

Jaycees To Organize Here Friday Night

Pantherettes First; Panthers Second In Dist. Race

The Pantherettes are undefeated in the girls division, and the Panthers are in second place in the boys division as District 32-B basketball enters the second round. The first round has been completed, which means that each team in the district has played the other teams each one time. And now the second round begins, as each team repeats the first round of games. That is what is known as the double round-robin schedule.

Last Thursday night at Olden the Pantherettes set a scoring record as they trounced the Olden girls, 86-59. The 86 points was the highest number of points made by a girls basketball team in the history of Gorman High. The girls now have a 13-5 season record, with 3 losses to the De Leon girls, who have an 18-0 season record. Anyne Kate Blair made 45 points in the Olden game followed by Julia Beth Skaggs with 21 points.

New Print Shop In Gorman



Milton Fairbetter, Jr. use to come to the Progress and watch his brother, Manning, working in the back shop. He decided this was a pretty easy way to make money, so he talked his Dad into buying him a small hand press.

Now Milton takes orders for calling cards, invitations, etc. and does a good job. His press is installed in his home.

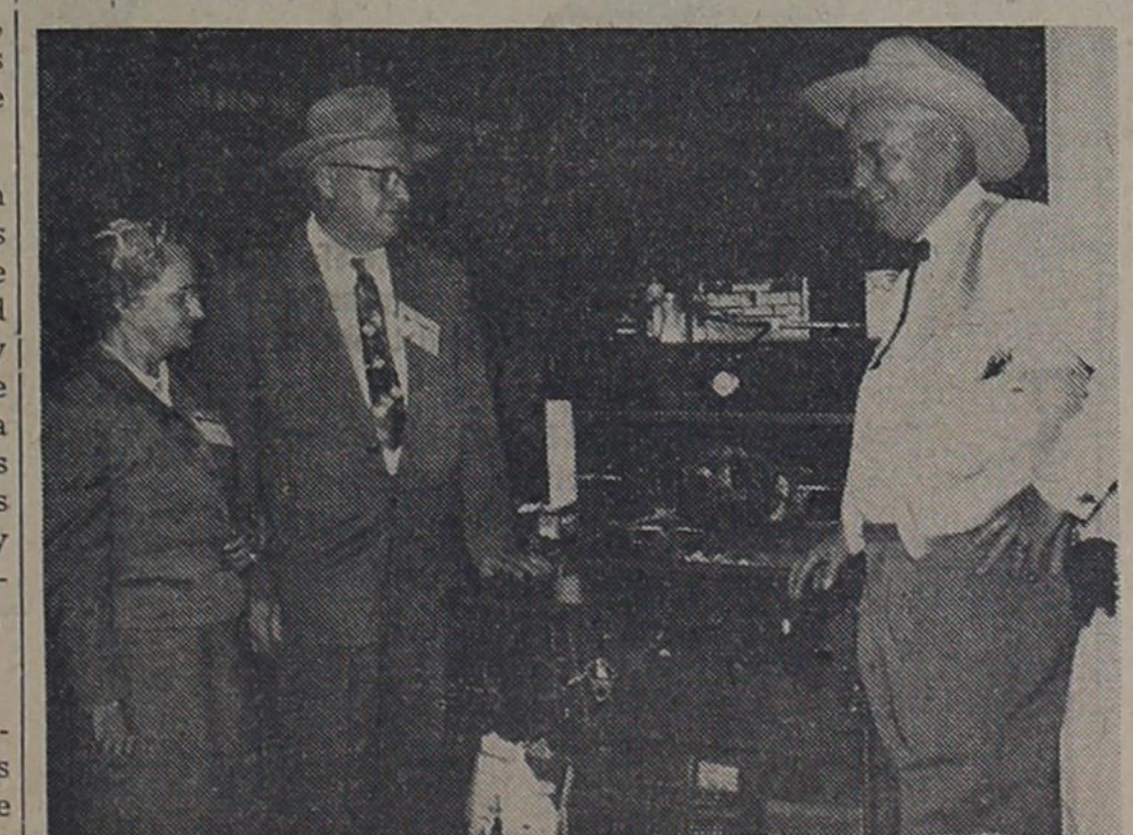
Mrs. Lorene Brown, granddaughter of the late Judge J. L. Alford of Rising Star and Mrs. J. Taylor Boyd, nee Flora Teague, former teacher near Rising Star, were quite thrilled with the Rising Star Exhibit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Hutchison were inquiring about Mrs. Edna Kirk. They met Mrs. Kirk in 1941 at Glen Rose.

C. T. Parker of Rising Star visited the booth Monday. Born at Desdemona, lived around Gorman - moved to Rising Star in 1903. Stock farming. Related to Henry Capers and Jesse Parker. Sends greetings. C. T. Parker, Jr., son, is a director of the stock show and county agent of Ballinger County. At one time C. T. was the youngest county agent in Texas and is now the youngest director of the stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hatchett of Star Route One, Baird, stopped by to see the Cisco exhibit. Mr. Hatchett is a wheat farmer and rancher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schaefer of Cisco sends greetings.



A TEXAS SIZED QUAIL — Mr. Chilcoat with the cowboy hat has been having a good time with folks from other states pointing to the huge turkey being barbecued on the Big Boy De Leuxe Grill and saying, "there is a Texas sized quail". Some of the people don't believe it until he assures them it's only a young one and not full grown. Thereas and I have been enjoying some of the barbecued chickens from this grill. Done to a golden brown, these chickens are tender and delicious. Watching the operation is Mrs. Chilcoat and Mr. Earl E. Evans, representative from Oklahoma City.



SENATOR YARBOROUGH VISITS BOOTH — Thereas presenting Senator Ralph Yarborough and his friends, Grady Helm, independent auto dealer of Fort Worth, and Clarence Jones, President of the Haltom City State Bank, some of her famous peanut brittle. Senator Yarborough, who was in Ft Worth for the rodeo, stopped by to congratulate us on the Eastland County Booth.

Roy L. Lane, Dist. Clerk, Announces For Re-Election

Mr. Lane 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 if reelected.

He will make a formal statement at a later date.

CUBS TIED FOR DISTRICT LEAD

The Cub basketball team of Gorman Grad School is tied for first place in the Junior High District with Stephenville and De Leon at the close of the regular season. The Cubs lost only one district game to De Leon and have a season record of 5 wins and 1 loss.

Last Friday night at Gorman the Cubs edged the Stephenville five, 21-20, to throw the district lead into a three-way tie. The grade school girls team lost to the Stephenville girls, 34-17.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the Junior High District Tournament will be held at Stephenville. The Gorman girls draw Dublin in their first game at 12:30 on Friday afternoon, and the Cubs are matched with Dublin boys at 1:40 on the same afternoon.

Ernestine Todd To Become Bride Of Delmer Shugart

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Todd of Gorman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Glenda Ernestine, to Mr. Delmer Gene Shugart son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shugart of Rt. 1, Gorman.

The wedding date has been set for February 15th, 1958 at 6:30 p. m. at the Church of Christ. Bro. Leroy Cowan of the Tahoka Church of Christ, formerly of Gorman, will officiate. The couple cordially invite everyone to attend the wedding.

PFC. BRAWNER LEE FILES CITED FOR WORK

Pfc. Brawner Lee Files, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Files of Gorman, was recently commended for his part in the performance of an Honor Guard at charge of Command ceremonies in Germany. The commanding officer sent a copy of the commendation to his mother.

Pfc. Files entered the Army in February, 1957 and sailed in November of that year with the 4th Armored Division for overseas duty. He is stationed in Stuttgart, Germany.

Some twenty-five men met last Friday night to discuss organizing a Junior Chamber of Commerce. Since Gorman had two men's clubs already, the Business Men's Club and the Quarterback Club, it was agreed upon that an additional club would be too many for a town as small as Gorman. By unanimous agreement it was voted to disband the Quarterback Club and organize the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

ISSUE DATE FOR USDA SURPLUS SET FOR FEB. 11

The next issue date for the USDA surplus food commodities, for Carbon, Desdemona, Gorman, Okra, and Rising Star, will be Tuesday, February 11th.

Through the years the Jaycees have been a service club for their respective communities and it being a National organization will be of much benefit because they have passed down ideas that will work and new ideas are being introduced each year. The by-laws of this organization stipulates that no one over 35 years of age may hold office or vote; and that those over 35 years of age are encouraged to become an associate member and their titles are that of "An Exhausted Rooster"

Most fellows that have belonged to the Jaycees say that the associate members are as important as a regular member. The Jaycees will assume the responsibility of managing the Frank A. Gray Park and Swimming Pool and will be active in any service the community may need.

There will be a group of Jaycees from Stephenville Friday night at 7:30 to help Gorman organize a Jaycees club and install officers. The meeting place will be at Emerson's Cafe and refreshments will be served.

All men under or over thirty-five years of age are urged to be present.

Applications, New Grower Allotments Being Accepted

It is now time to make application for NEW GROWER Cotton and Peanut allotments on farms that have no allotments. The owner or operator must not be interested in any other allotment farms. The operator must depend on the farm for his living. In the case of peanuts, the operator must have had 2 years experience out of the past 5 in growing peanuts.

Closing Date For Peanut Applications — February 7, 1958

Closing Date For Cotton Applications — February 22, 1958

Growers who are not going to plant cotton or peanut allotments in 1958 may release the acreage to the County Committee for re-assignment to other producers. Producers may make applications for the released acreage. Emmett E. Powell

Pat Collins Receives Masonic Degree From Father And Brother At Carbon



The above picture was taken in Carbon Masonic Lodge 786, AF&AM, Tuesday night, January 21, 1958, shortly after Mr. Henry Collins, father, and Joe Collins, brother, assisted in conferring the Master's Degree on Pat Collins of Ranger.

Henry Collins has been a member of the Carbon Lodge for forty years and is Past Master. He assisted in conferring the Degree

of Masonry on Joe and his two brothers, M/S Robert L. Collins, USAF, stationed in Waco, and D. M. Collins of Houston, eleven years ago. All are still members of the Carbon Lodge. The degree was conferred at a meeting of the Masters, Wardens and Secretary's Association of the 73rd. Masonic District. Members from Cisco, Eastland, Breckenridge, Ranger, Desdemona, Gorman, and Carbon were present.

Tarleton Coach To Speak At Football Banquet February 3rd.

H. A. (Sandy) Sanford, Athletic Director and Head Football Coach of Tarleton State College, will be the principal speaker at the Gorman Football banquet to be held Monday night, February 3, at the school cafeteria. Time for the

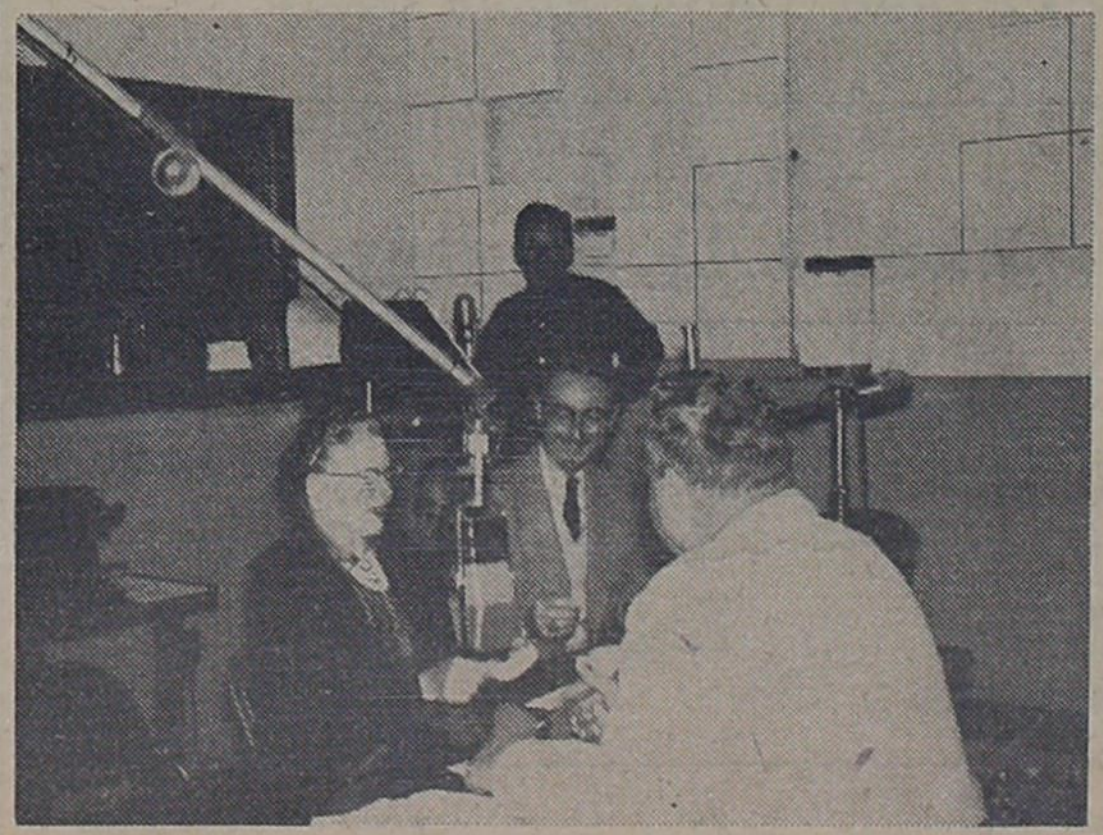
Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frossard were in Dallas on Tuesday thru Thursday of this week buying women's merchandise for their department store.

banquet will be 7:30 p. m. and will honor the Gorman High Football team, who ranked second in their football district last season.

Sanford came to Tarleton in 1951 from Paragould, Ark., where he was head coach and athletic director in the high school. His teams won one state and two district championships. His 1948 high school team was the only undefeated team in Arkansas that year.



He lettered two years at the University of Alabama, where he did place-kicking as well as played end. He was named "Man of the Year" at Alabama in 1937-38, and was a member of the Rose Bowl team in 1938. After college he played pro football with the Washington Redskins in 1940-41. Sanford served three years in the Navy during World War II, rising to the rank of Lieutenant (senior grade). Sanford's 1954 Tarleton team won the Pioneer Conference and his 1956 team tied for the championship. He holds a bachelor of science degree from Arkansas State College and has done graduate work at the University of Arkansas.



QUIET PLEASE — ON THE AIR — Doc Ruhmann interviewing Mrs. Eugene Baker and Mr. Vaughn Summers, Industrial Director of Cisco, on WBAP at 6:30 Saturday morning. Larry Morrell in the background, assistant to Doc. Thanks to Doc, folks over the Southwest heard all about Gorman, Cisco and Rising Star.



The Rodeo and Texas Ranch and Farm Show have been blessed with perfect weather this year and the crowds have really taken advantage of it. As usual folks from the north and east have been stopping at our booth with an EXCLAMATION when I offer them raw peanuts. They look at our pictures on the projector that the Texas Electric Service Co. loaned us and say, "you mean those are peanut vines? And some of them call the pecans, "pecans nuts".

The Y. L. Russells of Natalie, Texas were asking about the Ben Freemans and send greetings.

Thanks to Doc Ruhmann who has taken time on his Ford and McCall Magazine program to publicize Gorman, Rising Star, and Cisco. Doc is all pepped up about the Fort Worth Star Telegram Agriculture Tour of Europe that will include thirty-seven days of travel in western Europe, including all of the best in historical, cultural, and agricultural points of interest, plus entertainment, and unsurpassed opportunities for shopping and getting acquainted with our friends across the sea. The Hoyt Travel Agency, Hilton Hotel, Fort Worth are handling the details of this trip. If interested contact them or Doc Ruhmann at WBAP.

Doc Ruhmann has been Farm Editor of WBAP-TV, the Fort Worth Star-Telegram radio and television station, since January, 1952. He is a native Texan, a graduate of Texas A&M, and while there achieved recognition in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities".

Before he became associated with Radio Station WBAP, he served for a time on the staff of Texas A&M Extension Service at College Station, and as County Agent in Fort Worth from 1947 to 1952.

He holds the degree of Honorary American Farmer from the national organization of the Future Farmers of America, which doubtlessly resulted from his life-long study of ranching and farming throughout all of Texas and the Southwest, to which he dedicated himself by personal choice, even though other and perhaps more lucrative opportunities were available to him.

Doc was a Captain in the 45th Infantry Division, leading troops and doing staff and intelligence work during 28 months of World War II. The mountains of Italy and the Rivers of Germany are not strangers to him. He has a number of battle stars and holds the Purple Heart. During this period he served as temporary Mayor and Burgomaster of several towns throughout Italy, France, and Germany.

J. N. Sanders, Rt. One, Pottsboro, Texas, taught school at Desdemona 1918-19. Also ran the Desdemona News with Roy B. Mefford and Dan W. Powers. He taught at the Elm School near Gorman in 1921-22. Mr. Sanders said he would enjoy hearing from some of his old friends. He will retire from teaching in June.

Ruth and Parker Morris of Kilgore, formerly of Gorman and

CARD OF THANKS
 May we take this means of thanking all of our friends for everything they did to help us since my illness in and around Gorman and De Leon. We would

also like to say thanks to all the hospital staff and doctors at the Blackwell Hospital.
 May God bless and keep each one is our prayer.
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ORMSBY'S



"Communism" Is Topic Of Woman's Study Club

For us, the gathering arrived in a seemingly more serious mood than usual, sensing apparently that the program was an important one. "Communism in Religion, In School, and In Government" was the subject title, being divided into three interesting and thought provoking talks. We were indeed glad to have two guest speakers, Rev. Robert Haynes and Supt. Graydon Baze, take time from their busy schedules to be with us. The third part, "Communism in Government" was brought by one of our own members, Miss Ozella Pulley.

The program was begun with everyone standing and together repeating the Pledge to the Flag. Rev. Haynes began the symposium by discussing "Communism in Religion". There would seem to be some infiltration of communism into our American churches, but not a great deal, as communism and our Christian Faith are too diametrically opposed to each other. The communists would destroy our Christian way, our churches, and our Bible, if they could, but there are some eighty million people in America who worship God, several thousand preachers, and many, many places of worship - Communism is only a system of politics. It is believed that communism has not infiltrated the churches of America to any great degree.

Supt. Graydon Baze conducted his discussion from the standpoint of "Communism in Education". In America it is the aim of our schools to teach children "how to think"; in Russia the aim would seem to be to teach the children "what to think". There appears to be some infiltration of communists in our school systems - cases of accused teachers are brought to public attention from time to time. In Texas an agency to investigate was formed and functioned for a time. The results of this investigation have not been publicized, of course. The best method of combating the communist threat might very well be for us to keep well informed as to what our schools are doing for our children.

Miss Ozella Pulley talked about communism from the third point of discussion, "In Government". It was pointed out that the number of communists who have infiltrated the high governing offices of our land is unknown. It is known that some have. The purpose of the communists would seem to be to take over the government of the United States. Besides being our duty and our privilege, it would seem to be vitally urgent for each and every one of us to pay our poll tax, then investigate each candidate very thoroughly, and VOTE.

From forum to frivolity. Our meetings are never all seriousness, as our visitors, Mrs. Frank Rhymes, Rev. Haynes and Supt. Baze, soon discovered. Perhaps the men in our midst made a difference - at any rate, the conversation and laughter seemed brighter and gayer.

The hostess, Mrs. G. C. Aerea, served various kinds of cake, drinks, and candies from her bea-

utifully laid dining table. Noticed one or two in line twice, maybe. Considering how late we were in saying good-night, obviously everyone especially enjoyed the meeting.



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BIDS REQUESTED
 The Gorman School Board offers for sale the old Band Building to be removed from school property upon sale. Sealed bids must be submitted to the School business office. The School Board reserves the right to accept or reject any bid. 2-13c
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Gorman is blessed with more young men in prominent positions than almost any town its size in the state. But we stand to lose some of these young men if we don't work to keep them here. Also we need to attract more young people here to live! Without youth Gorman cannot grow.

A movement is being started to form a Junior Chamber of Commerce here. Some opposition has been voiced because men over 35 years of age cannot be voting members of the organization. It has been estimated that there are between 25 to 30 young men here under the age of 35 who would make good members of the Jaycees.

But men over 35 can be just as active in Jaycee work as the younger men. Every young man looks for advice from someone older and more experienced than he is. No one can exist alone - every person alive needs the help of every other person or the entire human race would perish.

So, we must quit arguing and start working together in order for Gorman to survive. Gorman can keep its young people, attract more young people, and keep growing if we will organize and fight for Gorman! (Don't fight each other - FIGHT FOR GORMAN).

A Jaycee organization has many advantages. By being affiliated with other Jaycee clubs across the nation, ideas can be exchanged and more strength can be represented than if a local club tries to exist alone. Unity makes strength.

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Frank Mangum, 75, a longtime resident of Carbon, died Monday at Blackwell Hospital. Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Carbon Baptist Church with the Rev. Roger Butler, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was in the Murray Memorial Cemetery at Carbon.

Franklin Morris Mangum was born May 9, 1882, in Raleigh, Miss. He was married to Miss Minnie Pearl Franklin on July 20, 1912 at Carbon. They had lived their entire married life in the Carbon area.

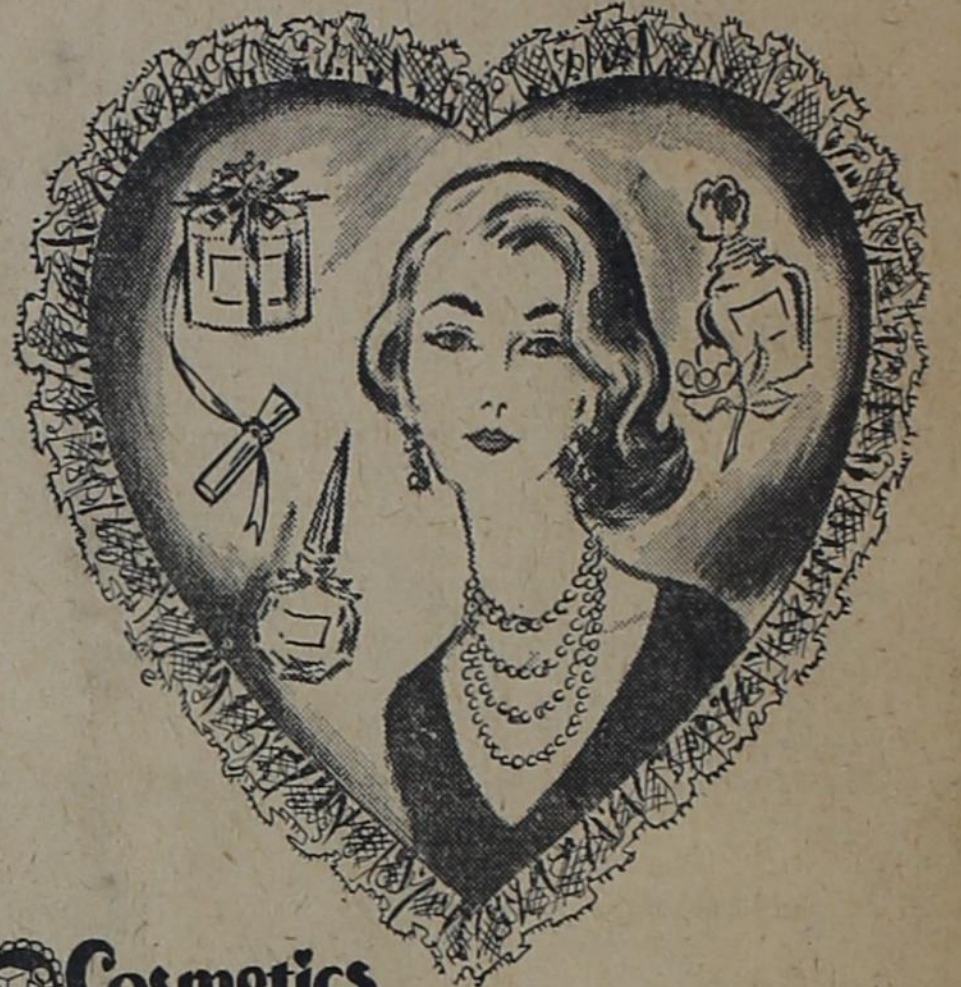
Survivors are his wife; three sons, Woodrow, Coy and Maurice, all of Carbon; and one daughter,

Mrs. R. W. Bunton of Texas City. He is also survived by seven

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I want to express my sincere thanks to everyone who helped me in any way during my stay in Blackwell Hospital. To the entire hospital staff, especially Dr. Brogdon, for their wonderful

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Sports

Jerry Clark

It is interesting to see how the teams that made up our football district last season and some of the other schools in the area are doing in basketball. The teams that made up our football district were Baird, Jim Ned, Meran, and Gorman. The standings of the girls teams in these schools could not be found since standings of girls basketball teams are seldom published in newspapers. Which is very unfair, in my opinion. So all of the standings given here will be of the boys team of a particular school.

Baird, the champion of our football district, is doing very poorly in basketball. The Bears have not won a single game in their district and are in last place. Their basketball district is composed of Eula, Scranton, Moran, Putnam, and Baird. Eula is undefeated in district play and Scranton is second. Last week Moran downed Baird, 63-34, in a district game. Scranton is favored to tie Eula for the district title.

Basketball standings on Jim Ned were not available.

Eastland is also on the bottom rung in its district, and has not won a district game. Throckmorton and Clyde are tied for the lead in that district. The last report I heard Rising Star was not doing too good in its district race, either.

Ranger is low man on the totem pole in its district, while Cisco is in third place. Coleman is leading in that district.

I am not sure what position De Leon and Dublin boys hold in their district, but Hamilton is leading in games won.

FHA NEWS

Mary Evelyn Robertson, Reporter

On January 28th, 1958 the Homemaking II Class held their monthly meeting in the cottage.

The theme for our meeting was "Understanding Our Neighbors at Home and Abroad".

Carolyn Seiter, the president, presided at the meeting. Wanda Mauney, secretary, called the roll and read the minutes.

The possibility of a hay ride was discussed but no definite plans were made.

Edith Bolt sang the FHA Prayer Song. Several other songs were sung by all the group.

Peggy Adcock gave an interesting report on the people of China. She showed us some Chop Sticks that were made of Teak Wood. She also used many pictures to illustrate her story about their customs and homes.

Edith Bolt gave a report on the Japanese. She told us about a girl from Japan who visited in her home for sometime. She gave Edith a fan that was made from rice. Their favorite colors for their costumes are yellow and red. They wear beautiful hand-painted silk kimonos. This Japanese girl returned to her native land to teach school after obtaining a degree from an American college.

To emphasize the "At Home"

Speaking of the effect of the new extra-point rule in football, and the possibility of it reducing the number of tie games, here is an interesting fact: The Longhorns seven times have missed a share of the Southwest Conference grid title by one-half game because of a tie involving either the champion or Texas. These years were 1957, 1947, 1944, 1941, 1934, 1923, and 1921. Five of those seven years the missed championship share was because the Longhorns themselves were tied.

WSCS To Have Silver Tea February 4th In New Ed. Building

The Woman's Society of Christian Service wishes to extend a cordial invitation to all the ladies of Gorman and surrounding communities to a Silver Tea, which will be held in the new Methodist Educational Building on February

part of our program Mrs. Rainey talked to us about, "How You Represent Your School, Your Church, Your Family, and Yourself".

Refreshments of sandwiches and cold drinks were served.

Political Announcements

The Gorman Progress is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries July 26 and August 23, 1958:

For State Representative PAUL BRASHEAR (re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 2 B. M. BENNETT
A. M. (Judge) THURMAN
M. E. "Buck" FOSTER

For County Judge CLYDE L. GARRETT

JOHN HART (re-election)

For County School Supt. H. R. (Pop) GARRETT (re-election)

For District Clerk ROY L. LANE (re-election)

For County Clerk JOHNSON SMITH

4, 1958 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The tea is being held in an effort to raise money for furnishings for our new building.

The following program will be presented:

1. Welcome
2. Invocation
3. Oriental Selections — Band
4. Facing Tomorrow — Mrs. Milton Fairbetter
5. "Sayonara" — Vocal — Edith Bolt

6. "Bridge to the Sun" - Book Review — Mrs. Bob Green

Hostesses: Mrs. Bill Brogdon, Mrs. Barton Eppler, Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey, Mrs. D. V. Rodgers

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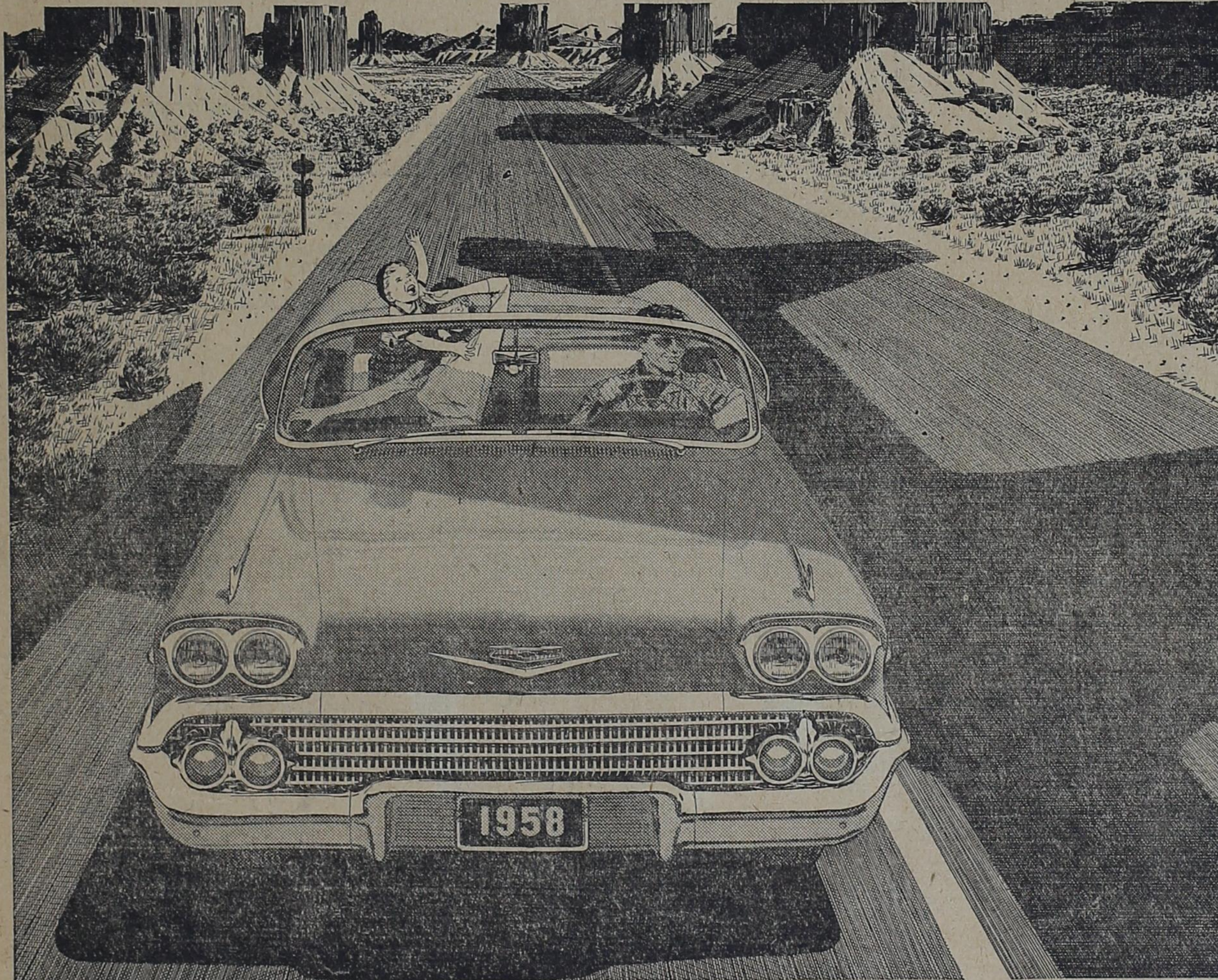
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IOOF To Sponsor Contest For UN Tour

The Oddfellow Lodge of Gorman at the regular meeting last Friday night voted to join the other IOOF Lodges of the United States in sending a high school

student on tour to the United Nations Headquarters in New York.

Since the local lodges includes towns of Gorman, Carbon, and Desdemona, a student will be nominated from each of these three schools to compete in the contest. To be eligible to enter this contest a student must be a sophomore or junior in high school, at least 16 years of age and not reached their 18th birth-

day on August 1, 1958. The student selected will be given an all expense paid trip, plus pocket money for souvenirs, etc., by the local lodges.

The students will be judged on public speaking, character, and personality, scholarship, school and community activities, leadership, church work, etc. They will be required to write an essay on the United Nations which will be submitted to the teaching staff of the University of Texas for the final selection.

Most towns in District II of the IOOF will have students entered in this contest. Lodges in District II include Weatherford, Mineral Wells, Eastland, Ranger, Palo Pinto, Breckenridge, and Gorman.

The students from Gorman, Desdemona and Carbon will be screened by a committee from the local lodge. More details about the tour and the contest can be obtained by seeing Jerry Clark at the Progress Office.

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Enlarging Our Borders Is Topic Of WSCS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday, January 28 in the home of Mrs. Donald Bolt for the third in a series of study on Japan. There were sixteen members and one guest, Mrs. Travis Smith, present.

Mrs. T. F. Morrow read a letter which was written in 1922 by Laura Edwards, missionary, to Mrs. Morrow's mother. Mrs. Edwards Harrison gave a talk on "Enlarging our Borders" in Japan. Mrs. Robert Haynes was the main speaker of the day and gave a very interesting talk on the part women play in the various activities of spreading the story of Christ in Japan.

Everyone was urged to attend

Keeping Up With Our Friends

Mrs. Duane Hite and daughters of San Antonio are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ellison, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Jay and children visited in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Fred Jay and daughter on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hutson and children have returned from Germany where Mr. Hutson served a tour of duty with the Army. Mrs. Hutson is the former Georgia Mauney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan Mauney.

Among those attending the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo in Fort Worth over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. George Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Lasater, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix, Ernestine Todd and Delmer Shugart, all the members of the Panther Band, and many more Gormanites.

Mrs. John Tom Harris and children of Colorado have been visiting her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Doy Reynolds.

Mrs. Elmer J. Stacy and son of Fort Worth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ormsby, and Mike Stacy over the week-

end. Several college students have been home between semesters. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert of Texas Tech; Janey Thompson of SMU; Sandra Files and Floydene Gilbert of ACC; Joe Mehaffey, John Edward Kimble, Tommy Carl Rainey, and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Heathington of Texas University; Jerry Bolt and Pat Morrison of North Texas; David and Donald Joiner of Texas A&M; Ken Ezzell of Arlington State.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker visited in Colorado City with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Parker and children on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Chambers in Comanche on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Whitley, Jr. of Fort Worth visited here over the weekend.

Mrs. John Wheeler and Jackie Don visited relatives in Texas City over the weekend.

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

FLORENCE RICHARDSON
Glad to report that we were all able to get back to church Sunday. Our pastor's wife was not able to be with us. Hope she will be up and going soon. We missed her.

The Wayne Setzlers of Abilene spent the weekend with the Clyde Setzlers.

The Garland Perrys were dinner guests in the A. J. Stewart's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst were shopping in Stephenville Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Daniels visited the Alvis Scitern family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richardson visited the Carl Highsmiths Saturday afternoon. Glad Mr. Highsmith is able to be home from the hospital.

The grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cogburn who was killed in an accident Saturday was buried at Oliver Springs Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Andrus visited the Highsmiths Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson and this writer visited Mr. Tom Richburg Sunday afternoon.

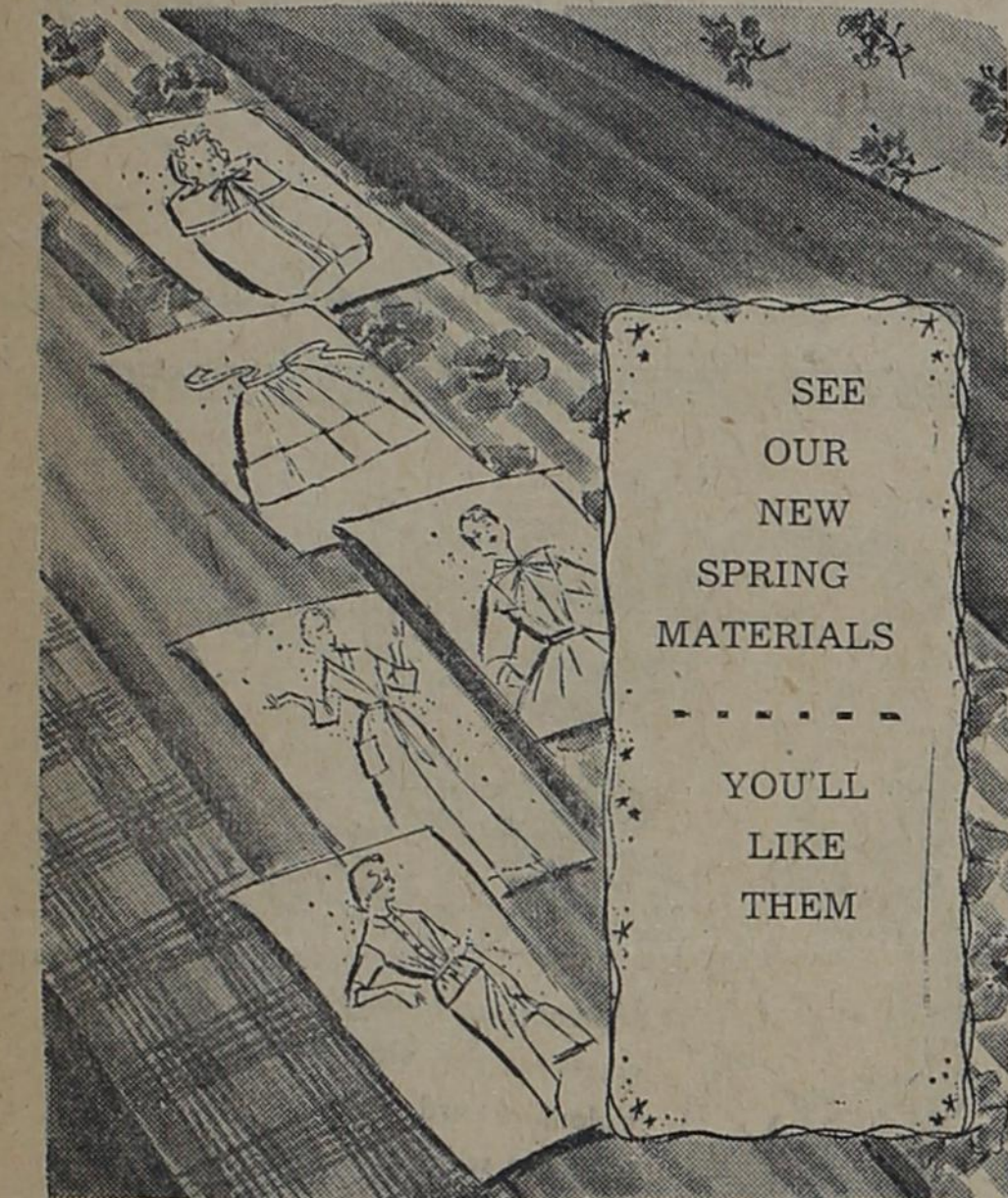
Mrs. Bob Atchison entered the Blackwell Hospital last week. She had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mauney, at Goldthwaite.

The S. E. Mears visited the A. D. Bryans Thursday night.

The Melvin Daniels visited the D. L. Bonds late Sunday afternoon.

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