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QUOTES FROM AN AMATEUR PUBLISHER-EDITOR - Gene

Monday eve - Last Friday I received a postcard from the 91st District Court, Eastland, inviting me to be their guest for an indefinite length of time as a member of the Grand Jury. On entering the Court House several persons expressed surprise at my being present. It seems anyone connected with a newspaper is always excused from jury service. The reason being that a newspaper must be placed in the hands of the public at a certain time or it loses its value as an advertising media and source of news.

Personally I think that every citizen should accept jury service when called upon and therefore I am going to do my best to get my paper out and also fulfill this obligation. I think the base of all our troubles in government today is the fact that we say, "Let the other fellow do it."

Incidentally Monday was wasted for eight business men from all parts of the county because some who received jury notices did not appear. While sitting around the court house I watched our sheriff, district attorney and county judge handle a case on a young Negro boy about 8 years old who had broken into a store and stolen some toys and cash. It made me proud to watch these men handle this youngster. They were stern with him but gentle and courteous. The case ended by the boy being placed under probation to a Negro Scoutmaster. It just occurred to me that part of the money we have given toward scouting may help this youngster become a worthwhile citizen.

While enjoying a fish supper at Business Mens Club Monday night it occurred to me that Gorman has one of the most unique clubs in this category that can be found. The by-laws and constitution were lost or thrown away several years ago. Minutes are called for but if the Secretary does happen to have some they are usually accepted without being read. Officers are elected if and when the presiding officers move or get tired of serving and call for an election. Even then they are re-elected to office most of the time. Dues are two dollars a month. A meeting and feed is held once a month. The feed is usually prepared by some of the members. Visitors are always welcome with or without invitation. Collections are never taken up during a meeting. If any civic project falls short of its goal the Business Mens Club usually makes up the deficit. In the eight years I have been a member of the club, I do not recall any real friction among the members. There has been heated debates on some projects but the losing side will always give in to the majority and then do as much if not more to help put it over. All men, regardless of their position, interested in Gorman and this community have a standing invitation to join the Business Mens Club. Meetings are held the first Monday night in each month.

Tuesday Eve - The Eastland County Grand Jury was impaneled at 10 a. m. and after a brief charge by Judge Deavenport got down to business. So far I am finding Grand Jury service very interesting. One learns a lot about his fellowmen and brother jurors. Sitting around a table with eleven men hour after hour brings out parts of a man's personality that the public seldom sees. As to the folks who appear before the Grand Jury - it could be you; it could be me. It is surprising how easy one can become involved in a case even though he is an innocent bystander. Other jurors are: J. C. Claborn of Rising Star; F. P. Brashier, A. H. Powell, and Frank Penr of Ranger; L. A. Hooker of Cisco; Frank Crowell, J. W. Cooper of Robert Vaughan, Foreman, E. C. Satterwhite, and C. C. Street, of Eastland; and Barton Eppler of Gorman.

Wednesday: A few weeks ago we had an article in the Progress asking if folks thought we ought to eliminate the charge for swim

SCHOOL NEWS

RANGER AND RISING STAR CROWNED CHAMPS OF INDIAN TRAIL TMENT

The Ranger Boys and the Rising Star Girls are the new champions in the 1952 edition of the Indian Trail Basketball Tournament. This year's exhibition proved to be the best in recent years. All sessions were attended by splendid crowds of spectators who witnessed some of the finest basketball possible. Consolation winners were Gorman Girls and Aledo Boys. The two runner-up teams were Desebena and Gorman boys. Corages were presented to the most talented girls by way of appearance and medals were presented to those making the all-tournament teams. All tournament teams and coaches expressed appreciation for the manner in which the tournament was conducted and indicated they would return next year. School officials wish to express their appreciation to all Gorman folks for their fine attendance and help in making the tournament a success.

SMITH BROS. DELIVERS AUTO FOR DRIVER TRAINING

Smith Bros. Chevrolet Company delivered to the school a beautiful 1952 four-door sedan for use in teaching students the proper methods of driving. The car, an appealing two-toned model gray, was furnished complete with outside mirrors, windshield spray, floor mats and seat covers. The car will be at the disposal of the students under the supervision of Mr. Wilson and Mr. Goodwin until the close of the school year. Having the automobile makes possible actual practice in every day traffic problems which is a very effective means of teaching tomorrow's drivers. The students will take their restricted license examinations this Friday after which time the car may be utilized to the fullest extent.

Frank Sparks To Seek District Judge Office

Frank Sparks, Eastland Attorney, and a resident of Eastland for many years, has instructed this newspaper to announce to the voters here, that he is a candidate for District Judge of the Ninety-first Judicial District. A little later Mr. Sparks plans to furnish us with a formal announcement, in which he will address voters of this district, concerning his aims, qualifications, etc.

ming at Memorial Park and accept free-will gifts from those who swim. We are getting a few comments - some pro, some con. This Park is yours. You have as much interest in it as anybody because it was presented to the public as a memorial. This includes folks all over the county and outside of the county for that matter. So, if you will voice your opinion I would like very much to hear from you. Just drop me a card and say: "I think the Frank A. Gray Memorial Park Swimming Pool should be supported by free will offerings." OR: "I think a charge should be made for swimming."

A few members of the Progress family have brought in their renewals and requested that the school be given credit for their third. The subscription contest officially starts Monday but you can renew now and the school will be credited with their part.

BLOOD MOBILE UNIT SCHEDULED FOR RANGER 1st WEEK IN MARCH

The Blood Mobile Unit has been scheduled to set up in Ranger for a two-day stay in the first week of March.

Gorman donors will be urged to go to Ranger to make their contribution on one of the days. Watch the paper for announcement of the date and definite plans.

F M FILES OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Files observed their Golden Wedding Anniversary with their children at their home on Roberts Street on Saturday afternoon.

Brother Cal Maddox of the Church of Christ performed the wedding ceremony of Miss Jennie Couch and Mr. F. M. Files at the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Couch of Comanche County, Feb. 2, 1902.

Mr. Files followed farming until the first of the year when he purchased the Paul Ormsby home and moved into town. While living in North Comanche County Files had served as school trustee for Live Oak and Duster.

The Files' have nine children eight of whom visited with them during the week end. The children with their families are: Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Q. Echols and Virginia and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Files and Jerry of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Files of Santa Anna, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Files and Nelle of Sipe Springs; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Files and Margaret of Rock Bluff; Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Files, Sandra and Nathan, Route 1, Gorman; Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Files of Lovington, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Files of Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wallace of Post Falls, Idaho were unable to attend.

Missionary To Africa Native Of Gorman To Speak Here Friday.

Missionary to South Africa, Edred Echols, will speak at the Gorman Church of Christ on Friday evening at 7:30 P. M. The public is invited to attend. No admission will be charged. No offering will be taken. Echols has been ministering in Johannesburg for about six years. His wife remains at their post while the young missionary attempts to recruit other Christians who will dedicate themselves to service in Africa.

Echols will show movies demonstrating work among the African people. His present itinerary has brought him through several Texas towns including Rosco and Snyder.

Echols is a native of Gorman and lived here until he was near school age. He is of a family of 11 children. He is the son of Mrs. J. C. Echols of Fort Worth and of the late J. C. Echols.

Relatives of Echols living in Gorman are his two sisters, Mrs. Oscar Seale and Mrs. Doss Cain, and his aunt, Mrs. G. W. Echols.

HARVEY PARKER OFFERS INDUCEMENT TO ENCAGE IRRIGATION EXPERIMENT

Harvey Parker, owner of the Gorman Machine Shop, made the following statement a short time ago. "The first person that drills a good well for irrigation in this vicinity, I will sell him a pump and equipment at cost less \$100. Quincy Fuller has started a well on his place about three miles north of Gorman and has told Harvey to get the pump ready Mr. Fuller started one hole and after losing a bit had to pull out and move to drill again.

If irrigation could be encouraged and developed in this area it would become one of the finest producing areas in the country. From all reports there seems to be plenty of good water under this area to make irrigation a success.

W C BROWNING NOW ASSOCIATED WITH J D TATE INTERNATIONAL DEALER

W. C. Browning, formerly manager of the Higginbotham Motor Company has accepted a position with J D Tate & Son of De Leon International Dealer. W C will continue to live in Gorman and contact farmers in this area who interested in International Equipment.

BUSINESS MENS CLUB SUPPORTS DUSTER R. PROJECT

It looks as though the dream of a Farm-to-Market Road from Duster to Gorman may eventually become a reality. Farmers of the Duster Community were guests of the Gorman Business Men at a fish supper on Monday night. After the meal plans were made to complete the right of way, removal of fences and other work necessary to preparing the Duster Road for improvement. A majority of the farmers along this road offered to go all out in moving and re-building their own fences.

The Business Mens Club appointed a committee of Glynn Kirk, Chas. Underwood, and Henry Capers to raise money to help finance this project. Tuesday evening the committee reported that the response to this drive has been almost one hundred percent as this road means as much to Gorman as it does to the folks in Duster.

Commissioner Thurman of Eastland County offered his full cooperation. Commissioner Heath of Comanche, who was recently injured when his car was hit by a train, has been released from the Blackwell-Rodgers Sanitarium and is now at home. Mr. Heath has had his crew working on this road for some time now and it is reported that the road is in passable condition compared to what it was. Eventually this road will become part of the Farm-to-Market Road to Sipe Springs.

Mr. Stewart, manager of the Texas Electric Company and Mr. McCoy, manager of the Empire Southern Gas Co. said their companies would cooperate in every way to assist in the completion of this highway.

NEWBERRY RETURNS TO BANKING BUSINESS

Mr. O. P. Newberry, who several weeks ago announced his retirement from business and sold his interest in the Gorman First National Bank, has let his yen for banking overcome his desire for retirement.

According to a Fort Worth paper Mr. Newberry has accepted a vice-presidency of the Fort Worth National Bank.

Roy L. Lane To Seek Re-Election

District Clerk Roy L. Lane has announced his candidacy for reelection as District Clerk of the 91st Judicial District of Eastland County.

Mr. Lane said he "sincerely" appreciates the cooperation and courtesies shown him during his time in office by the citizens of Eastland County, and promises to continue to render conscientious and faithful service."

Lane stated that he would make a formal statement at a later date.

DO YOU AGREE WITH HIS VIEWS?



SENATOR TAFT

Whether you do or not, you'll want to read his 12-installment feature, A FOREIGN POLICY FOR AMERICANS, for it is the leading opposition to the present foreign policy and major political battles will hinge upon it.

Watch for it!

Boy Scouts To Attend Church Service Sunday At Church of Christ

The nation's 2,900,000 Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorers and adult leaders will observe Boy Scout Week, February 6-12, marking the 42nd birthday of their organization by giving the nation a unique birthday present.

The Boy Scouts of America will launch a new three-year program known as "Forward... On Liberty's Team", a program of action designed to help keep America strong and free.

President Truman, members of Congress, Governors and national representatives of organizations and institutions throughout America that sponsor Boy Scout units will share in ceremonies during Boy Scout Week.

Twelve outstanding Eagle Scouts, chosen to represent the more than 2,900,000 members of the organization, will share in ceremonies at the White House when President Truman greets them at 12:45 p. m. on Friday, February 8. Mr. Truman, as Honorary President of the Boy Scouts of America, is to receive a scroll stating the broad objectives of the new program.

At a breakfast in Washington with nearly 100 leaders from the Cabinet, the Senate, the House of Representatives and national organizations, the twelve picked Eagle Scouts will dramatize Scouting's part in meeting the problems for these times. The Scouts will tell what the entire membership of the Boy Scouts will do next fall in their major activity of getting out the vote in the national elections.

Following the visit to the White House February 8, the Scout party will go to Independence Hall in Philadelphia. At this national shrine, ceremonies will be held to dramatize the part played by the churches and synagogues, schools, civic and community organizations in supporting and extending Scouting throughout America.

LOCAL ACTIVITIES - Troop 38 will attend church as a unit on Scout Sunday, February 10 at the Church of Christ.

A Court of Honor will be held Thursday night, Feb. 21st to present awards to the Scouts. The public is invited to attend.

"THE GUEST" IS TITLE OF KING MOVIE COMING FEBRUARY 14-15

"The Guest" is the title of a much talked of and highly recommended movie soon to be shown at the King Theater. Folks in Gorman and in other nearby towns will do well to mark the dates on their calendars, February 14th and 15th.

On Friday morning the King management presented a showing of "The Guest" to a number of folks representing the churches, the schools and the press. The following are brief comments from those seeing the picture. "We need more such pictures." "The picture has great strength." "I should like to see a sequel, the picture was too good to be so short."

Movie goers who enjoy a clean picture will want to see this splendid production by the Twentieth Century Fox. The cast includes top-ranking stars.

The movie is based on the short story, "The Guest" by the Russian novelist of the 19th Century, Leo Tolstoy, and the theme is from the Bible, Mathew 25:34-40.

The whole family will enjoy a profitable experience when seeing "The Guest."

WITH OUR BOYS IN THE SERVICE

Mrs. Bobbie Williams has received word that her husband at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, is recovering from an operation. Mrs. Williams, the former Juanita Yarbrough, planned to leave this week for Fort Bragg.

We hear that Bobby Hallmark and Lowell Rawls are finding the weather pretty cold at their home bases in Japan.

March Of Dimes Campaign Continues

Due to the fact that part of the volunteer workers have been unable to cover their territory the March of Dimes Campaign will continue through the week.

The Woman's Study Club collected about 75 dollars in the Southwest part of town. Other sections are yet to be canvassed. The school has turned in about 39 dollars. The business section had not been canvassed at this writing, Wednesday morning.

Gorman is behind on its 1313 dollars as asked per capita.

Disaster Area Covers 89 Counties In Texas

The prolonged dry weather has resulted in the designation of 89 counties in Texas as disaster areas. No estimate is available of the actual losses sustained by farmers and ranchmen as a result of these production losses, but L J Cappelman, State Director, of the Farmers Home Administration of Dallas said that the situation faced by farmers throughout the State is one of the most serious since the drought of 1934-35. Drought conditions reported by Cappelman follow closely those outlined by Pasture and Land Cover conditions Map issued by the office of L P Merrill, director, Soil Conservation Service of Texas, under date of January 15, 1952.

The map depicted conditions covering about two-thirds of the State extending from Bailey to El Paso counties on the west to Cherokee on the east and Starr on the south. Over this area, conditions are described as severe. Only in one-fifth of the counties are adequate moisture and cover conditions reported. A survey completed recently by Cappelman's staff indicates credit conditions are tight, which prompted designation of the counties as disaster areas and Farmers Home Administration has made available funds for crop production purposes.

The record breaking drought cut crop yields drastically and because of low crop income many farmers have been unable to finance production of this year's crop. Disaster loans are available in each county designated as a disaster area. Farmers who have suffered production losses on crops and livestock may apply for funds to pay feed, fertilizer and materials for insect control where needed, gas, and oil for tractors, feed for livestock, essential farm and home operating expenses, and repairs to machinery and other expenses incident to production of a crop.

Credit is advanced under authority of Public Law 38 and is available to family-type farmers who have sustained losses, and who cannot obtain from local sources the funds requested to plant a crop this year. Farmers may apply for loans at the office of County Supervisor, George I. Lane, located in Room 509, Petroleum Bldg., in Eastland, Texas.

Lt. Bill Bettis, who is spending leave with his family here, will report for new assignment which is expected to send him across the Pacific, on February 13th. He will leave here Sunday. Mrs. Bettis and their baby will reside in Gorman at the Ray Rankin Apartment.

Lonnie and Thelma Hampton left Monday for Tuscon, Arizona where they will visit Captain Tom Grimm and wife, Joy Hampton Grimm.

Cpl. Ernest C Key of Shreveport, La. was home over the week end visiting with his wife Shirley and relatives.

Mrs. D. J. Jobe read an article in the Star-Telegram Wednesday which stated that the U S Destroyer Porterfield survived a direct heat from enemy shore guns on the west coast of Korea. Some damage was done but none of the ship's crew was injured.

Her son, Doyle Lee Jobe is on duty aboard the Porterfield.



Tom G. Small Gorman Baptist Church

"But the fruit of the Spirit is - longsuffering." (Galatians 5:22). "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us - ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance." (II Peter 3:9).

It is a shame that many who name God as their heavenly Father often have this attitude, "I'll get even with 'so-and-so' (feel free to insert the name of your particular enemy) if it's the last thing in the world I ever do." The true Christian viewpoint will be this, I don't want to get even with my enemy. That is the last thing in the world I want to do - it is the thing furthest from my intentions." The first passage tells us that when the Spirit of God prevails in the hearts of His Children one of its fruits will be "longsuffering." The second passage gives us an example of the word "Longsuffering." It tells us that God is longsuffering and then shows how He acts because He is this way. If you will read the entire passage you will find that one thing it discusses is the Lord's unexpected but certain return at which time He will judge and destroy all the wicked. The loving nature of God is not to punish however but to save if men will only turn from their wicked ways.

If God then, who has been sinned against infinitely more than we can ever be, is longsuffering and seeks the salvation of the wrong-doer, should not we, as His children, show the same manner of longsuffering? The Bible tells us that if His Spirit is within us we will in the same measure as we are led by His Spirit. God help us as Thy children to show forth to the world Thy true nature.

THANK YOU TO FIREMEN

Bruce Thomas expresses his appreciation to the Fire Boys for their speed and efficiency in saving his barn last week. He said the damage which would have amounted to a great deal was nil.

The First National Bank of Gorman has been serving this territory for over 50 years - - Your account is appreciated

KING THEATRE

Thursday - Friday
James Mason - Jessica Tandy
IN
The Desert Fox
Also
Color Cartoon
Saturday
Monte Hale - Paul Hurst
IN
THE VANISHING WESTERNER
And
Richard Traivs - Shelia Ryan
IN
"MASK OF THE DRAGON"
Also
Woody Woodpecker Cartoon
Sunday - Monday
Wendell Corey - Vera Ralston
IN
"THE WILD BLUE YONDER"
Also
Best Wheeler Comedy
Tuesday - Wednesday
Shelley Winters - Richard Conte
IN
"THE RAGING TIDE"
Also
Bug Bunny Cartoon
Thursday - Friday
DOUBLE FEATURE
Scotty Beckett - Don Beddoe
IN
"GASOLINE ALLEY"
And
Ludwig Donath - David Wolfe
IN
"THE GUEST"
Also
Color Cartoon

SATURDAY LAST DAY

SOME ITEMS SOLD OUT

SOME NEW ITEMS ADDED

NEW SHIPMENT WASH CLOTHES

THE BIG '9' SALE

SHELLEY VARIETY STORE

T. O. SHELLEY, Owner

Gorman, Texas

Card of Thanks

The committee of the Simpson Cemetery wishes to thank the

Commissioner, Judge Thurman, for the work which he did on the road that will benefit the Simpson Cemetery so much.

Signed: The Committee

Marking Time In The March Of Time

... is somewhat like fishing without luck - there's no thrill to it. But there is real thrill in moving forward, serving humbly and doing some one thing well. We never heard of an abstracter getting rich as such, but we have heard of those who have spent a life-time, as we have, building up title institutions that are assets to their communities. Yes, we get a thrill out of every order and a real joy in producing it into a quality product.

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Illness In Gorman

Mrs. E. W. Kimble continues to be a patient at Blackwells. She is recovered sufficiently enough to be up and walk around for a few minutes.

Mrs. T. F. Morrow has returned to her work at the Post Office.

G. C. Stacy's young daughter was a treatment case at the hospital this week.

Walter Underwood had a visit or last Friday. His brother-in-law, Floyd Nunley, brought Mrs. Underwood to see him. A wheel chair was used to carry her from the Nunley automobile.

Mrs. Elsie Thompson was dismissed from the hospital on Monday after being treated for cold.

Mrs. J. M. Pope is a patient at Blackwells.

Mrs. A. H. Bibby was treated for influenza at the hospital this week.

The Bud Smith Baby was a treatment case at Blackwells.

Other treatment cases were Guy Tidwells son of Desdemona and Mrs. Cynthia Earls and daughter of Rt. 1, Gorman.

The Gorman Progress has word from Mrs. Emma F. Little, Inglewood, California stating that her granddaughter, Susan Jones, is on the sick list.

Dr. D. V. Rodgers continues to be ill at his home.

METHODIST WILL HAVE FELLOWSHIP DINNER VALENTINE EVE, WED.

Methodist folks are looking forward to the Fellowship Dinner and Family Night on Valentine Eve, Wednesday, February 13th in the Annex.

The women of the W. S. C. S. are sponsoring the dinner. In keeping with the custom those attending will bring a covered dish and the meal will be served cafeteria style. Men and women who do not have families are expected to attend and join in the feast and fun.

Entertainment is being arranged by a committee appointed by the president of the W. S. C. S., Mrs. Frank Rhymes.

The time for arrival has been set at 6:45 P. M. and the dinner will be served promptly at 7:00.

Several former Gorman families have expressed their intention of coming back for the dinner. Included in this number should be the O. T. Shells and

CLIFTON DENNIS HAS FOOT INJURY

Clifton Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. (Jug) Dennis, is recuperating from a foot injury received on Friday afternoon.

Father and son were plowing a small cow pasture when the mishap with the tractor plow occurred. Clifton's foot was caught and mashed by the plow.

A neighbor boy, Manning Fairbetter, was summoned with his jeep and young Dennis was carried to the local hospital. After receiving a physician's care he was returned to his home and is at this writing reported to be doing fine.

Arnold Anderson, the Walter Davises and sons, the C. J. Thomps and Jim Boy, the E. D. Davids, among others.

Everyone has a good time on Family Night and everyone will have a big time if all the families will bring every member of the families.

P. S. - The women will measure waist line (after dinner) and ask folks to pay a penny an inch. Money will be used for missionary work.

DEAVENPORTS VISIT DAVISES IN BROWNWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deavenport and daughter, Patricia, visited with the Walter Davis family in Brownwood during the week end.

Jack and Walter attended the Golden Gloves Tournament in that city on Saturday night.

MRS. BOUCHER GIVES MISSIONARY LESSON

Mrs. R. E. Boucher was in charge of the missionary program at the Monday meeting of Circle 3 of the Woman's Missionary Union which met in the home of Mrs. W. A. Eaker.

Other circles, 1 and 2 meet on Monday and Friday.

The Common Salvation

Rev. B. G. Thomas

Judge:3 - Beloved when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation.

It was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the Saints.

There is a difference between common salvation and the salvation that Christ gives.

God told Peter, what God has cleansed call not thou common - Acts 10:15. The salvation of Jesus Christ is a great salvation - Heb: 2:3. How shall we escape of we neglect so great a salvation which at first began to be spoken by the Lord and was confirmed unto us by them that heard him.

Let us see some of the things that Jude was writing about (V. 16). These are complainers walking after their own lust, and their mouth speaking great swelling words having mens persons in admiration because of advantage.

(V. 17) But beloved remember ye the words that were spoken

before of the Apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ. How they told you there should be mockers in the last time who should walk after their own ungodly lust.

These be they who separate themselves sensual having not the spirit. Anyone that denies the spirit of God is not a child of God. Romans 8:9. Now if any man have not the spirit of Christ he is none of His.

Luke 13:25 - When once the Master of the house is risen up and hath shut to the door and ye begin to stand with out and knock saying, Lord, Lord open up to us and He shall answer and say unto you, "I know you not whence ye are." Then shall ye begin to say we have eaten in thy presence and thou has taught in our streets.

These are the ones that have done all these things expecting to be saved and missed Christ and wound up in Hell.

Brethern we should examine ourselves and see what kind of salvation we have - this is an eternal question.

NOTE - Last week I sited you to a scripture in Gal. 3:16 which should have been 2:16 and John 3:14 should have been I John.



Which Twin Has The Security

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- CLOVER FARM PINEAPPLE JUICE 46-Oz. Can 31¢
- TUNA FISH Glendale 1/2's Can 29¢
- MARGARINE Clover Farm Lb. 23¢
- CLOVER FARM - R. S. P. CHERRIES 2 No. 2 Cans 49¢
- PUSS'N BOOTS CAT FOOD 3 8-Oz. Cans 27¢
- CHUCK TIME VIENNA SAUSAGE 3 1/2's Cans 29¢
- SYRUP Karo Red Label 1 1/2 Bottle 21¢
- WAPCO No. 2 Can GREEN BEANS & POT. 16¢

- PANTRY PACKED PINTO BEANS 2 Lb. Bag 25¢
- ANGELUS MARSHMALLOWS 2 6-Oz. Pkgs. 25¢
- 10-Oz. Pkg. SKINNERS RAISIN BRAN 17¢
- COFFEE Clover Farm 1-Lb. Can 79¢
- WHITE SWAN TURNIP GREENS 2 No. 2 Cans 25¢
- LIGHT CRUST - WHITE CORN MEAL 2 Lb. Ctn. 22¢
- CLOVER FARM SHORTENING 3 Lb. Can 83¢
- CLOVER FARM POTTED MEAT 3 1/4's Cans 29¢
- Sunshine CRACKERS Krispy Pak 1-Lb. 30¢
- Sunshine HYDROX Cello Bag 7 1/2 Oz. 24¢
- Sunshine CANDIES Cello Bags 19¢

- FRESH FRUITS - VEGETABLES
- LEAN CENTER CUTS Pound 55c
- PORK CHOPS Pound 55c
- CELLO ROLLS Pound 55c
- WEINERS Pound 43c
- COOKED - Ready To Eat PICNICS Pound 43c

- CHOICE FRESH MEATS
- CELLO ROLLS Pound 39c
- Pure Pork Sausage 37c
- SLICED BACON 19c
- Odd Slice Bacon \$1.15
- CHEESE - 2 lb Box With Plastic Refrigerator Bowl F R E E

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An Open LETTER!

TO FOLKS IN THE AREA OF GORMAN

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De Leon, Texas

BIRTHS

Michael James Vaughn born to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Vaughn of Odessa on January 30 weighed 8 pounds and 13 ounces.

William Randall Eakin born to Mr. and Mrs. William Jarrett Eakin of Eastland on January 31 weighed 9 pounds and 9 ounces. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hickey Broom and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Eakin.

Connie Jo Procter born to Mr.

and Mrs. Boyce Richard Procter of Breckenridge on January 30 weighed 7 pounds and 1 ounce.

Joanie Lou Wilson born to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Glover Wilson, Star Route, Carbon on January 30 weighed 5 pounds and 11 1/2 ounces.

Janie Sue Wilson born to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Glover Wilson, Star Route, Carbon on January 30 weighed 4 pounds and 15 ounces.

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BIBLE SCHOOL PROGRESS DOWNING AND PLEASANT HILL

Bible Schools are in progress this week and next week at Downing Baptist and Pleasant Hill Baptist Churches respectively.

Rev. Bruce Thomas stated that the classes were studying The New Testament Church. Classes meet every night this week at Downing except Thursday night at which time a Workers Conference is being held at the De Leon Baptist Church.

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CHEANEY NEWS

Reporter, Mrs. Bill Tucker

Wind, sand, rain - 'flu' - we have had plenty of some of them, some of all of them and right now we are not very capable of thinking about news items.

Church attendance was smaller than usual at both Cheaney congregations and at Alameda, Sunday.

Somehow, the jinx surely have Mrs. Hattox in their clutches. No sooner than her eye, mouth and nose injury, caused by a kick from a cow has healed, when bang! a calf grazing the roadside dashes in the path of her on coming pickup splitting a fender and wrecking the headlights. The calf also suffered a split fender and probably will not survive, states the owner, Mrs. Eula Hart. Mrs. Hattox and the boys were returning home from a play party at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers on Friday night. The party was a going away reception for Junior Love who leaves February 7 for his call to the colors. About 25 teenagers and older persons attended.

Here is the recent Love Line-up! On Thursday, January 31, Mrs. John Love and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning attended a District Farm Bureau Meeting in Brownwood. Purposely planned for F. B. Service Agents.

On Monday, February 4th, Mrs. Love accompanied Mrs. Joseph E. Perkins and Mrs. Jack Frost of Eastland to a Red Cross Luncheon at the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells. While the little woman was gone to lunch, John Love was injured in a freak accident at the farm, resulting in the loss of a thumbnail. Tetanus shots were given immediately at a Ranger Hospital.

Jay Love visited Loresta Wallace on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Love and children were visitors in Ranger Friday.

Mrs. Mattie Moody and Mrs. Electra Hattox were in Eastland on Thursday. They were asking for employment at the new garment factory opened there recently.

House guests in our home from Saturday until Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. John Kemper, from Tulia, Texas, near Plainview. These folk are our oldtime neighbors when we resided in Swisher County. They were enroute from Sonora where they spent the past 10 days, to Glen Rose, for the healthful facilities that are available there. Mr. Kemper is a re-

VOCATIONAL NURSES MAY RECEIVE STATE LICENSE

G. E. Brereton, M. D. of Dallas, the President of the State Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners, has announced that 3115 nurses have been awarded license to practice as licensed vocational nurses.

The law he stated permits nurses, who have practiced as practical or vocational nurses during the entire year ended September 1951 under supervisions of a licensed physician or a director of nursing, to apply for a license without being required to take an examination.

Dr. Brereton expects several thousand applications this year before September 6 which is the last day that applications can be made for a license without attending an accredited nursing school and passing a State Board examination.

Further information may be obtained through the State Board

tired farmer and enjoys some of the mild Texas climate each winter, away from the high plains area.

While here a short call was made in the Hubert Haley home. Haley is a cousin to Archie Jordan of Tulia, Texas, closest neighbor of the Kempers.

The White Leghorn hen owned by Betty Tucker not to be outdone by that Production Red Biddie owned by Mrs. J. W. Case, laid an egg measuring 8 3/8 inches by 6 7/8 inches, but it only contained 2 yolks - not a complete egg inside the outside shell as the Red hens egg.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown was able to be removed home Thursday after treatment for pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Galloway were in Abilene recently on business.

Mrs. Eva Underwood visited in the John Tucker home Saturday afternoon.

MIDWAY BAPTIST CALL FOWLER OF BROWNWOOD

Rev. J. B. Fowler of Brownwood has accepted the call of the Midway Baptist Church. Fowler began his work with the church on January 27th. Rev. Fowler will commute from Brownwood where he is in school at Howard Payne.

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of Vocational Nurse Examiners, 306 Austin Savings and Loan Building, Austin, Texas.

EIGHTH GRADE MYSTERY MAN

The Eighth Grade Class is losing a good student. His name is Mark Miller.

Gossip: I heard G M is getting along okey with G D.

Nellie how is little neighbors getting along?

Say! Jo Ann how's J H and you getting along in your fight. How many has he won?

Ernestine keeps close track on L C.

R H and V M W are still at it. Fighting of course.

MYSTERY MAN

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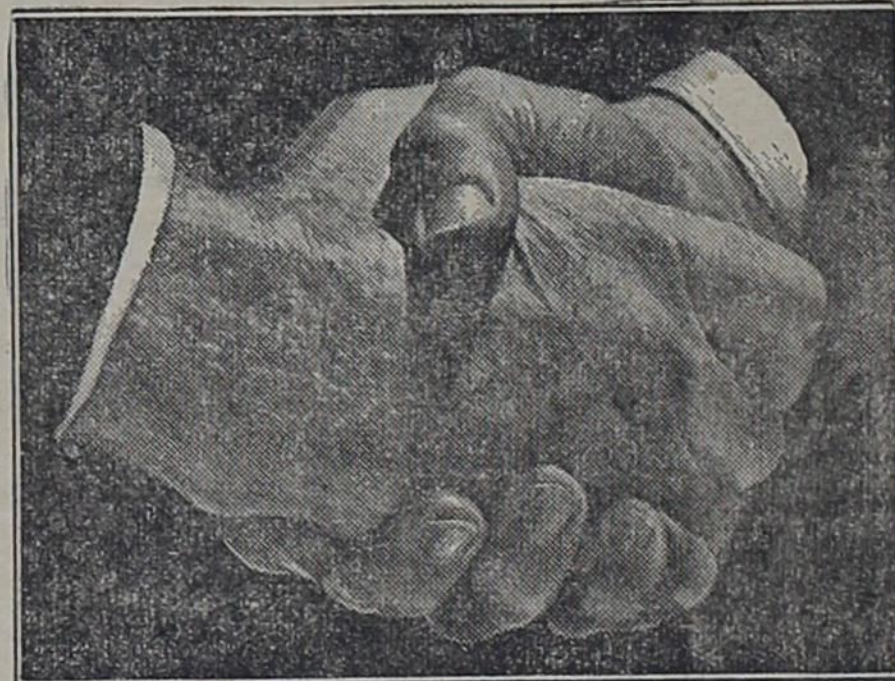
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Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday left last week for Sundown where they will make their home for

several months. Jake Wright while working in Sundown mentioned that Holliday was a good man to have around for road-construction. After a few days the manager of the company who had

overheard called Holliday by telephone and persuaded him to accept a job.

Mrs. G. C. Boyd was detained from work at Bibby's Department Store several days this week with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter of Ballinger visited with their parents during the week end.

Mrs. E. J. Hodges of Ropersville and Mrs. Elvis Williams, her husband and son visited with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Whitley, last week.

Mrs. Freddie Lee Bennett and young son of Winters spent the week end in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Martih were in Stephenville Monday night where their daughter danced with a group of children before the Erath County Teacher's Convention. Dana Beth has attended tap dancing classes in Stephenville since September.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jones spent the week end in Fort Worth. They attended the Stock Show on Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Self, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Self were called to Ft Worth to attend the funeral of Mr. Dave Self, brother-in-law of Mrs. Bill Self.

Mrs. G. W. Echols visited the past week in Big Springs with her sister, Mrs. T. D. Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blair and daughter, Annys Kate Blair visited with former Gorman folks, the Ernest Tetens, in Brady on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves and young Gary Bennett of Goldsmith spent the week end visiting with their parents and Gary's grandparents.

The Boyd Hilleys have moved into the home they purchased from the E. D. Davids. The Othel Clarks have moved into the Hillely place.

Hulon Pullig spent the week end visiting with his father, P. S. Pullig, and his sisters, Mrs. Burkett and Mrs. Knight, in San Antonio.

Mr. Zo Cook has returned from a visit with his son at Gatesville and his brother in Waco. Mr. Cook said that he was pleased to have seen Rev. Will Johnson who came to visit his brother. Rev. Johnson who now pastors a Waco Church was formerly pastor of the local Methodist Church.

Mrs. H. F. Mize of Raton and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Toland of Abilene visited the Luke Palmers and the E. E. Todds during the week end.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Sissala Williams were her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Denman, and Mr. Denman

Announcements

Don't miss the game tournament at the School Gym tonight being sponsored by the Senior Class. Bring your partner and join in the fun.

Have you remembered to clean up your premises and place the rubbish on the front of your lot? Please cooperate with the City in the Polio Prevention Move.

Gorman's Red Cross Quota has been set at \$600 dollars.

Report and Collection on the March of Dimes is at this writing incomplete. If you have not contributed, see Hubert Craddock, Berenice Jeffs or the Gorman Progress.

The Board of Directors of The Eastland County Farm Bureau will hold their monthly meeting in Gorman on February 14th at 7:30 P. M. in the Fire Hall.

The Texas Farm Bureau is by far the largest general farm organization in Texas. What does it do? What does it stand for? What is the county program? Come out and see your Farm Bureau in action. The public is invited. There will be entertainment and refreshments.

The Colored Choir of the Eastland Baptist Church will sing at Oliver Springs on Thursday night February 7th at 8 p. m. Cake and coffee will be served.

The First National Bank of Gorman will celebrate Lincoln's birthday by being closed on Tuesday, February 12, 1952.

ANDREW PITTMAN OBSERVES BIRTHDAY, SON'S HOME

Mr. Andrew Pittman and Mrs. Pittman were in De Leon on Sunday at the home of his son, Mr. Lowell Pittman, and Mrs. Pittman where the father's birthday was observed with a family dinner. The birthday was Friday, February 1st. Others attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pittman and Patty of Ranger and Rev. and Mrs. Tom Small of Gorman.

of Georgetown. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whiteside of Brownwood were Monday guests of Mrs. Williams, sister to Mrs. Whiteside.

Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter and son, Milton Jr., spent Friday night and Saturday in Fort Worth visiting with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Trammell, and her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Ryals.

Mrs. E. C. Sutton has returned from a week's visit in Odessa. She was under the impression that she could tell home folks something about a dust storm until she saw the familiar signs accumulated here.

D J Jobe spent the week end with his mother Mrs. Ellen Jobe of Abilene. He was accompanied home by his niece who will make an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Harper are in Abilene this week visiting a new grandson, born February 2 to their daughter, Nelda, now Mrs. W. A. Foster. The new baby has two sisters, 3 and 5 years old, to welcome him.

Desdemona News

DESDEMONA P T A HAS MARCH OF DIMES PROGRAM

By Mrs. M. J. Keith

On Monday night, February 4 a March of Dimes Program sponsored by P T A, was held at the High School Gym.

Bands and String Bands from most of the surrounding communities and towns were present with lots of good music. Also some good quartette numbers were rendered. And last but not least a group of small fries did their bit with a number of short plays.

Quite a large crowd was present to enjoy the get-together and do their bit. Plenty of delicious pies and coffee were sold by the P. T. A. ladies. \$223.15 was collected not counting the sale of food.

Attendance at Church Sunday was low on account of the inclement weather. We are looking forward to near normal for next Sunday.

W. M. S. meets each Monday evening at the First Baptist Church. All the ladies of the church are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Sparkman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merriell were visitors part of last week in Freer.

M. H. C. Abernathy is on the sick list again.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharp of Gorman visited Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Callie Sharp, and his aunt, Mrs. Edna Clayton.

Messers Buster and Bill Owens and their families of Cisco visited during the week end with their mother, Mrs. Agnes Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno Arnold made a business trip to Fort Worth on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Minton Hanna of Eastland visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Greenhaw and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lewis left Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ford Greenhaw and on Friday the 3 couples left Lamesa for Clovis, New Mexico to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Al Lewis and while there the men report they enjoyed some good wolf races.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jackson of Wink visited a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark, and other relatives.

Mr. Less Williams spent Saturday night in Fort Worth and his wife and baby and Angela returned home with him Sunday. Mrs. Williams has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Buck Hensley, who has been quite ill for more than two months.

Dr. and Mrs. Audrey Brown of Gorman were visitors Sunday with his sister, Miss Alva, and brother, Mr. Alton Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilcoxson had as visitors at different times the past week, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilcoxson and Judy of Odessa. Also of Odessa were Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Wilcoxson, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilcoxson of Bays and Mr. and Mrs. "Cotton" Wilcoxson of Wichita, Kansas and her mother, Mrs. Jeff Northcutt, of Dublin. The "Cotton" Wilcoxsons are being transferred to Harlingen, Texas in their work with the McClellan Company of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Walker of Eliasville and her mother, Mrs. R. H. Abel, were Stock Show visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Esther Pilgrim and children of Cisco were week end visitors with her mother, Mrs. Nina Lohman, and grandmother, 'Aunt Sally' Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore spent the week end in Seminole with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham.

Rev. and Mrs. Welsh have gone to Mexico to spend a few days with his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle James of Abilene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks have their baby in a hospital in Fort Worth and it is reported to be in a critical condition.

A Pink and Blue Shower honoring Mrs. Harrold Belyeu Thursday, January 31 at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Roberts. A very very attractive refreshment plate was served to more than 25 women and the hostesses, Mrs. Dorothy Roberts, Mrs. Loraine Koonce and Mrs. Evelyn Hammonds.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Gorman Progress is authorized to announce the names of the following citizens as candidates for the respective offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held in July 1952.

Table listing candidates and amounts: District Offices \$25.00, County Offices \$25.00, County Commissioner \$20.00, Justice of Peace \$7.50, Constable \$7.50.

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District Attorney J. M. NUESSELE, Ranger

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To add incentive to their efforts the Gorman Progress is offering a \$25 CASH PRIZE to the Class selling the most subscriptions. There will also be individual prizes for the Boy and Girl sell-

ing the most - There will be separate prizes for high school and grade school.

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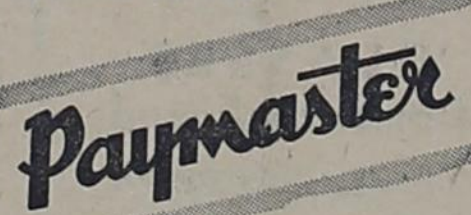
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