





Trash piles like the one pictured above are commonplace along many of our Coryell County roads. Above it seems as though the concealment of the trash from view was aimed at remaining the problem forever. However, the problem remains and is added to as more and more persons use the spot to dump.

**...Pollution**

one way to look at it and I'm sure there are other ways.

Fifty years ago that might have been O.K. We didn't have any dams on our streams. Today there are very few of the larger streams that don't have dams and lakes on them. There are more every year. The more people we have the more litter, the more pollution we have.

We are people with very little knowledge of how things really happen. We go to the lake and we find nothing but cans around the edge. We start fussing and talking about other people dumping their trash in the lake.

When I started I said I was going to talk about me. I carried this batch of cans out on this country road and tossed them in the ditch. It rained and those cans floated down to the road ditch, on to the creek and then into the river and stopped in the lake. Some time later I'm down on the lake, angry at somebody for dumping their cans in the lake and polluting the water, I wanted to fish or swim in. It is probably my own cans that I'm fussing about.

I would like to leave you with this thought found in John 8:7 Jesus straightened up and said to them, "Whoever one of you has committed no sin may throw the first stone...."

It is our problem because you and I made it. You and me must clean it up.

**TROOP 98**

On February 17, Girl Scout Troop 98, reorganized. Mothers and daughters met with Betty Cummings, the new leader, and Peggy Schumacher, the new assistant leader. Meeting Thursday, February 19, the girls held their first meeting at 4 p.m. at 118 Hillcrest Dr. This will be the time and place

for all future meetings. We hope many more girls will join us.

Tammy Hefner led us in the flag ceremony. After the opening ceremony we discussed songs and badges. We have decided on several badges we will work on in the troop.

The girls talked about the time and day were decided. cookie sale which will begin on February 27.

We planned our theme for the Dad-daughter Banquet and learned a new song, Living In

Tents and Cabins, that led us to the theme. We all hope we can use this as a Troop theme, too. Decorations were started for the Banquet with each of us making individual tents. Refreshments were brought and served by Della Esparza.

**G. L. Rogers**

**Dies In Rest Home**

Granville Lee Rogers, 79, died February 23 in the Mensch Nursing Home.

Funeral services were held February 25 at 2 p.m. in Scotts Chapel. Reverend G.S. Derick officiated. Burial was in Ater Cemetery.

Rogers was born April 28 1890 in Moffett. He moved to Coryell County at the age of five. He married Ethel Higginbotham January 26, 1908. Rogers was a member of Levita Baptist Church. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include two sons, J.C. Rogers of Houston, and T.L. Rogers of Gatesville; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Louise Watts of Houston, three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Lora Kelley of California and Mrs. Zula Clark of Waco. Pallbearers were Pruet, Otha, Moreland, Oliver Walker, Ervin Weaver, Stanley Miles, Melvin Weaver, Elbert Pancake and Gayle Pruet.

**Mrs. Ozella Hargis Services Held**

Miss Ozella Verda Hargis, longtime Gatesville resident died February 24, in Temple's Scott and White Hospital.

Funeral services were held February 25 at Scott's Chapel with Reverend Roland McLean officiating. Burial was in Jonesboro.

Miss Hargis was born in Hamilton June 28, 1901. She moved to Gatesville when she was four. She was a retired school teacher.

Survivors include two brothers, J.C. Hargis, of Gatesville and E.P. Hargis of Carlsbad, New Mexico; two nieces two nephews, one great niece and one great nephew. Pallbearers were Bob McCallister, C.C. Franks, V.R. Lee, Ross Roberts, Bently Curry and Elery Hargis.

**NOTICE**

NOTICE TO ALL RETIRED TEACHERS District XII is urging all retired teachers to meet at Stilwell Memorial Residence at 5400 Laurel Lake Dr. in Waco, Texas, March 13th. The noon luncheon will start at 12 o'clock, price \$1.50.

Please send into Stilwell the number that plan to have lunch by March 13th. The speakers for the occasion are Mr. Curtis Nixon a representative of TSTA and Mr. Steve Polansky who is a national representative of NRTA Insurance Co.

**Hugh Hackney, Longtime Coryell Resident, Dies**

Hugh David Hackney, life time Coryell resident, died February 24th in Coryell Memorial Hospital. He was 82 years old.

Funeral services were held February 25th in Scott's Chapel with Reverend Bob Richmond officiating. Burial was in Restland Cemetery.

Hackney was born December 27, 1887 in Coryell County. He lived here all his life. He married Stella Painter, August 2, 1924.

Survivors include his wife, four daughters, Mrs. Harold Nolte of Waco, Mrs. Julian Kuehl of Waco, Mrs. John Hardin of Vernon, and Mrs. Walter Schrupp of Annonpale, Virginia; 11 grandchildren and one sister Mrs. Rufus Burleson of Gatesville.

Pallbearers were Sam Powell Jr., Chick McCallister, Charles Smith, Stoney Hammack, Cotton Davidson, and Dick Payne.

**IRELAND NEWS** by Mrs. Joe Faubion

**Wayne Moore Visits Grandparents**

Wayne Moore of Fort Worth spent the past week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gulley. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, spent the week-end here and Wayne returned home with them. Other visitors in the Gulley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Fetchner of Burnet and Mr. Will Lewis of Arnett.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farris during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis of Junction, Mr. and

Mrs. Farris went to Waco Sunday afternoon to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Lovelace Jr. and family of Mineral Wells spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Lovelace Sr.

Mrs. Reacie Davis of Gatesville visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Joe C. Faubion. Billy Tom Tyler of Norman Okla. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Tyler. They all visited in Hamilton Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Annie Taylor who is a patient in the Hillcrest Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Christian and Brenda Wenzel called in the Joe C. Faubion home Friday night. Those who visited with Mr. and Mrs. O.K. Davis were Roy Kays of Fairy, Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Bonnie Davis of Gatesville.

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**MOUND NEWS**

Mrs. Walter Wiggins



**C.C. Sargent Dies in Waco**

Relatives here received word Friday night of the death of Mr. C.C. (Toad) Sargent of Waco, Mr. Sargent a former resident of this community had a number of friends and relatives here and in the Gatesville area. Funeral services for Mr. Sargent were held at Wilkerson and Hatch Funeral Home, in Waco, Saturday at 4:00 p.m. Mr. Sargent is survived by his wife, of Waco, and two daughters, of Houston. He was preceded in death by one daughter and an infant son.

Miss Ima Fellers, Mrs. Robert McHargue and Mrs. Ted Mayberry visited their mother in the Rotunda Rest Home several times last week. Mrs. Fellers had been ill with influenza the past week but was better the last report.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Winters attended the Annual Wildcat Show in Brownsville last week end and also visited in the R.J. Harris home in Port Isabel.

Mrs. H.W. Bragerwitz visited one night last week with her aunt, Mrs. Maude Fletcher, in Gatesville and also visited Mrs. Bertha Rogers also of Gatesville.

Reverend and Mrs. Scott of Ft. Worth were guests in the home of Mrs. Ben Clement Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stevens and daughters were also guests in the home of Mrs. Clement.

Reverend Scott reports that his father, Mr. Ray Scott of Tyler is ill with flu and pneumonia. We are also sorry to report that one of the broths of Mrs. S.J. Barnard is seriously ill in King Daughters Hospital in Temple.

Some members of the Truett Hospson family were ill with colds last week.

An all day meeting of the WMU was held in the Fellowship Hall of the Mound Church last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ben Clement taught a Book on Home Mission. Sixteen women were present and a covered dish luncheon was enjoyed at noon.

**SHOP GATESVILLE**

**MOUNTAIN NEWS** by Mrs. J. H. Jeffrey



**Mrs. Clary Undergoes Surgery**

Mrs. Billy Clary who recently underwent surgery in Coryell Hospital has returned home. She is convalescing satisfactorily in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Recent guests of Mrs. Lola Bray were Reverend and Mrs. George Jackson of Clifton, Mrs. Wayne Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hale and family. Mrs. Clara Blanchard is on the sick list. Reverend and Mrs. Bob Jacoby and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Blanchard.

Mrs. Helen Shipman spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bus Barton. Mr. and Mrs. Darrell DeAnn Jones and Susan were Saturday dinner guests and Mr. and Mrs. Joe New and Susan also visited the Barton's.

Mrs. Effie Peveo and her son Clyde Burks of Oglesby visited Mrs. J.H. Jeffrey Tuesday. Others visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Arnold, Glenda Brenda of McGregor, and Mrs. Charlie Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Sanders visited Mrs. Etta Sanders in Coryell Hospital Saturday afternoon. Mother Hampton whose condition remains the same. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jordan of Spur visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Edd Herrington over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ballard, Mark and Tamra were supper guests with the Jordons at the Herrington home. Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Tully Ballard and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton attended a surprise twenty-fifth wedding anniversary party at the Monroe Withers honoring Monroe and Margaret. After the party Mr. and Mrs. Tully Ballard returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Morgan McNeil of Burnett where they spent the night and attended Church services Sunday with the McNeills. Sunday afternoon they attended a singing at Center City where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Smith and boys of Gatesville were supper guest Sunday night of their parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ora Stewart. Those calling on Mr. and Mrs. Harry King Saturday was Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Jal, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Carroll of Fort Worth. Those enjoying fish dinner with Faye Gartman last Monday was Amy Brazzil, Leota Wilkerson and Lyda Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Laxson of Purmela visited while Monday night with the Earl Hampton's. Faye Gartman and Leota Wilkerson visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. John White of Temple last Tuesday.

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**PEARL NEWS** by Mrs. Lyda Cooper



**Community Center Meets**

Pearl Community Center Meets Saturday night February 28th. There will be singing and a musical for entertainment and refreshment of family choice will be served. Everyone come out.

Those visiting in the Tully Ballard home last Wednesday was Mrs. Merle Ballard of Fort Worth and Mrs. Velma Ballard of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Vestger Ballard of Gatesville. Wednesday night Merle and Velma spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ballard and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton visited in Stephenville last Friday with his sister and brother-in-law the Randal Moseley and afternoon.



**CARD OF THANKS**  
Card of thanks. We want to take this opportunity to express our thanks to our many friends for the food, flowers, and sympathy extended to us during the loss of our loved one. May God bless each and every one of you.  
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### Craft-Friendship Fete Husbands At Valentine Party

A Valentine Party honoring husbands of members of the Craft and Friendship Club was held at Jonesboro Methodist Church February 22th.

Miss Waltham Young was in charge of table decorations and the club ladies prepared coffee, tea, sandwiches, salads, cakes and pies. Homer Smith gave

thanks for the blessings of his wife before the meal. After dinner, everyone played games, visited and met with friends.

The business meeting was called with 15 members and 2 visitors present. One member joined the club. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Waltham Gilman.

### Miss Bowden—Swindall Reveal Wedding Plans



MISS BOWDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowden of Cherokee announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyn, to Billy Cromie Swindall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Swindall, 2226 Sears Drive, Gatesville.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Cherokee High School, is presently employed at the University of Texas at Austin. Mr. Swindall is a graduate of Gatesville High School and attended the University of Texas at Austin.

The couple plans a March 6 wedding in Cherokee.

### Miss Hoffman To Wed Johnny Hunt March 7



MISS HOFFMAN

Mr. and Mrs. L.O. Hoffman of Corsicana announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy Jean, to Johnny Edwin Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Hunt of Gatesville.

The wedding will take place at 8 p.m. Saturday March 7, in Western Hills Church of Christ in Temple. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

#### MARRIAGES

Herman Lee Jones and Mrs. Brenda Kay Sheets; William Aury Powell and Mrs. Patsy Lou Lench; Wayland Elmo Bratton and Wanda Ann Thompson.

#### NEW CARS

REGISTERED  
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### Purmela Baptist Hold Sweetheart Banquet

The Ladies of Purmela Baptist Church entertained seven teen boys and girls of the church with a Sweetheart Banquet, Saturday February 14th.

Guest speaker at the occasion was Julian Clark of Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth.

Table decorations of red and white carried out the traditional Valentine theme. The evening dinner consisted of ham, rib apples, baked beans, potato salad, rolls, and cherry cream cheese pie.

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# gatesville at a glance



by sally jund

**ADDS SEASONING TO LIFE...** For those of us who live a drab existence with no hobbies or the like, life settles down to the day-to-day hum-drum of the American woman whether she be the working female or the housewife, Mrs. Guy Marlin of Gatesville found the way to add "seasoning" to life in 1941, when she started a collection of salt and pepper shakers.

Mrs. Marlin said her collection which now numbers 375 salt and pepper shakers began by accident. According to the collector, Miss Bess Curd of Pancake gave her a set of poultry shakers when she was convalescing from surgery in 1941. The first set was a brightly colored hen and rooster set which was sold in Gatesville.

Mrs. Marlin decided to start collecting shakers as a hobby but limited her collection goal to shakers from each county in Texas, each state in the country and each country (if possible). She thought what fun it would be to collect and classify each shaker through the years. And FUN it was!

When Mr. Marlin was stationed in Washington and Oregon during his service years in the early 40's, Mrs. Marlin would travel to the Pacific Coast by bus for visits and pick up shakers for her collection. After his service duty was finished the "state" collecting continued with numerous vacation trips that netted more and more shakers.

In 1946, Mrs. Marlin joined a salt and pepper shaker collectors club out of St. Louis, Missouri and began corresponding with fellow collectors in an effort to exchange shakers from Texas with other states.

The membership is credited with her ability to complete her "State" shaker sets with ease. In each correspondence more interest was added with a bit of local background and information given by the collecting "shaker pal."

Mrs. Marlin's states collection was completed in 1968 when Gail Callahan of Gatesville brought her a set from Hawaii. Her Alaskan bear shaker set played two roles—as a country or territory and as a state (Mrs. Marlin got her Alaskan shakers before that frozen country became a state).

Speaking of countries the local collector has sets from France, Germany, Mexico, and Canada! As for Texas counties, Mrs. Marlin has 125 of the 254 counties in Texas and is still collecting!

Among the most interesting shakers displayed in a "Shaker packed" case in the Marlin home are two shakers made from shell casings which were made in McGregor during World War II. She even has a clever set of brown derby hats, souvenirs from the famed Brown Derby in Hollywood. One set is plastic shakers covered in Myrtlewood from Langlois, Oregon. The only other place this lovely wood grows is the Holy Lands.

The Kennedy's and Johnson's both are represented in shakers. The picture of the late President Kennedy is on the pepper and Jaqueline is on the salt. The Johnson shakers sport the birthplace of LBJ and the LBJ Ranch.

Mrs. Marlin groups her collection into animals, people, fruits and vegetables, wooden items, glass and novelty china. So if you want "spice and seasoning" in your life—start your own collection today!

**PROUDLY DISPLAYS**—At right Mrs. Marlin proudly displays her country wide collection of salt and pepper shakers in a glass case at her home. The top shelf of the case is "packed" with fruit and vegetable shakers gathered from all corners of our land. The second shelf is set aside for novelties and people figures and the third shelf holds Mrs. Marlin's own animal kingdom in shakers. Most of the fourth shelf is jammed with interesting items made of wood—everything from log shakers to wooden shoes! The fifth and bottom shelf is classified as glass and china shakers. Among her vast collection, Mrs. Marlin has shakers from each state and 125 counties in Texas.



**OLDEST, NEWEST, CLOSEST, AND MOST DISTANT**—The three shaker sets pictured below represent each of these terms. The two pewter peacocks, 50 years old, are the oldest in the collection. The late Mrs. Eunice Livingston of Stephenville gave the peacocks to Mrs. Marlin. The newest and from the most distant state are her "Natives" from Hawaii. The closest to home are the hen and rooster shakers given to her from a Gatesville woman in 1941.



**MARCHING INTO MARCH...** Yes, that's one statement that is true of all of we Coryell County residents! Did you know that March has its own corsage flowers—Jonquil and Daffodil? This windy month naturally has its birthstones Bloodstone or Aquamarine.

Did you also know that March has four Saturdays and for you shoppers—there are 26 shopping days this month?

**SAD DISEASE NOT HERE YET...** In case you think this disease is some sadness disease you are wrong. This blight is better termed St. Augustine decline. The incurable fungus of St. Augustine grass has not struck the Cen-Tex area as yet.

The disease is limited to South Texas. It was noticed a few years ago in South Texas and isolated cases outside of that area of our state since that time.

The Texas Department of Agriculture reported recently that St. Augustine grass decline, also termed a virus disease, slowly kills grass over two or three seasons. The department says some cases have been reported in Dallas and Corpus Christi.

The disease appears as a light mottling of the leaf as if the plant had no chlorophyll. The virus progresses until the grass finally dies.

Most agriculture officials say the best way to combat the disease is by having a healthy lawn. So now is the time to wage war-fare against the SAD disease! And what a perfect time to start a healthy lawn—Spring! Researchers say the key to good grass is in fertilization mowing and watering.

This spring give your grass a shot of fertilizer to get it off to a good start. When watering your "green carpet," be sure to water it thoroughly! Some of our citizens turn savage when mowing and "scalp" their lawns to a nub. The roots of St. Augustine grass will be as long as the top growth. So if you leave the tops reasonably long the deeper the roots will go into Coryell County and your grass will be healthier all growing season!

Let's get out there and start taking care of that St. Augustine grass before we are sad because of the SAD disease!

**PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK IS HERE...** This year Texas Schools celebrate their 116th birthday. In honor of the "century plus" of service to the youth of our state, parents, friends and relatives of students are urged to visit a public school March 2nd through 6th.

The Masonic Lodges of our state are once again sponsoring Public School Week in the interest of continuing public educational opportunities and educational excellence.

Why not visit one of our local facilities and examine for yourself what Texas Schools are doing? The visit is the perfect opportunity to show appreciation to teachers and to yourself for the excellent schools YOU provide!

You'll be glad—and your child will, too—that you visited a public school—his school. Visit a school near you during this "Open House" at our schools.

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**VISITORS IN BRITAIN HOME...** The Lester Britains of Sun Valley Addition welcomed two visitors in their lovely home February 16. The Britains' nephew Clovis Womack and his wife enjoyed catching up on all the news in the Britain family and just passing time in conversation. The Womacks are from Borger in the extreme panhandle of Texas. Mr. Womack is a 20 year employee with the Phillips Petroleum Company there.

Prior to their Gatesville stay, the Womacks visited in Austin with son Clovis Jr. He is teaching at the University of Texas. Wednesday the Britains entertained friends from Waco and McGregor for lunch. The guests were Reverend and Mrs. Frank Turner of Waco and Mrs. Herman Cole of McGregor. Reverend Turner, pastor of the Cogdells Memorial Methodist Church in Waco, is former pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Gatesville. Reverend Cole was unable to attend.

**WOOPEE—WE'RE INDEPENDENT...** I imagine 134 years ago a lot of Woppee's were heard as Texas declared its independence from Mexico at the historical independence meeting at Washington-on-the-Brazos.

The best way I can think of to salute our state on Independence Day is say the words found in the chorus of "Texas, Our Texas". Just think about them: "God bless you, Texas! And keep you brave and strong. That you may grow in power and worth, throughout the ages long."

**ON DEAN'S LIST**



MISS THOMAS

Miss Joyce Thomas of Gatesville was named to the distinguished student list at Tarleton State College for the fall semester.

Miss Thomas, a freshman business education major is a 1969 honor graduate of Evant High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Thomas of Route 3, Gatesville.

**Pack 272  
Boys, Proud  
Of Badges**

Cub Scout Den #1 of Pack 272 met on Wednesday afternoon at 4 p.m. as usual. They opened their meeting with a flag ceremony. The flag salute was led by Marty Gordon. The boys sang "America" using the first and last verses. This will give each of them a credit toward their arrow after they earn their Wolf Badge. Three of the boys were proudly wearing their new Bobcat Badge. DeWayne Harvey, Randy Hitt, and Marty Gordon all were awarded these badges at the Blue and Gold Banquet. Bill Gordon was the first boy in the Den to receive his Wolf Badge along with a Gold Arrow Badge. We are proud to say that at the next pack meeting more of our boys will receive their Wolf Badge. Each

of the boys in the Den have completed everything that is possible to do in the Den. From here on, it's the parents who count. The boys elected a Denner and Assistant Denner. Bill Gordon is the Denner and Billy Kellerman is the Assistant Denner. Our Den is rather unusual, as we're a "Singing Den." All the boys love to sing. They decided we needed a song leader so we elected a boy who has a special talent for leading songs. Frank Hudson leads us now in fun songs and rounds and does a super job. Each time we meet we do something different that will be toward Wolf, Arrow Point, or Bear Badges. We're now selling tickets to the Scout Fair which we will participate in with the other Dens in the Pack. The boys attending the meeting, Wednesday were Frank Hudson, DeWayne Harvey, Bill Gordon, Marty Gordon, Randy Hitt, and Billy Kellerman.

**Miss Debbie Lam Is CTC  
Engineering Sweetheart**



MISS LAM

Miss Debbie Lam has been elected Engineering Society Sweetheart at Central Texas College. The lovely GHS graduate has been a member of the society since September 1969, and has been active in all the engineering club projects during the school year.

Miss Lam, a sophomore elementary education major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Lam Jr. of Gatesville.

**GHS Crescent Staff  
Attends Baylor  
Journalism Day**

On Friday February 27 at Baylor University an all day workshop was held for Editors from several schools. Attending from Gatesville High were Debbie Alexander and Beverly Lovejoy, 1969-70 editors of the GHS Crescent. Their chaperone was Mrs. Jane Dowell, Crescent sponsor.

Along with the editors and Mrs. Dowell, three representatives from the junior annual staff attended. They were: Tonya Price, Judy Hale and Melba Ivy.

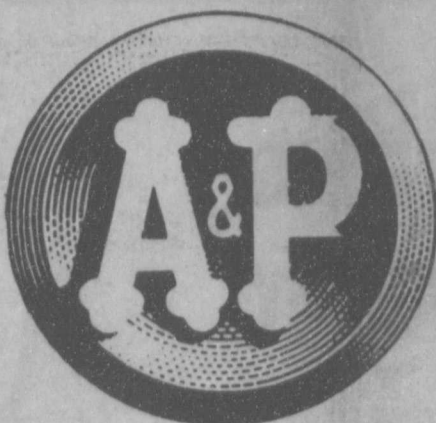
**Michael Boone  
Promoted**

Long Binh, Vietnam... Michael Boone, 21 son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Boone, Rt. 1, Gatesville, Tex., was promoted to Army specialist five January 3rd while serving as a radio repairman in the 5th Light Equipment Maintenance Company near Long Binh, Vietnam. His wife, Donna, lives at 2813 N. W. 21st St., Fort Worth.

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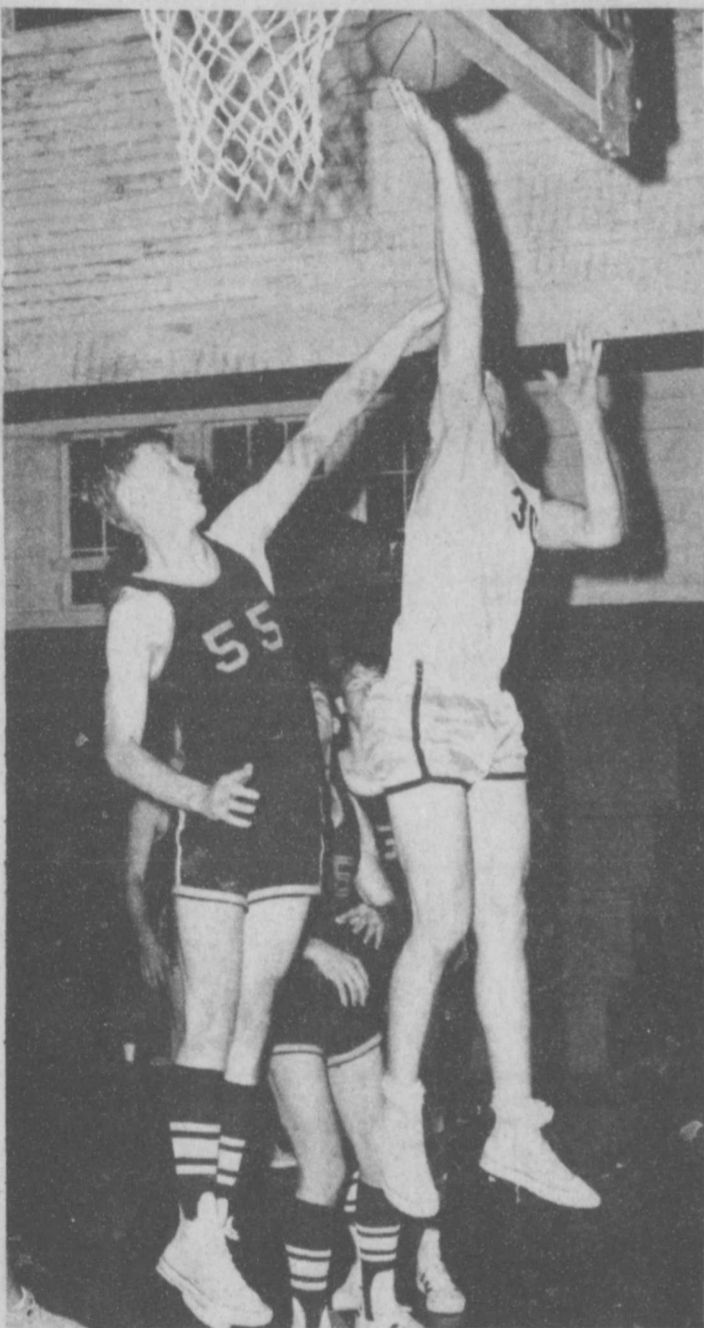
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Jim Thomas smashes a tie shot on the fourth hole during the second round of the Temple High School Invitational Golf Tournament Friday in the picture above.  
The Hornets opened their season with four of the five players carding promising scores. Jim's brother Bob lead the Hornets with a 81-84-165.



Dale Sommerfeld and the Jonesboro Eagles are set for the bi-district clash with Priddy Tuesday night.  
In the final tune up the Eagles seemed to have their old form back as they down the Lometa team 53 to 51. In the above picture Sommerfeld drives in for a sure two pointer in the second half.

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