
This Is "Good Dope"
For Gatesville,
Or Any Town!

Here are highlights of Dr. Everett G. Smith's address at a recent Belton Chamber of Commerce banquet. We think you'll agree, it also applies to Gatesville, and, we quote, in part, what was in The Temple Daily Telegram.

"This life in Belton is all most of you will ever know; why not make it worth living by making Belton a city with a personality and character?"

"You have a mediocre town, no better and no worse than a thousand others. You love it because you're used to it, but you can make it something far better than that", said the University of Texas professor of marketing and transportation, and nationally known in his field.

"A city with a personality must DO something, and do it differently and well. The possibilities are endless. You might decide to have the best schools and teachers in Texas—or the lowest juvenile delinquency rate in the nation. You might paint every house in Belton white, or decide to carry out the name of your town by putting bells everywhere and ringing them together at set intervals. Perhaps you prefer to concentrate on leisure, devoting more time to family and friends, making Belton a city of gracious living.

"The thing is to decide on something worth doing and distinctive, and DO it. Your ideas will be better than mine. But get yourselves an idea and bring it to life. There's no other way to make your town a place you can really be proud to live in—and which others will be proud to come and live in."

Think it over!

Gatesville Chicken
Fanciers Win In
Brownwood Show

John Thomas Brown, showing his White Rock pullets and roosters, won 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, with his pullets, and 2nd with his rooster. John Thomas bought two Black Cochon chickens, a hen and a rooster.

Otha Johnson also won prizes, including 1st young trio, 2nd old trio, 2nd and 3rd cockrell, and 2nd and 4th hen. His are Cornish.

Alvin Clary, showing against 194 RI Reds, won 5th old pen, and Bobby Coward, winner of the Grand Championship in Gatesville show won 1st on his White Rock Cockrell. Some 450 chickens were shown.

Two Gatesville Boys
Entered In Houston
Fat Stock Show

Gatesville, or rather Coryell County, will be represented at the Houston Fat Stock Show and Livestock Exposition which opens on February 2, running thru the 13th at Sam Houston Coliseum in Houston.

Entering from this county are Dale White with 3 Duroc pigs, and A. J. Blanchard, with a Hereford which will be entered in the Boy's Fat Steer Show.

LAST ICE STORM, CAR
OVERTURNS NEAR OGLESBY.
NOBODY INJURED

Another difficulty of the ice storm of last week, was when a car overturned just east of the McLennan county line on U. S. 84, Monday night of last week.

The car, driven by Jack Frye of Gatesville, and the other occupants were Lester Frye, his brother, Harper Widser, Dave Howell and John Patterson.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

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Three Schools Sign For Consolidation: Meeting Held For Local People

Since the meeting with the Boards of Trustees of schools of Coryell County, for an explanation of the proposed annexation, three school have signed for the annexation.

These are Enterprise, Stringtown and Bigham, all known popularly as Carden, King and Ames. The meeting Friday noon for laymen of Gatesville was attended by some 75 or more, and they were shown the condition of the abandoned building and given the same explanation, as that given Tuesday night before to the Board of Trustees.

Both rural and town trustees have to consult their patrons on this matter and even though speed is most essential, still, it takes time to see people, and, added to this time is the present weather.

Two Returnees Due Here This Week: Funerals Not Announced Yet

S/Sgt. Floyd C. Marriott's body will arrive in McGregor early Tuesday morning or burial in Coryell County. We have no information on Sgt. Marriott, and funeral arrangements had not been announced Monday morning.

Pvt. Kirby D. Perryman's body will arrive early Wednesday morning, and as yet, no funeral arrangements have been made for his reinterment.

Since the above was written, funeral services or Sgt. Marriott will be held at Pearl Church, today at 3 p. m. and interment will be at Pearl Cemetery, Rev. Fred Janeway conducting the services, Morton Scott & Son, Funeral Directors, in charge. Whether or not it will be a military funeral was not announced.

One Case Started In District Court: Jurors Used In This Case

Veniremen called for District Court Monday morning were all examined, except 12, and they're the jurors in the case, the State of Texas vs Carl Glover, charged with theft of cattle. The case was in progress yesterday morning.

On the jury are R. L. Poo'e, Garland Sydow, W. C. Jones, Savoy Lawrence, S. J. Barnard, T. E. Bankhead, D. Allen Smith, Henry Maxwell, R. G. Davidson, Floyd C. Drake, and Zell Pruitt.

TODAY'S - - **AP** The Byline of Dependability

House of Reps Adjourns Again: Relative Of Legislature Dies at Archer City

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 24. (AP)—The House of Representatives adjourned today in respect to S. J. Horany, who was killed by a car in downtown Archer City today. He is the father of Representative Jimmy Horany.

The Senate confirmed the appointment of Robert S. Calvert as State Comptroller.

HERE WE GO AGAIN! IS THIS'N WORSE?

(By The Associated Press)

Snow Swept th ePanhandle, sleet and freezing rain chilled northwest Texas today, as the norther moved south. Warnings of a major flood of the Trinity were issued in Dallas.

Predictions of a low of 15 to 25 degrees in West Texas, except 5 below in the Panhandle, zero to 10 in the South Plains tonight.

Israeli-Egyptian Armistice Talks Are In Final Stages: Resumed at Rhoades

(By The Associated Press)

The Israeli-Egyptian Armistice talks are in the final stages and were resumed today at Rhoades.

The British government disclosed in London, the British cabinet approved the recognition of Israel.

From Paris, the French announced de facto recognition of Israel.

New China President Trying To Keep Order in Capitol: Orders Troops There

China's acting president Li Tsung-Jen is reportedly transferring 50,000 loyal Central Chinese troops to Nanking, to keep order in the capital.

In Peiping, the evacuation of Nationalist troops has been completed, and the Communistic capture of the city has been completed.

From Shanghai, wholesale withdrawals of Nationalist units from Shanghai, Nanking and Hangchow areas are reported.

Four Gatesville Boys Receive Golden Gloves Opportunity At Waco

Four Gatesville boys who recently entered the regional Golden Gloves tournament in Waco are Joe Ralph White, Dewey Meeks, Ranzell Meeks, and Rufus Maxwell. The tournament is being staged January 26-31.

CITY OF HEARNE TO BUY SURPLUS PIPE SUPPLY

The City of Hearne was authorized last week end to purchase a total of 8,445 feet of surplus pipe from the War Assets Administration. The pipe was secured from Camp Wallace at a discount of 40 per cent of appraised value, city officials said. It will be used by the city to connect the water supply utilized at the former prison.

"World's Largest 'Skeet'" Is Now Tagged: Sign Put Up This Week

Altho Coryell County has one thing, that, according to all available official records, is the largest thing of its kind in the world, yet, it was never marked.

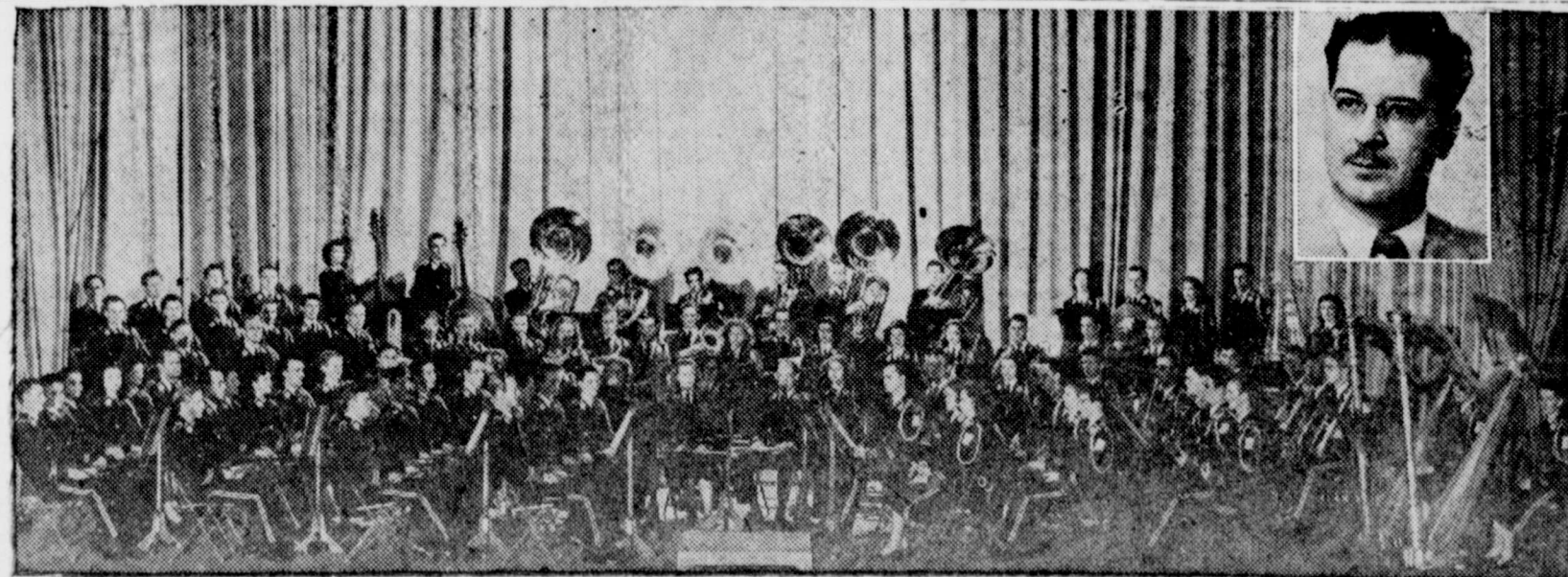
This week, a sign was placed near the tree announcing this fact, through the courtesy of Freeman Printing Plant and the Coryell County News.

Now, folks know they're not just passing just another tree!

Lee Anderson and Leonard Huff of Crawfordwere among the courthouse visitors Monday.

er of war camp to the city lines.

Salvaging of the pipe was begun immediately after the purchase, and delivery is expected in a few weeks.



North Texas State College's band, Monday, February 7, and will include a 90-piece band. The band appears at Cleburne the 6th, at the Texas Music Educator's Association conference in Galveston, February 10 and the Victoria Music Festival February 11 and 12.

N-e-w-s
Firsts!!

- Hospital News
- "Classifieds"
- Bicycle Derby
- Stork Derby
- Rodeo Edition
- GHS Edition
- Semi-Weekly
- Baseball Cup
- Softball Cup
- Golf Cup
- Golden Gloves
- Appliance Show
- Monthly Calendar
- Office Supplies
- In Own Building
- AP Newspaper
- Gallup Poll
- The Texas Poll
- Comic Section
- ABC Audit
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- NEA Member
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Marteen Sanders left Wednesday for the U. S. Navy, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanders of Gatesville.

Miss Greta Poston, formerly of Gatesville, is now employed here and is with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Catlin have returned from a two weeks marketing trip and visit to St. Louis.



TEEN

TALK:

You've got to have a heart to be a baby sitter, says Marion Lowndes, author of "A Manual for Baby Sitters" (Little, Brown). Her advice to the thousands of girls, boys grandmothers and ex-GI's who make spare money as sitters is to be the kind of a baby sitter they would want to employ for their own children.

Sitters she talked with said that what they would like under those circumstances is a kind, patient, understanding person who likes children.

Today, the author estimates some 20,000,000 children are too young to be left alone day or night. She finds them thoroughly dependent upon the sitter, whose duty is, to "keep them happy; keep them safe".

Some of these essentials of the art of baby sitting suggested by Mrs. Lowndes are:

Get the facts as to the number of children in the household before accepting the sitting.

Be prompt and dependable.

Bring your own sweater, watch, food if you think you'll need it.

Get all details on where to get help if a crisis arises. Know (1) the number where the parent can be reached; (2) the doctor's number; (3) how to call the police; (4) how to call the fire department.

Use burglar tactics in getting a layout of the house—you should know where light switches, telephone, clothes for the baby are located before the mother leaves.

Keep constant watch to guard against accidents. Do not administer medicines or take care of anything but the superficial cuts or injuries.

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Letting a baby cry, says Mrs. Lowndes. However, listen for a few minutes to discover whether it is a complaining cry or something more serious.

Play games with the young children keeping in mind that they are fascinated by everyday things such as clothespins, magazines, newspapers, seed catalogs, boxtops, soda straws, lumps of sugar, combs, knitting yarn, short ends of line, scratch pads, pencils, rubber bands, etc.

You've probably had attacks of insomnia so the idea of lying awake in bed doesn't appeal to you. Put yourself in the child's place then, who was put to bed before he was sleepy, and must lie awake in a dark room. Naturally, he'll find excuses to get up occasionally—he will call for water, ask to go to the bathroom, and dream up excuses at fifteen or twenty minute intervals. Mrs. Lowndes advises that he doesn't want to be a pest, he just can't relax.

Besides having all telephone numbers for emergencies, the sitter should learn how the stove works, how to regulate the heat, where diapers are kept, baby's feeding schedule, sleeping preferences, whether family pets are friendly.

And, in case of fire, kids, Mrs. Lowndes reminds you that your first duty is to the baby—never mind anything else until you have him safe. A house can be replaced, but you can't replace a baby.

Over 200 Hear Baptist Brotherhood Banquet Speaker Tuesday Eve

More than 200 men and boys filled and overflowed the Baptist Church Dining Room to enjoy Horace Jackson's "legal" venison brought down with a "Methodist blessed" shell.

And, another part of the "main dish" was a humorous talk by Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, President of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, who also gave one of his talks at the Lions Club, the following Wednesday.

Also, it was learned, that the First Baptist Church of Gatesville had started the First Brotherhood Banquets among Texas Baptists, another "first" for Coryell County.

Topsey Baptist Church

Program of the Fifth Sunday meeting to be held at Topsey Baptist Church, January 28-30, 1949.

Friday night, 7:30—Preaching Brother Autrey White.

Saturday, 10: a. m.—Discussion, "What is the Soul of Man"—Bro. Dock Landsey, Bro. B. W. Latham, Bro. Lorraine.

Noon—Lunch served on campus Saturday, 1:30 p. m.—"Is It Scriptural to Teach That Some Are Chosen and Predestined to be Saved From Hell and Some are Chosen and Predestined to be Eternally lost?"—Bro. B. C. Franklin, Bro. G. L. Derrick, Bro. Will Jackson.

Saturday night 7:30—Preaching by Bro. W. K. Taylor.

Sunday, 10:00 a. m.—Devotional by Bro. Cofma Lowell.

Sunday, 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Bro. W. T. Welch.

Noon—Lunch served on campus Sunday, 7:00 p. m.—Preaching by Bro. J. B. Rodgers.

SW Exposition and Fat Stock Show Opens In Cowtown Friday, Jan. 28

The latch string is out and all is in readiness for the opening of the 53d annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, Friday, January 28.

Half a million are expected for the 10-day show, 4,000 livestock entries are on hand from 15 states, the opening parade will be set at

2 p. m.; top hands will compete for \$50,000 and a new Olsen and Johnson "Laffacade of 1949" will be in the Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium, the 29th, 30th, and Feb. 2, 5, 6.

Hardy Blanchard left January 6, for the U. S. Army, he is to be stationed in South Camp Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Post of Tyler were visitors in Gatesville the past week end.

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The Texas Poll

The Statewide Survey of Public Opinion

By **JOE BELDEN**,
Director, The Texas Poll

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 22.—Sentiment for repeal of the poll tax showed a marked increase last year, but the movement at year's end still lacked support of the public.

Continuing to chart the course of public opinion on the poll tax question, The Texas Poll found 42 per cent favoring repeal in December 1948 as compared with only 33 percent in November 1947.

The latest survey confirmed previous findings of overwhelming opposition in Texas to federal action on the poll tax issue. Out of 1,000 adults interviewed, almost two-thirds expressed the view that the state, not Congress, should decide the question.



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Repeated surveys tend to show that public opinion often reflects current efforts of articulate leadership. Thus in May 1946 poll tax repeal appeared on the upgrade when it was popularized in the governor's campaign. Support for repeal subsided in 1947 when there was no apparent effort to uphold it. The movement then picked up speed last year when the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the American Legion, and other organizations threw their support behind it.

Public opinion was measured each year by The Texas Poll with these questions: "In your opinion, should Texas do away with or continue to have a poll tax?"

May 1946
Do away with.....40%
Continue to have.....55
No opinion 5

November 1947
Do away with.....33%
Continue to have.....57
No opinion10

December, 1948
Do away with.....42%
Continue to have.....51
No opinion 7

100%
"Who do you think should decide whether to have a poll tax—the United States Congress or each state individually?"

May, 1946
U. S. Congress.....31%
States66
No opinion 3

100%
November 1947
U. S. Congress.....29%
States61
No opinion10

SECRETARY OF STATE



Ben Ramsey of San Augustine has been sworn in as Secretary of State in Austin. The former state senator was sworn in by Judge Lloyd Davidson, Commissioner of the Court of Criminal Appeals, in the Governor's office and went to his new office to take over duties from outgoing Secretary Paul Brown of Harlingen. (AP) Photo.

BURNETT CITIZENS ASK NEW HIGHWAY IN SPRING

Burnett county citizens will ask the State Highway Commission for a formal hearing on a request for a designation of a new airline highway route between Burnett County and Fort Worth. The Highway Department also will be asked to inspect the proposed route, which extends from Burnett through Copperas Cove, Gatesville, Meridian and Cleburne. Assistance for the movement has been assured by both the Fort Worth and San Antonio Chambers of Commerce.—Valley Mills Tribune.

Coryell County Man Is Starting on "2nd Set" Cuts Lower Molar

Frank Simmons is our authority on this, but George I. Green is the man, and he told Mr. Simmons he was starting all over.

Just now 70, and with "store-bought" teeth for 20-years, Mr. Green had to have a part of the lower "set" knocked off to make room for this new 'un, a start on his "third set".

December, 1948	100%
U. S. Congress.....	28%
States	64
No opinion	3

100%
Governor Beauford Jester would make it lawful for all adults to vote without payment of a poll tax, but at the same time impose a "citizens tax" as a substitute source of revenue. This proposal may satisfy a number of people who otherwise would be reluctant to see the poll tax repealed.

However, it appears relatively clear that public opinion, until recently at least, has favored keeping the poll tax as a requirement to vote, not merely as a head tax. In March, 1948, The Texas Poll asked a statewide cross section of 1,000 adults, "Are you for or against the poll tax as a requirement to vote?" Fifty-one percent voted for, 39 percent against, and 10 percent expressed no opinion. These results are almost identical with the findings of The Texas Poll in December, 1948, when the question used was slightly different, as reported above.

The sample of Texans on which these results are based included Negroes, who were asked the questions by colored interviewers. The sample was further controlled by age, sex, socio-economic status, and place of residence of the respondents.

54th Annual Fiesta San Jacinto To Tribute Other Celebrations

Tribute will be paid to festivals and celebrations held thruout Texas when San Antonio stages its 54th Annual Fiesta San Jacinto in April.

Invitations are out to sponsoring organizations of local celebrations to send their "Jueens" or representatives to appear in a special selection of the illuminated night parade to be held Saturday night, April 23.

Information on entries may be secured from Reynolds Andricks, care of Fiesta San Jacinto Association, Insurance Building, San Antonio 5, Texas.

Baby Killed By Train Tuesday, January 11

Barbara Ann Frisby, 17-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Frisby, was instantly killed Tuesday, when she was struck by a Santa Fe train. The child was playing on the railroad tracks near her home.

Mrs. Frisby is the former Bobbie Jean Ward, daughter of Mrs. Cora Ward of Houston and sister of Mrs. Bailey Herring of Gatesville.

Senator "Son" Shofner Introduces Bill For Auto Registration

Senator W. A. (Son) Shofner of this district has introduced a bill for the establishment of permanent automobile registration offices in an estimated 500 small towns and rural communities, in addition to county seats and larger cities.

Well, it does mean more state employees, or, does it?
Reason, somebody has to wait in line for car license plates.

BEN IRVIN IS GUARDIAN OF GOLDEN SHEARS AT TEXAS WESLEYAN

Ben Irvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Irvin, formerly of Southton, has been named Guardian of the Golden Shears at Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth.

The honor is awarded to an outstanding student each week. Irvin is yell leader and a junior sociology major at TWC.

ADmits EMBEzLEMENT



Joe Allen Mason, 28, Reserve Army Captain, has admitted em-

Smokey Says:



DR. JOHN A. QUINN



Dr. John A. Guinn, superintendent of public schools at Alice, has been named president of San Angelo College. (AP) Photo.

WITH THE COLORS

GEORGE M. LOER IS PROMOTED TO CORPORAL IN AIR CORPS, JAPAN

Johnson Air Force Base, Tokyo, Japan—Announcement of the promotion to corporal of Eugene M. Loer, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Loer, Rt. 2, Gatesville, was made recently by Colonel Ray W. Cliton, Commanding Officer.

Cpl. Loer enlisted in the USAF January 3, 1948 and completed Basic Training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, and then graduated from Clerical-Typist school at Lowry Field, Denver, Colo.

In July, 1948, he was alerted for overseas duty and arrived in Japan the same month, and was assigned to this field.

bezzling more than \$10,000 from the First National Bank of Odessa, Texas, Harry Kimball, special agent in charge of the FBI in San Francisco, announced. Mason was arrested in San Francisco while awaiting transportation to Army duty in Japan. (AP) Photo.

Pvt. Lynn Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Phillips, has returned to duty in Fort Bragg, N.C.



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Evelyn Moore Is Bride of Wayland McBeth. In Waco January 11

Miss Evelyn Moore, daughter of Mrs. W. C. Moore, and the late Mr. Moore, became the bride of Wayland McBeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton McBeth, both parties of Gatesville, Tuesday evening, January 11, 1949, in a double-ring ceremony performed at the home of the officiating minister, Dr. Arthur E. Stout, in Waco.

The bride chose as her wedding costume a powder blue dress, and black accessories, with a corsage of white roses.

Mrs. McBeth is a graduate of Pearl High School, and is now employed by Skelton Brothers Theatres of this city.

Mr. McBeth served two years in the army of World War II, and also attended Gatesville High School. He is now employed with the Freeman Printing Plant in Gatesville.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. McBeth will be at home in Gatesville.

Bride-to-be Honored At Bridge Party Tuesday Afternoon, January 18

Mrs. R. W. Brown was hostess to a group of friends, with a bridge party, Tuesday afternoon, January 18, 1949, honoring Miss Patti Ruth Stewart, bride-to-be of Tommie Thomson of A and M College.

A color scheme of gold and white was carried out in the house decorations, with gold and white chrysanthemum forming a center piece for the dining table, and small flowers as center pieces for refreshment tables.

A salad course was served by the hostess to the following attendants: Mrs. E. L. Stewart, Mrs. H. K. Jackson, Jr., Mrs. John W. Reesing, Mrs. Frank Post, Jr., Mrs. Rembert Wooldridge, Miss Betty Jane Jones, Miss June Chamlee, and the honoree.

High score was won by Mrs.

Stewart and second high won by Mrs. John W. Reesing.

Newly-Weds And Bride-Elect Honored With Luncheon

Mrs. George B. Painter was hostess to a group of friends, Wednesday, January 19, 1949, honoring newly-weds, Mrs. R. D. Foster and Mrs. John W. Reesing, and bride-elect, Miss Patti Ruth Stewart, with a luncheon.

Following the luncheon, served from a table decorated with red berries and green leaves, the following guests spent the afternoon playing white elephant bingo: Miss Betty Jane Jones, Miss June Chamlee, Mrs. H. K. Jackson, Jr., Mrs. T. R. Williams, Mrs. Billie Nesbitt, Mrs. Dan Weatherby, Mrs. John T. Dyeche, Mrs. Rembert Wooldridge and the honorees.

A double-deck of playing cards was presented to the honorees by the hostess.

Miss Ruth Edwards And Emmitt McGuire Were Married Tuesday

Miss Ruth Edwards of Oglesby and Emmitt McGuire of Cameron were married Tuesday evening, January 11, 1949, at 7:0 o'clock. Rev. McKowen, pastor, read the vows at the Episcopal Church in Cameron.

The bride wore a lovely grey suit with dark green accessories and a shoulder corsage of gardenias. The couple was attended by Albert Lumkin and Bernice Cloud of Rockdale. Miss Cloud wore a gold colored frock with green accessories.

Mr. McGuire is manager at Haley's Dry Goods Department store in Cameron where he has many friends. He has been with the Haley stores for the past three years.

Mr. and Mrs. McGuire are making their home in Cameron.—The Cameron Herald.

Tucker Twins Honored On Ninth Birthday

Johnnie and Tommy Tucker, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Tucker were honored on their 9th birthday Friday, January 14, with a birthday party. The Valentine motif was carried out with valentines, balloons, and bubble gum given to each as favors.

Pimento cheese sandwiches, cookies and hot chocolate was served to the following little playmates: Garland Weeks, Glenda Weeks, Jorene Millsap, Peggy Millsap, Billy Wayne Millsap, Mat Jones, Joe Jones, Billy Ben Woodson, Mickey Huckabee, Danny Weatherby, Deanne Knight, Jacquelin Rice, Nelda Jean Stewart, Beverly Washburn, Wayne Pearce, Jackie Terrell, Rita Scripture, Bill McQuinton, Suzan Johnson.

Matrons Class Has Business Meeting Thursday In The Oscar Bunnell Home

The Young Matrons Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Oscar Bunnell Thursday evening, January 6th, for their monthly business meeting. Mrs. Polly Bunnell and Mrs. Frances Chambers were co-hostesses.

After a hymn, scripture reading and a prayer, the officers made their reports. Mrs. C. A. Morton taught a lesson from the book, "What Baptists Believe."

An interesting social hour was enjoyed and refreshments of toasted nuts, cake topped with cream and cherries, and punch was served to Mesdames Clarence Morton, Margaret Huey, Sammie Saunders, Blanche Chamlee, Eleanor Kindrick, Gussie Scruggs, Grace McMordie, Pauline Chambers, Vivian Bennett, Ethel Scott, Polly Bunnell, Frances Chambers, Ozell Dyess, Darene Day, Sybil Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and family of Monahans were week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Beane.

Barbara Kemp Is Bride Of Johnnie Gimble January 17th Ceremony

Miss Barbara Ann Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kemp of Gatesville, became the bride of Johnnie Gimble of Tyler, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gimble, of Tyler, in a double ring ceremony performed in the First Baptist Church, by the Rev. C. A. Morton, January 17, 1949.

The bride chose as her wedding costume a sky blue wool suit with Mrs. Gimble is a graduate of Gatesville High School, at the time of her marriage she was employed in Corpus Christi, Texas by the

Mr. Gimble was a graduate of Tyler High School, and served several years with the U. S. Army during World War II. He is now with the "Rhythmairs" of Radio Station KWBU, Corpus Christi.

After a short wedding trip to Waco and Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Gimble will be at home in Corpus Christi.

Miss Stewart Announces Her Wedding Party

Miss Patti Ruth Stewart, who will become the bride of Tom Post Thomson, January 30, 1949, in the First Methodist Church, Gatesville announces her wedding party as follows.

Serving as maid-of-honor Miss Carolyn Stewart, sister of the bride; bridesmaids, Miss Lola Beth Wright, Miss Betty Brann of Hamilton; best man, T. L. Copeland; ushers, Carl Gandy, Danny McClellan, Tommie Carlton, Billy Chamlee; organist, Miss Orpa Mayo, and soloist Mr. Billy C. McClellan.

Bride of January 30 Honored With Bridge Party Saturday

Miss Patti Ruth Stewart, and Mr. Tom Thomson, bride and groom of January 30, were entertained in the home of Mrs. L. M. Stinnett, Saturday evening, with a bridge party.

A delicious salad plate was served to the following young people: Mr. and Mrs. Hal Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Clay McClellan of Waco; Miss Martha Howell, Wade Herring, Mr. and Mrs. John Reesing, Mr. and Mrs. Byron McClellan, Billy Chamlee, and the honorees.

Following the refreshment hour bridge was played in which high score was won by Mrs. John Reesing.

Calling later in the evening were Mesdames Lila Holmes, Anna Belle Chamlee, Mr. and Mrs. Louis K. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Duncan and daughter of Dayton, Ohio, visited the past week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Sanders.

LEVITA CLUB MEETING

NEWS

The Club met January 19, at Mrs. Floy Miles, fifteen members were present. We had three visitors and one new member.

Mrs. Lula Mae Huckabee, we welcome her to our club.

The evening was spent in quilting. A stork shower was given to Mrs. John Snoddy. She received many nice gifts.

Refreshments of hot chocolate, coffee and cake was served.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Morgan, February 2, an all day meeting.

OBITUARY

LOUIS PERKINS TURNER IS BURIED AT RESTLAND: DIED HERE JANUARY 19

Louis Perkins Turner, 78, died January 19, 1949 at 2 p. m. at his home on Pidcoke Star Route, Gatesville. He was born February 5, 1871, and was married to Miss Ada Carrie Jonie Blackwell, June 22, 1892 of Lampasas county. His father was S. E. Turner of

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An Associated Press Feature

By SYLVIA

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May, '49—Central Texas Firemen's Convention
May 18-19—2nd Annual Texas Pure-Bred Sheep Show

Coffeenville, Miss., and his mother was the former Miss Sara Elizabeth Rounsaville of Miss. He was a member of the Baptist church.

Funeral services were held at Scott's Funeral Home, January 21, 1948, with Rev. W. O. Easter, conducting the service, interment was in Restland cemetery, Morton Scott & Son, Funeral Directors, in charge.

Surviving are Mrs. P. L. Turner, his wife, 3 sons, Guy of San Angelo, Fred of Los Angeles, Cal., and Rev. O. L. of London; 5 daughters, Mrs. F. J. McEvy, Los Angeles, and Mrs. Ora Derr of Whitman, Calif.; Mrs. L. W. Aldridge of Goldthwaite, Mrs. J. H. Wilkinson, Copperas Cove; Mrs. E. J. Sullivan, Los Angeles. 17 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. Also 3 brothers, Albert of Abilene, Lee of Gatesville, and Lane of Wichita Falls; 4 sisters, Mrs. E. L. Pass, Goldthwaite, Mrs. R. L. Sutton and H. Y. Phelan of Brownwood, and Mrs. Mattie Casbeer of Abilene.

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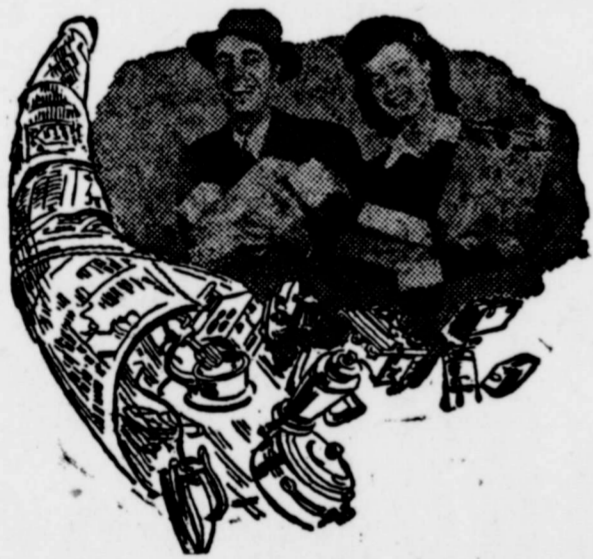
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TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS

Tallulah (Brockman) Bankhead, born January 31, 1903 at Huntsville, Alabama, daughter of the late William Brockman Bankhead, who became speaker of the House. Decided on a stage career at 14 and appeared in her first New York play at 16.

Louis Stephen St. Laurent, born

February 1, 1882, at Compton, Quebec, son of a French-Canadian village store keeper and Irish mother. Got his law degree from the University Laval in Quebec in 1905 and got a job as law clerk for \$50 a month.

Jascha Heifetz, born February 2, 1901 in Vilna, Russia, where his father played first violin in the local orchestra. At the age of 3, Jascha was taught to play a quarter-size violin.

Leland Stanford (Larry) MacPhail, born February 3, 1890 at Cass City, Michigan, son of an immigrant Scottish store keeper. His father became a banker while Larry became an outstanding athlete and student. At 14 the boy played the organ in the Episcopal church.

Ida Lupino, born February 4, 1918, in London where members of her family have been noted in the theatre since the 17th century. Allan Dawn, producing a film in England, gave her the lead at 15.

Margaret (Strum) Millar, born February 5, 1915, at Kitchener, Ontario, daughter of a coal yard operator and mayor. Her first stories appeared in the Kitchener Collegiate Institute, literary annual, one of whose editors was Kenneth Miller, a fellow student, to whom she was later married.

Irvin McNeil Ives, born January 24, 1896 at Bainbridge, N. Y., his schooling at Hamilton College was interrupted by World War I, in which he served as a first Lieutenant of infantry.

William Christian Bullitt, born January 25, 1891 in Philadelphia, son of a lawyer and scion of a wealthy family. A colleague once said "he rose from the rich". Yale graduate, newspaper man and career diplomat. Headed a secret mission in Russia in 1919.

Roy Chapman Andrews, born January 26, 1884 in Beloit, Wis., son of a druggist. At 9 he began to shoot and mount animals. Taxidermy paid his way through college. Offered to wash floors to get a job at the American Museum of Natural History in New York, which he is now executive director.

Edwin Olin Downes, born January 27, 1886 at Evanston, Ill., his parents wanted him to be a musician and started him in studies at the age of 8. When 20 he became a music critic. Started with The Boston Post at \$6 a week.

Auguste and Jean Felix Piccard, twins, born January 28, 1884 in Basle, Switzerland, sons of a professor of chemistry. Both chose careers in science and teaching. Both were early enthusiasts in balloon aeronautics. Made a 16 hour flight together in 1913.

Allen Balcom Dumont, born in Brooklyn, January 29, 1901. This pioneer in television became interested in electricity and wire-

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JESTER SIGNS FOR TOURNEY
Governor Beauford H. Jester takes time off to register as a contestant for the \$10,000 Texas Citrus and Vegetable Open, slated February 24-27 at Harlingen. Signing up the state's chief executive for the golf tournament is Lt. Governor Allan Shivers of Mission, who is vice-president of the Texas Citrus and Vegetable Growers and Shippers, the organization sponsoring the winter golf tournament. (P) Photo.

How To Lick Fire: Accept Responsibilities Which Are Our Own

It is universally hoped that this year will witness real progress in the battle to reduce fire waste. The professionals—the people and the organizations whose job is to blueprint the mechanics of fire prevention—are better organized than ever before. Under the aegis of the President of the United States, state committees have been established to deal with fire problems locally. And every effort has been made to enlist the active support of the public in this great endeavor.

One very necessary step is for American communities, down to the smallest, to accept the responsibilities which are properly theirs. A very large proportion of our building codes, for instance, are hopelessly obsolete. In many other cases, good codes are meaningless because of lack of enforcement. During the war and for a time thereafter, material and labor shortages made it difficult and in some cases impossible to maintain high standards in this field. That situation no longer exists, and safe construction—along with the elimination of existing fire traps—is now possible and essential.

It is undoubtedly true that many fire departments are in need of overhauling—both as to personnel and equipment. Money spent for this purpose is the best possible community investment. When a town is too small to operate a department of its own, it can often secure centrally located facilities. The way to lick fire is to build up strong physical defenses against it—and then carry the gospel of fire prevention into every home and place of business. Let's make 1949 the year in which that is accomplished.

less while still in elementary school, when illness restricted him. At 14 he was a licensed telegraph operator. Became an electrical engineer and developed the cathode-ray tube which became the keystone of television and radar.

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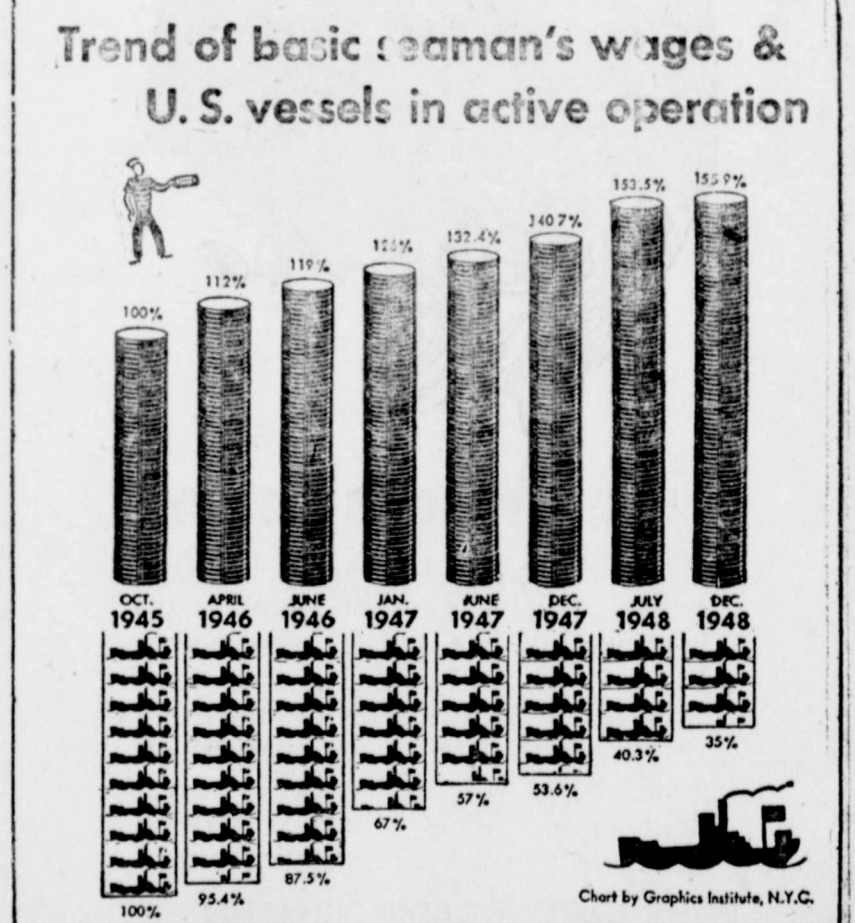
"Stop For Music" gets under way January 31, featuring Kern Tips, commentator and sportscaster, in a program sponsored by Humble Oil & Refining Co., Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at 7:15.

These programs will be heard over 15 stations, closest to Gatesville and Coryell County will be KRLD, Dallas; KTRH, Houston; or KABC, San Antonio.

Mrs. Bill Daniels is now nursing in the Corsicana hospital.



TEXAS LEGISLATORS
Senator Tom Connally (D-Tex.), House Speaker Sam Rayburn (D-Tex) and Attorney General Tom Clark (left to right) converse at the Texas state society reception in Washington. (A) Photo.



Since VJ Day there has been a steady increase in the wages of American seamen, which has been accompanied by a decline in the number of ships in service. In October, 1945, an able-bodied seaman received an increase of \$45.00 to put his basic wage at \$145.00 a month. Then there were 4,500 ships in operation, according to the American Merchant Marine Institute. In December, 1948, after seven wage increases, an AB was receiving \$226.01 a month, not including overtime pay. By that time the active fleet had shrunk to approximately 1,600 ships.

Deaf and Dumb, Publishes Paper

DUPREE, S. D. (AP)—A newspaper publisher who can neither hear nor speak? Yes, there's one. He's E. L. Schetnan of Dupree's West River Progress, a balding homesteader in his early 60's. He done well in his uphill fight. He came to this country as a penniless Norwegian immigrant boy. He was stricken almost immediately after arriving with spinal meningitis which deafened him permanently within 15 minutes. Thus handicapped and alone in a strange land, he managed to learn English while washing dishes for a livelihood.

He entered a school for the deaf in the lowest class, and was graduated two years later at the head of his class. For two years he studied journalism at St. Olaf's College, at Northfield, Minn., took one of the first homesteads in this area, and 27 years ago acquired his own newspaper. Loss of hearing and consequent impairment in speaking is not so great an obstacle to newsgathering as many persons might surmise, Schetnan scribbled to an interviewer. "I always carry a pen and a reporter's pad, am not abashed over asking people for news. Since everyone knows me and I know everyone within 50 files, newsgathering is a lark."

No one ever has accused him of misquoting. He has all remarks down in his sources' own handwriting.

Inauguration Day A Big Event In The History Of A Nation's Customs

The Inauguration of a President is one of our great and colorful customs. Politics and partisanship are, for the moment at least, forgotten. The President is sworn in as chief magistrate of all the people, and all the people join in wishing him wisdom and success in carrying out the most onerous task that can be given to any man. On inauguration day, multitudes of people from all parts of the country converge on Washington to see the spectacle and to hear their President's message. The trip to the capital is a high moment in their lives. Few of us give the matter thought, but getting those people there, providing them with shelter, and taking them home, is a sizable undertaking. When Jefferson—the first President to take the oath in Washington—was inaugurated, contemporary accounts spoke of a "vast concourse" lining Pennsylvania Avenue. Actually, there were about a thousand observers.

The recent inauguration show is estimated at more than a million visitors and observers for the gigantic affair.

Quite a contrast between the attendance record of the first inauguration in Washington and the 1949 inauguration.

FROM THE GRANDSTAND

By Wilbur Martin
Associated Press Staff
There's a better chance to break into baseball now than ever before.

"A youngster has a better chance of sticking and going up, too", says Milton Price, president of the West Texas-New Mexico league.

Price's class C circuit is a haven for rookies. And some top notchers have come out of this plains league.

"You get sounder coaching in formative stages," Price said. "American Legion, organized sand lot play and high school baseball have made it easier for a fellow to get the fundamentals from men who really know the game."

"There are more leagues now than ever before. That means there is a better chance of getting into organized baseball, and it means you've got a better chance to go up."

Price thinks that baseball has come out of its "depression slump" in fine style.

"There's been a great reawakening of interest in kids wanting to play pro ball," said Price. "Back ten or fifteen years ago it was a different story."

Addition of high school baseball to the Texas Interscholastic league program is going to be an even greater boom, Price thinks.

"A youngster who's playing high school, American Legion or sandlot baseball now needn't worry about someone finding him for pro baseball. There are 15 scouts today for every one 15-years ago."

Or as one veteran baseball observer put it:

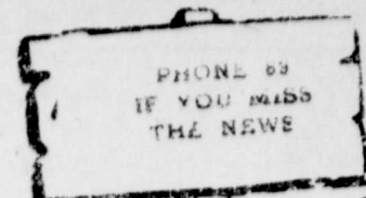
"A guy who can play baseball now can go hide under the bed and find a scout with a contract waiting for him there."

DIAMOND DUST: Texas is one of ten states selected for the National Association of Professional Baseball's Coaching clinic plan... from three to six major league players will be on hand at each of these clinics to instruct high school and sandlot coaches... A goodly number of class AA and AAA minor league teams will hold spring training in Texas this year... overtures are also being made to major league clubs... baseball is a complicated business... so complicated that the minor league boss, George Trautman, has instituted a school for club owners

and business managers.

Barney Morgan has returned from a Waco hospital and is improving after an operation there.

Curtis Morgan of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, was a week end visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis J. Morgan.



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CLOVER FARM COFFEE	VACUUM PACK	lb. 49c
OSCAR MEYERS		
BAR-B-CUED BEEF OR PORK, can		49c
WINTER VALLEY		
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 2 6 3-4 oz. Cans		07c
MARGARINE, Table Grade,		lb. 27c
ARMOUR'S		
Pure Lard, 3-lb.		59c
BANNER		
Sliced Bacon, lb.		49c
HOT BAR-B-CUE		
AND TAMALES		
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TORTILLAS, 10		15c
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- Crude bauxite
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- Coal

MOVIES

PALACE

Last Day Today
NO MINOR VICES

Dana Andrews
Louis Jordan
Jane Wyatt

Wednesday and Thursday

HIRE WIFE

Virginia Bruce
Rosalind Russell
Bryan Aherne

REGAL

Last Day Today
HILLS OF HOME

Edmund Gwenn
Donald Crisp
Janet Leigh

Wednesday and Thursday

LETS LIVE A LITTLE

Heddy Lamar
Robert Cummings
Anna Sten

RITZ

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
Double Feature

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Kirby Grant
Fuzzy Knight

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secret Jap films.

Local Sextet Defeated Midway Girls 36-25 Here Wednesday

(By Hammil)

The Golden Girls defeated the Midway sextet in a seemingly easy game last Wednesday afternoon at the local gym.

The locals obtained a slight lead in the first quarter 10-7, brought it up to 21-10 in the second and 27-18 in the third, when the final dust cleared away the count was 36-25 for the Golden Girls.

A. Santo chalked up 11 points for the opposition while Blackman looped in 14 tallies for the locals. Starters: Midway—Kirk, D. Santo, Allen, Russell, Williams. Gatesville—Martin, Nottingham, Necessary, Lengefeld, McCarver, and Blackman.

Gatesville 'B' Quint Bows to Bulldog Five Friday Night 25-23

(By Hammil)

It was a fight from the beginning to the end with no holds barred, and started as basketball, and roughened up a bit, the longer it went.

The Hornet 'B' club started bad, with the Pups holding them to 3 points the first quarter, while they themselves, only got 6.

At the half, she was nearly tied, The Junior Hornets being ahead 12-11, and this same advantage was held thru the 3d, when it got to 20-19, and then, the Pups came back to put it on ice 25-23.

Hall and Franks tied or high with 4, while Stevens got 9 for the visitors.

Starters for the Hornets were: Painter, Apel, McCarver, Davidson and Hightower.

GHS Hornets Win Over McGregor Bulldogs By Double Score 48-24

(By Hammil)

Gatesville improved their chances of getting the 19-A crown for their 8th consecutive year, by downing McGregor 48-24, Friday night.

The highflying Gatesville Hornets took wing in the first quarter and didn't come down till the final whistle.

In the first, they surged ahead, and the period ended 15-3, and McGregor eased up on them at the half, when it was 28-18.

In the third, the fans saw real defensive work, and the Hornets offensive clicked, making the tally at the end 40-22.

The Bulldogs tightened in the 4th, allowing the locals only 8 points, and the Hornets showed some nice loor work, the high pointers being Lechler for the Bulldogs with 8, and Bradley dropped in 18 for the locals.

Anderson and Davidson stood out for the locals, and Davidson nicked the basket for 10.

Starters: McGregor—Lechler, Harding, Fletcher, Riley, Guinn. Gatesville—Knapp, Davidson, Roberts, Bradley, Anderson.

GHS Hornettes Stop Turnersville Buffalettes 21-13 Friday Evening

(By Hammil)

GHS Hornettes stopped Turnersville Buffalettes at the local gym Friday evening 21-13, in a close ought battle, which saw the locals get a nice lead in the first period, add a little each quarter, but slowing up in the 4th. By quarters, her it is: 8-4; 12-6; 17-10 and 21-13.

Nichols turned in 7 points for the visitors, and Lengefeld accounted or 11 for the locals. Nottingham was a star on defense for the locals.

Pearl Athletic Reporter Briefs Two Games With Turnersville

The games were played at Turnersville Thursday night of last week, and here are the results, which of course, we were very glad to get.

"Pearl Dragons 48, Turnersville Buffaloes 37.

"Pearl Dragonettes 33, Turnersville Bufolettes 47."

Reporter could we have high point, score at quarters, and outstanding defensive players of the other teams. It'd help you, and we, too.

Thanks a million—no, billion, this, the year of our Lord, 1949, when everybody speaks in billions

Visitors with the W. C. White's the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wittie of Shreveport, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Holt of Waco. Harmon Wittie, formerly in the USAF at Roswell, New Mexico, AAF, has been transered to Fort Worth.

Speaker Rayburn Meets a Texan



Linda Brown of San Antonio, March of Dimes Poster Girl, makes herself at home on the desk of Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn in the Capitol at Washington. She greeted the Speaker after opening the 1949 Fight Infantile Paralysis drive during a call on President Truman in the White House. Linda is holding the Speaker's pipe and his pencil.



GHS Hornets had little or no trouble downing McGregor's Bulldogs and annexing their third conference victory. Gatesville will be playing the West Trojans for the loop crown, barring upsets, as the Trojan's stopped La Vega's quint 37-25.

If the Hornets get the District Crown this year it will be their 8th consecutive year. They still have Clifton, Waco Tech and McGregor for second games, and Clifton and McGregor are "on the road" and Waco Tech is here on Friday February 4.

The Hornets' next District contest is with the Clifton Cubs in Clifton, and they have a win from this club, but being "at home" is always an advantage to the "home" teaf.

So far the Hornets, it is certainly not all "peaches and cream" yet awhile.

Before this games: the Hornets and Hornettes went to Bynum last night, and that is a girl's basketball strong hold. These are practice games, and nothing is known of the Bynum boys, but the girls usually have a first rate club.

In their McGregor appearance Friday night, the Hornet passing was some better, and so was the ball handling, too many long shots were made, partly due to some nice guarding by the Bulldogs.

The Hornettes looked better in the Turnersville Bufolette contest Friday night, and more'n likely will be gunning for the Jonesboro aggregation, who are probably the leaders on the weaker side of basketball in Coryell.

The 'B' Hornets were the reason GHS didn't make a clean sweep Friday night, as they went down under the Junior Bulldogs 25-23, in a close one.

Mrs. Lewis Bone drove her mother, Mrs. R. G. Phillips over to Waco, where she will leave from there for Beaumont, to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Davis.

Eugene Witt, student of Houston University, was a week end visitor with his parents and friend in Gatesville.

Farm Facts



1. The Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company has found that chicks do best when they are started at a temperature of 90°. This temperature should be dropped 5° a week until it is down to 60° where it should be held as long as the chicks need heat.

2. Yes, provided that the cow has inherited the ability to produce large amounts of milk. Milk secretion is continuous, and when the udder is filled to capacity the nutrients for making milk return to the body. By milking more often, more milk is made.

3. A germ, Hemophilus gallinarum, which gains entrance into the nasal chambers is considered the primary cause of this disease. In the milder form the disease may be unnoticed. In more severe cases, accompanied by sneezing and gasping, there may be numerous deaths, and affected birds may go off feed and gradually "waste away."

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

J. O. Powell of Palestine visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jackson the past week end.

Constable Billie Wheat of McGregor was an official visitor in Gatesville Monday.



PORTRAIT PRESENTED

George W. Barnes (with hat) and

Dr. J. C. Miller of Texas A and M College's department of animal husbandry look at a portrait of

Barnes as it was presented to the school. It will hang in the halls of the Animal Industries building

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