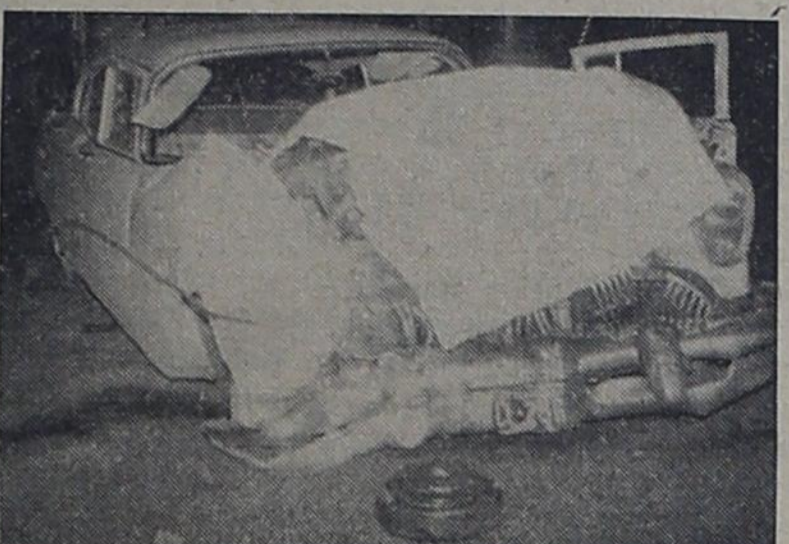
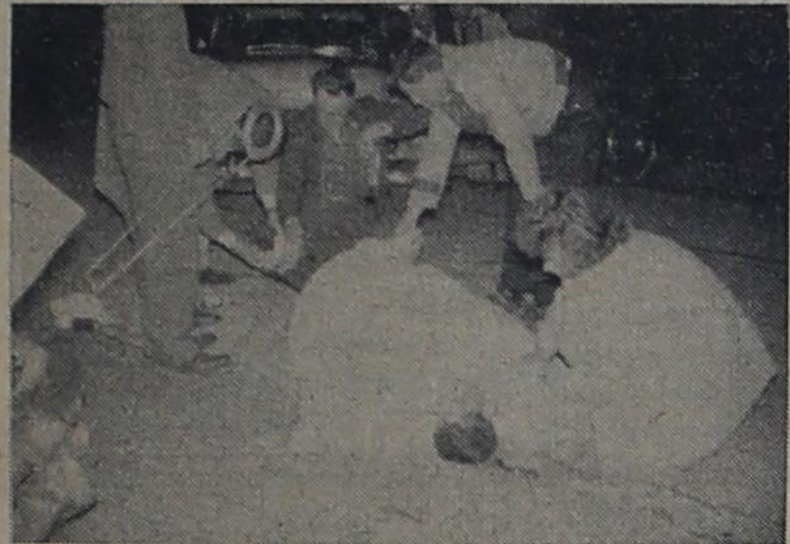


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## CAR DEMOLISHES FRONT OF CAPE'S COVE GROCERY - STATION

A Buick sedan driven by Landon Jordan, 23, of Eastland, careened off the Premier pumps pumps in front of Cape's Cove Station on the old Carbon Highway at 3 a. m. Wednesday morning, April 29. The car then hit the three foot rock pillar supporting the front of the building and completely demolished it. Pictures above show the building, front of the car and a side view with the whole front seat over half way out the door.

Mrs. John Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Capers and her husband, John Sutton rendered first aid until Dr. W. M. Brogdon arrived with Arland Watson and O. R. Buchanan in Higginbotham's ambulance.

Landon received scalp and back injuries and a broken leg. He was treated at the Blackwell Hospital and later taken to the Veterans Hospital at Big Springs.

Ed. Note: Thanks to Lonnie Capers for waking us so that we were able to take pictures.

### THE KERNEL:

I have not sought the facts in regard to the bootlegger and the teenagers, nor do I intend to. I will be glad to publish any letters on the subject, properly signed, which I receive.

The sale of legal or illegal liquor has been a cancer of most communities in American for many years. The majority of a bootlegger's customers are adults. An adult is supposed to know better. How many bootleggers have been convicted by juries? How many gangsters and racketeers, who made their money through bootleg liquor, are in control or have a say as to how our government is run today?

If there is a citizen or citizens in our town who have witnessed the sale of bootleg liquor or know that it is being sold and bring no pressure to stop it - then, who is guilty?

My vocabulary does not include words to describe one that would sell liquor to a teen-ager. If this is going on and the parents of Gorman do not act, why blame the bootlegger - his only thought is to make a lousy buck.

### PFC. JOHNNY P. BURNS SERVING IN KOREA



Pfc. Johnny P. Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie C. Burns, is now serving a tour of duty in Korea and is stationed at Camp Page with the 77th Infantry. His job in the company is Supply Clerk and Radio Operator.

### SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

Laneta Rodgers - Kay Browning

The track team of Gorman Jr. High won first place at Hamilton Saturday, April 26th.

Last Monday and Tuesday we had achievement test. They were the hardest we have ever had.

Friday there will just be three more weeks of school or 15 more school days.

Mrs. N. C. Crawley spent the weekend in Arlington with Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Crawley.

## Jaycee Road-e-o Set For Saturday

### With 28 Entries, 6 Girls

The Gorman Junior Chamber of Commerce, top contender for the outstanding first year club, will hold their Safe Driving Road-e-o on Saturday, May 3rd beginning at 9 a. m. on Ross Street in front of the First Baptist Church. Parents of the teenage contestants and the entire citizenry of Gorman are urged to come out and watch this Road-e-o as the top teenage drivers of Gorman will be driving the Safe Driving Road-e-o obstacle course as set up by the national organization.

Mr. Richardson, principal of Gorman High School, sub-chairman in charge of entries and qualifications, reports that approximately 17 to 25 teenage drivers will compete in the Road-e-o.

The three top winners will go to the Regional contest at Arlington on May 10th. Local winners will receive a plaque, certificates of award and also other fine prizes from local businessmen and citizens. The Safe Driving Road-e-o will offer the national winners three scholarships totaling \$4,500 (\$2,000, \$1,500 and \$1,000) and an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D. C., for the winner of each State Road-e-o.

The Jaycee Road-e-o is for any teenage boy or girl who will not have reached 20 years of age by August 15, last day of the national finals in Washington, D. C., has a drivers license or permit, and has a clean record of no moving traffic violations in the past six months.

A. R. "Preach" Horton, chairman in charge of securing judges for the road-e-o reports that law enforcement officers from Abilene and Eastland have been secured as judges.

Sub-chairman in charge of the obstacle course, Commissioner B. M. Bennett, reports all material has been secured in preparation for setting up the course.

The Road-e-o is performed on levels of activity: the Community Level; with a written test on driving knowledge and a performance test in four obstacle-type exercises; the Regional Level; the State Level, with a written test of driving knowledge, a performance test in four obstacle-type exercises, and a road check for in-traffic performance; and the National Level, with a written test of driving knowledge, a performance, a driving attitude scale, a psycho-physical examination, and a personal interview.

The contest is usually held on a Community Level during the months of March, April and May. High scoring contestants will then go on to the Regional contest at Arlington on May 10th, then to the State elimination, usually concluded during June. Early in August the State winners are then flown to Washington, D. C., for the finals, August 11-14.

## Cancer Crusade Drive Set For Friday, May 2nd

### Cancer Is Everybody's Business.

The full meaning of that statement may not come at once. Those of you who have experienced cancer in your family will understand more readily. Our answer to the cancer problem is found in the slogan of the American Cancer Society, "Fight Cancer with a Checkup and a Check". The checkup is life assurance for you and your family. The check will help hasten the solution to the mystery of cancer. Think what it would mean to you, to your loved ones, to all mankind to see the menace of cancer removed once and for all.

The fight is costly - in terms of lives - in terms of money. More lives could be saved, more research conducted, through more public support of the attack on cancer. The achievement of the past can only be sustained and continued in the future through more money for more research, more education, and more service to patients.

I hope that all of you will do your part to make it possible for the American Cancer Society to continue and to expand its life-saving program. Please be ready on Friday evening, May 2nd, with a check and a smile for those men and women who will give of their time and of themselves to call upon you for this very, very worthwhile donation.

Mrs. Audie A. Brown, Local Cancer Chairman

## Hospital Report

The Blackwell Hospital of Gorman reported the following listed as patients on Thursday morning:

- 201 - Mrs. L. E. Latham, Brkridge
- 202 - D. W. Nooncaster, De Leon
- 203 - John Brown, Gorman
- 205 - Mrs. Lyndon Shipman, Gorman
- 205 - Roy Pierce, Carbon
- 206 - Mrs. G. D. Riley, Gorman
- 208 - Mrs. J. E. McDaniel, Carbon
- 209 - Mrs. Lane Campbell, Jacksboro
- 301 - Mrs. J. C. LaGrone, Comanche
- 401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon
- 402 - Rube Densman, Rising Star
- 403 - Mrs. O. M. Sparks, Bowie
- 404 - James Helms, Stephenville (No Visitors)
- 405 - Tom Davis, Breckenridge
- 406 - Mrs. J. B. Anderson, Gorman
- 407 - Mrs. T. A. Weaver, Comanche
- 408 - Mrs. Marie Wacholz, Brkridge
- 409 - Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith, Gustine
- 410 - E. A. Welch, Gustine
- 411 - Mrs. T. J. Rainey, Dsd'mona
- 415 - J. B. Hodge, Gorman
- 416 - L. E. McNutt, Comanche
- 418 - Debra Jo Rainey, Gorman
- 419 - Mrs. W. R. Shoemaker, De Leon

## Births At Blackwell

Sherry Ruth Bible born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bible of Brownwood on April 25, weighed 7 pounds and 9 ounces.

Lonnie Gus Crawford, III born to Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Crawford, Jr. of Abilene on April 16 weighed 7 pounds.

Edward Dave Cotten born to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cotten of Hasse on April 15 weighed 7 pounds and 6 ounces.

Wallace Earl McDaniel born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDaniel of Star Rt., Carbon on April 28th weighed 7 pounds and 7 ounces.

James Mitchell Campbell born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Lane Campbell of Jacksboro on April 30 weighed 7 pounds and 7 1/2 ounces.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks of gratitude to each of you for your good and kind treatment while I was in the Gorman hospital. Both the doctors and nurses were especially nice to me.

Thank you and may God bless your entire staff.

Mrs. Rena Lesley

## Holly Kinser Wins Place In IOOF Essay Contest

T. W. Whitenberger, Past District Deputy Grand Master of the Independent Order of Oddfellows has notified the Gorman Oddfellow Lodge that Miss Holly Kinser placed second in the district Essay Contest on the United Nations.

Miss Kinser, a junior at Gorman High and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinser, competed against students from high school in several counties. Miss Annetta Boyett of Breckenridge was the first place winner.

State winners of this contest will have an all-expense trip to visit the United Nations plus a tour into Canada by way of Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

If for any reason Miss Boyett is unable to make this trip, Miss Kinser will have the opportunity of going.

## Drivers License Exams In De Leon, May 5th

An officer from the Dept. of Public Safety will make his regular monthly trip to De Leon on Monday, May 5th, and will be at the City Hall all day on that date for the purpose of giving drivers license examinations. Some changes have recently been made in the Departments organization, and the patrolman who will work De Leon each first Monday in the month will come from Goldtown.

The Hi-way Patrol and local officers urge everyone in this area to make certain that they have a valid license before operating a vehicle on the streets or highways. Those who may need a license should be at the Library in the City Hall by at least 9:30 a. m., and for those who may have other business with the Dept. of Public Safety, the Officer will be in De Leon all day and will be available to the public at any time.

## GRADE SCHOOL TRACK TEAM WINS CLASS B MEET, HAMILTON

### L. P. Hammonds Express Thanks

Many thanks to the editors of the newspapers in De Leon, Gorman, Stephenville, Eastland, Ranger and to any others who may have run the story of Dean Hammonds' illness and need. Without their willingness to treat that plea as a news story and carry (cost free) reports relative to it, we could not report to you that the fund has reached a present total of \$914.10. The Hammonds extend their heartfelt thanks.

The Hammonds are in Denver with Dean and due to the seriousness of his condition, we understand, that Spears Clinic has agreed to give half the cost of Dean's treatment. Mr. Hammonds' letter states: "We see improvement in Dean's neck, back and legs. So everything looks good for us up here."

Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds would like to express their deep gratitude to each individual contributing in any way to the fund and further solicit your prayers in behalf of Dean's recovery.

My personal thanks to the editors, preachers, clubs, churches, school children, individuals and business houses for their part in publicizing the fund. To the F. & M. National Bank, De Leon, for their unselfish service. By your services and gifts you have said to the Hammonds, we love you, we share your anxieties, we will help bear your burden. God bless you for it.

James R. Hill, Minister  
First Christian Church  
De Leon, Texas

### ATTEND COMPANY MEETING IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Burgess attended a meeting of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. District Managers at the Caprock Hotel in Lubbock on Thursday, April 24th. Pioneer properties and ways and means of improving service were discussed by the managers.

Recently Rayford Burgess and Alton Watson received Safety Driver Awards from the National Safety Council. The small bronze medals had the figures 10 and 14 years respectively.

These medals are only awarded to men who are very careful to observe all safety and traffic regulations and do not have any accidents.

### CARD OF THANKS

Please let us express our deep appreciation for the flowers and cards and other kind deeds and words offered in the passing of our brother, Clifton Moorman. Friends in a time like this make a burden lighter to bear.

May the good Lord smile upon and bless you is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Harper and entire Moorman family

## Gorman Band Wins Second Division, Region

The Gorman Panther Band completed its participation in Interscholastic League Contests for the year by winning a Division II in playing and sight reading held in Abilene last Saturday. Some 48 bands and orchestras participated in the three-day festival. Of the 28 Class A and B bands who played on Saturday, only two made a Division I. In Class B Gorman received the only Division II. Division II is a rating of 86 to 95% perfection.

This was the Panther Band's first year to enter the Interscholastic League Music Contest.

Also scheduled for the contest was the student conducting event in which our student conductors directed the Panther Band under the observation of a judge for a grade. Kay Lynn Ramsey received a Division I medal and Fred Gray received a Division III. This was also their first participation in a contest, also.

## GORMAN VOLLEYBALL TEAMS WIN THREE OF FOUR GAMES AT DESDEMONA

The Gorman Volleyball teams won three divisions out of four at Desdemona Tuesday night in the District Tournament.

The Grade School Girls defeated Carbon and Olden, the Grade School boys defeated Carbon, and the High School girls beat Carbon and Desdemona.

The High School boys lost to Carbon.

Members of the Grade School girls team included Mary Dell Thompson, Edna Watson, Carol Ramsey, Vicki Mauney, Sharon Skiles, Sunny Rawson, Kay Browning, and Linda Shell.

Grade School boys were Terry Shell, Joe Harrison, Larry Rodgers, Joe Bob Rodgers, Glen Scitern, Ronnie Page, and Wesley Warren.

High School girls competing were Margaret Steele, Patsy Rawls, Ava Askew, Mary Robertson, Annys Kate Blair, Julia Beth Skaggs, Emma Jane Skaggs, and Sandra West.

High School boys that played were James Whitlock, Edward Rodgers, Johnny Rodgers, Bobby Standridge, Jerry Warren, and David Revels.

## Announcements

### TEEN FLAT YOUTH CENTER TO MAKE RED CROSS DRIVE

The Teen Flat Youth Center members will make an Emergency Red Cross Drive tonight, Thursday, May 1st.

### CANCER CRUSADE DRIVE

REMEMBER - Friday, May 2, beginning at 7 p. m. - The Cancer Crusade. Have your contributions ready.

### JAYCEES MEET TONIGHT

The Gorman Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet tonight, Thursday, at 7:30 p. m. in the Fire Hall. Members are urged to be present.

### WEAVER CEMETERY

Weaver Cemetery Working will be held Tuesday, May 6th. All people having loved ones buried in the Weaver Cemetery are urged to come and bring tools to work with.

### OLIVER SPRINGS CEMETERY

There will be a cemetery working Friday, May 2nd at Oliver Springs. Come, bring your working tools and a basket lunch for there is lots of work to be done. There has been so much rain, washes and graves have caved in. Those who have loved ones buried there, please come, as there is lots of work to be done.

Mrs. Homer Richardson

### ROCK BLUFF HOMECOMING

The annual Homecoming and Singing at Rock Bluff will be held on Sunday. The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Mrs. J. Q. Eakins Hosts Homemaker Class

The Homemakers Class met on April 29th in the Educational Building. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. V. W. Day. Mrs. J. A. Baze, our assistant teacher, lead in prayer. The minutes of the previous meeting were discussed and approved.

The devotional on Psalms 43 was enjoyed very much. Prayer was led by Mrs. Jessie Moore.

The class voted to make year books and appointed a committee to see to it.

Delicious refreshments were served to members, Mesdames Grisham, Baze, Littlefield, G. H. Perdue, Moore, J. L. Mauney, Monroe, Day, and Eakin.

## Keeping Up With Our Friends

Mrs. Ray Rodgers just returned from McKinney Veterans Hospital where her husband is now confined, reports Ray was feeling better on Tuesday. He sent a "thank you" to everyone for the cards and letters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Huff and Mrs. Cynthia Earles spent the day April 23rd in Stephenville with Mr. Huff's aunt, Mrs. Julia Gazaway who is 96 years old, and a cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Bills.

Mr. C. O. Huff and Mr. Norman Lehman made a business trip to Temple last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Shugart of Granbury visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shugart, over the weekend.

Homer Bryant of Sidney, who is recuperating from a recent illness, is visiting in the H. R. Mason home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Tinkler visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern, Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie Bentley of Eastland, Miss Lucy Stocker of Mineral Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Porter visited in Lometa over the weekend.

Mrs. Roy Kinser is home from nurses training at Stephenville.

Visiting the J. R. Todds, E. E. Todds, J. D. Caldwell, and D. O. Munns over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. De La Fosse of Groveton, Mrs. James Marcus and Mike of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Todd, Dicky and Tom my of Slaton.

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### PEANUT CHEESE SALAD

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## A Vacation In a Day

Last Friday was a day of excitement and pleasure for a group of Gorman women. In the early morning hours, lights began flashing on in many houses up and down Roberts Street and there was much scurrying about. Soon Mrs. C. O. Alsabrook was seen backing her car from the drive and rushing about the neighborhood picking up Mrs. T. F. Morrow, Mrs. G. T. Blackwell, and Mrs. J. E. Walker. She was followed a few minutes later by Mrs. A. A. Brown who gathered up Mrs. D. V. Rodgers, Mrs. Marvin Blair, Mrs. John Kimble and Mrs. John Barton from Comanche. The ladies sped over to Western Hills in Ft Worth where they were joined by Mrs. Alsabrook's daughter, Dixie Jarman. They enjoyed a very leisurely breakfast there, visited the Ladies Specialty shops and took a stroll around the terrace and pool. They continued on to Dallas by way of the new toll road. One driver couldn't understand anyone spending more than fifty-five million dollars for a lovely, wide, safe thoroughfare and then putting up signs reading "speed limit 60 miles per hour."

At 8108 Inwood Road they were greeted by their hostess, Mrs. O. D. Alsabrook. There was much exclaiming as the ladies looked through the lovely home and beautiful garden of the Alsabrooks. The door chime sounded and everyone rushed to the entrance hall to greet Eppie Jean Whiteside who had flown in from Brownwood. Toon there was another chime and quiet reigned for a few minutes while Mrs. John Clingsmith of Dallas was introduced. Mrs. Alsabrook and Mrs. Clingsmith took the group on a rambling trip through the Highland Park area which was gorgeously arrayed in all spring splendor of massive banks of multi-colored Azaleas, Tulips, Hydrangeas, Iris, Pansies, and numerous other flowers. Their first stop was at the Lomo Alto Terrace home of Mrs. H. C. Riedel, who had planned a cocktail party for the group. Mrs. Riedel is not only the niece of Marvin Blair but is also the well-known Texas Golfing Champion. The second stop was a Neiman Marcus where they were served a delicious luncheon and entertained with a style show in the Zodiac Room. After a short shipping period the group was taken to the Penn Estate on Turtle Creek Boulevard where they visited a garden that compares very favorably with the Bellengrath Gardens.

Upon returning to Mrs. Alsabrook's, the ladies were served coffee, group pictures were made and each was presented with a gift. As 4 o'clock approached the ladies bid their hostess farewell, boarded their cars and sailed back into Gorman to dirty breakfast dishes, unmade beds and hungry families, but with hearts full of gratitude for such wonderful friends and for the privilege of living in a land where such a carefree day was possible.

Mrs. A. A. Brown

Tommie Rainey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rainey, has had a severe attack of measles but is reported better.

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## Desdemona News

Ethel Keith, Reporter

Health in this community is only fair at this writing.

Mr. Tip Henry has been a bed patient at his home here for several days but is reported better at this writing.

Mr. Jimmie Heeter returned home after spending several days in the Gorman hospital.

More than a dozen women gathered at the home of Mrs. W. R. Burleson last Tuesday and quilted 3 quilts. Everyone reported a nice time with lots of good eats.

Mrs. Ruth Craig, who has spent most of the time this winter in Ft Worth, is home this week for a short stay.

Mr. Denny Moss is in Oklahoma this week with his sister and other relatives. He returned Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Margaret Hensley motored to Ft Worth on Monday of last week.

The Grover Mosier family of Carbon visited her mother the past weekend. Mrs. Wittie is home from the hospital following an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Ollie Fien entertained Saturday night with a Stanley party. Rites were held Sunday afternoon at the Church of Christ at

M. Y. F. NEWS  
Carol Hatcher, Reporter

This Sunday we got back in our old routine because we had our meeting at home. We sang one song. Carol Hatcher played and Norman Jones led. Jimmy Brightwell had the program. It was the last one in his series of joining the armed services. This part was about how we could help them if they did join. Some ways were by inviting them to church when they did come home on leaves and by writing them letters and talk about what our M. Y. F. is doing. Mary Dell Thompson and Tomasine Whit helped Jimmy with the program.

In discussing our business we talked and planned about our skating party. We are going to Fort Worth ice skating. We are going this Friday at four. Everybody is going to take sack lunches. We also planned to have a committee meeting of our old officers to nominate new officers after church.

Ranger for Mrs. Irvin Gentry, sister of Mrs. Howard Wade. Burial was in Alameda Cemetery. This community extends its deepest sympathy to Mrs. Wade and other relatives.

Mrs. Senna Hooper returned Sunday after spending a week in Ft Worth with her son, R. P. Hooper, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cantrell of Duncanville, Texas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. (Slim) Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warden and her mother and two little great grandchildren of Dallas spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Warden.

Mrs. Maggie Pool and Mrs. Ora Fuqua attended the funeral of Mrs. Pool's brother-in-law, Mr. Dewey Carr, Saturday.

Mrs. Ruth Belyeu and children of Abilene spent the weekend here with her parents, the H. Rainey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane have had their granddaughters (the Hanna sisters) with them for several days last week.

Mr. Drue Shelton of Azle was home for the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shelton.

The Richard Krapfs of Ft Worth were here the past weekend with her mother, Mrs. Edna Clayton, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grisham and daughters of Abilene and Mrs. Marvin Grisham and daughters visited with the Bennie Belyeys recently.

Mrs. Jiggs underwent surgery at the Gorman hospital last week and is reported doing nicely at this writing.

Funeral services were held on Monday morning for the infant baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Winford Lindley of Electra.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moore and daughters of Aztec, N. M., Marguerite and Evelyn of Abilene and Novice were visitors here on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bill Hunter of Ranger visited here Monday with his sister, Mrs. Dess Abernathy, and friends.

Mrs. Dess Abernathy spent Saturday in Ranger with her mother, Mrs. Hunter, and brother, the Ernest Hunters.

Among the ones from here to attend the funeral of the Lindley baby at Carbon Monday morning were Mrs. Lora Abel, Stell Joiner, Vernelle Mears, Dorothy Roberts, Thelma Dean, and Nora Lane.

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## 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)

OMAR BURKETT

For Commissioner, Prec. 2

B. M. BENNETT  
(Re-election)

A. M. (Judge) THURMAN

M. E. "Buck" FOSTER

For County Judge

CLYDE L. GARRETT  
(re-election)

JOHN HART  
(re-election)

For County School Supt.

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For District Clerk

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For County Clerk

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Pic-Nic - Tomato Sauce, Cheese - Can  
SPAGHETTI 10c

3 LB. CTN.  
KIMBLE SHORTENING 69c

Clover Farm - Whole Green - 303 Can  
BEANS 25c

3 LB. CAN  
CLOVER FARM SHORTENING 73c

Margarine CLOVER FARM - LB. CARTON .21

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QT. BOTTLE  
MAZOLA OIL 73c

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BLEACH 29c

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Peanut Butter WHITE SWAN - 11 OZ. TUMBLER .29

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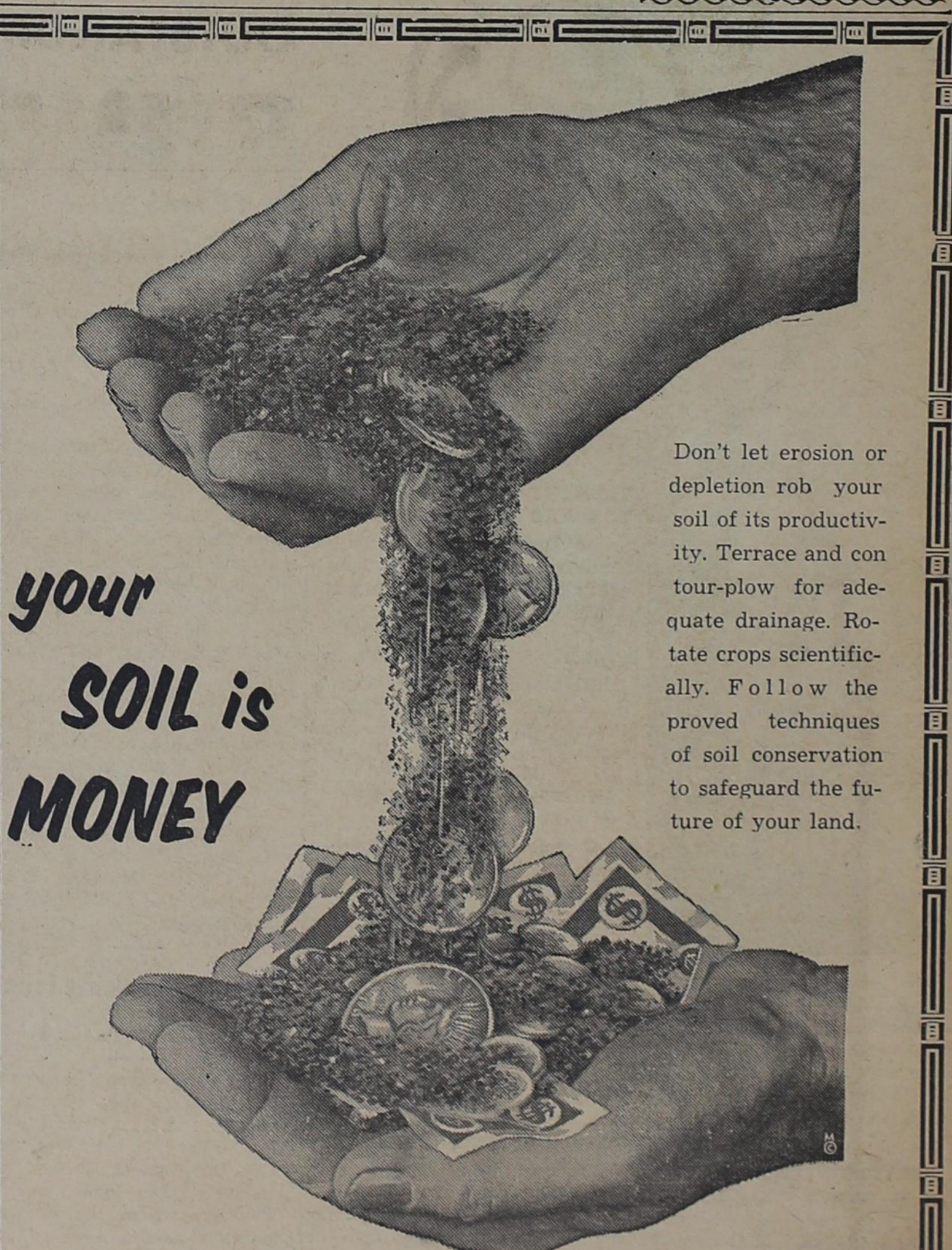
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**OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS**

FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our "Thought for the week": One who is trying to make a life without God is like a man who is dying of thirst on the brink of a stream.

We finally made it back to services Sunday. Did not have as much rain below us Saturday

afternoon as did by our way and in Gorman, but we had plenty Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears visited in our home Thursday night. Mrs. Emmie Seal and grand-daughter of Eastland visited the A. D. Bryans this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Yvonne Perry and daughter of Abilene spent the weekend visiting home folks. Mrs. Clifford Moore visited Mrs. Clyde Setzler Monday.

**Gorman Ladies Guests Of Desdemona Club**

Mrs. N. C. Crawley and Mrs. Martha Sutton were guests of the Desdemona Study Club when its April meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Howard F. Wade.

Bouquets of spring flowers lent a fragrance and azelias from Mississippi made a topic of conversation. The azelias had been sent to Mrs. Moseley by her son, J. W. Moseley, who lives in Hattiesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Skaggs and family of Mexico have been visiting the Melvin Daniels and other relatives here this past week.

Visiting in the D L. Bond home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Setzler, Bro. Arland Clement and wife and the Loyd Glassons.

Mr. Omar Waldrop and son were passing through here a few days ago. They stopped and visited relatives and friends. They live in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears visited their son and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears visited the D L. Bonds Saturday afternoon.

There will be no Sunday School Sunday at Oliver Springs. Rock Bluff Church has invited Oliver Springs to their all day singing and homecoming Sunday. Would like for each member at Oliver Springs to be present for the morning services. Please go, if possible. This is an annual homecoming and singing at Rock Bluff.

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Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Reporter

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Duster Baptist and Church of Christ had fair attendance. Sun-

day, May 4th Bro. Hutchin of Houston will preach at the Church of Christ. You are invited. Bethel Baptist had 42 present Sunday and a well-filled house for singing with good singing. All visitors are welcome back.

Friends and neighbors regret the sorrow that came to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fraley as their home and all the contents were destroyed by fire.

Danny Farley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Farley, celebrated his 6th birthday Friday night with a group of his friends and parents present. Refreshments of cake, ice cream and drinks were served. He was made happy with birthday gifts.

Luncheon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Audie Whitehurst Sunday were Bro. Moody Smith and girls, Mr and Mrs. L. V. West moreland and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Seal Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Files, and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Hammitt and daughter.

Mrs. J. D. Cagle and son of Olden spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almos Lasater.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ross of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pounds a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Coan and children of Eastland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rye Coan, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Heathington of Austin spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Irene Heathington.

Your are invited to attend a recital May 8th at 8 o'clock of Mrs. Clara Gray at the Bethel Baptist Church.

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## W. S. C. Takes European Tour

When members of the Woman's Study Club read the program title "The Lure of the Open Road", before getting into their cars to drive to club last Monday evening, it's doubtful whether anyone realized just how far the road would stretch. The first stop, however, was rather close - the home of the hostess, Mrs. Roy Blair.

Mrs. A. A. Brown, club president, conducted a brief business session two points that would be of interest to everyone in the local vicinity are the Cancer Crusade with door to door calls to be made Friday evening, May 2, beginning at 7 p. m., and plans to establish a Blood Bank at Eastland to serve this area, with prospective donors typed and registered. Mrs. Brown then welcomed guest Mrs. Gene Rodgers, and introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Mrs. John Jolink of Comanche.

And thus the tour began. Mrs.

Jolink was one of ten women who made a five week tour of Europe. A very animated and descriptive speaker, Mrs. Jolink began the tour in Dallas for us, then by plane, bus, train and gondola, took us to England, France, Italy, Holland - eight European countries in all. Showing color slides and describing the scenes, the places, people, their attitudes, customs, churches, well known landmarks - all became so real that one had the feeling of actually experiencing the tour. Mrs. Jolink very graciously answered many questions about food, proper clothes, hotels, money and language problems. One very interesting phase of the tour was her visit to a smaller town (not on the tour agenda) about a hundred miles from Amsterdam. There many relatives of her husband live, and his cousin runs a Jolink Bakery there just as her husband does in Comanche. Although Mrs. Jolink could not speak Dutch, nor they English, an interpreter was brought in, and they were all able to visit in this way. So eager

were they to welcome her and visit with her that her husband's eighty-year-old aunt rode thirty minutes on her bicycle (the chief mode of travel in that area) to get to the town where they all met.

After Mrs. Jolink concluded her talk, co-hostesses Mrs. Roy Blair and Mrs. Tom Dunn, served refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cake and drinks, but, even though thoroughly enjoying the food, the group kept Mrs. Jolink answering questions for some time - well, actually until it got so late she just really felt she must leave. The program was so completely enjoyed that even during the time usually taken up by buzz session, the topic discussed was travel. Obviously, as everyone said good night, the thought in mind was of saving enough money and some day taking such a trip - ah, yes, the lure of the open road.

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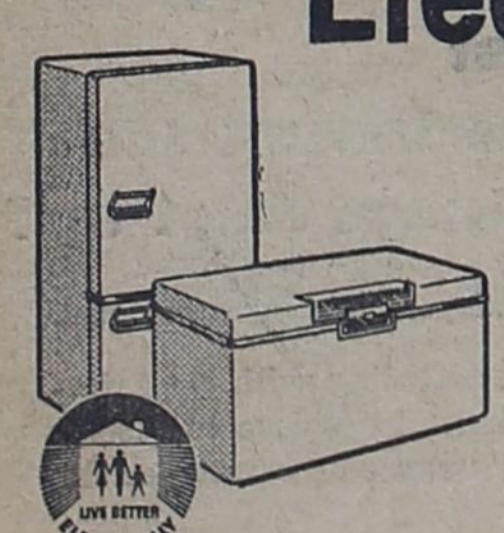
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