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City Issues \$30,000 In Time Warrants

The Gatesville City Council held a regular monthly meeting Tuesday, August 13. The council issued \$30,000 in time warrants to pay for water department improvements. The primary improvement being financed by the warrants, is the new well and pump, located at the ground level reservoir on Highway 84, east of Gatesville. The council discussed requirements and needs of water to the Westview Addition and Walls Manufacturing Company. The City Council continued discussion of the 1968 - 69 budget with councilmen in charge of city departments planning to make projections and estimates of project and operating cost for the coming year at a future meeting. Mayor Bob Miller reported Wednesday that possibly the council would hold a special meeting in two weeks, August 27, to discuss budget needs in more detail. Miller pointed out to the council that he was formulating an official position view of the City Sales Tax for their approval. Miller estimated that the policy statement would be made public sometime next week and would contain many answers to

questions citizens might have of the tax. The council voted Tuesday night, unanimously, to pay 50% of the cost of the new airport terminal which has just been completed. The facility was originally estimated to cost approximately \$2500, with actual cost to Gatesville only amounting to approximately \$1093.

Temple Attorney Speaks To Optimist Club, Monday

Mr. Bob Burleson, an attorney from Temple, was the guest speaker of the Optimist Club of Gatesville, at their regular weekly meeting, Monday evening. Burleson is a member of the Texas Explorers' Club. The club is composed of fifty active members, who seek adventure on exploration trips in the southwestern United States and northern Mexico. Anyone interested in the club or in making an adventurous trip with the club may contact Burleson. He presented this excellent program, with slides, in three sections. The first section was a canoe trip down the Rio Grande River, beginning in the mountains in New Mexico and concluding in the Big Bend National Park in southwest Texas. The second adventure was a mountain climbing expedition

in the Sierra de Carmen in northern Mexico. The concluding adventure was a canoe trip to the head waters of the Rio Sabinas in northern Mexico. The river has its beginning from a crystal clear fifty foot spring. The water is so clear that elephant ear plants grow far beneath the surface of the water, because of the availability of the light. In this area, the natives see angios only occasionally and had never seen scuba gear before. The entertaining program indicated that this was a club for the adventurous. President David Sandefur announced that the Gatesville High School coaches would meet with the club next week to present a program concerning the athletic program for the coming year.

Charley Powell To Serve On Belton School Board

The Belton School Board appointed Charley Powell, of Belton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powell of Gatesville, to the



Charley Powell

Belton School Board following the resignation of Mr. Benny Bay. Charley Powell is owner-manager of the Powell Supply in Belton. Powell will fill the unexpired three-year term ending April 1, 1969. Powell is a past president of the Belton Chamber of Commerce and is now serving on the chamber board of directors. Powell was present at the Belton School Board Budget hearing, Monday, which passed a record \$1,427,313 budget.

Ft. Hood Soldiers Filed On

Police Chief, Gene Goins, reported Wednesday that night patrolman, Fabian Klecka picked two soldiers, ages 21 and 20, at 1:40 a.m., Wednesday morning. The 21-year old soldier was filed on for contributing to a minor and the 20 year old was filed on for consumption. Goins reported that two local girls, 16 and 15 years of age, were picked up with the soldiers. The young girls were escorted to their homes. The two soldiers were fined \$25 each in Justice of Peace, Stony Hammack's court. Gene Goins reported two minor accidents this week. Mrs. Margaret Rhodes Kiphen, driving a 1964 Ford driven by Mrs. Billie Lee Blanchard near Bunny Hill Nursery on Golf Course Road. The Kiphen auto was a total loss and the Blanchard car was damaged \$300. Goins reported that Mrs. Kiphen was attempting to make a "U" turn at the time of the accident. Monday night at 9:37, a three-car mishap occurred at Main and Sixth Streets, reported Gene Goins. Goins reported that the accident occurred when a 1967 Chevrolet driven by Mrs. Brenda Sue Prock, was making a left hand turn onto 6th Street. Mrs. Patricia Ann Worthington, driving a 1964 Ford, slowed down and stopped behind the Prock auto. Goins reported Sheriff Windy Cummings, in a 1965 Ford, struck the Worthington car in the rear, pushing it forward. Mrs. Worthington was hospitalized with neck injuries.

State School Personnel Included

Mountainview Youth Files Suit Against Texas Youth Council

The Gatesville State School employees have been named in a \$75,000 federal suit, alleging "cruel and unusual punishment" of a 15 year old Houston youth while an inmate at the Mountainview State School for Boys, at Gatesville. The suit named as defendants, Dr. James A. Turman, executive director of the Texas Youth Council, which has jurisdiction over the state school; M.B. Kindrick, listed as general superintendent of the Gatesville State School for Boys and "Garthman" a guard at the Mountainview School. Mr. M.B. Kindrick reported Thursday that he received first notice of the suit from a Waco news reporter, inquiring about the case. Kindrick pointed out that his only connection with the youth would be that the youth, like all inmates of both Mountainview and the Gatesville State School for Boys, are brought in through a central reception center. Kindrick explained boys held at the Reception Center, until a discussion is made to locate them at one of the seven schools of the State School system or to locate them at the Mountainview School for Boys. The Waco News-Tribune gives the following account of the incident. "Eddie Keller, son of Mrs. Clara Evans, said he was beaten and punished severely by a guard after a minor altercation

with another inmate. Mack Morris, assistant superintendent of Mountainview State School for Boys, said Tuesday he had not heard of the lawsuit, but he denied that Keller was beaten or that he received any cruel or unusual punishment at the school. Named as defendants in the suit were Dr. James A. Turman, executive director of the Texas Youth Council, which has jurisdiction over the state school for boys; M.B. Kindrick, listed as general superintendent of the Gatesville State School for boys; and a guard identified only as "Garthman". Dr. Turman said the school has no guards and no one named Garthman. He said a youth activities supervisor at the Mountainview School is named M.D. Gartman. Kindrick said he had not heard of the suit and that off-hand he did not recall Keller, but that if Keller were an inmate at Mountainview School he might not recall him because he is not as closely connected with Mountainview as with other Gatesville State Schools. George B. Adams is superintendent of Mountainview, but he was not available Tuesday afternoon. Mack Morris, assistant superintendent at Mountainview said Keller is still an inmate of that school and has never been beaten or given any cruel or unusual punishment. Morris said Keller "got into trouble" and as a disciplinary

measure was placed in a work unit in which he and others in that unit had to work five

Highway Patrol Reports Three Weekend Wrecks

Highway Patrolman Wallace Plentl reported three accidents over the August 10-11 weekend. Damages totaling \$3800 was done to six vehicles.

Thursday, August 8, at 9:15 p.m., a 1967 Mercury, driven by Greg Hampton of Fort Hood, struck the back of a 1961 GMC Pickup, driven by Denny Alton, near the Leon River Bridge three miles south of Gatesville.

The Alton pickup was pushing a 1958 Ford at a slow rate of speed when the collision occurred, reported Plentl. Kenneth Thompson, a passenger in the Hampton car received minor injuries and was treated and released from Coryell Memorial Hospital.

A 1964 Buick, driven by Katherine Jameson of Altus, Oklahoma, went out of control five miles north of Gatesville on Highway 36 and was in collision with a 1964 Chevrolet, driven by Price Green. Plentl said "the Jameson vehicle went off the right shoulder of the road, struck a speed limit sign, and veered into the path of the Green vehicle." Mrs. Jameson received severe head and face lacerations and a possible fractured hip. Clarence Beasley, a passenger in the Green vehicle, sustained back injuries and was treated and released from Coryell Memorial Hospital.

Sunday, August 11, at 8:15 p.m. on Golf Course Road, just outside the city limits, a two car accident did an estimated \$1000 damage to the vehicles. Plentl reported that a 1966 Chevrolet, driven by Ronald Charles of Gatesville, was heading north on Golf Course Road, when he collided with a 1968 Plymouth, driven by Billy Harris, headed south on the Golf Course Road. Harris was attempting to pick up a cigarette which had fallen in the seat of the car and veered into the opposite lane. There were no injuries and the cars each were damaged \$500 worth.



Improvements To Be Made

\$85,000 FHA LOAN APPROVED FOR LOCAL COUNTRY CLUB

Members of the Gatesville Country Club will soon see construction begin to improve facilities. The Farmers Home Administration has granted approval of an \$85,000 federal loan to improve the local club. Clubhouse and course improvements are planned to make the club attractive to all age groups for a variety of social activities.

The VOE is a one-year cooperative project for senior students. Students receive technical and related instruction in a one-period class session each day and also receive supervised on-the-job work experience in an approved training position. In addition to the cooperative program, there will be a laboratory class with simulated working conditions for senior students which will meet for two class sessions each day.

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New Program Begins At GHS This Semester

A new vocational program, Vocational Office Education, will be offered to Gatesville High School students in September. The program has been designed specifically to meet the needs of students who have career objectives in office occupations. Mrs. Gail Callahan will be the teacher - coordinator at Gatesville High School. The VOE is a one-year cooperative project for senior students. Students receive technical and related instruction in a one-period class session each day and also receive supervised on-the-job work experience in an approved training position. In addition to the cooperative program, there will be a laboratory class with simulated working conditions for senior students which will meet for two class sessions each day.

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of subject matter that is directly related to the occupational objective of each student. The course of study is geared to job requirements as determined by a job analysis made by the teacher - coordinator in cooperation with the employer. Class work is coordinated with the practical work experience the student receives in the office in which he is employed. Students must work a minimum of 15 hours a week in an approved office occupation. Qualification for enrollment in the VOE program requires a student to be sixteen years of age or older and to have completed a course in typewriting. Possible career objectives include bookkeeping, general office clerks, receptionists, payroll clerks and stenographers.

In pointing out the beneficial aspects to business men, Mrs. Callahan noted that firms have an effective retention of graduating students and that the students are fully trained when they graduate. She also cited employing workers in a learning situation while they are at an age when they learn more rapidly, helping create a pool of experienced office workers for the community, having instruction by the school in classes closely related to the job

Baptist Brotherhood To Hold Annual Barbecue

The Baptist Men's Brotherhood will hold their Annual Barbecue Supper, Monday night, August 26, at the Oak Grove Park at the State School. The evening meal will be served at 7:00 p.m. Entertainment for the evening will feature Sam Beam, performing a whip act. Principal speaker for the occasion will be Charles Wise, manager of the Medical Plastics.

The Oak Grove Park is located just north of the State School Reception Center, east of Highway 36. The Men's Brotherhood extends an invitation to all men and boys to be present.



On The Job Training

On-the-job training from Linda Balze will help Eloise Washburn along her way to a successful career as a secretary. Miss Washburn is one of the first VOE students to receive a training position. Miss Washburn will be working approximately 15 hours with Grinstead, Hawkins and Logan, accountants, in Gatesville.

Edwards To Attend Conference

Bob Edwards, vice - president of the Gatesville Chamber of Commerce, will attend a three day meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Papa, Texas, August 18, 19 and 20. The conference will feature discussions on several topics.

SANDEFUR BOYS VISIT GRANDPARENTS

Randy and Ronnie Sandefur, sons of Mr. and Mrs. David Sandefur, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Sandefur and Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Matous of Temple.

Services Held For Retired Gatesville Business Man

Mr. John L. Webb, 79, of Gatesville died in a Temple Hospital Sunday. Funeral services were held Tuesday in Scott's Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Walter Allen officiating. Burial was in Masonic Cemetery. Mr. Webb was born and reared near Flat. He came to Gatesville in 1906, and had lived here since. He was married to the former Miss Dollie Winfield in 1908, who preceded him in death in January. Mr. Webb was a retired salesman and funeral home director. He worked for Carlton Bros. and Scott's Furniture, before going into the funeral home business. He retired several years ago. He was a member of the First Baptist Church. Survivors include two sons, F.L. Webb and Wesley Webb, both of Gatesville and four grandchildren.



On The Job Training

Big dog and little horse. R.P. Cummings stands with two prize animals, one a 108 pound German Shepherd called Happy and a 35 pound Shetland pony, belonging to Mr. Clay Cupps. The colt is now four months old. Cummings described the colt as one of the smallest he has seen. "It was the size of a jackrabbit at birth", Cummings stated.

Women's Bowling Assn. Elects Officers

The Gatesville Women's Bowling Association met August 12, 1968, at the Dairy Queen to elect City Association officers for the 1968-69 Bowling League. Mrs. Corine Homan, president of the City Association, presided.

Mrs. Bess Bush resigned as president and nominations were opened for that position.

Mrs. Janelle Nickerson was elected as president. Other officers elected were Mrs. Wanda Shelton, vice president; Mrs. Pam Morse, Sergeant at arms.

Board of directors chosen to serve are Miss Waldean Mack,

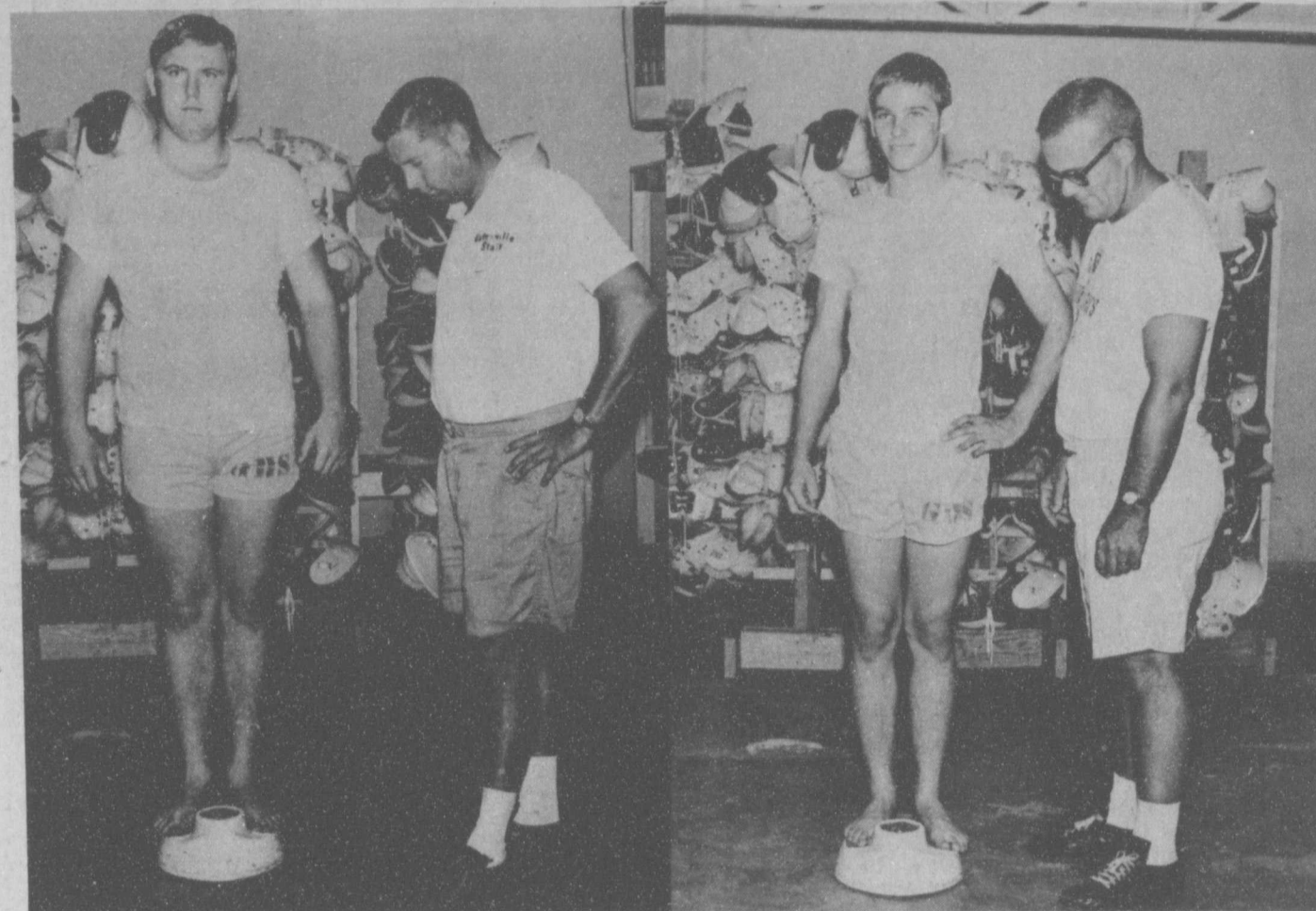
Mrs. Louise Matthews, Mrs. Gladys Mitchell, Mrs. Mary Nolte and Mrs. Ila Verne Ward.

Mrs. Mitchell was also elected publicity chairman.

The beginning date for league bowling will begin Monday, September 9, at the Gatesville Bowl Lanes with League officers to be elected then.

Those present were Mrs. Wanda Shelton, Mrs. Janelle Nickerson, Mrs. Bess Bush, Mrs. Louise Matthews, Miss Waldine Mack, Mrs. Mary Nolte, Mrs. Gladys Mitchell, Mrs. Ila Verne Ward, Mrs. Kathryn Nolte, Mrs. Corine Homan, Mrs. Pam Morse.

GRIDSTERS WEIGH IN



The Big and the little of the returning lettermen are big 229-

pound James Ingram, with assistant football coach Jack Bell and 145-pound Larry McCutchen, with head coach Jack Gunlock.

Coach Gunlock reported this week that the Hornets would be the heaviest in years. The Hornets will have moderate speed also.

Golfers...They Never Give Up

FT. HOOD - Some people never blow their cool -- and then there is 1st Lt. David Bonner, 1st Armd. Div, special services officer.

Bonner, of Amarillo, has to

be the golfer's golfer and an example to all expectant fathers.

It was on Thursday, August 8, that Bonner began play in the Ft. Hood Golf Tournament. Last Friday, mid-way between the second round, Bonner became a father. Last Saturday, he won the 1st Flight Championship.

Bonner played steady golf throughout the tournament firing rounds of 76-75-76 -- his best round coming on the day he became a father.

"I settled down a little after I came back from the hospital," Bonner said. "I played the first round looking over my shoulder expecting to see them coming out to get me to take me to the hospital," he said.

It was just after Bonner hit his drive on the ninth hole that they came for him.

"They told me that my wife would deliver within 30 minutes," Bonner said.

"Of course I couldn't leave until I finished the hole, so I hit a nine iron to the green, and then calmly went up and three putted."

Bonner then came back to the course in the mid-afternoon, the father of a 7 pound, 15 ounce baby boy. He passed out a few cigars and then finished the back nine.

Hornet Athletic Program Gets Underway

The Gatesville Hornets Athletic program began Wednesday evening with physical examinations for all athletes.

The 80-90 young athletes will compete in five sports and on ten teams in fall, winter and spring sports.

Primary interest will be football, with first pre-season practice sessions scheduled for Monday, August 19.

Coach Jack Gunlock will begin morning and afternoon sessions, Monday.

The first outing for the Hornets will be a practice scrimmage with Cameron, on August 27th at McKamie Stadium.

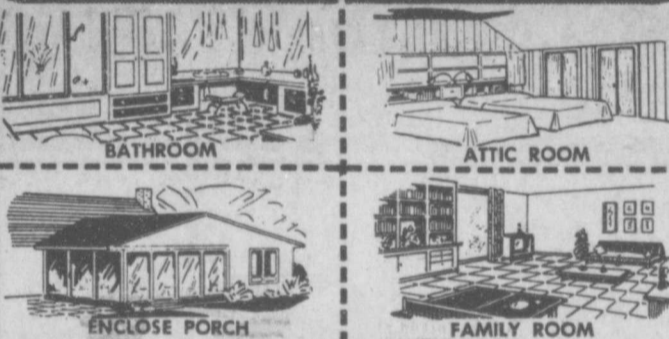
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MOUNTAIN NEWS by MRS. J.H. JEFFREY

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richardson left Dallas by plane, Wednesday, for California, where they will spend their vacation with relatives. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ri-

chardson, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Cude, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Flesley.

Mr. and Mrs. F.R. Black had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs.

Mound News By Mrs. Walter Wiggins

The V.B.S. which was held at the Mound Baptist Church last week, closed Friday, with a picnic lunch and the commencement exercises that evening at 7:30. A very successful week was spent with an average attendance of 50 pupils and workers. Mrs. James Bruce was principal of the school, with a number of helpers. Mrs. Perry Davidson was pianist and Miss Margaret Jo Hopson was the song leader. The pastor, Rev. Bennie Bailey brought the message at the close of the program.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. W.S. Garnett were her grandchildren, Gary Garnett of Brownsville, Scott Halter of Austin and Misses Sara and Dorothy Hicks of Temple. Dorothy Hicks attended the V.B.S. last week. The Vernon Hicks family also visited in the home of Mrs. Garnett recently. The children have all returned home now.

Rev. Marshall White and family from the state of Oregon, visited in Mound last Thursday. He visited his former school teacher, Miss Ima Fellers and a Schoolmate, Bruce Bomar and family. He also visited the Mound Baptist Church, where the V.B.S. was in progress and where he was a former member. The "Whites" were enroute to Bay City to visit his wife's relatives.

Recent visitors in the James Bruce home were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Snodgrass of Killeen and Mr. Bruce's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bruce and children of Woodway. Visitors at the morning services at the Mound Baptist

Church, were Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hill and daughter, from the State of Indiana. Mr. Hill is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. M.V. Hill and visited here during their lifetime. The elder Mr. Hill was postmaster at Mound for a number of years.

The Loyde Fowlers, of Houston, have been visiting the Holice Davidsons' and other relatives here and in Gatesville. Mrs. Fowler and sons attended church services here, Sunday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. Bennie Bailey were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Barnard, Sunday.

A Baptismal service was held at the close of the morning service. Cathy Brown and Keith Bruce were the candidates for Baptism.

Mr. and Mrs. Souglass Smith and little son, of Waco, attended the service and also visited relatives.

Mrs. B. G. Anderson, of Waco and her grandchildren, Donna and Deborah and David Anderson, of Huntsville, visited recently in the home of Mrs. H.M. Fellers and Miss Ima Fellers.

Later in the week, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Fellers and Paula and Dean Anderson enjoyed a trip to Highland Lake Area Hill Country and also Longhorn Cavern, before returning home.

Mrs. H.M. Fellers stayed with her daughter, Mrs. Ted Mayberry while they were gone.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Binford, of Dallas, came Saturday night for Paula and Dean Anderson, who had been visiting here the past two months with relatives.

Miss Ruth Wiggins of Lubbock, came Saturday a week ago to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Wiggins and other relatives, and friends. She returned to Lubbock, Friday to return to work. She visited the Bruce Bomars', the Truett Hopsons', the Gus Davidsons' and also visited in the home of her brother, Bill Wiggins and family, in Gatesville, while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wiggins and daughters, of Gatesville, visited in the W.L. Wiggins home last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Wiggins visited Johnnie Collins in the Coryell Memorial Hospital in Gatesville, Saturday afternoon. Johnnie was thrown from a tractor, Friday morning, and received a broken leg when the tractor ran over his leg. He was doing as well as could be expected Saturday, but the broken bone could not be set until Wednesday. Johnnie is the brother of Mrs. Bill Wiggins.

Visitors in the Troy Bruton home, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Stovall and children of Gatesville. Mrs. Bruton accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Stovall, Lana and Kenny, to Waco, Monday.

Most of the children and grandchildren of Mrs. F.R. Cole, Sr. were visitors in her home, Sunday.

Visiting in the Robert McHargue home and other relatives in this vicinity, are relatives from North Carolina. We are glad to report that Miss Sandra Ayres was brought home from the hospital, one day last week.

Mrs. Loyd F. Lam and daughters, Pat and Michelle and Mrs. James Bruce were Waco visitors, Monday.

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The Gatesville Public Schools will not be responsible for any item charged for materials or labor unless a purchase order is submitted signed by the Superintendent of Schools.

The Gatesville Public Schools does not recommend officially anything such as books, business schools, insurance, correspondence schools and/or anything a salesman might offer for sale. It is realized that many things are good, and some good salesmen are in the field. We cannot, by regulations, make a recommendation. This is being injected into this notice because some salesmen have used the schools to promote sales.

There is one exception during the year: Along with the athletic insurance, student insurance is offered. This is strictly voluntary on the part of the parents. The schools receive no reimbursement whatever. While we investigate the companies thoroughly, and try to use the best, the school assumes no responsibility except to assist with the insurance applications.

Please call the schools if you encounter any misrepresentations.

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