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QUOTES FROM AN AMAUTER PUBLISHER-EDITOR - Gene

Quite a few have told me that if last week's paper was an example of what I learned at the Press Convention I had better not attend any more.

R. V. Lane said he enjoyed the paper last week because it was almost like working out a cross word puzzle.

At least from the number of comments I find that a lot of folks are still reading the Progress which makes me very happy.

Only four pages this week, because for the first time since I have been publishing a paper I have run out of news stock and my quota for the next period has not arrived to date. We'll be back with a six next week and if my new assistant stays with me, am going to try an jump to eight pages.

Am wondering what the skeptics and kill-joys think about our Memorial Park opening now. Since our opening folks have been coming in from surrounding towns every day to swim and picnic at the park. There has been some discussion as to the swimming hours on Sunday which are from one to six o'clock. This should give everyone a chance to have a nice swim and still give those who have to work at the park a chance to attend church at night if they so desire. The park will be open from one to ten o'clock on week days.

We appreciate the De Leon High School Band and Mayor Franks with a representative group of businessmen from Dublin taking part in our parade. The De Leon Band got together at the last minute when the Eastland Band phoned they would be unable to come due to a previous engagement . .. thanks to Reese Allday, Parade Chairman, the parade started on time and rolled right along.

It is oftimes said that history repeats itself and during this year of political turmoil I am wondering if the following would not apply to the Democratic Party today if we changed a few names. It was written in 1902 by my grand-dad, Major Dan McGray, who was editor and publisher of the Houston Age. It reads as follows:

"Let us have peace. -- The Bryanites are backsliders. They have wandered from the fold. They have denied the faith. They have worshipped the silver calf. They have joined themselves to heathen, the Hittites, the Jebusites, the populites and silverites; but they are still our brethern. Let the erring brothers return to the fold, confess their iniquities, acknowledge their transgressions and receive forgiveness. Let us have peace."

Letter Of Appreciation

Following is a letter received by Mrs. Bill Tucker, Correspondent for the Progress, from Wesley Elliott who was injured in an airplane crash in Ranger some time ago.

Olden, Texas
June 26, 1948

Dear Mrs. Tucker,

I am somewhat improved since you last saw me, but I will have to wear a cast for some time yet. I am regaining the use of my left foot,also.

I am home from the Veterans sospital in Dallas, for a 30-day stay, so while I am home will you do me a friendly favor?

I have received so many nice letters and cards since I was so seriously ijured in that plane crash at Ranger. Messages of hope and encouragement to help tide me through some very trying moments that I want to express my thanks to all my friends and good neighbors who have so remembered me. From the depths of my heart I am gratiful.

Would you please send this to the paper for me? I'd appreciate it very much.

Sincerely,
Wesley Elliott
Olden, Texas

CHURCH SERVICE AT ROCK BLUFF SUNDAY

Rev. H. F. Skaggs will preach at Rock Bluff Sunday, July 4th at 11 o'clock.

There will be a singing at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend both services.

Jovial Crowd Attends Opening Of Park

According to all reports the Memorial Park opening was a grand success. The parade started on time and all other events ran ahead of schedule for the day and as the last event took place a good ground-soaking rain started in which added to the zest of the crowd.

The De Leon High School Band set a lively pace heading the parade and were followed by Mayor Franks of Dublin and a group of business men on horses furnished by the World's Rodeo Association of Dublin and a group of Gorman boys and men who are developing a right nice rodeo grounds and roping arena in Gorman.

Winners in the Float contest were: Rebekah Lodge, $35.00 first prize -- their float was covered with white cloth and showed the officers dressed in the uniforms of the Lodge. The Rebekah Lodge is using their prize money to construct a table and benches at Memorial Park.

Second Prize of $25.00 went to Mrs. Reese Allday and Mrs. Weldon Glasgow who were driving a rig representing Higginbotham's. Mrs. Allday wore an old-fashioned the Allday and Glasgow kiddies. Hanging on back of the rig were costume and her escort, Mrs. Allday had on a red wig with a straw hat and was dressed in a flashy man's suit.

The colored folks (Boyd Hilley and family) won third place and $15.00 with a jeep representiing Golden Oak Feed and Produce.

Just as everyone thought the parade was over a truck came sailing down the street with a colored man (Parker McDaniel) jigging on the back end and throwing peanuts to everybody. They were late or might have been in the running for one of the prizes.

Sandra Ieazer and her escort, Denton looked real cute driving the rig representing Mehaffey Drug.

After the concert by the DeLeon High School Band, Mr. Geisecke, Past State Commander of the American Legion gave a short and to the point dedication address. He emphasized the need of preparedness so that future generations might live in peace and boys like Frank A. Gray be allowed to live out their span of years.

Just as Mr. Geisecke finished his speech a squadron of planes flew over the park piloted by Check Smith, George Smith, Bill Bettis, Doyle Lee (Pinky) Jobe and Wilbur Mehaffey. Check Smith remarked later that Frank Gray was one of his closest friends.

Highlight of the day was the Baby Bathing Revue sponsored by Higginbotham's judges were hard put to select a winner but finally settled on Mary Shell, Denise Rose and Anna Kate Blair.

Approximately one thousand people enjoyed the day at Memor ial Park and over 500 took a dip in the swimming pool.

A & M Operating Fitch Seed Laboratory

COLLEGE STATION, June-The Vetch Seed Testing Laboratory of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at A. and M. College is now operating, Dr. E. B. Reynolds, laboratory director announced today. Germination and purity tests are being run on seed from the crop now being harvested.

Vetch is one of the best and most widely grown legumes used in Texas for soil improvement. It furnishes protestion against erosion, adds nitrogen and improves the physical condition of the soil.

Production of high quality vetch seed has become an important source of farm income in the West Cross Timbers and adjacent farming areas.

An appropriation for experiments with vetch and seed testing was made available by the State Legislature at the request of individual vetch seed producers and grower organization, Dr. Reynolds said. Services of the laboratory will include germination and purity tests on seed produced by Texas growers.

Mrs. Grace Clark and Jerry are points of interest.

Miss Juanita Turner is spending part of her vacation in Waco.

Methodist Sunday School Groups Choose Wednesday For Swim

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brummett sponsored a picnic and swim for the Senior Department of the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening in the Frank Gray Park.

The five-year old class were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shell. Most of these children appeared in the Bathing Beauty review at the dedication of the pool.

Young Adults and several guests of the class took picnic supper at seven and remained for swimming.

Services Held For Infant Son of Mrs. J. S. Buthrie

Funeral Services were held last Friday, June 25th, for Lawrence Joseph Guthrie, two day old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Guthrie, who was born at the Blackwell Sanitarium June 22, 1948 and died Thursday June 24th.

Services were conducted by Rev. Willie Skaggs at the home of Mrs. Guthrie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Stone of the Rucker Community. Mrs. Guthrie will be remembered as Carolyn Stone.

Interment was in the Iliver Springs Cemetery.

Bank To Observe Holiday Monday, July Fifth

As July Fourth falls on Sunday, The First National Bank will observe Monday, July Fifth as a holiday and no business will be transacted on Monday.

Faye Hunter Marries Joe Jones At Methodist Church

Miss Faye Hunter became the bride of Joe Jones Sunday afternoon, June 27th at the Methodist Church. The bride was attired in an aque blue suit with white accessories. Their attendants were Jean McCormick and Bob Enloe.

A few friends and relatives attended also. The couple left for a short trip immediately after the ceremony.

Miss Mary Geraldine Campbell Exchanges Vows With Bily M. Hicks

In a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Leon Woods at 9:00 p.m. Saturday evening, Miss Mary Geraldine Campbell became the bride of Billy M. Hicks. The ceremony was performed in the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks of Grapevine. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Campbell of Gorman, Texas. Mr. Campbell gave his daughter in marriage. The bride wore a dress of white shadow sheer with white accessories and carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of pink carnations. Miss Ruth Hicks, sister of the groom, was maid-of-honor and Mr. O. D. King of Batson, Texas was best man. The couple will make their home in Grapevine for the summer.

De Leon Peach And Melon Festival Will Open July 22, 23, 24

The De Leon Peach and Melon Festival will open on July 22, 23, and 24.

Texas Electric Service Company will sponsor an exhibit tent for all Dealers of De Leon and Gorman who wish to display their Electrical Appliances and Equipment a more complete detail of this plan will appear in next week's paper.

Gorman Stores To Be Closed July 4

The Gorman stores are being asked to close Monday, July 5 to observe the July 4 holiday This is an annual affair that has been done every year and they are expecting to do so again this year.

Triple Birthday Celebration Held In Carbon

A triple birthday dinner was enjoyed Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stokes. There were twenty-six present.

Those celebrating their birthday were: Lou Palmer, Stokes and Mrs. George Nolan.

Those present were: Mr. and and Mrs. Lon Palmer of the Flatweek community, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bond of Austin, Mrs. Bill Nix and son of Ibex, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kennedy of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. George Nolan of Rotan, Miss Bonnie Cooper of Rotan, Miss Thelma Kirkland of Gorman, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reynolds, Mrs. Gladys Bond, June Francis Lee, Betty Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Toy Penny, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reynolds, Patricia Lindian, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stokes, all of Carbon.

A portion of the noon hour was recorded on Palmer's wire recorder.

Mrs. Ed Landry, Alton and Doris of Eastland spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Nell Doled to her home in Bruni Station berry.

New Radio Station Now Operating In Hamilton

A new radio station covering this entire trade area is now operating from Hamilton, Texas. The new radio station, KCLW, is operating on a clear channel frequency of 900 Kilocycles, meaning 900 on your radio dials, with a power of 250 watts. The station is operated during day time hours only. A complete program schedule of music and nows is now being aired each broadcast day, from sunrise to sunset.

The new station KCLW, has installed all new equipment, and a 265 foot radio tower to enable them to cover approximately a hundred fifty mile radius of Hamilton. Actual mail coverage from reports received to the station since it went on the air last May 22nd, indicate that the coverage area for listening is even more than the one hundred fifty miles, since mail is being received from the west as far as Big Spring, from the South as far as Giddings, Texas, from the North in Dallas, and from the East as far as Tyler, Texas.

The new station is broadcasting many educational, and information programs, and the newscasts are compiled from the 24 hour United Press teletype machines installed in the KCLW newsrooms. A complete news coverage from International, National, State, Central Texas, and local news is included on the daily news reports. Farm and Ranch news, are being broadcast each day, and local and central Agricultural reports gain main attention of the broadcasting programs.

The staff of the new station, include Wm. T. Stubblefield, formerly of Carbon, Texas, as General Manager; Mrs. Alma Yates as Commercial Director; Cynthia Stubblefield, receptionist and secretary; Clarance White, Announcer; Tommy Leeth, Musical director; Carl Knelly, Chief Engineer; and Mitch Inabet, Radio engineer. The station is owned by Clyde Weatherby of Hamilton.

New modern, air conditioned studios and offices have been constructed in down-town Hamilton and a transmitter building, and tower is two miles on the Comanche highway from Hamilton.

A complete program schedule will be sent to anyone caring to write Box 511, in Hamilton, and requesting a program schedule.

The Motto of the new station is: "The Center of Entertainment for Central Texas in the Center of the Dial." Remember to tune in to 900 on your radios for local Central entertainment and news.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Vorhese of Oquawka, Illinois are the proud parents of a 7 pound son born June 18th. He has been named John Slayborn. Mrs. Vorhese will be remembered here as Maxine Moorman.

Mrs. Fannie Murl Cribbs returnafter a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boucher.

KING THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
Gary Cooper - Paulette Goddard
In
Unconquered in Technicolor
(Regular Admission)

Saturday
Allan "Red Ryder" Lane
in
"Homesteaders of Paradise Valley"
And
Philip Reed
In
"Big Town After Dark"
Also
"Brick Bradford No. 1

Sunday and Monday
Joseph Cotten - Jennifer Jones
In
"Duel In The Sun"
Also
Hugh Herbert Comedy

Tuesday and Wednesday
Joe E. Brown - Noreen Nash
In
"The Tender Years"
Also
Cartoon - Sports - Musical Western

Thursday and Friday
Paulette Goddard -
- MacDonald Carey
In
"Hazard"
Also
Two Color Cartoons

Burette Patterson Withdraws From Judges Races

Having announced my withdrawal from the race for district judge, I feel an explanation for my doing so is due the people of this county.

Before becoming a candidate for this office I had a thorough check-up by a Fort Worth Clinic to ascertain if my age and physical condition was such that I could make this race without jeopardizing my health. The report from this Clinic to my local physician recites, among other findings," Physical examination reveals a well developed, will nourished, exceptionally well preserved man of stated age in no accute distress—I endorse the judge continuing in active practice and entering the race for judgeship if there is no active campaign involved." Anticipating that the campaign would not be a strenuous one, I announced my candidacy. An unusually diligent campaign for this office has since developed and it is now apparent that the chances of my being nominated will depend largely upon my engaging in an active and persistent campaign for the next 30 or 60 days. To do this, according to the advice of my physicians, my present good health would be jeopardized and it might be seriously and permanently impaired. I regard the hazzard to my health too great for me to follow through on on these conditions; hence my withdrawal.

The voluntary and gracious manifestations of their loyalty to me and their support of my candidacy for this office by so many of my friends will ever be among the most pleasant memories of my life. For this, as well as for the several political honors accorded me by the people of Eastland County in the past, I am indeed grateful.

Eastland, Texas, June 26, 1948
Burette W. Patterson

Carbon Church Of Christ To Hold Gospel Meeting

The Church of Christ at Carbon, Texas will begin a Gospel Meeting Friday night, July 2nd at 8:15 P. M. which will continue through July 13th.

Brother Austin Varner of Synder, Texas will be in charge of the service and Mr. Harry Crow of Carbon will conduct the song service.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend each and everyone of these meetings.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week:

Garland Winston Pharr to Mildred Grennelge, Cisco.

Willie D. Rankin to Opal Frost, Eastland.

Stanton E. Carr to Mary Frances Hyatt, Gorman.

Silas E. Carter, Jr. to Melba Ruth Reed, Rising Star.

Joe Jones to Delia Faye Hunter, Gorman.

Eddie Roy Grisham to Mary Juanita Duffield, Okra.

NO CIVIL PROBATE

Mrs. Kate Baxter Courtney, deceased, application for probate of will.

SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:

Stella Lou Hardwick v. Raymond Hay Hardwock, divorce.

Gladys Scott v. Earl Scott, divorce.

Commercial State Bank of Ranger v. J. B. Bradford, et al, for debt and forceclosure of lien.

Fred Brown, et ux v. Dixieland Oil Company, receivership.

Dayca Marie Campbell v. Jack Russell Campbell, divorce.

Mildred G. Roberts v. Bobby Lee Roberts, divorce.

Glenn Deitiker v. Hazel Deitiker, divorce.

ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS

The The following orders and 91st District Court last week:

Hickok Producing and Development Company, et al v. T. H. Foley, et al, order.

Denman Stanfield and Jonnie Hale were Eastland visitors Monday.

OIL NEWS and PERSONNEL In and Around GORMAN

Luling Oil and Gas have been busy this week building right-of-ways and running surveys to their new location on the No. 1 H, 1 Stapp. Notes on this location are: 660 feet from S. Line, 94 feet East from the West line of the Latham survey. This is on what is known throughout the territory the old Fleming tract North and West of Gorman about 9 miles.

National Coop. Refining Association No. 2 Albritton are reworking and reconditioning. Tuesday night they ran a Schlumberger and cut 3 cores Found good odor in cores.

A. W. Gregg No. 1 Krel WOC, waiting to perforate and acidize. This well was carried to a depth of 2930 in the Marble Falls. Has a 28 foot of pay.

Mellard and Clemens No. 1 Pete Mauney drilling in the Ellenberger at around 3130. They may take this test to 3400 feet. Have found the gas structure at 2595, and the 27 foot streak of pay at 2788-2815. However, the pay streak is believed to be a very tight streak.

A. W. Gregg and Class going into the J. O. Cowan No. 1 and pull rods and tubing. They intend to reperforate and reacidize using 8000 to 10,000.

E. K. and E. M. Burt No. 1 Bryan reacidized. Now flowing 17 BBLS. Company may use another treatment of acid since this well was about given us as lost, having had a strin of pipe and some cement lost in the hole.

J. W. Baldwin moving in on the No. 2 J. N. Watson.

A. B. Edwards et al No. 1 J. C. Cook ran a drill stem test in the Caddo, Monday.

Wrather Penn and Walters No. 1 Dominy set pipe Sunday. Test on this well shows that it made 25 BBLS. per hour on 1-2 inch choke. This outfit have made location and set pipe on their No. 2 Dominy.

J. W. Baldwin set pipe Monday on the No. 2 Sanders.

W. B. Johnson Drilling Co. set pipe Monday on their No. 4 Arlan Watson. They are swabbing. Wampler Drilling Contractors who have been doing the drilling on this lease for Johnson are being moved for the same company to a location near Cisco.

Foster Brothers No. 4 Ray Burns drilling at about 300 feet.

Mr. Whaley made three new locations in the Kirk Field the last of last week as follows:

1. Coast Oil No. 1 George Bell, 330 feet out of the N. E. Corner.

2. Coast Oil No. 1 H. H. Richardson 330 feet out of S. W. Corner.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all the people who were so nice to help us in this hour of sorrow. Also for the beautiful flowers, for the food and many other kind deeds and comforting words spoken in the recent passing of our loved one May Gods richest blessings be with each and everyone.

Mrs. W. A. Woods and family

Rellas Dowell Woods

Rellas Dowell Woods was born March 13, 1897, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woods of Gorman, deported this life June 28th 1948.

He was married to Amba Mae Barrett in 1918, to this union two children was born, one dying in infancy.

He is survived by his wife and son, James E. Woods of Olney, who was present far his funeral.

Other survivors are H. W. Woods of Gorman, David Woods of Tuscon, Aridona and Bradford Wood of Corpus Christa, Texas (Brothers) and four sisters, who are: Mrs. Marion Rich, Cisco, Mrs. J. E. Ketner, Tahaka, Texas, Mrs. Carrie Koonce of Gorman and Mrs. Charlie Harrison of Gorman. And a host of other relatives and friends, who mourn his passing.

He was converted but had never affiliated himself with any church at the time of his passing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kimble and John Edward spent part of this week in Mineral Wells.

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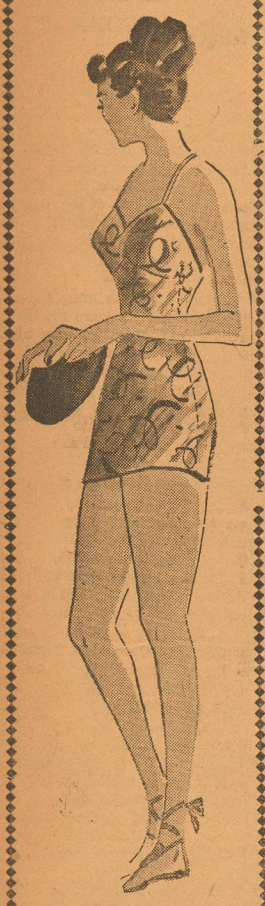

Other Bathing Suits
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Bibby
Department Store

This is an important day for each of us Although we set it aside as a day of fun and and summer-holiday enjoyment, let's not lose sight of the fact that "world affairs" make it a solemn occasion on which we must rededicate ourselves to living democratically.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Gorman Progress is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
H. C. (Carl) Elliott
(Unexpired term)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
H. H. (Howard) WILLIAMS
J. J. (John) BROWN
TOM GREER
B. M. (Foggy) BENNETT
W. C. (Walter) REYNOLDS
A. M. (Judge) THURMAN

For Sheriff
J. B. WILLIAMS
H. D. (Jack) WHITE

For Constable, Precinct Two
TOM BRYANT

For Judge 91st District Court
GEORGE L. DAVENPORT
(re-election)
EARL CONNER, Jr.
BURETTE W. PATTERSON
(Judge 88th Court when abolished)

For Representative, 107th Dist.
L. R. PEARSON (re-election)
BILLIE MAC JOBE

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 5
A. N. TURNER
I. T. (Ike) GRISHAM

For County Judge
P. L. CROSSLEY (re-election)
C. S. (CLABE) ELDRIDGE
Asking for his first term

For County Clerk
W. V. (Virgil) LOVE re-election

For State Senator, 24th District
PAT BULLOCK of Colorado
(Stand Pat with Pat for a second Full Term)
HARLEY SADLER

For Associate Justice of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals
CECIL C. COLLINGS

WANT ADS

DEAD ANIMAL SERVICE—Free and Sure - Call collect Phone 303 Hamilton, Texas. 2-5FN

FOR RENT—2 room apartments, Blue Haven Courts, De Leon, Tex.

FOR SALE— New house. N. O. Whitfield. 5-13fn

IF YOU want to lease your land - commercial, drilling contract, or any way - see DON RODGERS Phone 30-J 5-13fn

FOR SALE—The L. M. Cook farm three miles north on Caddo Highway. Electricity and Gas, also Electric Water Pump. Lloyd Bruce Ranger, Texas, Phone 1-4 7-1c

FOR SALE—164 acre farm, above average, 2 houses, good gas and oil well, 84 acres not leased. $32.50 per acre. Don Rodgers. Ph. 30-J.

FOR SALE—or Trade, 46 model B Farmall Tractor, J. C. Claitor, Rt. One, Gorman. 7-15P

FOR SALE—A milk Cow and 8 weeks old pigs at my place 1 1-2 miles north of Rucker, A. R. Gleming. 7-1P

FOR SALE—A complete stock of new and used furniture (good business location) (doing good business) Will sell at a bargain, have other business opportunities. Williamson Furniture Store, 114 N. Seaman St., Eastland, Texas, Ph. 113W1 after 6 p.m. 7-15c

FOR SALE-One 22-37 Case peanut thrasher on rubber. One baler with 9 1-4 Wisconsin motor. One John Deere side delivery rake. Lee Coates, Carbon, Texas Phone 21M.

FOR SALE-Second hand lumber. C. R. Greathouse, Rt. 2, Gorman.

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KOKOMO NEWS

Mrs. Fannie Murl Cribbs of Bruno visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Johnson Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Eaves of New Mexico spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant and Angelia shopped in Eastland Saturday.

Oscar Treadway attended business in Ranger Saturday.

Mrs. O. C. Johnson and children were guests in the L. F. Johnson home last week.

Batsy Morrison of Gorman visited Louise Scitern Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Rodger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and family spent the week end with relatives in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Reeve of Gorman spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Scitern.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendricks of Ranger visited his mother, Mrs. Ann Hendricks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Bryant and Angelia visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryant of Gorman Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal and Fannie Bell attended the funeral of Bill Booth of Maron Sunday, Mr. Booth was a brother-in-law of Mr. O'Neal and was 80 years of age.

A large crowd attended the singing at Kokoma. There was plenty of good singing and dinner for everyone present.

Some of the people attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Hassel of Rising Star, Judge Rush, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fisher of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Eaves and family of New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Huggens of Brownwood, Fred Bennette of Anson, Mrs. Roy Holiday and Baby, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Haggins and daughter, Lelond warren, The Dennis Quarette, Miss Iuanita Hatkess of Desdemonia, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Robertson of Ranger, Mrs. Elmer Rodgers of Eastland, Paul Rodgers of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Arl Lasater of Carbon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Craway Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Sylvia were in Eastland and Ranger Tuesday.

There will be Sunday school Sunday morning at the usual time. Don't forget to come to Kokoma community singing Sunday night.

Rev. Isam O'Neal and a daughter of Tolar visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal Sunday evening.

Verna Lee Garrett visited Joleen Treadway Tuesday.

Texas State Department --- ----

AUSTIN, TEXAS,—An increase of more than 18 per cent in Texas cancer deaths during the five years between 1943 and 1947 has been announced by Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Texas mortality tables compiled by the Texas State Department of Health show 1943 cancer deaths at 5,557, as compared to 6,770 for 1947.

"The greater part of this tremendous increase in cancer deaths is attributable to needless delay in seeking treatment, once a person has reason to suspect he has a cancerous growth," Dr. Cox said. He added his belief that advertising patent medicines and so-called cancer quacks puts dangerous and misleading information before the public, thereby adding to the cancer mortality rate. This is because people are lulled by such propaganda and do not receive proper diagnosis and treatment until too late.

Dr. Cox said that almost two-thirds of all cancer cases rely on tissue, while the other third may respond to X-ray or radium treatment.

"These three methods are the surgery to remove the cancerous only means by which the disease can be treated," he said. "Self-medications, serums, colored lights, pastes, and diets are absolutely useless."

The Health Officer pointed out that the greatest defense against cancer is an early diagnosis and competent treatment by a reputable physician. He urged especial attention to any unnatural bleeding from any body opening, lumps in the breast, and skin sores which fail to heal normally.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Glasson had the following children home on Father's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Brown, of Lubbock and Miss Geraldine Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Glasson and family and Miss Clara Sue Henry, all of Lamesa Texas, Mr. ani Mrs. Dale Glasson, of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Glasson and family of Desemonia, Mr. Carcansier, of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Glasson and family of Gorman.

Mrs. Gene Baker has returned from a vacation trip which took her through the Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, Grand Canyon Nev. the world's largest gambling and Boulder Dam. She states that she spent one night in Las Vagas, city and says she never saw "the like." The party also made a trip of two days into Old Mexico. The most beautiful sight was the swallows returning to Capistrana Mission.

Pulling the shades down over a dark past makes it easier to find a bright future.

In some of the modern steps, the dancers exercise everything but discretion.

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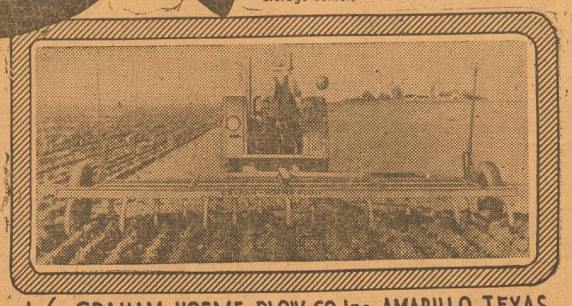
Plows All Types of Land Without Adjustments
Prevents Erosion by Wind and Water
Cuts Plowing Cost in Half
Doubles Sub-Soil Moisture
BUILT TO LAST A LIFETIME
KEEP VEGETATION ON TOP

Nature's own method is to keep vegetation on top. That cuts down evaporation, keeps the soil in place in spite of heavy winds. The Graham-Hoeme Plowing Method with the two-inch chisel, as shown in illustration, permits water to by-pass the top soil into the sub-soil. It's a moisture storage center.



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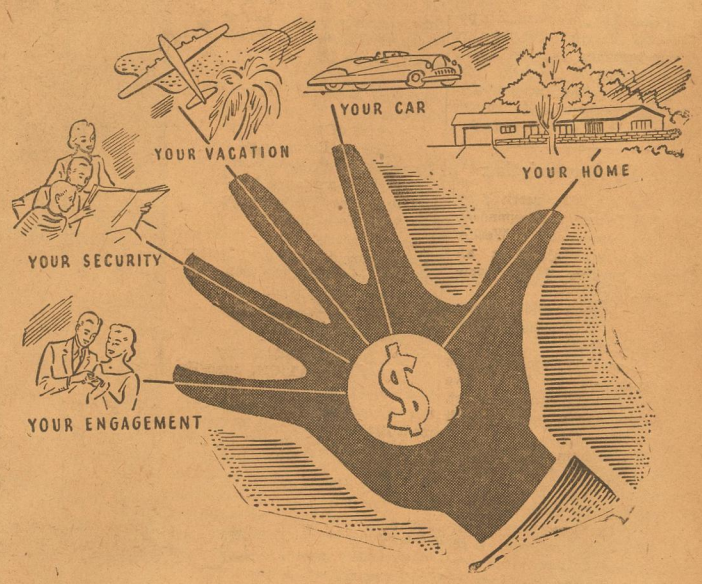

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INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's Office last week:

W. W. Anderson to Bob Bailey, warranty deed.

W. I. Allison to The Public, proof of heirship.

W. F. Arnold to James M. Snowden, Trustee, oil and gas lease.

E. Allison to The Public, affidavit.

Jack Angus to Mrs. M. A. Glenn, quit claim deed.

W. I. Allison to The Public, proof of heirship.

M. C. Banowsky to M. D. Bailey, release of vendor's lien.

Tom Bryant to Citizens State Bank, Cross Plains, deed of trust.

J. M. Brown to W. H. Dugan, warranty deed.

J. M. Brown to W. H. Dugan, release of lien.

Mrs. Lucy Brogdon to H. H. Green, warranty deed.

W. R. Bennett to The Public, proof of heirship.

J. B. Barton to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

W. D. Brecheen to The Public, dedication.

W. D. Brecheen to The Public agreement.

W. D. Brecheen to C. A. Waters, warranty deed.

Fred Brown to The Public, affidavit.

Frank Crowell to Eastland National Bank, assignment of ML.

Cate Daniels Crawford to I. Van Daniels, MD.

City of Eastland to Don C. Hill, deed.

E. P. Crawford to James B. Coates, release of deed of trust.

James B. Coates to C. J. Qualls, warranty deed.

Catherine Cunningham to The Public, affidavit.

V. V. Cooper, Sr. to John F. Watson, warranty deed.

Price Crawley to W. Huges Brockbank, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to John E. Mangrum, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to Mrs. Dorothy Bostick, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to Mrs. Mildred F. Bobo, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to George Rall, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to Leo Rose, assignment of oil and gas lease.

City of Ranger to Mrs. J. M. Brown, release of judgment.

Mrs. Mary Collier to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Jess T. Cavanaugh to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

City of Cisco to The Public, resolution.

Price Crawley to Jack Pheston Morris, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to N. Z. Crass, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to Sam H. Caudle, assignment of oil and gas lease.

C. A. Crownover to Hubert H. Capps, release of vendor's lien.

Citizens National Bank, Abilene to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

Citizens National Bank to The Public, resolution.

City of Ranger to C. E. May, warranty deed.

O. D. Dillingham to Commercial State Bank, Ranger, quit claim deed.

J. M. Dodson to J. A. Schlueter, oil and gas lease.

H. S. Drumwright to A. D. Anderson, MD.

W. T. Dunn to Padgett K Anderson, warranty deed.

A. W. Dawson to The Public, affidavit.

B. F. Dunn to W. E. Tyler, MD.

Eastland National Bank to Harry J. Walter, release of lien.

Mary Jane Eppler to A. W. Gregg, oil and gas lease.

Hortense Koonce Elkins to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Amos Victor Edwards to Robert Lee Turner, warranty deed.

Eastland National Bank to James H. Snowden, sub. of lease to oil and gas lease.

First National Bank, Ft. Worth to Tom Bryant, release.

A. J. Foxworth to Jesse H. Reynolds, Jr., warranty deed.

J. F. Fore to L. M. Patterson, quit claim deed.

Almus L. Fannin to V. L. Lewis, warranty deed.

Minnie L. Ferguson to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

Federal Land Bank of Houston to A. W. Wright, release,

W. D. Giesler to M. D. Bailey, warranty deed.

Samuel Greer to J. P. McCracken, MD.

Mamie Nash Griffin to H. J. Nash, warranty deed.

Bettie Guy to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

James H. Guy to The Public, proof of heirship.

Samuel Greer to C. B. Marcum, release of vendor's lien.

J. S. Gilmore to The Public, proof of heirship.

Effie Gilmore to T. A. Kirk, drilling contract.

Jim W. Guy to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

J. W. Guy to The Public, affidavit.

W. T. Guy to James H. Snowden, oiil and gas lease.

Otis Guy to James H. Snowden, sub. oil and gas lease.

Otis Guy to The Public, affidavit.

Ima Hukill to C. S. VanCleave, warranty deed.

C. M. Houston to B. T. Hill, power of attorney.

Martha Huber to H. A. Stroebel, warranty deed.

Ollie A. Hughes to Security Life and Accident Co., deed of trust.

Vergie Holloway to A. W. Gregg,

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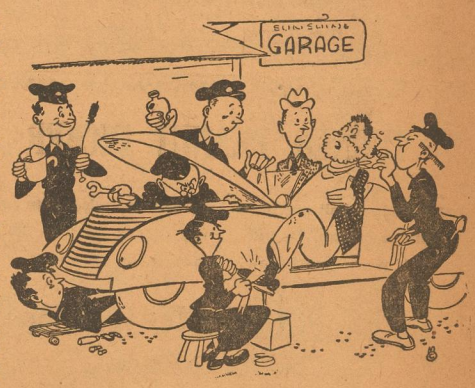

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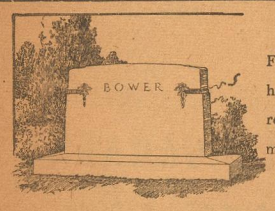

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Personals

Recent visitors in the Baskin home were: Mr. and Mrs. Randall P. Chapman and children of Portland Oregon and Mrs. Hattie Chapman of Denver, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yonkers and children of Hebronville, Texas were week end guests in the Baskin home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Turner of Abernathy, returning from a visit to Alabama, spent a few days with her brother, Don Rodgers. Mr. and Mrs. Turner attended a family reunion in Alabama where Mr. Turner met with eight of his brothers and sisters whose ages ranged from 61 to 81.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean and daughter, Cassandra Louise are leaving Thursday to make their home in Waco, where Mr. Dean will be associated with the Berry-Williams Drug Co. as a druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Boston were Fort Griffen Fandangle. in Albany Saturday attending the

Mrs. Gladen Little of Inglewood, Calif.; Denman Stanfield; of Huntington Park, Calif., Mrs. Connor Stanfield, Mrs. Maxine Runyon and son of El Centro, Calif., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stanfield and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oldham of Big Springs spent the week end with Mrs. Ellen Oldham. Miss Fannie Scott returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. B. F. Pendarvis has as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. Garrett of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrow have returned from a vacation trip to East Texas.

Mrs. R. B. Love has returned from a stay of several weeks in Columbus, Ohio and St. Louis, Mo.

The following visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Broom Tuesday: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Broom of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter, Georgia, Gilbert Lyda, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stanfield, all of Gorman; Denman Stanfiled of Huntington Park Calif.; Mrs. Connor Stanfield, Mrs. Maxine Runyon and Kinne of El Centro, Calif.

The parade opening the Frank Gray Park in Gorman last Friday was attended by a large crowd who really enjoyed the day at the lake. First prize in the parade went to the Gorman Rebekah Lodge; second to Higginbotham's and third to Caraway Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McMillan and on a trip to New York and other

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McMillan, Mrs. Bill Bettis were called to Ft. Worth Tuesday evening by the illness of their son and brother, Raymond McMillan who is in the Methodist Hospital, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Vera Hamrick had all of her children at home last week; Lyndon of Chetsworth, Calif.; Mrs. Jack Martin and children of Morgan; Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ranger; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas of Md. and Mrs. Earl Pittman Smith and children of De Leon; Eastland and Whatley of Gorman.

Mrs. Ada Armstrong and children of Van Horn are visting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Dabney. Mr. Dabney is ill at his home.

The Rebekah Lodge held one of its most interesting meetings of the year Tuesday evening with twenty members present. A vote of thanks was given to the judges and all who assisted us in any way in our float winning the first prize of $35.00 in the parade last Friday. This fund will be used to build a picnic table at the park and a committee was appoiinted to begin work on this project at once. All members are urged to be present each meeting night. On July 6th installation of new officers and final plans will be made for the annual picnic at the park on July 8.

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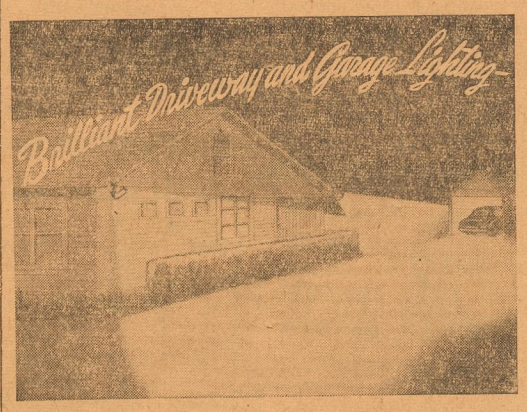

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George M. Hill to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

H. D. Hall to The Public, affidavit.

Earnest B. Hastings to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

Edwin Ben Ingram to Emily J. Yates, warranty deed.

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N. F. Johnson to O. A. Hughes, warranty deed.

N. F. Johnson to Security Life and Accident Company, transfer of lien.

W. B. Johnson Drilling Co. to R. H. Patterson, assignment.

A. H. Johnson to A. H. Richardson, oil and gas lease.

Mrs. M. E. Jordan to A. H. Richardson, oil and gas lease.

Ida Joyce to Lewis Jackson, warranty deed.

A. S. Jackson to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

T. G. Jackson to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

A. S. Jackson to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

R. Kamon to L. M. Cawley, assignment of oil and gas lease.

J. D. Kiker to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

C. D. Lane to Paul V. Marrell, assignment of oil and gas lease.

N. B. Laminack to A. W. Gregg, oil and gas lease.

W. L. Lewis to First Federal S & L Assn., deed of trust.

Hosea Lanier to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

Helen E. Lovett to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

Louisa Laminack to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

E. L. Laminack to The Public, proof of heirship.

H. T. Lane to A. M. Lacey, contract.

Joe S. Mellard to The Public, affidavit.

C. M. Murphy to Marjorie Young, warranty deed.

C. B. Marcum to L. A. Luttrell, warranty deed.

Paul L. Norris to The Public, affidavit.

Paul L. Norris to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

F. M. Oldham to Daisy M. Davis, warranty deed.

Byron Paul to Mrs. Mary Kent, transfer of vendor's lien.

C. M. Pearce to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

A. C. Poe to The Public, proof of heirship.

C. B. Poe, Jr. to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

C. B. Poe to The Public, proof of heirship.

M. A. Portor to H. P. Kirk, warranty deed.

Bonnie B. Poe to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

J. P. Robertson to B. T. Hill, power of attorney.

J. W. Robertson to B. T. Hill, power of attorney.

W. A. Roush to J. A. Schlueter, assignment of oil and gas lease.

A. H. Richardson to Sam Y. Dorfman, assignment of oil and gas lease.

A. H. Richardson to S. J. Raymon, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Allison Rich to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

J. W. Rosson to J. F. Ledbetter, warranty deed.

R. H. Reed to The Public, affidavit.

A Rupp to Paul L. Norris, correction deed.

A. Rupp to James H. Snowden, sub. oil and gas lease.

Susie C. Sides to Tom L. Broom, warranty deed.

Homer Smith to Federal Land Bank of Houston, agreement.

Mrs. N. E. Sutton to L. C. Sutton, warranty deed.

J. A. Schlueter to D. G. Schlueter, assignment of oil and gas lease.

J. A. Schlueter to G. E. Schlueter, assignment of oil and gas lease.

W. H. Stagner to The Public, proof of heirship.

George Eteal to H. J. Hamilton, warranty deed.

Charles S. Sandler to T. R. Prickett, release of vendor's lien.

Mrs. Edith E. Stephens to Homer P. Brelsford, Jr., warranty deed.

Mary Alice Swan to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

S. L. Swindell to R. D. Swindell, warranty deed.

W. D. Seabourn to Clifford Seabourn, warranty deed.

Florence Tribble to S. R. Boggs, MD.

Robert Lee Turner to O. J. Brown, warranty deed.

Velma M. Trimble to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

Charles A. Watson to Alex Conner, warranty deed.

Edward Wolcott to B. T. Hill, power of attorney.

M. F. Watts to W. D. Giesler, warranty deed.

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A. E. Westmoreland to A. W. Grigg, assignment of oil and gas lease.

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