

# The Gorman Progress

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## Clean-Up Campaign Will Begin Monday

### Durward Warren To Head SWPGA Board



Members of the Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association, holding their annual meet at the Majestic Theatre in Eastland, Wednesday elected Durward B. Warren of Gorman, chairman of their Board of Directors.

Other officers elected are E. A. Walker of De Leon, vice-chairman, H. H. Hudson of Holdenville, Oklahoma, Secretary-Treasurer, and members of the Executive Committee, including Mr. Warren, elected as Barton Scott of Binger, Oklahoma and Milton Archer of Giddings, Texas.

The new head, Warren, is a prominent and successful farmer of this area having had some of the finest yields yet produced in peanuts and melons.

### About Alaska - Our 49th State

Topping our four dozen and changing the Union from even to odd, Alaska joins the United States after some eighty years as territory.

The United States came into possession of the Alaskan territory in 1867 when Secretary of State William H. Seward bought the area, 590,884 square miles for 7,200,000 dollars. To many people of the State the purchase seemed utter foolishness and the peninsula came to be called Seward's Folly. Seward, however, lived to proclaim its worth and to regard it as the greatest service of his life.

Gold found in the late 1870's has yielded more than fifty times the purchase price and copper revenue has been above the gold figure. The new state yields other minerals. Fur seals have yielded millions and fishing is a thriving industry. Giant spruce trees furnish lumber for shipbuilding and trees of lesser stature are used for pulp.

The summers in Alaska are short but the days are long. Many hours of sunshine make for fast growth. Vegetables produced include beans, cabbages, celery, cantaloupes, prize winning blue berries and strawberries said to be the finest on the West Coast.

Capital of Alaska is Juneau, a city in the southern most part, Most northern place of note is Point Barrow. Near the Point is monument to the late flier Wiley Post and humorist Will Rogers.

The international date line drops back from 180 meridian to curve around the Aleutian Islands and back again across the 180th to the east, going through Bering Strait to separate Alaska from Russia's Siberia.

People of Alaska are Eskimos, Indians, Aleutians, immigrants from the United States and other countries, and descendants of older of former immigrants.

No doubt many free lance writers are planning a joint to the north land to record for posterity the tall tales, maybe taller than Texas, of adventure in this state that has known the thrill and perils of a gold rush, of great snows, high mountains and glaciers. The demand will soon arise for a toll-four-lane Alcan.

Alaska could well be our most strategic military base.

### AN AFTER THOUGHT

Methodist women throughout the United States will be studying about Alaska this fall. There will be a four session study which will be free to all who care to attend.

Daughters of Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Billie Lou Wright of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Juanita Smith of Pilot Point, with their families have been visiting in her home.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

#### BASEBALL GAMES SET UP

Hospital Little Leaguers will take on an out of town team on Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Frossard-Peanut Co. Peanuters will play Ballews Boys of Stephenville Saturday night at 8.

#### SINGING AT SAND HILL

The District Quartet Singing Convention will meet at Sand Hill Church Friday night, July 11th. Come and bring someone with you.

#### GAME PRESERVE BARBECUE

The 5th. Semi-Annual Barbecue of the Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association will be held at the Center Point Community House, 5 miles South of Carbon at 7 p. m. on Tuesday, July 22. There will be entertainment, music, candidate speaking, etc.

#### METHODIST PICNIC - JULY 16

The Methodist Church-wide Picnic, sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service, will be held at Frank Gray Park on Wednesday, July 16. Eating time is 7 o'clock. Everyone bring food, dishes and silver.

#### FESTIVAL ASS'N. MEETING

The Peanut Festival Association will meet on Friday night on the Brown Jug Patio.

### Hospital Report

201 - Mrs. Opal Payne, Carbon  
202 - Mrs. J. J. Holland, De Leon  
203 - Mrs. M. L. Underwood, Rising Star  
204 - Mrs. W. W. Wright, Cm'che  
205 - Jimmy Nelson, Carbon  
301 - Mrs. Claud Hammett, R Star  
401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon (No Visitors)

402 - Mrs. A. L. McDonald, Gustine

403 - Jim Johnson, Gorman (No Visitors)

404 - L. E. McNutt, Comanche

405 - C. H. Williams, Desdemona

406 - Charley Taylor, Gorman

407 - Mrs. Jean Coleman, Eastland

408 - Mrs. John Burleson, Corsicana

410 - R. L. Macon, De Leon

411 - Noel Weaver, De Leon

412 - Darrell Frasier, Gorman

414 - Mrs. J. T. Hodnett, Jr., Rising Star

415 - Ray Thompson, Gorman

417 - Jackie, Shelia, Donna Boyd, Ft Worth

418 - Mrs. Albert Hendricks, Gorman

419 - L. G. Crawford, Rising Star

Mr. R. L. Thomason has returned to his home.

### Births At Blackwell

Jim Randall Fleming was born July 3rd at Blackwell Hospital. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J.

### Kokomo To Host County Singing Convention July 13

The Kokomo Community will host the Eastland County Singing Convention Sunday, July 13th.

County folks and former Eastland Countians will want to be on hand for the big day.

Local singers and visiting groups will bring the best in singing and directing.

Pete Tyrone urges folks to come early with a basket lunch. Eating begins at 12:30 sharp.

### Hospital Takes Peanuters 8-6

The Hospital Little Leaguers took the Frossard-Peanut Co. Peanuters Tuesday 8 to 6. But the win was not too easy.

Getting off to a 3 to 0 lead, the Hospital boys let down their guard giving the Peanuters the chance they sought, to set the score 5 to 3.

The Hospital team got on the beam and made the hurdle for five additional scores, while the Peanuters netted only one more.

Sorry we do not have the names of the fellows who made the scores and did the fielding.

### New Gulf Station Operator Invites Folks To Come In

Howard Hagood, hometowner and operator of the new Gulf Service Station, invites folks to come in and see one of the brightest spots in Gorman.

Customers and onlookers note that Hagood, his partner, C. H. Robertson, and employee, Jerry (Butch) Anderson, are making their place just what the name reads, Service Station.

Hagood said he was ready to honor Gulf credit cards and that he has learned quite a number of Gormanites prefer Gulf.

Visitors will find double grease racks for quick service, with a complete line of Gulf products, including tires.

The men are justly proud of their beautiful building with metal office furniture and the nicely equipped rest rooms.

Howard is a 1955 Gorman High graduate and his wife, Patricia is a 1956 graduate. Their son, one year old, answers to the name, Bill.

Mr. Robertson retains his position with the Kirk Field Operating Committee.

Formal opening will be announced in this paper at a later date.

### Jerry Clark Will Teach In Abilene

Jerry Clark has accepted a teaching position in Abilene. He will work with retarded children.

Jerry spent the weekend with his family. He is presently taking special courses for this work at the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clement of Waco visited with the Stanley Porters and the Arland Clements last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Porter will join the Dwayne Clements for a vacation trip next week.

F. Fleming of Cisco, Jim Randall weighed in at 8 pounds and 11 ounces.

Vernon Gayle Davis was born to Mr. and Mrs. John G. Davis of De Leon on July 2nd at Blackwell. He weighed 8 pounds and 3 ounces at birth.

Rebecca Lou Rainey born to Mr. and Mrs. T. Z. Rainey of Comanche on July 7th at Blackwell Hospital weighed 8 pounds and 8 ounces at birth.

### Benny Hagan Will Conduct Midway Baptist Meeting

Brother Benny Hagan, pastor of the Corinth Baptist Church, will conduct revival services at the Midway Baptist Church Friday, July 11th through Sunday, July 20th.

Floyd Connor, pastor of Robinson Springs Baptist Church, will have charge of the singing.

Prayer services will be held from 7:30 to 8 p. m. Song services will begin at 8 p. m. with preaching at 8:30 p. m.

Everyone is invited to attend. Midway pastor is Creath Davis of Comanche.

### Rock Bluff Baptist Begin Revival

Rock Bluff Baptist Church begins its annual summer revival Friday night, July 18th.

Brother Clarence (Dick) Clement will hold two services daily. Morning services at 10 o'clock and evening services at 8 o'clock.

The membership extends a cordial invitation to the public.

### Graveside Service Held Here July 4th For Mrs. Percy

Graveside services were held at the Gorman Cemetery Friday, July 4th for Mrs. Emma Warren Percy, who had passed away in Levelland July 2nd. Mrs. Percy had lived in Sundown for the past ten years with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Belyeu. Mrs. Percy was also mother to Mrs. Luther Cunningham of Gorman.

The deceased was 83 years of age. She was born March 14, 1875 in Pittsburgh, Mississippi.

Direct descendants and survivors of Mrs. Percy number seventy-eight. There are six sons: Jay Warren Percy of Sacramento, Calif., Luther J. Percy of Levelland, Gilford Percy of Sundown, Hollis Percy of Sundown, Harley Percy of Snyder, and Thomas Odell Percy of Franklin City.

Five daughters include the two above mentioned and Mrs. A. H. Pritchard of Lubbock, Mrs. Gladys Sparger of Monument, N. M., and Mrs. Carl Cunningham of Lubbock.

There are 29 grandchildren, 36 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren.

A brother, C. S. Carter of Fort Worth, also survives.

Rev. Don Turner conducted the Gorman services. Earlier services had been held July 3rd in Sundown.

Pallbearers were grandsons: Glen Percy, Don Percy, Rodgers Percy, Jack Percy, Neal Percy, and Jan Percy.

### MRS. MURDOCK IMPROVES

Mrs. John Murdock is recovering satisfactorily from a stroke she suffered sometime past.

Friends may call or write to her % of Mrs. J. T. Morris, Route 1, De Leon, Texas.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Murdock in the home of Mrs. Buster Foster were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Robbins and Wesley Kay of Aspermont, R. G. Murdock and family of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hart of Sundown, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Murdock and Clyde of Wink, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Joiner of Jal, N. M. are spending their vacation with his parents, the T. D. Joiners. They have also visited with relatives in West Columbia and Houston.

### Fonville Funeral Services Held At Howard Cemetery

Funeral services for William Ellis Fonville were held at the Howard Cemetery Thursday, July 3rd at three-thirty o'clock.

Mr. Fonville, a farmer and stockman, had passed away Tuesday, July 2nd in the Blackwell Hospital.

Born November 4, 1895, the deceased had lived in Eastland County since birth. He was married to Miss Rosie Lee Turner June 29, 1919. His home was on Route 2, Desdemona and he was affiliated with the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his widow, a son, Chester Fonville, four grandchildren, five brothers and 1 sister.

There are also a number of nieces and nephews.

Rev. Buell Bryan officiated at the service.

Pallbearers were S. J. Fonville, Paul Fonville, Earl Fonville, Doyle Hughes, B. F. Fonville, Jr., and T. L. Fonville.

### Typing Blood May Save A Life

The Blackwell Hospital has offered a life-line to the people of Gorman free. The staff knows how frequently blood transfusions are needed. But they also wish to anticipate any possible disaster need.

Blood is not solicited at this time for the bank. It is the types of each potential giver which is needed to build the "Walking Blood Bank".

Women from the ages twenty-one to fifty are asked to stop in at the hospital and have their blood typed. Men from 18 to 55 years will be typed.

The type could save your own life, in case you were critically ill and needed a transfusion, the attendants would know at once where the blood with your type could be obtained.

### BURDETTE BROTHERS VISIT HERE SUNDAY

Visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burdette, during the weekend holiday were Lt. Col. M. R. Burdette of the United States Armed Forces and recently returned from a 3 1/2 year assignment in Germany, and Bennie Burdette, presently of Dallas, and Mrs. L. E. Moorman of Argyle.

Colonel Burdette will be visiting members of his family between assignments.

Bennie Burdette finished Arlington State with high honors and was immediately employed by the International Business Machine Company. The company will send him to school for training at San Jose State, California.

### M. Y. F. NEWS Janice Day, Reporter

MYF began by the group singing "Just As I Am". Carolyn Haynes played the piano and Norman Jones led. After the song Norman led the prayer.

Carol Hatcher had the lesson and Dwight Bennett, Edith Bolt, and Terry Shell had parts. The lesson was about "Why We Marry."

The marriage of Boaz, the marriage of Bathsheba, the Story of Moses and Zephaniah were the stories given as examples.

There was no business but everyone said that they enjoyed the party very much.

We closed with the MYF benediction.

Mrs. C. J. Thompson, with her sister and niece, Mrs. Wilbur Williams and Susie Williams, visited with Dr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Brogdon and children, meeting her new grandchild, Stephen,

The City of Gorman has scheduled a Clean-Up Campaign.

Mayor T. L. Jay proclaims Monday, July 14th. through Friday, July 18th. as CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN WEEK.

This campaign has a double purpose - to rid our premises of the fire hazards, grass and weeds and to forestall the breeding of flies and mosquitoes.

Twenty-one Gorman Volunteer Firemen, through their Chief J. O. Thompson, urge citizens to make adequate preparation before attempting to burn even the smallest mass of growth.

Chief Thompson stated that fires get out of control 90% of the time because people do not realize how quickly flames can leap and how fast they can spread.

Fire creates a vacuum and starts a current of air.

### Jaycees To Sponsor "Get Out The Vote" Campaign Here

The Gorman Jaycees will sponsor a "Get Out The Vote" Campaign.

Members plan to arrange transportation to and from the polls.

Joe Collins, Jaycee's president, stated that further information will be given in the July 17th edition of the Progress.

### Friends To Miss Late Mrs. Porter

Friends and fellow class members at the Baptist Church will be missing the late Mrs. Ella Porter, whose funeral services Baptist Church have for a number were held last week.

The Faith Class of the First of years celebrated Mrs. Porter's birthday, January 18th, with a party. Being a semi-invalid and then an invalid over a period of possibly twenty years, Mrs. Porter was rarely present for church services, but she sent her tithe in regularly and she also kept a penny fund for missionary work.

On one of the few occasions which she was able to attend church, Rev. Jesse Phillips, an evangelist was preaching. He stepped from the pulpit to be near her and said, "Mrs. Porter when you see Jesus, tell him I am doing the best I can down here."

Mrs. Porter always enjoyed the visits of her grandson, Frank Carter of New York City, and son of Mrs. Helen Claxton. She was proud of the success he had made in the newspaper business.

Life was never easy for Mrs. Porter. In early days she had

The Fire Department cannot burn off lots or plots of weeds, but they offer suggestions for the person who intends to burn grass or weeds:

1. Have ample hose, using full force of water in nozzle.

2. Wet down thoroughly the outer edges of grass section to be burned.

3. Fill one or more emergency tubs with water.

4. Have at least two buckets ready just in case.

5. Stand a mop or old broom close by.

6. Now be sure there is no wind.

7. Prepare to stay with your fire until you have killed the last spark.

8. You are now ready to control your fire with the use of your hose nozzle spray.

The City Commission and Manager Ben R. Townley ask the cooperation of residents during or before Clean-Up Week begins in order that the rubbish may be picked up by city trucks which are being made available for the five days.

Recently County Agent J. M. Cooper spoke of the immediate danger to homes due to the vast amount of grass and weed tonnage produced by the spring rains which were so beneficial.

At this writing Wednesday two grass fire calls have been made this week.

Gorman has held the fire damage to a low figure, which gives the town the best rate of insurance affected by fire losses.

One last word, "Use utmost care in the daily burning of trash."

### LOCAL FAMILIES ATTEND SHELLERS CONVENTION

A number of local families connected with the peanut industry attended the Shellers Convention held recently at Lake Texoma.

Boating and swimming at the popular summer resort were enjoyed by the group attending, which included: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shell, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Durward Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whit, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Preston, with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green, John Kimble and Edna Joyce Watson. Edna Joyce was a guest of the Shell family.

### RAINSTORM RUSHES PICNICKERS FROM PARK

Sunday's rainstorm at noon rushed members of the Broom family from Frank Gray Park.

The group had gathered for their annual family reunions.

worked in the homes of many Gorman folks, most of whom she counted among her friends.

Patience was among her many virtues.

### DUSTER ROAD CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES PROGRESS



Progress on construction of the Gorman-Duster road continues. Crushed rock has been spread from Duster to the Sabanna River crossing south of Gorman.

The new bridge under construction as shown above will cross west of the old bridge. A new style bridge is replacing the rotting bridge timbers, as the old landmark falls away.

It is rumored that the man in the picture, a city slicker, H. D. Knight, of Dallas, (a friend of Kernel Gene), was attempting to sell the bridge to any sucker.

With good weather rock spreading should start on the Gorman stretch soon.

early this week. They were overnight visitors of Mrs. George Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Westmoreland are visiting relatives in Gorman while on their vacation. He is with El Paso Natural Gas Co.

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## DESDEMONA NEWS

ETHEL KEITH, Reporter

Miss Loveda Carr of Midland was here for the holiday weekend. A sister, Linda, who had been visiting for 2 weeks, came home and her mother, Mrs. C. Carr, left with her on Sunday for a visit with Loveda and another daughter, Mrs. LaRue Campbell, and family of Odessa.

Mr. Clayton Williams who was released from the Blackwell Hospital on Monday of last week, reentered the hospital again on Friday, July 4th. He is quite improv-

ed and expected to be released again some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wittie of Kermit spent the weekend here enroute home from a vacation trip through Colorado and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Redwine of Ft Worth spent the holiday weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jacobs, and his parents, the Redwines.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grisham of Abilene spent the past weekend here with her parents, the Bennie Belyeus.

Mrs. Bill Norris of Dublin spent the past weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ida Wilhite.

Jimmy Bryan of Odessa spent Wednesday night here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Buell Bryan and his mother accompanied his to Odessa Thursday where she will assist Jimmy in moving to a new location.

Mrs. Evah Williams and her daughter, Mrs. Merlene Wisdom, and children of Ft Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barker and children attended the Woods reunion in Lamesa the past weekend. 58 were present on the 4th of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart and daughter, Sandra Lynn, are here on vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wilcoxson.

Lt. and Mrs. Carson Loving arrived here from Washington late last week. Lt. Loving is being transferred to California. Mrs. Loving is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Henslee.

The Richard Krapf of Ft Worth were here for the weekend.

Visitors in the H. C. Abernathy home for the weekend were a niece, Mrs. J. B. Hamilton, and children of Morgan and a nephew Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Fuqua and children of Lueders.

Mrs. Effie Rouse had three of her four sisters with her from Wednesday of last week till Monday of this week. They are Mrs. Nettie Overby of Jacksonville, Mrs. Ella Curtis of Goldthwaite and Mrs. Minnie McNeely of Hamlin. The other sister who lives in California was unable to come.

The new operators of the "Cof-

## DUSTER NEWS

LORENA JOHNSON, Reporter

Every day should be a day of harvesting lost souls into God's fold. But this is revival season and the field is white unto harvest and the labors are few. If we are Christians, are we at our post of duty, harvesting; If not in God's fold, accept the heavenly Father's offer.

All three churches had regular attendance Sunday. Bethel Baptist revival will begin on Friday night, July 18th. Rev. Lee Fields will be the evangelist. You have a special invitation.

Rainfall here Saturday and Sunday was 1 inch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nowlin and children of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pounds and other relatives.

fee Cup" Cafe here are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hood. They cordially invite everyone in to visit and see what they offer. Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Belyeu were the former operators.

Every face you see now is a smiling face. Why? Because of the nice 2 inch rain that fell here on Saturday and Sunday with promise of more at this writing (Monday).

The J. P. Quinn family of Goldsmith are here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Quinn, and also with Mrs. Geo. Whitlock and family.

Charles Williams and family of Wichita Falls, Leo Williams and family of Midland and W. T. Yardley of Odessa visited with their father, C. H. Williams, and other relatives here the past weekend.

Mrs. Maggie Pool spent a few days last week in Eastland with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pool.

Mrs. Neita Lee of Ranger spent Monday visiting friends here and spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jacobs.

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Mrs. Rema Flower of San Marcos is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fulon Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gott and son of Lubbock spent the 4th with Mr. and Mrs. Seal Smith and her mother, Mrs. Cadenhead.

Bro. and Mrs. Moody Smith and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Whitehurst and daughter were luncheon guests with Mr. and Mrs. Audie Whitehurst and girls Sunday.

### CAMPING THIS WEEK

Glen Lake Camping continues through the summer months. Several Gorman youth and Juniors have spent a week during the month of June.

This week Annye Kate Blair and Janie Thompson are again serving as counsellors at the Methodist Camp. Sara Beth Greer is also a counsellor this week.

Beth Rhymes and Sylvia Hendricks are attending as campers

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ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash in process of collection	675,212.30
U. S. Gov't. Obligations, direct and guaranteed	369,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	10,057.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including 4,559.97 overdrafts)	800,524.16
Bank premises owned 1.00, furniture and fixtures 3,406.22	3,407.22
Real estate owned other than bank premises	10,365.19
Other Assets	189.41
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>1,871,755.81</b>

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	1,556,717.81
Deposits of U. S. Gov't. (inc. postal savings)	17,791.14
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	132,757.30
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>1,707,266.25</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>1,707,266.25</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par 50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	64,489.03
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>164,489.03</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>1,871,755.28</b>

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	146,000.00
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	1,530.77
Total amount of loans, certificates interest and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the U. S. Gov't. (other than U. S. Gov't. obligations, direct and guaranteed)	132,750.00

I, TOM DUNN, Vice President of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

TOM DUNN, Vice President

Correct-Attest: John S. Kimble J. B. Brandon D. V. Rodgers

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NOTICE-OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S NOTICE STATE OF TEXAS

vs. No. 6271, the Heirs of N. E. Dabney and P. J. Dabney in the County Court of Eastland County, Texas, A. D. 1958.

On this the 17th day of June A. D. 1958, Edward F. Harrison, L. E. Clark, and H. H. Williams, Special Commissioners, appointed by the Court to assess damages of Heirs of N. E. Dabney and P. J. Dabney by reason of the construction, reconstruction, and opening of F. M. Highway No. 2214, upon, across, and through certain real estate described in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made, to which real estate the fee simple title is in the said Heirs of N. E. Dabney and P. J. Dabney as is more fully set out in said petition of the State of Texas, acting by and through the Commissioners' Court of Eastland County, Texas, vs. The Heirs of N. E. Dabney and P. J. Dabney filed with the Honorable County Judge of Eastland County, Texas, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1958, said Commissioners having been sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially, and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for hearing said parties on the matter, the Office of the County Judge of Eastland County, Texas, at Eastland, Texas, in said County on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1958; a copy of this order shall be served upon the Heirs of N. E. Dabney and P. J. Dabney, named as follows, to-wit: Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Ben Finley, Mrs. S. W. White, C. B. Jones, Mrs. Ida M. Dabney, Mrs. Alice Ferrell, Mrs. Kate Marsalis, Mrs. Nell Shumate, Jack Woodley, Mrs. S. M. Sturm, E. Fred Dabney, Elbert Dabney, Mrs. Dick Jones, Mrs. Paul Moon, Mrs. Neosha Warren, Plennid Kivett, Mrs. Johnnie Milam, Mrs. Nell Connolly, Liston Dabney, Joe Dabney, Mrs. Lucile Greenwaldt, Jack Dabney, Lee Dabney, Jr., P. J. Dabney, Mrs. Bob Revels; said defendants to be cited by publication in accordance with law (and each of them respectively,) and service thereof shall be notice to said Defendants and each of them, to appear at said time and place at Ten o'clock, A. M., at the Court House for the purpose of offering any evidence they may desire as to the amount of damages to be assessed against the State of Texas, and to be paid to the said heirs of N. E. Dabney and P. J. Dabney (and each of them respectively) for the right-of-way and strip of land described in said Plaintiff's original petition filed with the County Judge of Eastland County, Texas.

WITNESS OUR HANDS this

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Nice showers fell here over the weekend. Much more rain is needed.

Visiting in our home Saturday night were the W. A. Stewarts, the Willard Halesys, Mrs. Pat Lowe and son of Sundown, and Mrs. Jokey Shaw of Ft Stockton.

We spent the 4th at Lake Leon watching the Ski and Boat races. Mrs. J. N. Watson is visiting her son and family, the R. H. Watsons.

The Chesley Atchisons of Fort Worth spent the holiday here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lindley spent part of last week in Goldthwaite visiting and fishing. No report on the catch.

Mrs. Buell Bryan and Linda are visiting her son and sister in Odessa and Crane.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown to us during the illness and death of our dear mother. We want to thank our many friends for the beautiful floral offerings, also for the use of their cars. We especially thank Rev. Don Turner and Dr. Wm. M. Brogdon. Also the Higginbotham Funeral Home.

May God's blessings be with each and everyone of you.  
Mrs. Helen Claxton and family

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coan and baby of Ft. Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abb Coan.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ross of Odessa visited relatives here this week.

the 17th. day of June, A. D. 1958.  
L. E. Clark  
H. H. Williams  
Edward F. Harrison  
Special Commissioners  
7-10c

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends who have been so thoughtful during the illness of our mother, Mrs. S. A. Murdock.

Thank you for the cards, flowers, visits and for the good food that you brought.

Especially do we thank Rev. Vernon Roberson of the St. Joe Baptist Church for his faithful visits and the ladies of the W.

ATTEND REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shell and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shell with their children attended the Shell-Flanagan reunion Sunday at Lake Cisco.

There were forty-eight members of the families present.

M. U. for the nice sunshine box. All of this helped so much. May the Lord bless you.  
Mrs. Buck Foster  
Mrs. J. T. Morris

LOCAL WOMAN ATTENDS TWU WORKSHOP

DENTON - Mrs. Nell Newport Rainey, Gorman, is attending the workshop on the Kiene Method of Family Food Preparation at Texas Woman's University this week.

The workshop, directed by Mrs. Kiene, emphasizes speedy preparation of nutritious family meals. Mrs. Rainey teaches homemaking in Gorman High School.

You Can't Argue With FACTS

It Doesn't Take Two Columns Of Type To Tell This Story YOUR DOLLARS TALK!



When I took office as County Judge, our county had in cash

On January 1, 1958 ..... \$240,675.00  
..... \$336,684.21

This is a FACT — NOT A PROMISE!  
It Is Your Money!

When I took office our county owned —\$708,190.00  
On January 1, 1958, it owed ..... \$270,336.60

Almost HALF A MILLION PAID is a HARD CASH FACT! NOT A Promise  
It Is Your Money!

When I took office we owed on the Court House ..... \$150,000.00

We have paid and have money to pay all but ..... \$10,000.00

\$140,000 is a HARD CASH FACT!

NOT A PROMISE! It Is Your Money.

DON'T TAKE A CHANCE! VOTE FOR PERFORMANCE!

Re-Elect JOHN HART Your COUNTY JUDGE

On His Record

The Men's Shop

SEMI ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE STARTS TOMORROW

Substantial reductions on MEN'S SUMMER and YEAR 'ROUND APPAREL from our regular stock of famous labels. Save on your summer and vacation needs now!

MEN'S SUITS			
Group I			
Reg.	Now	Reg.	Now
35.00	27.95	53.50	42.95
39.75	31.95	55.00	43.95
45.00	35.95	57.50	45.95
47.50	37.95	65.00	51.95
50.00	39.95	69.50	55.95
Group II			
35.00	23.95	55.00	36.95
39.75	26.95	60.00	39.95
45.00	29.95	65.00	43.95
50.00	33.95	67.50	44.95
one special group values to 65.00 now 1-2 price		extra special group values to 65.00 now 19.95	

MEN'S SPORTSHIRTS		
Reg.	Now	Extra special one group Sportshirts Values to \$5.00
4.00	3.20	
5.00	4.00	
5.95	4.75	
6.95	5.55	Now 2.79
7.95	6.35	2 for \$5.00

MEN'S WHITE DRESS SHIRTS	
Value Packed	
\$2.99	BOX of 4 \$11.50
Reg. \$5.00 shirt	\$3.99 BOX of 3 \$11.50

SWIMSUITS  
Smart selection for MEN and BOYS  
1-4 OFF

Men's Summer and Year 'Round Shoes  
NUNN-BUSH and CROSBY SQUARE  
All sizes but not all styles and colors  
Were \$12.95 to \$23.95  
Now Only \$9.90 to \$19.90

Young men's and boys wear 1-4 off  
We have a complete department of nationally advertised apparel for the man growing up.

Special group DRIP DRY IVY LEAGUE slacks Reg. \$4.98 & \$4.50 now \$2.98

LADIES BLOUSES & SPORTSWEAR  
1-4 off

One group of matching Blouse & Shorts  
Now 1-2 price (at THE GLOBE in RANGER)

MEN'S SPORTCOATS			
25.00	19.95	35.00	27.95
27.50	21.95	37.50	29.95
29.95	23.95	39.75	31.95
32.50	26.95	42.50	33.95

LARGE SELECTION OF SLACKS			
8.95	7.45	14.95	12.85
9.95	8.85	17.95	15.45
10.95	9.45	18.95	15.85
11.95	9.85	19.95	16.45
12.95	10.45	22.50	18.85
Entire stock of famous name Straw hats			
3.95	2.65	5.95	4.00
5.00	3.35	7.95	5.35

THE MEN'S SHOP  
EASTLAND, TEXAS  
West Side of Square

THE GLOBE CLOTHIERS  
RANGER, TEXAS

YOUR CHARGE ACCONUT INVITED  
No refunds or exchanges please!

Statement of Condition



June 23, 1958

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$ 657,774.16
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	3,407.22
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	3,000.00
Other Real Estate	10,365.19
Public Obligations, SBA Loans and U. S. Bonds Redeemed	152,996.41
U. S. Government Bonds Owned	369,000.00
Cash	675,212.30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,871,755.28</b>

LIABILITIES

Capitol Stock	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	64,489.03
Deposits	1,707,266.25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,871,755.28</b>

OFFICERS

W. G. Kirk, President  
Tom Dunn, Vice-President  
Edward F. Harrison, Vice-President  
Anna Louise Spence, Cashier  
Dorothy Sparks, Assistant Cashier

DIRECTORS

Mrs. G. T. Blackwell  
Edward F. Harrison  
Dr. D. V. Rodgers  
W. G. Kirk  
Dr. J. B. Brandon  
John S. Kimble

### Keeping Up With Our Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fairbetter and Milton, Jr. returned from Warren, Michigan on July 3rd after having spent the month of June visiting with the John Fairbetter in Snyder, Oklahoma and W. A. Trammell in Warren. Mr. Trammell, engineer for the Alcoa Company, is a brother to Mrs. Fairbetter.

Holiday visitors in the Fairbetter home were Mr. and Mrs. Wade Russell, Stephen Lynn and Marc Lee, Manning L. Trammell and Mrs. V. L. Regan, all of Ft Worth and Mrs. Robert Chapman and

Suzie Chapman of Breckenridge. The Wade Russells also visited the Whit Russells.

Mrs. Fanny Burkett visited this week with her sisters, Miss Della Pullig and Mrs. Loma Mc Knight, in Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Othell Clark, Carolyn and Bill, visited in Mart last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cook. Mrs. Cook is the former Miss Virgie Shaw, who for a number of years taught Home Economics in Gorman High.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy C. Pittman and family of Farmington, N. M. visited with Mrs. Lonnie Hampton and other relatives during the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Collins of Waco visited with the Joe Collins Sunday. They also visited with the Henry Collins in Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ferguson and Mr. O. H. Tresner of Fayetteville, Ark. visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Redwine last weekend. Mrs. Ferguson and Mr. Tresner are sis-

ter and brother to Mrs. Redwine, whom they had not seen for 5 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Baggett and Randy of Breckenridge are on vacation now and are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Gosden and Sherrell of Ft Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jacobs. Sherrell plans to stay this next week with the Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ables received a letter from their son and wife in Compton, Calif. saying he would soon be out of the Navy and would soon be back to Texas where they plan to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Redwine and Sherry spent the weekend here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jacobs.

Mrs. C. G. Redwine of Lovington, N. M. came by the Redwines for a short visit Saturday. She was enroute to Ft Worth taking her mother, Mrs. West, home

following a visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nabers and daughter of Ft Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hogan, over the weekend.

Those visiting Mrs. Ethel Walker and Emma Jean over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and little Rockie Charles of Ft Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Walker and Rocky Eugene of Seymour, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gilbert and daughter Creida of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roberts of Haskell and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abbe of North Little Rock Air Base, visited for the weekend with Mrs. Abbe's parents, the Norman Woodalls. They visited the Progress Office Saturday afternoon to have their grandson's picture made.

Mrs. Marvin Lewis and granddaughter, Toni Lawrence, visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis in Ft Worth last week. Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, Rex and Sue were in Gorman for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Parker of Colorado visited with the Jesse Parkers last weekend.

Vicki Frossard is visiting with Mrs. Bob Moseley in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ormsby visited with Sgt. and Mrs. Elmer Stacy last Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Walker has purchased the Ellis Hilliard home on North Kent.

Mike Webb of Phillips visited with his aunt, Mrs. Rob Kinser, and Mr. Kinser during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Knight of Dallas visited with the Gene Bakers last week.

Holiday visitors of the Bakers were the Carter Harts of Fort Worth. Carol Hart has remained for an extended visit and she has been joined by her cousin, Miriam

Poynor, of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nix of Denton visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nix during the past weekend.

Miss Don Moorman of Ft Worth spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dona Moorman.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Reid attended a family reunion in De Leon Sunday.

Mrs. Maudie Griffin is spending the week with her father while visiting in West Texas.

Randy and Lee Stone of Fort Worth have returned to their home after a two-weeks visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pullig and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stone.

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Jackson on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duncan of De Leon.

### WANT ADS MARKET-PLACE OF MILLIONS..

● **DEAD ANIMAL SERVICE** — Hamilton Rendering Co. — Free and Sure — Call Collect Phone 303, Hamilton, Texas. **fn**

MATRESSES REBUILT — Have your old mattress made like a new beautiful innerepring mattress. Prices are reasonable, work guaranteed. Lupton Furniture Store of Gorman representing Summers & Son Mattress Co. of Stephenville, Texas.

NOTICE — We do first class renovating on mattresses. We make new cotton and innerepring mattresses. Pri-chard Mattress Factory, Phone 4541, De Leon. Free Pick-up & Delivery. **p**

For Butane & Propane Systems, Tractor changeovers, Phone collect 3371, De Leon, THOMAS BUTANE CO. or A. C. NELSON, Ph. 42-D, Carbon (collect) **fn**

### ATTENTION Voters of 76th. District

My name will be printed Second name on the ballot as State Representative.

I will appreciate your vote and support **C. H. DAWSON**  
(Pd. Pol. Adv.) 7-24p

**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)
- RICHARD C. COX**
- For County Clerk**  
**JOHNSON SMITH**  
**ARLTON E. SMITH**

**FOR SALE** - Modern 2 and 3 bed room homes in Carbon, Gorman, Olden, Eastland and De Leon. Henry Collins, Ph. 241 Gorman.

**FOR SALE** - Three bedroom home in Gorman on Desdemona Hwy. T. J. Hallmark, Phone 3895 or 551, De Leon. 6-19fnc

**FOR SALE** - House to be moved. See J. Q. Eakin, Phone 81J or Mrs. Eakin at Blackwell Hospital. 7-3fnc

**FOR SALE** - Old Antique Organ. Inquire at Progress Office.

RCA Victor TV. We service what we sell, right here in De Leon or in your own home. KAY Radio & TV. Ph. 4905 De Leon 5-29fnc

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

RCA Victor Color TV Sales & Service. More than a year's experience with color television. KAY Radio & TV, Ph. 4905 De Leon. 5-29fnc

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

We stock Sylvania Silver Screen 85 TV Picture Tubes; Philco TV and Radios. Authorized factory service man for Philco. Phone 4 for service. Todd's Variety Store, Gorman. 6-12fnc

**FOR SALE** - Shoe skates - size 7. Almost new. Phone 162W, Gorman. 3-10p

**FOR SALE** - Young Ducks - Cheap. See Joe Ed Baze. 1tp

**CUBE ICE**  
Any amount - any hour  
**Buddy's Appliance**  
Gorman Hotel

RADIO & TV REPAIR for all makes & models. Call No. 9 Gorman or Gifford Radio & TV, L-3280, Stephenville. 2-13fnc

**"DO IT YOURSELF"** Tools for rent Cutters, Dies, Sanders, Drills, Waxer, Saws, etc. Key made while you wait. Thompson Hardware, Phone 137. **fn**

RCA Victor High Fidelity records by Tennessee Ernie Ford, Eddy Arnold, & others. KAY Radio & TV Ph. 4905 De Leon. 5-29fnc

**MONUMENTS FOR SALE**  
**ARNOLD BUTLER, Rep.**  
Guaranteed Monument Co. 7-10fn

**FOR SALE** - Cheap - The former Lilly home in Desdemona Hwy. See A. M. Brannon.

**WANTED TO BUY** - Used Piano. Mrs. Roma J. Porer. Box 222, Phone 61J, Gorman.

**WANTED** - Responsible party in this area to take up payments on practically new Spinnet Piano. Write Credit Mgr., Irving Piano, 617 E. Irving Blvd., Irving, Texas. 7-17

**BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY**  
Local area Man or Lady wanted to service and collect from coin-operated dispensing equipment. 4 to 9 hours weekly ops operator up to \$200 monthly. No age limit or selling but must have car, references and ...806 working capital. For interview give personal particulars, phone number. Write Box 4872, Dallas 6, Texas.

### Re-Elect JOHN C. WHITE TEXAS COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE



EXPERIENCED  
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He made Texas "FIRST IN THE SOUTH" in Modern Farm Laws and Services!

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### SPECIAL CANNON TOWELS

Stripes - Plaids - Pastel Solids  
5c each - 2 for \$1.00

### MATCHING WASH CLOTHS - 15c

**TODD'S VARIETY STORE**  
PHILCO TV-RADIO - Sales and Service  
"AUTHORIZED FACTORY SERVICE MAN"

WE STOCK SYLVANIA SILVER SCREEN 85 TV PICTURE TUBES  
Or We Can Furnish Any Brand TV Picture Tube

MR. & MRS. E. E. TODD PHONE 4 GORMAN  
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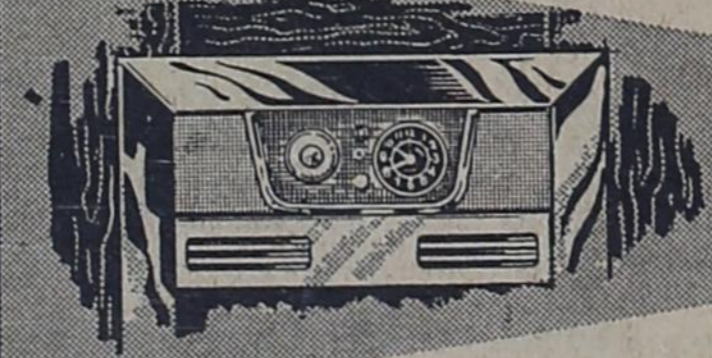
# Compare...

and you'll go **GAS** everytime!



*...For Closed-Door Smokeless Broiling*

Yes, lady, only with a GAS range is it advisable to do your broiling with the broiler door closed—because only a clean-burning live flame is capable of consuming cooking vapors! And closed-door broiling means no odors escaping into your kitchen...no excess heat pouring out. But this is just one of the many advantages of GAS cooking. You'll also find gas the FAST fuel...the CLEAN fuel...the FLEXIBLE fuel...the DEPENDABLE fuel! What's more, Gas Ranges cost less to buy, less to install, and less to maintain. Investigate, and you'll find that where food is finest, it's cooked with GAS! Stop in and get the complete story, then visit your gas appliance dealer.

**PUT AN END TO POT-WATCHING, FOREVER**  
The Burner-with-a-Brain on a new gas range assures completely automatic top-burner cooking. A hyper-sensitive thermostat regulates the heat to eliminate all danger of boil-overs, scorching, or burning.

**CONTROL OVEN TEMPERATURES EXACTLY**  
A self starting, self stopping gas oven keeps an eagle eye on your cooking... frees you from watching or worry while it follows the directions you've set on the dial for time and temperature.

fuel for a growing empire **Pioneer Natural Gas Company**



### Pick 25 Acres of Peanuts in 8 Hours with LONG PEANUT COMBINE

That's right. With the LONG peanut combine you can pick up to 25 acres of peanuts in eight hours. This high capacity means that you can get the job done quicker and for far less money. Another important advantage of the LONG peanut combine is the fact that you can start picking earlier in the day and pick later in the day than you can with other combines. The LONG peanut combine can actually pick peanuts that are too wet for most other machines!

### Lower Up-Keep Costs, Too!

This machine has many features that make it 50% to 75% lower on up-keep costs. It has an all-steel frame, all main shaft bearings mounted in rubber saddles and triple sealed to keep out dust, and heavy duty wood cylinder bars with flexible action to prevent tooth breakage. Its patented system of cleaning peanuts means that you do not have to re-clean the peanuts.

GET MORE INFORMATION ON THE LONG PEANUT COMBINE NOW  
Come in and See for Yourself WHY It Is The BEST Money Can BUY.

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