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## COURTHOUSE NEWS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

V. H. O'Hair to Sedwic Lee Warren, 160 a. M. A. Wilson Preemption survey and 4 a. H. F. Eddyington Pre-emption surveys. \$6,000.00.

M. E. Taylor et ux to H. A. Taylor, 13/16 a. James Hollingsworth survey, city of The Grove, \$340.

Thomas Glass et ux to E. F. Stuteville, 106-2/3 a. L. B. Weeden survey, \$6,500.00.

R. W. Burt et ux to Gilbert Colvin, 1 a. Preston P. Allen survey, \$75.00.

mings, 1 a. Wm. Suggett survey, \$1,500.00

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E. B. Baker vs Margaret Pearl

Three Communities Have Completed Red Cross Quotas: More Due

their Red Cross Quotas, accord-Cross, and Mrs. C. W. McConnau- ment and livestock.

Izora's quota was \$35; Ater, \$10; C-47 Crashed In and Woodward \$30.

A. and P. Fine In Anti-Trust Guilt Upheld by Court

CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—(A)—The U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals toviction of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co. and 24 officers and subsidiary companies on anti-trust charges.

Pat Wright of John Tarleton Forrestall's Resign Junior College, Stephenville, was

FOR THESE EVENTS 1949

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

#### Helicopters & Liaison Planes Feature Hood Parade, Saturday

"Windmills" and "Hedge-hoppers", that is, helicopters and liaison planes will be features of a review Saturday morning at Camp Hood when the "Hell on Wheels' 2nd Armored Division Artillery units and others parade.

The public is invited to see these and the 105mm and 155mm howitzers, also.

Rose Ella McCoy of Baylor is spending the week end with her W. H. Chambers to A. N. Cum- parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McCoy

Business visitors in San Antonio recently were H. K. Jackson, Geo. B. Painter and Byron McClellan.

#### The Byline of Dependability Prison Revamping Bill

Sent To Jester AUSTIN, March 3. (A)-The Altho the drive is just under Foundation Bill in the prison reway, Ater, Woodward and Izora vamping plan passed by the House are the first to go over the top on has been sent to the Governor, Beauford H. Jester. The vote w ing to information from the Cory- 132 to 1, and would appropriate ell County Chapter, American Red \$4,196,075 for new buildings, equip-

Old Mexico

DEL RIO, March 3. (AP)-Sheriff A. E. Steinmetz said the missing C-47 crashed in the Colorado Mts. south of here in Mexico. All nine aboard were killed. The plane has been missing several days on a fight from Hamilton Field, Coloday unanimously upheld the con- rado, to Kelly Field. It was last reported over Wink, Monday

Truman Expected to Ok

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 3. a week end visitor with her pa- (P)-President Harry S. Truman rents, Mr. and Mrs. Buryman was expected to accept Secretary Wright. She is on the honor-roll Forrestal's resignation. Informants for the first semester of her Fresh- said it would probably be announced at the afternoon news conference.

> Otto Prince Case Goes To Jury

DALLAS, March 3. (AP)-The case of Ollie Otto Prince, 44, charged with bank robbery, went to the jury today. Prince, a Corsicana cattle man and used car dealer, charged with August 11 robbery of the Rice State Bank. A lone gun man took \$4,002.

City Pappys Due To Race April 5: Three Places Are In Question

April 5 is the dae for the City Election, and it's more than likely to be a tame affair.

Alderman, Ward 1, now held by Bob Arnold, Alderman Ward 2, City Treasurer, now held by Dawson Cooper, are the places in ques- ment in San Angelo.

So far, no announcements have been forthcoming-please!

#### "History Of Neff Park" Is Out: Written By Frank Simmons

Out now, is the 62-page "History of Mother Neff State Park" written by Frank E. Simmons of the Rice and expenses to come to For June 8-9-10-11 Oglesby, and published by Freeman Printing Plant of Gatesville.

The book, illustrated with pictures of the present Mother Neff Memorial Park, has "place history" "family history" and other lore

Lila Beth Fowler of Baylor is isiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Rankin spent Press, Texas Press Associ- last Sunday in the home of her ation, National Editorial father, Mr. C. F. Angell, of Cameron, who celebrated his eightysecond birthday.

to be doing nicely.

Renewed your subscription?

Melvin Hemphill and His Father Guests of Lions: Agriculturists Speak

Both Seth Turner of Purmela, whose calf "Mysie", a 1,200-pound cis Rutherford Post, Veterans of Copperas Cove 4-H boy were to was held and Dave McCallister be guests at Wednesday's Lions was named Post Commander of now held by Wendell Lowrey, and Luncheon. Turner could not be the organization. there, due to a previous engage-

> calf up with careful care and feed- Service Officer. ing. That after the first sale in Houston, the calf sold for \$8,500 GVFD Names Rodeo to the Variety Clubs, and then Turner was given \$100, a room at Houston and show his calf at the

that will be of interest to Coryell gold medal for his leadership in ness here for 1949. Countians, and ex-Coryell Coun- 4-H work in the county, and Mr. leadership among 4-H boys in the ond week in June, as usual. County.

#### VO-AG INSTRUCTOR SUG-GESTS PACKING PLANT

J. J. Bates, Vocational Agricul- to see what might happen. ture instructor brought up the ell County, and said folks at relatives at Grand Falls. Bud Cook has returned home Mound were very anxious in havthere.

> tive Agriculture Committee of the Vo-Ag. teacher. Lions Club to look into this, as.

New Officers Named For VFW At Recent Meeting: McCallister Commands

At a recent meeting of the Francalf at that, and Melvin Hemphill, Foreign Wars, election of officers

Others elected included: Ray Hollingsworth, Senior Vice-Com-County Agent W. P. Graham mander. Carl Drake, Junior Vicetold of his part of the thrill of Commander; Garland Sydow, Seth's calf winning the Grand Quartermaster; J. E. Sellers, Ad-Championship at the Houston show jutant; Elsworth Hinesley, Trusand he and Turner brought the tee; Carl McClendon, re-elected as

# Guides: Big Show Billed

GVFD (got the initialitis) is Weingarten Stores for a few days. Gatesville Volunteer Fire Depart-Hemphill, who is no mean calf ment. They've named a Rodco raiser, won the County with his Committee consisting of Raymond calf, one of five he has fed out. Ward, Dr. Otis C. Ray, and Crawand was presented with a solid ford Scott, to head the rodeo busi-

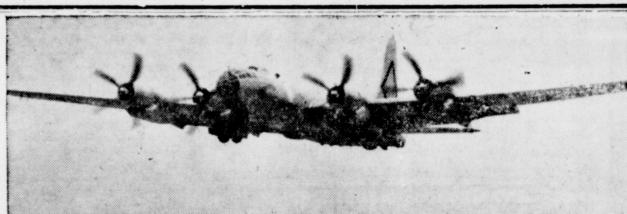
The events will be held here Graham said he showed the most this year, June 8-9-10-11, the sec-

Nothing, so far, has been done, except the naming of the committee, but they're "feeling around"

question of a "packing plant" for John Blanchard and family were fruits, melons, peas, etc., for Cary- Sunday and week end visitors of

from the hospital and is reported ing a fruit packing shed or plant he's had experience, and it makes money for the farmer, business-Mr. Bates urged the very inac- man, and everybody, even the

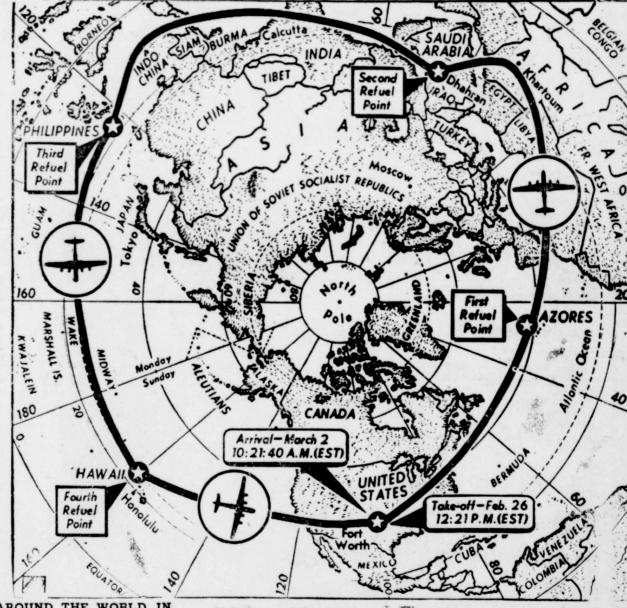
Mr. Bates has got something!



B-50 STARTS AROUND THE WORLD NON-STOP FLIGHT

The U. S. Air Force's Boeing Texas, February 26 on the start of leased March 2 by the U. S. Air B-50 suerfortress, "Lucky Lady II" its round-the-world, non-stop flight Force. (P) Photo.

is shown as it took off from Cars-1 The plane returned to Fort Worth well Air Force Base, Fort Worth, March 2. This picture was re-



AROUND THE WORLD IN FOUR DAYS

Map traces general route of the Airforce B-50 bomber, Lucky Lady II, on the four-day non-stop

flight around the world completed flight of more tha 23,000 miles in the air at four points on the Photo Map.

March 2, 1949. The bomber, car- from Carswell Field, Fort Worth, rying a crew of 14, was refueled Texas, around the world. (AP) Wire

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Jess Powell of Palestine spent and Mrs. Tom Powell.

Mrs. J. W. Hill of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Poston in Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pennington were Sunday visitors to Waco.

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the week end in the home of Mr. -CCN-

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#### Easter Sunrise Service

The Easter Pageant Board of the Wichita Mountains Easter Sunrise Service "appreciates" our running this item, and advises the Hallmark Production Company of Wilmington, Ohio will mail us news releases 'and they'll have "The World Premiere of "The Lawton

They're receiving donations of from \$5 to \$1000, and would take more, for this pageant and the address is Wichita Mountains Easter Pageant 4071/2 D Avenue, Lawton, Oklahoma and proceeds go to the Easter Pageant for its perpetuation.

#### Don McNeill and Breakfast Club

Yeah, they advise, thru Don McNeill Enterprises, Inc that they will be in Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston on "PA's" and

you can see'em for a fee plus tax. One man in the bunch was a McGregor citizen for 15 years, and he's Franklyn Ferguson, who with his family moved to California when he was 15.

Don't know how they're travelin' but The News has invited them to come thru Gatesville enroute from Fort Worth to San Antonio. Now we ain't sure they'll do it. May be flyin'.

#### Toni's To Have Twin Girls In Austin, Third

Toni Twin Carnival arrives in Austin March 3, and they thought you'd like to know it, so they sent us three or four publicity 'blcrbs'. They olso make Fort Worth. Incidentally, they are looking for good lookin' twin sisters. If you're that way, go to Austin or Fort Worth. No tellin' where you might go from there if you "click". We invited them to come thru Gatesville, too.

They say you can't tell which has the Toni. We wouldn't know, either Toni had a "double-truck" in Life, but not an inch in The News. That's their hard luck.

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Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook Presented In Recital By Gamma Alpha Chapter

sented Miss Mamie Sue Halbrock netian Love Song, Nevin. in an organ concert Monday even- The members who were present ing, February 21, at the Method- to enjoy the occasion were Mes- ficers for 1949 were named. They ist church. Miss Halbrook yas dames E. S. Bennett, C. D. Boyer, are: President, Mrs. Ray Hollings- Rev. J. W. Sprinkle, Lester Britassisted by Miss Wanda Stephens, O. K. Brown, Eva Duncan, Carl worth. Senor vice-president, Mrs. ain, Kit Carson, Roy Pennington, judged a series of photographs of controlled a student of Robert Hop. contralto, a student of Robert Hop- Eubanks, Allen Gannaway, Ethel Carl Chambers; Junior vice-president, Mrs. ain, Kit Carson, Roy Pennington, radget Pennington, rad kins of Baylor University.

Stephens:

Serenade, Braga; Ave Maria, Bach rora Yongue, Mollie Montgomery. Gounod; Melodie Celeste, Koschat; Wanda Stephens.

Have in Jesus, Converse. My Heart a delicious plate consisting of Voice of Jesus Say, Rathbun.

Stephens.

Kammennoi, Ostrow, Rubenstein Meditation from Thais, Massenet; Post 2556 met in the home of Mrs. The Gamma Alpha Chapter pre- Quartet from Rigoletto, Verdi; Ve-

given by Miss Halbrook and Miss Bigham, Ernie Carroll, Wilhelmina Mrs. Carl Drake; 2nd year Trustee, Carswell. Cayce, Mamie Sue Halbrook, Bess Mrs. Lloyd Ivy; 3rd year Trustee Meditation, Morrison; Angel's Holmes, Maude Alyce Painter, Au- Mrs. Sybil Price.

Eye Hath Not Seen, Gaul; Miss Earl Hite, Lewis Holmes, E. S. April 4, 1949. Bennett, Byron Leaird, and Misses Halelujah Chorus from the Mes- Maude Alyce Painter and Bess PTA Organization Has siah, Handel; What a Friend We Holmes acting as hostesses served

Ever Faithful, Bach; I Heard The open-face sandwiches, mixed nuts, mints and Russian Tea to Chapter Down in the Forest, Ronald; members and two hundred guests.

#### V. F. W. Post 2556 Met Thursday Night

the regular fonthly meeting.

After the beusiness meeting, of-

A social was held after the meet-The Social Committee: Mesdames ing which was adjourned until

## Regular Meeting Feb. 17

The regular meeting of the P. T. A. was held in the Junior High Floyd Ziegler introducing the pro- and Mrs. W. R. Haase. gram numbers.

Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook, director of the High School Choral Club lead the program with the following songs: "Listen to the Lam" and "All Glory to God", af- HONOR ROLL FOR FALL ter which Mr. Earl Hite gave the devotional on "The Home a Unit for the Developing of Emotional Time".

A nominating committee was apwhich will be elected by the body the student body. for the coming year.

Paxton, president of the Home-erage of "B" or higher. making class called the group for an ipen-house, serving coffee, cookies and congealled salad.

Next meeting will be held on everyone is urged to attend.

#### MENS BIBLE CLASS ENJOYS HAM SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Copeland entertained the "8:30 Mens Bible The Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Class" and their wives, of the First Methodist Church, with a roast ruary 25th.

Miller home, those attending were: as a prize. being much appreciated and en- Genella Post, W. F. Stiles, Clois Mrs. Pat Hollingsworth; Guard, Roach, Frank McCoy, also Dawson fornians. joyed by the guests of the Chapter, Stone, Ruby McKelvy, Ollie Little, Mrs. Sam White; Secretary, Mrs. Cooper, John Gilmer, Geo. Willi-The following numbers were Maude Jones, Misses Elizabeth Paul Bromser; 1st year Trustee, ams, Jerry Freddie and Jack eyes determined the winners in

#### GARDEN CLUB TO MEET MONDAY MARCH 7th.

Mrs. D. R. Boone will be in charge of the program of the Garden Club which meets in the Community CVlub House Monday, the seventh day of March, 1949 at 3:00 o'clock.

A devotional on "Growing Wild Flowers" will be given by Mrs. 1 School building, February 17, Mrs. C. A. Morton, Mrs. S. J. Powell,

Serving the group as hostesses will be Mesdames M. D. King, Otis Ray, Jeff Bates, M. H. Shepherd. \_N-

#### JACK MAYBERRY MAKES AT SWTSTC, SAN MARCOS

Jack Mayberry of Gatesville is among the 333 students at Southwest Texas State Teachers College listed on the fall semester pointed to nominate new officers, honor roll, representing 18% of

Students are placed on the honor For the social hour Miss Alice list if they have an academic av-

Rev. and Mrs. Jan McMurry of Atlanta, Ga., are expected to be back in Gatesville around April 5. Saint Patricks Day, March 17 and They will be visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kendrick.

#### Mrs. B. W. Lee Wins In National Contest, "You Judge The Rabbits"

In a national contest conducted Carl Chambers Tuesday night for ham supper, Friday evening, Feb- by the Ralston Purina Co. Saint Louis, Mrs. B. W. Lee of Gates-The supper was in the Roger ville, won a magazine subscription

Contestants, including Mrs. Lee, Goodall, Earl Hite, Lewis Holmes, dent, Mrs. Cecil Pearce; Treasur-die Conlin's, H. B. Franks', H. C. such as New Zealand Whites, Miss Halbrook played with skill E. J. Huddleston, Frank Jones, er, Mrs. Teddy Music; Chaplain, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, J. R. Champagne D'Argents, Chinchillas, Huckaby, R. M. Arnold's, Huckab and precision, and the program Byron Leaird Jr., John Milner, Mrs. K. W. Wiggins; Conductress, Colgins' Jr., Ollie Little, Jack Dutch, English Angoras and Cali-

Knowledge of rabbits and sharp the contest.

Mrs. Lee assists her husband, and they have a "rabbitry" near Gatesville, and sell rabbit fur and

#### Seems Like The Trend Is Tabloids & Semi-Weeklies In These United States

Thought you'd like to know, but it seems, the trend in newspapers in these United States is to just what you're getting in the News. Semi-weeklies and Tabloids (5column newspapers).

Here's a few, Wake Weekly, printed at Zebulon, N. C., where the Zebulon Record is also printed tabloid, but weekly; Sugatuck Commericia-Record, tabloid; Pendleton Times, of West Virginia, tabloid; The Fulton Democrat, at McConnelsburg, Pa., changed to tabloid; Moore County News, semiweekly, will get out a Sunday edition. It's at Dumas, Texas.

The Powell Tribune, at Powell, Wyoming, has gone from weekly to semi-weekly, and The Jackson Saturday Evening Star, has gone from 7 columns to tabloid; The Indian River News at Sebastian, Florida, has gone from an 8 to 16page tab; and so has the Crescenta Valley Ledger, at Crescenta Valley, California, and too, the Lompoc Record, Lompoc, California has changed from a weekly to a semi-weekly.

And, the Itawamba County Times, at Fulton, Mississippi, got out a 44-page Christmas edition in tabloid form.

We could go on, and on, and on, and probably will. This looks like it!

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Miss Kate Huber is visiting in Decatur.

Sam Browning of Killeen is visiting in the Bill Huber home. J. L. Duncan and wife of Port Arthur were week end visitors in

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Levita visitors Sunday. Joe Maxwell and family of Gates ville were Sunday visitors in the FOR SALE: A good used clarinet. Basham home.

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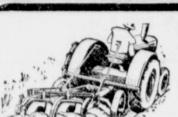


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of Coryell County seem to be disturbed and upset over the future of the educational program of this county. There are many rumors being passed along as truth, concerning the number of schools that will operate. Let us consider for a moment, at the present time there has been no law passed changing the educational set up in this or any other county. The Gilmer-Aiken proposal has not been enacted into law and it is my opinion that as it now stands, it will not be.

Our rural schools are now doing tract to market his products. a fine piece of work. In a survey made last summer for this county's report to the Gilmer-Aiken Committee it was found that every school in Coryell County was either a standard or Accredited school except the "State Training can be improved, but believe me, the only thing the rural schools have lacked in the past has been proper financial support.

Gatesville has a building problem, I sympathize with them in that, but it concerns only Gatesville and the rural school districts which send their pupils to Gatesville, and in which Gatesville furnishes transportation.

as far as I know, to re-district to us. Coryell County. No present bill before the legislature, that I have 36 at White Auto Store, he had seen, has mentioned such changes. just completed about February 15 We all know the present difficul- of the Old Homan homestead beties of getting our children to tween Flat and Leon Junction. school without making larger districts and larger bus routes.

Remember, no one has the authority, now, to say how many schools this county will have in ary 1, and has put in about five the future. We at Jonesboro be- weeks work on it, if 8-hour days lieve that our patrons want to were figured. continue to maintain a Four-Year Affiliated School here and we intend to continue to do so. There family has said he didn't miss a are many fine things to be had in thing. Don't believe he did. your smaller high schools. The class work is just as thorough, the teaching staff as well trained as those of the city schools. There are more opportunities for the child to participate in extracurricula activities in the rural school because of the smaller number involved. What is said here behalf of the rural high school applies not to Jonesboro alone, but to Pearl, Flat, Evant, Copperas Cove. Turnersville and Oglesby. All of these are fine schools and doing an excellent job of educating boys and girls in this county.

I have no personal axe to grind in writing this my only purpose is to put an end to rumors that this county has already been divided among three or four schools.

It isn't the Gilmer-Aiken Bill that can hurt us but the use that some would make of it to frighten people into foolish steps.

Our effort should be aimed at defeating the present Senate Bill; No. 115, which would set up an [] elective board of nine (9) members and let this Board appoint the State Superintendent. This takes away the democratic right of the people to choose a state official and is a step toward dictator-know we are opposed to that.

I believe in Rural Education. Fortunate indeed is the rural child today who attends a good Rural High School. Let's demand that our Rural High Schools be supported in order that they may continue their good work. . YOU CAN'T HAVEMASS PRODUC-TION IN THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN.

Jonesboro High School plans to continue next year and the next and the next with an enriched program for the class room and with a continued policy of a well rounded exerience for the child.

Yours for better support for our Rural High Schools.

P. T. LEMMONS, Superintendent Jonesboro High School.

#### Vegetable Gardening. A Possibility

The writer had a good reception at Mound Monday night in the interest of vegetable gardening. The project evolves itself into problems of acreage, markets and packing sheds. They have the soil The patrons of the rural schools and the iclination.

Other communities have tried the project and we can safely say that it is beyond the experimental stage.

Bank deposits in communities that have tried it have more than doubled as a result of it. If it has been done, we can do it.

They propose to secure a packing shed and then get contracts for the produce even before planting the seed. This is security for both the buyer and seller. This is not strictly a co-op, since each producer makes an individual con-

The buyer will appear and purchase at the packing she, grade and supervise the packing with his own equipment.

Of course, this is only in the talking stage, but is the way all good things start. Now that we School for Boys". Our schools have the start, let us do more talk-Sincerely, J. J. BATES.

#### Fred Homan Paints A Large Picture of The Old Homan Homestead

Something else Coryell County produces is art-the art of paint-

Not being a connoisseur, our-There has been no suggestion, selves, we will say it looked good

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t 7:30.

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Revival services will be held at and has his Doctor's Degree from music for his choir. He is the sic-Troy Jones and Jimmy Monk; former Miss Janet Sadler. The The First Baptist Church the week the Seminary in Fort Worth. He author and compiler of the Youth Mesdames Ola Mae Parks, Ed grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. of March 6 to 13, with Dr .Harry is a trustee of Howard Payne Col- Hymnal used by many graded Schloeman and Merle Carroll; Vis- C. C. Sadler of Gatesville. itation-O. K. Brown.

> Various groups and organizations School and Mission; Thursday-ing a few days with her son and Training Union; Friday-Youth family of Georgetown, Mr. and Night; Saturday-Family Night; Mrs. W. J. Thompson. Sunday-Everybody's Night. For the morning services: Monday-Honeycutt Class. Tuesday-T E L son, Mrs. J. W. Sprinkle, Mrs. Cur-Class; Wednesday-Homemaker's tis Sims, Mrs. Frank McCoy and and Young Matrons Classes; Thurs Mrs. Robert Howell attended a day-Golden Circle and Mary-Mar- District Guild Meeting in Moody tha Classes; Friday-Victory and Monday night. Young Business Mens Classes.

Great Mass Meeting For Men At 3 p. m. Sunday, March 13th in the auditorium of the church, a great Mass Meeting for men and boys will be held-great singing and inspirational address by Dr. Spencer. All of the men and boys of the County are invited and urged to be present.

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Friday, March 4, 2:30 p. m., W. M. U. observing special day of prayer at the church

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ingram of Crane and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Lakin also of Crane, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Lee Ingram. They also visited Mr. Ingram, who is in McCloskey hospital at Temple.

-CCN-

Mrs. Bert Hover of Oglesby, was a week end visitor in the R. L. Meeks home.

Miss Frankie Freeman, and Verdene Freeman, former student nursing aids of the local hospital, are now studying nursing at the Hillcrest Hospital in Waco. They were week end visitors in Gates ville with friends and relatives.

-CCN-Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bauchman of Austin are the proud parents of a baby girl born February 22, 1949, named Virginia. Mrs. Bauch-

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Many of the boys will be hanging up their basketball suits for the last time as they ended their season by downing Canton 44-33. for third place.

The locals lost out in the morning opener to Athens 37-34. They were considerably off but managed to play them on even turns til the final quarter when with the half the quarter left Cotton Davidson went out of the game on personal fouls. That decided the contest

After the Madisonville-Athens game an all regional team was chosen. Bradley was the only Gatesville boy who made the allregional team. altho Cotton Davidson was honorable mention.

Billy Bradley made 42 points in the two games Gatesville played in and was probably high point man of the tournament.

A gold basketball was to be mailed to Bradley as they hadn' arrived when the trophies were awarded.

Madisonville won Regional and will be one of the eight teams entered in the state meet at Austin

nex week. The locals brough home a small trophy for winning third place.

Coach Mitchell will probably start training the boys for track some time next week.

There will be only two regular starters back next year and there will be none of the regular subs back. The two who will be back next year are two lads who have two more years of eligibility as thhey are sophomores. They are Billy Anderson, guard, and Brenard Knapp, center.

-N-Joann Wilkerson is ill at her home in Flat, she is employed in Gatesville.

Mr. A. N. (Bud' Smith, of Pearl, fell Sunday night, breaking his shoulder and is in the hispital. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sadler were

Wednesday business visitors to Dallas.

Mrs. A. C. Cummings spent several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Press Bond of Mc-

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watts, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watts and children of Abilene were Monday visitors in Gatesville.

Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Fairchild of the Mountain Comunity spent Sunday in the hofe of Mr. and Mrs Melvin Blanchard.

-CCN-Sam Ed Franks of Baylor is a visitor with his parents.

#### Class B Baseball Men Meet: District Is Divided Three Sections

into three parts.

lesby, and one other. Fairy, Pottsville and Carlton will form an- basis of first-round winners. other, and Mullen, Lometa, Star, and Evant, another.

a district play off.

the coaches of the districts and be announced shortly.

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Martin Mills, 1:30 p. m. Hale of Levita.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Powell and make their home

#### In State Meet At Austin: Here's Lineup

at 3:10 Friday with Bowie of El Made All-Regional in Tournament in this bracket, Gustine, Herme-Chairman P. T. Lemmons of Paso and Port Arthur to open at Turnersville announces the 20-B that time. Lubbock plays High-

They'll play a double-round-rob- cona Thursday night at 8:40; Cole- the Pearl Dragons. bin and following that, will have man vs Memphis, 3:10 p. m.; Mad- Evant High School was not so isonville vs Gaston, 4:35 p.m.; U- fortunate, dropping their first

started with Big Sandy vs Woodsboro 8:45 a. m. Slidell vs Shal- ped South Taylor of Tuscola 29- REA MEETING HELD AT Mr. and Mrs. Boby Beck were lowater, 10:10; Waelder vs Gus- 27, and at the third quarter the MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY Sunday visitors in the home of tine, 11:30 a. m. and Marfa vs Dragons were behind 7 points, and

Tuesday of this week.

#### Pearl and Evant Represented Coryell County In Region II Tournament: Pearl Won Fourth

Semi-finals in Double A start Carswell, Star Pearl Man

Pearl High School finished fourth leigh and O'Brien. Baseball District will be divided land Park of Dallas at 7:15 p. m., in the Region II Class B High and Brownwood meets Austin at School Basketball tournament held It'll be in Ciryell County, Flat, 8:40. Semi-finals are at 10:10 a. in Abilene Friday and Saturday Jonesboro, Turnersville, Pearl Og- m. and 12:50 p. f. Saturday and of last week. Carswell, one of the pairings will be decided on the Pearl Dragons came home with All-Regional medal, as classed by Lampasas, this section's Class A officials of the tournament, accontender, squared off against No- cording to Coach R. B. Forrest of Thursday morning.

Schedules will be made out by valde vs French, Beaumont, 7:15. game to Gustine by the narrow Thursday morning, Class B. margin of two points, 21-23.

Pearl, on the other hand, stopput on the heat to take the contest.

former residents of Gatesville, but Betty and William Powell and Roy Ozona, 28-27, and the Dragons or more were signed up for the recently of Charleston, Indiana, Chapman of Temple visited in the were leading by five points at betterment of that community. are returning to Gatesville to home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sims the start of the last three minute period, and advanced to the semi- present to sponsor the meeting.

finals, with the other three teams

Saturday at 9:45, Gustine defeated Pearl 42-25, and in a game that night for third place, Pearl lost to O'Brien 38-27, and won fourth place in the tournament. Gustine went on to win the Region II Title, and was in the State

Pearl and Lipan were the only schools to return from last year's entries, and there were fourteen teams in the tournament.

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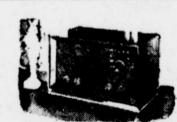
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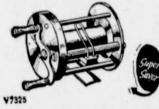
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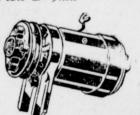
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