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Illness In Gorman

Gorman folks listed as patients at Blackwell Rodgers on Tuesday morning were Jean Reynolds, Nadine Westmoreland, A. B. Rankin and Will Coffman.

Mrs. Z. Cooke is feeling better this week. Her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Grice has had her house moved to the lot adjoining her mother, in order that she may assist in caring for her.

Mrs. Walter Underwood continues to improve. Both she and Mr. Underwood enjoy their visitors.

Mrs. W. G. Baker is reported to be feeling better than usual this week.

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SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts met Wednesday in the Firehall. We planned a hike and elected officers. They are: President, Linda Cloninger; Vice President, Gaye Watson; Secy., Nelda Fay Robertson; Treasurer, Linda Reed; and Reporter, Linda Lee Speck.

Plans were made for an all day hike, Saturday, October 6, 1951. ReReporter, L L S

BALLINGER'S LOSS IS GORMAN'S GAIN

The move of the S. E. Cloningers with their three daughters to Gorman was Ballinger's loss and Gorman's gain. Rumors around before school opened were that the three Misses were wondering if they would click. They have. Senior Betty Cloninger, band leader, lends a bit of showmanship and that is always good for performers. Mary Kay wields a mean baton as do the twirlers in her squad. Linda has been elected President of Girl Scouts. Director Nichols may well be proud of his first month's work with the Gorman Band.

A QUEEN'S WREATH ON A COTTAGE DOOR

Have you seen the Queen's Wreath Above her cottage door? The lady on Roberts Street We spoke of once before.

The threshold's wrapped around. The power lines entwined, Blossoms are hanging down, Rose-pink of every kind.

This pretty thing and many more, the lawns, the trees and flowers at homes here and there speak appreciation to the City Water Department for summer rates. -L. F.

KOKOMO NEWS

Sixty-one persons attended Sunday School Sunday. Next Sunday Rev. Divis Clement of Gorman will conduct church services after Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eaves and family of Hobbs, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendricks and Mrs. Eaves also Miss Lena Mae Eaves, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves of New Hope, Kay Jarrett and Patsy Rodgers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Eaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Donaldson of Odessa report the arrival of a 6 lb., 9 oz. boy arriving Sept. 27th. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Donaldson, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Echols of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kiker and children of Roby accompanied Mrs. Corra Sessum home on Saturday. Mrs. Sessum who has been ill for quite some time reports she feels much better.

Mrs. Sessum also states her son, Bobby Joe Sessum is now a Seargent. He is in Japan and believes he may return to the states in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Jimmy, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson and family of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett and family visited Mrs. Ella Garrett of Flat Wood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Joynt visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Treadway of Eastland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Jordan and family of Carbon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler shopped in Ranger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood attended singing at Mangum Sunday evening.

Mrs. Buddy Eaves, Miss Lilly Mae Neil, Mrs. W. A. O'Neal, Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Sylvia visited Mrs. Carra Sessum Tuesday.

M Y F Increases Membership

The Gorman Methodist Youth Fellowship has had an increase in membership and there was a good attendance Sunday evening.

A Party committee will announce plans for a Halloween Party next Sunday.

New officers are to be elected at the next meeting. All members are urged to be present.

October 27th is the date set for the District Wide Youth Rally which immediately precedes the beginning of a week's meeting in all Methodist Churches of the Cisco District.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to each one that assisted in any way in the loss of our beloved Dad, especially do we thank the ones who brought or sent food, flowers, the ones in the singing and music, and to the Higginbotham funeral home. May the richest blessings be on each.

The Weaver Family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the kindness shown to us during the recent illness and death in our family, for the food, the flowers and to those who came to be with us.

Mrs. Richey

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Richey Jr. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clark

R. L. BENNETT ACCEPTS POSITION IN FORT WORTH

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Fall Study For WSCS To Begin Monday

"We Americans - North and South" is the title of the text for the fall study of the Woman's Society of Christian Service which will begin at the Methodist Annex when the Society meets at 3 o'clock Monday. There will be three sessions, the second and third sessions being on the two consecutive Mondays following.

The gist of the study will be economic conditions as they exist in the Latin American Countries, the underlying causes and the approach for change through the United Nations, the Pan American Union, the church and education.

Fascinating stories of peoples living in primitive conditions in countries whose colonization began along with that of the United States, but whose status of living in peonage and feudalism continues to this day, will be presented along with the silver lining of a future that may be.

BIRTHS

Gary Mike Easley born to Mr. and Mrs. Luke Eldon Easley of Route 1, Comanche on September 26th weighed 9 pounds and 14 1-2 ounces.

Johnny Raymond Whitey born to Mr. and Mrs. Hlore Bishop Whitley of Breckenridge on September 25th weighed 8 pounds and 1 ounce.

George Allen Brown born to Mr. and Mrs. George Allen Brown Jr. of Cisco in September weighed 8 1-2 pounds.

Michael Dee Young Davidson born to Mr. and Mrs. Dee Davidson of Route 1, De Leon on September 28th weighed 8 pounds and 12 ounces.

Calvin Ottis Cogburn born to Mr. and Mrs. Ottis J. Cogburn of Route 1, Gorman on September 29th weighed 9 pounds and 5 ounces.

Edwinna Earlene Cogburn born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Olan Cogburn of Fort Worth on October 1st weighed 7 pounds and 11 1-2 ounces.

Kathy Ruth Stokes born to Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Dale Stokes of Route 1, Gorman on October 1st weighed 8 pounds and 1 ounce.

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DALLAS. —When Pamela Britton joined the cast of "Guys and Dolls," State Fair Auditorium show for October 6-21, she upheld an enviable record of "never having been in a flop."

Pert, blond Miss Britton portrays a Runyonesque chorine to whose talent fall the hit songs "Bushel And A Peck" and "Take Back Your Mink." The Damon Runyon-inspired musical starring Allan Jones, Jeanne Bal, Julie Oshine, Maxie Rosenbloom and Miss Britton will play 24 performances during the 16-day State Fair of Texas. Tickets may be obtained through mail order or at the downtown box office, 1203 Elm Street, Dallas.

Miss Britton made her Broadway debut as Ado Annie in "Oklahoma." She was comedienne "Meg" of Broadway's Brigadoon" and now is a star of one of Broad-

DRILL.—(Fort Hood Texas) — The first artillery shell to be fired since the reactivation of the 1st Armored Division was shot last week from a 105 howitzer of the 27th Armored Field Artillery battalion. The Commanding Officer, Col. Harold J. Lemley fired the gun, to initiate the beginning of training.

way's all-time great musicals. "The point that bothers me," explains the actress, "is that I've spent so much money perfecting my English and every one of these has been a dialect part. In "Oklahoma" I spoke with a middle-west twang; in "Brigadoon" I had a Scotch accent, and now in "Guys and Dolls" I'm strictly Broadway, speaking Broadwayese."

The State Fair Auditorium show will be the only Southwest appearance of the sensational "Guys and Dolls." Before opening in Dallas, it will be seen only in New York, San Francisco and Los Angeles. Ticket prices, including tax and admission to the Fair Grounds, are \$4.90, \$4.30, \$4.00, \$2.80, \$2.20 and \$1.30.

CHEANEY NEWS Reporter, Mrs. Bill Tucker

Neighbors and friends gathered at the Choc Underwood home Friday night with gifts and refreshments, in an old-fashioned housewarming. Music was played by the local Stringsters and approximately 50 persons attended.

Mrs. Electra Hattox and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Richberg of Gorman, attended the 5th Sunday Association of Primitive Baptists in Cisco meeting Thursday night through Sunday.

Wayne Brown and family have moved to Colorado City, where he has employment.

Miss Alice Rodgers spent Sunday evening with Miss Betty Jean Love.

Stanley Devall and family were

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Lemley.

Mrs. Zelia Perrin is quite ill at this writing and her condition is very unsatisfactory. She was unable to accompany Jimmy, her son, to Austin Monday where he will be enrolled in school.

Mrs. J. W. Case was returned to her home Monday afternoon from Ranger General hospital, where she underwent surgery several days ago. She is doing fine.

R. D. Hart, Charles Neger and Junior Love all were home for the weekend. The boys are employed at Snyder and Sweetwater.

Odie Melton, accompanied by his uncle, Oscar Melton, of Sweetwater, were here Sunday ywith

the paternal Lonzo Meltons.

J. L. Yancey visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yancey and sister, Betty Jean, Sunday. He is employed at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt and sons, David and Bobby, of Houston, and Mrs. W. G. Smick of Ranger were Sunday visitors in the S. E. Lemley home.

Mrs. Velma Ables spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. B. A. Highsmith. And on Sunday, we enjoyed a watermelon, right off the vine with the Highsmiths.

Morris Underwood and family of Ranger and Choc Underwood, visited their parents, the Will Underwood's Sunday.

Mazon Ferrell, who has been in the Service of the U. S. for the past 4 years in Alaska, was home for a short stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ferrell. He came on a mission, via plane, to Chicago on Friday — and then on to Ranger.

Alameda Church of Christ welcomes you to attend the services each Lord's Day.

Bible Study11:00 A.M.
Sermon Lesson11:00 A.M.
Communion
Evening Services7:30 P.M.
Minister, G. Stanley Devall

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Merritt and baby son, Audie Wayne all of Moran, Texas were Alameda visitors Sunday morning.

Mrs. Merritt Sr. is a sister of Idus and Miss Cora Echols, whom they visited while here.

Cheaney folk who attended church at Alameda Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Revel and Mr. and Mrs. John Love and Loreta Wallace.

Four (4) generations also attended the Sunday night services at Alameda in the persons of Mrs. Alma Craig of Gorman, her daughter, Mrs. Ida Devail of San Saba; her son, Minister G. Stanley Devall and his two small daughters, Renee and Shari. Mrs. Ethel Williams of Gorman, was also one of the group.

Mrs. Edna Alvis and son, Walter George Alvis of Fort Worth, came Sunday to visit her father, J. W. Case and Mrs. Case, who was a patient at Ranger. They returned late Sunday evening to their Ft. Worth home.

Several Community farmers have begun the harvesting of peanuts and gathering cotton. Most peanuts will be baled without

threshing. Orville Johnson carried his first bale of cotton to the Gorman gin on Thursday.

Mrs. Eva Underwood spent the day last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, near Eastland.

This writer was the luncheon guest of Mrs. Don Parker and Mrs. O. H. Dick of Eastland, on Monday. They visited the High School Cafeteria, at Eastland.

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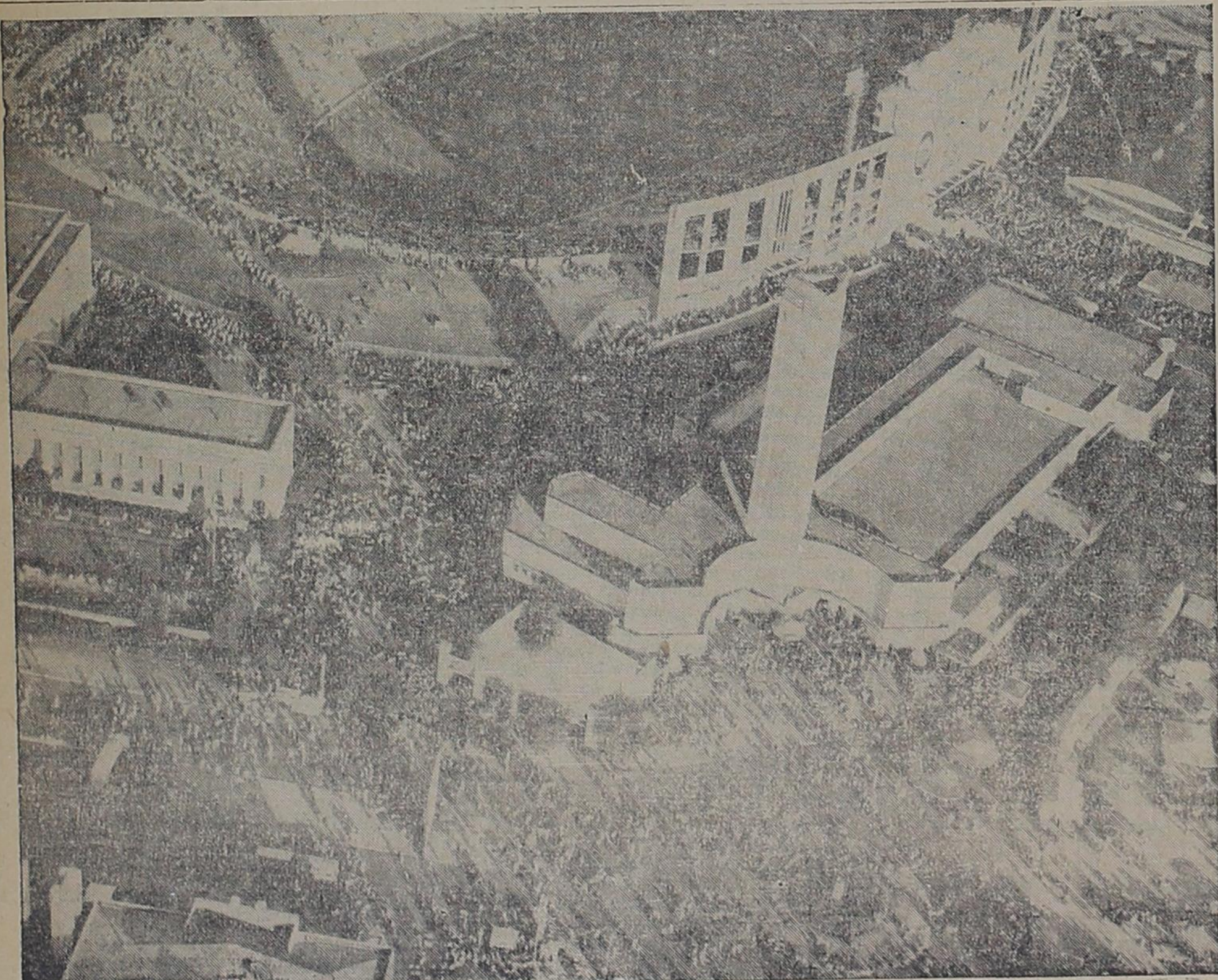
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To an eagle flying overhead, this is the way the crowds at the State Fair of Texas might have looked last year. This year, as more than 5,000 workmen ready the magnificent fairgrounds at Dallas for the 66th annual exposition, October 6-21, the flurry of

activity might look like this picture too. The photograph shows only a small segment of the 187-acre, \$35,000,000 fairgrounds, of course. More than 2,300,000 people are expected to visit the fair this year. It's the world's biggest and best state fair.

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Good Prospects For Quail Hunters

AUSTIN, Sept. 30.—Prospects for the coming fall quail hunt were described as "fairly good" by the Director of Wildlife Restoration for the Game and Fish Commission.

He said field reports were inadequate to give the quail population pattern for the entire state but added that in scattered areas not devastated by the drought the outlook is better.

The Director explained that the original hatch was "average" in much of the state since nesting was well advanced before the drought began to sear the state during July and August.

He said there may be a scarcity of herbaceous cover in general and that it may be too light to stand up under fall rains and frost. As a result the birds may

have to look for tougher cover such as brush, bushes and thickets.

From a viewpoint, the Director of Wildlife Restoration predicted that there "is certain to be reduced production of weed and grass seed as well as the berries and seeds from trees and shrubs."

He observed that hunting conditions, in most recent seasons have NOT been favorable to the sportsmen since the fall droughts have hampered scenting by bird dogs.

Quail hunting is one of the top fall field sports in Texas which has one of the largest quail populations in the country. The pursuit of the crafty bobwhite and blue quail has unusual significance for the hunters this fall in view of the sparse dove shooting to date.

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Desdemona News

Mrs. Joe Quinn remains a patient at Scott and White Hospital at Temple.

Mrs. Ethel Hale of Alexander and Mrs. Myrtle Collins of Comanche spent Saturday with their brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel.

M. T. Rouse and family of Freer spent several days lately with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rouse.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Chess Varner that their son, Delma Loyd, has arrived in Korea.

James Craig is with the U. S. Army in Mississippi.

Autrey Key, with the U. S. Army, is on his way to Korea. Ernst Key is training in the U. S. Army at Wichita Falls.

Jack Craig who was injured in Korea has been sent to San Antonio. He spent several days home lately.

Mrs. Minnie Bailey, Rex and Mike, left Saturday to spend the weekend with her son, Max Bailey at Knox City. The Max Baileys are the proud parents of a new baby boy. Mrs. Bailey remained to spend a week.

Mrs. Johnnie Anderson spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Iva Buchan and sister, Lillie. Aunt "Sally" Eaton, who has been visiting with her son, Daymon Eaton, in Ballinger, returned home Saturday.

Pfc. Paul Arnold of Kermit who has been with the U. S. Army in Korea was home Saturday

but had to return to camp Sunday where he will be for about 10 days before he can obtain a discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Frazer of Abilene visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Major Keith. Mrs. Frazer was formerly Miss Mynyon Whitworth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Quinn of Goldsmith spent the weekend with his father, Joe Quinn and family.

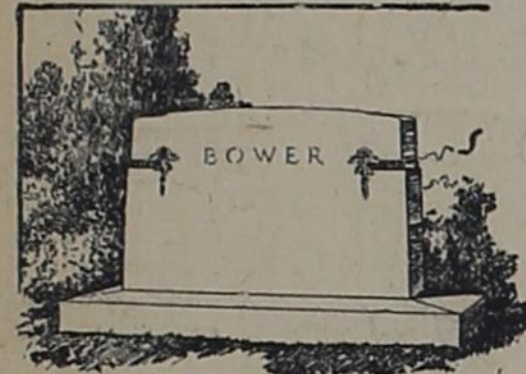
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abel of Oil Center, New Mexico spent a few days this week with their parents, the Abels and Joiners.

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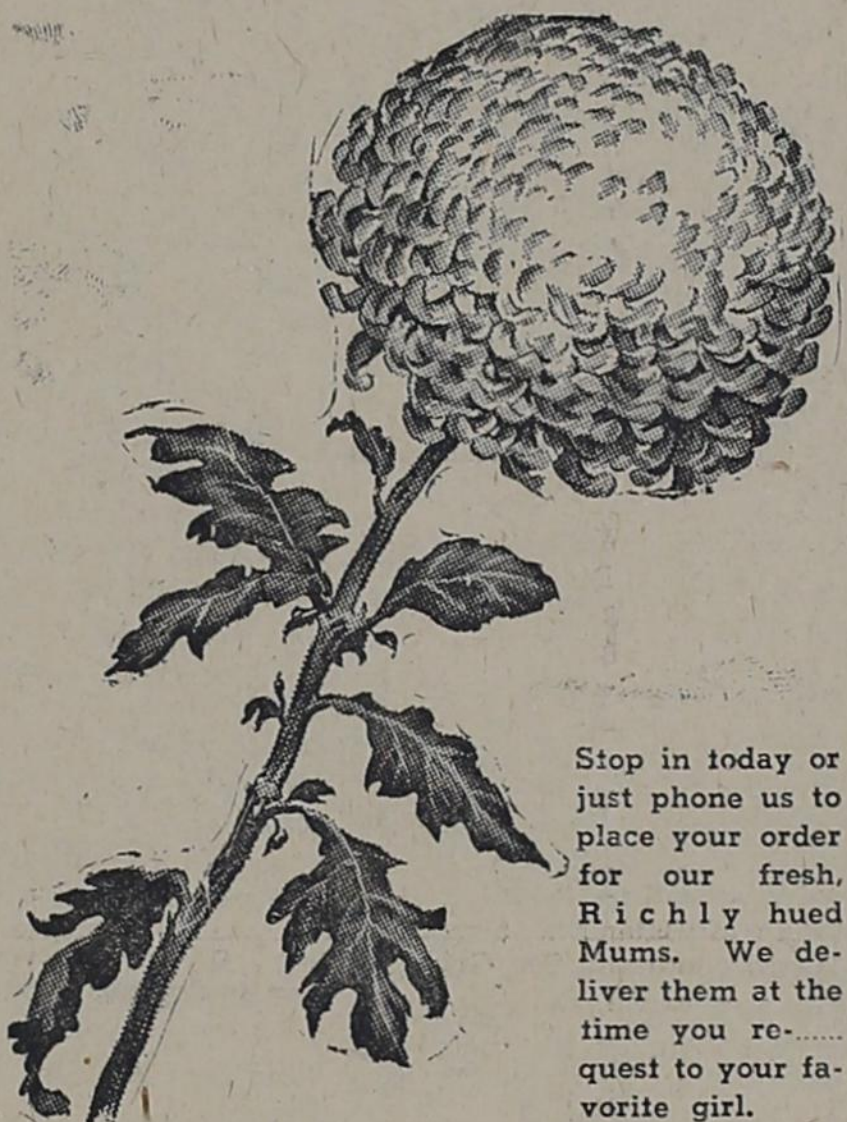
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"SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

Never let it be said that the Federal Trade Commission lacks thoroughness in little things, even if seemingly negligent on anti-trust matters.

The long FTC arm reached to the little village of Stanton, Orange County, California, to deal with a serious crisis.

Perhaps through this stern action, FTC has saved the nation from a danger that probably 150 million Americans never realized existed.

A man named Earl Wilson has a small rabbitry in Stanton. It is a small rabbitry because all rabbits are small. So far, no big rabbit combines, or rabbit monopolies have been formed. The rabbit business is left pretty much to small enterprisers.

And probably, because there is this lack of monopoly practice in rabbitries, the industry fell under suspicion.

From enthusiasm, or perhaps from actual experience, Wilson had been claiming that Angora rabbits can be raised easily and cheaply. The FTC took a stern stand to the contrary, and Wilson has now agreed to quit raising that rabbits can be raised easily and cheaply.

It is not known how the FTC reached such a world-shaking conclusion. It is felt perhaps FTC has staff people who can talk to rabbits, and they interviewed rabbits who protested strongly any claim of this nature being made on their behalf.

The entire matter could be laughed off as ridiculous. It could be charged off as just more monkeyshines, or, rabbitshines, with the taxpayers' money. But it is tragic because the

FTC is supposed to be protecting American independent business from monopolies growing stronger illegally every day.

The last FTC activity report covers the month of June, 1951.

This report shows at the start of the month, the agency had 95 cases of alleged violations of anti-trust laws carried over, and received 178 more cases during the month. Yet during the month, the FTC only closed 22 cases.

Obviously, officials spending a great deal of time chasing rabbits to study their reproductive and dietary habits, have little time left to enforce laws that keep small businessmen from being driven out of business.

In California, wild rabbits are a serious pest to farmers. So it can be assumed that while investigating, FTC officials also engaged in wild rabbit chases.

In Washington, FTC claims manpower is needed to vigorously enforce the anti-trust laws.

But a special report of the Joint Congressional Committee on Reduction of Non-essential Federal Expenditures finds that in May the FTC received pay increases averaging \$50.88 per month per person, and in June 70 more people were added to the staff.

Yet the report of FTC activity for June shows far less than 10% of the cases on file in which violations of the anti-trust laws are involved were handled.

It is on the basis of such records as this that the Senate Small Business Committee headed by Sen. John Sparkman (D. Ala.) is launching an investigation as to just why the nation's anti-trust laws are not being enforced. And with the thoroughness with which this committee probes, it is a certainty it will produce facts, not rabbits.



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| SKINNERS RAISIN BRAN | 10-Oz. Pkg. | 17¢ | ALCOHOL | CLOVER FARM Lb. | 17¢ |
| SKINNERS RAISIN WHEAT | 10-Oz. Pkg. | 17¢ | MARGARINE | | 24¢ |

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown of Houston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Glasson over the weekend.

Miss Dora Baskin has returned from a visit in West Texas.

Mrs. J. B. Carter of Throckmorton will make her home with her daughter, Mr. J. A. Baze and Mr. Baze.

E. W. Underwood visited in Gorman on Sunday night with his parents, the I. C. Underwoods.

Walter Davis was a business visitor in Gorman on Monday.

Mrs. I. C. Underwood and Mrs. J. F. Gilbert and family visited in Abilene on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson visited with his mother in Eastland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ormsby, Jerry and Randy of Guyton, Oklahoma have been visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ormsby and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell. While on their vacation they have also visited with relatives in Odessa, Goldsmith, Fort Worth and Dallas.

Conway Perry of Stephenville spent the week-end in Gorman.

Home from college and seen about town during the week end were Martin Bailey, Joe Mauney, Cecil Robertson and Gary Rhymes. According to Martin they are learning how to study.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powers and daughter of Beaumont have been visiting his mother, Mrs. T. G. Jackson and Dr. Jackson.

Mrs. Jack Bennett has returned from a week's visit with her mother at Littlefield.

Neill Sutton has returned to Berger after having visited with his mother, Mrs. Martha Sutton.

Mr. C. C. Cox from Lubbock was here last Friday and Saturday and was a visitor in the Mason home.

Visiting Mr and Mrs W D Harper and Mrs C T Moorman are Mr and Mrs John M Harper of Livermore, California and also Luther Harper and wife of Belton, Texas. The guests will remain for a family reunion on Sunday. Mr and Mrs Harper and Mrs. John Harper visited the Luther Harpers in Belton Wednesday.

Recent visitors of Mr and Mrs C O Huff of Route 1 were their daughter, Mrs Cynthia Earles and young son, Loyd Wayne. Other visitors were Mrs Carrie Ashmore of Nimrod, an old school mate of Mrs. Huff, Mr and Mrs Ira Walker of Gorman and Mrs Hogan and Sherie of Carbon.

Mrs. Dallas Jobe and Mrs. J B Brandon were in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powers of Beaumont spent the week end in the home of his mother, Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson.

Off To The State Fair Of Texas

Thirty-five Eastland County 4-H Club boys and dads have completed plans to attend the State Fair at Dallas next Saturday which has been designated by officials as Rural Youth Day. The group will be accompanied by J. M. Cooper, County Agent and C. V. Whitaker, Assistant County Agent.

A bus has been chartered from Johnny Aaron, Eastland, operator of the West Texas Transportation Company and they expect to leave Eastland promptly at 6:45 O'clock Saturday morning. They will stop at both Olden and Ranger to take on boys and dads it was said. The group expects to leave the Fair Ground at Dallas on the return trip at 6 O'clock that afternoon.

Every seat on the bus has been taken it was said. Those planning to make the trip include from Desdemona; D. F. Rodger, Leon Rodgers, Willie Paul Johnson and James and Ervin Ryon.

Thelbert and Jerry Jones plan to go from Ranger as well as Neil and Roy Nelson from Staff.

Others include Wayne Cozart, Nimrod; Charles and Jake Caraway, Kokomo; James Horn, Rex Martin, Albert Snyder, Ray Rogers and Thomas Lindley, Olden. H. A. and Horace Witt from Okra-will go as will Edwin Hattox from Alameda.

C. Pittman and wife and son, Kenneth of Gardena, California, have been visiting his mother Mrs. C. Pittman and his brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. J W Pittman and Mrs. A D Pittman and girls.

Mrs. Sissale Williams and Mrs. Ben Burdette spent Tuesday in Eastland and Ranger.

Visiting Mrs. Sissala Williams and Mr. Luke Groves were her daughter, Mrs. W M Chandler and Betty Jean of Shamrock on Monday night. They were accompanied by a friend Mrs. Hamill of Shamrock. The Chandlers will move from Shamrock in the near future to Cayuga where Mr. Chandler has assumed his newly assigned duties as superintendent of the Lone Star Plant

DATA ON COTTON CROP OF CARBON FARMER

Data shown below is on the cotton crop production of Albert Higgins, Carbon farmer.

Table with 2 columns: See Cotton Weight, Bale Wt. Rows: 1800, 1715, 1760, 1780, 1910

The staple of the 1951 crop is above the early estimate and has run as high as 15/16.

To date 71 bales have been ginned in Gorman.

Cisco representatives include L. O. and Rex Swindle, Ralph Berry and Henry and Winford Fry.

Those from Seranton include Bill Clinton, Don Jobe, Bobby Joe Sparkman, Don Starr and Clyde and Jerry Douglas.

From Eastland will go Jerry Simms, Roy Don Harris and Clayton Stoker. Many of the boys have never been east of Ft. Worth and some have not been east of Ranger it was said. They have free tickets into the fair ground and will be guests of the Fair Association for a free picnic lunch at noon.

4-H CLUB DAIRY CATTLE

Two Eastland County 4-H Club Boys will be awarded registered Jersey heifers, according to C. V. Whitaker, Assistant County Agricultural Agent.

Ralph Berry of Cisco, and Carl Sandlin of Carbon, each will receive one of the heifers to be awarded by the Eastland County Youth Dairy Program. These awards will be made Saturday, October 13, at 2 p.m. in Cisco.

Three 4-H Club Boys are returning heifers to the program this year. These boys are Dan Jobe, Seranton; Brooks West, Rising Star; and Franklin Myrick, Cisco. When these heifers are delivered to the Executive Committee Dan Brooks and Franklin will have paid for their cows as called for in the agreement.

C. V. Whitaker, Asst. Co. Agent, Eastland County.

4-H CLUB SWINE

Jimmy Sandlin won second place in the Breckenridge Sears Store Area with his Duroc Gilt, says C. V. Whitaker, Assistant County Agricultural Agent.

This makes a total of \$38.00 prize money Jimmy has won with his gilt.

Wayne Cozart carried his Duroc Boar to the Breckenridge Show and won Fourth place with a prize of \$20.00.

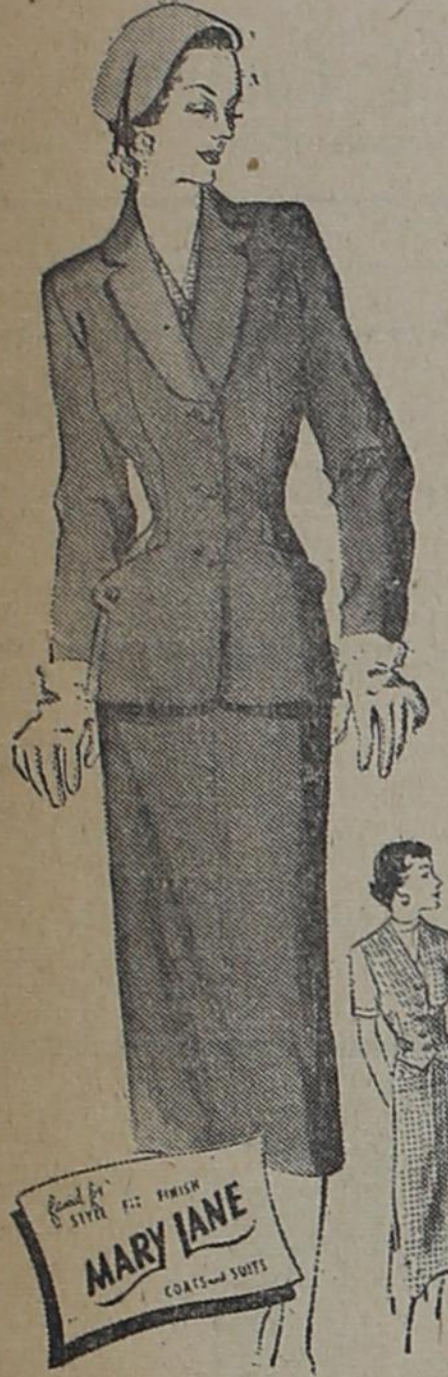
Mr and Mrs L A Bell and son, Lynn of Grand Prairie and Mr and Mrs George Tundell of White hall, Illinois visited Mrs W. T. Broom and Shirley during the week end. Mr and Mrs. Bell, Mr and Mrs Tundell and Mrs Broom spent Wednesday in Abilene.

W T Broom returned on Friday from a visit with his son, Bob Broom in Monohans.

Mr. and Mrs. Check Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker were in Breckenridge on Saturday night attending a social and membership drive activity of the Shrine.

Mrs. T. J. Fuller of Ranger and Mrs. Myrtis Lowery visited with Mrs. aMttie Jones last week. Mrs. Fuller is her sister and Mrs. Lowery is her niece.

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Monday ONLY

IS OLD SHOE DAY — We give 20 points for every old pair of shoes turned in. Shoes must be tied in pairs.

Tuesday ONLY

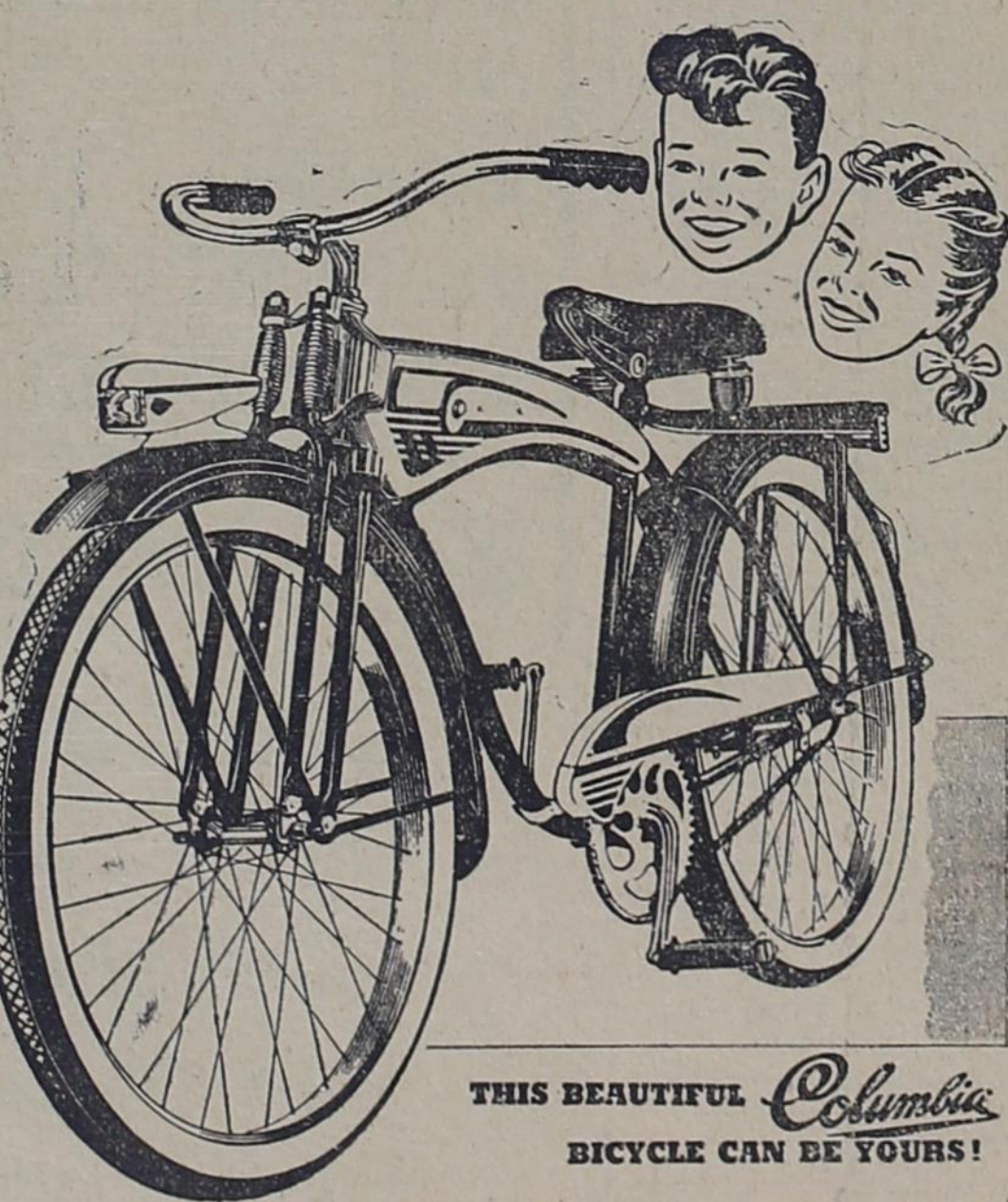
IS ADULT REGISTRATION DAY. Any adult coming into our store and registerins will be given 200 votes for their favorite candidate.

Thursday ONLY

WILL BE DOUBLE VOTE DAY. — We will give double points on Thursday on all pur chases in our Shoe Dept.

- RULE No. 1 - Boys and girls entering the contest must come to our store to get his or her official registration and entry blank.
RULE NO. 2 - Votes will be given at the rate of 100 for every \$1.00 spent in our SHOE DEPT. Ad. ditional votes may be obtained by taking advantage of special feature days as well as by passing special vote cards to friends and relatives.
RULE No. 3 - Votes may be cast by the contestant or by relatives and friends when purchases are made or in accordance with other rules governing the contest. However, ALL VOTES MUST BE CAST AT TIME OF PURCHASE and will not be transferable aftr once having been deposited in the ballot box. Votes will be counted daily and standing of contestants posted on a bulletin board in our window.
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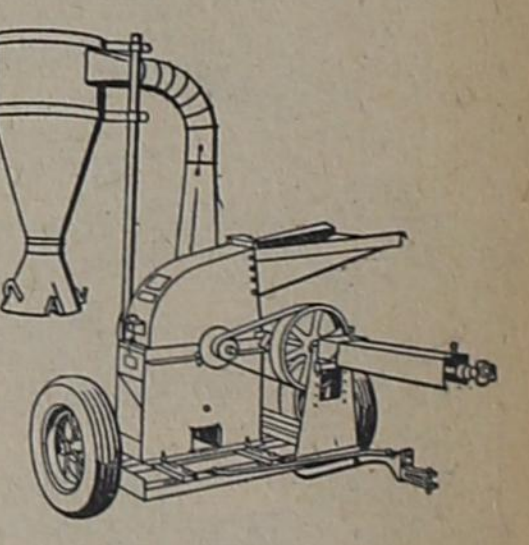
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