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**FIRST BALE OF COTTON** — Standing beside Mr. C. S. Campbell of Flatwood Community, who is quite pleased with his first bale of cotton, are Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Lawrence who are managing the Modern Gin in Gorman and are all set for this season's business. Standing to the right of Mr. Campbell is Mr. W. M. Lewis and in the background are Ray Williams and Freddie Rodgers of Texas Electric Service Co. and Hubert Craddock who did a hurry-up job on the wiring to put the plant in operation last week.

## Heart Attack Fatal To Oscar Seals

On Thursday morning, September 25th, Mr. Oscar Seals of the Midway Community died of a heart attack.

He was found by his wife slumped over the wheel of his tractor in the field.

Funeral arrangements were pending at press time.

A complete obituary will be published next week.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the many fine people of Gorman we desire to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for their thoughtfulness in our bereavement. We particularly wish to thank the kind ladies of the Methodist and Baptist Churches for the delicious food they so generously served.

May God bless you.  
Children of  
Mrs. C. L. Short

## Final Rites For Willie Pearl Foote

Funeral services for Mrs. Willie Pearl Foote were held September 20th at 3 p. m. at the Baptist Church in Desdemona with Rev. Buell Bryan officiating. Mrs. Foote passed away Friday, September 19th in her home.

Mrs. Foote was born October 20, 1897 at Desdemona. On October 20th, 1917 she was married to Mr. A. M. Foote. In 1920 they moved to Plainview, Texas; then to San Antonio before moving back to Desdemona in 1940.

Two children were born to this union. A son, J. B., and daughter, Lucille.

Mrs. Foote was a member of the First Baptist Church of Plainview. She is survived by her husband, A. M. Foote, son, J. B., her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Spur, who is now living in Japan, and five grandchildren. She is also survived by her step-father, Mr. J. P. Todd of San Antonio.

The pallbearers were H. T. Lane, Z. L. Koonce, Esther Singletree, Sam Powers, John Arnold, and Frank Genoway.

## Mrs. C. L. Short Dies In Ft. Worth

On Monday morning, September 23rd at 8:25 a. m. Mrs. Mary Francis (Fannie) Short passed away in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Ford, at 3816 El Campo in Fort Worth, where she lived for 14 years.

Mrs. Short was born July 30, 1867 in Huntington, Tenn. From there her family moved to Oxford, Miss. where, at the age of nineteen, she was married to Mr. C. L. Short in January of 1886. In a few years they moved to Coryell County, Texas where they lived for sixty-three years, before moving to Comanche County, and to Gorman. She was a faithful member of the Baptist Church.

Services were held at the First Baptist Church, Gorman.

Mrs. Short is survived by sons, J. C. Short of Gorman, B. F. Short of McCauley, N. G. Short of Fort Worth; daughters, Mrs. W. F. Ford, Fort Worth, Mrs. C. F. Yater of Ft. Worth, Mrs. O. A. Richards of Los Angeles, Calif. All of the children were present at the services. Also surviving are nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jack L. Wallace, John L. Wallace, W. H. Matkin, David Matkin, James Jobe, Cecil Short, Bud Short, and C. M. Peters.

Interment was at De Leon.

## Hospital Report

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

- 201 - C. A. Reed, Dublin
- 202 - Mrs. Jim Self, Big Spring
- 203 - Robert Terrill, De Leon
- 204 - Lynn Callan, Valley Mills
- 205 - J. A. Clement, Gorman
- 206 - Mrs. C. D. Cates, Carbon
- 401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon (No Visitors)
- 403 - Mrs. J. C. LaGrone, Comanche
- 404 - J. D. Jenkins, Rising Star
- 405 - Joe Bethany, Moran
- 406 - W. A. Wood, Gorman
- 407 - G. O. Boyd, Gorman
- 408 - J. A. Barrett, Carlton
- 411 - Tine Reynolds, Gorman
- 415 - I. J. Tyrone, Sulphur Springs, Ark.
- 418 - Lela Annette Kimmell, Jal, N. M. (No Visitors)

## Births At Blackwell

Hazel Louise Lee born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Samuel Lee of Rising Star on September 18th weighed 9 pounds.

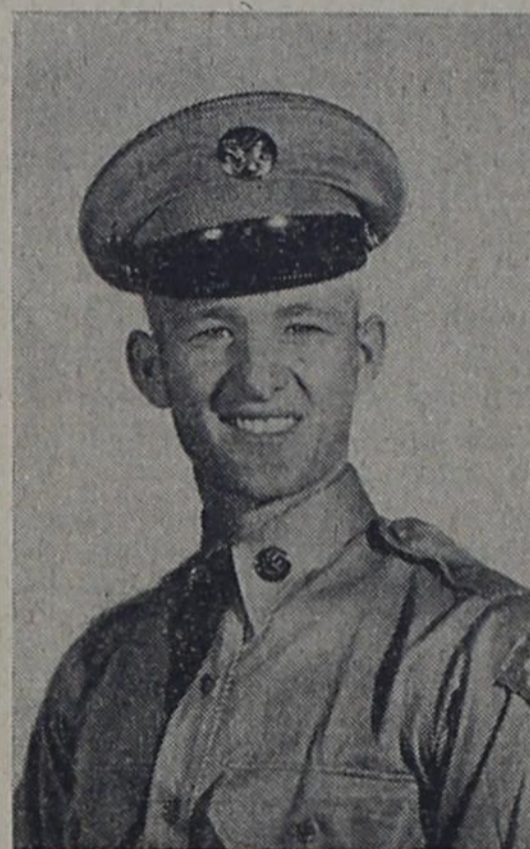
Marsha Lynn Kimmell born to Mr. and Mrs. James Darrell Kimmell of De Leon on September 18 weighed 8 pounds.

Johnnie Marie Allen born to Mr. and Mrs. John Marion Allen of Desdemona on September 20 weighed 9 pounds and 2 ounces.

Patricia Ann Self born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Self of Big Spring on September 23rd weighed 9 pounds and 8 1/2 ounces. Maternal grandparents are the Blake Bledsoes of Big Spring and the paternal grandmother is Mrs. Donnie Self of Gorman.

# Panthers-Tolar Draw 0-0 Play Dublin Here Friday

## Lee O. Harrison Back To Germany



SP/3 Lee O. Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harrison, is on his way back to Badkissen, Germany after enjoying a fifty-seven day furlough. He visited with his sister, Mrs. Betty Sue Doxon, in Fort Worth a few days before going on to New Jersey where he will board ship for his return voyage.

The part of Germany where Lee O. is stationed is almost completely surrounded by Russia. It is beautiful country but he thinks Gorman looks much better and will be happy when his tour of duty is over and he can return home to stay.

Lee O. is due to land in Europe on October 1st. and I hear that is the same date for Elvis Presley to embark, so maybe Lee O. had more entertainment on board than he thought he would have.

## WSCS Will Study Christian Concerns Of North America

Mrs. Donald Bolt, Secretary of Missionary Education, will present the introduction to the home mission fall study of the Woman's Society of Christian Service Tuesday morning when the members meet in the home of Mrs. Joe Collins.

The study is titled "Christian Concerns of North America." There will be four sessions of study each being held in the home of a member. All members of the church are invited to attend the study.

Mrs. Walter Davis brought an interesting account of her visit to the Fifth Assembly, where 10 thousand people from all parts of America and other countries at-

The Gorman Panthers and the Tolar Rattlers battled to a scoreless tie last Friday night at Brogdon Field. The only real scoring threat of the game came in the third quarter when the Panthers moved the ball from their own 14 yard line to the Tolar 2 yard line at which point the Panthers lost the ball on downs.

The wet field hampered the scoring chances for both teams.

## T. S. Richburg Rites Held Here Today

T. S. Richburg passed away at the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman on Wednesday night, September 24th.

Funeral services were set for 3 p. m. this afternoon, Thursday, September 25 at the First Baptist Church with Elder C. L. Casey in charge. Burial was to be in the Leon Cemetery.

A complete obituary will be published next week.

## Annual Pecan Tour Set For Sept. 29th.

A large crowd is expected on the third annual pecan tour of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association next Monday, Sept. 29 when six orchards will be inspected according to officials planning the affair.

Four orchards will be visited before noon. They are the J. W. Sitton orchard at Seranton, the R. H. (Pete) Dunning and the Lee Lieske orchards at Nimrod and the J. D. Inabnet orchard at Pioneer. A short program and business session will follow the lunch at Sadies Cafe in Rising Star, it was said. Several committees are to be appointed by Oscar Schaefer, Cook, President of the county organization, to develop plans for the county pecan show to be held in December.

During the afternoon tour the J. F. Petsick orchard near Rising Star and the young orchard of Earl Conner near Flatwoods will be inspected. Conner is the District attorney at Eastland and has 23 acres of young trees.

A fair to good papershell pecan crop is expected to be harvested from the planted orchards on the deep sandy soils over the county it was said.

tended to give and receive inspiration for bringing Christ to all people.

Mrs. Barton Eppler and Mrs. R. C. Mehaffey, hostesses, were assisted by Mrs. Gene Baker, Mrs. Z. O. Mehaffey, and Mrs. Odell Thompson.

Gorman moved the ball steadily throughout the game but seemed to lose steam after getting deep into Tolar territory. The boys in Red and Blue picked up 181 yards rushing to 78 for Tolar. They also completed 1 of 7 passes for 20 yards for a total yardage of 201. Tolar completed 2 of 9 passes for 23 yards for a total of 101 yards. Gorman had 9 first downs to 7 for Tolar. The Panthers punted 1 time for 35 yards and Tolar punted 3 times for 50, 49 and 12 yards respectively. Tolar fumbled three times and lost all three fumbles. The Panthers had no fumbles. Gorman intercepted one Tolar pass and returned it 27 yards.

John Brinegar, Junior Fullback, was the offensive leader for the Panthers with 89 yards on 18 carries for an average of 4.9 yards per carry. Joe Harrison, Freshman Halfback was second with 50 yards on 13 totes for a 3.8 average. Neil Overstreet, Junior Halfback, had 42 yards on 13 tries for an average of 3.2 yards. Kenny Welch, Quarterback, made 11 yards on 4 carries but broke even on yardage due to being thrown for losses at times.

The entire Panther team was outstanding on defense. They threw the Tolar runners for losses several times and held them to short yardage consistently during the entire game.

The locals are improving with every game they play. The freshmen on the lineup are playing a lot better ball since they have gotten more experience. The team has been hurt considerably due to the fact that starting guard, Dick Townley, has been out for two weeks.

On Friday night the Panthers will play host to the Dublin Lions at 8 p. m. The Lions are a Class AA team with 205 pound Fullback Joe Templeton furnishing the power.

### IN APPRECIATION

Dear friends - - Allow us to express our deep heartfelt appreciation for ourselves and also for Juanita for all the nice things that have been done by you dear people to make our deep sorrow less burdensome. The numberless cards, letters and calls have all been so comforting and assuring.

Our faith in God and your deep concern and prayers have been a great boost to us in this sad hour.

Thanks again, dear friends, for your every act of kindness. May God bless and keep you in his love.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harper and Juanita

Mrs. Carroll Bickle was in Dallas Friday where she attended the closing classes of the Retail Merchants Credit Association Institute at SMU.

# Cubs Take Dist. Opener From Granbury; Go To De Leon Tuesday

The Gorman Grade School Cubs defeated Granbury Tuesday night at Brogdon Field by a score of 34-14. It was the first district game for both teams.

## Coffee Break Talk

By Joe Bennett

80 PERCENT - - wrong that is! Boy have Speedy and I been getting the ribbing this week following our predictions last week. Both of us got only two right out of the ten we picked. Upsets are our excuse. The Missouri-Vanderbilt game on TV was one of those upsets. Most everyone were picking Missouri to win. But Vandt took advantage of the Missouri miscues and won a 12 to 8 decision. Then Kentucky came along and upset Georgia Tech. Also Nebraska surprised Penn. State 14-7 with the help of Pat Fischer, 163-pound sophomore halfback, who reeled off a 92-yard touchdown run in the fourth period to upset Penn State. Then came the Panthers of Pittsburgh who overpowered favored UCLA 27-6. And A & M made a few miscues to let Texas Tech edge them 15-14.

To make a long story short - - WE GOOFED. Only 20 percent right. Speedy got his two picks on the TCU-Kansas and Texas-Ga. games. I got mine on the TCU-Kansas and So. Carolina-Duke games. I know I shouldn't have turned traitor and picked Ga.

Well maybe upsets won't hurt us this week. So here we go again. I would just like to say that nothing we say may be held against us and we can't be held responsible for bets you make on our top-notch predictions.

### SPEEDY'S PICKS

(Not Guaranteed)

- Arkansas over Tulsa
- Baylor over Hardin-Simmons
- Rice over Stanford
- Ohio State over SMU
- Houston over A & M
- TCU over Iowa
- Texas over Tulane
- Texas Tech over West Texas St.
- Notre Dame over Indiana
- Oklahoma over West Va.

After a scoreless first quarter a pass from Ronnie Page to Wayne Bledsoe put the ball on the 8 yard line with Bledsoe carrying it over for the first of three touchdowns scored by him. The next score came on a 37 yard pass by the same combination.

## Twylia Kent Weds Joe M. Wallace

On Tuesday evening, September 16th Miss Twylia Kent and Mr. Joe Monroe Wallace were united in marriage in the home of Bro. Lee Fields in Carbon.

Mrs. Wallace is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kent of Gorman, and is employed by the Gorman Telephone Co. Mr. Wallace is working on the highway between Gorman and Duster. He is from Pottsville.

The couple are living at present in the Gorman Hotel.

### JOE'S PICKS

(where are you Jerry?)

- Arkansas over Tulsa
- Baylor over Hardin-Simmons
- Stanford over Rice
- Ohio State over SMU
- A & M over Houston (I hope)
- TCU over Kansas (go, Max, go)
- Texas over Tulane (forgive me Texas)
- Texas Tech over West Texas St.
- Notre Dame over Indiana
- Oklahoma over West Va.

The Panthers played some good football Friday night. They were real tough on defense, getting the Tolar runners for losses several times. And their offense was working a lot better. Also the Panthers didn't lose the ball on fumbles even though the field was wet. So it looks like the Panthers are slowly improving as they play a few more games.

I was disappointed a few times when they lost the ball on downs lacking only a couple of yards. I didn't agree with the play-caller on a couple of the plays he called when we only needed a couple of yards for a first down. Not that I am running anyone down, but it seems to me like a big man

It was Granbury's turn next and a 30 yard scoring pass put them in the scoring column. With time running out in the first half another Page to Bledsoe pass netted 55 yards and a touchdown to make the score 18-6 at half-time.

In the third quarter Page hit up the middle to scamper 38 yards for a score and also ran for the two points.

An intercepted pass and a return of 50 yards by halfback Gary Overstreet to the 6 yard line set up the next score. After a penalty Page ran 11 yards for the tally. Bledsoe got the extra points.

Every player on the 28-man squad saw action. Tackle William Boyd and End Larry Anderson were steady on defense with ample support by the other starting linemen.

Next Tuesday night the Cubs journey to De Leon for a 7:30 game with the Bearkittens. The De Leon team is considered one of the favorites for the Junior High District Title won last year by the Gorman Cubs.

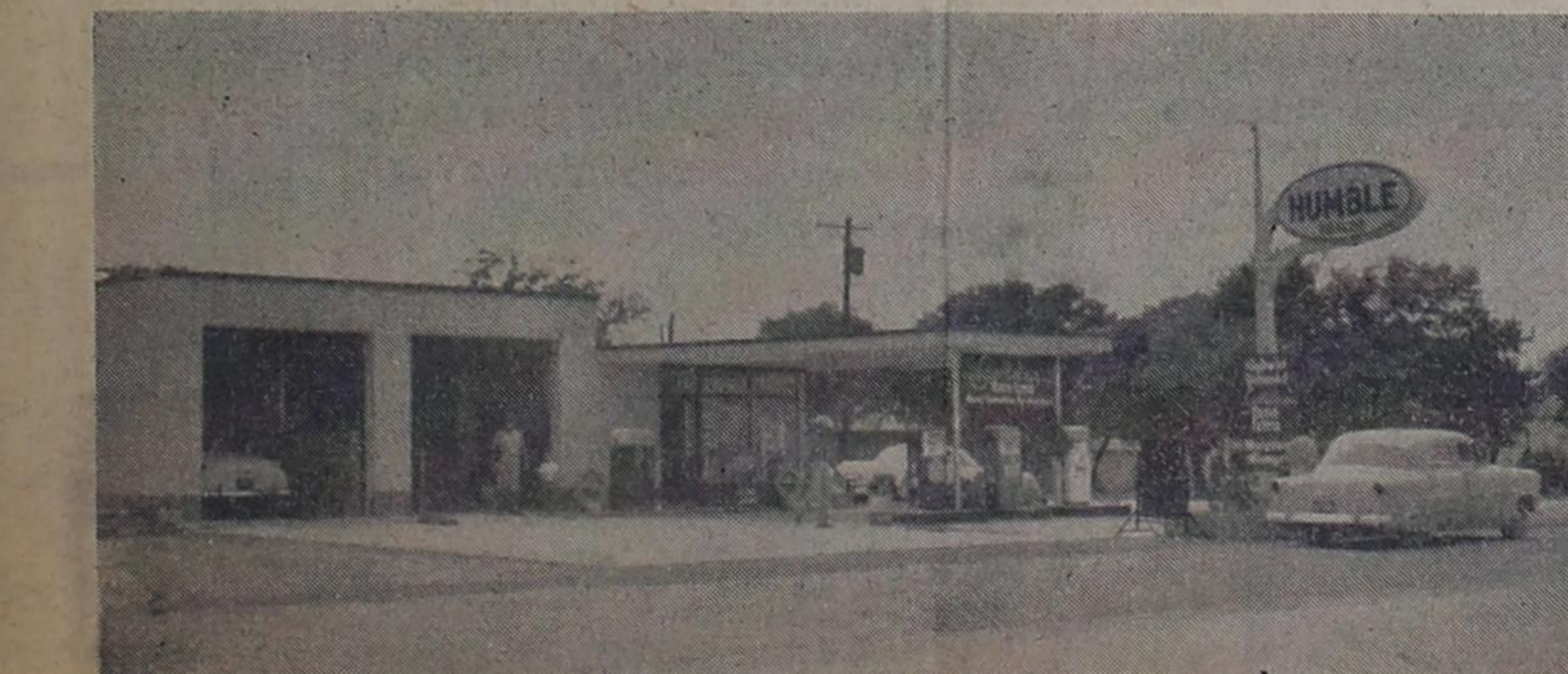
could hit the line for a couple of yards much easier than a little man. But I guess the main object of the game is deception, so I may be wrong. Let's go Panthers!

Here's my chance to rib Jerry Clark a little. He said he was moving to a town where they won all their ball games. What happened last week Jerry? Didn't the main string play?

Just couldn't pass that up old pal. Ha.

Sure enjoyed the video-taped Game of the Week on Sunday afternoon between A & M and Texas Tech sponsored by the Humble Co. The only thing I didn't like was the outcome.

Also enjoyed the professional game on Sunday between the Washington Redskins and the Chicago Bears. The Bears won the game in the final minute or so with a field goal. But the Redskins will be a hard team to beat this season. And the Bears are always tops. So there should be some awfully good football this year.



**GRAND OPENING** — Carl Stacy and son all set for their grand opening which took place last Saturday. The crowd was so big the Humble Co. sent several employees from their office to help take care of the rush.

# Carbon Defeats Desdemona; Host Brooksmith Tonight



**CARBON WOLVERINES** — Jerry Clower, Rodney Jackson, Billy Sandlin, Weldon Cook, Coach Browder; top row: Benny Frasier, Mickey Rodgers, Mickey Frasier, Don Underwood, Jimmy Sandlin, and Coach Rice.

The Carbon Wolverines Six-man team won over the Desdemona Porkers last Thursday night by a score of 41-7. The Wolverines had little trouble holding down the Porkers who were playing their first six-man football game. The Porkers looked good, however, to never have played a football game. They scored one touchdown on a pass and had one touchdown called back when they were in an illegal formation.

The Wolverines passing attack was working exceptionally well with a large majority of their scores being made on passes.

Carbon takes on Brooksmith at Carbon tonight. Brooksmith is a heavy favorite to take the six-man district title this year. They beat Gustine and Sidney in their last two games by scores of 50 and 60 points. But if Carbon's passing attack clicks they will be tough to beat.



## Peggy Adcock And Albert Hansard Wed August 29th.

Miss Peggy Adcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adcock, became the bride of Mr. Albert Hansard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hansard, at 6 p. m., Friday, August 29, in the Gorman First Baptist Church.

Miss Linda Speck, who gave an organ prelude before the ceremony, accompanied Mr. Ronald Smith, who sang "Because" and "Promise Me".

Bill Locke of De Leon and Durwood Burgess, friends of the couple, served as ushers. Bro. Don Turner, pastor of the church, read the impressive double-ring ceremony.

The church was decorated with pink and white trees on either side of an arch. A pair of candelabra filled the background.

Albert Palmer and Danny Masten of Borger, cousins of the bride, lighted the candles.

Mr. J. L. Hansard of Brownfield was his cousin's best man.

Miss Patsy Rawls was maid of honor. She wore a sheath dress of pale pink lace with matching cummerbund and wore a white carnation corsage.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a traditional dress of white. The dress was of linen and designed with a low, square neckline and princess skirt. There was a section of tucked lace down the front of the dress to the hemline. She wore a rhinestone-pearl pin with matching earrings. Her veil fell from a tiara of pearls and sequins. She carried a white satin-covered Bible topped with white chrysanthemums and pink gladiolus. The bride carried out the traditional something old, new, borrowed and blue.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the Baptist Educational Building. Those serving were Misses Emma Jane Skaggs, Judy Mehaffey, Mary Robertson and Linda Bingham of De Leon, a cousin of the bride. Miss Karen Wright registered the guests as

## DESDEMONA NEWS

ETHEL KEITH, Reporter

This community was shocked and saddened early Friday morning when word was received here that Mrs. Pearl Foote had passed away in her sleep at their home about 4 miles north of Desdemona. She is survived by her husband, Murrah Foote, and two children, Lucille, who is in Japan with her husband who is in service, and a son, J. B. Foote of San Antonio.

Aunt Sally Eaton has been on the sick list the past week. Mrs. James Riggs underwent appendectomy in Stephenville on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore left Tuesday to visit a couple of weeks in Nashville, Tenn. with their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Tommie Irwin and children, and they will also visit other relatives on their trip.

Mr. Anse Brown spent a day or two the past week in the Gorman hospital.

Mrs. Lillie Wittie spent the weekend in Wichita Falls with her son, L. D. Wittie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen are the proud parents of a baby girl, Johnnie Marie, born Saturday in the Gorman hospital. Little Johnnie Marie has one sister, Louell, who finished school last year here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Hutton Stockton of Stephenville were here Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. M. Foote.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Tidwell left Friday noon for Mexico City

they entered. They all carried out the pattern of the wedding, wearing pink dresses with white carnation corsages.

For travel the bride chose a simple, low neckline bouffant dress with matching jacket.

The bride was a Junior-to-be in the Gorman High School. Her husband is a graduate of Meadow High School. He is employed with the General Telephone Co. of Brownfield.

to attend a poultry convention. Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Fonville and children of Ranger spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Vella Roberts.

Rev. and Mrs. Grayson Tennyson, who are missionaries in Brazil and are now home on furlough, will speak at the First Baptist Church on Sunday, Oct. 5th. Rev. Tennyson will speak at the morning service and Mrs. Tennyson will speak Sunday night and show slides of their work in Brazil. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthery and Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Seay and Thomas Roy spent the weekend in Irving with Mr. and Mrs. Rob Guthery and Mr. and Mrs. Chubbie Foreman and their families.

The Less Williams family of Alice was here the past weekend with his parents, the Howard Williams family, and a sister, the Morgan Roberts family.

Mrs. Elizabeth McDonnell of Dallas visited part of last week with her mother, Granny Northcutt, and Eva.

Mrs. Nora Wall returned home Sunday after spending a week in Stephenville with her sons, Elbert and Delbert, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sadberry of De Leon spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rainey.

The Dalton Anderson family of Dublin were here for the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Duke were in Odessa the past weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bates Duke.

Mrs. Jessie (Rob) Lewis spent last week in Ranger visiting her sisters there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Riddle had their 18 months old daughter, Janie, in a hospital last week under the care of a specialist in an

## Excelsior Club Hold Opening At Breakfast

Opening meeting of the Excelsior Club was held at Lizzie's Place where the members met at breakfast Saturday, September twentieth.

Federation Day was observed in the study of the Collect and with remarks from the president, Mrs. N. C. Crawley. "Be it with individuals or clubs", she said, "our lives do depend on others. We depend on others for ideas and ideals. We do for the sake of others. It is with others that we accomplish the most."

Yearbooks were presented by the program chairman, Mrs. E. C. Sutton. The books are entitled "We Learn from Each Other". Programs will vary from "Learning about the City Charter" to "Coffee Break in Brazil."

Mrs. Vera Hamrick directed a panel giving the origin and history with the interpretation of

effort to locate her ailment. Jimmie Bryan, son of Rev. and Mrs. Buel Bryan, and Miss Lillie King of Odessa, will be married here at the First Baptist Church on Saturday, September 27th.

Rev. Bryan, Jimmie's father, will perform the ceremony. Every one is invited to attend.

Attending the Cisco Baptist Association Convention at Breckenridge last week were Rev. and Mrs. Buel Bryan, Mrs. Hattie Davis, Mrs. Hattie Tate, Mrs. Fred Watkins, and Mrs. Sam Powers.

The Morgan Roberts family were in Granbury for the weekend.

## KATHY UNDERWOOD HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Kathy Underwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Underwood of Rt. 2, Gorman, was honored with a birthday party in her home on Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:00 p. m.

After the many beautiful and useful gifts were opened by the

Mary Stewart, native of Ohio and reared in Georgetown, Colorado, was the author of the Collect. Miss Stewart was an educator, having served as a high school principal, Dean of Women at the University of Montana. Later when she had become active in Federated Club work, she became associated with the federal government in the Department of Labor and in the office of Indian Affairs.

Miss Stewart wrote the poem as a prayer for the day when she first became a teacher in 1904. It was later adopted by the Greater Federation of Women's Clubs.

Some persons have in error attributed the authorship to Mary Stuart Queen of Scots. This error was probably due to the fact that for a number of years Miss Stewart used "Mary Stuart" as a pen name.

Another frequently used error is the term in the line, "in the big things of life we are at one," which is often quoted "as one." "At one" is the correct wording. It is an English idiom having the meaning "together achieving" but not necessarily in the same way.

The October 14th meeting of the club will be held in the home of Mrs. J. W. Townsend.

honoree, refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to all. The cake, a gift from the Don Laminacks, was white with blue roping and border with a pink rose bouquet to one side with the inscription "Happy Birthday Kathy" in green. The following enjoyed an afternoon of fun and games: Mary Butler, Linda Collins, Jimmy Sandlin, Gene Woods, Mickey Rodgers, Don Underwood, Maxine Stacy, the honoree, (all seniors of Carbon High), Peggie Underwood, Randy Laminack, and the hostess, Mrs. R. V. Underwood and Mrs. Don Laminack.

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**FOR SALE** — 10 acres, 2 1/2 miles Northwest of Gorman. 4 room house, running water, school bus and mail route. Write Vernon Warren, Rt. 3, Box 117F, Brownwood, Texas. 10-3p

**The Panther Squall**

**HOME EC. II NEWS**  
Carolyn Gilbert, Reporter  
We have really been busy in the past three weeks getting into the swing of things in Home Ec. II.

We selected sewing as our first semester topic this year. We find it very interesting and many of the girls have already completed several garments.

We have appointed several committees to complete our business. Among these are finance, refreshment, and program groups.

The class is sponsoring a bake sale next Saturday and we hope to see you all there. The date is Saturday, September 27 in front of Jay's Grocery. The proceeds will go to the Sophomore Home Ec. Class.

**FRESHMAN NEWS**  
Howard Joiner, Reporter

This week we have been busy with three-weeks tests. Most of us have been studying very hard so as not to fail any of them.

All the classes have been discussing whether or not to have a study body President. David Revels was elected President.

A clean-up committee has been organized with each class serving a month. If anyone is seen throwing down a paper cup he is fined a nickel. The Student Council collects all the fines.

**SOPHOMORE NEWS**

The class met the last twenty minutes of the fourth period. We discussed a party for our class. We decided to have a Weiner roast and hayride.

**MONUMENTS FOR SALE**  
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**RYE** — See us before you buy your Rye Seed. Producers Feed & Supply.

**REWARD** — Lost - Brown male Pekinese Dog. Has only 1 eye. Call collect. Mrs. Lela Rasberry, 742-W3, Eastland. 10-9p

**FOR SALE** — Cheap for cash. The old Lilly home, chicken house and garage. See Mr. A. M. Brannon at his home. 10-2p

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We also decided our class dues would be ten dollars a year. C. C. Reeves came out for football Monday.

**JUNIOR NEWS**  
Clyda Rankin, Reporter

The Junior class had a class meeting and we voted on a student body president, who is David Revels.

Douglas Craig, our reporter is sick this week and we hope to see him back in class soon.

Everyone back the Panthers this coming Friday. We play Dublin and hope to beat them.

The school has been considering the starting of a group of clubs. It is not definite but many people seem to be interested.

**SENIOR NEWS**  
Holly Kinsler, Reporter

Members of the Senior class have been busy this week with plans for Freshman Day. We decided October 3 would be the big day.

We have received several articles from travel agencies suggesting places to go on the Senior trip. No plans have been made as to where we will go.

Ronnie Love has moved to Stephenville. He plans to enter the high school there.

Don't forget the football game Friday night with Dublin which will be played here. Be there backing the Panthers.

**STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS**  
Holly Kinsler, Reporter

We received an invitation to the fall meeting of the Student Councils of the Oil Belt Association. The meeting will be at the Coleman High School on Nov. 8.

Because of conflict with our Homecoming we will not be able to attend.

Each class decided to be on a clean-up committee to keep the grounds around the high school clean. The Student Council will make a schedule with each class

**SV Game Preserve Elect Officers**

At its meeting on Tuesday night, September 9 the Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association elected officers for the coming year. Will R. Ussery of Carbon was elected president to succeed retiring president Henry A. Lovell. H. A. (Pete) Tyrone of Route 1, Carbon, was elected vice-president and takes the office formerly held by Fred Burfiend.

The secretary-treasurer, Berry Greenwood, and the four directors of the association were all re-elected to serve another term. The directors are Oscar Schaefer, Rt. 5, Cisco, O. P. (Jake) Chambless, Rt. 2, Gorman, G. W. (Chuck) Elliott, Okra, and W. E. (Slick) Walker, Carbon.

According to reports of members from various parts of the preserve it seems to be the general opinion that the public generally speaking has been gratifyingly cooperative in observing the hunting and fishing rules that prevail within the preserve and for this the association wishes to express its sincerest thanks. However, one or two members complained of persons driving up and down the public roads through

the preserve and firing from their cars into fields and pastures. The association would like to point out to these persons and others who may be ignorant of the law that it is a violation of state law to fire a gun from, into, or across a public road and this applies at all times whether within or without a game preserve and whether in or out of hunting season. Persons wishing to hunt or fish should, first, get permission from landowners in order to comply with the law and to avoid possibility of having to pay a fine. Fines can be really heavy sometimes.

New members recently signing up with the association are M. E. Foster, Gorman, J. B. Hunt, Route 2, Cisco, C. W. Richter, Route 2, Rising Star, and Mrs. Emma Kent, Route 2, Cisco, with a combined acreage of 1360. Mr. Foster's land lies southwest of Gorman about 5 miles. Mr. Hunt, Mr. Richter and Mrs. Kent listed land in the Sabanna Valley southwest of Romney.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 after which refreshments of coffee, lemonade, and cake were served.

**Mrs. W. H. Davis Hosts Desdemona Study Club Meeting**

Mrs. J. L. Burlison called the Desdemona Study Club to order when it resumed its meetings in September.

Mrs. W. H. Davis was hostess. Cut flowers in the club's colors of pink and green were used throughout the house. A dainty refreshment plate was served.

Annual reports were given and the same slate of officers were reelected to serve a second term. "What's New" will be the theme of the study club for the ensuing year.

"Highlights of Summer Vacation" was the subject of the evening. Mrs. W. H. Davis vacationed in Tenn., Alabama, Miss., and Louisiana. The most interesting part of her trip was through

the preserve and firing from their cars into fields and pastures. The association would like to point out to these persons and others who may be ignorant of the law that it is a violation of state law to fire a gun from, into, or across a public road and this applies at all times whether within or without a game preserve and whether in or out of hunting season. Persons wishing to hunt or fish should, first, get permission from landowners in order to comply with the law and to avoid possibility of having to pay a fine. Fines can be really heavy sometimes.

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**TOMMY D. BEATY COMPLETES OFFICER BASIC COURSE AT FORT BENNING, GA.**

FORT BENNING, GA. (AHT-NC) - Army 2nd Lt. Tommy D. Beaty, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. Beaty, Route 3, Gorman, Texas, recently completed the officer basic course at The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Ga.

Designed for officers who have not served with troops, the 15-week course gave Lieutenant Beaty instruction in the duties and problems of an infantry unit commander.

Beaty is a 1951 graduate of Desdemona High School, a 1957 graduate of Texas Technological College and a member of Scabbard and Blade Society. He was formerly employed by William Cameron & Co., Snyder. His wife, Jimmie, lives in Columbus, Ga.

Shiloh National Military Park.

Mrs. Ollie Fein was privileged to have her grandson as guest for the summer. She took him to the Children's Museum in Fort Worth, which they both thoroughly enjoyed.

Mrs. Aaron Henslee said she had never had a happier or more exciting experience than that of becoming a grandmother.

Mrs. J. F. Moseley told of her visit to Grace Episcopal Church - the oldest in Louisiana - and to Highland Plantation, which was featured in National Geographic in recent years. She visited her son in Mississippi and toured the refinery at which he works, the State University, and the Piney Woods School.

Mrs. J. L. Burlison helped to get others ready for vacation and received glowing reports from various vacation spots. Those she enjoyed most were from her sister in Wisconsin. Mrs. Burlison accompanied her husband to two meetings.

Mrs. Howard Wade spent the summer at Texas University. She attended several concerts, plays, movies and luncheons. At an International Club dinner she met some interesting people from the Middle East. She accompanied Mrs. Moseley on her trip also.



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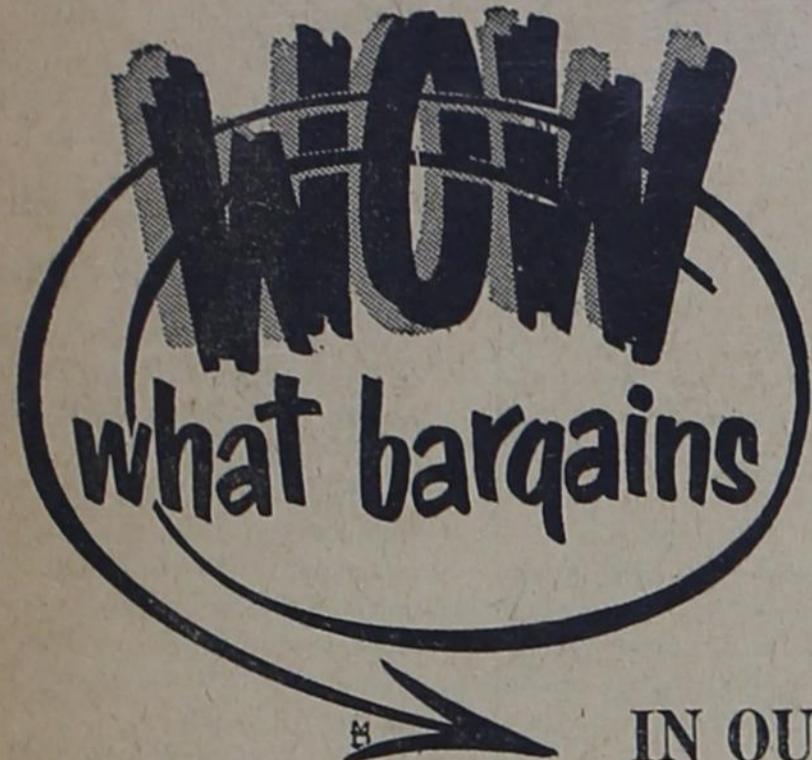
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## Lone Cedar Club Soon To Open For County Recreation

At a meeting of the stockholders of Lone Cedar Country Club Sunday afternoon, September 21,

1958, attended by over one hundred persons, plans were formulated for winding up the few remaining details of construction, furnishing and landscaping, looking toward an early opening of the club facilities for the recreation of the social club members, their families and out-of-county



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## College Close-Ups

The following students have returned to their respective colleges listed below:

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With the club facilities nearing completion, such interest has been shown by persons in and out of the County in acquiring stock in Lone Cedar Country Club, that the stockholders voted in their meeting Sunday afternoon to increase the price of stock, effective October 5, 1958, from \$150.00 to \$200.00 per share. Those desiring to acquire some of the few remaining shares of stock should do so shortly.

One hundred more people will be sold two shares of stock if the committees meet their goals. It was also announced that after Oct. 3, shares of stock would cost \$200 each. Until that time stock will be sold for \$150 a share.

The committee for Gorman is Roy Blair, chairman, and Dorothy Hatcher and W. G. Kirk.

Enthusiasm is running high for having a meeting place for the families in this area who desire a nice place to eat, swim, play golf, engage in various water sports and just plain relax with their friends. Do YOU want to be left out of these activities?

### MRS. HATTIE LEE TODD RETURNS HOME FROM BUIE HOSPITAL IN MARLIN

Mrs. Hattie Lee Todd is now at home after spending several weeks in the Buie Hospital at Marlin.

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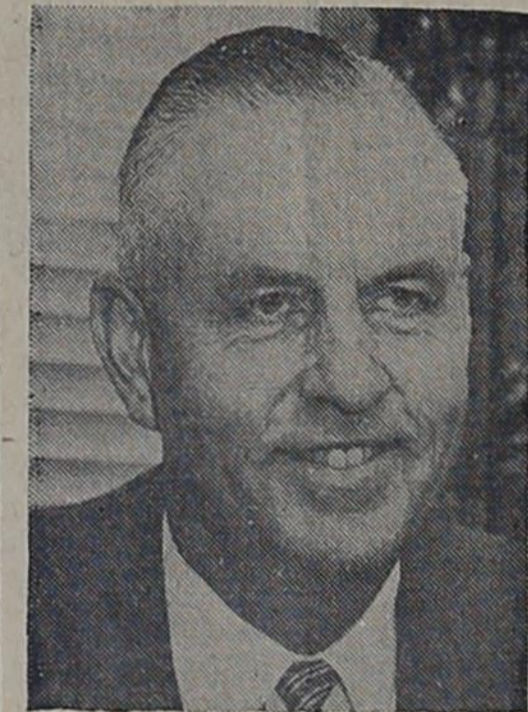
Corky Brown

## Consumer Credit Institute At Ranger College Oct. 9th.

Two noted figures in the financial field will speak at the Consumer Credit Institute of Ranger College, Thursday, Oct. 9, President Price R. Aashton, announces.



Paul Monroe of Dallas, vice president of Allied Finance Company, will address the afternoon session, which begins at 2 p. m. on "Consumer Credit and Its Importance to the American Way of Life." Monroe was a speaker at the first annual Consumer Credit Conference at TCU last Spring; has spoken at Baylor University and had charge of the presentation sponsored by the Texas Consumer Credit Association before the small loan study committee of the Texas Legislative Council.



Robert N. Winston, a former Texan, now living in Washington

M. Y. F. NEWS  
Janice Day, Reporter

We opened the meeting by singing "Since Jesus came into my Heart". Fred Gray led the singing and Janice Day played the piano.

Mary Thompson had charge of the lesson and David Revels, Terry Shell, Carolyn Haynes, and Butch Boyd were panelists. The subject of the panel discussion was sportsmanship. Questions were asked about the point of winning and other points concerned in sports. We decided that sports go hand in hand with religion because honesty and other rules are important in sports and also in religion.

There was a council meeting before MYF in which the programs for future meetings were planned. We had refreshments after the meeting. We want to thank those who made these refreshments possible. We enjoyed them very much.

M. Y. F. is at 6:30 p. m. in the youth department of the church next Sunday and every Sunday. We'll see you there.

## KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Williams of Albany visited with Mrs. Geo. Blackwell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cook and son, Tommy, of Florida City, Fla. have visited his mother, Mrs. Scythia Bagwell, and other relatives.

Giles Wilbanks and his sister, Mrs. Adeline Wilson of Calif. visited Mrs. Bagwell and other friends over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin and son, Kenney of Perryton, Texas visited with Mrs. B. I. Griffin for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Griffin and son, Mike, visited with Mrs. B. I. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Andrus last week.

John Ed Kimble and Joe Mehaffey flew from Dallas to Chicago, Ill. and spent several days there last week.

Congressman Omar Burleson was in Gorman Wednesday afternoon and night.

Dr. and Mrs. D. V. Rodgers Mrs. J. E. Whiteside and Mrs. John S. Kimble were in Abilene last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Preston were in Abilene Sunday to attend the Texas-New Mexico Florist Convention.

Mrs. J. C. Crowe of Farmington, N. M. visited Mrs. A. B. Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Rankin Tuesday. Mrs. Crowe was formerly Miss Archie Greenwood.

On Saturday of last week Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Black moved back to their home in Forney, Texas. Mr. Black had been employed

D. C., will speak at the night session, which starts at 7 o'clock, on "Using Your Credit Intelligently." He is vice president of United Finance and Thrift Corporation, which ranks among the top ten nationally in its field. Both Monroe and Winston are directors of T. C. F. A.

A motion picture, "Every Seventh Family," will be shown at the afternoon session and another motion picture, "The Littlest Giant," at night. A number of citizens of Eastland, Cisco Breckenridge, Strawn, Albany, Rising Star, Gorman and Ranger are expected. The public is invited. There is no admission charge.

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at the Gorman Peanut Co. installing a sprinkler system.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bennett, son, Ray, daughter, Barbara, her husband, Ted Franklin and baby, Donna of Ft Worth were in Gorman Saturday visiting Jack's mother, Mrs. Mollie Bennett. Jack and Billie have moved back to Fort Worth from Victoria. Jack is employed at the Bell Air Craft Corp of Ft Worth.

Little Jim Rodgers is in Dallas where he is attending the Parker Foundation.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hansard were home for the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adcock. Mrs. Hansard is the former Peggy Adcock.

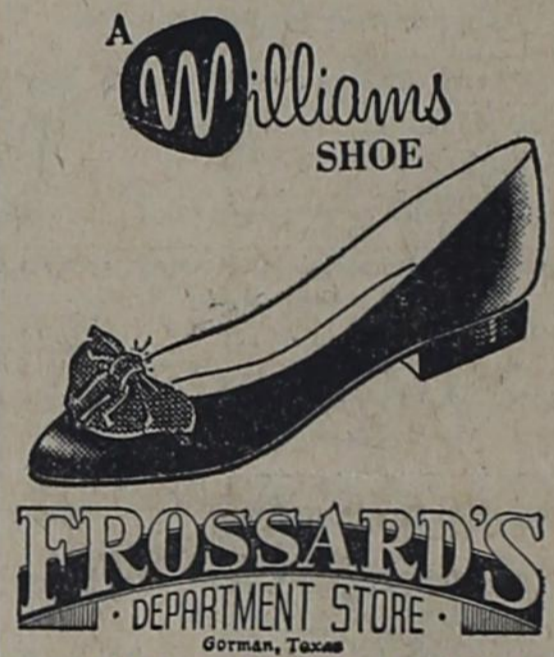
Mr. and Mrs. George Warren and son, Rodney of Odessa, spent a few days with relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Warren and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson. Marjorie Warren was also home over the weekend.

John Henry Weaver who has been very ill in the hospital at De Leon is feeling some better.



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