

# GISD Opens September 7: Pearl, 5, C. Cove 6: Others 12

## FIRST YEAR UNDER NEW SYSTEM: HERE'S ADVICE FOR STUDENTS-FACULTY

"Something new has been added". This time of year, since the oldest oldster can remember: "school opens"! Previously, it has been Gatesville Public Schools. This year, it is Gatesville Independent School District and is not controlled by the City of Gatesville, but by the District, itself. It's something of itself, now. Here are the highlights of the opening:

## IMPORTANT SCHOOL INFORMATION

The following information is furnished the public for the opening of the Gatesville Public Schools.

1. Wednesday, September 7, registration for Junior and Senior High School Students (Grades 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12). Buses will not run this date. Registration at 9:00 a. m.
2. Thursday, September 8, all students will report. Grades 1 through 12. Buses will run this date.
3. Friday, September 9, no school for students. The faculty will be available for conferences from 9:00-11:00 a. m.
4. Monday, September 12, Classes will begin in all departments.

## NOTICE

All elementary students (first 6 grades) will go to the gymnasium on Thursday, Sept. 8, at 9:00 a. m. Class rooms will be assigned at that time.

Lunch will be served in the cafeteria Thursday, Sept. 8. School will be dismissed around 2:00 p. m. on Thursday.

## IMPORTANT

All students must be vaccinated for small-pox.

All new students must furnish birth certificates.

**Compulsory Attendance:** Under the new school regulations we must enforce the compulsory attendance law. All children between the ages of 6 and 16 must attend school unless excused for some good reason. Reasons for being excused must comply with the compulsory law. We are looking forward to a good school year. Your suggestions are not only welcomed but solicited.

## L. C. McKAMIE, Superintendent

Here is the faculty for Gatesville Independent School District for the year 1949-50:

L. C. McKamie, Superintendent; S. L. Pruitt, Principal. Paul Hilburn, Herbert Radle, Mrs. W. S. Nichols and Mrs. Dessa Lee Hite, agriculturists and homemakers; Mrs. Clyde Bailey, librarian; Physical Education, Lloyd Mitchell, Gordon Smith, assistant coach, and Mrs. Geraldine Duncan; Band Director, Randall Raley.

Faculty, high school, white: W.

## Schools Begin Opening: Pearl 5th, C. Cove 6th: More Schools, 12th

September 5th, Pearl school will open, to be the first school in the county to start operations during the 1949-50 school year.

Copperas Cove will be No. 2, and will start the 6th.

Besides Gatesville, which is the 7th, and a large number will start the 12th, but Mrs. D. L. Campbell of County Superintendent Olie Little's office didn't know exactly which ones yet.

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## Coryell County's First Bale of 1949



Pictured above are W. C. Layne, Brown's Gin, Mr. Woodward, who leased, and Robert Fletcher, colored, who raised the cotton, shown with Howard Franks, President of the Gatesville Chamber of Commerce, and the ginners from the

## Jaycees Gum Machines Paid Off \$17.32 In 38 Days: Slugs, Dime

Some overzealous patriot put a dime in the Junior Chamber of Commerce gum vending machine. Some 16 not so zealous patriots put slugs to that amount, in the machines.

However, with all this the 41 machines in 38 days took in for the Jaycees' part of 20% come \$17.32. Now, if you're a mathematician, you can figure the gross.

At the meeting Tuesday evening, the Jaycees outlined plans for using the recently purchased fogging machine, and the buying of the chemicals, but announcement will be made later as to where and when.

Ollie Little, Perry Davidson and Mrs. D. L. Campbell were business visitors to Dallas last Friday.

Mrs. Carol Ward is now visiting in San Angelo, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brazzil Whatley.

R. D. Cooper and Mrs. Sam Leach are the committee extending the invitations.

## Hitch In Processing Of Mexicans In Valley

HARLINGEN, August 25. (AP)—A last minute hitch held up processing of thousands of Mexican workers at the U. S. Hiring Center here today. The hitch involved steps taken to assure the worker's welfare.

Agents telephoned Washington attempting to straighten the matter out. Thousands of aliens swarmed over the employment center area. An estimated 1,000 workers will be processed daily.

## Navy Official Says He Done It, B-36 Probe

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25. (AP)—Navy officials who wrote anonymous memos touching off the B-36 investigation acknowledged today he put "confidential data" into it.

Cedric Worth also told the House Armed Services Committee he gave a copy to Glenn Martin, plane manufacturer. He said he did not know whether Martin was entitled to the secret information. A committee attorney said parts of the memo "might help an enemy or a potential enemy."

## N. F. Tate Ranch Location For New Oil Well: Drilling Date Not Out

Might be! County Clerk A. W. Ellis tells us Coryell County is to have an oil well drilled on the N. F. Tate Ranch between Lavinia and Ireland, but no date was given as to when the work would start.

Lease holder at this point is the Amarada Oil Corporation, and who the drilling contractors are was not known.

Always thought there was "oil in them thar hills!"

## Car Fires Take Lead For Week: One Had Gas, One Had Hot Brakes

Two fires, the first Monday evening at Vet Memorial Park when Lion Tatum's car burned. He had a 10-gallon can of gasoline in the turtle-back, and some way it caught, and there went a car. No insurance.

Thursday about 1 p. m. a Texas Textile truck caught out on U. S. 84 a short distance. Hot brake. Had left emergency brake on. Man felt crazy, had been driving 17 years, and it happened. No damage. Kept driving, but, released emergency brake.

## GSSB Boys Get In Two Establishments: Taken Over 11 P. M. Wed. Nite

Charles Beam, 16, former of Tyler and John Hayter, 17, of Waco, escaped from GSSB some time Wednesday, and were taken over by Chief of Police Herman Sims, near the City Cemetery about 11 p. m. Wednesday evening.

After leaving the institution, they are alleged to have entered Mrs. Vivian Prichett's home near the school and took clothing, and with a hatchet, chopped, or broke open a cedar chest.

Then, they entered Ashby Service Station, breaking out a window in the rear, and the loot was \$50 in bills and \$10 in nickles, a hunting knife, .38 revolver, cigarettes and candy. D. J. Smith operates the station.

Then they detoured around to about the cemetery where they were picked up. One of the boys according to Sims, has "20 puns" to his credit from GSSB.

Mrs. Jay Blackstock and son Tommy of Alvarado, returned to their home Wednesday after several days visit here in the home of Mrs. W. C. Harris and family. She returned home with them for the week end.

Mrs. Dale Lipsey and daughter, Scherrie of Brownwood, visited their aunt, Mrs. Marcus M. Gregory, who is in the local hospital.

## Senate Digs UP One On Maj Gen. Vaughan

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25.

(AP)—Senate investigators today revealed a memo from Major General Harry Vaughan, Truman's military aide, saying Truman was "personally interested" in a European trip for John Maragon.

Maragon is figuring in the Senate probe of possible improper influence of government officials. The plane trip was made shortly after the war when transportation was extremely difficult to obtain. On a return trip, Maragon got into trouble with the Customs Agents over his attempt to bring in valuable perfume oils disguised as champagne (the memo was to officials with the power to approve this trip).

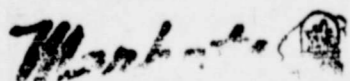
Senator Mundt (R-South Dak.) said he thinks Truman "probably" had no personal knowledge of what Vaughan was doing.

## REUNIONS



The Young family reunion will be held the 4th Sunday in August (next Sunday, Aug. 28) instead of September 4th as previously reported.

The Davidson reunion will be at Pecan Grove next Sunday the 28th of August. All relatives and friends are invited and urged to be present.



Thursday, August 25, 1949

Corn, white, bushel.....	\$1.00
Corn, yellow, bushel.....	\$1.00
Maize, cwt.....	\$2.00
Oats, per bushel.....	60c
Wheat, hard, bushel.....	\$1.60
Wheat, soft, bushel.....	\$1.65
Eggs, No. 1, white, dozen.....	52c
Eggs, No. 1, mixed, dozen.....	47c
No. 2 Eggs, dozen.....	32c
Hens, pound.....	16c
Roosters, pound.....	10c
Fryers, pound.....	20c
Turkeys, No. 1, pound.....	20c

S. Nichols, Mrs. O. D. Bates, Erine Carroll, Mrs. Vela Mae Cook, Mrs. Carmen Elliott, Mrs. Byron Leaird Jr., Mrs. Travis Meharg, Mrs. John Milner, Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook.

Junior high: W. F. Stiles, principal; Ted Brumbalow, Mrs. Carl C. Eubanks, Mrs. Lila Holmes, Mrs. Frank Jones, R. C. Nichols.

Elementary: Oran D. Bates, principal; Mrs. E. S. Bennett, Miss Janie Brokshire, Mrs. O. K. Brown, Miss Wilhelmina Cayce, Mrs. Allan Gannaway, Mrs. Lucy Hallmark, Miss Bess Holmes, Mrs. Audrey King, Mrs. John O. Potts, Miss Maude Alyce Painter, Mrs. B. D. W. Pollard, Mrs. Chess Sadler, Mrs. J. R. Saunders, Mrs. W. F. Stiles, Mrs. Ed Schoeman, Mrs. Edith Stone, Miss Aurora Young.

Faculty, Colored School: Azie James Hatchett, principal; Miss Gussie Delley, elementary.

## Rev. W. B. Holmes In El Paso Hospital: There For Some Time

Enroute home from California, Rev. W. B. Holmes, pastor of the First Christian Church of Gatesville became sick in El Paso, and was sent to an El Paso hospital.

The illness was described by his daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Winfield as not critical, but that Rev. Holmes would be in the hospital for two or three weeks recuperating.

## Turnersville Farm Bureau Entertains All County Members Tonight

Tonight at Turnersville, the Turnersville Farm Bureau entertains all county members with a supper at 8 p. m. at the taber-

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## TURNERSVILLE

# NEWS

Miss Pauline Clary of Austin was a week end visitor with relatives here.

Bob McMinn and wife were recent visitors to Monroe, La., and

Little Rock, Ark. Miss Mattie Cooper is visiting in Republic, Mo. Mrs. Lee Campbell of Temple was a recent visitor in the Short home. Mrs. John Hobin was a recent visitor to Goldthwaite. Mrs. Jim Price of Taylor was a week end visitor in the Hobin home. Mrs. Dave Weeks is visiting in the N. Dollins home.

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Duncan Chambers and wife of Gatesville were recent visitors in the McMinn home.

Miss Retta Gene Holder of Mt. Calm is visiting in the R. M. Holder home.

Thurman Balch and wife of Ft. Worth were week end visitors with relatives.

Harmon Sellers and family of Gatesville, Oarn Clawson and family of Flat, were Sunday visitors in the Hobin home.

Sam Cook and family of Austin were Sunday visitors in the Wiley Mangum home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garren and Dorothy Nell and Ladell; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bradshaw of Cisco; Dr. J. T. Garren Jr., of Temple; and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Collier of Troy spent last week end at Buchanan Dam and report a good time.

John Bushnell and wife of Austin were Sunday visitors in the Humes home.

## THE GROVE

# NEWS

W. O. and J. W., and Mrs. John W. Odum and children, Charlotte and John III of Okinawa, are visiting relatives and friends here and at Flat. They will leave next week for Fort Meade, Maryland, where Mr. Odum will be stationed for some time.

Mrs. Oran Reese of Holland visited her sister, Mrs. Crug Draeger one day last week. Mrs. Draeger is ill.

Mrs. Oscar Smith and sons visited a few days last week in Port Arthur with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Taylor of Gatesville spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ayres.

Graham Ayres of Washington, D. C., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ayres.

Bro. Hiser is ill in a Temple hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reese of Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barr last week.

Elbert and Molly Cummings and sisters visited their sister, Mrs. Sam Barnard at Mound one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Bell and son of Kerrville and Mrs. Billy Dawson of Virginia, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Clawson last week.

## MOUND

# NEWS

Mrs. Leonard Morgan and children of Gatesville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marshall and with her sister, Mrs. Lonnie McHargue and family from Sunday til Tuesday.

Mrs. Virgie Bragewitz and two daughters, Gussie and Jaurea of McGregor and little Miss Francis Jackson of Leon Junction were dinner guests of Mrs. Herman Bragewitz last Wednesday morning; also Mr. and Mrs. Grundy Ashby of Leon Junction visited a while Wednesday morning. Mrs. J. H. Manos went home with them to stay the rest of the week and to attend the revival.

Perry Davidson went to Dallas last Thursday. He was accompanied by Ollie Little, they went on a business trip.

Miss Ima Fellers went to Waco Sunday afternoon and returned Thursday morning.

Harper Wicker was brought home from Temple hospital last Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Loy Morgan and children of Grand Prairie are with him. Mrs. Morgan has been here about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin McDonald are the proud parents of a baby girl, born last Wednesday.

Miss Ima Fellers is sporting a new Ford.

Mrs. Carl Clawson and Polly of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Clark and daughters of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fletcher and baby of McCamey were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Magee and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bragewitz, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Melton and son attended church at Leon Junction, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davidson and sons, Misses Willena Melton and Neva Ann Hopson all attended church at Purnela, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mayberry of Bay City are visiting her mother, Mrs. H. M. Fellers and Ima. Their daughter, Joyce, of Mary Hardin-Baylor, Belton, visited here with them.

A Youth Rally was held here Saturday night, there were several young people from Gatesville and other communities. Rev. I. J. Loyd from McGregor was the main speaker. A watermelon cut was enjoyed by the large crowd.

Mrs. Ernest Jackson and children of Tulia are visiting her mother, Mrs. Ed Davidson.

Billie Bob Brumalaw went to San Marcos Sunday evening to visit his father who is attending summer school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bragewitz; Misses Neva Ann Hopson and Wilena Melton, Fred Blanchard and John Talley McHargue attended church at Leon Junction last Friday night.

Dan Hopson and family of Waco were visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Hopson, Sunday.

Willie McHargue, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McHargue of Waco visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Bud Smith of Gatesville attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Cole Jr. and little son Roy Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tatum of Gatesville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Bomer and grand-daughter, Jacqueline Davidson visited Vernon Bomer and family at Moody Sunday afternoon. Jacqueline stayed over to visit a few days longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mayberry left Monday for their home. Mrs. H. M. Fellers and Ima went with them to visit a while in Bay City. Joyce also returned home.

Mrs. George Draper has gone to San Antonio to visit her daughter Mrs. Clyde Childers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mayberry and Glynn went to Amarillo last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs.

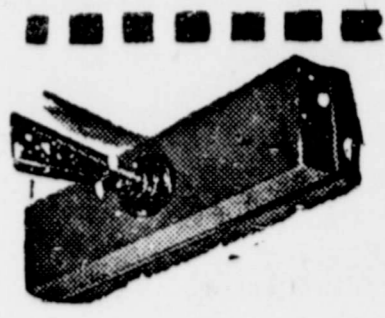
Cleo Whaley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davidson and sons visited in Waco Monday.

## WITH COLORS

HQS., 509th Bomb Wing, Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, New Mexico.

Pfc. John B. Young has been promoted to the rank of Corporal. Cpl. Young formerly lived at Turnersville, and is a member of the 509th Supply Squadron.



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**SERUM MAY HAVE CHEATED** came to Lubbock after Peggy's sister, Sandra Jean, 7, died of POLIO OUT OF VICTIM

Peggy Ann Best, 4, Tucumcari, N. M., smiles at her grandfather, Dr. C. O. Molander, Chicago, who gave her a special serum to reduce the bulbar mortality rate from 45 per cent to 18 per cent. It was sent from Deutsch Serum Company, Chicago on his order. (AP) back hospital. Dr. Molander, who

of Pearl, has completed his terrace system. The terraces were of the large ridge type and were made with a whirlwind terracer. Mr. Fleming of Pearl community made the terraces. There were approximately two miles.

The Technicians of the Soil Conservation Service, ran the following terrace lines last week: Frank Blair of the Purmale Group 3.1 miles; W. W. Windham of Hurst Springs 1.7 miles and H. H. Wilhelm of the Ames group 3 miles; and Travis Latham of the Turnersville Veterans Group 3 3/4 miles. These terraces will be constructed during the coming month.

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**Pearl School To Open Friday, September 2**

The Pearl Public Schools will begin Friday, September 2, 1949. All students will register, books will be issued, schedules will be made, and regular class work will begin the following Monday. We have a new program this year and it will need the whole support of the community.

We especially invite all school patrons and visitors to be present on the opening morning.

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**Jerry Faye Brumbalow Honored On Birthday**

Little Miss Jerry Fay Brumbalow celebrated her 6th birthday, Tuesday afternoon by inviting her little friends to a birthday party. Several games were played, then gifts were opened. Ice cream, cake and colade were served to the following: Kenneth and Don Marshall, Carolyn Dunn, Patsy Blanchard, Malcom McHargue, Joe Dan Worthington, Butch Melton, Barbara Blanchard, Ruth Wiggins, Joy, Jimmie and Jerry Dan Evans, Neill and Karl Ray Davidson, Hellen and Ronnie Bruton, Mrs. Perry Davidson, Mrs. James Evans, Mrs. E. Brumbalow and the honoree, Jerry Fay Brumbalow. All enjoyed the affair very much.

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**PHOTO FINISH**

Katherine Kleinschmidt, Hawaii Swim Club, Honolulu, (closest to camera) and Jean Luytens, Rivier Club, Indianapolis, Ind., battled to the finish line so close together in the 880-yard free style final

event in the Women's swim meet at San Antonio that looked like a photo finish, but the Hawaiian girl won by a finger nail. The time was 11:48.1. (AP) Wirephoto.

**HAMILTON-CORYELL SOIL CONSERVATION..**

Willie Hoppe Jr. a cooperater of the distrift, whose farm is near Coryell City, has completed approximately 2 miles of large channel type terraces. These terraces spill onto bermuda sod. F. A. Morris, who is also a cooperater of the district constructed these terraces with heavy equipment.

Homer Painter, a cooperater in the Osage Group, has completed two water-ways and 8 miles of small ridge terrace. The terrace outlets will be sodded to bermuda grass. This work was done with heavy equipment belonging to the county, under the jurisdiction of County Commissioner Jake Clearman.

Victor Wright, whose farm is northeast of Turnersville, has completed his terrace system by constructing one mile of large channel terrace. These terraces spill onto permanent grass. Cleo Carroll, county commissioner of Beat 4, constructed these terraces with heavy equipment.

W. D. Seward, a cooperater of the Arnett Group, completed his terrace system. Part of his terraces were large channel type and part large ridge. The terraces were constructed by John Bone with heavy equipment. The ACA assisted Mr. Seward financially with his terrace system. All terraces spill onto permanent vegetation.

A. E. Wilkinson, a cooperater of the district, whose farm is west

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**ROY W. ADAMS, AGRONOMY SENIOR GETS RING AT A. & M. COLLEGE, 15th.**

Roy W. Adams, agronomy senior at A and M, son of Mrs. David Adams of Levita, received his senior ring at the college August 15. He is a Senior and entered school in September, 1948.

In 1942 he entered Tarleton State College, but was interrupted in his school work by World War II, and reentered and graduated from Tarleton in 1948.

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**REGULAR SERVICES GATESVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST** Tenth and Saunders Streets Gatesville, Texas

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Tuesday Morning: Ladies' Bible Class 10 a. m. Wednesday Evening: Mid-Week Services 8 p. m.

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Mrs. George Gilbert and children of Muskogee, Okla., are visiting her brother, Otho Galloway and family at Flat.

Mrs. I. F. Johnson Sr., has just returned from Austin, after visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Johnson, Jr.

**CORRECTION**

Members of the Fostered Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Howard Franks, Monday evening, August 8th, for a watermelon feast and also an evening of 84 instead of an evening bridge. Sorry!



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**Idal Couple Honored**  
**Pierce Home, Aug. 16**  
**from 3 to 5 O'clock**  
 The home of Mrs. E. J. Pierce was the scene of a shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Varley F. Young, August 16th, from 3 to 5 o'clock. The party rooms were tastefully decorated with zinnias, cosmos, bachelor's buttons, and ferns and the host was assisted by Mrs. Ed Turner and Mrs. Rogers. In the receiving line with Mr. and Mrs. Varley F. Young were Mrs. Victor Young, mother of the groom; Mrs. Henry Laabs, mother of the bride; and Mrs. Lily Mayhew, grandmother of groom. A snake naming contest was won by Mrs. Lily Mayhew and Mrs. Henry Laabs, the prize of a dozen cake aprons was presented to the honored couple.

Delicious cookies, peanuts and cheese bits in tiny wagons with Dr. Peppers donned with cake aprons were served to the 46 guests. In a second contest of guessing who you are, was won by the bride-groom, and a lovely group of gifts was the prize which he invited his bride to share.

Mr. and Mrs. Varley F. Young were married August 8, 1949 and will make their home in College Station while Mr. Young enters his senior year in A and M College and Mrs. Young continues her studies in Bryan.

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**Mary-Martha Class**  
**Met At Edwards Home**

The regular scheduled monthly social gathering of the Mary-Martha Class of the First Baptist Church, met at 8:00 o'clock August 23d, in the home of Mrs. Stanley Edwards.

The concluding business meeting was followed by refreshments of Cokes, sandwiches, which were enjoyed by the following: Mesdames Edwin Petree, Hardy Blanchard, Ruby Baker, B. K. Cooper, John W. Reesing, Ed Conlin, Bill Davis, Edwin Thompson, Bob Paxton, J. C. Bunnell of Killeen, R. D. Foster Jr., and the hostess.

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Miss Orpa Mayo is spending this week in Austin visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stewart, Mr.

**Fegette-Bunnell Reunion**  
**Held Sunday, August 21**  
**In Mother Neff Park**

The annual Fegette and Bunnell reunion was held Sunday, August 21 at Neff Park. A basket lunch was served and the day spent in visiting.

Those registering were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeman and Billy, Mary and Patsy of Troy; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bunnell of Gatesville; Misses Charlotte Bunnell and Emma Bunnell, Gatesville; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Fegette and sons of Oglesby; Mr. and Mrs. John Fegette, Oglesby; Miss Eugenia Fegette, Oglesby; Polly Shamblin of Amarillo; Irene Clark, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Williamson and Faye, Gatesville; Mrs. Paul F. Huddleston, Bloomington, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Evans and children of Fort Worth; Mrs. T. W. Evans, Ireland; James Lee Evans, Tom and John Evans, Ireland; J. H. M. Fegette, McGregor; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fegette, Judy and Billy, Oglesby; Mrs. L. L. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Claiborne Bunnell, Fontaine and Lynn Dale of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fegette of Gatesville; Mrs. E. F. Gummelt, Jim and Sue of Houston; Joyce Murray, Sharon and Mike of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Fegette and Claudia, Texas City; Myrtle McGuire, Dallas; John H. Woods, Jonesboro; Gid Smith of Okmulgee, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Harline Williamson, Gatesville.

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**Congratulations**

A baby boy born August 23, 1949, at 3:03 a. m. to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Blackwell, of Hamilton.

A baby girl born August 24, 1949, at 1:15 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adams, 1314 College Street, Gatesville.

A baby girl born August 24, 1949, at 3:00 p. m. to Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Stanford, Evant.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neil Foster and daughter, and Miss Jo Davis are spending a week's vacation in Colorado, and on their return will come through Old Mexico for a short trip.

Carl Davis of Corsicana is visiting in the home of Mrs. High Davis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Tatum of Corpus Christi were week end visitors in Gatesville.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Morton, Mrs. J. O. Brown, Mrs. J. D. English, Mrs. Evan J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Barsch, and Gus Barsch attended a stewardship meeting at First Baptist Church in Waco on Tuesday.



**Who Wants "Housing"?**

The central planners are at it again. They are getting set to try to push housing legislation through the special session of congress. There is hardly a bill to be considered that the "planners" and socialist-minded experimenters will push harder than a public housing bill. They realize that government housing, and the huge and wasteful spending that goes with it, would put the federal government right in business.

What is the origin of the idea that our government should subsidize housing and pass out the costs of it to the taxpayers? Where does the idea come from that the government of a nation is obligated to furnish houses and lodging to its people? These ideas did not originate in America, the land of the free. They came from Europe and from Russia. These ideas have been tried over there. They have never turned out any results, except colossal failure.

**Promise and Spend**

The only lasting effect of European public housing has been public debt. Their projects did not give them more houses, nor eliminate slums, nor provide homes for the poor. However, their experiments did give the Socialists and Communists a free ride to power. Time after time, these political gangs rode to power on public housing programs—so easy was it to promise and spend, promise and spend. Now, their people continue to pay heavy taxes for projects long since dead.

It is amazing the lessons of history are thus ignored, and the American people are asked to turn over their housing problems to the government. Our nation is great today, and our land a land of plenty, because we Americans have had the initiative to do things for ourselves. We have not been willing, in the past, to turn our everyday lives over to an expanding government. Our fathers did not stand back and beg the federal government to do everything for them.

**Unhappy Times**

The British people have had unhappy times with public housing and subsidies. During the thirties they tried public housing on a large scale. But it was only after government had failed, that private industry came in and produced a real boom in housing. The present Socialist government in England is interested in public housing. It is routine there to interfere with the liberties and freedoms of the people.

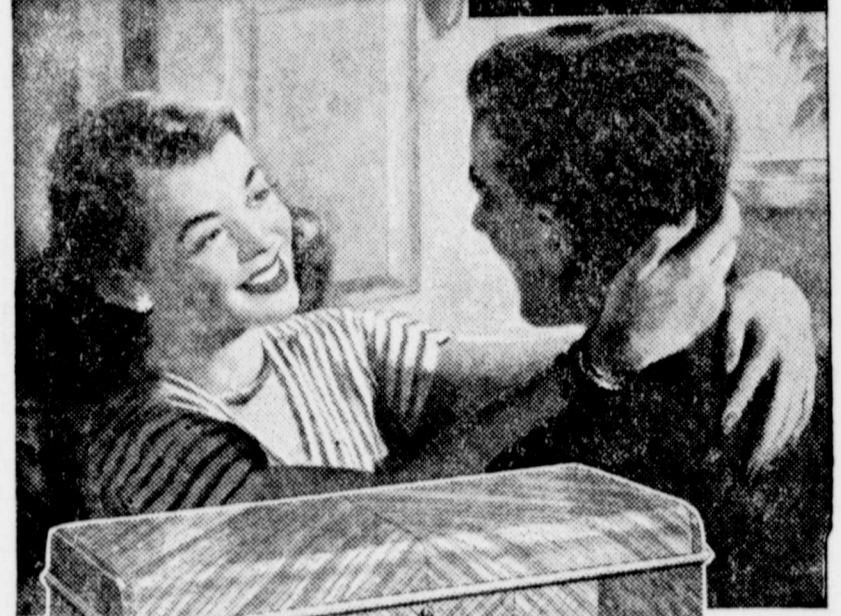
The New York Times on May 5 carried a short dispatch from a small English town. It said that a carpenter had used his life savings and his own hands to build himself a small cottage, only to have government wrecking crews come in to tear it down because he did not have a permit to build. Demolition crews were called off only after neighbors had petitioned the Prime Minister and considered appealing to the King.

**Freedom Easily Lost**

The news story indicated that the "Ministry of Town and Country Planning" would have to decide whether the carpenter would be permitted to live in the house he put up with his own hands. Thirty years ago no Englishman could have thought that his rights and liberties would ever be subject to the whims of a government bureau, like that. It takes centuries to win freedom and liberty, but it is possible to lose the same freedoms almost overnight.

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Following the presentation of the Adult Life Membership Certificate to Mrs. J. B. Sellers and Mrs. Mollie Montgomery, and a baby Certificate to Miss Regenia Balch, the following group enjoyed a picnic style supper: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sellers, Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Williams, Rev. and Mrs. Floyd E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sims, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sprinkle, Mrs. Ethel Ford, Mrs. J. R. Colgin Sr., Mrs. Elmo Washburn, Mrs. Garland Sydow, Mrs. L. W. Love, Mrs. Robert Howell, and Misses Mollie Montgomery, Berta Saunders, and Bess Chapman.

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**MISS ORPA MAYO'S STUDENTS FEATURED AT LIONS LUNCHEON**

Students of Miss Orpa Mayo

were the dish at the Gatesville Lions Club Wednesday luncheon. These piano pupils were Misses Janice Hix, Nancy Nesbitt, Cloris Ann Combest and Jean Hix, both popular and semi-classical.

Mrs. Glenn Wharton has returned from Houston after visiting with her husband, who is attending college there.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ward and Johnnie Ward are leaving for Big Spring, Texas, to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Forrest and son Lynn left this week for South Texas for a short vacation.

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Sunday afternoon, on Shoreline Boulevard, certainly proves the statement of the essence of time. Little Miss Linda Hawkins of 1719 Arlington, here in Corpus Christi, looking every day of her six years, donned a pair of dark glasses, boarded her streamlined, one seater automobile and cruised down the walk at eighteen mile an hour, the envy of every child and your reporter.

The tiny chauffer's daddy, Mr. Herman Hawkins, employed at the Schlumberger Well Surveying Co. with the aid of another party, built the car which was in the making about one year. The vehicle sports a quarter-horse-power Briggs Stratton motor, getting 36 miles to a quart of gasoline, the capacity of the tank.

The miniature car has a triplate clutch working with the gas; the oil tank holds a coffee cup of petroleum. The starter works on the same principle as an outboard motor, clicking along on one cylinder.

The chassis sits on wheels of eight inches diameter with two spring shock absorbers taken from motorcycles. In short, it is the perfect answer to a child's "motored" dream.—The Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

Little Miss Linda Hawkins is the grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Phillips... Her mother is the former Lucille Phillips.

Mrs. Martha Martin and daughter Margaret Don and her mother, Mrs. Carl Eubanks, of Lampasas, returned home this week. Mrs. Martin has been attending Jackson Business School in Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ward and sons, Larry and Rona Gene, of Ventura, California, leave Saturday, after spending two weeks in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Ward.

Rev. and Mrs. Ed Bayless and family of Denison were through Gatesville Thursday and stopped briefly. He was formerly pastor

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**NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED**

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of the First Presbyterian church here, and is well known throughout the county.

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Francis Goodall is visiting in the home of Mrs. Ethel Goodall, who has been in Nashville, Tenn., attending the Peabody Graduating school this summer. She will leave next week for Odessa, where she will teach school.

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## Real Estate

**LISTINGS WANTED:** If you want to sell your real estate, Oil leases and Royalties, list them with TOM FREEMAN, Ray Building, Phone 820. 0-70-3tc.

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**FOR SALE:** B model John Deere tractor and all equipment. Bill Ford near Slater school, Pearl, Texas. 4-70-2tp.

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**FOR SALE:** Late model Underwood Standard Typewriter. Excellent condition. Kendrick & Davidson. 4-62-tfc.

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**WANTED:** Used cash register. Mrs. P. A. Rose. Ph. 25. 5-71-ltc  
**FOR SALE:** Weaned pigs about 8 weeks old. See Johnny Dyche at Bill's Cafe, or Mrs. G. C. Martin. 12-71-tfc.

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## HISTORY OF CORYELL COUNTY

(Continued From Last Week)

### Fence Posts, Barbed Wire and Lawlessness

All this country was different then,  
 There was the days of whiskered men,  
 Every man in this country wide,  
 Was booted, and spurred and ready to ride.  
 There was cattle on all these creeks,  
 Taller, fat, and shiny sleek,  
 Then some feller came into the land,  
 Running a hellish maverick brand.

In the period during the Civil War and for more than a decade thereafter, a period of lawlessness developed that was a great annoyance to the settlers who would be respected law abiding citizens.

The first outstanding character who became a menace to the peace of the settlements was one Frank Harko. He refused to take service with soldiers going into the war,



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### MASONIC RALLY IN MART MONDAY, 29: MASTERS, WARDENS, SECRETARIES

There will be a Masonic Rally sponsored by the Masters', Wardens', and Secretaries' Association 61st Masonic District in Mart on Monday evening, August 29, at the First Methodist Church.

R. L. Boren will be in charge and Rev. Rudolph Harvey, pastor First Baptist Church, and past Grand Chaplain of Ram 1 Texas is the speaker.

### FIVE CORYELL COUNTIANS GET DEGREES FROM NTSTC, AUGUST 25th

Five students from Coryell County were among the record group of 742 receiving bachelor's and masters' degrees at North Texas State Teacher College on Thursday evening.

Bachelor's degrees were handed to June Hackney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hackney, Gatesville; Dorothy Elizabeth Myers, daughter of R. A. Hill, Oglesby; Irvin Jones, Jr., Jonesboro; Monroe Mayhew, son of Mrs. S. M. Mayhew, Jonesboro; and Douglas R. Myers, son of M. W. Myers, Jonesboro.

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or with the rangers going to protect the frontier. He began marauding on the settlements, stealing horses and cattle. The settlers began trying to capture him. He moved into the west and built a cabin near one of the ranches where he aligned himself with a small band of Indians. A party of rangers of which Alfred Kerby was a member, located him near this cabin. He mounted his horse and rode for the brush, and made his escape. Alfred Kerby gave chase, but, riding a horse he had unhitched from the plow a few days before, was unable to get in gunshot of the outlaw.

In 1865 a scout on Kings Mountain observed a thin blue column of smoke rising out of the timber on a branch to the east. The scout worked his way near enough to the camp to identify Frank Harko and his Indian confederates. The scout immediately reported to Sheriff J. C. Haynes of Gatesville. A posse was organized and Harko was captured and incarcerated in the County Jail. The settlers, however, did not propose to risk the prisoner a chance to escape. That night a mob surrounded the jail, secured the prisoner, and at sunrise his body was found hanging to a liveoak limb on the outskirts of town.

This did not stop outlawry. Brigands infested the country for years, until the life of no man, nor his livestock, was safe. During this period a trio of men—Reuben Queen, Bill Leverett, and Andy Wolff, conceived the idea of not waiting on the law for protection, for the law enforcement authorities were helpless. They, with others, banded themselves together under a bond to allow no outlaw to escape alive when once sighted.

Official bodies of men often make errors, and it is quite probable that an act of the Coryell County Court, issued the following order: "Ordered by the Court of Coryell County: that all citizens of this County be and are hereby permitted by the authority of this Court to mark and brand all unmarked and unbranded cattle within the limits of this county. That is all such as are strays, that the owner is not known. Said unmarked stock shall be entirely separate from the mother, and be it further ordered all persons marking and branding the same shall report to the Clerk of the County Court under oath the amount thus marked and branded, and paying the sum of five dollars for year old, seven and a half dollars for two year olds, and ten dollars for three year olds, or cows and calves, and by thus reporting and paying into the County Treasury the amount thus specified, vests the rights in the taker up; the proceeds of the same to be applied to the use and benefit of soldiers families in the service of the Confederacy"

It is not hard to visualize the violation of this order by unscrupulous cattlemen in an open range country, where jealousies already were rangling in the breasts of some cattle range men, and where the range was the most sought after wealth in the newly settled country. Some men accepted this order as a permit to license, and so used it.

### "The Bob-wire Fence"

A "bob-wire fence", posts broken off and out of line, some leaning this way and some that, wire sagging, broken and on the ground, is a very prosaic sight. Maybe it is forty, fifty, or sixty years, since that fence was built. If so it was here in the fast and furious days when the open range cattle business was being broken up, and when men were contending savagely for the grass.

The open range cattle business reached its zenith in the fifteen years following the Civil War. There were small fields fenced with stone, or rails, or perhaps brush. Grass was free to any man who could acquire cattle. Many men, or companies of men, had large herds grazing on the open range. Each year would see great herds belonging to some cattle baron grouped together and started north to the markets eight hundred or a thousand or more miles away. Some herds were driven as far as the Dakotas or Wyoming and Montana, taking long, long months to complete the journey.

These herds were in charge of cowboys, booted and spurred, and with long leather leggins called "chaps" and six-shooters swung to their belts. The cowboys were organized and under the leadership of a man called "trail boss" who was in command of the outfit.

The herds were driven over a route that afforded grass and water. The various routes north took their names from the trail boss or from men who first routed herds that way. At the time of which we write most of the cattle being driven north from Coryell County were grazed up the Chisolm Trail. A trail was not a narrow path across the country, but a strip varying from a few miles wide to many miles wide, which afforded water and grass enough to carry the herd thru to its destination in good marketable condition.

All the way up the long trail the herd drivers had to contend with the physical forces of nature, and with cat-

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### BILL TOM ALFORD GETS BS DEGREE FROM TWC

Bill Tom Alford, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Alford got his Bachelor of Science Degree from Texas Wesleyan College, August 19. He is a graduate of Gatesville High School and is a veteran of World War II.



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## STYLE SHOW

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25

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Stillman's - Alvis-Garner's

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## IMPORTANT SCHOOL INFORMATION

The following information is furnished the public for the opening of the Gatesville Public Schools.

1. Wednesday, September 7, registration for Junior and Senior High School Students (Grades 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12). Buses will not run this date. Registration at 9:00 a. m.
2. Thursday, September 8, all students will report. Grades 1 through 12. Buses will run this date.
3. Friday, September 9, no school for students. The faculty will be available for conferences from 9:00 11:00 a. m.
4. Monday, September 12, Classes will begin in all departments.

### NOTICE

All elementary students (first 6 grades) will go to the gymnasium on Thursday, Sept. 8, at 9:00 a. m. Class rooms will be assigned at that time.

Lunch will be served in the cafeteria Thursday, Sept. 8. School will be dismissed around 2:00 p. m. on Thursday.

### IMPORTANT

All students must be vaccinated for small-pox. All new students must furnish birth certificates. **Compulsory Attendance:** Under the new school regulations we must enforce the compulsory attendance law. All children between the ages of 6 and 16 must attend school unless excused for some good reason. Reasons for being excused must comply with the compulsory law. We are looking forward to a good school year. Your suggestions are not only welcomed but solicited.

L. C. McKAMIE, Superintendent

### PEARL

## NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newland of Dallas spent the week end with Mrs. Newland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elam and family of Evant visited with the Charlie Elam family, Sunday.

Mrs. Vera Whitt and Mr. and Mrs. Creed Oney and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Whitt and inspected the new home being built by the Whitt's at Copperas Cove, Sunday.

Miss Ethel Upton of Izora with Jim Campbell, attended church here Sunday.

Eugene Manning of San Angelo spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Manning and family.

Mrs. Dessie Meyers of Gatesville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Susie Smith, this week.

Theo and C. B. Whatley returned home Sunday after a ten days visit with relatives at San Angelo.

Nollie Robinson is vacationing in Colorado this week, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wright are staying with Fred while Nollie is away.

### X-RAY Shoe Fitting



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Mrs. Elizabeth Ballard celebrated her 76th birthday with a dinner at her son, Tut's home. Others present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ballard of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Vester Ballard.

Scottie Wayne has an infected hand in the sling this week.

Morris Bates was carried to a doctor last week to have some steel removed from his hand.

Mrs. Ira Walker and J. B. Doyle will finish Mrs. O. C. Oney's new home this week. Visiting her Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Lacy; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Manning; Mrs. Lulu Harris and Sammie; Miss Emma Bunnell; Mr. and Mrs. Harley Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Moore and family of Taft are spending part of his vacation with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Moore and family; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bates and family.

Miss Vada Ballard and Miss Norma Bynum are visiting in Spur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Beeman Moore visited with Mrs. Moore's parents Mr. and Mrs. Bud Shelton, at Flat last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Langford and family of Kerrville attended the Church of Christ services here Sunday.

Shirley King is home for a few days before she reports to Austin for school work Sept. 1.

Mrs. Vera Whitt has accepted a job in Evant. She will begin work September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Webb and family of Amarillo spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dawson, Preston, Otis and Alice Whitt. Mr. and Mrs. Webb, Otis Whitt, Alice and Corene Whitt are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Verg Cash of Comanche this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Laudermilk and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Laudermilk this week.

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BY

Bonnie & Johnnie

Did you ever notice the hush and quiet that falls over our town about 1 p. m. It's "Siesta Time" for the children and mamas, too, we hope. Even the cats and dogs sink slowly down behind the shrubs for a quick nap while their little tormentors are asleep.

The summer sun glares down upon us and seems to take the

starch out of the liveliest of our youngsters. Then mama steps in and puts them to bed. Could it be that this daily rest has helped nature keep resistance high and thus prevent polio in our town this summer?

Everyone disappears from the streets and the heat and glares take over for a while. There is a faint odor of baked cedar and summer flowers being burned to a crisp by a relentless sun.

About four o'clock children slam the screens and swarm upon the lawns and sidewalks. The little girls are wearing starched pinafores or sun suits and the boys in bathing suits or shorts,—our town is awake again!

The Kendrick youngsters deliver their papers in a hurry.

Marian Morgan smiles and waves energetically at all her grown-up friends as she races up and down the sidewalk.

Two little Indians—wearing printed shorts—start a war with three cowboys led by Ramona Sue Carswell.

The "Bates Boys" start jumping the rope. Daddy Oran jumps too, and surprisingly well.

Virginia Bradford sails down the street, with incredible speed, on her bicycle.

Lynn Forrest visits the drug store and quietly reads comic books. You have to look closely

or you don't see him at all. He doesn't care, as he is probably flying through space with "Superman" or exploring the moon with "Alley Oop" and the "Professor".

The children of Gatesville do have fun, don't they?

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### Roland Nite Receives Eye Injury Saturday Night

Roland Nite, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nite, received an injured eye Saturday night, while playing miniature golf at the miniature golf ground in Highland Addition, he was struck in the eye with a golf club, breaking his glasses and causing slivers of the glass to get into his eye.

He was immediately taken to a Waco hospital where he received an operation to remove the glass. Mr. Nite was released from the hospital one day this week and is now at home.

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### Mr. Raley Returns As GHS Band Director

Randall Raley, Gatesville High School Band director of 1948-49 will return as announced by Supt. L. C. McKamie.

Raley resigned the position last year to continue his education and this summer completed his master's degree at the University of Texas.

Raley will begin working with the High School band September 1, and the band's first appearance will be Friday night, September 9th, at the opening football game with Killeen.

## ED BECK

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**C. City-VFW Club Mets Gholson In Second Round, N-T Tournament**

Representing Coryell County in the News-Tribune Baseball tournament a Coryell City team, a composite of Coryell City and Gatesville, meets Gholson at 6 p. m. Saturday.

They previously dropped their first game to Itasca by a close margin, but are meeting the top teams of Central Texas in this N-T cup race.

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**Jonesboro Socks Old Dope Bucket Again: Kayoo's Purmela 12-10**

Anything can happen, and does, in the Coryell County Base Ball League, and no offense is meant either to Purmela or Jonesboro, but the latter, which has been picking on the top hands of the league, again kicked the old dope bucket and blasted out a 12-10 win over Purmela Tuesday night.

Summerfelt, Jonesboro hurler whiffed 16 while his brother "Fuzzy" Summerfelt slapped out a homer and a double, and P. T. of the Lemmons tribe got three bingles out of four trips to the plate.

This Summerfelt lad, only 20, got that many SO's last Sunday with the Cowhouse Basin League, playing with Aleman, and is an up and coming youngster, if he don't ruin a right good arm.

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**League Managers Mail In Your Wins, Losses, Total Games**

Managers of Coryell County Base Ball League, the NEWS would like to double-check our already double-checked percentages on your games.

We have reports on most of them, and went back to the first game recently and re-checked all our figures. However, there are some games not reported for some reason or other, and if the managers will take their scorebooks and mail us a card showing: the games played, games won, and games lost, we can figure and see if we're correct, and if so, correct the standings. There is no central agency for this work, and nobody has any more official figures than anyone else.

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Charles Baker of near Falfurias is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker and others.

**Venta Glass, Something New In The Window Line: Has Coryell Connection**

James Moss, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Tom R. Mears of Gatesville, is now with the Nu-Air-Wa Company of Port Arthur, and they manufacture something new in windows and doors.

They call it "Venta Glass". This works similar to venetian blinds, and are windows made in a series of plate glass slats that give more ventilation and greater protection, keeping out burglars, and they can't be rained in.

They are something new in the Window business, and the company is now selling as far away from Port Arthur as New York City.

Mr. Moss was formerly with the Texas Company for about 17 years before he started out on this new business, which, it seems, is going to be a success.

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**Applications For NSLI Available At McClendon's Office Monday**

Application blanks for National Service Life Insurance interest payments for veterans of World War II will be available at Veterans Service Officer Carl McClendon's office in the District Clerk's office in the court house Monday, 29th.

Typists will be there to help the Veterans fill them out in applying for this interest.

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**Last Chance To Buy Camp Hood Houses: Bids Close September 7**

If for any reason you want to buy some North Camp Hood houses, lumber, etc., September 7 is the last go-round, according to the District Engineer's office.

Bid forms can be secured at the Fire House in North Camp Hood, or you can drop by the NEWS office and look over what they're offering.

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**R. B. DAVIS IS ASSISTANT MANAGER OF PERRY BROS.**

R. B. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boles Davis, is now assistant manager of Perry Brothers, taking the place of Mr. Ray Reeder, who has gone to Eastland as manager of Perry Brothers there.

Mr. Davis was formerly with Woolworth in Galveston, Louisiana and Waco, before accepting the position here.

**Here's The Flights For Gatesville Golf Club Champ Tourney**

Championship Flight: Joe Skelton-Johnny Dyche; K. Jones-W. Stewart; Wes Scott-W. P. Graham; H. K. Jackson-E. L. Stewart; Byron McClellan-R. B. Cross; Ray Painter-Bob Foster Jr.; W. H. Shepherd-George Painter; Pete Patterson-Francis Caruth.

First Flight: E. C. Bauman-J. H. Hamilton; John Hodge-E. J. Schloeman; Bill Weigand-O. W. Lowrey; Bill McClellan-H. K. Jackson Jr.; John Bradford-E. W. Jones Jr.; Bill Nesbitt-Otis Ray; C. C. Shepherd-J. W. Sprinkle L. L. Wharton-Earl Hite.

Second Flight: Dermond Lawrence-J. F. Post; T. R. Williams-Albert Dickje; Jack Tippit-Bill Sheridan; Pete Reesing-Bob Cummings; L. A. Meeks-Bill Davis; G. P. Schaub-R. G. Davidson J. T. May-Ollie Little; Hurl McClellan-Byron Leaird Jr.

All first round matches must be played prior to Monday, August 29th.

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**NEW ADDITIONS TO 1949 HORNET FOOTBALL ASPIRANTS**

Here are new prospective 1949 Hornets who are sweating it out from 5 to 7 every hot afternoon at the old athletic field.

There is plenty of hard, rough stuff down there, and these boys have been added to the flock; Billy Mack Thompson, Raymond Jones, Howard Hitt, Dewey Meeks, Jack Poston, Roger Miller and Dewey Davis.

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**Camp Hood In Ft. Sill Double Elimintaion Softball Tournament**

Camp Hood in a Fourth Army Softball Tournament at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, dropped the first game 4-2, after weakening in the third, when with three on, Ft. Sill sent in a relief hurler and retired the side.

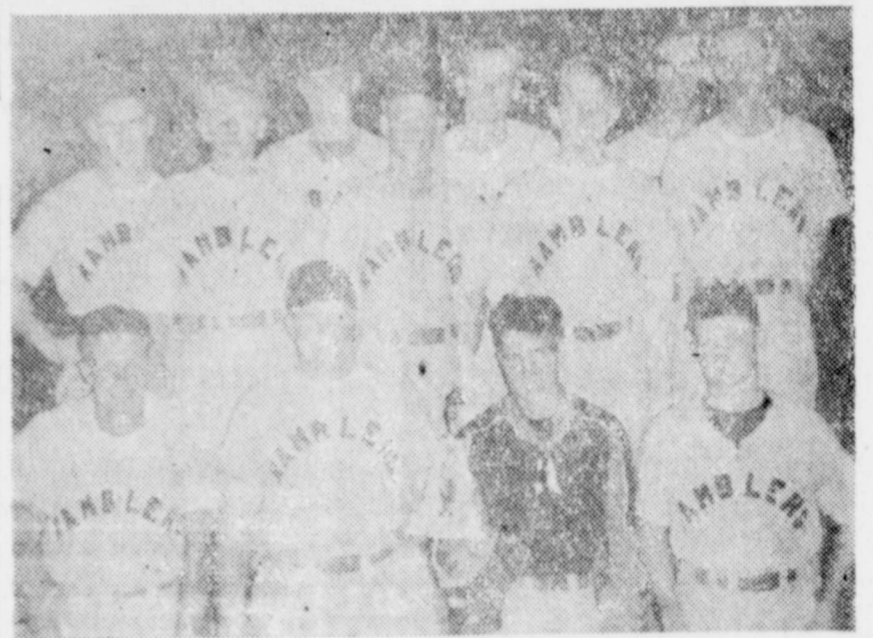
The box score was 4 runs, 5 hits, 4 errors for Ft. Sill; 2 runs, 3 hits, 4 errors for Camp Hood.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Lee and family have returned from a vacation to Hereford, Canyon, Summerfield and New Mexico, visiting with his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lee, and Mrs. Lee's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Raby Kellog at Spring Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Saunders leave this Friday for North Carolina, to spend two weeks.

**Represent Gatesville in TAAF Meet In Corpus**



Here's "Red" White's Ramblers wood Tournament, at 9 o'clock this morning.

Left to right, front row: Baize, Roberts, Manager-catcher White, Collins; 2nd row: Painter, Jones, Smith, Price; third row: Nichols, Knight, McCallister, Whitney.

Manager White took 14 men, some of them pictured and some of the pictured ones not going.



PRINCIPALS IN MANHUNT

Highway Patrolman Claude W. Reeves examines a six shooter shooter found in a suspect's home after the double slaying of Mr.

and Mrs. J. E. Mash at their Bridgeport, Texas, farm August 23. At the right Peace Justice C. M. Quisenberry of Decatur holds a snub-nosed pistol also the home. (P) Wirephoto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Caruth III of Dallas, spent the week end in Gatesville visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Britain and daughter spent the past week en at Mo-Ranch, Kerrville, this is the Presbyterian Youth Camp.

Miss Patsy Pruitt of Fort Worth is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Pruitt.

Mrs. Annabel Chamlee, Mrs. Lewis Thomson were Tuesday visitors to Waco.

Mrs. H. C. Stinnett is visiting friends in Comanche this week.

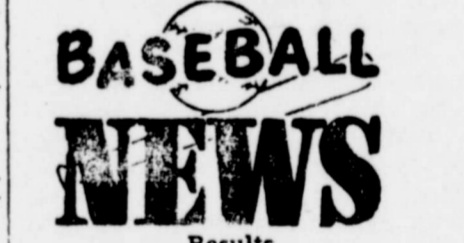
Misses Geneva McLeroy, Barbara, Grealidine and Virginia have returned from a visit with their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman of Franklin, Texas.

Dr. Jesse McElhanon and Mrs. Joe Carl McElhanon, Miss Louise and Estelle Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cook of Waco, have been visiting their sister-in-law, Mrs. Marcus M. Gregory, who is in the local hospital, recovering from an injury received in a car wreck.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Bynum and Lendell of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bynum of Waco; and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mitchell of Waco, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bynum of Pearl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis, Mrs. John Frank Post and children are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall at Penwell, Texas, this week.

**CORYELL COUNTY BASEBALL LEAGUE STANDING**



Results  
Tuesday—Purmela 10, J'boro 12  
Wednesday—Pearl ? C. City ?  
Monday—"Rees" ? Lions ?

**NEXT GAMES**

Thursday—Seattle-T'ville  
Friday—G'ville-Pidcoke, no game  
**Sunday Games**  
Seattle at Gatesville  
Coryell City at Purmela  
Evant at Turnersville  
Pidcoke at Pearl, (no game)  
Jonesboro, bye.

Wednesday—Evant vs J'boro.  
Thursday—G'ville vs C. City  
Friday—Purmela vs Seattle

**STANDINGS \***

Team	P	W	L	Pct
Coryell City	19	16	4	.842
Purmela	18	13	5	.722
Gatesville	17	12	5	.705
Evant	18	11	7	.511
Turnersville	18	10	8	.555
Seattle	17	7	10	.412
Jonesboro	19	5	13	.263
Pidcoke	16	3	13	.187
Pearl	19	3	16	.166

**THANK YOU, MR. AND MRS. CORYELL COUNTY:---**

Thank you all 2,500 or more that wanted to come to see us on our Sixtieth Anniversary Celebration, and especial thanks to those that did come, and register.

Thanks, also, for the beautiful flowers, the many reminiscences, and the good-will offered us.

Thanks, too, to all those who helped by the loaning of their historical items, pictures, money, banking papers, and everything else that made our Anniversary the success it was.

We know Coryell County has been exceedingly good to us, and we honestly do our utmost to reciprocate, and our wish is, that we all work together for the good of ours, the grandest County in Texas, the U. S. A., or anywhere: Coryell County!

Sincerely,

Officers and Directors of

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