skillful man-



euvering and outstanding leadership, Lt. Weaver's platoon was able to attack and overrun the enemy security positions protecting one artillery piece east of Lonoy and effectively put it out of action.

While reorganizing, the platoon suddenly received point-blank fire at fifteen yards range from another gun which had not been previously observed due to darkness. The entire platoon was thrown to the ground by the terrific concussion of the first explosion which killed four men, and was subjected to intense machine gun fire accounting for more casualties. Lt. Weaver rallied his disorganized and greatly decimated platoon behind him and, showing cool courage and a grim determination to close with the enemy, personally led the assault on the enemy strongly held position, inspiring his men by his fearless disregard for his own safety into assaulting and annihilating the determined enemy. Lt. Weaver's conspicuous gallantry and unflinching devotion to duty were decisive factors in the destruction of two heavy artillery pieces which had been a serious obstacle to his regiments advance into the Ormoc Valley.

Lt. Weaver is the husband of Vera Jo Weaver. Their home address is Box 417, Gatesville, Texas. He entered the service in August, 1940, went overseas on July 3, 1943, served 25 months in the Asiatic-Pacific theatre, and returned to the United States on July 22, 1945. He received a battle field commission on Jan. 3, 1945 on Leyte Island of the Philippines. He served with the 12th Regiment of the 1st Cavalry Division. In addition to the Silver Star, he also holds the Purple Heart, received for shrapnel wounds sustained in action at Luzon Island on February 12, 1945, the Bronze Star for heroic achievement, and the Asiatic-Pacific theatre ribbon with four battle stars and one bronze arrowhead, the latter for participation in the initial invasion of a hostile shore.

FAMOUS U. S. ARMY DIVISIONS

36TH INFANTRY DIVISION



THE TEXAS DIVISION, drawn originally from Texas National Guard units, claims a military record dating back to the days of the defenders of the Alamo and the volunteer companies that fought for Texas' independence. In World War I its personnel was composed also of men from Oklahoma National Guard, but in its heroic fighting in 1943-45 it numbered in its ranks men from all parts of the country. It was called into the federal service in November, 1940, and in training and combat saw five years of grueling activity. Two of its lieutenants and seven enlisted men were awarded the Medal of Honor.

The 36th sailed in April 1943 for the North African Theater of Operations landing at Oran Algeria where it was given mountain and amphibious training. Its components at the time of its departure were the 141st 142nd and 143d Infantry Regiments and 155th 131st 132nd and 33d Field Artillery Battalions.

Jumping off on September 9, 1943, the Division took part in the initial invasion of Italy near Paestum in the Gulf of Salerno. The Texans soon overcame strong resistance and consolidated the beachhead, pushing on to the La Cosa river. Its next action at Mignano Gap called into play the training it had received in mountainous terrain, scaling defended heights running to altitudes near 4,000 feet. In the vicinity of Mt. Lungo and Mt. Rotondo it began a period during which it was under enemy fire for 24 days and nights. Severe winter weather hampered fighting, but eventually the hill masses and strong enemy positions at San Pietro were won at a cost of 2,400 casualties. In January the 36th drove for a crossing of the Rapido river and again paid a heavy price for its victory. It went on to Cassino and more than held its own through a period of bitter combat. Until relieved on March 12 it was engaged on the bloody Rapido river line. On May 25, 1944, the Texans were pitted against the enemy at Anzio. The bastion before Rome broke and on June 4 it helped capture the city and passing beyond it took thousands of German prisoners.

At San Raphael, France, on August 15, 1944, the Texans made another successful amphibious landing and attacked the Nazi lines with zest and confidence. There was none of the hard plodding they had endured in Italy but a runaway fight that augured Hitler's final defeat. After 32 days of fighting the Division gained 300 miles and found themselves in the foothills of the Vosges. The Moselle was crossed in the face of heavy opposition, the 36th moved through dense forests, swept over the Muerthe, breaking enemy resistance and gaining the Alsation plains. Victory followed victory but always through severe fighting. Early in April, 1945, it captured Kaiserlautern and sped to the heart of Germany. When the war ended the Division counted many prominent Nazi leaders among its prisoners. Distinguished Unit Citations were awarded the 3d Battalion of the 141st Infantry Regiment and Company K of the 143d Regiment.

The 36th shoulder patch is a blue flint arrowhead bearing the letter "T" in green.



Political Announcements

The News is authorized to make the following political announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1946.

For Congressman, 11th District.

W. R. (BOB) POAGE
(Re-election)

For District Attorney, 52nd Dist:

H. W. (BILL) ALLEN
(Re-Election)

For Representative, 94th Dist:

EARL HUDDLESTON
(Re-Election)

BYRON LEAIRD MCCLELLAN

For District Clerk, 52nd Judicial District:

CARL McCLENDON
(Re-election)

For County Judge:

FLOYD ZEIGLER
(Re-Election)

For Sheriff:

JOE WHITE
(Re-election)

For County Clerk:

A. W. ELLIS
(Re-election)

For County Superintendent

OLLIE LITTLE
(2nd Elective Term)

VIRGIL JONES

ROBERT M. (PECK) THARP

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

BERT DAVIS
(2nd Term)

For County Attorney:

TOM R. MEARS
(Re-Election)

For County Treasurer:

OSCAR FOWLER
(2nd Term)

For Commissioner, Beat 1:

CURTIS SMITH

For County Commissioner, Beat 2:

ROY EVETTS
(Re-Election)

RABY LEE

A. H. (AB) DONALDSON

For Commissioner, Beat 4:

DICK PAYNE
(Re-Election)

HAND TO MOUTH

PRESTON, England — (A) — A man who lost his top set of artificial teeth while leaning out of a

Classified

Five lines or less (minimum) One time 25c, each additional 20c; Over 5 lines: 5c a line 1st time, 4c line each additional time.

Readers, Citations, cards of Blind Ads, 10c extra. Thanks, 1c a word or 5c line.

Notices!

HELP YOURSELF Laundry: Plenty of parking space, 45c an hour. No quilts at present, 102 W. Main, Mrs. C. Bauman. 1-14-8-2p.

NOTICE: I have a home laundry located at 204 St. Louis St. Will appreciate your patronage. Mrs. Ada Woodson. 1-14-1tp.

WE ARE STILL framing pictures. Bring your pictures, records and

train window got them back by mail. Meanwhile, 100 miles of track has been searched for them

Goes To Work Through Roof To Keep Prime Minister Hot

OTTAWA, Ont. —R. J. (Dick) Gorman has a queer job. He enters his office through a door in the roof. His office building contains the opening of a mile-long subterranean passage—Ottawa's subway, he calls it. He controls the comfort of Canada's Prime Minister and the members of Parliament.

Gorman is a chief engineer of the government's central heating plant. He has a staff of 15 men and they manage to feed 16,500 tons of coal into the plant every winter. The heating of 16 downtown government buildings depends upon them and the space heated is approximately 35 million cubic feet, or equivalent to about 3,500 homes.

The parliament buildings, the old and new Supreme Court buildings, the Confederation and Justice buildings and Ottawa's new post office are among the structures served by Gorman's plant.

The plant is built into the side of a 60-foot cliff which rises from the Ottawa river. The entrance is on the roof because that is where trucks dump their loads of coal into 2,000-ton and 1,000-ton bins.

An elevator is taken down to the ground floor of the three story structure.

Dick Gorman has had only one misadventure in the tunnel since he helped to build it after five destroyed the old parliament buildings in 1916. About ten years ago he was caught in the passage by a live steam break in the main line. He escaped without injury, however.

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NOTICE: Plant peach trees now. Don't let beautiful pictures and radio talks influence you in buying trees. Our trees are as good as any you can buy. Frank New Elberta, Elberte, Mamie Ross and others, Plenty plums, shrubs, roses, etc. Prices are: 1 1/2 to 2 ft. trees 30c; 2 to 3 ft. trees 40c; 3 to 4 ft. trees 50c. We meet all competition. Wilson's Nursery, West Main. Phone 703, Gatesville. 1-14-3tc.

NOTICE: I am fixed to do house wiring for R. E. A. Call 281, Jonesboro, Texas. D. W. McDonald. 1-10-8tp.

DAVIS TIRES are coming in every week. See us for your tire needs. W. T. Hix. 1-12-tfc.

WAIT FOR the Frigidaire refrigerator made only by General Motors. Be twice as sure with two great names, General Motors and Frigidaire. See W. T. Hix. 1-12-tfc.

TO GET IT QUICKER, or get rid of it quicker. Classified Advertisements in the News are the BEST. 1-5-tfc.

FRESH WATER Well Drilling. Dave Adams and Sons. Rt. 2, Gatesville, on State Road. 1-103-tfc.

MAGAZINES: We take subscriptions to ANY magazine printed that has an open subscription list. Get ready for Winter idle hours. The News. 4-90-tfc.

LEGAL FORMS: Practically any Legal form you need at the News office. Or, if we haven't them, will get them! 4-3-tfc.

OVERSEAS BOXES: At the News office. 10c ea. straight. 4-12-tfc.

OFFICE SUPPLIES, Rubber stamps. Get 'em from Jones Boys, Inc. Ltd. at News Office. We're in business, now. 4-25-tfc.

TRUCKING: Also we buy grains, feeds and seeds. B. L. Woodall, Phone 535. 1-102-tfc.

LET MADAM ROSE help solve your life problems. One and one-quarter miles west of Gatesville on Highway 84, Phone 4913. 1-3-16tp.

BRING YOUR pictures for framing to Doughty's. Most complete line of moulding in central Texas. Frames for discharges, \$1.25. And Pocket-size Photostat copies. Doughty's Studio. 1-90-tfc.

DODGE & PLYMOUTH Sales & Service. Scott Motor Company, 804 Leon, next to Post Office. 4-79-tfc.

FOR FREE REMOVAL of dead, crippled or worthless stock, call COLLECT Hamilton Soap Works, Phone 303, Hamilton, Texas. 1-73-tfc.

NOTICE: Bring your Maytag Washers and wringers to us for repair. We have a large stock of parts and wringer rolls and can turn out your job promptly. MAYES RADIO & MAYTAG Co. 1-96-tfc.

BUS SCHEDULES GATESVILLE TO NORTH CAMP HOOD

Starting at 4:00 a. m. one bus out of Gatesville per hour, leave Gatesville on the hour, and leave North Camp on the half hour, until 5:00 p. m. Then a bus every half hour until 12:00 p. m. Last bus out at 1:00 a. m.

Gatesville to South Camp Hood
Lv. Gatesville Lv. South Camp
6:30 A. M. Laundry Bus
1:30 P. M. 12:01 P. M.
6:45 P. M. 5:00 P. M.
9:00 P. M. 7:45 P. M.

Gatesville to Temple
Lv. Gatesville Lv. Temple
10:30 A. M. 9:00 A. M.
2:30 P. M. 1:00 P. M.
5:30 P. M. 4:00 P. M.

SOUTHWESTERN TRANSIT CO.

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Lost & Found

FOUND: Ladies pocketbook. Can be had by calling at News Office and paying for this ad.

SINGLE KEY: Can be had by calling at News Office and paying for this ad.

For Rent

FOR RENT: Furnished garage apartment. E. T. Mayes, Sr., Mayes Maytag and Radio Store. 3-14-tfc.

FOR RENT, Furnished or unfurnished apartment, 6 rooms or less; modern plumbing, hot water. 419 W. Main. M. C. Bigham, State School. 3-10-tfc.

For Sale

FOR SALE: One cooker and sealer. C. L. Hord, Hardware Store. 4-14-2tp.

FOR SALE: Several cast iron sinks; one lavatory; all pre-war. Raymond Edwards, 1009 St. Louis. Phone 733. 4-14-tfc.

FOR SALE: Bicycle in good condition, only \$25. See Clyde Chester, Oglesby. 1-14-1tp.

FOR SALE: 1-row Allis Chalmers tractor, Model B; well equipped. T. L. Walker, Flat. 4-14-2tp.

RUBBER BANDS, Calendars, ledgers, blotter pads, typewriting paper-1000's of articles. Jones boys inc., Ltd. 4-14-tfc.

FOR SALE: Farmall 12 and all equipment. J. D. Biggs, Oglesby. 4-13-2tp.

FOR SALE: One oil cook stove and box wood heater. See P. R. Young, 3 miles south of Jonesboro. 4-13-3tp.

FOR SALE: 5 burner table-top new perfection oil stove. Also portable type perfection oil stove. Both practically new. Call B. E. McCoy Grocery. 4-13-2tp.

NEW ELECTRIC Irons: Du-Mil, a "Duke" Miller product, 110 volts; OPA prices, \$5.30 tax included, Wood Jewelry, 805 Main, Penny Arcade 808 Main. 4-13-2tp.

FOR SALE: Eight foot kerosene refrigerator practically reconditioned. Bill Williams, 603 S. 14th St., Gatesville. 4-11-5tp.

JUST RECEIVED: Shipment of Electrical Appliances, Radios, Hot Plates, Fans, etc. Also some Gas Stoves. W. F. & J. F. Barnes Lumber Company. 4-11-tfc.

FOR SALE: Aeromotor Windmills, a few tanks and plumbing fixtures; also kerosene oil water heaters. Pat H. Potts Tin Shop. 4-9-tfc.

RADIO BATTERIES: Genuine Ray-O-Vac AB Pack radio batteries, Special, \$5.95; Ray-O-Vac flashlight batteries, 10c each. Leaird's Dept. Store. 4-99-tfc.

FOR SALE: F-Farmall tractor, all equipment. good shape. E. L. Turner. 4-6-tfc.

FOR SALE: BUTANE PLANTS—Ready to install. Loyd F. Green, Mound, Texas. 4-7-tfc.

FOR SALE: 13 saddles, with bridles and blankets, \$7.50 up. A. H. (Red) McCoy, "The Wheeler & Dealer". 4-3-tfc.

FOR SALE: Spanish oak wood, sawed any length. \$4 a rick. J. T. Neal, Levita. 4-3-13tp.

AUTO LOANS—Reasonable rates, 30 minute service. Sherrill Kendrick, City Drug Bldg., No. 127. 4-63-4tp.

HOME LOANS—To buy, build or refinance. Cheapest rates. Sherrill Kendrick, City Drug Bldg., Ph. 127. 4-63-4tp.

Used Cars

USED CARS: If you want to buy or sell see Bob Stout, W. Leon, next to Black's Grocery. 6-8-8tc.

Wanted

WE BUY YOUR hogs and cattle DAILY in town or at your farm. George R. Hodges & Sons, at Black's store, W. Leon. Ph. 803. 5-99-4tc.

FOR FREE REMOVAL of dead, crippled, or worthless stock, call COLLECT Hamilton Soap Works, Phone 303, Hamilton, Texas. 5-73-tfc.

Buy or Sell

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. 7-14-tfc.

Real Estate

FOR SALE: 5-room house with bath, cor. 21st St., and Leon. H. N. (Spud) Brown. 4-13-tfc.

I HAVE a number of desirable building sites for residence or business location. See Geo. B. Painter. 11-14-1tc.

A REAL MODERN home, newly decorated, 2 apartment houses in connection, large lot. Just outside city limits. Owner leaving town. If you want a real home, see this one. Geo. B. Painter. 11-14-1tc.

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SOCIETY In The NEWS

REED-PAINTER WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed wish to announce the marriage of their daughter, Rosa Lee, of Ft. Worth, Texas, to Robert E. Painter of Gatesville, Texas, on Jan. 22.

The bride is a graduate of McGregor High School. She attended business college in Dallas and for the past nine years had been

employed in government work. Mr. and Mrs. Painter left Jan. 25th for San Diego, Calif., where they will make their home. Mr. Painter is chief boiler-maker in the U. S. Navy. He has served in the navy for the past twelve years and has re-enlisted for further service.—The Moody Courier.

Miss Von Dean Arnold Becomes Bride Of Ray F. Barnes

Miss Von Dean Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Arnold, formerly of Evant now of Dallas, became the bride of Mr. Ray F. Barnes, Saturday evening at 8:00 P. M. at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jim S. Brown, 2708 Fernwood Ave., Dallas.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gold dress with black accessories and her flowers were shocking pink carnations. Mrs. Hulan Arnold, sister in law of the bride, was matron of honor and Clay Barnes twin brother of the groom, was best man.

A reception was held after the ceremony, Mrs. Edward Arnold and Mrs. Glynn Brown presided at the punch bowl. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Hulan Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lane and daughter, Patricia Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Brown, Mrs. G. L. Barnes, mother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnes, Miss Viola Barnes and Clay Barnes.

A shower was given Wednesday in honor of the bride and groom. Several parties have been planned. Mrs. Barnes is the granddaughter of Mrs. Sam Sneed of this city. The couple will be at home in Dallas.

The groom has recently been discharged from the army. He served with the 1st Calvary.—The Four County Press.

MISS BETTY SUE RICKETTS HONORED WITH SHOWER

Miss Betty Sue Ricketts, bride-elect of J. C. Bunnell, Jr., was honored with a miscellaneous shower Thursday night, January 31, given by Mrs. B. M. Colvin and daughters, Nella Mae and Wilma Earl at the home of Mrs. J. F. Colvin.

Refreshments of Angel food cake and fruit punch were served from a lace covered table with a center piece of acacia. Plate favors were miniature white bells.

The honoree was led to a bedroom where the gifts were found under a white lace trimmed wedding bell with long white satin streamers. There were many beautiful and useful gifts.

Miss Wilma Earl Colvin presided at the bride's book where some forty guests were registered.

BIRTHS

Caroline Joy Young is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Young of Axtel, who was born at 11 a. m. on Jan. 23, weighing 8 pounds, 8 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schange of Gatesville and G. Young of Waco are her grandparents.

Janice Marie Green daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Green, of 2101 Gurley street, who was born at 5:45 p. m. on Jan. 23, weighing 8 pounds, 7 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin of Oglesby and Mrs. J. H. Harlin of Gholson are her grandmothers and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Griffin of Oglesby are her great-grandparents.

And to Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gib-

bons of Waco, route 1, a son, Robert Stanley, Jr., was born at Hillcrest on Jan. 24 at 6:07 p. m. His mother is the former Ellen Marie Alford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hill Alford of Valley Mills, route 2. Mrs. Kate Collins of Waco is the paternal grandmother and I. R. Troutt of Gatesville, route 1, is the great-grandparent.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Anderson of Gatesville are the proud parents of a baby boy born at 10:14 a. m. February 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. O'Neal of Evant announce the arrival of a baby girl born at 9:00 A. M. February 1.

MISS MCPHEARSON, CLARENCE BURTON MARRY IN MOODY

Miss Janie Ruth McPhearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. McPhearson, and Clarence Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton of Gatesville, were married Jan. 24 at 8 p. m. by Rev. Darby, at the Baptist parsonage in Moody.

The bride wore an aqua dress and a corsage of white carnations. Her accessories were black. Miss Effie Joe Casey of Moody attended the bride as bridesmaid and wore a black net dress with black accessories and a pink carnation corsage. Sergeant Clifford Earl Poe of Gatesville was best man.

Mr. Burton has recently received his discharge from the army after serving 21 months in the ETO. He is now employed by American Desk Company.

The couple will make their home at 903 North Eighth Street.—The Temple Daily Telegram.

LAURA ROBINSON AND BURNET MAN EXCHANGE VOWS

SAN SABA, Jan. 23—A wedding of interest to a large number of Central and West Texans took place in Lometa on Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the home of the brides sister, Mrs. Carl Brown and Mr. Brown, when Miss Laura Robinson of Pendleton became the bride of Raymond Limroth of this city.

Rev. Ernest Duncan of Waco read the ceremony before an improvised altar. Miss Margaret Brown, niece of the bride, lighted the taper preceding the ceremony. Gladioli decorated the rooms, and Mrs. H. L. Greenlee of Bruceville sang, "I Love You Truly," with Miss Brown at the piano for the traditional wedding music.

The bride given in marriage by her brother, Horace Robinson of Katy, wore an aqua dress suit with brown accessories, and her corsage was of gardenias. Mrs. W. T. Wright of Pendleton was the bride's only attendant, and Frank M. Harrel of Breckenridge, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, was best man.

At the reception following the ceremony, the wedding cake was topped by miniature bride and groom figurines surrounded by rose and lily clusters. Mrs. J. W. Youngblood of Waco served the cake, and Mrs. Roberta Legan of Temple poured.

The bride is a graduate of North Texas Teachers College at Denton and was principal of the Pendleton school. She is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma. The bridegroom is employed by the Lower Colorado River Authority at Burnet, where the couple will reside. He was discharged from the army in October after serving 30 months in North

Africa and Italy. He attended John Tarleton college in Stephenville and a business college in San Antonio, and was associated with his father in the grocery business here before entering the army.—The Temple Daily Telegram.

17 Years Without Crime Cramps Lawyer's Style

BISMARCK, N. D.—½—Oliver County state's attorney Burton Wilcox is proud of his county's law abiding record but he has one complaint. It doesn't afford him much opportunity for perfecting his jury technique.

Wilcox starting his 18th consecutive year as state's attorney, never has had occasion to prosecute a criminal case before a jury. "We haven't had a major crime in 17 years," he said. There have been a few isolated instances of petty crime but the offenders either pleaded guilty or asked for trial by judge without jury."

Born In Different Years But Still They're Twins

BUENA VISTA, Ga.— (AP) — Jimmy Wayne and Judy Isom are twins but they have birthdays in different years.

Judy arrived at 11:30 p. m. last December 30. Jimmy didn't come along until 1:30 a. m. January 1.

The father is a farmer and the Isoms have eight other children, seven of them still living at home.

Glad To See Firemen But It Was Her House

MURPHYSBORO, Ill.— (AP) — Mrs. Myrtle Camden, busily fighting a grass fire in her yard here armed only with a pair of gloves, breathed a sigh of relief as she heard sirens of approaching fire trucks. But, the firemen sped past her and dashed toward her house. Engrossed with the grass blaze she failed to notice flames licking along the roof of her house.

Mrs. Lettie Boynton underwent a major operation in the Heights Hospital of Houston, Texas, Wednesday, January 30. Her friends will be glad to know that at this time she is improving nicely. She will be there another 10 days or two weeks.

Lt. W. C. Whittborne of Jonesboro has reported to the Air Transport Squadron II in Honolulu, T. H. for duty. He will be flying 4-engined "Skymasters" between the Orient and Oakland, Calif.



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- 5—Mexican Republic adopts Constitution, 1857.
- 6—Carrie Nation of Kansas begins anti-liquor crusade, 1901.
- 7—Hawaii is declared a U. S. protectorate, 1893.
- 8—Russo-Japanese War begins, 1904.
- 9—British Museum is founded, 1753.
- 10—Spain cedes Florida to England, 1763.
- 11—U. S. Department of Agriculture is created, 1889.

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OPENING LOMETA AUCTION BARN TUESDAY, FEB. 12

The Lometa Livestock Commission Company owned by Garlon Streater and C. P. McAnelly, will hold their first sale in their newly completed barn, Tuesday, February 12, starting at 1 p. m., with Malcolm Jennings, Goldthwaite, auctioneer, Bill Riley, Hamilton and Roy Cowan, Lampasas, starters.

Free barbecue dinner will be served on the ground at 12 noon. Both buyers and sellers are cordially invited to be present.

The new barn and sheds is 80x75 feet, 100 holding pens and 5 acres parking space. Located in west Lometa on San Saba highway. This is the largest livestock auction set-up in this section and will prove most convenient to users. Experienced lot and office help. Remember the date, Feb. 12, and free barbecue dinner.

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THE GROVE NEWS



Mrs. Pearl Van, Corres.

Crawford Stuterville of Gustin visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Durham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ayres of Waco spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ayres.

Mrs. Lee Ingram and son of Waco spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grissom. Cpl. Sidney Evans of Charleston, S. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Key Odom and other relatives last week. Sidney spent 32 months in a Jap prison camp.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Joe A. Holcomb and son of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Holcomb last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kattner visited relatives in Waco one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. No. bert Draeger had as their dinner guest last Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Charlee Dube, Mr. and Mrs. August Draeger, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Symm and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Choat, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grissom.

COPPERAS COVE NEWS



Mrs. Pearl Vann, Corres.

Miss Jimmie Smith who was carried to the hospital in Temple with Pneumonia returned home Monday. She is able to go to town.

Mrs. R. E. Smith who has been sick at her home here is able to set up now.

Mrs. Billie Hill, Mrs. Bess Stiles, Mrs. Ruth Millsap and Mrs. Ruby Asp have received word from their husbands, James Hill, Dan Stiles, Delbert Millsap and Alfred Asp, that they are back in the states and would be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baker, Lt. and Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Laura Durrenberger surprised Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Thompson at the Thompson home Tuesday with a supper honoring their 46th Anniversary.

Rev. J. G. Brock, our District Missionary, Rev. Hall attended the Men's Brotherhood in Llano Friday night.

Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Brock attended to church business in Austin Tuesday and while there they visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hennen Thompson and little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bell of Copperas Cove, Marvin Bell, stationed in New York, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Durham and daughter of Topsey and Oma Mae Bell of Camp Hood went to Georgetown to attend the wedding of their son and brother, Morris Bell, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dunsmore of Brady visited his brother, Jim Dunsmore and his sister Mrs. Etta Swift.

SMALL TOWN MERCHANT NOMINATED FOR MAN OF THE YEAR

TEXAS EDITOR HAILS HIM AS 'THE BACK BONE OF AMERICA.'

The small town business man whose outstanding service to thousands of communities all over America often passes unnoticed, was nominated for the honor of "Man of the Year" by the Raymondville Willacy County Chronicle.

In an editorial hailing the small town merchant everywhere, Carl B. Miller, publisher of the Chronicle, writes:

"He's the chap we salute as the Man of 1945. He's the fellow who never gets his picture in the paper. If he ever received an award in public, he'd be too embarrassed to appreciate it. He's the man in the thousands of little towns over this broad land that nobody has paid much attention to."

HOW HE SERVES

Because of its interest to editors and its well deserved tribute to the contribution the small town business man makes to his community.

The Auxiliary publishes Mr. Miller's editorial in full:

"It's customary at the beginning of a new year to turn the spotlight on some individual who has rendered the greatest service to his community during the past twelve months.

"In so doing we should not overlook the fact that thousands of men all over the world are now wearing well earned distinguished service medals, purple hearts and combat ribbons. The nation recognizes the sacrifice of these fighting men. It pays tribute to their valor, courage and skill.

"Flags of excellency and certificates of merit have been awarded to great industrial plants for outstanding performances. The nation proudly honors these workers who have accomplished such epic achievements in the name of their country. American workers, in the war plants and factories, came through in a big way.

DESERVES RECOGNITION

"However, in our search for a shirt-front upon which to pin a button or a badge, we have perhaps unintentionally overlooked a little guy sitting unobtrusively near the door in the back row.

"He's the small town business man.

"All through 1945, and for several years previous, the lights burned late in his store or his restaurant, or his repair shop, or whatever other kind of small business you can think of.

"He has brought gray hairs to his thinning pate worrying about how to get materials to keep his place open and his employees busy.

"Hardly a day has passed that he hasn't worked overtime trying to keep enough help to stay open . . . making out payrolls . . . struggling with rules about rationing—answering questionnaires written by men who'd go broke in a week running a business . . . trying to understand and do right by the OPA, the WPB, the ODT, the WMC the AAA, and the Internal Revenue department.

PROBLEMS HE'S FOUND

"When he wasn't doing this he was coddling and begging employees to stay on the job.

"He has had to praise and pamper lazy, inefficient clerks as he battled with himself the almost irresistible urge to fire them on the spot.

"Through it all he has tried his level best to be a loyal American citizen. He has backed the various war loan drives. He has served on committees, attended rallies and other civic meetings, contributed to the church, the Red Cross, the Community Chest and the Chamber of Commerce.

"He has, with becoming grace and understanding, paid every kind of tax imaginable, including federal, state, county, city, school district, occupation, license, income, excise and special.

"He has worked twice as long as any employee and hasn't had a vacation in five years.

"When all is said, and all the ribbons and badges are pinned on lapels, let's pause a moment in tribute to the backbone of America—the small business man of the thousands of small communities from coast to coast.

"We salute him, and hereby duly nominate him, as the Man of the Year."

HORNETS ELIMINATED AT JTAC TOURNEY: HORNETTES WIN

Friday at 10:30 Gatesville high school Hornets dropped their part of the John Tarleton Agricultural College to Dublin, 23-19.

Score at the half was 15-15, but the Dublin boys moved out in the latter half. Ward was high point for the Hornets, while Kading for Dublin.

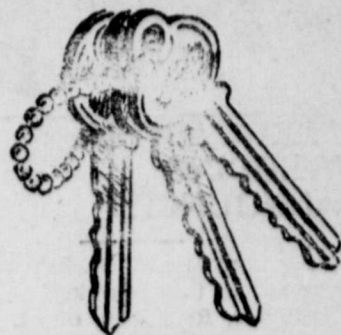
Lineups: Hornets, Necessary, Anderson, Davis, Ward and Patterson. Subs, Bone and Graham; Dublin, Straton, Logan, Brownlow, Tatum, Hallmark and Kading.

Harold says the girls won their tournament, where, what, how, or why, he didn't say.

In the opening game, Thursday at 2:30 the Hornets beat Justin 52-19, and the half time was 20-11. High point for he Hornes was Necessary and for Jusin, Knox.

Lineup for the Hornets was the same with these additional substitutes, Gilbreath, Blum and C. Davis.

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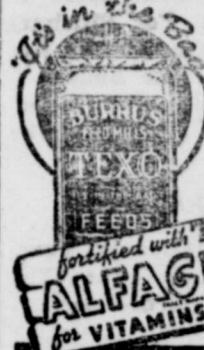


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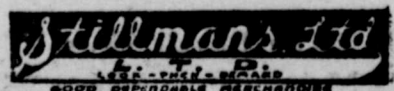
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