



HULLS by Kernel Gene, aPe

TEST YOUR INTELLIGENCE "Put round bottle in square hole."

- so states a sign near a Dr. Pepper box in Mehaffey Drug Store. It was erected by Jerry Mehaffey who is almost as allergic to work as his father, R.

Honesty is the best policy, so they say. (whoever THEY are.) Anyway, I don't read the Progress very often but lately I have Electric ads and their program they make for roads." of advertising, "The Opportunity

Anybody interested in buying the "Rights and Privileges of Publishing the Gorman Progress" see Kernel Gene.

land County.

It was almost like seeing Santa Claus when the Brashers and the Wards of Abilene dropped in for a visit Sunday afternoon and left the Progress Library. It has been almost two years since Hamillicity in the Abilene Reporter . . . and to think Mrs. Ward was nice see our Library.

ght's picture in the wall and said them." that he knew John quite well.

Naturally I am quite proud of Mr. Hallmark, Eastland Jay-

## **WSCS Hold First** Fall Meet Tuesday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1960 for the first meeting of the fall season. Mrs. Gifford Acrea presided and Mrs. Keith Whitt gave the devotional.

Mrs. Barton Eppler, vice-president, presented the yearbooks and announced that there would be a Heritage Tea on Sept. 20 with Mrs. Henry Capers and Mrs. Duster road and out Lexington Barton Eppler as co-hostesses.

urged to attend and bring a guest. new lines will make sewage a-

8th. Plan To Be Present.



Guests of Gorman Businessmen's Club Monday night were C. Mehaffey. Jerry says so far Robert J. Millican, District Engineer; E. M. Pritchard, Assist- John Gobel and Higginbotham the sign is getting desired results ant District Engineer and will be promoted to District En- Funeral Home was in charge as he does not have to pick up gineer when Mr. Millican retires Sept. 15; Gordon Smith, with the interment being in Gornear as many bottles and he ap- Resident Engineer of Eastland County who is being promoted preciates the wonderful cooper- to Assistant District Engineer. R. P. (Buddy) Haun of Eastland will become the new Resident Engineer.

Frontier", which includes Eastsense of humor, Mr. Millican has was one of Mr. Millican's first been well suited for the job of projects. building over 2100 miles of road in his district which covers Brown, Comanche, Coleman, Eastland, Mills, McCuller, Lam-

pasas and Stephens Counties.

Highway Department and said, County. He was resident engineer Brown, James Brown, Blanton year. And do you remember working. Coming-Home Queen is Texas to have so many fine roads | 1943 to January, 1952. several boxes of magazines for is that the Highway Department He has been with the State is free from political pressure. Highway Dept. since 1936, hav-When money is allotted to a Dis- ing accepted employment on ton Wright and Robin Tibbetts trict Engineer he is free to use it graduating from Texas A&M in gave the Progress so much pub- anywhere in his District without 1936.

"The committees in my district enough to remember and make that have called at the Browna speical trip to Gorman just to wood office have always been reasonable in their demands. It Mr. Brasher noticed John Wri- has been a pleasure to deal with

the compliments from Mr. and cee visited the Progress office Mrs. Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Wednesday and left a block of Brasher of Abilene, but I am tickets for reserved seats at the much happier with the publicity | Peanut Bowl Football Game bethat Gorman received from tween Ranger and Cisco Junior these articles in the Abilene Re- College, Saturday night, September 24th. in Eastland. Anyone interested may purchase tickets at the Progress office. - \$1.25 each.

have any standing room by game Haun has been living in East-

NO MORE ROAD BUILDING | Dr. J. B. Brandon, a personal "I have enjoyed my 36 years of friend of Mr. Millican, introduced dealing with the public," stated him to the club members. Dr. Mr. Millican. "They always think Brandon was mayor, Mr. J. E. they are right until they talk Walker, city secretary of Gorman been interested in the Texas themselves out of the requests when Mr. Millican took over as District Engineer in Brownwood. An affable man with a rare Highway Six through Gorman

> EASTLAND COUNTY FORMER RESIDENT OF

Mr. E. M. Pritchard, our new District Engineer, is well ac-He spoke highly of the State quainted with folks in Eastland

MOVING TO BROWNWOOD

Gordon Smith, Resident Engineer in Eastland County for the past thirteen years, has moved to Brownwood where he will be the Assistant District Engineer.

Mr. Smith has done an excellent job for Eastland County and well deserves his promotion. He said, "Please thank the people of this Precinct for me. They have been very cooperative and I have enjoyed working with them and your Commissioner, B. M. Ben-

NEW RESIDENT ENGINEER

R. P. (Buddy) Haun, who was The Eastland Jaycees are plan- unable to attend the meeting on ning lots of festivities for this Monday night, takes Smith's affair and I doubt if they will place as Resident Engineer. Mr. land since 1954.

from 3 until 5 o'clock, commem- highly commended for the tre- Bennett and Barnett Stations. orating the 20th. Anniversary of mendous task they have under- The Commission is also in the prothe W.S.C.S. The tea will be held taken. Sewer lines in the south- cess of paving and topping sevin the home of Mrs. Wilbur Shell east part of Gorman and on the eral streets. Drive have been or are in the Every lady in the church is process of being completed. These vailable to more than 30 homes BE THINKING About The An. and any new homes that may be nual HOMECOMING On OCT. built. Plans are underway to the improvement of our town

The City Commission is to be east of town in the area of the

The Equalization Board has met twice and tax-payers have been very cooperative in working with them.

These men are working for start work on sewer lines north- and a word of commendation ship which was held at the Gor- votional and scripture reading. from you is all they will receive man Methodist Church Monday for their time and work.

Mr. Horton, son of G. W. and Inez Lynam of Houston. Progress Library in the Abilene Reporter she had been want- a cafe and fruit store until rewith friends on the street while tors the past week.

Funeral services were held on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the Gorman Church of Christ for Mrs. J. T. Brown, 83, who died at the Kirk Nursing Home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Brown had lived with her daughter, Mrs. Buck Lewis. in Gorman until entering the nursing home September 4th. Her death followed a prolonged illness attributed to age.

Brother J. Frank Lilly officiated the funeral assisted by Brother man Cemetery.

Born Annie Missouri Loyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loyd in Comanche County on August 14, 1877, she had lived entire lifetime.

in death in 1948.

Gorman, Jack of Albany, Henry home for a visit. By the same remains unchanged. As I rememof Odessa, Aubrey of Abilene token, it's the time when all of ber, though, we used to yell much and Carlton of Cisco; two dau- us living here-abouts are invited louder (or maybe it only seemed ghters, Mrs. Lillie Stockton of to be present to welcome home- so). California and Mrs. Lewis.

T. A. Brown, Wayne Brown, already that the Hudsons (re- class roll call, maybe a short Jimmy Brown, Bob Moseley, Ce- member?) and husbands from talk - this part isn't quite comcil Brown; Honorary - Corky California plan to be here this plete - but the committee i "One thing that has enabled in Eastland County from May, Moody, Kenneth Brown, Donald Supt. Macon? He plans to at-Brown, and Johnnie Brown.

## Five High School Teams To Attend Peanut Bowl Game

ball team and coaching staff will able to detect.

sponsors were present.

in full swing by extending the

welcome and then announcing the

first hymn. Butch Boyd led the

singing, and Carol Hatcher play-

standing while Kay Hopper of

Ranger gave the prayer. Special

music was presented by Kay

Craddock who gave a song-read-

Methodist Youth Fellowship

Sub-District Meeting Held Here

# Panthers Play Host To Tolar After Throckmorton Loss

The Throckmorton Greyhounds | quick touchdowns and when the | Again all the boys saw action. think that when a team gets beat by this size margin that it would hounds getting off to a couple of beyond expectations.

downed the Gorman Panthers last Panthers would get a sustained Coach Walters is using every Friday night 32-0. You would drive going fumbles would slow

not be a good game; but the Gorman showed improvement when the Panthers get into disgame last Friday night was a over the De Leon game. Consid- trict play in about two weeks. much better one than the score ering the freshmen, sophomores indicates. Fumbles and a leakey and not many returning letterpass defense lead to the Grey- men, the Panthers have played backs are continuing to run and

## PLANS UNDERWAY FOR LOCAL HOMECOMING SAT., OCT. 8TH

Survivors are five sons, Ed of man's School are invited to come but the familiar old school song comers, many having come quite Ballbearers were her grand- long distances to visit together sons: Active - Truman Brown, again for a day. (Have heard torium. This will include election,

The Planning Committee has been in session frequently of late. chicken, ham or beef, potato day, September 20th. An outline of activities is just salad, beans and everything, inthe plans will be mailed, probably this week, to every former your reservations for dinner mann and Earl Conner orchards The Gorman High School foot- address the committee has been children 65c. However, if you "Hap" Jackson orchard near Car-

County Peanut Bowl game as a tration session was such a hit get them when you get here. group and be guests of the East- last year that it will begin the iand Jaycees, it was announced day again this year - 9:00 a. m. at the High School. Everyone Five high school teams will be visits and remembers "when" in honored at the Ranger College- an informal buzz session, mean-Cisco Junior College tilt Sept. 24 while registering and pinning on a name tag. This may well be the

October 8, 1960. That's the most popular event of the day. in the Gorman area during her date - 9:00 a.m. on Saturday is Or it might be the Downtown the time — the time of Gorman's Pep Rally at 2:00 p. m. The yells Her husband had preceded her Annual Homecoming — the time may be a little different, and this when all former students of Gor- year the band uniforms are new,

Then comes the afternoon meeting, 2:30 p. m. High School Audielected at this time, too.

The football game at 7:30 p. m. will be between the Gorman casting I'll leave to the sports- ness session will be held. writers, except to remind you of game, this consists of crowning Brown County. a Homecoming Queen, Band

Sweetheart, and Coming Home Queen. (this could be you, girls). All very exciting and reminis-

After the game there will be another informal, "you're not-I wouldn't have known you" get together. Not sure yet where this will be. But for younger ex-students and teen-agers of ex-students there will also be a gettogether, and it will be at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall sponsored by the Metho- The First National Bank and dist Young People.

and on. Do hope that at least September 8th at the Brown Jug some part has appealed to you Cafe to peanut men, including enough to excite your desire to producers, warehouse inspectors, come to the Homecoming - - - buyers, county agents, bank repmark your calendar right now - resentatives, and newspaper men October 8, 1960.

man to gain some experience in these early non-conference games which will prove very valuable The Panther line continues to hit hard from end to end and the

block with determination. This Friday night the Panthers will host the Tolar team at Brogdon Field at 8:00 p. m. These two teams have tied the past few years and it looks like it will be another evenly matched ball

If the Panthers continue to improve as they have in the first two games we believe they can win the game Friday night.

Every football fan is urged to come out and back the boys and show them we are proud of the way they are hustling this year.

Dinner will be at the Brown land County Pecan Growers Jug at 5:30 p. m. - barbecue Association will be held on Tues-

about complete, and a letter of cluding drink and dessert. If pos- Implement Company at 9:45 a. sible, the committee would like m., with stops at the Bill Hoff-Gorman School student whose early. Tickets are adult, \$1.25 and in the Flatwoods Community, the can't get your tickets early, don't bon, and the Lee Burkhead orchattend the First Annual Eastland | The informal coffee and regis- let that stop you. You can still ard north of Rising Star before

> The group will eat lunch at the Elite Cafe in Rising Star about Panthers and Aledo. This fore- 1:00 p. m. - after which a busi-

> After the business meeting, the the traditional half-time activit- group will tour one other orchies. If, horror of horrors, you've ard, that of H. J. Bishop, a few never attended a Homecoming miles south of Rising Star in

> > We would like to invite everyone who is interested in the pecan industry to go with us on

the Southwestern Peanut Grow-My, how this has rambled on ers' Assn. in Gorman were host

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# Pictured above are the new er on the organ. Butch Boyd and fficer of the Thomas-Coke sub-listrict Methodist Youth Fellows Kay Craddock then gave the de-Host Granbury Tuesday

The Gorman Grade School Cubs were defeated last Thurs- No. Name day night by the Cisco Midgets. 11 William Jay The score was 30-6. The Gorman defense could not 13 Doyle Welch

match the line play and fast 14 Mike Foster backs on the Cisco team. The Gorman touchdown came 16 Jim Thompson

street to Halfback William Jay. 18 Dwight Carter The Cubs open their district | 19 Jackie Harrison race next Tuesday night when 20 Robert Whitt they play host to Granbury at 21 Gerald Scitern

PEANUT PARADE IN EASTLAND

If you plan on having a float 27 Tommy Kirk or entry in the Parade at East- 28 David Kirk ladies who furnished the refresh- 24th, please send the name of 30 Robert Hunt your civic club, riding club or 31 Tommy Broom After much eating and visiting, business to Parade Marshall, Box 32 Tommy Sutton

> The Parade forms Saturday af- 34 Ronnie Smith Lamar Street, near the Depot. 40 Dewey Earles

GORMAN CUBS

12 James Jav 15 Danny Thompson on a pass play from Gary Over- 17 Jerry Ormsby 22 Tommy Clark Vance Laminack 24 Dyrick Pocock 25 Don Wallace 26 Terry Joiner

33 Gary Overstreet

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brasher and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ward of Alice Horton, was born at Des-Abilene made a special trip to the Progress office Sunday demona, Texas June 6, 1882. afternoon to leave several boxes of magazines for the Pro- Married to Miss Clara Maynard man, Bill Simpson, Charlie Good- ies. We would like to thank the land Saturday afternoon, Sept. 29 David Hunt gress Library. Mrs. Ward stated that since the day she read in 1912, he had lived in Gorman win and Vernon Files. the article by Hamilton Wright and saw the pictures of the about 50 years where he operated

ing to pay us a visit. Kernel Gene had the pleasure of driving these friendly to ill health. He had been a well ver, Texas visited their parents, Meeting closed with the Fellowfolk around Gorman and showing them some of the new known figure about town visiting Miles McMillans and J. C. Clai- ship Circle repeating the MYF ternon, 2 P. M. Sept. 24, on No. 35 Stephen Sanders homes, our hospital, peanut mill, etc.

Funeral services for Walter G. Horton, 78, who died at his home Friday, September 9th, were held waiting for the mail. Saturday afternoon, 4 p. m. from the Church of Christ with Bro. was at Oak Lawn Cemetery.

officer of the Thomas-Coke sub- Terry Shell took up the offering. district Methodist Youth Fellow- Kay Craddock then gave the de-After the worship service, the

evening for a re-organizational business meeting was begun by meeting. Sixty-five members and Cisco M.Y.F. District President, Kay Hopper. The principal busi-Carol Ramsey got the meeting ness was the election of officers for the Thomas-Coke Sub-District. After the election of president, the new president presided. Officers were elected as fol-

ed the organ. Everyone remained lows: Carol Hatcher, President, Gorman; Homer Smith, Vice-President, Cisco; James Payne, Treasurer, Cross Plains; Becky Brown, Secretary, Ranger; Eddie ing accompanied by Carol Hatch- Dry, Publicity, Eastland; and Rev. John Harper, Councilor, Cross Plains.

Surviving are his widow, one The next meeting date was set Brogdon Field. brother J. C. Horton of Ada, Ok- for third Monday in October at John Gobel officiating. Interment lahoma, two sisters Mrs. Ora Lov- Ranger First Methodist Church ing of Oklahoma City and Mrs. at 7:30 p. m.

The group then adjourned to Pallbearers were: Boots Gregg, Fellowship Hall for refreshments Geo. Hallmark, Crawford Thur- of punch, sandwiches and cook-

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. (Corky) Mc tirement some ten years ago, due Millan and little son Lee of Gru- the Thomas-Coke Sub-District Benediction.



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WOODROW BROWNING MOVES TO ODESSA

Woodrow Browning, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning, has been transferred to Odessa where he will be Field Analyst in the Engineering Dept.

Woodrow completed his schooling at Arlington State College August 30th under the Terminal Engineering Program co-sponsored by Texas Electric Service Co. This program enables a young man to work part time and attend school part time.

Kenneth Watson have also completed their schooling and are now full-time employees of Texas Electric Service Co.

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The GORMAN PROGRESS, Eastland Co., TEXAS, SEPT. 15, 1960 Warning Issued

To Dove Hunters AUSTIN - The law enforce-

ment director of the Game Com- at 8 p. m. Tuesday, Sept. 20th. mission warned Texas dove huntto retrieve all birds they kill or

Butch Eison, Fred Rodgers and doves and whitewings. These peo- tinue it. If you live within the ple are detrimental to the honest | Sabanno Valley Watershed and to see the damage this causes the zation, they extend you a cordial bird crop," said E. M. Sprott.

going unretrieved:

1. Don't shoot a bird if it will fall into heavy brush. "It's best Berry Greenwood, secretary, statto let the bird escape than to ed that visitors were always wel-

2. If you shoot a bird, be cer-

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burns have been confined to their home for the past ten days. Mr. Burns was in town Wednesday but Mrs. Burns is still confined to bed.

8th. Plan To Be Present.

HIGGINBOTHAM'S AMBULANCE SERVICE

SVGPA TO MEET AT

CENTER POINT SEPT. 20

The Sabanno Valley Game Preserve Association will meet at Center Point Community House

Purpose of the meeting will ers Saturday to make every effort | be to formulate a long range program and also make plans for the annual barbecue.

"Some hunters are careless! It is generally agreed by landabout recovering their kills when owners that this is a worthwhile they go into the field to hunt program and they want to conand responsible hunters and fail | are not a member of this organiinvitation to come out and take Sprott gave these hints to keep part in this program - or just killed and wounded birds from come out and enjoy the refresh-

> Pete Tyrone, president, and come.

EASTLAND - A pot of beans, over 30 acres of ranchland and about 40 railroad ties were the victims of two fires at Eastland Monday.

The ranchland and the ties which were stored to be used for fencing, were burned about 3 p. BE THINKING About The An- m. on the Pete Tindell Ranch, nual HOMECOMING On OCT. two miles east of Eastland. The fire was located below the Texas & Pacific Railroad on old Highway 80. It was not known how Day 11 the fire started.



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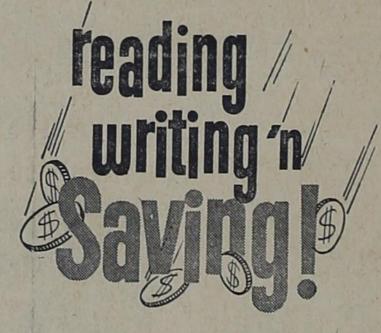
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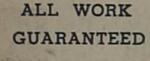
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#### FRESHMEN NEWS

Barbara Jobe - Sylvia Hendricks This is the third week of school and everyone is making it OK. High had an organizational class

Last week we elected class of- Mr. Walters, Junior Class home ficers. They are as follows: President - Richard Watson Vice-President - Pat Harrison Secretary - Mary Shell Treasurer - Beth Rhymes Reporters - Barbara Jobe

and Sylvia Hendricks taken last week.

We have had two ball games | no real decision was reached. so far and hope to win the next Further plans will be presented will be a student at A C C. one. Our next game is here Friday night.

School is OK so far and we all ther plans for a party. hope it stays that way.

#### F.H.A. INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS SEPT. 13

The Future Homemakers of Gorman Chapter met at Homemaking Cottage on the evening of September 13th to install our new officers.

Kay Eison, the out-going president, presided.

Gretchen Hailey gave the devotional, "The Best Things In Life Are Free."

The Candlelighting Services were used in our installation pro-

and Carol Hatcher.

The following girls attended: Ethel Thompson, Jo Nell Turner, Sara Grice, Sue Huff, Sunny Whitlock, Mary Shell, Beth Rhymes, Sylvia Hendricks, Barbara Jobe, Judy Burns, Sarah Miller, Joyce Warren, Judy Brinegar, Carol Hatcher, Laneta Rodgers, Kay Eison, Kay Browning, Gretchen Hailey, and Nell Brown ing, Mrs. W. H. Hailey, Chapter Mother, and Mrs. Rainey.

A trail cutter is a man employed to stop marching herds and inspect them for cattle which do not properly belong to them.

### JUNIOR CLASS NEWS

Mary Thompson, Reporter The Junior Class of Gorman meeting Wednesday, August 31.

room teacher, presided until a president was elected. The following officers were elected for the year 1960-61: Carol Hatcher, president; Terry

Shell, vice-president; Linda Shell, secretary; Janice Day, treasurer, We had our school pictures and Mary Thompson, reporter. Party plans were discussed, but

at the next meeting.

#### WARREN-GRAHAM REUNION HELD AUGUST 28TH.

The following attended Warren and Graham reunion at Frank Gray Memorial Park in Gorman on August 28, 1960:

Vernon Warren and family, Ernest Welch and family, Odis Welch and family, Mrs. Joe Welch and son, Mrs. John Scitern and children, Carl Graham and wife, all of Gorman;

by Gretchen Hailey, Janice Day Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Ross physical comfort. of De Leon, James Warren and family of Cisco;

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Graham and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lawbert, Peggy Thompson, Linda children, Mrs. Della Graham and Mr. Tom Graham, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Browning and children, all of Loraine;

> Mr. Jack Graham and son, Mr. John Graham, Mr. Wheat Nowlin, all of Houston; Mrs. J. C. Holland (Annie) Brown. and children of Denver City.

When a cowboy wanted to praise a man for his ability and nonesty, he was appraised as havng 'measured a full sixteen hands

By Mrs. Glenn Jordan

seriously ill at this writing. We Angelo. wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Henry Schaffer of Cisco visited Mrs. Claude Fuller on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Roper, John Hensley, Dee Lusk, and Carol Ann Ross of Eastland were visiting with the Glenn Jordans on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Collins and children of Dexter, N. M., spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Delman Eaves and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and Alvie attended the celebration of Kris Brown's Third birthday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown near Carbon on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern took their daughter, Carolyn to Abilene on Saturday. Carolyn

Visiting with the O'Neals on Gretchen Hailey will make fur- | Sunday were Mrs. John Stone, Janera and Lanera Borman and Mrs. John Stone Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neal all of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal of Hamlin, Mrs. Rex Jones and Mark Allen of Abilene, Reverend Jackie Heath, Glenn Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Broom, and grandsons, Jesse and Andy

> Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Heath and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow Sunday.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carey and for their comforting words and children and Mrs. Lillie Warren loving deeds shown us in the loss of Brownwood; Earl Warren, of our mother, for the beautiful May Mallory, both of Dallas; Mrs. flower offering and the nice food The refreshments were served Arlene Warren and son of De prepared by loving hands for our

We especially thank the Doctors and Nurses of Blackwell Hospital and Kirk Nursing Home for their wonderful care of her; and Rawson, Barbara Kinser, Janice rence Graham and children, Mr. Bro. Gobel and Bro. Lilly for Day, Gerry Haile, Carolyn Gil- and Mrs. Donald Graham and their message of consolation and the singers for the beautiful song service. Heaven alone can reward such acts of kindness.

> May you have such blessings, when sorrow comes your way, is our prayer.

The Children of Mrs. J. T.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and relatives who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our loved one.

The C. W. Pittman family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal will | Mrs. Vern Garrett is spending

return to San Angelo on Friday this week in Abilene with her so Mr. O'Neal can continue treat- daughter, Mrs. Jerry Hallmark ments at the Shannon Hospital. The Youth Rally of the Cisco Mr. John W. Henderson has They will be visiting with their Baptist Association will meet at been in the hospital at Gorman daughter, Mrs. George Eppler the Kokomo Baptist Church on for the past week and is still and family, 2417 Coleman, San Saturday night, Sept. 17. Every

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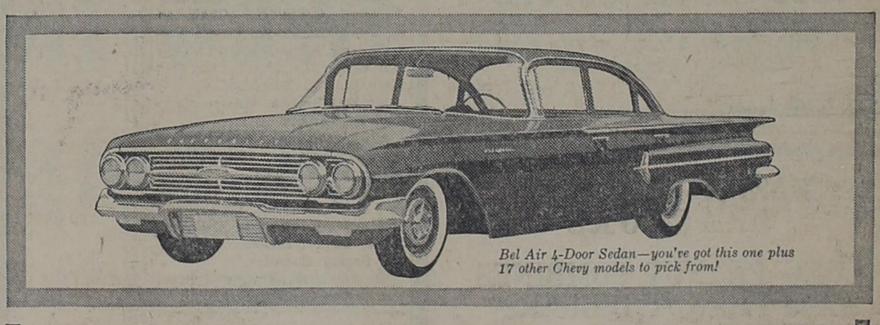
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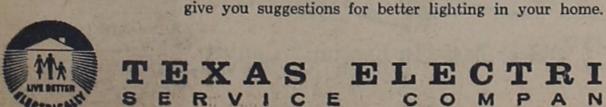


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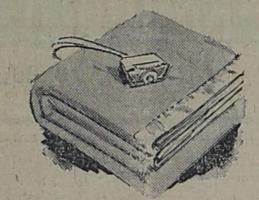
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Mrs. Ethel Keith

The Lowell Johnsons spent the weekend of last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown. Mrs. Beulah Williams and Mrs. ing light, the candle or the mir-Hattie attended the First Bap- ror that reflects it." tist Association meeting in Cisco last Friday.

were in Temple part of the past days. week when Mrs. Smith went for a check-up following surgery as were visiting the Willie Henthere a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Scheney of Ranger spent Saturday with her ed the Dr. Bateman's Saturday afternoon at their country home. sister Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis who have been with "Uncle Sam" in Germany returned home the Victor community Sunday. past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buruan Partain sins of Mexico and Alabama were of Odessa spent a couple of days visiting the Dewey Lindleys last the past week with Mrs. Nancy Partain and sister Mrs. E. Keith. Miss Lizzie spent Thursday and Atichisons were in Goldthwaite

Friday in Dallas. The Floyd Moores visited with a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harvie O'Neals of Abilene were

Moore Sunday. Visiting with Mrs. Ford Reid the past weekend was a brother Mr. Buck Reid and a daughter- Friday celebrating Granddad in-law Mrs. Phil Reid and a grand | Hirst's birthday. son Mike all of Alvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown of spent the week end in West Tex-De Leon visited a while Sunday as attending the wedding of their with Mrs. Ethel Keith.

Mrs. Bill Williams and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wil- visiting Miss Cara Richmond and liams were here one day last Mrs. Arvella Wilson of San Anweek and visited friends.

Mrs. Helen Arnold is now visit- week with Miss Cara and Miss ing with children, grandchildren Allie Seay, her sisters. and a sister. Mr. Horace Lane spent part of work moun mountainen

last week at the Veterans Hospital going through the clinic for a check-up.

SGT. ARL THOMPSON COMPLETES ARMY COURSE FT. SAM HOUSTON, Tex.

(AHTNC) — Army Sergeant First | MAin 9-1177 405-6 Exchange Bg Class Arl W. Thompson, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alva D. Thomp son, Route 1, Carbon, Texas, completed an instructor course Aug. 25 at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

The course provided Sergeant Thompson, a member of the center's teaching staff, with advanced training in the preparation of classroom materials, use of visual aid techniques, and studentteacher critiques.

Sergeant Thompson entered the Army in 1947.

He is a graduate of Morton Valley High School, Eastland. His wife, Elfriede, lives in San

## CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the Doctors Nurses and all the Hospital Staff for their kindness to me during my stay at the hospital. I also want to thank each one that visited, sent flowers, cards and food. May the Lord bless you is my

A. V. Littlefield.

## **Kennedy Ticket** Names Chairmen

AUSTIN - State Kennedy-Johnson Campaign Chairman Gerald Mann has appointed Virgil Musick, Abilene bottler, chairman of the campaign for the 17th Congressional District.

Maurice Brooks, Abilene attorney, was named co-chairman.

Musick will be in charge of the campaign in Shackelford, Stephens, Eastland, Hamilton, Parker, Palo Pinto, Comanche, and Erath Counties. Brooks will head up the effort in Callahan, Jones, Fisher, Howard, Mitchell, and Scurry Counties.

The two men jointly will direct the Taylor County campaign.

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## OLIVER SPRINGS Kirk's Nursing Home Notes

NEWS

By Florence Richardson

Our Thought for the week -

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Sunday visiting relatives.

son George.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan were

Mr. Robert Lindley and cou-

Lula Brandon of Crane and the

visiting here over the weekend

The Bruce Hirst family were

guests in the B. A. Hirst home

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Palmer

We spent Sunday afternoon

tonio. Miss Wilson spent the

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> The Buck Reids of Alvin, Tex-Mrs. Ada Kinney, Gorman Mrs. Mary Couch - Carbon Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miears visit- Mrs. Flavie Bunch - Ranger Mrs. Ella Counts - Gorman

> > A cowboy who was completely disgusted was described as "lookng for a dog to kick."

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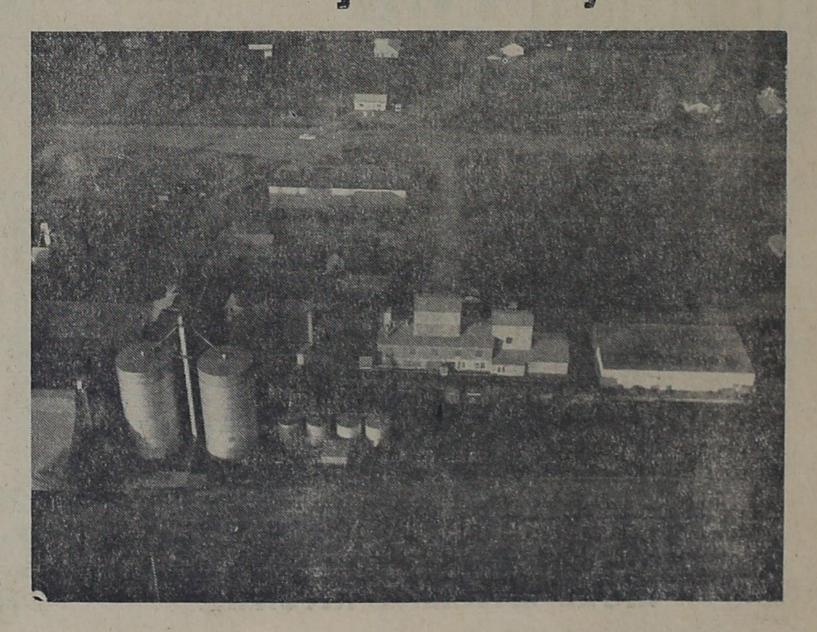
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Mrs. Donna Day and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wallace returned home from Lubbock Tuesday. They have been at the bedside of Mrs. Edd Wallace, who is seriously ill in such instances? According to in the hospitol there.

York visited his parents Mr. and ball team is nick-naming all the they will be even tougher to Mrs. J. C. Claitor recently.

John Howard has recently been promoted by the Western Union. He is an Assistant Methods Supervisor in the Accounting Methods Bureau of the Comptroller's Department at the home office in New York City.

ley Sunday afternoon.

J & S

of Spanish Peanuts grown in and will be broadcast over WBAP Eastland County and you might 570, Fort Worth, and KWKC Day and Mr. Wallace's brother, wonder what Sports would play 1340, Abilene. Jim Browder, sportswriter for the John Howard Claitor of New Fort Worth Press, the TCU foot- pigskin pickings that is - and players and it seems that Max predict this season than they Pierce, because he is from the were for the J&S prognosticators Peanut Capitol of the World, Ar- last year. Here are the fearless vie Martin, center and captain of forecasts: the team, has nick-named Max 'Goober" which proves again that

Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Westmore- TCU over Kansas land and daughter have moved LSU over Texas A&M Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McNeely from Odessa to Ranger where Ole Miss. over Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Craw- Mr. Westmoreland will enter the Arkansas over Okla. State plumbing business.

er country.

Frogs engage the Kansas Jay- Pittsburgh over UCLA hawks this Saturday in Law-Many things have been written rence, Kansas. Starting time for lately concerning the promotion this game will be 1:15 p. m. (CST)

Well its picking time again -

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#### JOE PICKS

Texas over Nebraska TCU over Kansas LSU over Texas A&M Ole Miss. over Houston Arkansas over Okla. State SMU over Missouri Georgia over Alabama Texas Tech over West Tex. State Washington over Col. of Pacific Pittsburgh over UCLA

J & S

Even though the Gorman Panthers have dropped their first two games; it is gratifying to know that the boys have played hard, clean football and are determined to improve as the sea-

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Unless the Chicago White Sox Pierce will be starting the game Texas Tech over West Tex. State been the cause of their first two or the Baltimore Birds can come defeats and they also leave the thru with a hot winning streak it looks like it will be the Pittstakes won't happen again; which burgh Pirates and the New York is a good sign that Coach Walters Yankees in the World Series.

> Almost every baseball fan is pulling for the Pirates to get into the series because it has been 34 years since they have participated in one.

The teams have about seventeen games left to play and this week-end should almost determine the American League when the Yanks and the Baltimore Birds play a four game series which will be telecast both Satur- 301 S. Seaman day and Sunday.

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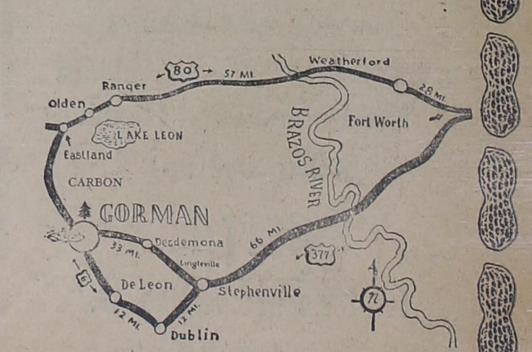
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PARADE QUEEN CONTEST

The Gorman Jaycees congratulate the Eastland Jaycees on their new project and wish them success.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### WSCS ANNIVERSARY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will be host to women of the church and other invited guests Tuesday afternoon September 20th at a seated tea in the home of Mrs. W. T. Shell The occasion commemorates 20 costal Church. The public is coryears with the WSCS. The pro- dially invited. - A. B. Hunt gram begins promptly at 3 p. m.

#### RUMMAGE SALE

Building starting at 9 a. m. Sat- parents are invited to attend. urday morning. It is sponsored by the Friendly Ladies Class of the Methodist Church.

#### SUNDAY SINGING

The regular third Sunday Singing will be held at the Congregational Methodist Church on Sunday, Sept. 18 beginning at 1:30. A large number of out of town visitors is the reason for the time change.

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#### CUB PACK MEETING

A Cub Pack Meeting will be held at 7:30, Monday night at There will be a rummage sale the Fire Hall. All boys between in the former Jim Underwood the ages of 8 and 11 and their

> Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Crawley spent the weekend in Abilene visiting their daughter and sonin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Larry

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. David of Tulsa, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. David of Lamesa visited the R. L. Kirks and other relatives this past weekend.

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R. D. Lewis of College Station, GA with Mr. Dean presiding. phenville, and Mr. Robert E.

Also board members of the Foundation: H. C. Dean of Comanche, Sidney Reagan of Dallas, George Toalson of Pearsall, and Floyd King of Eakly, Oklahoma, Carroll Smith of Lookeba, Okla., and Leland Stanford of Shawnee. Okla. Wesley Swearingen of Sealy, Texas is a member but was not present. Eighth member

afternoon in offices of the SWP- Sept. 29th.

is Mr. Wilson.

Texas; Mr. B. C. Langley of Ste- They determined from producers' reports that the greatest needs Stevenson, USDA, Washington, were in the field of insect and disease elimination.

The Foundation will hold a Southwest Peanut Research series of meetings in Eastland County during Sept.

The first meeting will be at Gorman on Monday, the 19th at the high school auditorium. On Wednesday, the 21st at 7:30 p.m. at the Nimrod Club House. On Saturday, the 24th at 2 p. m. at Rising Star in the high school Vocational Ag. Building. On Monday, the 26th in the Carbon high The Experiment men and school auditorium. The final the Foundation Board held sess- meeting will be held at Cheaney ions Friday morning and Friday | Church of Christ at 7:30 p. m. on

## March of Dimes Support Urged by Mother Who Lost Birth Defects Baby in 49 Days

Laurelville, Ohio, mother, tells in her own words the tragic story of what happens in a family when a child is born with a serious birth defect.)

## By MARY STROUS

Our baby Laura was born on Mother's Day seven years ago. We lost Laura seven weeks later on Father's Day.

She gave a soft little sigh as she died in my arms. My husband and I buried her with the rattle to which she had clung tightly during her brief life.

But Laura, who died of the terrible birth defects known as open spine and too much fluid on the brain, still lives in the hearts of her father Don and myself. When asked by strangers, we always say we have three daughters (instead of really only two), and I want to explain why.

We feel that each of us, including our tiny Laura, is brought into the world to serve a purpose, even if our stay on earth is as tragically short as 49 days.

by our baby's passing. But to-day we recognize that in being asked by The National Foundation to renew our memories of those despairing seven two, who followed Laura after of the reason for our headlong dation to renew our memories of Laura's fleeting visit with us. be healthier or more normal.) ours. That purpose is to repeat as

2. There is no medical evidence that birth defects are always hereditary; and

3. There is no evidence that because a couple have had one defective baby, they are likely to have another. Doctors at Columbus, Ohio, near our farm at Laurelville, said our chances of having another malformed baby were something like one in 40,000. (Donna Marguerite,



For years we were numbed Mary Strous, of Ohio, and daughters Julie Ann, two, and Donna Marguerite, five, study photos of youngest child, Laura, who died of birth defects at seven weeks.

That purpose is to repeat as forcefully as we can the lessons we have learned:

1. Scientists insist that parents should not be ashamed over the birth of an infant with a congenital malformation; instead, face the situation bravely and seek professional advice. Feelings of guilt aren't justified.

But by no means have Don and I forgotten our hopelessness and indeed our self-loathing during those 49 days and nights when we took turns holding Laura in our arms, or sat hour after hour beside her bassinet, watching life drain from her eyes.

We detested ourselves because of torments that some-

cause of torments that some-

weeks, my husband and I are somehow fulfilling the purpose and sought advice, could not sorrowing folks flowed with

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