

# HANKINS NORMAL COLLEGE EXES TO MEET HERE SUNDAY

## Homecoming Program

9:00 — 10:00 — Registration and visiting	
10:00 — Call to Order	Clyde Garrett
10:05 — Song - God Bless America	
10:10 — Invocation	J. D. Palmer
10:15 — Welcome Address	Edgar Walker
10:25 — Response	Ollin Kennison
10:35 — Music	
10:40 — Nominating Committee	
10:45 — Memorial Address	Rev. J. C. Traweek
11:00 — Music	
11:15 — Address	Mrs. Charles P. Mason
11:40 — Music	
12:00 — Lunch	
2:00 — Call to Order	Clyde Garrett
2:10 — Report on Committee	
2:20 — Reminiscing	Claiborne Eldridge
2:40 — Short Talks	Mrs. J. H. Hankins Mrs. J. F. Hankins
3:00 — Music	
3:20 — Closing Address	Mr. J. F. Hankins
3:40 — Benediction	

## Coffee Break Talk

By Joe Bennett

Everyone is talking about the crowds that are taking advantage of the excellent facilities of the Frank A. Gray Memorial Park and Swimming Pool. The pool is in excellent condition and there were an estimated 115 persons who took advantage of the clean, cool spring water on opening day, Saturday, May 24th. There have also been large numbers of swimmers each day since the opening.

The Gorman Jaycees are to be commended for their fine job of furnishing such a nice recreational spot for the people of Gorman and surrounding areas and also for securing two outstanding managers for this season.

The Jaycees state that they are proud to have the opportunity of sponsoring the park and pool and that such a project would have been impossible without the wonderful support of the people of Gorman.

Join the crowd for a cool, clean swim at Frank Gray Pool.

With the vacation season beginning everyone is looking forward to a few days off for a trip to here or there. And it seems like Kernel Gene wants a little peace and quiet, too, so he has gladly given me a weeks vacation starting Thursday afternoon. So I guess the Kernel will have a quiet, restful week with me out of his hair. We will load up the kids and in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyne of Carbon, in the old jalopy and be on our way to Wisconsin to visit the wife's sister and family who live at Kenosha. Who knows, I may even get in a little fishing while there since Kenosha is located on the shore of Lake Michigan. And if the old jalopy holds together we should be back in a week.

The Walking Blood Bank will begin activities on Friday, May 30th. The project is being sponsored locally by the Woman's Study Club. The project is being set up so that when someone needs blood of a certain type the hospitals can look up the name of a prospective donor and call on the donor for blood. Persons interested in this important project are urged to contact any member of the Woman's Study Club or the Blackwell Hospital about being a Walking Blood Bank member. The local hospital will give you a blood test to see what particular type blood you would be able to donate if and when the need arises.

The project begins Friday and will continue through June until the early part of July. Join now. Your blood may save a life!

Haven't heard any more on the Little League for this season. Guess they will get started in a month or so. We should have some information on the Little League in the next few weeks.

Little League is a very fine activity for our youngsters to participate in. It teaches them the importance of team work and sportsmanship and also gives the parents and other adults a thrill to watch the kids play.

## CHARLES M. WALKERS HAVE NEW SON

A2/C and Mrs. Charles M. Walker of Ft Worth are the parents of a baby boy, Rockie Charles. He was born May 15 in the Carswell Air Force Base Hospital in Fort Worth weighing 8 pounds and 11 ounces.

Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Ethel Walker of Carbon. Maternal



DAVID JOINER

David Joiner, whose scholastic career has been outstanding, continues to take honors and win scholarships.

Two scholarships were offered by the Mission Manufacturing Co. to students completing junior courses in Petroleum Engineering. David was awarded one of these scholarships.

Joiner was also one of five students to receive a scholarship presented by an individual, George P. Mitchell.

Both scholarships were awarded on academic proficiency and over-all achievement in college activities.

## ELDON SHIPMAN AWARDED CERTIFICATE

Rev. Eldon Shipman has received a certificate for being the outstanding student at Chilhowee Baptist Academy, Seymour, Tenn. for the past nine months.

Of course, anyone that studies hard can make good grades, BUT when you work from 3 p. m. to 9 p. m. at night and then drive one hundred miles every Sunday to preach - and then try to help your wife look after four children - it just takes an outstanding man to do this.

Eldon will tell you that his wife, the former Jonell Gowan, deserves more than a medal. Eldon is the son of Mr. Mason Shipman.

## M. Y. F. NEWS Carol Hatcher, Reporter

We started MYF off by singing a song. Janice Day played the piano.

This Sunday we were honored by having Mr. Bob Green as our speaker.

He spoke about "Why Be Good" which is in our current unit. Mr. Green brought out many good points we had not discussed in our lesson series.

This week was the week we accepted our new nominated officers by acclamation. They are as follows:

- President - Norman Jones
- Vice-President - David Revels
- Secretary - Tomasine Whitt
- Treasurer - Billy Boyd
- Usher - Milton Fairbatter
- Reporter - Janice Day
- Faith Chairman - Mike Stacy
- Witness Chrmn. - Carolyn Haynes
- Citizenship Cm. - Mary Thompson
- Fellowship Cm. - Carol Hatcher
- Outreach Cm. - Edith Bolt

The president, Kay Ramsey, will give all the officers information on what they are supposed to do.

We closed with the MYF benediction.

grandmother is Mrs. Fadie Bridges of De Leon. Paternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith of Gorman.

Ex-students of the Hankins Normal College, which operated here from 1903 to 1912, will meet here on Sunday, June 1, 1958 at the High School for their homecoming program.

Registration begins at 9 a. m. and the program will continue until 3:40 p. m. with lunch served at noon in the school cafeteria.

Edgar Walker will give the Welcome Address. Rev. J. C. Traweek will bring the Memorial Address. Mr. J. F. Hankins will give the closing address. There will also be short talks by Mrs. J. H. Hankins and Mrs. J. F. Hankins.

The public is cordially invited to join the Hankins Exes in their program for the day.

## WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB CLOSES YEAR

It was with mingled regret and relief that members of the Woman's Study Club assembled last Monday evening in the home of Mrs. A. A. Brown for the final official meeting of the club year 1957-58, where we were greeted by hostess Mrs. W. G. Kirk. The passing of a year always makes one feel a little sad, and this particular group is such a compatible one; the meetings such a pleasure - - the sparkle in our cup of life, thus the feeling of regret. Yet, there was that mingled feeling of relief - - such an active club entails much work on the part of all the members, preparing programs, aiding in civic endeavors, and keeping informed on matters of public interest, so, much like the school pupils, we experience that feeling of relief - - of anticipation of vacation time.

Mrs. Marvin Nix further excited our imagination of vacation time with her program on "The Facination of Our Own State". Speaking from her own traveling experiences in Texas, she portrayed a state of such vastness and beauty and wonder that every one felt a little guilty, perhaps, for ever wishing to see far away places. From the beautiful Davis Mountains, the majesty and peace of such a place, to the excitement of riding in a glass bottom boat on the San Marcos River, then along the Dogwood Trails near Palestine, and on to Texas Indian Reservation - - and so many other beautiful places in Texas. Some of the places had been visited by club members, many had not, but everyone enjoyed the vocal trip around our state, and as some one said "Why go off somewhere else when theres so much to see in Texas!"

My, what a talkative group we were. Roll Call was finally completed, then on to the reports of officers and chairmen. That took quite some time, too. But when president, Mrs. A. A. Brown, asked for a report from Parliamentarian Mrs. Keith Whitt, we were properly squelched, for a minute or two, anyway. In a clever little poem entitled, "Not A Poem", Mrs. Whitt described, with humor, the bedlam we often create during club meeting when all talk at once. In humorous phrases, yes, but, oh, my, how quilty we were.

Then we all experienced that feeling of regret again, for Mrs. Brown began so graciously to thank each one for helping make this a good year, and I suspect everyone of us felt we should have done more. But when an active group has a fine leader such as Mrs. Brown, it isn't difficult to get things done - - and yet, we were just a little surprised as the reports were read of the years work. A group working together can accomplish more than the members even realize.

Since we do not follow a required installation service, it is the privilege of each president to choose the one she wishes with which to install incoming officers. Mrs. Brown wrote her own, a very clever creation of precious stones. Mrs. Roy Byrd, incoming president, was described as a brilliant diamond in the center; around the diamond was the steady light of moonstones, Vice President Mrs. G. C. Acree; then next were opals representing Secretary Mrs. Keith Whitt; rubies were chosen to represent Treasurer Mrs. Melvin Shell; surrounding these were amethysts for Parliamentarian Mrs. Tomm Dunn;

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# Walking Blood Bank To Get Underway Here Friday, May 30th

## Response Good On Specials For Revival Here

Lonnie Capers, chairman of the Open Air Revival to be held at the Rodeo grounds west of Southwestern Peanut Growers' Ass'n., has reported that several have offered to take part in the musical program.

A soloist from Fort Worth will give the special number on Saturday evening, June 21st.

Other numbers will be announced as we hear from those who care to participate.

Date of the revival is June 16 through 21 and June 23 through the 28th. E. M. Hilliard, evangelist, will do the preaching.

## Miss Betty Yancey Exchanges Vows With Edward Stewart

Miss Betty Yancey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Yancey, and Edward Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stewart, exchanged wedding vows Saturday night, May 24 at 8 o'clock in the home of Ralph Stewart, near De Leon.

The bride wore a street-length silk-daaron dress and carried a white orchid atop a white Bible. Billy Paul Stewart, brother of the groom, was best man and Mrs. Eunice Gregory, sister of the bride, was Matron of Honor.

Steve Hillier, minister of the Cheaney Church of Christ, performed the double ring ceremony. Louise Yancey, Lugene Rodgers and Sharon Brown sang "Always" and "Now and For Always" as Tommy Gregory and David Gregory, nephews of the bride, lighter the candles.

The bride will remain with her parents while the groom is stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. where he will be attending school until July.

## MARC LEE RUSSELL ARRIVES MAY 22ND.

Marc Lee Russell arrived at Blackwell Hospital on Thursday, May 22 at 11:05 a. m. weighing 7 pounds and 9 ounces.

Marc is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade T. Russell of Fort Worth. He is a brother to Stephen Lynn Russell.

Mrs. Russell is the former Adele Fairbatter.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbatter and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Whit Russell of Gorman.

sapphires were added then for Reporter Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher; emeralds were the five Committee Chairmen, Program, Mrs. Graydon Baze; Civic, Mrs. A. A. Brown; Nominating, Mrs. M. E. Shell; Finance, Mrs. Marvin Nix; Sunshine, Mrs. Othell Clark, and then surrounding all the color, beauty and brilliance were a field of pearls, the members of the Woman's Study Club. It was a beautiful installation ceremony, and so very descriptive that one could clearly see, in mind, the beauty of such precious stones.

While hostess Mrs. W. G. Kirk served refreshments of sandwiches, olives, cherry pie and assorted drinks, newly installed president Mrs. Byrd listened to ideas on program topics for next years work. And on through the second cup of coffee the visiting went. Our reluctance to bid adieu to this year was evidenced by our staying on and on. Good-night, Effie Mae. Really enjoyed it Elva. (Twangs of next year - - that idea of a group discussion next year would be good, wouldn't it?)

(Editors Note: We appreciate the patience of this club for letting us hold this article over from last due to the amount of school news in the graduation edition.)

At a called meeting at Emerson's Cafe Monday plans were formulated by the Woman's Study Club for the "Walking Blood Bank" campaign. Mrs. Roy Byrd, president, announced today.

Tentative plans for the entire county have been in the planning stage for some time now and the drive will get underway Friday, May 30th.

At the meeting on Monday, a hospital representative explained to the club the critical shortage of prospective blood donors when an emergency arises. It was pointed out also that the donor list now available at all hospitals in this area is quite old and many on the list have either moved or for some other reason are unable to serve as a donor.

When the new donor list is completed in each hospital area, a complete list will be compiled and one list for the entire county will be available to all hospitals.

It was stressed at this meeting that only those persons who are willing to be a "Blood Donor" should the occasion arise, be typed. The key feature of the "Walking Blood Bank" is a now famous pledge, "I'll come when you call."

The plan for compiling this list is simple. These are the instructions for those persons who are willing to give blood when it is needed: The time is Friday, May 30th, preferably between the hours of 3 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. and on Saturday between the hours of 1 and 5 p. m.

The place for this area is Blackwell Hospital. A volunteer from the Woman's Study Club will be on hand to handle the registration and recording of donors blood type.

If the above times are not suitable you may have your blood typed at your convenience. There is no charge for this service if you qualify as a volunteer for the "Walking Blood Bank", and it is stressed that at this time only a few drops of blood are needed in order to "type" your blood. You will receive a membership card, clearly stating your type of blood and should be carried with you at all times.

As a member of the Walking Blood Bank you pledge only to come, if you possibly can, on an emergency call.

Careful records will be kept and all members of a specified blood type will be called in rotation. You cannot be called more often than once in three months. The average will probably be once a year. Each time you give a pint of blood you will get the tingling priceless thrill of knowing that someone LIVES because of your unselfish service.

It is urged that all in the Gorman, Carbon and Desdemona area go as soon as possible and join the Walking Blood Bank.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

### SVGP BARBECUE POSTPONED

The barbecue of the Sabanno Valley Game Preserve Association, originally scheduled for the second Tuesday in June, has been postponed because of the probability that farmers and ranchers will be too busy with their crops and other work at that time.

### BANK HOLIDAYS

The First National Bank will observe Memorial Day, Friday, May 30, as a holiday; and Jefferson Davis birthday, Tuesday, June 2nd.

### CALL MEETING FOR WSCS

There will be a call meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service on Tuesday, June 3 in Fellowship Hall at 9:30 a. m.

## Congregational Methodist Notes

### LET US GO TO CHURCH

Jesus said, "Where your treasure is there will your heart be also." So you are showing where your treasure is by where you spend your time. The Bible says if you love the world the love of the Father is not in you. So if we love the world in this life we will have to take what it has to offer in the end.

Let us return to God and have faith in Him and love the church for which He gave his life.

### MISS RUTH RODGERS HONORED WITH COKE PARTY

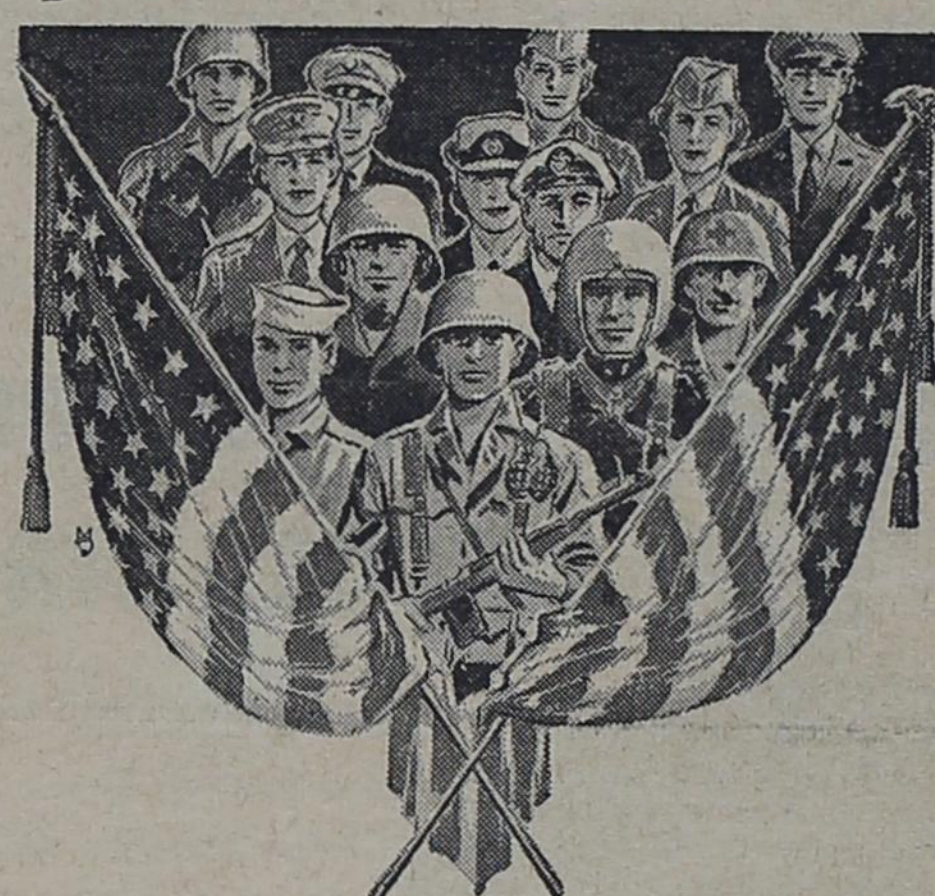
Miss Ruth Rodgers was honored at a Coke Party Friday morning. Mrs. Jack Eison and Mrs. Floyd Eison were hostesses for the party at the home of the latter.

Refreshments of Coke, open-faced sandwiches, dip, chips, nuts and mints were served to Annye Kate Blair, Nanree Turner, Sara Beth Greer, Julia Beth Skaggs, Sandra West, Neoma Anderson, and the honoree, Ruth Rodgers, all members of the graduating senior class.

Other guests included Mrs. Cecil Collins of Roswell, N. M., Kay Eison and Glenda Laminack. The hostess presented Miss Rodgers with a corsage and gift.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fonville and Joy Lee of Crystal Falls visited their parents, the John Fonvilles, on Sunday afternoon.

## MEMORIAL DAY



Memorial Day Services will be held at the Gorman Cemetery at 7 a. m. Friday, May 30th, with Rev. Robert Haynes giving the Memorial Address. If Memorial Day means anything to you, take time to attend this service. A few years ago every family in this town and countryside was affected by the conflict our fathers, sons, husbands and brothers were involved in. Many of these are home with happy families and many others are in graves in many different lands. Some are still in hospitals and will never be well. It is little enough that we can do to honor them on this day.

The program is as follows: Opening Prayer - Raising of Flag - Pledge of Allegiance - Commander's Address - Group Singing - America, 1st verse - Poem, "In Flanders Fields" - Memorial Address - Placing of Wreath - Taps - Closing Prayer.

A Flag is flying at half-mast at the Cemetery and also in front of the Postoffice (Wed., Thurs. & Friday) by order of President Eisenhower on occasion of the return and final interment of two unknown Americans killed in World War II and Korean conflict.



## DON'T GUESS ON SOCIAL SECURITY CLAIMS MATTERS

Residents of Eastland County were urged today by R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager, to get in touch with the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration for information regarding payments under the old-age and survivors insurance program.

Tuley stated that his office encounters numerous instances of applications for benefits who have relied on erroneous or misleading advice received from friends or relatives. As a result they have mistaken ideas about requirements for social security payments and the amount of the payments which they will receive. In several cases, failure to obtain correct information before reaching retirement age has had serious effects on the applicant's plan for retirement, he added.

The Abilene office of the Social Security Administration receives all applications for retirement and survivors payments from residents of 15 counties. In addition the office receives applications in and around Taylor county for disability payments from qualified workers 50 years of age or more and applications to "freeze" the wage records of disabled workers under age 50. As of May 8, in 1958, the Abilene office had forwarded 2513 applications for retirement or survivors payments and 297 applications



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### BLACKWELL HOSPITAL

Dr. and Mrs. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Blair attended graduation exercises at Stephenville High School Tuesday. Elizabeth Ann Brown, niece to Dr. Brown, graduated.

Tommy Glasgow and Arnold Anderson, former students of Gorman Grade School, were among those graduating at Stephenville.

for disability payments. Informational material regarding all phases of the social security insurance program is available and a representative of the office is normally available to meet with groups desiring a speaker.

Tuley suggested that all students who plan to work during the summer vacation, and who have not obtained a social security card, do so immediately. Application blanks for cards can be obtained at the Abilene office or at the post office nearest their homes.

# DESDEMONA NEWS

ETHEL KEITH, Reporter

Mrs. Ruth Rainey Belyeu who had been here a week visiting her parents, the Hubert Rainey, received word here Friday morning that her house in Abilene had burned and she lost most everything she possessed, clothes and all.

Mrs. Stell Joiner and her daughter, Mrs. Bob Miers of Arlington returned home Friday from Odessa after being several days at the bedside of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Arden Parker, who had surgery there last Tuesday. Mrs. Parker is reported doing fine.

Now that school is out our little town seems deserted with our seniors gone to Mexico City on a 10 day trip. Also the two seniors who married just before school closed are moving away: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nicks to Mineral Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sadberry to De Leon.

Mrs. Dess Abernathy, Granny and Eva Northcutt were in Ranger Friday.

Mr. Coleman Wier returned home Friday after spending a week in Fort Worth.

Several of the men around here have had a good case of "Fishing Fever" and some of them reported good catches.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Keith and Vicki of Cisco visited Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Keith.

Mrs. Nina Morris of Gorman was a visitor here Saturday.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the beautiful flowers, cards and many other kindnesses shown us during the death of my sister, Mrs. Alma Tate.

Ila and Clyde Pulley  
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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Abel left Sunday for Mexico where they will visit their children Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abel and Mrs. Helen Walker and children, Oil Center.

Rev. and Mrs. Tommie Irwin and children of Nashville are spending their vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore, and while here will visit other relatives in West Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hall of Abilene visited several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hall.

Mrs. Cora Sparks is a patient in the Millings Hospital at Glen Rose.

Mrs. Bob Pierce of Ira is spending this week at their home here. The Pierces have been employed at Orla but recently moved to Ira.

Mrs. Ethel Keith had as a visitor on Wednesday night of last week a nephew, L. T. Partain, formerly of Dallas, but in the process of moving to Odessa.

The Jr. Moores of Ft Worth and Jack Boyds were here on the weekend with relatives.

Mrs. Ethel Keith attended a golden wedding anniversary at Alexander given in honor of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chaney.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Harrell and daughter, Evelyn of Elreno, Okla., were recent visitors in the Genoway home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Gainesville were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown.

The Daltie Anderson family of Dublin visited Sunday afternoon here with her mother, Mrs. Murrell Fonville and his mother, Mrs. Sallie Huffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Browning and daughter of Crystal City spent Sunday night with Mrs. Iva Buchan and Lillie.

Also in the Buchan home as Sunday visitors were Betty Jo Tompkins and daughter, Sharon of Irving.

Mrs. Dess Abernathy and Mrs. Slaton Northcutt were in Strawn Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Abernathy's aunt, Mahala Driscoll.

The Jessie Banner family of Gustine were visitors Sunday with Granny Northcutt and Eva. Mrs. Evah Williams spent several days in Ft Worth this past week.

Mrs. Wayne Barker and children and Mrs. Fred Watkins spent Friday and Saturday in Ft Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Belyeu spent Sunday in Comanche visiting a brother of Mr. Belyeu.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Koonce of Ft Worth spent the weekend here with his parents, the C. S. Eldridge family.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Foster of De Leon, formerly of Gorman, announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sylvania Ann, to Rev. Ron Harpster, son of Mrs. R. I. Harpster of Wright City, Mo. The prospective bride is a member of the De Leon High School graduating class. The groom-to-be is a graduate of Hannibal-LaGrange Junior College, Hannibal, Mo., and will be a graduate from Howard Payne, Brownwood on May 30th. Date of the wedding is set for 8 p. m. June 6th in the Northside Baptist Church, with the pastor, Huron A. Polnac, Jr., officiating. A reception will be held at the home of the prospective bride's parents. The public is invited to attend.

Sylvania Ann is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Foster of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Locke of De Leon.

## 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

JOHN HART (re-election)

**For County School Supt.**

H. R. (Pop) GARRETT (re-election)

**For District Clerk**

ROY L. LANE (re-election)

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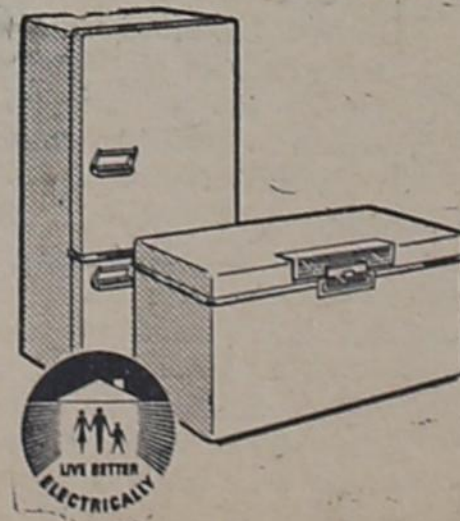
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## OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

FLORENCE RICHARDSON

**Thought for the Week:**  
There is a time to get, a time to give and a time to throw away. There is a time to do a kindly deed and that time is today.

### SCHOOL BUS FOR SALE

A 1950 Ford School Bus, fair condition, 38 passenger, is offered for sale by the Gorman Independent School District. Bids will be opened June 12, 1958.

For Sale or Trade - 25x70 building on Kent St. T. O. Shelley 6-5c

**LOST** — Hampshire hog, weight about 235 lbs. Believed lost between Duster and Eastland on Tuesday. Finder please contact Abb Coan, Phone 3535, De Leon, Texas. 6-5p

**FOR SALE** — My farm, southwest of Gorman. Mrs. Floy Morrison. 5-29fnc

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**WANTED TO BUY** — A small three room house in Gorman or Carbon. Mrs. Ethel Walker, Route 1, Carbon.

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### REAL MONEY SAVERS

**FOR SALE** - small air conditioner, 14" blade, good condition for \$15.00 — good inside doors, 2x6-8 and 2-8x6-8, \$3 each — about 150 sq. ft. oak flooring — 25 used post. 5c each — some barb wire and small amount of chicken wire — 1 used power mower, reel type, real good Briggs-Stratton engine. \$20. — Would like to sell all before Monday night. M. H. Fairbetter, Gorman.

**ELECTRICAL WORK** — I am available to do all types of electrical work. Hubert Craddock, Phone 170W. 2-6fnc

## As It Looks From Here

Omar Burleson, M. C.  
17th. District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D. C. — On EVERY HOLIDAY the city papers carry running reports of traffic accidents with every issue. The radio and television give an account of accidents every hour, starting the evening before a holiday and continuing until midnight at the close of the holiday period.

**MEMORIAL DAY, ON THIS SUNDAY, May 30**, will be no different. Statistics will be accumulated from 5 o'clock on this Thursday, the 29th, until midnight Sunday, the first of June.

**THE GREATEST AUTOMOBILE RACE** in the world will be run in Indianapolis, Indiana, on Memorial Day. It is the 500 mile circular track race. But not all the races will be run in Indianapolis. Some of them will be bumper to bumper on the crowded highways across the nation.

### THE FACT IS, THE RACE GOES

The O. C. Reids visited the Willie Hendersons Tuesday. The Garland Perrys visited the Grover Perrys last Sunday afternoon.

The Oscar Scotts of Odessa were passing through this past week saying hello to friends and visiting the Cemetery here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miears are spending a few days in Houston with their son and family and will attend the graduation exercises of their grandson, Bob Miears.

The Clyde Setzlers visited the Edd Gregorys last Sunday night. The R. H. Watson family were guests in our home Sunday.

Raymond Daniels left Friday for Mexico to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper and family are here visiting the Rawls and Cooper families.

One of the Clack girls is visiting the Gene Pullin, Dick Gowan and Westmoreland families.

While visiting in Stephenville last Wednesday, went by the home of Homer Stephens. His mother who is 92 years old and practically blind, gave me a handmade rug that she had made. It is a gift, not expensive, but a gift that one can cherish and look upon and think of one grand little old lady so energetic to have the will power, even tho her eyes grow dim to keep those hands busy, as she has all through the 92 years of her happy life.

on every day. Especially here in Washington, they are run from about 7:30 to 9:30 in the morning, and from 4:30 to 6:30 in the evening.

**AT PLACES WHERE THERE IS A TRAFFIC LIGHT**, every block you see them jockeying for position at the starting line. The race continues for a block, and

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after the darting out of a traffic lane to a vacant spot at the next intersection the front of the car goes down five inches and the back comes up the same distance. The next start sees the rear end settle down and the front end raise up, and the race is on.

**MOST MEN ARE GENTLEMEN AND MOST WOMEN ARE LADIES** until they feel a steering wheel in their hand, and then some lay common courtesy aside.

**THE FACT REMAINS**, that according to the experts there are fewer accidents today than before World War II. Traffic deaths in 1957 were 1500 below the 40,000 total for 1941.

**MR. KARL M. RICHARDS**, Secretary of the Highway Policy Committee of the Automobile Manufacturers Association, gives some rather revealing facts established by research.

**HE SAYS IT IS NOT TRUE** that traffic fatalities are increasing. He points out we have twice as many vehicles traveling twice as far as we did in 1941, but fewer accidents.

**ACCORDING TO MR. RICHARDS**, there are three principal elements in traffic safety. They are the vehicle, the road and the driver. Unfortunately, the driver has made less progress than the other two.

**THE MAJOR FACTOR** in reducing accidents is safer automobiles. It seems many people have the mistaken idea that increased horsepower means greater speed. According to the engineers, the horsepower has nothing to do with speed, but rather the reserve power needed to handle a car properly. In other words, horsepower and speed are not the same thing at all. The fastest stock cars on the market are built in Europe and have low horsepower.

**IN 1941, 20 PERSONS WERE INJURED** per 100 traffic accidents. Today, injuries are 14 per 100 accidents. Although horsepower has more than doubled in the average automobile since 1941, very little change has taken place in its top speed capacity.

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The GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland County, TEXAS, May 29, 1958

**IT IS ALSO A MISTAKE** to assume that speed and law violations are the cause of most accidents.

**ACTUALLY, ACCORDING TO THE EXPERTS**, the evidence is overwhelming that the vast majority of traffic accidents occur at legal and moderate speeds. A National Safety Council study of 685,000 accidents shows nearly 9 out of 10 happened at speeds below 40 miles per hour. Even in fatal accidents, the Council reports, 4 in 5 drivers involved were obeying legal speed limits. This is certainly not to encourage speed. Rather, it shows the importance of alertness, skillful driving and full attention to the job.

**NUMEROUS OTHER FIGURES** have been developed by the National Safety Council. To mention only one, percentage-wise our safety record is better than it was when the horse and buggy ruled the highway. The record for 1909 shows 30 deaths per 100 million horse travel miles. This is some five times as high as our present motor vehicle fatality rate.

**THIS LAST IS DIFFICULT** to believe, and many of the other conclusions are amazing, but that is what they say.

**THE FACT REMAINS** that everyone is in danger when the nut behind the steering wheel is the biggest one on the car.

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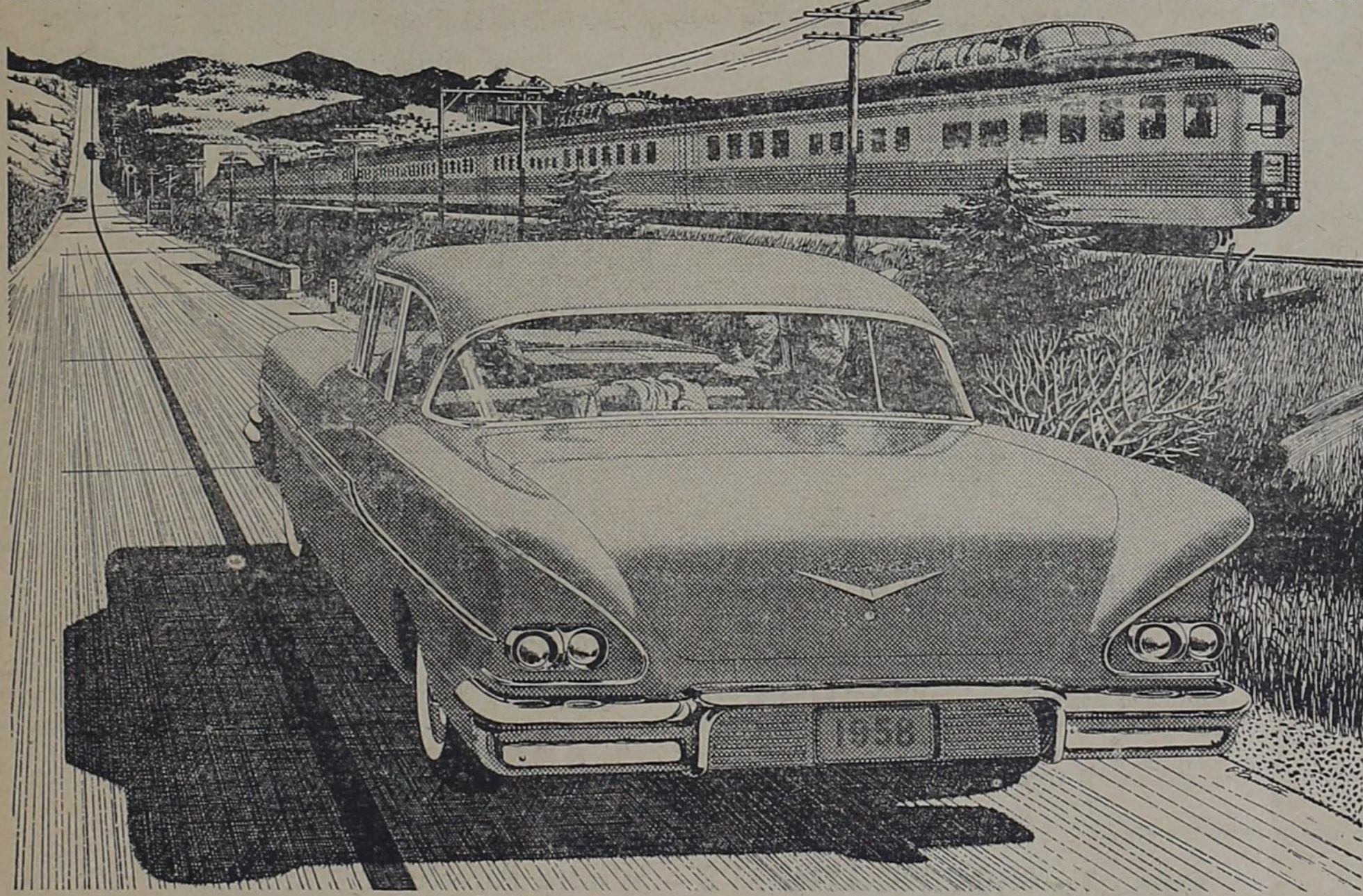
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1 year to 2 years; 2 years to 3 years; 3 years to 4 years; 4 years to 5 years; and 5 years to 6 years.

Judging will be done by out-of-town impartial experts about the First of July.

Prizes will be awarded as soon thereafter as is possible to get them ready.



### Keeping Up With Our Friends

### DUSTER NEWS

LORENE JOHNSON, Reporter

Do not be afraid to accept responsibility. There is always a place, always a welcome, for people who are ready to accept responsibility.

Do not be afraid to stand up for the right, even in the face of a sneer. No man yet ever made his mark who did not have to face ridicule.

Best wishes and happiness goes to Pfc. Edward Stewart of Fort Sill, Okla. and Miss Betty Yancey of Desdemona, who were married Saturday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stewart, with relatives present.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dukes were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Pittman of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Craddock and daughter of Sundown, and

Welcome to the new families that are moving into Gorman. These folk are associated with the construction companies that are widening our farm-to-market roads.

The Derrell Williams of Grandfalls, Texas are visiting relatives and friends in Gorman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter, Mrs. G. W. Porter and Mr. Floyd Porter attended the funeral of Sam Porter at Falls last week. Sam was a brother to G. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker attended the recitals of their grand daughters, Miss Miriam Poynor, a student of Ben G. Karns of Breckenridge, and Miss Carol Kay Hart, a student of Mrs. Luther Roberts of Ft Worth.

Mrs. Shroy Reed and daughter, Sheryl of Azle visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Frasier last week. Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Frasier were school chums.

Mrs. B. E. McClaren was called to the bedside of her brother, O. N. Baker of Crowell last week. He is reported improving.

Weekend visitors in the home of parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fonville, were the daughter, Mrs. Lee Swain and Floyd David, Lavada Redding and children, Gail, Debbie and Stevie, all of Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan were Friday callers in the John Fonville home. Also Saturday afternoon Mrs. E. H. Redwine visited Mrs. Fonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Joiner of Gorman.

Bro. Moody Smith and family were luncheon guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Gray Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abb Coan were Miss Pansy Coan, her friend, Miss Shirley Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Coan all of Ft Worth, Mrs. Vernell Mears of Arlington, and Mrs. Stell Joiner of Desdemona.

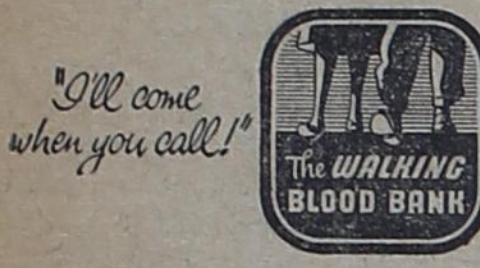
Several from this community attended and enjoyed the annual singing at Round Grove Sunday.

I would like to compliment the wonderful "Teenagers Code for Family Living" in the FHA News in last week's paper. It was not only good food for thought and guide for the teenagers, but also for adults to abide by. Blessing on you, keep up that good code and it will be a better world to live in. Lorene Johnson

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