



HULLS by Kernel Gene, aPe

No thanks, I do not intend to get mixed up in any local political squabble. You know the candidates as well as I do - if you are a citizen of Gorman and have paid your poll tax, then you have the choice of voting according to the dictates of your own conscience. This is your town and its future depends on you as well as your neighbor. As a Nation, we are fast losing our right to think and act for ourselves. Be sure you vote in the City Election on April 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Boaz of Huntsville were visiting Mrs. Geo. Blackwell and other friends in Gorman last week. The Boaz' formerly had a department store where the Mehaffey Drug is now located. Mr. Boaz, commenting on Gorman, said he was surprised at all of the new homes and the building that continues here.

If you listen to WBAP Farm-Editor Calvin Pigg Farm Round-Up Program at 6:30 every morning you know all about his Soil Temperature Reporting Service. Six farmers are assisting Calvin with this project. They cover the 250-mile long stretch of Texas Blacklands where a great part of the state's cotton, corn and grain sorghums are grown. Each farmer checks the temperature of his own soil at planting depth and reports daily to Pigg. The temperatures are broadcast each morning at 6:30 on WBAP, 820.

"We're hoping to whet the interest of more farmers in using soil temperature for seeding our principle cash crops," Pigg said. "Studies at Texas A&M College indicate that soil temperature plays a key role in obtaining maximum germination of cotton, corn and grain sorghum, especially cotton."

Best cotton germination is obtained when the soil reaches 70 degrees for three straight days at 7 a. m.

"A fancy or specialized thermometer is not necessary for taking soil readings," Pigg reminded. "An ordinary wall type with the mercury fairly well exposed will do. It should be placed in the seed bed three to four inches deep, or about planting depth."

I don't know how this thermometer business will work in Eastland and Comanche Counties but you might drop Calvin a line and ask him.

Premeasurement Peanuts & Cotton Offered Farmers

Any farmer wishing to have his fields measured officially in advance of planting peanuts and/or cotton to assure compliance with acreage allotments should apply as soon as possible to his county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Office, Chairman William F. Bryant announced.

Under the premeasurement program, regular ASC performance reporters measure the fields. The premeasured acreages will be accepted as official for all ASC purposes provided no obvious error is made and provided the fields are planted as measured. A later trip to the farm will be made to determine that these requirements have been met, but in most cases an additional survey will not be necessary.

The purpose of premeasurement, Mr. Bryant said, is to help the farmer guard against either overplanting or underplanting his crop allotment. Overplanting, either through inaccurate measurement by the farmer or through incorrect unnecessary expense for fertilizer, seed and soil treatment. Underplanting can cause loss of farm income.

Requests for premeasurement

Handmade Gifts For Friends Becomes Profitable Business



The old saying, "Make a better mouse trap and the world will beat a path to your door," is literally true with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burfiend, Route One, Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burfiend moved to Eastland County in 1951 from Nolan County where they had worked on a ranch. By May, 1955 they were fairly well settled in their new home with cattle, hogs, goats, chickens, etc. as a source of income. Then the flood, winds and hail came. Hail six inches deep was measured in their front yard. Livestock were killed or

Mrs. M. Thomas Buried At De Leon

On March 18, 1960, funeral services were held for Mrs. Mattie Thomas in the First Baptist Church of De Leon at 2 p. m. with Bro. Henry Chambers and Bro. E. P. Cummins conducting.

Mrs. Thomas passed away in the Glenwood Clinic in Tyler. She was 94 years old. Her husband, Bro. W. E. Thomas, preceded her in death.

Survivors include four sons, W. L. of De Leon, J. C. of Aransas Pass, A. H. of Seymour, and Bro. B. G. Thomas of Monitou, Okla.; one daughter, Mrs. Luther Flynn of Tyler; eleven grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Music was conducted by Homer Hawkins, Al Strassner, Jimmie Duncan, and Mrs. E. P. Cummins. Organist was Mrs. Clara Gray.

Pallbearers were Bill Garner, Gene Snider, Bob Nelson, Garland Thomas, J. D. Grisham, and Tommy Roberts.

Interment was in the Victor Cemetery in De Leon.

Hospital Report

The following were listed as patients at the Blackwell Hospital in Gorman on Wednesday morning:

- 201 - W. S. Nichols, Caddo
- 203 - Mrs. B. V. Martin, Comanche (No Visitors)
- 204 - Mrs. Lloyd Chambers, Gorman
- 205 - Mrs. Floyd Moore, Desmona
- 206 - C. S. Eldridge, Desdemona (No Visitors)
- 208 - Mrs. John T. Singleton, De Leon
- 209 - D. W. Dingus, Comanche
- 210 - Mrs. C. M. Browning, De Leon
- 401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon (No Visitors)
- 402 - Mrs. Thurston Thomas, Comanche
- 403 - Mrs. H. L. Ribble, Brk'ridge
- 404 - Mrs. C. E. Straley, Cmanche
- 407 - Miss Laura Smith, Gorman
- 409 - John Brownlee, De Leon
- 411 - Cathy Wilson, De Leon
- 412 - Joe Braswell, Midland
- 415 - Mrs. G. A. Kinsey, Eastland
- 416 - Mrs. T. Y. Gregg, Gorman
- 417 - Mr. & Mrs. Gus Myers, Comanche
- 418 - R. J. Guthery, Irving
- 419 - W. H. Snell, Carbon

should reach the county office not later than May 10, 1960, Mr. Bryant said. At the time of application, the farmer will be asked to deposit sufficient funds to cover cost of the work. The cost has been set at \$10.00 per farm, plus \$4.00 for each plot over one.

Final Rites For Mrs. A. S. Goodwin Held At Lamesa

Funeral services for Mrs. Alma Sue Goodwin were held on Monday, March 21, 1960 in the Congregational Methodist Church at 10:30 a. m. with Bro. Marion Dennis conducting. She was born August 3, 1907.

On February 17, 1954 she was married to Walter Goodwin in Lamesa, Texas, where she had lived most of her life.

Mrs. Goodwin has been a member of the Methodist Church since she was twelve years of age.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter by a former marriage, Mrs. Lou Nell Marchbanks of El Monte, California; a step son, Walter J. Goodwin of Big Spring; two sisters, Mmes. Lois Cates of Lubbock and Audine Owens of Pecos; five grandchildren; one niece and one nephew.

Pallbearers were Claud Dennis, Fred Rodgers, Odus Rodgers, Herman Eison, Crawford Thurman, and Tidy Eaves.

Immediately after the services in Gorman her body was taken to Lamesa where on Tuesday morning, in the funeral chapel of Higginbotham's at 10:00 a. m., another service for her was held.

Interment was in the Lamesa Cemetery.

Heart Attack Fatal To June Hendricks

Mr. June K. Hendricks, 56, died of a heart attack at his home in Fort Worth on Thursday, March 17, 1960.

Funeral services were held in Fort Worth on Saturday morning, March 19. The body was then brought to the Flatwood Cemetery for graveside rites and burial.

He is survived by his wife and three sons, Farris of Fort Worth, Norris K. and Jimmy of Weatherford; three daughters, Mrs. Reba of Indiana, Annetta and Gracie Mae of the home, and ten grandchildren.

He is also survived by one brother, Mr. Jess Hendricks of Olden, a sister, Mrs. Lum Tuggle of the Kokomo Community, a sister in Arizona who was unable to attend the funeral due to illness, several nieces and nephews, including Mrs. Floyd Wood and Mr. Albert Hendricks of the Kokomo Community.

Mr. Hendricks was a former resident of the Kokomo Community.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

ISSUE DATES FOR USDA SURPLUS FOOD ANNOUNCED

The next issue dates for the USDA Surplus Foods in Eastland will be as follows:

Monday, April 11 - Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Tuesday, April 12 - Rising Star, Pioneer, Okra, Carbon, Gorman, and Desdemona.

Wednesday, April 13 - Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

SINGING AT KOKOMO SUNDAY, MARCH 27

The regular fourth Sunday Singing will be held at Kokomo on Sunday, March 27.

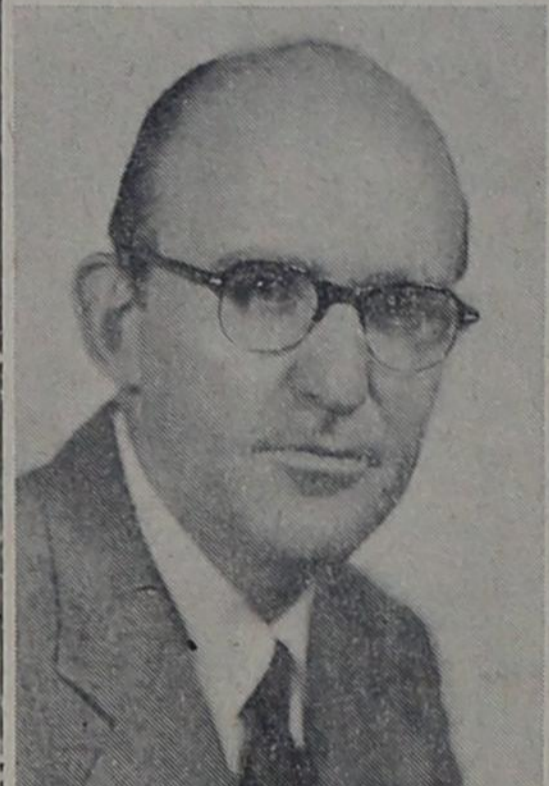
All singers and lovers of good gospel music are cordially invited to attend.

by the broadcasts to people behind the iron curtain. It is a film every American should see. It should make each one of us who saw it want to "hug our Constitution" closer to us.

Thanks go to Mr. Check Smith for operating the projector for us. We were served a delicious refreshment plate before bidding goodnight to our hostess.

BRADSHAW IS CANDIDATE FOR STATE SENATOR

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Floyd Bradshaw, a candidate for a second term in the Texas Senate, is a veteran of World War II and has served four terms in the House of Representatives from Parker, Wise and Jack Counties. He is a school teacher, married, and has a wife and four children. He is a graduate of East Texas State Teachers College and a member of the Christian Church.

Bradshaw has consistently worked to promote soil and water conservation, better roads, schools, aid to the needy and benefits for veterans. He was author of the constitutional amendment giving Texas servicemen and women the right to vote. While in the House of Representatives Bradshaw served as Chairman of Education, Claims and Accounts and Sub-Committee for Junior and Senior Colleges. Upon being elected to the Texas Senate, he was appointed to five major committees. He is presently Chairman of the Insurance Committee, Chairman of Senate Finance Sub-Committee, member of Public Health, State Affairs, Education and Claims and Accounts.

During the interim, he is serving on the Cost of Government Committee to find ways and means of cutting out wasteful and unnecessary spending and the Texas Educational Standards Commission.

Senator Bradshaw was author of several insurance reform laws that brought about strict regulation that put many insolvent companies out of business. He was author of two Bills that repealed several hundred old outdated laws that hampered the freedom and operation of local county government. Bradshaw has vigorously opposed restrictive regulatory laws promoted by special interest groups.

Some of the laws sponsored by Bradshaw are listed here for your consideration. Rebuilt fire-trap Deaf Mute school; relocated and rebuilt old Blind, Deaf and Orphan School for colored children; New training school at Gatesville to segregate young offenders from hardened juvenile repeaters; flood control and water improvement district in Eastland, Denton, Jack, Palo Pinto, Wise, and Parker Counties; resolution creating agency to handle surplus property for schools and school lunch program. Bradshaw has been active in supporting measures to enact animal health legislation that would benefit the farmer, dairyman, and rancher.

Floyd Bradshaw is opposed to Federal as well as State Centralization and interference in the operation of our schools, business and local affairs, and will continue to fight to maintain our freedom in such matters. He is well known as a quiet and effective leader in helping solve the major problems that come before the Legislature.

Your vote and support of Floyd Bradshaw, for State Senator, will be sincerely appreciated.

Wedding Shower To Honor Miss Janet Allday



A wedding shower is to be given March 25 from 7 to 9 p. m. at the home of Mrs. W. T. Shell in Gorman. Co-hostesses will be Mmes. A. A. Brown, Charles Underwood and L. T. Wright. Several out-of-town guests will attend the shower honoring Miss Allday, formerly of Gorman.

FORT WORTH — Mr. and Mrs. Reece Allday, 3536 Montreal Circle, have announced the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Miss Janet Reece Allday, to Oliver Waddill Burns, 3770 Wayside, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Burns of Irene.

Miss Allday and her fiancé will be married at 7:30 p. m. April 15 in Southside Church of Christ. A reception will be given in the church hall.

Mrs. Alex Hoover will be her cousin's matron of honor, and Don L. Burkett will be best man.

Groomsmen will be Lloyd Gillis, Larry G. Garrett of Yuma, Ariz., Ralph E. Owen and Joe Wilson of Houston. Kathleen and Nort Truly, nieces of the prospective bridegroom, will light the candles.

Miss Allday is a graduate of Wichita Falls High School and attended NTSC. Her fiancé attended Arlington State College, and is a student at TWC.

Mmes. J. B. Morgan, Kenneth Arnold and Hoover will have a shower March 31 for the bride-elect.

New Hope Baptist Spring Revival To Begin Sunday, 27th

The Spring Revival at the New Hope No. 2 Baptist Church will begin on Sunday, March 27 with services each evening beginning at 7:30. Prayer services will be held each evening at 7 o'clock.

The revival, conducted by Rev. Pat Cummins, pastor of Warrens Creek Baptist Church of Hamilton, will continue through April 3rd.

Bro. Walt Wilson, pastor of the New Hope Baptist, will preach the first two services and will also lead the singing in the revival.

We have this note from the pastor: "During these days of revival we have chosen as our theme, 'To Be Like Jesus', which should be the greatest and most sincere desire of each of us, as we seek to find God's will and purpose for our lives. We invite any and all to come and worship with us at our church - small enough to know you, and large enough to serve you."

Sandra Bennett Opens Beauty Shop

Congratulations are in order for Miss Sandra Bennett upon the opening of her new beauty shop on Monday, March 21, 1960.

Sandra is a hometown girl. She is a graduate of the 1958 class of Gorman High School and was chosen Homecoming Queen during the homecoming festivities.

We wish for her every success.

Jackpot Escapes With \$15; Worth \$27 This Week

The many people who were after "Jackpot" last week were unable to prevent him from slipping through the tightly drawn net. The wise thing to do seems to be; add more deputies to your staff and stress vigilance. Form your own "Brigade of Vigilantes."

Again the Who's Who was identified, but false clues crept in and prevented Mr. Thearon Gilmore from winning the entire amount of \$22. Only \$7 was his reward. The "Jackpot" escaped with \$15, making his capture now worth \$27. So round up your assistants and search real hard for all clues and identification.

Mr. "Quail" Thompson was our Who's Who last week with these clues: Quick to Respond; Very Necessary (Mr. Thompson is our Fire Chief), and Join the Fun.

There can be one or more clues. You never can tell how many there are until you track 'em down.

Happy hunting!

Livestock Show Opens Friday, 25 At Eastland

The annual County Livestock Show at Eastland, March 25-26, with 534 animals already entered, promises to be one of the largest ever held in its long history, according to show officials.

Approximately \$1,500 in cash prizes will be distributed to the F. F. A. and 4-H Club boys and girls with prize winning animals during the two day affair.

Adults are eligible to show, but compete for the ribbons only, it was said. Each of the junior exhibitors are limited to two animals in each fat animal class except the F. F. A. and 4-H Clubs. The fat animal division of fat pigs, fat lambs and fat steers is limited to junior exhibitors.

The Eastland Auction Company will give three \$10.00 cash awards to the boy or girl who does the best job of fitting, grooming, showing and keeping the animal stalls and the aisles neat and clean during the show.

One award will be for swine, one for cattle, and one award for sheep. D. S. Buchanan and Lloyd Coan are co-owners of the Eastland Auction Company.

Entry fees of 50 cents for sheep, goats and hogs, and \$1.00 for cattle will be charged. This is a new ruling. Fees are to be used to defray expenses of the show and to help in construction of new facilities at the show grounds.

Auction of the boys and girls prize winning fat steers, lambs and pigs exhibited at the show will be held on the last day, March 26, at the Eastland auction barn just east of that city, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

An invitation is being extended, by George Steele, Rising Star, President of the Eastland County Livestock Raisers Assn. and sponsor of the show, to all who want to fill their deep freezers with top quality meat to come out and purchase one or more of the animals.

A total of 19 fat steers, 139 fat lambs, and 125 fat pigs will be auctioned off. A price ceiling is put on each animal except the grand and reserve champions. The price ceiling depends upon the animal if prime, choice or good grade. All of the fat animals are graded on a packer basis, it was explained.

All animals in the show must be entered and in their places by 12 o'clock on Friday, March 25th. This rule has been rigidly enforced the past two years.

Angora goats, dairy cattle and the breeding classes of sheep are to be judged on the first afternoon of the show. All other classes will be judged the second day.

Animals will be sifted as they come in - by a qualified man from another county. Animals deemed to be poorly finished or of a quality not a credit to the show will be sifted out and returned home.

KOKOMO NEWS

By Mrs. Glenn Jordan

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Caraway were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pack on Thursday. Mrs. Delman Eaves and children

visited with the Packs on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Bryant, Charles and Larry, and Mrs. W. F. Bryant visited in De Leon on Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardin and children. On Saturday night Mr. and

Mrs. Lawrence Collins of Rankin and Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Alvie visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Justice.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Eppler of Gorman visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal on Saturday night. Rev. Jackie Heath visited with the O'Neals on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbourne Wood and Terri of Carbon, Mrs. Mary Timmons and Mrs. Edward Stacy of Carbon, Mrs. Ruth Bryant and Mrs. Joyce Eaves visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks last week.

Mrs. Tom Lasater and Jerry of Eastland were visiting with Mrs. W. F. Bryant on Sunday morning.

Several from the community attended the funeral of Mr. June Hendricks at the Flatwood Cemetery on Saturday afternoon. We extend sincere sympathy to the Hendricks family.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Heath and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lon Snider were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Snider on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Larry, and Mrs. John Wheeler were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves on Sunday.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henderson of Staff, Mrs. Letha Rogers and Mr. D. B. Crawley, Mrs. Carra Sessum was a visitor on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and son of Carbon were dinner guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Alvie, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan were visiting with them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Webb of Abilene and Mrs. Delman Eaves and children were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves on Sunday.

Mrs. E. B. Foster of De Leon visited with her sister, Mrs. Lon Snider on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Gilmore of Gorman spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Parker.

Those from the community attending the singing at Gorman on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson, Mrs. W. F. Bryant, Mrs. Carra Sessum, Mrs. Nancy Hendricks and Sylvia, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Justice, and Mr. John W. Henderson.

Glenn Jordan was a business visitor to Fort Worth on Monday.

Mr. Henry Scitern didn't get to come home over the week end but hopes to soon.

Mr. W. A. O'Neal received word on Monday that his cousin, Mr. Fred Wallace, 46, died of a heart attack in Alaska on Sunday. The body will be returned here for burial, but arrangements are incomplete at this writing. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendricks of Olden spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Tidy Eaves. They spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Tuggle.

Several from the community attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Goodwin at Gorman on Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Tidy Eaves went to Lamesa for Mrs. Goodwin's burial there.

Mr. and Mrs. Delman Eaves made a trip to Ft Worth on Tuesday.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Akers of Odessa visited the Bowles family this week.

Mrs. Frank Dean is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ormsby of Borger.

Mrs. Adcock is visiting her sons in Borger.

Mrs. John Webb visited her mother, Mrs. Marvin Roberts here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barr of Bonham recently spent four days with their daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. John Dowd and grandson, Mark.

Visiting Mrs. Ethel Walker and Jean Hallum Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Orbrey Walker and son Leslie Glenn and Mr. John W. Walker Jr. all of Fort Worth.

Mr. Brawner Lee Files returned home last Friday from a ten day visit in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. Jan Acrea. He also visited in the home of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Files.

Visitors in the First Baptist Church last Sunday were Mrs. Calvin Swan of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Park of Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Koen and son Randy of Abilene visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mauney Sunday and attended church with them.

JIMMIE F. DEAN

COMPLETES COURSE IN COMPANY TRAINING IN NY

NEW YORK - Jimmie F. Dean, a professional service representative of Pfizer Laboratories, a division of Chas. Pfizer & Co., Inc., recently attended a two-week company training session in Clifton, N. J.

Mr. Dean, a pharmacy graduate of Texas University, joined the company in August. He and his wife, Beatrice, have a daughter, Cassandra, and live at 4403 Monty Drive, Midland, Texas.

Editors Note: Jimmie is the son of Mrs. J. Frank Dean of Gorman.

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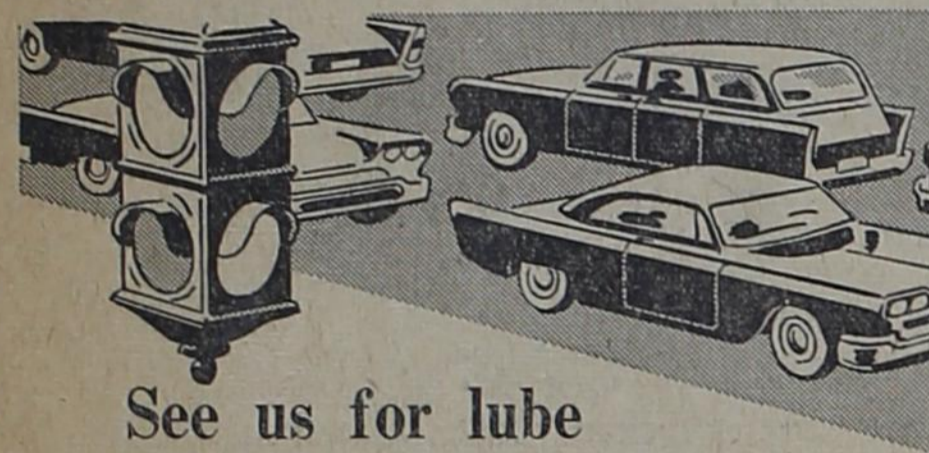
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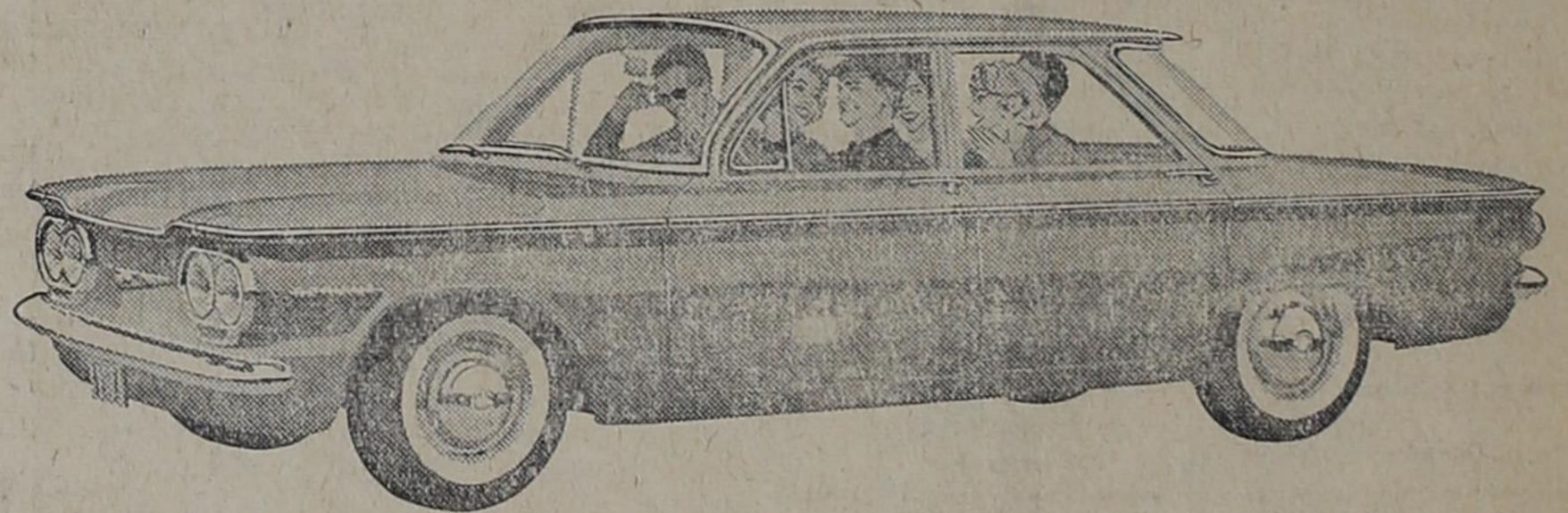
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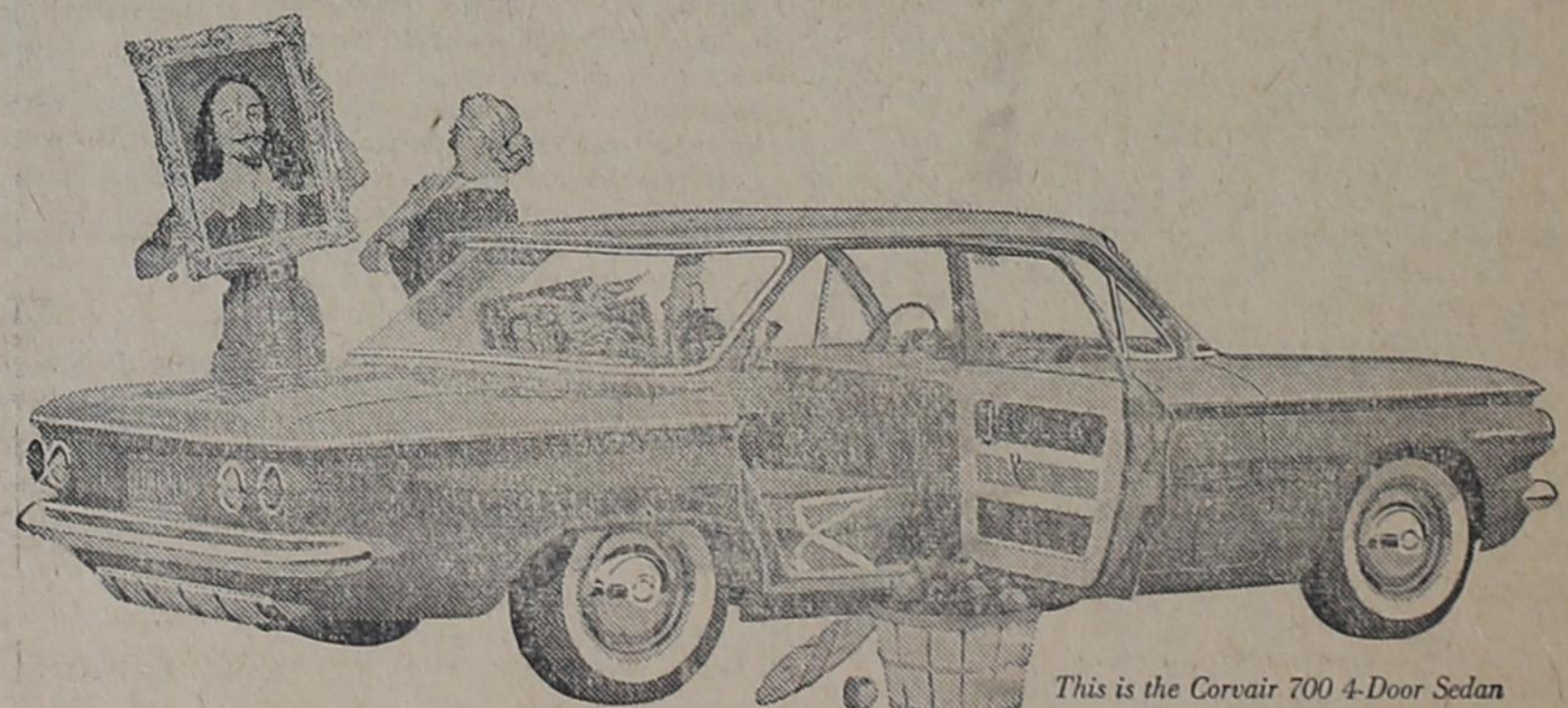
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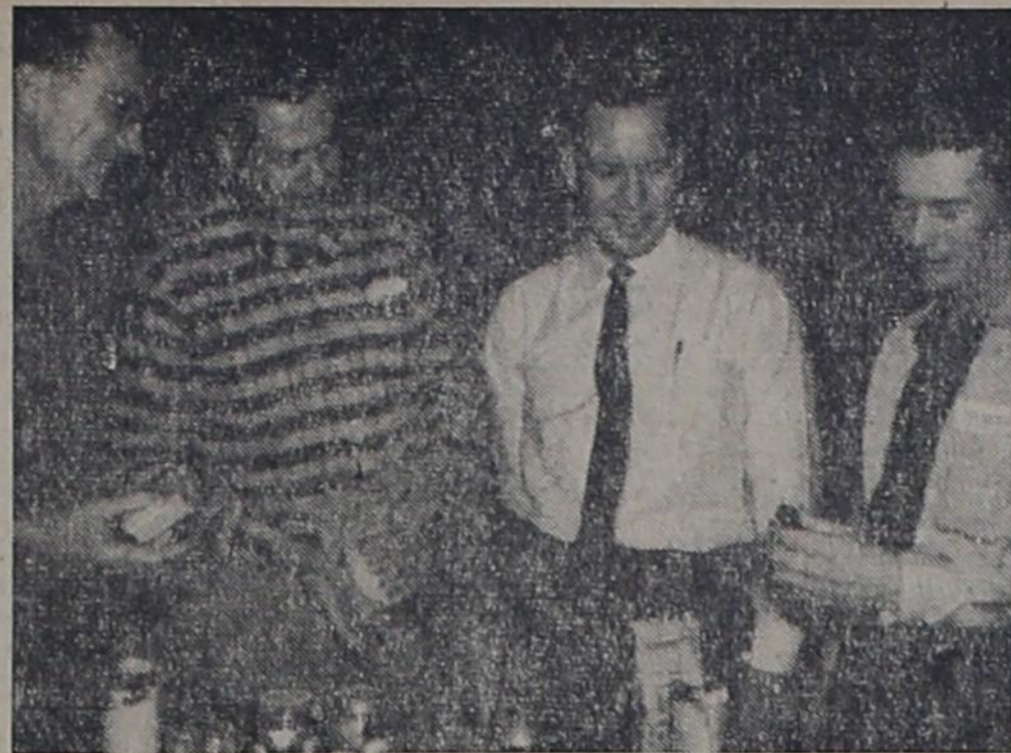
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. . . and there were many BUTS clarified at a Brush and
Fertilizer Control demonstration program in D. J. Jobe's
building Tuesday night.

Left to right: Dr. Ivan E. Miles, agronomist, and Jimmie
L. Gillen, field representative, both with Olin Mathieson
Chemical Corp., Houston, Texas; Harold E. Shahan, repre-
sentative for Estes Chemicals, Inc., Wichita Falls, and James
Jobe, Gorman, examining chemicals and fertilizer used dur-
ing the demonstration.

Listening and talking with these representatives one for-
gets they are just doing a job because their enthusiasm and
interest in trying to assist the farmer in preserving his land
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Announcements**

The Gorman Progress has been
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FOR CONGRESSMAN:
17th. District, Texas:
ROY SKAGGS, Abilene
R. M. (Bob) WAGSTAFF
of Abilene

FOR SHERIFF:
Lee Horn
W. E. Reid
J. B. Williams (re-election)
O. M. (Hop) White

**FOR TAX ASSESSOR-
COLLECTOR:**
J. C. Allison (re-election)

**FOR STATE REP.
76TH. DISTRICT:**
Paul Brashear (re-election)
Don Kincaid
Scott Bailey

**FOR STATE SENATOR
22ND. DISTRICT:**
Tom Creighton
Floyd Bradshaw
for 2nd. Term

FOR CONSTABLE, Precinct Five
E. L. (Jug) DENNIS, re-election
BILL PARTEN

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**LOCAL DIST. DEPUTY PRES.
OF REBEKAHS ATTENDS
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Mrs. A. C. Files, District De-
puty President of District No. 46
of the Rebekah Lodge, attended
the State Assembly meeting at
Fort Worth March 20 through
March 22nd.

The President of International
Assembly of Rebekah Lodges
from Alabama, President of State
Assembly of Arkansas and New
Mexico, along with a number of
visitors from out of state, attend-
ed.

At the Sunday luncheon hono-
ring the Grand Master of Inter-
national Odd Fellows, Mr. E. O.
Richard of Nebraska, there was
a record crowd and he was hav-
ing trouble getting through and
into the dining room. Some of the
officials pushed through asking
that a passage be opened up for
Clark Gable. He had no further
trouble getting to his place of
honor. (To tell the truth, he re-
ally does look like Clark Gable).

There were more than 2,000
registered for the meeting, one of
the largest number to attend such
a function.

The next meeting of the IOOF
Grand Lodge and the Rebekah
Assembly is scheduled to be held
in Austin next year.

**T. E. L. CLASS HOLDS
REGULAR MEETING**

The T. E. L. Class of the First
Baptist Church held their regu-
lar meeting on March 17th. with
a covered dish luncheon. Visitors
were Bro. Kyle and family, Mrs.
Cynthia Earles and Mr. C. O.
Huff and Mr. Evin Martin. Bro.
Kyle expressed thanks.

After lunch the meeting was
called to order by President,
Emily Yates. Mrs. Will Capers
lead in prayer. Bro. Kyle read
the 8th. Chapter of Hebrews and
lead in prayer.

Mrs. Yates read 100 Psalms.
Mrs. Jim Wood lead in prayer.
The class voted to give the
quilt they quilted to The Kirk's
Nursing Home. Another quilt
project is on hand.

Miss Buena Van Winkle played
and sang "My God Is Real". Mrs.
Maud Huff closed the meeting
with a prayer.

Those of the class present were
Mmes. Jim Wood, Jimmie War-
ren, Vesta Weeden, Evin Martin,
Myrtle Duke, Maud Huff, and
Miss Van Winkle.

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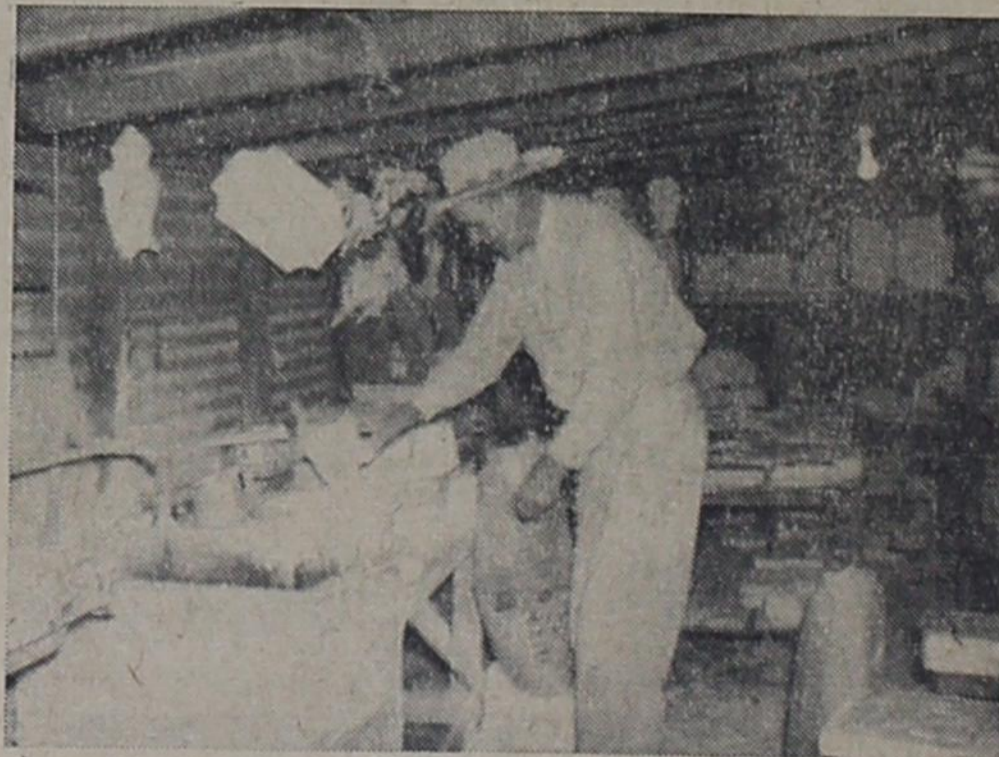
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DESDEMONA NEWS

ETHEL KEITH, Reporter

The attendance has been low the past two weeks at our school.

Mr. Homer Abernathy returned home Saturday after spending a week in the Harris Hospital at Ft Worth and is reported with some improvement in his condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Finley of Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Richburg of Grand Prairie visited Tuesday with their aunt, Sally Eaton.

LORETTA CAROL BAKER WED TO RONNIE CREED

Mrs. Carl Cox of Stephenville wishes to announce the marriage of her daughter, Loretta Carol Baker, also of Stephenville, to Mr. Ronnie Creed of De Leon.

The couple were married in Gorman on Tuesday afternoon, March 15th.

Those attending were Mrs. Cox, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Mac Curb of Gorman.

The groom is employed with the Golden Oak Feed Mill in De Leon. They are also making De Leon their home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Owens of Odessa spent a part of last week with his mother, Mrs. Agnes Owens.

Word was received here last week that Mrs. W. C. Bedford had passed away.

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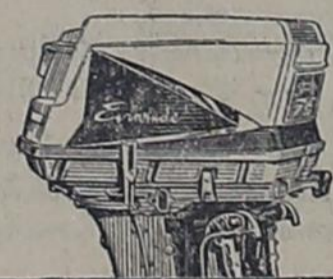
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Little Charles Fonville, son of Mrs. Murel Fonville, is best now since January with Rheumatic fever.

The W. H. Davis' were in Cisco on Saturday to visit with Mrs. Tickner and to offer sympathy to the bereaved family of the loss of their father and husband, Rev. Tickner.

Mrs. Dess Abernathy and Mrs. Agnes Owens attended the funeral of Mr. Young on Tuesday.

Redecoration work on the Baptist parsonage has almost been completed and will soon be ready for occupancy by the new pastor, Rev. Smith, formerly of De Leon.

Mr. C. S. Eldridge suffered a heart attack several days ago and is a patient in the Gorman hospital. He is reported in fair condition.

Mrs. Elsie Norris of Dublin visited with her mother, Mrs. Ida Wilhite, one day last week.

Mrs. Floyd Moore entered the Gorman hospital early Monday to undergo surgery.

Mr. Rob Guthery is a patient in the Gorman hospital.

Joe Merrill, Jr. and family of Ft Worth spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merrill, Sr.

Miss Charlene Stacy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Stacy, is a patient in the Gorman hospital suffering from the flu.

Mrs. Myrt Reid has recently returned home from a 45 day visit with her children. The first visit was a month in Pennsylvania with her daughter, Billie Martin and family, and then in Louisiana with Iris June Townsend and family in Baton Rouge, and also in Alvin with Phil Reid and family.

Mr. H. T. Lane spent last week in Eastland with her mother, Mrs. Amanda Rogers, who has been quite ill for some time. She is now reported quite improved.

Mrs. Joe Ben Koonce was at the bedside of her father, Mr. Loyd Kirkland, on Monday of this week in Dublin when he went into surgery for the amputation of his leg. The other leg had been amputated several months ago.

Mr. Rodney Reid of Calif. and Mrs. Eddie Williamson spent the weekend here with their cousin, Mrs. Myrt Reid. While here the group drove around down near their "old stomping grounds" for an outing.

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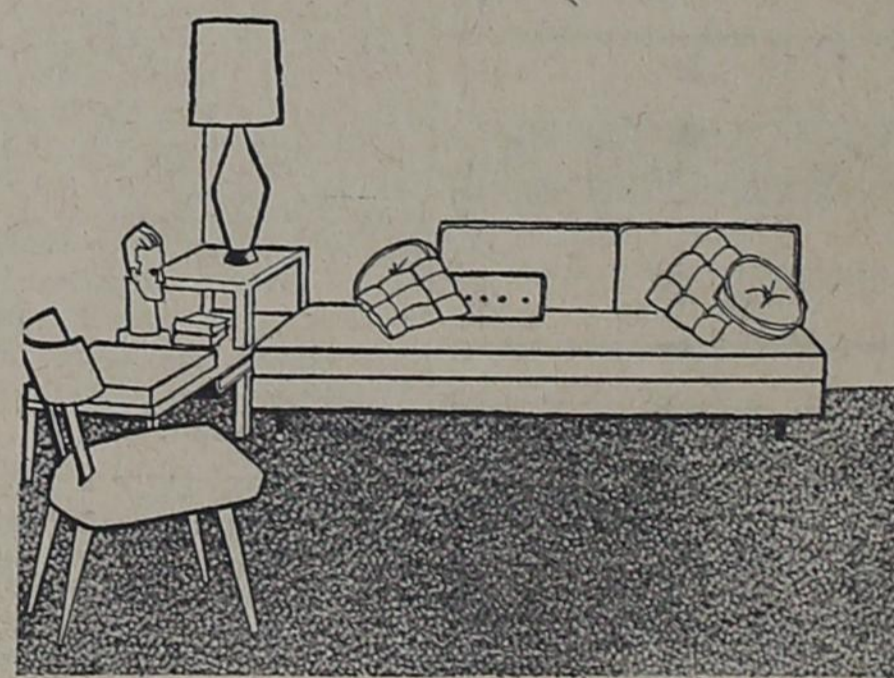
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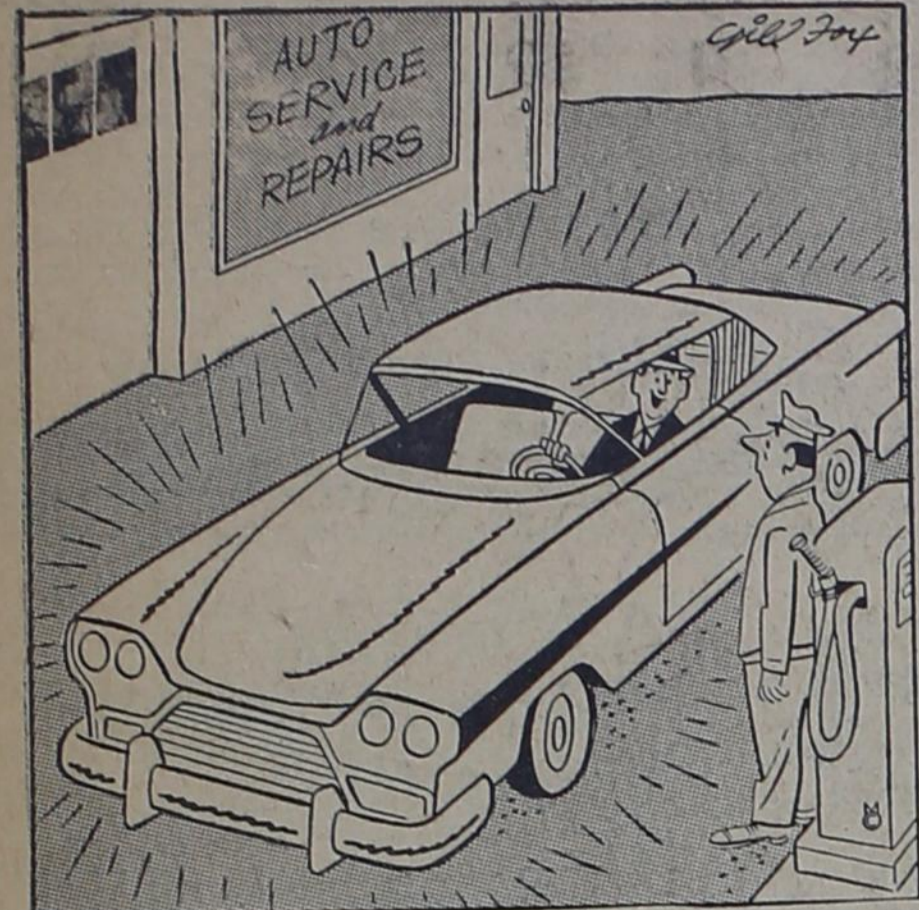
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