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**Births:** 

Birth-18410217-A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stubbs at their home. A son was born this morning at the Laughrun clinic to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Laser.

Birth-19410106-A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Daggett at the Laughrun Clinic, named Janie Ross Daggett.

Birth-19410110-A son was born yesterday afternoon at the Laughrun Clinic to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Price of Widener, named Charles Sanford Price.

Birth-19410111-Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Jan. 3, in Marianna is a boy, named Charles Thomas Clark.

Birth-19410121-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Johnston, born Sunday at the Laughrun clinic, is named Darrel Johnson. They moved here recently from Wynne.

Birth-19410125-A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dalton at the Laughrun clinic.

Birth-19410127-A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack D'Arcy at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis vesterday.

Birth-19410129-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Vescova of Clarksdale, Ky. has been named William Albert Vescova. Mrs. Vescova is the former Dorothy Ferguson.

Birth-19410201-A son was born Wednesday Jan. 29 to Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Jr. at their home southeast of this city, the 27<sup>th</sup> grandchild, 20 of whom are still living, of the family of Dr. John Brown.

Birth-19410204-A daughter was born Sunday at the Laughrun Clinic to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Odum.

Birth-19410210-A daughter was born yesterday to Lt. and Mrs. Robert E. White of Tacoma, Wash. at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. The mother is the former Eleanor McCown, and the baby is named Judith Eleanor.

Birth-19410308-A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bowen, Jr. of Memphis at the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis, and named John Canada Bowen, III. Mrs. Bowen is the former Laura Louise McDaniel.

Birth-19410312-A daughter was born last night. March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wright of Memphis and named Stephanie Wright.

Birth-19410313-A son was born this week to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Finley of Heth at the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis.

Birth-19410318-Born a son to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jack Pierce of Clarksville, Ark., named Cecil Jack Pierce, Jr. Mrs. Pierce is the former Frances Adlyn Whittenton. A daughter was born this week to Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Oneida S. Baddour of Hughes in the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Birth-19410320- A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Webb at the Laughrun clinic.

Birth-19410321-A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery of Central, N. M. Both parents graduated from FCHS, and Mrs. Montgomery is the former Louise Todd.

Births-19410108-Dec.1-to Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sanders, a son. Dec.6-to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Devazier, a son, Thomas Benton. Dec.28-to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clark of Widener, a daughter. Dec.29-to Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wilkins of Colt, a daughter.

#### **Deaths:**

Death-19410101-Three burned, one fatally in a fire three miles west of here late yesterday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Cluitt suffered critical burns as they attempted to rescue the child, his wife's half sister, Shirley Castleberry age 3, from the burning farm house. The condition of Mr. and Mrs. Cluitt who, with the child, were taken to the Laughrun Clinic remained critical today. The child died about an hour after she was taken to the clinic. Her body was removed to a funeral home in West Memphis. Shirley was visiting her half sister, Mrs. Cluitt. The Cluits, were in the dairy barn, and the child was in the house alone. Cotton pickers working in a field nearby and they heard an explosion and saw Mr. and Mrs. Cluitt rush from the barn into the burning house. The cause of the explosion is unknown. A neighbor brought the victims to the clinic. The home was completely destroyed, and was built about two months ago by Jess Aycock, for whom Mr. Cluitt, a former plumber, worked. Shirley's parents live on a farm near Hughes. The child is also survived by two sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Cluitt have no children. Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410102-Charles O. (Cluitt) Clouette, victim of fire, dies at Laughrun clinic. The fire was the result of an explosion which, it was said today, to have occurred when Mrs. Cluitt was pouring coal oil upon a shouldering fire to rekindle it. The parents of Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Castleberry, live near Hughes. Mr. Cluitt was a native of Bono. He was in the Marines seven years. Previously his name had been spelled Clouette, but relatives said that since there was difficulty in the spelling, he used the simpler form, Cluitt. He had been a plumber here eight years but for the past two months, he had operated the Aycock dairy and livestock farm. Besides his wife, Miss Dorothy Castleberry whom he married of Marianna about seven years ago, he is survived by his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. J. N. Clouette, Route 2, Little Rock; two brothers, F. E. and Paul Clouette, both of Little Rock; and five sisters, Mrs. J. W. Fisher of Greenbriar, Mrs. B. F. Johnston of Gideon, Mo., Mrs. Archie Earnhart of Leachville, and Mrs. T. P. Lyons and Mrs. C. S. McMillen of Little Rock. Funeral services were held at the Stevens FH here tomorrow by Rev. Algernon Killough of Marianna, with interment in the Marianna cemetery. Born Jan. 17,1902 Died Jan.1,1941 FAG 158806554 Spouse: Dorothy Castleberry Clouette (1911-1942)

Death-19410103-Foster P. Johnson of Hughes, employee of the Simmons Implement Co., died at the Gartley-Ramsay Hosp. in Memphis yesterday, Jan.2,1941. He was about 60 years old. Mr. Johnson came to Hughes about 6 years ago and had operated an implement business of his own there until until December, when he became associated with the Simmons Implement Co. of Forrest City. Funeral services will be this afternoon at Paris, Tenn. Per Death Certificate: Born Dec.1,1880 Died Jan.2,1941-Information per Wife: Susie E. Johnson age 45-Parents unknown. Undertaker: National FH-Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410103-Loren McKain, of Sikeston, Mo., 13, nephew of Mrs. Paul Jones of Forrest City was shot and killed instantly by accidental discharge of a shotgun while hunting a mile south of Sikeston. Clarence Jess Leitherland, Jr. 14, Loren's hunting companion said that his shotgun discharged by the jar of his body movement as he turned in the direction of the youth striking him in the abdomen. Mrs. Jones will leave for Sikeston tomorrow to attend the funeral services. Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410106-Funeral services will be held this afternoon at the Methodist Church in Widener for Mrs. Mattie L. Harrison West, 82, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Swawver, in Widener, early Saturday night, Jan. 4,1941, following a heart attack. Rev. Earl S. Walker, of Widener church, and Rev. Paul Galloway, of Forrest City church, will conduct the services. Pallbearers are: Webb Sweet, Lockhart Sweet, Leon Smith of Forrest City; Ashley Craig of Little Rock; William Lolley of Starkville, Miss., and Emory Sweet of Widener. Interment will be in Forrest Park Cemetery. Mrs. West was a native of Ripley, Tenn. Her husband, was the late Henry Clas or Clay West, lumberman. She was a Methodist. Surviving are three sons, Clinton West of Marianna, Robert West of Widener, and Alton West of Bartlesville, Okla.; four daughters, Mrs. Shawver, Mrs. Walter Sweet, of Forrest City, Mrs. Frank Smith of Brinkley, and Mrs. Eva Pearl (James) Caldwell of Widener; 10 grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren. Born Apr. 22,1856 Died Jan. 4,1941-FAG 17522166

Death-19410107-Mrs. Fannie Boone and son Herman Boone, attended the funeral of Mrs. Sara Boone, widow of the late Daniel Boone at Wynne yesterday. Mrs. Boone was 93

years of age and is survived by a three sons. Her late husband was a direct descendant of the original Daniel Boone. Believe to be Jennie Boone buried in Harris Chapel Cemetery, born 1847 died 1941-FAG 10530861 Believe her husband is buried in Saint Francisville Cemetery Born Feb.8,1844 died Oct.1904 FAG 12584122

Death-19410108-Mrs. Sallie Burford Johnston, formerly of Marianna, died last night in a Ft. Worth, Texas hospital, according to word received here today. Mrs. Johnston is survived by sons, W. A. and Jesse Maury Johnston of Ft. Worth; and three grandchildren, Miss Mary Frances Johnston, Mrs. E. L. McBride and Ed Johnston. Born Aug.13,1856 Died Jan. 7,1941-FAG 9003874 Spouse: William Alston Johnston (1839-1923)

Death-19410108-Wynne-Mrs. Etta Boon Taylor, 72, resident of Wynne for many years, died in a clinic here Saturday night, Jan.4,1941. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ernest Crisco, and a brother, Ben Boone of Wynne. Born Feb.2,1868 Died Jan. 4,1941-Wife of H. B. Taylor FAG 10663285 Parents: J. E. Boon (1835-1882) S. J. Boon (1840-1915) Daughter: Clara Taylor Chrisco (1905-1993) husband of Earnest F. Chrisco.

Death-19410110-Dr. Thomas Joe Stewart, died at his home in Wynne shortly after 11 pm last night. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Redmond Gregsby Stewart (1906-1975) of Wheatley, and T. J. Stewart, Jr. of Marysville, Tenn.; and a daughter, Mrs. Katherine Stewart Deaderick (1909-1993) of Little Rock; and two nieces, Mrs. Roy Morris and Miss Annie Louise McDaniel of Forrest City. Dr. Stewart began his practice at Whitehall and later at Cherry Valley, Vanndale, and Colt. He moved to Wynne in 1912. A graduate of the Univ. of Tennessee School of Medicine, Dr. Stewart formerly was vice president of the Cross Co. Medical Society was a member of the Baptist church. Funeral services will be held at Wynne tomorrow afternoon. Born Oct.21,1877 Died Jan.9, 1941 FAG 10803500

Death-194101115-Justice of the Peace, John Everett McCutchen died at St. Joseph's Hosp. in Memphis yesterday, Jan.14,1941, following a long illness. He was 48. Mr. McCutchen was admitted to the hospital Nov.1,1940. A native of Forrest City, Mr. McCutchen had spent his entire life here. He was elected JP 12 years ago and had since served continuously. Previously he had been engaged in farming. He was a member of the First Christian Church here. He leaves his wife and five children, James Raymond of New York City; Virgil E. (1920-1944 WW II), Mildred McCutchen Arwood (1919-2005), Dorothy and Jerry Eugene (1928-2001), of Forrest City; two brothers, W. P. McCutchen of Shreveport, La., and C. W. McCutchen of New York City. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Stevens FH. The Rev. James V. Cobb, pastor of Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church will conduct the services. Burial will be in Hughes Cemetery. Pallbearers will be: C. N. Havens, Ben Fogg, John I. Jones, Roger West, Mitchell Taylor, Clifford Garrison, Pete Adams, Edmond Norfleet, Lamar Humphrey, and

Dennis Horton. Born Dec.26,1892 Died Jan. 14,1941 FAG 18466826 Spouse: Grace Charlotte Otto McCutchen (1894-1970) Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCutchen of New York City attended the funeral service of his father.

Death-19410114-Dr. Stanley Adkins Ferrell died suddenly at his home in Madison last night, Jan.13,1941, of a heart attack. He was 59. Dr. Ferrell was born in Love, Miss., on Mar. 9,1881, but had been a resident of Arkansas most of his life. He practiced medicine in this state for over 30 years, until he was forced to give up his practice eight years ago due to ill health. He began practice in Bonair, later to Brickeys and then Earle. He came to St. Francis county about five years ago and since made his home in Madison. He is survived by his wife; his mother, Mrs. Fannie Hamlett (1857-1941) (Alexander Bedford (1849-1914)) Ferrell; one sister, Miss Gertrude A. Ferrell (1893-1968), both of Forrest City; five grandsons and two granddaughters; and one great granddaughter. Funeral services were held this afternoon at the City Cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. Paul V. Galloway, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Forrest City, and Rev. Paul Walker, of Widener Methodist Church. Active pallbearers: Jerome Hood of Earle, Virgil Hamilton, Pat McFall of Madison, Ben Fogg, Joel Ferrell, Francis Ferrell, Ferrell Crews, and Louis Haven, Sr. of Forrest City. Honorary pallbearers were: Dr. C. N. Bogart, Bruce Smith, Henry Thomas, Archie Smith, and J. W. Beazley, Jr., of Forrest City. FAG 15132814 Marriage: Jul.3,1913 St. Francis Co. to Bertha Williams age 23.

Death-19410115-Mrs. Fred Stone, prominent member of the Methodist church died at her home in Ft. Smith yesterday. Funeral services will be held there today. Mrs. Stone was the sister in law of George Eldridge of Ft. Smith.

Death-19410116-Cleve C. Brown, farmer resident of St. Francis county, died late yesterday afternoon, Jan. 15,1941, in Hileman in Woodruff county. He was 56. Mr. Brown formerly lived in Caldwell and Goodwin and moved from this county ten months ago. He is survived by his wife. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at the Stevens FH by the Rev. Paul Galloway of the First Methodist Church. Interment in the Goodwin cemetery. Pallbearers will be: Dr. C. P. Harris of McCrory, O. C. Jefferies of McCrory, J. A. McCutcheon of Wheatley, Bert Mallory, Roger West, Archie Smith, and S. C. Armstrong. FAG 174389856

Death-19410116-Word was received today of the recent death of Dr., Major David Oliver Bridgforth who died last night at the Veteran's Hospital in Salt Lake City, of a heart attack. Stevens FH here will have charge of the funeral arrangements. The burial will be in Pleasant Hill, Miss., probably Monday morning. Dr. Bridgforth was a former resident of Forrest City and was the father of Otto Rollwage Bridgforth (1905-1976) and Miss Evalyn Arden Bridgforth. He was a member of the staff of the Salt Lake City Veteran's Hospital.

Funeral services were held today at the Stevens FH here for Dr. David Oliver Bridgforth, former Forrest City physician and later an army doctor, who died Wednesday in the Veteran's Hosp. in Salt Lake City, Utah of a heart attack. Services were conducted by Rev. Paul V. Galloway of the First Methodist Church. Burial was in Pleasant Hill, Miss., Dr. Bridgforth's birthplace this afternoon. Born Aug. 16,1878 Died Jan.15,1941 FAG 69960768 Spouse: Norma Allison Rollwage Bridgforth \*Divorced 1925 (1880-1960) Spouse: Married after 1925 Hazel Leota Jennings Bridgforth (1902-1972) Note: in 1940 Cemetery, Evalyn age 21 living with Norma Bridgforth in Ward 3, Forrest City, Ark.

Death-19410117-Richard Kenneth Oliver, St. Francis county farmer, died at his home near Newcastle this morning following a long illness. He was 79. Mr. Oliver was a lifelong resident of the county. He is survived by his wife, Kathleen Laws Oliver. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow at the Forrest Chapel near Newcastle by Rev. J. C. Richie, Methodist Minister of Colt. Interment will be in the Loughridge cemetery. Per ADI born 1862 d.1941 FAG 174390362

Death-19410120-George B. Matheny of Marshall, father of Flade Willis Matheny (1907-1974) of this city, died yesterday, Jan. 19,1941, in a Little Rock hospital. Funeral services were to be held this afternoon in Marshall. Mr. and Mrs. Matheny and daughter are in Marshall. Born Apr. 3,1872 Died Jan. 19,1941 FAG 34697753 Spouse: Sarah Harrison Griffin Matheny (1873-1952)

Death-19410124-H. W. Ramdohr, 76, died at his home in the city yesterday afternoon following an illness of five months. Mr. Ramdohr was born in Bellville, Texas, Nov.2,1864. He moved to Forrest City in 1925. He was a member of the Baptist Church. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Georgia Ramdohr; two daughters, Mrs. J. R. Brakehill and Miss Doris Ramdohr of San Bernadino, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. W. H. Bryan of Galveston, Texas; one brother, J. O. Ramdohr of Denton, Texas; and a grandson, Ronald Richard Brakehill of San Bernadino. Funeral services were conducted Jan.27 at the Stevens FH by Rev. J. E. Cox of Wynne, Tri-county missionary of the Baptist association. Burial in Forrest Park Cemetery. Pallbearers are: Bert Brewer, E. M. Collins, Fred Moseley, Nall Brantley, Devoe Crutchfield, T. E. Christopher, and Claud Hubbard. Born Nov.2,1864 Died Jan.23,1941 FAG 16847766 Mrs. J. R. Brakehill of San Bernadino, Calif. arrived this morning for the funeral. Mrs. Ramdohr will return with her to make her home with Mrs. Brakehill in California.

Death-19410131-Funeral services held for Pine Tree resident, Mrs. Mollie Williford, age 66, died at her home in Pine Tree following a short illness. She is survived by her husband, E. H. Williford. Hard to Read. Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410201-Relatives here have received news of the death of Marion Prewett, Jr., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Prewett of Helena. Mr. Prewett died last night in New York. Services will be held in Helena Monday. Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410202-Memphis-Mrs. Carrie Louise (Edward B.) Futrall of Marianna, sister in law of the late John Futrall, president of the Univ. of Arkansas, died yesterday at Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. Futrall had been ill about eight days. Funeral arrangements will be in Marianna. Mrs. Futrall and Mr. Futrail, formerly receiver for the National Bank of Arkansas at Pine Bluff were married at Calvary Episcopal Church in Memphis in 1923. Per Death Certificate: born Jan.26,1888 Died Feb.2,1941 Father: Marshall Hewitt ford born Franklin, Ky. Mother: Mary Caroline Foreman born Marianna, Ark.

Death-19410203-Death comes to Mrs. Fannie Hamlet (A. B.) Ferrell this morning at her home on Fussell street after an illness of about eight months. She was 83. Mrs. Ferrell was wife of the late Dr. A. B. Ferrell, prominent physician of this county for many years. Except for a short stay in Carlisle, she had remained in St. Francis County most of her life. She had lived in Palestine and Widener. Surviving are one daughter, Miss Gertrude Ferrell of this city; seven grandchildren, Mrs. Leonard James of Kansas City, Joel Ferrell of Forrest City, Mrs. Wanda Crews, Ferrell Crews, William Ferrell of Cleveland, Miss., Hal Ferrell of Pocahontas, and Francis Ferrell of Memphis; and one great grandchild, Annie James of Kansas City. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow morning at the Stevens FH by Rev. Paul V. Galloway of the First Methodist Church. Interment will be in the City cemetery. Active pallbearers will be: C. C. Fogg, Jr., Webb Sweet, Joel Ferrell, Francis Ferrell, Ferrell Crews, Louis Haven, Jr., Henry Haven, and Ben Fogg. Honorary pallbearers will be: Louis Haven, Sr., Banks Wilkinson, S. L. Hodges, Henry Thomas, Archie Smith, Bruce Smith, Sr., Loyd Myers, Dr. C. N. Bogart, and Charles Woodfin. Born Feb.20,1857 Died Feb.3,1941 Spouse: Alexander Bedford Ferrell (1949-1914) FAG 15132810

Death-19410206-Funeral services were to be held this afternoon in Monticello for Werter Grady Thompson, formerly of Forrest City, who died yesterday, Feb.5,1941, in Monticello following an illness of several months. He was 46. Mr. Thompson moved to Monticello last week. Up until ten days ago he served as Secretary-Treasurer of the Forrest City Production Credit Association. He resigned due to declining health. He is survived by his wife; a son, Rodney Thompson of Little Rock; two brothers, Warren Hale (1897-1965) of Clayton, La. and John Ury Thompson (1905-1973) of Wichita, Kansas; his mother, Mrs. Callie B. Thompson (1873-1954) of Florence; and two sisters, Miss Kathleen Thompson (1910-1991) of Monticello, and Mrs. Letha T. (Esley) Nichols (1902-1983) of Greenville, Miss. Born Nov.26,1894 Died Feb.5,1941 FAG 123341515 Father: William H. Thompson (1873-1934)

Death-19410208-Virgil B. Hamilton, 49, Madison merchant, died yesterday afternoon at his home in Madison. He was found dead in bed, the victim of heart trouble. Mr. Hamilton was a life-long resident of St. Francis Co. He was born near Colt, but for the past 28 years had lived in Madison. Before entering into the mercantile business he was employed for several years at Fogg's store in Widener and at R. L. Berry & Son in Madison. He married Miss Mabel Whittenton of Forrest City, and served in the Marines during the World War. He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Elizabeth Anne, 11; one son, Virgil, nine; one sister, Mrs. Annie C. Fletcher (1874-1969); three brothers, E. D., E. T., and C. C. Hamilton. Funeral services will be conducted at the Stevens FH tomorrow afternoon by Rev. J. E. Cox of Wynne, missionary of the Tri-County Baptist Association. Burial will be in Madison cemetery. Active pallbearers will be members of Post. No. 4 of the American Legion. FAG 90920769 Tombstone is Veteran Spouse: Mabel Whittenton Hamilton (1903-1970)

Death-19410212-Mrs. Mary Della Acklin Boatner, 56, died at her home here last night following an illness of several months. Mrs. Boatner was a native of Crittenden county. She came to Forrest City with her husband, Lawrence J. Boatner in 1927 from Springfield, Mo. She had lived at Penjur. She was a member of the First Christian Church. Surviving are her husband, one son, Richard George Bateman (1907-1961); and a stepson, Francis Boatner. Funeral services will be held at the chapel of Stevens FH this afternoon. Interment will be in Forrest Park cemetery. Pallbearers will be: Madison Lockhart, Ed Lockhart, Jeff Richardson, Rufus Woody, Sr., Leo Vaccaro, Fred G. Moseley, and Vernon Hodges. Born Jan.2,1885 Died Feb.11,1941- FAG 17669621 Spouse: Charles Alfred Bateman (1864-1920) Lawrence G. Boatner (1889-1957)

Death-19410215-Joseph Milton Remley, 52, son of Mrs. Emma Dora Smitheart Remley of this city, died at a hospital in Augusta, Ga. early this morning. He had been ill with the flu several weeks and suffered a relapse. Mr. Remley was born in St. Francis Co. He lived in Forrest City many years and moved to Georgia in 1907. He is also survived by his wife; one son, a sister, Mrs. Ruth (Jesse) Pope of Forrest City; two brothers, Estell Remley of Marvell, and Grady Remley of Little Rock. Funeral services will be held in Augusta on Sunday. Born Jan. 14,1889 Died Feb.15,1941 FAG 150819555 Believe Spouse is Pauline S. at the same cemetery.

Death-19410215-William Earl H. Paslay, formerly of Crawfordsville, passed away this morning following, Feb.15,1941,of an illness of two months. He was 59. Mr. Paslay had lived in St.Francis Co. for many years, having moved to Palestine from Moro in Lee County. He had lived in Crawfordsville since December and was a farmer. Funeral services will be conducted at the Stevens FH. Chapel by Rev. Mr. Harper, pastor of the First Christian Church in Little Rock. Interment will be in the cemetery at Moro.

Pallbearers will be: Love Banks, Banks Wilkinson, Palestine; Pickett Reynolds, Moro, John Mann, Marianna; Frank Johnson of West Memphis; and Mitchell Taylor of Forrest City. Mr. Paslay is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. J. E. Short of Crawfordsville, and Mrs. G. B. Hopson of Forrest City; one brother, Robert Homer Paslay (1869-1946); and a sister, Mrs. P. H. Beverley, both of Moro. Born Aug.4,1883 Died Feb.15,1941 FAG 57589409 Spouse: Pauline M. Paslay (1888-1954)

Death-19410219-Brinkley-Walter Bass Williams. 73, of Brinkley, editor of the Monroe Co. Citizen and a past president of Arkansas Press Association, died at his home yesterday, Feb.18,1941, his 73<sup>rd</sup> birthday. Mr. Williams was born in Summersville, Tenn., and came to St. Charles, Arkansas County when he was 14. He owned publications in Carlisle, Hazen, Stuttgart, and Lonoke before coming to Brinkley in Sept. 1899. He was married to Miss Maggie Bush in DeWitt in 1896. He bought the Brinkley Times and changed the name to the Monroe County Citizen, the oldest paper in the county, and Mr. Williams edited it 40 years. He was said to have been the oldest active editor in the state. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. C. W. Overholt of Brinkley and Mrs. Horace Doak of Little Rock. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church Wednesday by Rev. R. L. Williford and the Rev. M. Patterson. Born Feb.18,1868 Died Feb.18,1941 FAG 65508392 Spouse: Maggie Bush Williams (1874-1959)

Death-19410220-Brinkley-Mrs. E. J. Smith, 96, resident of Brinkley 60 years, died at her home yesterday. She was the daughter of the late Mrs. Maggie L. Rommates of Brinkley and the granddaughter of William Newman, early business leader here. Funeral services to be today at the Methodist church by Rev. B. L. Williford. Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410220-Memphis-An epilepsy patient at Baptist Hosp. in Memphis went berserk today. Overpowering five persons, who sought to quiet him, chased the building engineer out of the basement, and with an iron bar broke the arm of a policeman before he was shot to death. Police report that the patient, Clovis R. Higgins, 36 year old Colt, Ark. farmer, was slain by one of two officers who were sent to the hospital to quiet him after he had aroused almost every person in the building. The body was taken to the Stevens FH in Forrest City. Funeral services were conducted at the Good Hope Church, Rev. James V. Cobb in charge of services. Interment was in Hughes cemetery. Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgins; one brother, Wilbur; and a sister, Mrs. Vada Cannady. Born May 6,1911 Died Feb.20,1941 FAG 18466402

Death-19410222-Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Stevens FH for Alva Lee Young, 14, who died yesterday afternoon, Feb.21,1941. The services were conducted by Rev. James V. Cobb of the Presbyterian Church. Interment in the Forrest Park Cemetery. Miss Young had been ill only a short time. She was stricken with measles about ten days

ago and developed pneumonia. She was a pupil in the Seventh grade at the Forrest City High School. Surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Young; two brothers and two sisters. Born Aug.9,1927 Died Feb.21,1941 FAG 16436263

Death-19410228-Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon in the Stevens FH Chapel for Walter Lee Bryan, 55, who died yesterday, Feb.27,1941, at his home south of Forrest City of a heart attack. Mr. Bryan had been in ill health for several years. The services will be conducted by Rev. James L. Cobb, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Interment will be in Forrest Park Cemetery. Pallbearers will be: Love Banks, Lee Pankey, W. J. Hughes, Ed Hodges, S. S. Hargraves, and Frank Galloway. Mr. Bryan was a prominent St. Francis Co. farmer. He was a lifelong resident of this county. He married Fannie May Partridge of Forrest City in 1907, soon after his return from the Univ. of Arkansas where he attended school. He was a member of the Baptist Church. Surviving are his wife, his father, Walter W. Bryan; two daughters, Mrs. William Abel of Palestine and Mrs. J. S. McCoy of Flint, Mich.; three sons, Emmitt Eugene, William Jennings "Billy" and Wendell Bryan, all of Forrest City; four sisters, Mrs. Dora (George) Peay of South Orange, N. J., Mrs. Louise (Duke) Messer of Little Rock, Mrs. Sheila Mae (Frank) Galloway, and Mrs. Felice (Edmond) Norfleet of Forrest City; and two brothers, Julian Avery and Roderick O. Bryan. Born Jun.23,1884 Died Feb.27,1941 FAG 17669589 Spouse: Fannie Mae Partridge Bryan (1888-1977)

Death-19410304-Mrs. Emily Alice Halbert (J. N.) Sturdivant, former resident of Forrest City, died at her home in Marianna this morning of a heart attack. Mrs. Sturdivant moved about 12 years ago from Forrest City to Memphis where she made her home up until two weeks ago when she moved to Marianna. Surviving are her husband, two sisters, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Halbert (C. A.) Johnson, and Mrs. George Halbert of Palestine; and a brother, William Henry Halbert of Madison. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Boone in Marianna. FAG 59885173 Born Nov.30,1891 Died Mar. 4,1941

Death-19410304-Mrs. Myrtle Ivy Frost Goatcher Johnson, daughter of George W. Frost of Forrest City, died yesterday morning at John Gaston Hosp. in Memphis. She was 41 and had been ill several months. A native of Lucy, Tenn., Mrs. Johnson formerly lived in Poplar Bluff, Mo, before moving to Memphis where she had made her home for the past 13 years. She was a Methodist. Besides her father she is survived by her husband, Marcus R. Johnson; four daughters, Mrs. Thomas J. Brooks, Mrs. Jesse Faulkner of Memphis, Mrs. John Mayse of Poplar Bluff, and Miss Mable Goatcher of Marshall, Mo.; a son, Richard L. Gay of Memphis. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at the home in Memphis, 345 Wisconsin. Born May 24,1899 Died Mar. 3,1941 FAG 151069530 Per Death

Certificate: Father G. W. Frost Mother: Margaret Edders Info from C. J. Brueck Born Lucy, Tenn.

Death-19410306-Funeral services were held this afternoon for Mrs. Dorothy O. (Charles O.) Cluitt (Clouette), 30, the third victim of a New Years' Eve fire which took the lives of her husband and three year old sister, Shirley Castleberry. The services were conducted by Rev. E. F. Dodson, Pastor of the First Methodist Church at Marianna in the Stevens FH Chapel. Burial was in Marianna Cemetery. Pallbearers were: R. R. Harris, Price Royal, T. J. Aycock, S. L. Hodges, and Carl Bendle. She died yesterday, Mar. 5,1941, at the Laughrun Clinic where she had been under treatment since the tragedy. Mrs. Cluitt has lived here several years, and was a member of the Baptist Church. She is survived by her father, William Leroy Castleberry, Round Pond; three brothers, John, Roy and W. H. Castleberry of Michigan; two sisters, Donna Lee Castleberry and Emmett Castleberry. Born Dec.5,1911 Died Mar. 5,1941-FAG 158806577

Death-19410307-John W. Alderson is in Wise, Va. to attend the funeral services to be held there for Mrs. Creed Flanary. Mrs. Flanary was the mother of Mrs. Tom Gent Alderson. Not on Find A Grave.

Death-19410311-Mr. and Mrs. Lois Carter (Harry William) Batchelor were called to Arkadelphia yesterday on account of the death of Mrs. Batchelor's father, J. W. Carter, who died yesterday afternoon. Funeral services for James William Carter, father of Mrs. H. W. Batchelor of this city, are being held Mar.13 at Arkadelphia. Mr. Carter, former merchant, died at his home in Arkadelphia Monday. He was born in Corinth, Miss. in 1867, and moved to Arkansas at an early age. He married Miss Carrie Hardage in 1887, and to this union were born seven children, Mrs. Batchelor, W. A. Carter of Salt Lake City, Utah; Joe Carter of Idaho Falls, Idaho; M. O. Carter of Shreveport, La.; Mrs. Charley Byers of Lubbock, Texas; and Mrs. Earl Daniel and Mrs. Roy Fuller of Malvern. He was a member of the Baptist church. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Fred Denton of Arkadelphia. Born Nov.27,1866 Died Mar. 10,1941 FAG 6869071 Spouse: Caroline Lou Hardage Carter (1872-1950)

Death-19410315-Mrs. J. J. Tharp was called to Clarksville, Tenn. this morning on account of the death of her brother, Dr. Roland Bain Macon who died of a heart attack. Born Sep.16,1875 Died Mar. 15,1941- FAG 73553899

Death-19410319-C. J. Bernauer received a message today telling of the death of his sister, Mrs. Charles Reiter who died at Kerrville, Texas this morning following a year's illness.

#### Local News:

Locai-19410130-Thursday-Mrs. W. H. Harmon of Hughes is a patient in Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Frank Moore of Hughes and Abe M. Burns of Palestine have entered, and Louis Ash had an appendectomy, in the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis. Albert Cranor has been released from the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. L. B. Lamberson is ill at home.

Local-194100120-Monday-Will Hughes of Haynes was taken by Stevens ambulance to Methodist Hosp. in Memphis yesterday.

Local-19410101-Wednesday-Clarence Williams, 30, and Francis G. Lynch, 16, were placed in the Phillips Co. jail yesterday after being bound over to the Federal Grand Jury by U. S. Commissioner G. D. Walker. They were arrested in Memphis on Saturday on the charge of having transported an automobile stolen from the Forrest City Motor Co., and two bicycles. Both pleaded guilty, bonds were fixed at \$1,000 each. Mrs. E. T. Altman is recovering from a recent attack of the flu. Joe Ferguson, Jr. will go to Little Rock and will begin employment with the Internal Revenue Service of the U. S. Treasury. Twenty five members of the Married People's Glass of the First Christian Church gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roy Keller late yesterday for an evening of entertaining games, contests, and singing old time songs to celebrate the New Year. Frank "Sonny" Galloway, although in the Army now, still clings to his old love. The drums are his friends, as he used to play for the local Melodeers orchestra. He has organized his own orchestra at Ft. Baker in California where he is in training.

Local-19410102-Thursday-Murray C. Hambleton retires from Fussell-Graham-Alderson Company on New Year's Day, he sold his interest to Mr. John Alderson, Sr., President of the Firm. Mr. Hambleton had been in charge of the merchandising operations of the company, and will now be done by William Alderson, who has been in charge of the books of the company. Miss Modena Massey will now be assistant bookkeeper. FCHS beats Wynne in hockey game. Due to very low interest yields on high class bonds, and practically no demand from borrowers, this bank, beginning Jan. !, 1941 will reduce its interest rates on Savings one half per cent, Planters Bank and Trust Co. Notice by National Bank of Eastern Arkansas, regarding application for order of sale, as Administrator, of the Estate of William Samuel Withers (Died Aug.7,1940), deceased, on Jan.31,1941. Lt. Colonel Blount F. Davidson, former pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, out for the past several years engaged in evangelistic and missionary work in Missouri, passed through Forrest City today enroute to Camp Robinson, where he will be a chaplain of the 149th Infantry Rifle 35th Division.

Local-19410103-Friday-Local National Guard unit leaves for Camp Robinson in Little Rock today where they will join other companies of the 153<sup>rd</sup> Infantry for a year's training: apt. Joe L. Davis-Lt. Ernest W. Philpot First Sgt: Wilton E. Austin-Sgts.-Roland D. Burrows,

William A. Clark, Harold E. Grobmyer, Fred P. Miller, Alfred E. Nicholas, Williams B. O'Brien, and Robert E. Oliver-Corp.: Everett A. Akes, Clayborn E. Anderson, Merwin M. McCoy, Elbert E. Stough, William S. Thicksten, Eugene N. Thomas, Ralph M. Whittenton, and Cecil R. Yeary-PFC-James A. Batchelor, Henry C. Billingsley, James W. Brewer, Alonzo R. Chaney, Clay H. Coats, Phelon L. Counce, Robert R. Courtney, Albert B. Doane, Calvin J. Downey, Eugene J. Halbert, James A. Luker, Gerald S. Middleton, Clarence R. Porter, Oliver R. Rowland, Warren H. Sulcer, Robert L. Taylor, Charles L. Thorpe, Stanford Thorne, Paul M. Wadell, and Ernest S.Whittenton-Pvts: Walter L. Baskin, Edward P. Brewer, Albert M. Cooney, Curtiss L. Cooney, Eugene H. Cooney, Richard P. Davis, William W. Devazier, Lawrence D. DeWitt, John A. Duncan, Winfield H. Durborow, Louis L. Faughn, Roy S. Frost,. Donald D. Halbert, Roy A. Hill, Rush F. Hobbs, William R. Howerton, John M. Jones, Charlie P. Kimble, Marcus M. Luker, Sylvester H. McCollough, Preston O. Pinkston, William H. Pippin, Howard F. Pettus, John E. Porter, Delbert R. Rawlison, Gilbert A. Roush, Everett G. Sharp, James R. Shepherd, Charlie H. Shinn, Thomas W. Shinn, Aciel M. Sulcer, Charley A. Tipton, Sterling R. Walker, Raymond V. Wall, Everett E. Young, John E. Young, Thomas U. Patterson. Some sick at home with the flu include Mrs. Aubrey Dial, Ben Fogg, and W. R. Cox.

Local-19410104-Saturday-Work has been started on a new cottage for Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burkhart in the north part of the city, located on the lot north of their present home. Local Dentist to study in Toledo, Ohio, Dr. J. E. Burke, local Negro dentist will take a 15 day graduate course in nitrous oxide and oxygen anesthesia. Thanks from Project Supervisor Mrs. Nora B. Turley for all the assistance in the Toy and Furniture Project of Forrest City to provide Christmas toys and baskets for over 534 needy children. Raymond McCutchen of New York City is spending seven days in Memphis and Forrest City, on account of the illness of his father, JP J. E. McCutchen who is in St. Joseph's Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410106-Monday-A truck driven by Merrill Cox of Wynne plunged into a light post in front of the Planters Bank this morning. Officers said that Cox hit the pole to avoid a collision with a green Chevrolet car which was making a left turn on a red light, and left the scene of the accident. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Moore are new residents here in the Carlisle cottage on South Rosser, they came from Ft. Smith, and he is a traveling salesman for Berry Dry Goods Co. in this district. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stevens left for Batesville to make their home. Frank Shackelford of Memphis who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. E. W. Shackelford and sister, Mrs. Frank Hall, left this morning for Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga. where he will be stationed by the U. S. Army. Some at home with the flu, include Miss Dorothy Dean, and Hammond Dooley.

Local-19410107-Tuesday-Forrest City is now the 17<sup>th</sup> largest city in the State, moving up from 20<sup>th</sup> in 1930. Three persons hurt in Wheatley when a Rock Island freight train ran into a Missouri and Arkansas freight (rest unreadable). Mr. and Mrs. Claude Haley are new residents and make their home in the Harry Thomas apartment on South Rosser street. Mr. Haley is a representative of the Curtiss Candy Co.

Local-19410108-Wednesday-Sick list, Calvin Nail after tonsil operation, Miss Mary Frances Johnston and Eldridge Carrick and Miss Mary Virginia Handley with the flu.

Local-19410109-Thursday-Flu victims include Mrs. Murray Hambleton, Jr., M. S. Smith, Mrs. Archie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Campbell, and Mrs. Lena Carter, teacher at the grammar school has the flu. Mr. and Mrs. Max Ezell left for their new home, Bald Knob. He was employed here with Cohen's Dept. Store.

Local-19410110-Friday-The Myers automobile was recovered, a Chevrolet car, was stolen the week before Christmas which was sitting in front of a West Memphis coffee shop. Sick list with flu, Mrs. William Alderson, Mrs. Mary Tarver, Miss Alberta Overly, Mrs. John Danehower, Mrs. Bill Clanton, Mrs. James DeRossitt, Marvin B. Norfleet, W. G. Dooley, Miss Esther Tennyson. Miss John Sue Chapman of Oxford, Miss., has joined the Hughes HS faculty formerly by Mrs. Frank Sanders who resigned.

Local-19410111-Saturday-Mr. and Mrs. Arden D. Hammond, who have spent the past four months here with Mr. Hammond's brother, the Rev. Vernon A. Hammond, will leave Monday for Omaha, Nebraska. Enroute to Omaha they will stop over in Kansas City to visit Will Hammond, another brother of Mr. Hammond. Those suffering with the flu include, Leo Grobmyer, Mrs. J. J. Tharp. Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Cole, will leave Russellville next week for New York City where they will make their home. His is an engineer with the Republic Aircraft Corp., Mrs. Cole is the former Frances Johnston. Mrs. Lindsay Bridgforth and Gwendolyn Haven are under treatment at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Bill Oswalt entered the Laughrun Clinic for examination.

Local-19410113-Monday-Four charged with robbery of Cohen's Store, one white man and three negroes were arrested for theft of several hundred dollars in merchandise, officers reported today. Bennie C. Thompson, who was employed as a clerk there, others are Robert Dean, Rozell Williams, and Willie Harris. Richly furnished resort, the Lake Club at Blackfish is operating in St. Francis county on Hwy 70. Business is good, and the gambling is present. State champion Jonesboro Golden Hurricane will take on the FCHS Mustangs here on Wednesday night. Miss Dorothy O'Brien and Miss Ruth Rowland spent yesterday in Memphis, with Miss O'Brien's sister, Mrs. Robert Dowdy and Mr. Dowdy.

Local-19410114-Tuesday-Mrs. Pauline Goddard, one of the county's oldest residents, celebrated her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday yesterday.

Local-19410115-Wednesday-Miss Naomi Devazier is under treatment at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. S. H. Daggett and infant daughter, Janie Ross Daggett left the Laughrun Clinic yesterday. J. T. Sanders was in Memphis yesterday attending the meeting of the Baptist Hospital. He reports that 1940 was the most prosperous year the hospital has had since its organization. Mrs. Cecil Bell has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis for observation.

Local-19410116-Thursday-Rev. Myron L. Morley and his wife return to Forrest City, he was formerly rector of the Church of The Good Shepherd here. The Nathan Bedford Forrest Chapter of the U. D. of the Confederacy will present pictures of Robert E. Lee to the local schools per Mrs. Norma R. Bridgforth, Mrs. Barney McFall, Mrs. Otto B. Rollwage, Mrs. Erle F. Hodges, and Mrs. T. D. Rambo, on January 19<sup>th</sup>, his birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gregory, Jr., will leave tomorrow for the Presidential inauguration. Mr. Gregory is a presidential elector and will attend ceremony at the White House afterwards. Fred Thomsen and George Cole, coaches of the Univ. of Arkansas were business visitors here yesterday. Mrs. Louis Grobmyer has been released by the Laughrun Clinic after an operation. Mrs. Betty Davis underwent a appendectomy at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis yesterday.

Local-19410117-Friday-Jimmie Bell, five, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Bell of Wheatley, barely escaped certain death yesterday afternoon when his playmate, Billie Parks, five, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parks of Wheatley, pulled him from under the wheels of a moving freight, under which he had crawled to rescue his little dog. The dog did not survive however. The oil test well at Wheatley is down to 2213 feet. Governor Adkins appoints J. L. Davis to replace JP J. E. McCutchen.

Local-19410118-Saturday-Alice Marie Kennedy will leave next weekend for West Liberty, Ky. to join her mother, Mrs. Nolte Reynolds. Mr. and Mrs. Nolte Reynolds infant daughter, Donna Rae, left yesterday for Cave City, Ky. for a short visit with Mr. Reynolds parents before joining her parents in West Liberty, Ky., where they will make their new home.

Local-19410121-Tuesday-Albert Devazier had an emergency appendectomy in Methodist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. Lindsay Bridgforth is home from Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Charlie Myers who is a member of the 206th Coast Artillery Band is now stationed at Ft. Bliss, El Paso, Texas. Thomas O'Brien of Hughes and Bill O'Brien of Camp Robinson in Little Rock spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Thomas O'Brien. Mrs. Raymond Bennett of Colt has entered the Peterson Clinic in Wynne.

Local-19410122-Wednesday-Workmen are remodeling Jack's Café on Broadway per J. T. Ferguson, owner said today. John Moore has the contract.

Local-19410123-Thursday-Local boy makes good, Louis R. Myers, of Little Rock, elected head of Louisiana and Northwestern railroad, established in 1885, succeeding Joseph Glass of New York City. He is also President of the Southern Securities Co. of Little Rock. A native of Forrest City, he became private secretary to Harvey Couch in 1919, resigned in 1927 to engage in the investment business in Little Rock. Miss Virginia Rowland barely escaped serious injuries this morning when a car she was driving was hit by a Cotton Belt RR passenger train at the Washington Street crossing. Mr. and Mrs. Hazel Gill move into their new apartment, the Haven duplex on South Washington Street. Mrs. Edgar Price and infant son left the Laughrun Clinic for their home in Widener. Mrs. Charles Simmons returns from Methodist Hosp. in Memphis where she underwent surgery. Mrs. J. B. Fletcher is under treatment at Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410124-Friday-Flora Pierson, eight year old Negro child, suffered a broken leg yesterday when she was hit by a car while she was crossing Broadway near the Lincoln school. The car was driven by George A. Roghl of Chicago, Illinois. The child came out from behind a truck going east into the path of the automobile. Louis F. Haven, Sr. underwent surgery at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis yesterday. Mrs. Virginia Rowland is confined in her home due to injuries she suffered in an auto-train wreck on Washington street crossing. A. G. Sweet, Mrs. Louis Rossman, and Albert Cranor are under treatment at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Sick at home with the flu, Mrs. A. M. Ash.

Local-19410125-Saturday-Mrs. Sam T. Sulcer of Palestine has entered the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. Jack E. D'Arcy is under treatment at Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Vera Flood left last night for Perryville on account of the death of her grandfather.

Local-19410127-Monday-FCHS Drum Major featured at regional meet in Little Rock, A. E. Thomas, Jr. Mrs. Velma Crossett left for Pine Bluff this morning on account of the death of her grandfather. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morris plan to move within the next week into their new home on the Morris farm at Lucerne.

Local-19410128-Tuesday-Three Palestine youths join the U. S. Army Air Corps, Lloyd Edward Barber, Floyd Barber, and Marvin Hicks Massey. Mrs. John Bollinger, Sr., is expected home from the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis where she underwent major surgery.

Local-19410129-Wednesday-Jennie Kate Alderson, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Alderson is expected home from the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis after treatment. Mrs. S. C. Armstrong Is under treatment at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410131-Friday-Sheriff Roger W. West promises strict enforcement of antigambling laws. Will make nightly patrol of suspicious places, and slot machines are also banned. Mrs. Henry W. Gregory, Jr. and daughter will leave for Pine Bluff to visit Mrs. Gregory's father, then on to Little Rock to meet with Mr. Gregory and make their new home. Mr. and Mrs. James Shopkoff have moved into their new home on Arkansas Avenue, previously occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Gene Roberts.

Local-19410201-Saturday-Rev. Vernon A. Hammond will enter the Veteran's Hosp. in Memphis for treatment.

Local-19410203-Monday-Dillon's announces an expansion program, and will occupy two store buildings on Rosser street, and one on Washington. New residents from Osceola are Mr. and Mrs. John L. Cramer and John Jr.. They have leased the Downey Hotel on Front street and plan on opening it to guests.

Local-19410204-Tuesday-Mostly unreadable. Mrs. Walter Sweet and Louis O. McDaniel, Sr. have entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410205-Wednesday-Work to start on new county jail project on Thursday morning under supervision of Walter Riley and WPA labor, except bricklayers will be employed. Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Moore of Memphis will join their son, Dr. Jack D. Moore here around March 4, and live in the Walker apartments. Mrs. Neil Neisler of Colt has entered the Peterson Clinic in Wynne.

Local-19410206-Thursday-Local spellers invited to Mid-South Bee. Eight more drafted to join the service on Feb.12: Joseph Knight, George Henry Earley, William Curtis Gwathney, Buford Calvin Denton, George Leroy Martin, Willis Henry King, Jessie Leon Reeves, and James Best Busby. Corp. Lawrence R. Rea, Jr. of Ft. Benning, Ga. is visiting his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. L. E. Rea of Madison. He has been in the army for 6 months. Lewis Steel McBee volunteered and left today for induction at Camp Robinson in the U. S. Army Air Corps. The Rock Island passenger train has been rerouted thru Wynne on the Missouri Pacific tracks due to a derailed box car on the Rock Island tracks near Widener.

Local-19410207-Friday-Jack Gates soon to receive his Air Corps wings, one of 335 in the class that graduates at Randolph Field in San Antonio, Texas ending a course that started last September. Mrs. John Gholson of Clarksville, Tenn. returned home after visit with her father, James Fussell. She had been here to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. B. Futrall in Marianna.

Local-19410208-Saturday-Miss Bertha Davidson is in Jackson, Tenn. having been called there on account of accidental fall of her brother with a serious head injury.

Local-19410210-Monday-Miss Jean Norsworthy is very ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Norsworthy. Eugene Neal Peevey, seven weeks' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Peevey of Colt is in Baptist Hosp. in Memphis with pneumonia. Mrs. Gus Jones of Goodwin is very ill at her home.

Local-19410211-Tuesday-Raymond Gilbert, nine year old Colt youth, breaks leg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gilbert of near Colt suffered the broken leg on Saturday when his leg was pinned beneath a falling tree while helping his father. Charles Hubbard, 17, suffered severe burns yesterday when a long crooked wire he was holding caught on a power line. He was using the wire to catch chickens on his uncle's farm, Emmett Hubbard, who also was burned, near Newcastle. Fire destroys chicken hatchery of I. H. Crutcher this afternoon near the City cemetery. John T. Hamilton, grandson of Thomas David Hamilton, of Colt, at the navy training station at Norfolk, Va. has been selected honor man of his platoon for training period. Roy A. Myers new Kroger Store manager on Front street. He succeeds S. G. Gray who has been promoted to Clarksdale, Miss. store. Latest draftees in the selective service from St. Francis Co. are: Bobby Reeves Leamon, Lester Lee Sutton, Rufus Earl Moore, Murry Vandiver Brigman, Elbert Lee Howard, and Wilber Simpson Lindsey.

Local-19410212-Wednesday-Emmett Gadberry is under treatment at Laughrun Clinic. Mrs. E. P. New has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. J. R. Hall began her duties this week as supervisor of the Riverview Hotel in Memphis. Mrs. Albert Devazier will enter the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis to undergo operation tomorrow.

Local-19410213-Thursday-Mrs. Roy Mooneyham is recuperating from appendectomy performed at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Charles Havens underwent an operation at Methodist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410215-Saturday-Frank Leahy is Notre Dame's new grid coach.

Local-19410217-Monday-Stephen Kennell reported safe, child believe to have been kidnapped from Forrest City yesterday, at grandmother's home in Illinois. A charge of kidnapping has been sworn out for father, Shirley G. Kennell by the child's step father. Mervyn Ragland assumed duties of V. P. Harmon at Gregory's Furniture store as salesman. Mr. L. O. McDaniel, Sr. underwent major surgery at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis Saturday.

Local-19410218-Tuesday-Firemen make two runs, last night at a Negro's home east of the Forrest City Cotton Oil Mill. Slight damage was caused, and R. E. Crutchfield apartment, with no damage. Recent births: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ellis, Forrest City, Feb.17, a girl; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McKee, Forrest City, a girl, Feb.12; Mr. and Mrs. Greely

Gann, Newcastle, a girl, Feb.6; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Terry, Forrest City, a girl, Feb.4; Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Lee Watkins, Haynes, a boy, Feb.1; Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Warren, Widener, a girl, Feb.2; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cox, Forrest City, a girl, Jan.25; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Jolly, Forrest City, a boy, Jan.13; Mr. and Mrs. James Eldridge, Forrest City, a girl, Jan. 25; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, Caldwell, a boy, Jan. 9.

Local-19410219-Wednesday-Mayor Charles D. Buford wins nomination for third term as Mayor of Forrest City. Jasper Harper of Heth has been admitted to St. Joseph's Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. Walter L. Baskin underwent a major operation yesterday at St. Joseph's Hosp. in Memphis. Other who are ill: Miss Thelma Lacy is ill with the flu; Anne Dooley, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaither Dooley has the measles.

Local-19410220-Thursday-Bird's Eye Frozen Foods to be carried by Ashworth's grocery. Gilbert's Furniture Store being remodeled and enlarged, per A. B. Gilbert, owner. W. C. Tichener of Wheatley and Louis Grobmyer have entered the Laughrun clinic for treatment. Nearly four inches of snow fell over Forrest City.

Local-19410221-Friday-Patients who were dismissed from the Laughrun Clinic yesterday were DeWitt Hamilton, Emmitt Gadberry and Louis Grobmyer. Sonny Smith, son of M. S. Smith is suffering from the flu. Mrs. Robert E. White and infant daughter, Judith Eleanor, will leave the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis and will be at her parents' home, Dr. and Mrs. N. C. McCown. Mr. Raleigh Rich began employment with Gates Bros. Lumber Co. as outside salesman. Mrs. F. W. DeRossitt entered the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis for treatment. Miss Virginia Rowland will leave for Brinkley where she will be bookkeeper for Criners's Café.

Local-19410222-Saturday-The Hendrix College Concert band to appear here March 1<sup>st</sup> at the Forrest City High School.

Local-19410224-Monday-Auction sale of farm equipment and livestock to be held at the Graham farm, March 5, to close out the estate of E. F. Bunch, Wiley T. Jones as Administrator.

Local-19410225-Tuesday-T. E. Brewer of Hughes has been admitted to Baptist Hosp. in Memphis as well as Margaret Rich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rich, Jr. with an attack of appendicitis.

Local-19410226-Wednesday-John W. Hall of Widener has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410227-Thursday-FCHS Senior play tonight at 8pm "The Nutt Family." Local Draft board calls twenty three: William Henry Evans, Edgar Woods, James Hawkins, Arthur

Buchanan, Earnest Newsome, Jr., Frank Jackson, James Dolittle, Ed Love, King McFarland, Oscra Lottie, Amos Jett, Lonie Littles, Nathaniel Howard, Walter Baughn, Mozart Swanigan, Rodman Weaver, Clifton Woodard, Arthur Howell, Levi Walton, Milton McCan, Roosevelt Clark, Robert Lee Edwards, and O. C Brooks. Miss Betty Cobb has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis for observation. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll McCown are now making their home in the Marion Hotel.

Local-19410228-Friday-Trees destroyed at Barton home by careless driver. Mrs. Charles Barton is grieving today over the loss of a beautiful wood tree which with two others were hit by an automobile that did not stop. Mrs. Floyd Frost has entered the St. Joseph's Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. Albert Laser and infant son David Nichols Laser, will leave the Laughrun clinic this afternoon. Mrs. William Bland is under treatment at the Laughrun clinic. Mr. Louis O. McDaniel, Sr. age 83, is released from the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis after a major operation.

Local-19410301-Saturday-Improvements by WPA announced for Hwy 64 and 70 by Rep. E. C. Gathings. FCHS Colts under the mentorship of DeWitt Smith, battled their way to the semi final round of the fifth district junior boys basketball tournament at Wynne.

Local-19410303-Monday-City police raided the home of John Phillips, Negro, in the west part of the city Saturday night and arrested him and 14 others on a charge of gambling. They were charged \$10 each in Police Court today. J. M. Reames, who will graduate in June from the Univ. of Tennessee School of Medicine, has been notified of his appointment to the U. S. Navy, he is the son of Mrs. J. M. Reames of Horseshoe Rendezvous at Hughes. Grand Jury for Circuit Court announced: George W. Stagg, H. M. Blackwell, T. J. Aycock, Dolph Butler, J. R. Collier, Jr., T. a. Higgs, Ernest Loewer, L. E. Styles, Earl Horton, Small Morgan, Webb Sweet, Bert Sulcer, David Gates, A. T. Manley, H. E. Pettus, J. M. Gilliam. A. C. Bridewell, Jr. of Forrest City, is selected for U. S. Army Academy at West Point because of his scholastic record. Billy Hudson, who has just completed four years service in the U. S. Navy, is home with his parents. J. R. Vardaman entered the Laughrun Clinic Saturday for treatment. Mrs. Annie Luker of colt has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410304-Tuesday-About 50 lawyers from the Fifth Chancery District attended a legal institute held here last night at the Aycock Blue Room. The principal speaker was Circuit Court Judge Neil Killough of Wynne.

Local-19410305-Wednesday-Mrs. Jerome Fondren will undergo an operation at Laughrun Clinic this afternoon. Mrs. R. H. McCollom of Rt. 2 has entered Laughrun Clinic for treatment.

Local-19410306-Thursday-Fifty men and ten officers of the First and Second Battalions of the 168<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery stopped here yesterday for several hours rest enroute from Denver, Colo. To Camp Forrest in Tennessee.

Local-19410307-Friday-Forrest City boy on champion Razorback team, R. C. Pitts, former Mustang star end plays guard as champions of the Southwest Conference in basketball. New cottage being built on Lamar street, on the lot owned by Mrs. J. B. Johnston. It will be the first to be built on the newly paved street, Lamar. H. E. Mason of Heth has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. The James Fussell residence on Fussell Street is being converted into two apartments to be ready for occupancy next spring. Mrs. E. J. Barrow and her daughter, Miss Bill Barrow, have rented the lower floor, and Mrs. Mary Lee and Miss Esther Tennyson have rented the upstairs. Mr. Fussell will reserve a room on the lower floor.

Local-19410310-Monday-Palestine wins district title by defeating Hughes for championship. The patrol car assigned to State Police Officer Johnnie Faulkner was badly damaged early Saturday night in a highway accident which occurred near Caldwell. Firemen were called to extinguish a small roof fire at the A. T. Ellis home on Cook street yesterday morning. James Ellis and George Trusty barely escaped serious injury yesterday morning when a truck, owned by the Underwood Welding Shop, in which they were driving left Hwy 70 and rolled down the steep embankment of the dump between Palestine and Forrest City, and caught fire after the two escaped. FCHS Mustangs drop title to Wynne. Albert W. Buford enters the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Benthall will move into the southside apartment upstairs Cox apartment on South Washington Street begin vacated by Mrs. E. J. Barrow. Mrs. Emmett Kimble is a patient in St. Joseph's Hosp. in Memphis. James Fussell, Jr. entered the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis for treatment.

Local-19410311-Tuesday-Over 1 million now in the U. S. Army. Arthur H. Whitted, former linotype operator for the Forrest City Daily Times-Herald, and a 1939 graduate of the Univ. of Arkansas is now gathering data for his thesis on "Aviation Journalism," while he works as operator on Columbia (Missouri) Daily Tribune. Whitted, and experienced pilot and is a member of the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association. Mrs. R. C. Weddell of colt has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410312-Wednesday-The FCHS Mustang concert band gave a performance at Hughes school auditorium last night, under direction of J. M. Shofner. Firemen made a run to the home of Robert Eppes on Forrest street early last night. Soot by a flu caught fire. No damage. Jake Crigger, Chief of Police for Forrest City announces the cars without city tags will be brought into court and fined.

Local-19410313-Thursday-Selective Service calls seven: John William Martin/Roy Huffstutler/ Elbert Lee Howard/ Wilber Simpson Lindsey/ Tom Williford/ Darrell Wayen Deane. Firemen were called to a Negro's house on Gorman street this morning where a small damage was done to the roof, the house is occupied by Elizabeth Williams. Dave Duncan, Mrs. Sam Hall, and C. E. Wyder are under treatment at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. With Measles: Dick Seaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seaton, and Jennie Kate Alderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Alderson.

Local-19410314-Friday-Oil test well at Wheatley closes down after all efforts to bring in the oil well failed to produce. New Selective service callups: James Robert Rogers and Eathen Allen Sisk. Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lancaster and children are moving back from Lepanto. Mr. Lancaster will begin employment at the Simmons Implement Co. next week. Otis Stevens and Mrs. R. P. Hays were taken to the Laughrun Clinic for treatment. Mrs. Kermit Holmes of Palestine in under treatment at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410315-Saturday-Jay Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jordan of this city, has recently received his basic flight training at Randolph Field, in San Antonio, Texas. He received his second lieutenant commission in the Air Corps. Dr. Luther Davis of Chatfield has recently purchased a 934 acre farm south of Heth from James Cranor. Selective service draftees: James Best Busby, William Alvin Person/George Leroy Martin, Willis Henry King, Jessie Leon Reeves.

Local-19410317-Monday-Delbert Doyle Browning, of Texas, was placed in jail here on a charge of a holdup at McBride's Swing Inn east of Forrest City. He was arrested last night at Uncle Jim's Place by city officers Tatum and McMinn. He was identified by Mrs. E. L. McBride. Firemen made two calls, a grass fire at the home of James Fussell, Jr., and a run to G. M. Hopper home for a roof fire. Jerry Glenn, Forrest City Negro, was fined for drunken driving down Washington street when his car crashed into an auto owned by Giles Fleming parked in front of his home. Selective service draftees: Floyd William Henry,. Lorenzo Dow Bennett, Willard Bates Royal. Mrs. Jerome Fondren was released from Laughrun clinic where she underwent a major operation. Stanley Myers is suffering from the measles.

Local-19410318-Tuesday-Bennie Thompson pleads guilty to grand larceny, former shoe salesman at Cohen's Dept. Store. Browning pleads guilty to Swing Inn robbery. J. K. Rowe trial set for next Monday. Notice of Sale, Administrator L. E. Rea, for the estate of Fannie Banner Anderson, deceased. Mrs. Ralph Eldridge has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

Local-19410319-Wednesday-FCHS band will present a concert at Wynne Thursday night. Albert W. Buford underwent appendectomy at the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. Mrs. Percy

Barker began employment at the AAA office in Marion. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnett, new residents from Como, Miss., have moved into the west apartment of the Heustess duplex on Cook street. He will manage the Golden Rule Store.

Local-19410320-Thursday-Yesterday was Student day at FCHS when they were in charge of all classes. Mrs. Charles McDaniel returned to the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis for treatment. Mrs. Grace Hopper of Colt has entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis also. Chancery Court Notice, Edward B. Haines vs. Blanches R. Haines, G. B. Fogg, Clerk.

Local-19410321-Friday-The Paradise Shows, with rides, side shows, a minstrel, and various concessions opened at the ball park on Hwy 70 last night for a ten day engagement. Memphis may secure \$4,000,000 Army Depot. Harold Bridgforth will begin Monday as assistant manager of Safeway store in Russellville. Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Brien and daughter, Patricia, are new residents from Greenwood, Miss. He is the manager of the new auto supply store opening in the building on Washington street formerly occupied by Dillon's Dress Shop. Mrs. J. W. Wilson entered the Methodist Hosp. in Memphis. Paul Galloway is sick with the measles. Cecil Warren of Palestine is a patient in the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis. R. E. Bunch began driving for Arkansas Motor Coaches this week. Mrs. Frank Bell is ill with the flu. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cranor will move into their new home on the Cranor farm near Heth next week.

Local-19410322-Saturday-The Ritz Trumpeteers will appear here Wednesday at FCHS. C. C. Moore of Hughes is a patient at Methodist Hosp. in Memphis. New patients at Laughrun clinic: Mrs. R. E. Turner of Forrest City, Miss Imogene Holloway of Cabins in the Cotton, and Jimmy Ashbrook of Madison. Mrs. C. D. Forrester entered the Baptist Hosp. in Memphis.

## **Marriages:**

Marriage-19410115-Norman/Poole-Mrs. J. P. Norman of Danville announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Jane, to William Stitt Poole, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poole of Forrest City. Miss Norman graduated from Danville HS and later attended Hendrix College. Mr. Poole graduated from FCHS and attended Southwestern Univ. in Memphis and Arkansas State Teachers College in Conway. The wedding will be soon.

Marriage-19410118-Fisher/Petty-Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher of Forrest City announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Ira Petty of Marianna on Jan.9 in Marianna. The plan to make their home in Marianna.

Marriage-19410125-Wood/Bailey-Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey of Dallas, Texas announce the marriage of their daughter, Gloria, to buddy Wood of Long Beach, Calif. on Jan.15 in Los Angeles, Calif. by Rev. Julius J. Dubose. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Page | 26

Wood of near Hughes. Vinson/Bell-Mrs. Ador Mae Bell and Odell Vinson were married Jan.14 at the home of Rev. W. M. Thompson, officiating minster.

Marriage-19410201-Sleigh/Jett-Mrs. Idella Jett of Levy and J. T. Sleigh of N. Little Rock were married today. Mrs. Sleigh is a former resident of Forrest City. They will make their home in N. Little Rock. 379-Ad-Daily Times-Herald-Phone 379-Forrest City [1941 Jan 30]

Marriage-19410203-Pilkington/Johnson-Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pilkington of Hughes announce the engagement of their daughter, Martha Elizabeth, to Lieut. James Everett Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Johnson of Jonesboro. Lt. Johnson is stationed at Ft. Bliss, Texas. Miss Pilkington graduated from Hughes HS and attended Hendrix College and the Univ. of Arkansas. Lt. Johnson graduated from Arkansas State College in Jonesboro, and from the Univ. of Arkansas Law School. The wedding will be in early March in El Paso, Texas.

Marriage-19410205-Hamilton/Munson-Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Devereux announce the engagement of their cousin, Miss Martha Bell Hamilton, to Harold Munson, Jr. of Tunica, Miss. Miss Hamilton graduated from FCHS and recently has been employed at LaVogue Beauty Shop. Mr. Munson is the son of Harold Munson of Tunica. He attended Mississippi State College. The wedding is planned for Feb.26 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Devereux and they live in Tunica where the groom has farming interests. Jones/Bradford-Miss Martha Lou Jones of Oakland, Miss. and Hope Lee Bradford of Forrest City were married Sunday night at the Methodist parsonage in Marion. Both are students at the Northwest Mississippi Junior College. The groom is the son of Mrs. A. M. Bradford of this city.

Marriage-19410206-Poole/Norman-Mrs. James Polk Newman of Danville announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary Jane, to William Still Poole, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poole of Forrest City on Jan.22 at Danville.

Marriage-19410214-Richards/Barfield-Tbe announcement today by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Walker Barfield of the marriage of their daughter, Charlotte V. Barfield of Memphis, to Dan Worsley Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Richards of Memphis Monday night in Forrest City Methodist parsonage by Dr. J. L. Dedman. He is the son of the former Martha Worsley of Forrest City. Smith/Terhune-Mrs. Lee Satterfield announces the marriage of her daughter, Maxine Smith, to William Terhune of Brinkley on Feb. 1 in Brinkley by Rev. H. C. Seefeldt. The bride graduated from FCHS and the groom from Brinkley HS. They will make their home in Brinkley where the groom operates a cleaning and pressing shop.

Marriage-19410215-Frets/Havens-Mr. and Mrs. John K. Havens of Paragould, formerly Forrest City, announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Jack Frets, son of Mr. and

Mrs. W. C. Frets of Rector on Feb.0 at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Vernon A. Hammond, pastor of the First Christian Church in Forrest City.

Marriage-19410217-Morrow/Elliott-Miss Elizabeth Elliott, daughter of Mrs. Ronnie Elliott, and Mr. Frank Morrow, both of Hughes, were married Sunday Feb.9 at Forrest City by Rev. Paul Galloway, pastor of the First Methodist Church. The groom is associated with the National Brand store in Hughes. Pollard/Sims-Mr. and Mrs. Yancy G. Sims of Hughes announce the marriage of their daughter, Ollie Dell, to Robert Pollard of Milan, Tenn., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pollard of Hughes by Rev. J. E. Glover, pastor of the Wynne Methodist Church on Dec.29. The bride was a member of the senior class of Hughes HS. The groom graduated from England HS and attended Arkansas State Teachers College. They will make their home in Milan where the groom is employed. Huntzinger/Ridge-Mrs. Flora Ridge of Chicago, Illinois, and R. R. Huntzinger of Dallas, Texas were married Feb.14 at the home of Rev. James V. Cobb,. Pastor of the Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church. They will live in Dallas.

Marriage-19410220-Hubbard/Beazley-Miss Lillian M. Beazley and J. Hubbard of Stedman, N. C. were married Sunday Feb.16<sup>th</sup> at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Jennie B. Beasley of Stedman. Mr. Hubbard is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Hubbard of Stedman. He is with the Veteran's hospital in Fayetteville, N. C. Mrs. Hubbard is niece of Walton and Grady Beazley and Mrs. Joe Fogg of Forrest City.

Marriage-19410222-Wood/Knipple-Miss Alice Louise Knipple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Knipple of Memphis, and William Carol Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wood of Forrest City were married Feb.11 at Hernando, Miss. The will make their home in Memphis. Munson/Hamilton-Miss Martha Hamilton of Forrest City and Harold Munson, Jr. of Tunica, Miss. were married Saturday night at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Paul Galloway. The Bride's uncle Hugh Devereux and Mrs. Devereux were the only guests. The bride is a FCHS graduate, while Mr. Munson attended Mississippi State College, they will live in Tunica where he has farming interests. Sullivan/Hughes-Mrs. T. M. Hughes announces the marriage of her daughter, Virginia Hughes, to J. W. Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sullivan of Wynne at the Methodist Church of Wynne by Rev. J. F. Glover. The will make their home in Forrest City where Mr. Sullivan is employed with Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co.

Marriage-19410225-Perry/Wilson-Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Perry announce the marriage of their daughter, Annie Mary to Harold Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wilson of Mt. Holly at the First Baptist Church in Little Rock by Rev. Hankins. Mrs. Wilson is a FCHS graduate and has attended Quachita College and Draughon's Business College. Mr. Wilson attended Henderson State and Draughon's Business College. They both work with Southwestern Hotels, Inc. in Little Rock.

Marriage-19410225-Pilkington/Johnson-The wedding of Miss Martha Pilkington of Hughes and Lt. James E. Johnson of Jonesboro will be at the First Episcopal Church in El Paso on Saturday, Mar.1st. They will live at Ft. Bliss, Texas after the marriage.

Marriage-19410303-Pittman/Johnson-Mr. and Mrs. Nat Johnson of Memphis, formerly of Hughes, announce the marriage of their daughter, Cornelia, to Mr. Jack Wilson Pittman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Pittman of Chatfield on Feb. 15 at the home of Mr. Pittman's uncle, Mr. Ralph Pittman in Chatfield. Mrs. Pittman is a graduate of Tech HS in Memphis, and attended the Univ. of Arkansas. Mr. Pittman graduated from Hughes HS. He is a farmer at Chatfield where they will make their home.

Marriage-19410304-Sparkman/Killough-Mrs. Dora Satterfield announces the engagement of her niece, Miss Hazel Sparkman, to the Rev. Algernon Killough of Ripley, Tenn. at the Graham Memorial Presbyterian Church in Forrest City on Apr. 2.

Marriage-19410306-Gatling/Logan-Announcement of marriage of Miss Mary Gatling, daughter of Thomas Gatling of Forrest City, to Horace Logan of Shreveport, La. Saturday night in Shreveport. Logan is radio announcer for station KWKH.

Marriage-19410307-Borum/Duckworth-Mr. and Mrs. John Clarence Borum of Aberdeen, Miss., announce the engagement of their daughter, Theresa Woody Borum, to Chaner Willette Duckworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Duckworth of Columbus, Miss. in March. Miss Borum is known here as she often visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Garrison. Hudson/Wright-Mr. and Mrs. John Patrichios and children attended the wedding of Miss Martha Hudson and Robert Wright, Jr. in Memphis last night. Mr. Wright is a brother of Mrs. Patrichios. Marks/Riggan-Miss Catherine Marks of New Edinburgh and Hulbert, and Herbert H. Riggan of Hughes were married yesterday at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. Paul Galloway. Mrs. Riggan is on faculty at Hulbert school, and the groom is engaged in farming at Hughes where they will make their home.

Marriage-19410312-Perry/Cope- A letter received here today by friends announces the marriage of Mrs. Grace Perry, formerly of Forrest City, to G. P. Cope of Nashville, Tenn. on Dec.24, 1940, in Holly Grove. They make their home in Leesville, La. where he is a construction engineer.

Marriage-19410315-Izard/Plummer-Mrs. Richard James Izard announces the engagement of her daughter, Kathryn Izard, to John Thaddeus Plummer of Mattoon, Illinois, son of Mrs. Harry T. Plummer of this city on April 12 in Forrest City. Miss Izard is a graduate of FCHS and Dodd College, Shreveport, La. Mr. Plummer graduated from FCHS and Louisiana State Univ. of Baton Rouge, La. He is with the Carter Oil Co.

Marriage-19410318-Folbre/Davis-Mrs. Mary S. Duffel announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Folbre, to Rhesa Winfred Davis of Memphis and Honolulu, Hawaii, last night at the Presbyterian manse by Rev. James V. Cobb. Mrs. Davis is a grad of FCHS and attended Hendrix College. The groom is a graduate of Memphis Tech. HS and has been in the U. S. Navy for the last four years, and is now radio operator for submarine U. S. Plunger. Byrd/Weddington-Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weddington of Colt announce the marriage of their daughter, Retha, to Jerry Byrd of Forrest City, at the Methodist parsonage at Colt by Rev. Mr. Richey on March 15. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard West of Wynne, Mrs. West is the sister of the bride. They will reside in Forrest City. Wall/Harrell-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Eddie Vick Harrell, to Earl Pershing Wall on Feb.14th at the Methodist parsonage in Marion by Rev. Glenn Sanford. Both are FCHS graduates. Mr. Wall has been stationed on the U.S.S. Saratoga in California.

Marriage-19410319-Nuckolls/Gregory-Mr. and Mrs. Royal Gregory announce the marriage of their daughter, Imogene Gregory, to A. D. Nuckolls, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Nuckolls at Marianna on March 2 by Rev. Edwards of the Baptist church. Both attended FCHS, and they will make their home in Memphis where he is a salesman for Jewel Tea Company.

Marriage-19410321-Gatling/Berens-Announcement has been made of the marriage of Donald G. Gatling and Mrs. Mary Lillian Berens, both of Washington, D.C. Mr. Gatling is the son of Mrs. John Gatling of this city.

#### **World News:**

World-19410106-Washington-President Roosevelt asks for billions for armaments to lend Great Britain, China, and Greece. New York-Private advices received by the United States by the United Press in New York said today that German troops will march into Bulgaria shortly as a result of a Nazi offensive which was reported to have been accepted by Bulgaria.

World-19410117-Washington-Sect. of War Henry L. Stinson wants U. S. Navy left free to have warships enter into war zones, and to convoy vessels at sea.

World-19410122-Cairo-Great Britain's desert fighters have swept to the heights dominating Tobruk and at dawn today launched operations expected to result in the capture of the Italian base and its garrison of an estimated 20,000 troops.

World-19410214-London-British and German air squadrons fight over English channel today. Tokyo-A suggestion was made in Parliament today that Foreign Minister meet with Russia to conclude pact Rome-British drop parachutists in southern Italy.

World-19410221-Madrid-German troops marched into Spain today, however, as a peaceful mission for the purpose of aiding Spanish reconstruction. Tokyo-Japan takes full control of all industries as part of the national mobilization law giving the government wide control over industries in the interest of the national defense.

World-19410222-Washington-Map showing outposts of U. S. in Pacific, and distance to strategic points. General George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff, told Senate Military Affairs Committee that he U. S. is speeding planes to Pacific, as Germany urged Japan to war with the U. S. In Far East.

World-19410303-Ankara-Turkey will not act until Germany Nazis attack Greece. London-British bombers blasted the Brest Harbor last night and hit the berth of a German Cruiser of the Nipper Class.