

# Large Number Due At Homecoming Saturday

## Tough Battle Expected In Homecoming Tilt

# Panthers Stun Cats 6-0; To Host Greyhounds Saturday

Coach Bucky Walters and the Gorman Panthers opened the 1961 football season on a high note by defeating the highly favored De Leon Bearcats 6-0 last Friday night. De Leon entered the game as over-whelming favorites over the Panthers but the rugged defensive line of the visitors held the Bearcat offense time after time to gain their first victory since 1949 when Ross Wilson's forces downed them 52-0.

It looked very much as if it might be a scoreless ball game, but late in the final period Glenn Scitern broke thru and blocked a Wayne Terry fourth down punt and Phil Puckett covered it and gave the Panthers the ball on the Bearcats 32. From there the Panthers were not to be denied as Ronnie Page, the fireball quarterback for the Panthers, combined with Puckett for 30 of the 32 yards.

Page first connected with a pass

GAME AT A GLANCE	
De Leon	Gorman
7	First Downs
108	Yds. Rushing
24	Yds. Passing
132	Net from Scrimmage
2 of 5	Passes Comp.
1	Passes Intercepted
5 for 23.2	Punts, avg.
3 for 25	Penalties
2	Fumbles Lost

to Puckett for 12 yards to the De Leon 20 for a first and ten. Puckett made a neat diving catch of the ball near the out-of-bounds market. Three ground plays netted but two yards and Page took to the air again, hitting Puckett with a looping aerial one yard deep in the end zone.

Page's pass to End Gene Snider was incomplete for the extra points, but Coach Bucky Walters charges had their previous 6-0 lead with 5:40 left in the game.

The Bearcats came back after the kick-off and ran and passed to the Panther 17 yard line and with a second down and four situation they chose to take to the air and on the one yard line Nathan Files intercepted the ball and raced to the 12. From there Page, playing it cool, long counted and delayed long enough and as the Panthers had to punt, Gene Simmons received a bad pass from center but managed to get off a good punt as time ran out.

The leading ball carrier was Page with 29 yards in 7 carries; Joe Harrison got 11 yards in 4 tries; Jim Rodgers netted 14 in 5 trips, and Nathan Files got 10 yards in 4 tries.

Gene Simmons had a very respectable punting average of 31.8 for seven kicks as compared to De Leon's 20 yard average on four punts.

Leading the rugged Panther line were Ends Phil Puckett and Gene Snider, Tackles Gene Simmons, Butch Boyd and Glenn Scitern, Guards Terry Shell and Joe Bob Rodgers, and Joe Edd Baze at Center. The Panther line, even though outweighed considerably, did a fine job of hitting the Bearcat ball carriers and had fine pursuit and gang tackling.

The Bearcats were rated first in their district, which is Class AA while the Panthers were rated no more than third in their class which is B. One might assume that either the Bearcats are much weaker than predicted or the Panthers much stronger than predicted. Regardless of which assumption is accepted, the Panthers were pretty darn impressive in beating the Class AA Bearcats.

The Panthers will host a strong Throckmorton team in the Homecoming Game on Saturday night at 8 p. m. at Brogdon Field.

Class B Throckmorton has a very fast team this season as was shown last week when they defeated Holliday by a score of 28-0.

This should be another heads-up battle this week for the Panthers who are expected to be in top condition for the Homecoming tilt, with the exception of Center, Joe Edd Baze, who broke a finger in the De Leon game last Friday.

## FINAL RITES FOR JERRY CLARK ON SATURDAY

Funeral services for Jerry Frank Clark were held Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the First Methodist Church with Rev. John Dowd, assisted by Rev. Robert Haynes, officiating.

Interment was made at the Gorman Cemetery with Higginbotham Directors in charge.

Jerry had passed away on Thursday in San Antonio where he had been employed at Good Will Industries since July 12th.

Born in Wellington, Texas on June 20, 1928, he had lived most of his life in Gorman. A 1945 Gorman High graduate, he attended North Texas State College where he received a Bachelor of Science degree and where he also met Miss Jo Ann Graham, whom he married on June 8, 1949.

To continue his schooling the two moved to Austin, and subsequently he received a Master's Degree in Special Education from the University of Texas.

Jerry, despite his own serious handicap of cerebral palsy, chose his vocation in a most difficult field, the teaching of the physically handicapped and mentally retarded children.

Shortly before young Jimmy, his son, was born in 1953, Jerry's health failed. At which time he moved from Corpus Christi to Gorman, where after joining the Gorman Progress family as advertising manager, he enjoyed a period of good health.

But still having the desire to help the handicapped, he joined the teaching staff at the West Texas Health and Rehabilitation Center in Abilene and having been awarded a scholarship from the Federal Government, he began working on a Ph D at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

His work was, however, again interrupted by illness recurring in November, 1960.

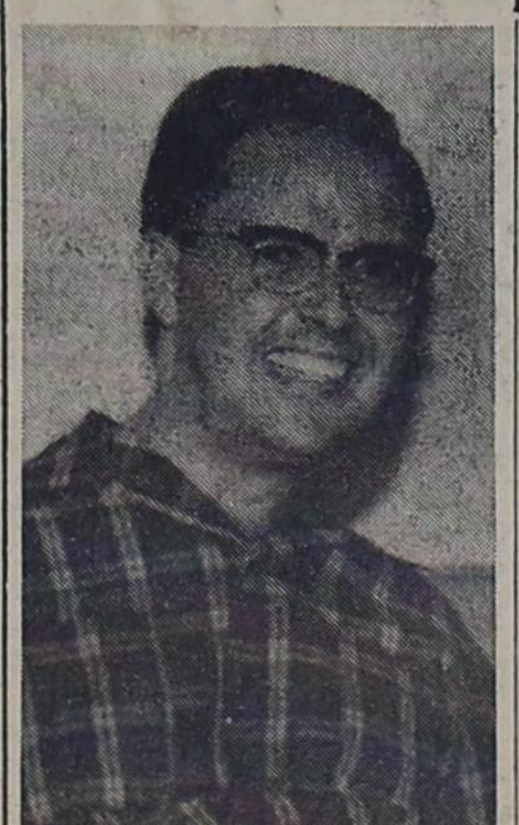
Jerry was a member of the Methodist Church and of the IOOF Lodge.

Survivors include his mother and step father, Grace and Marvin Nix of Gorman; his wife, Jo Ann, and son, Jimmy, of Bridgeport; his step brother Ben Nix and family, Odessa; father, Frank Shields of Corpus Christi, and the Clark family of Gorman.

Pallbearers were Jerry Hamrick of Anson, Joe Collins, Bill Brogdon, Thurman Jay, E. G. Henderson, and Arlton Smith, of Gorman, John Wright and L. N. Koen of Abilene, and Bob Boswell of Fort Worth.

Honorary Pallbearers were Edward Harrison, Dr. D. V. Rodgers, Gene Baker, Billy Fred Jeffs, W. G. Kirk, Graydon Baze, Dick Jay, John Sutton, Dr. R. H. Nobles and Joe Reiman of Denton, Robert Hodge of Midland, Tom Morrison of San Antonio, T. J. Hallmark of De Leon, and Shelley Smith of Abilene.

Herman Bennett and Joe Bennett served as ushers.



JERRY FRANK CLARK  
 untimely death at age 33

It's approaching rapidly now. Saturday, September 9, 1961 - Homecoming Weekend - beginning at 9:00 a. m. with more and bigger and better activities happening all day and well into the night. This is the Eighth Annual such event - the time when all former students of Gorman's School are invited to Come Home for a day of reminiscing - the day when all former students living round abouts here are urged to be present to welcome Homecomers. (If you are a Gorman Ex-student, this is your Homecoming. Come.)

REGISTRATION: 9:00 a. m. at High School. \$1.00 registration fee, husband or wife not an ex is for free, so bring them right on along. Coffee, Chatter, Do-nuts, Informal bux sessions, Coffee, Remember When, and Pin on a name tag (just in case you've changed a little). If history is any measure, this is the hit of the day. So do plan to arrive by 9:00 or shortly thereafter.

ENTERTAINMENT: 10:30 a. m. High School Auditorium. (Something new this year.) The Gorman High School Stage Band will play a concert. Former teachers will be

recognized at this time, too. No charge, and purely for pleasure.

PEP RALLY: 2:00 p. m. Down town. Yea, Panthers! All Panthers, of all years. Rah, Rah, Cheerleaders. (remember your favorite yell that year you were a leader?) Everybody joins in "Oh, our hearts with joy are filling . . ."

BUSINESS MEETING: 2:30 p. m. High School Auditorium. Welcome address by John Kimble; Special talk by Roy Skaggs; Election of Officers and Coming-Home Queen; Memorial Service; Class Roll Call, etc.

DINNER: 5:30 p. m. School Cafeteria. Ham and everything good that goes with it. Tickets are \$1.25 for adults and 65c for child's plate. The cafeteria may look different, the food will certainly taste better, all the gang may look a bit older, but the fun of eating at school - ah, yes - remember?

HOMECOMING GAME: 8:00 p. m. Brogdon Field. Gorman Panthers vs. Throckmorton Greyhounds. (The boys have new suits and are really building a reputation for them. Beat De Leon last week.)

## HOMECOMING QUEEN, FOOTBALL SWEETHEART NAMED FOR CROWN

The Gorman High School did calm down long enough this week to elect a Homecoming Queen, Football Sweetheart, and Class Officers.

After the Panther victory over the De Leon Bearcats Friday night it was doubted there would be school at all this week.

The vivacious senior, Miss Janie Pittman, was chosen to be Homecoming Queen and will be crowned at half-time Saturday night.

Miss Kay Browning, a junior, who has been a leader in the cheering section for the past five years, and has added so much to the spirit of the games, has been chosen by the football team to be their Sweetheart. She will also be crowned at half-time.

The senior class elected Larry Campbell president, Gene Snider, vice-president, Janie Pittman, secretary, Carol Ramsey, treasurer and Wesley Warren, reporter.

Junior class president is Junior Hampton; vice-president, Larry Anderson; secretary, Kay Browning; treasurer, Sunny Rawson; and reporter, Linda Harrison.

Sophomore class president is Bobby Rodgers; vice-president, Terry Clark; secretary, Sue Huff; treasurer, Richard Watson; and reporter, Beth Rhymes.

Freshman class president is Joy Love; vice-president, David Hunt; secretary and treasurer, Linda Jarrett.

HALF-TIME ACTIVITIES: The crowning of Homecoming and Coming-Home Queens. The band plays and the presentation of the Queens is a colorful ceremony. You might be Coming-Home Queen, or her escort.

RECEPTION I: Immediately after game in Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church. Coffee, Cake, Chatter.

RECEPTION II: Fire Hall. All younger Ex-students and teenagers of ex-students (including all local High School students). Fun, food, music, cold drinks, fun.

That's it - the full schedule for a full day of reminiscing. The committees have made plans to the minutest detail. The merchants in town are arranging signs and pictures in windows to add to the festive feeling of the occasion. The Panthers are really working out. Do-nuts have been ordered. Everything is ready for you to Come to Homecoming. Please come.

Homecoming activities are only planned for Saturday, but if you stay over 'til Sunday, do visit your church. You may find it remodeled or rebuilt, but the people you meet there will be the same old friends you remember through years past. Perhaps a little more reminiscing.

See you at Gorman, Saturday, September 9, 1961!

### HOMECOMING QUIZ

Do You Know? - -  
 What year Gorman High graduated it's first Senior Class?  
 Who wrote the Gorman School Song? and When?  
 What year the School colors were changed from grey and gold to red and blue? and Why?  
 Who drew the famous Panther head emblem? and When?  
 What year the name Panther was selected for Gorman? and How?  
 Better bone up on your "history" and Come Home - - or Come Home and bone up on your "history."



Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. Billy Fred Jeffs, son of Mrs. Berenice Jeffs, on September 16, 1961, in the First Baptist Church.

Mary is a 1960 graduate of Gorman High School. Billy Fred is employed at Smith Bros. Chevrolet Co.

## TRADES DAY DRAWING HERE 4 P. M. FRIDAY

Gorman's Trades Day Drawing will be held on Friday, September 8th, at 4 p. m. downtown.

This is the seventh drawing in the Trades Day program which your local merchants have made possible and to date \$210 has been given away. So show your appreciation and shop with your hometown merchants. Check their specials for this week in the page ad elsewhere in this issue.

Winners in the last drawing on August 25 were: First prize of \$20, Mrs. Lula Mae Porter; Second prize of \$10, Mrs. Earnest Weaver; and Third prize of \$5, to Mrs. J. L. Butler.

The prizes this week will be \$20, \$10 and \$5, for a total of \$35. Drawings are held each second and fourth Friday of each month.

## SVGP Barbecue, Watershed Joint Meeting Sept. 23

The Sabanno Valley Game Preserve Association have announced that their annual barbecue will be held on Saturday, September 23 at the Center Point Community House.

In connection with the barbecue there will be a joint meeting of the Sabanno Watershed District and the Sabanno Valley Game Preserve.

All interested persons are urged to attend this important meeting.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

### SENIOR CLASS BAKE SALE SET SATURDAY

The Senior Class will hold a Bake Sale on Saturday at 9 a. m. in front of the Post Office.

For your Mums to wear to the Homecoming Games on Saturday night, see or call a Senior!

### FRIENDLY LADIES TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE FRIDAY

Members of the Friendly Ladies Class of the First Methodist Church will have a Rummage Sale on Friday, September 8, beginning about 9 a. m. in the building between Henderson Variety and Frossard's.

### JEWEL CEMETERY WORKING SATURDAY, SEPT. 9TH.

The Jewel Cemetery Working has been scheduled for Saturday,

## PEANUT TOUR SCHEDULED FOR LOCAL AREA FRIDAY, SEPT. 8

All area farmers, business and professional men are invited to attend the Annual Eastland County Peanut Tour next Friday, September 8th to the 11 farms near Gorman that are growing the new variety of peanuts - Starr, for the first time. Other varieties being tested on these farms alongside the Starr include the Spantex,

September 9th. Bring fence building equipment and basket lunch.

### ELM CEMETERY WORKING SATURDAY, SEPT. 9TH.

Saturday, September 9th is regular Cemetery Working Day at the Elm Cemetery.

Your presence would be appreciated.

Dixie Spanish, Argentina and Spanish.

The group will assemble at 9 o'clock on the morning of Sept. 8 at the Brown Jug Cafe in Gorman. A tour of all 11 of the farms will be made, taking time out around noon for lunch somewhere in Gorman.

Farms to be visited include those of Albert Taylor, D. B. Warren, Royal Hampton, Odus Rodgers, Claude Fuller, J. L. Butler, Junior Jackson, Bill Andry, Mitchell Campbell, Glen Justice and Gallon Warren.

Due to the long dry spell the peanuts won't look as good or be as good as had been expected.

You are invited to go with the group on this tour. If not for all of the tour, then a least for a part of it.

## 350 GROWERS ATTEND ANNUAL PEANUT MEETING

Approximately 350 peanut growers, representing all producing areas of Texas and Oklahoma, gathered at Stephenville on the campus of Tarleton State College Thursday, August 11, 1961, for the Annual Membership Meeting of the Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association. The meeting started at 9:30 a. m. with a business session in which Association members were given complete reports relative to the financial condition and storage operations for the year ending June 30, 1960. Mr. E. A. Walker, Chairman, SWPGA Board of Directors, presided in this session. Reports reflect the sale of some 9,561 tons of loan peanuts during the year. These peanuts were stored at 61 warehouse locations over the Southwest. The Association's role in handling, supervision, and diversion of stocks owned by the Commodity Credit Corporation was described. The general session which be-

gan at 10:45 a. m. was attended by shellers, bankers, and business people, as well as peanut growers. Mr. Kenneth Kendrick, Vice-President of the National Wheat Growers' Association, spoke to the group concerning the work of the Texas Federation of Agricultural Commodities. The Federation is composed of ten Commodity groups within the state who are seeking to find a way of legalizing Commodity Check-off plans to obtain funds for agricultural research and promotion. Kendrick explained that this would probably require an amendment to the State Constitution. He stated that a proposed Constitutional amendment had been drawn up by the Texas Legislative Council for possible submission to the Legislature at some future date. Kendrick said that in addition to the Commodity groups participating in the Federation at present several others have shown interest in

joining. They are Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association, Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association, and Plains Cotton Growers' Association.

The principal address was given by William V. Rawlings, Executive Secretary of the Virginia Peanut Growers' Association of Capron, Virginia. Rawlings did an extremely able job of analyzing peanut legislation passed in prior years by the National Congress. Rawlings stated that the most objectionable factor in the present peanut program is the cost to the tax payers. He proposed a plan whereby growers would gradually, over a period of five years, assume the total cost of diverting surplus peanuts. At the same time under his plan, growers would receive a minimum of 90% of parity price and would assume a large share of responsibility in the administration of the overall program.

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# Gorman Trades Day Specials

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of Each Month

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Be A Partner In This Growing Community

## Merchants Participating In Gorman's Trades Day

Acree Auto Service	SAUSAGE - 48c lb. FRIDAY ONLY	Miear's Butane Co.	Burma Shave Bomb - 64c REG. 89c - FRIDAY ONLY
Bennett Grocery & Station	Gorman Locker Plant	Ma Moore's Grocery & Station	Smith Drug
Kuner's 46 oz. Tomato Juice - 3 - \$1 FRIDAY - SATURDAY & SUNDAY	The Gorman Progress	White Swan Instant Coffee - 59c 6 OZ. - REG. 89c - FRIDAY ONLY FRIDAY & SATURDAY	Cecil Thompson Grocery-Station
W. G. Baker Feed & Seed	Sealed Beam Headlights - \$1.19 6 & 12 Volt - FRIDAY ONLY	Ormsby Grocery & Market	Thompson Hardware
Blair Grocery	Gorman Auto Supply	Parker Recreation Club	1 Lot Leather Notebooks - 13 Off FRIDAY & SATURDAY
Buddy's Appliance	1c Sale on Plastic Waste Baskets Buy 1 reg. price, get 2nd. for 1c	Preston Florist	Todd's Variety Store
30% Discount On White Art Plaster Items - \$1 & up - Fri. - Sat. - Sunday	Henderson's Variety	S & N TV & Appliance	Townley Humble Station
Burfeind Novelty Shop	PANTHER PILLOWS - 89c FRIDAY ONLY	Smith Bros. Chevrolet Co.	Massey-Ferguson 50 Tractor - \$2250. Used Only 74 Hours - List Price \$3250. Wright Bros. Implement Co.
Campbell's Texaco Service	Higginbotham Bros. & Co.	Supporting Merchants	
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Dairy King	Troy Johnson Trading Center	Butler Barber Shop	Gorman Telephone Co., Inc.
Eison Grocery & Station	Kellogg Plumbing & Service	First National Bank	Overstreet & Son Trucking
Electric Blankets - \$12.50 2 Yr. Guarantee - Beautiful Colors - FRIDAY	Passenger Car Flats Fixed for 50c FRIDAY & SATURDAY	Collins & Sons Ins. Agency	Reed's Nursing Home
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**"Morgan The Pirate"**  
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## Billy Lewis "Blue Streak" Of Month



Billy Lewis, who is with the 91st Tactical Fighter Squadron, stationed in England, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Lewis of Desdemona, has been selected as "Blue Streak" of the Month. The award is presented to the outstanding airman of the squadron as adjudged from the criteria of his duty, performance, neatness, conduct on and off duty, and the many other things that set men apart from each other.

The qualifications are high and only personnel with outstanding

records are selected. The competition for this award is extremely keen and to be the winner requires much more than honesty, integrity and devotion to duty; it also requires an unselfish dedication to our way of life.

This award consists of a three day pass, cash award, cigarette lighter, and excused from the following months detail.

His wife, the former Doris Vaughn of Carbon, and their children, Carol, 5, and Richard, 3, are in England with him.

Broilers are such a good buy on today's retail markets that consumers may wonder if something is wrong. There isn't, says F. Z. Beanblossom, extension poultry

marketing specialist and he advises consumers to take advantage of the very favorable price situation.

## OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our thought for the week: "Giving our best today is the recipe for a better tomorrow."

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mears of Austin and the James Mears family of Gorman spent the week end with the L. F. Mears.

Mrs. Evie Smith and Mrs. Emie Seals of Eastland spent Sunday visiting their brother and family, the A. D. Bryans.

The B. A. Hirsts were in Eastland Saturday visiting the Hardy Parkers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears drove over to the Hot Wells with Mr. W. D. Harper of Gorman Thursday to visit Mrs. Harper who is taking treatments there.

The Edward Johnsons spent the weekend in Houston on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watson were in Ft Worth Saturday shopping.

Johnny Bryan spent part of last week in Abilene visiting and attending the wedding of his cousin.

The Chesley Atchison family of Ft Worth spent the Labor Day holiday with his parents.

The Bruce Hirst family visited in our home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah Wilson of Ranger and Ira Wilson of Ft Worth visited the Rex Kinsers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rawls, Grandmother Rawls, and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst visited in our home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poteet and children visited the Joe Wallace family Monday.

Pinkeye has been reported from many areas of the state and Dr. C. M. Patterson, extension veterinarian, advises cattlemen to keep a careful watch for symptoms among their cattle. It can cause permanent blindness. He suggests that a veterinarian be consulted if pink eye is suspected.

## Dublin Fair To Feature Highlights In Contests And Exhibits Sept. 13 - 16

DUBLIN (Spl.) — The call is out to all residents of this area to be in Dublin September 13, 14, 15, and 16 for the seventh annual Dublin Community Free Fall Fair.

The 1961 Fair promises to be bigger and better than ever. There will be beauty galore Wednesday night as the judging for the queen contest gets underway, and Thursday night the queen of the fall fair will be named and crowned. This is certainly one of the outstanding highlights of the gala occasion.

Community booths, always a great favorite of all fair attenders, will see competition in textiles, foods, agriculture, and arts and crafts, keener than in previous years. Fair officials state that all community booths will be completed and ready for viewers as soon as the judging has taken place on September 14. For late attenders the booths will be in place until Saturday night, at the close of the fair.

The ladies, as well as the men, will have the privilege of viewing an open class of canned foods that will make the mouth water. Bedspreads, quilts, rugs, and pillow cases of various designs will also be featured in this division.

The Dublin Fall Fair boasts a Holstein Show that is on an equal with the best produced anywhere in the state, and this year will see exhibitors competing for the breeder's herd traveling trophy which could become a permanent possession of some outstanding dairyman's herd.

The Holstein Show, largest in the state, will be judged Friday, September 15, beginning at 9:30 a. m. Judge for the Holstein Division will be Dr. I. W. Rupel, head of the department of dairy science, A&M College.

Other dairy breeds will be judged by J. Warren Nordyke of Tyler. Breeds include Brown Swiss, Jersey, Ayrshire, and Guernsey.

The Junior Dairy Show will be held on September 14 and 15, beginning each day at 9:00 o'clock. Hogs, sheep, goats, and beef cattle are scheduled to be judged on Saturday, beginning at 8:00 a. m.

A new feature, the Shetland Pony Show, is an added attraction this year, and is sure to be an object of attention from old and young alike.

To the delight of all in attendance, there will be a midway, operated by the Dublin and Stephenville Jaycees.

Not to be overlooked are the commercial exhibits, which have become an outstanding attraction of the fair.

The people of the Dublin area are making every effort to make the 1961 Community Free Fall Fair one that everyone can enjoy. A cordial invitation is extended by these, as well as officials of the fair, to the citizens of all Central Texas to attend.

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Pictured above - standing: Ross Wilson, Mgr.; Johnnie Rollins, Granbury, Texas; Barton Scott, Binger, Okla.; Tom Hedley, Wewoka, Okla.; E. A. Walker, De Leon, Texas; Seated: Bob Green, Asst. Mgr.; Jesse Leach, Holdenville, Okla.; D. B. Warren, Gorman; J. E. Brite, Pleasanton, Texas.

New Directors elected for the coming year are: Roy Gentry, Shawnee, Okla. and Cecil M. Bynum, Pleasanton, Texas who take the places of Tom Hedley and J. E. Brite.



For over twenty years the Directors and personnel of Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association has played a major role in all phases of the peanut industry . . . especially for the peanut grower.

We appreciate the work of the Board of Directors and compliment them for a job well done, and extend a cordial welcome to all of you and the new members of the Board to visit us when in Gorman.



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## L. F. Mears To Observe 53rd. Anniversary Sept. 8

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Frank Mears will be home Friday, September 8th, visiting with their parents on the occasion of their 53rd wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Mears, the former Lina Griffin, came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Griffin, from Columbia County, Arkansas in 1897 and Franklin came with his parents, the S. D. Mears from Troy, Mississippi in 1900, to settle in the Ellison Springs Community where some years later they became sweethearts.

They were married at Desdemona by a traveling evangelist. This came when the Mears property was judged good for oil lease. Two strikes were made and the wells produced until under regulation they were plugged some years ago.

Town and community atmosphere was changed with the deluge of operators, newcomers and transients. The Mears decided on a sojourn in Meridian for 17 years until their children were reared, but not before they had bought one of the Ford touring cars sold from the railroad dock in Gorman in 1913.

In the early days varments were quite a pest to the settlers. Frank recalls that acting on the advice of his wife, whispered to him when she had awakened him in the night, he shot, "that wolf that was lapping milk from the ragged-wrapped cooling jar." The big gray animal had frequented the screened porch, carrying away ham, bacon and eggs, besides the milk that had disappeared. But it was the domesticated bark that told Frank a grave must be dug.

## FHA Entertains New Members

By Kim Hailey & Martha Foster

On September 5th, 1961, from 5 until 8:30 p. m. FHA members entertained the incoming class of Homemaking with a Swim Party and wiener roast at Lake Leon.

This is an annual party that is eagerly anticipated by the entire group.

Our next meeting will be the installation of new officers for the year.

Those attending the FHA party were: Barbara Jobe, Odean Eaves, Joyce Burgess, Jo Townley, Betty Porter, Martha Foster, Lenora Thompson, Ethel Thompson, Peggy Thompson, Kim Hailey, Margaret Porter, Sara Grice, Sara Miller, Pat Harrison, Barbara Kinser, Linda Whitlock, and Jo Nell Turner.

The sponsors were Mrs. B. F. Grice and Mrs. Nell Rainey.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark Rickey and Kathy of Colorado City, were Labor Day visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers. Patsy and the children remained for a weeks visit.

Folks staked a high value on their canines and no one could be persuaded to believe that his dog was a thief.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Mears are Doyle J. and L. F., Jr. of Austin, Mrs. Berniece Weehunt of Weatherford, Elvin of Hamilton, Mrs. Modelle Watson of Midland, and James of Gorman. They have 13 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

A brother to Mr. Mears, Mr. S. E. Mears, and his wife, who live nearby, have recently celebrated their 51st. anniversary.

## Desdemona School Opens September 5

The Desdemona School opened on September 5, 1961 with a general assembly of all students. Mr. H. M. Chambers presided and introduced the Rev. Moody Smith for the opening prayer and Mr. L. E. Clark of Desdemona, who was the principal speaker. Mr. Clark ended his message with the admonition, "Don't quit, keep on working."

Mr. Chambers introduced the staff of ten faculty members, three bus drivers, two cooks, and the janitor. New pupils were recognized.

After an explanation of the school policies, Mr. Chambers expressed his appreciation for the large number of parents who were present and then he said, "I think that this looks as if it will be the best year Desdemona School has ever had."

The faculty members are: Mrs. Flora Singleton, 1st & 2nd grades; Miss Marva Chambers, 3rd & 4th grades; Mr. Charles Hadderton, 5th & 6th grades; Mr. Harris McCollum, 7th & 8th grades; Mr. Keith McDonald, Vocational Agriculture; Mrs. Alice Brooks, Home-making; Mrs. W. B. Blankinship, Science and English; Mrs. Vivian Fox, English and History; Mrs. Ruby Perkins, Math and Government; Mr. H. M. Chambers, Math, Coach, and Superintendent.

Mrs. Carrie Carr and Mrs. Virgie Caudle will again have charge of the lunch room.

The bus drivers are Wes Majors, Bob Koonce, and Moody Smith.

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## DESDEMONA NEWS

MRS. ETHEL KEITH

With no rain in August, peanut harvest will soon get underway. Mrs. R. M. Dean of Seminole is now visiting her daughter, the Ide McMasters.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Abernathy spent the weekend in Ballinger with a son, Mr. and Mrs. Donald White.

Miss Doris Weir of Stephenville spent part of last week with her Aunt, Mrs. Ethel May and family. Also Larry Key and wife and baby were visitors with his mother, Mrs. Ethel May.

Visitors with Mrs. Partain and Ethel Keith at different times dur-

ing the Labor Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones of Azle, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Jones of Grand Prairie, the Harold Maddux family of Dublin and Billie Maddux of the U. S. Navy in California, and the Bernard Keiths of Cisco.

The J. D. McMasters spent the weekend in Kermit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nick and Dianne.

Jr. Moore and wife of Benbrook spent the weekend here with his parents, the Floyd Moores, and her parents, the Hyson Echols.

Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Key and son of Kansas spent a few days last week with his mother, Mrs. Ethel May.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. (Jack) Boswell, Gary and Donna, spent the weekend of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Beaty.

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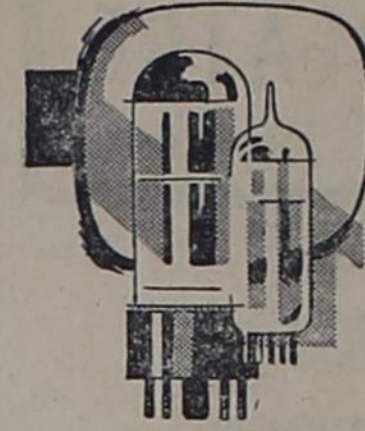
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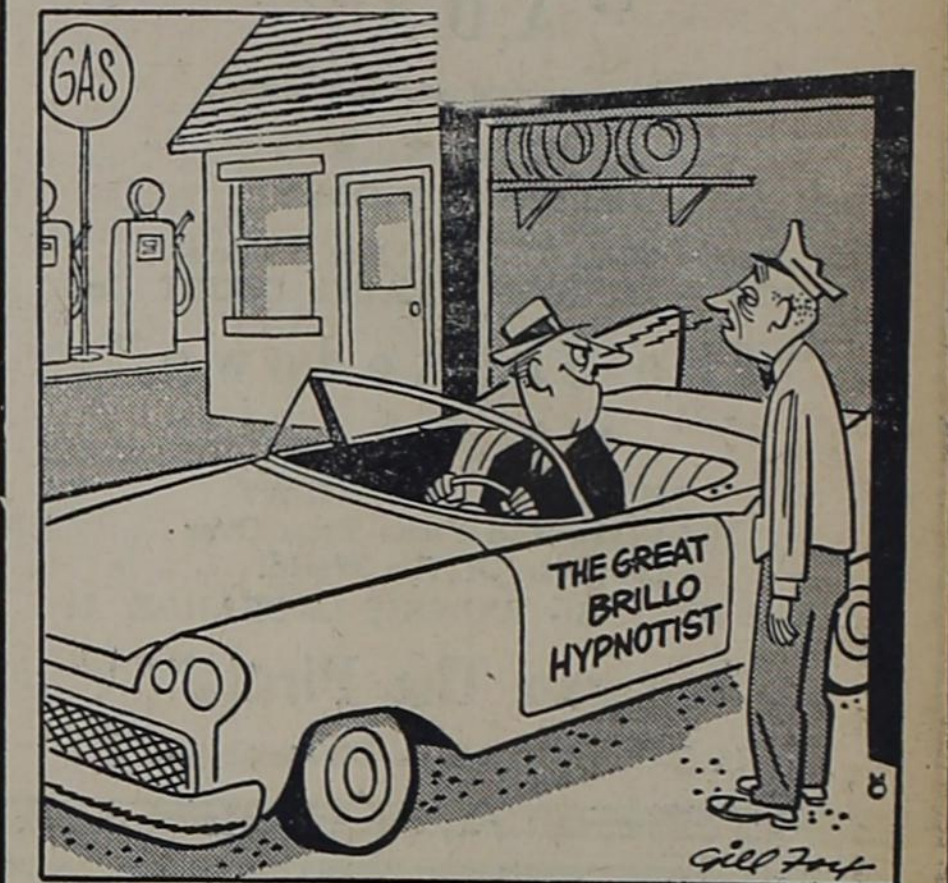
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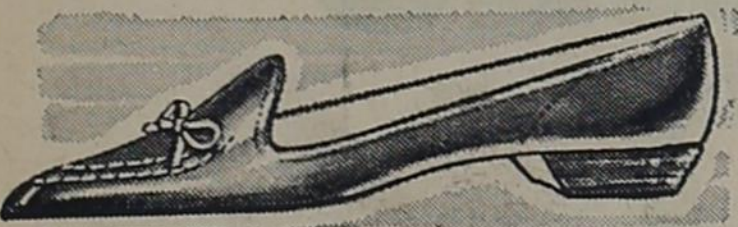
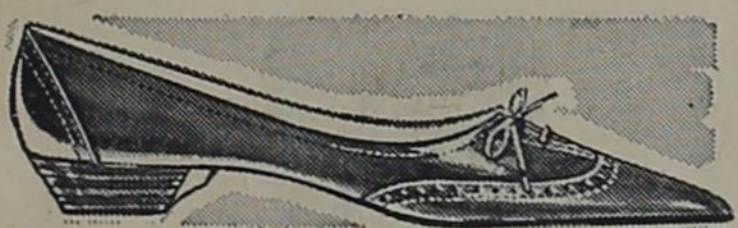
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## KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. L. V. Collins, Harold, Michael and Moveta of Ft Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown, over the holidays.

Mrs. Dave Harper is returning home today (Thursday) from the Stovall Hot Wells at South Bend, Texas, where she has been for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Craddock and Wade Jr. of Grand Prairie, are visiting her father, Mr. C. R. Rogers of the Cheaney community, and Mrs. Estelle Craddock and Kay of Gorman this week.

Mrs. Joe Bennett, Lonnie and Joetta, Mrs. Cecil Self, Cecilia Ann, Billy, and Charlene, and their mother, Mrs. Clayton Rhyne of Carbon, were in Abilene shopping on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Donaldson of Ft Worth and Mrs. Pauline Morgan of De Leon visited Wednesday with Mrs. Jessie Boston and Mrs. Zelpha Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Higginbottom and Teddy and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Higginbottom were in Winters Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wright.

Mrs. R. L. Kirk returned home Saturday from Ft Worth where she had visited the Ardell Kirks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Koen and son of Abilene visited her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mauney, last weekend and attended the funeral of Jerry Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Simpson of El Paso visited his mother Friday to Sunday. Johnny has just completed his 20 years in the Army and is retiring. He will make his home in El Paso. The Mrs. Myrt Reed left last week for Colorado and California with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill

Townsend, Brad and Cliff, on an extended vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown spent the weekend in Gainesville and drove home a new Buick car. family had a reunion supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oda Monroe Saturday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Duggan of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rodgers of Gorman, and two granddaughters, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Smythe of Dallas and Mrs. Allen Heggdahl of Eastland. Another son, Joe Bagwell of the Air Force, was a recent visitor. He has been transferred from Maine to Altus, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Woods, Sherry and Angela of Midland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Speedy Clark on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grimm, Shelia, Cheryl and Patrice of Arlington, visited her parents, Mr.

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Visitors in the Neldon Shipman home for the weekend were the Hallens of Ft Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lewis had several of their children home for the weekend. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Theibaud and son of Kilgore and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood of Cheaney.

Guy Owens had the misfortune to get a serious injury on his forearm last week when a piece of pipe slipped and made a severe cut on his arm.

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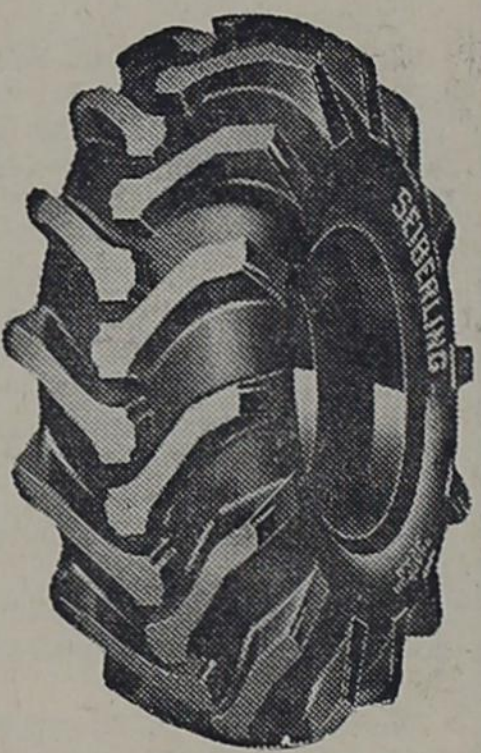
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### KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Recent visitors of the J. L. Morrrows and the L. R. Higginbothams were Mrs. W. S. Creager and Alma Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Campbell, Ronnie and Bobby, of Level-land.

Others visiting with the Morrrows over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morrow of Level-land, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morrow and sons of Florence, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow of Fort Worth, Miss Myrna Morrow of Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Logan and Joe Charles of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Elston and sons of Huckaby, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Elston and son of Fort Worth.

Visiting with Lyndall Morrow during the past few days were Lyndon Gathright of Morton, Glenn Petty of Odessa, Douglas Reid of Cleveland, Kathy Binder of Jourdan, Pat Howard of Rising Star, Jimmy Mangum of Nederland, and Mrs. Owen Mangum and Ann of Carbon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Gray and grandson, Lloyd Gray of Breckenridge, Mrs. George Eppler of San Angelo and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Sunday.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood on Sunday and Sunday night were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Etheredge and children of Seguin, a son, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbourne Wood and Terri of Carbon, Mrs. R. M. Hendricks, Mrs. Garrett of Eastland, Mrs. Jimmy Hendricks and Kathy of Cisco, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Sylvia.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett spent the weekend visiting in Abilene with the Jerry Hallmarks and in Big Spring with the Jim Bennetts.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Crawley and their daughter, Mrs. Larry Strube, visited in Carbon on Sunday afternoon with Mrs. H. C. Wharton.

Sylvia Hendricks spent Saturday night with Laneta Rodgers.

Mrs. J. M. Robinson and Mrs. Weaver Ashman and daughter, Kay, of Ranger, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McNeely on Sunday.

Guests of the Victor Packs during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. James, Jr. and children of Shamrock, Mrs. J. B. Alexander of Stephenville, Mrs. Zilla Pack and Glenn Pack of Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. George English and baby, and Roland, Rayford and Benson Pack of Merkel and Jo Rita and Vonita Griggs of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Snider and children of Abilene were visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Snider during the Labor Day holiday. They also visited with the Victor Packs on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pittman of Ft Worth spent the weekend with Mrs. W. F. Bryant and the Hoyt Bryants.

Mrs. George Bennett returned home on Thursday from the Gorman hospital. Mrs. Cullen Rodgers returned to her home from the hospital on Saturday.

The Claude Fullers were dinner guests of the Glenn Jordans on Sunday.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson were her niece, Mrs. Bridges and family, of Austin. The Bridges were also visitors at Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Sunday evening visitors at church were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Reece and son of Olden and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Woodard and Janet Lynn of Abilene. The Woodards spent the holiday weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves.

Bro. Wayne Eaves was the speaker for the morning and evening services at the Kokomo Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Heath. Rev. Heath was in Hereford to bring Mrs. Heath and the children

### TAERF NUCLEAR FUSION TO BE ON NATIONAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Research in nuclear fusion supported by Texas power companies has been given a place on the program of an international conference on nuclear fusion research to be held in Salzburg, Austria beginning September 4, it was reported by Beeman Fisher, president of Texas Electric Service Co.

Texas Electric is a member of the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation, which is composed of 11 investor-owned electric companies of Texas. The Foundation and General Dynamics Corporation are jointly sponsoring research aimed at controlling the nuclear fusion (hydrogen bomb) reaction for the eventual production of electric power. It is the world's largest privately-financed research program in this field.

Five scientists at work on the Foundation's research program will join others from the United States and other countries in discussing the latest developments in man's attempts to control on earth the energy process of the sun and stars. They are Dr. W. E. Drummond, Dr. N. A. Krall, Dr. M. N. Rosenbluth, Dr. N. Rostoker, and Dr. A. Simon, all of General Dynamics Corporation in San Diego, California.

In making the announcement, Fisher said, "Naturally we are gratified that scientists from our project were invited to participate in this important international event. We think it is significant that a major scientific effort being carried out by private enterprise here in the United States will have a place on the program along with governmental efforts by other countries."

home after a two weeks visit with her parents.

Mrs. Emma Lasater of Gorman spent Sunday with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham. Mrs. Delmon Eaves and children were also Sunday guests of the Grahams.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves visited in Rising Star on Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith. Billy and Brenda Carlton of Carbon spent the Labor Day holiday with their grandmother, Mrs. John Donaldson and Mr. Donaldson.

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### WSCS To Begin Year of Worship and Study

The first fall business session of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was conducted by Mrs. G. C. Acrea Tuesday morning in Fellowship Hall.

Mrs. Barton Eppler outlined the 1961-62 program of study and seasonal events.

On September 12th, Mrs. Acrea and Mrs. Eppler will be hostesses for the annual affair, a guest tea honoring new members.

Topics of study to be presented by Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Secretary of Missionary Education, are "Churches For New Times" and "The Mission of The Church Of Christ in Latin America."

The program book is titled "The Household of God" and the Spiritual Life Study is titled "The Meaning of Suffering."

Every woman of the church is urged to take advantage of the advantage the WSCS affords in the study of and the support of home and foreign institutions of learning evangelization and healing.

### TOMASINE WHITT RETURNS TO COLLEGE ON SUNDAY

Miss Tomasine Whitt, a freshman at the University of Texas, left Sunday for "rush week" which began this week. Regular classes will begin next week.

Many other students will be returning next week to began their studies in various fields, and a number of the High Schools' last graduating class will be entering different colleges and universities.

### FORMER RESIDENTS NOW LIVING IN SWEETWATER

Mr. and Mrs. W. Manning Fairbetter, La Gina and Angela, are living in Sweetwater.

Manning (Bill to his West Texas friends) has been promoted to staff manager with the National Life and Accident Insurance Co. and was transferred from Hamlin to company offices in Sweetwater.

### CARD OF THANKS

In time of sorrow, such as ours, it is difficult to find words to express thanks and appreciation for all the kind and thoughtful deeds which are tendered.

Please know that from our hearts we say "thanks to you" for everything.

Jo Ann and Jimmy Clark  
Grace and Marvin Nix  
The Ben Nixes  
The Clark Family  
The John Jones Family

### Omar Burleson Accepts U. N. Appointment

Rep. Omar Burleson of Anson has accepted the U. N. appointment as one of the two Congressional Delegates to the United Nations fall session, which convenes September 19.

The session usually lasts approximately two months, but it has run longer.

Burleson being an avowed conservative, said there were many things about the U. N. with which

de disagrees, "but running away from it won't cure them."

"I have always visited extensively throughout my district between sessions," Burleson said, "and I hated to give up that privilege." But he stated he would gain a much broader insight into our nation's needs, which is one of the strongest motivations for his acceptance.

Mr. Burleson said he wants the expressed wishes of Congress before he goes to New York.

The House Foreign Affairs Committee, of which he is a ranking member, has passed, unanimously, a resolution opposing U. N. recognition of Red China.

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10	B	Joe Harrison	140
30	B	Jim Rodgers	175
40	B	Nathan Files	150
23	B	Harold Rodgers	135
22	B	Bobby Rodgers	150
20	B	Terry Clark	100
80	E	Phil Puckett	170
82	E	Gene Snider	140
83	E	Larry Anderson	120
86	E	Richard Watson	150
85	E	Larry Kirk	145
81	E	Ronnie Smith	150
75	T	Butch Boyd	175
73	T	John Paul Bolt	175
76	T	Glenn Scitem	165
60	G	Terry Shell	150
61	G	Joe Bob Rodgers	160
62	G	Bobby Browning	145
65	G	George Bolt	130
51	G	Richard Eaves	115
41	G	Deryck Pocock	140
71	G	David Kirk	140
50	C	Joe Ed Baze	150
51	C	Rodney Stephens	150

**COLORS:**  
Red and Blue  
**COACHES:**  
Bucky Walters, Garner Rice  
**MANAGERS:**  
Red Hamilton, Thomas Seay

### Throckmorton

31	L.	Cribbs	B	135
73	R.	Gober	T	160
80	P.	Hitch	E	190
83	F.	Martin	B	120
32	B.	Nelson	C	180
30	L.	Rankin	B	190
70	R.	Rowland	T	190
22	K.	Scrogum	B	165
11	C.	Boland	B	145
82	J.	McNutt	E	145
50	K.	Liles	C	150
62	D.	Hibbitts	G	140
60	T.	Spain	T	170
23	J.	Rogers	B	135
20	S.	Massey	B	140
21	M.	Karl	B	130
81	L.	Nichols	E	150
51	M.	Cogburn	C	200
10	C.	Daws	B	145
63	T.	Gentry	T	150
29	J.	Ghormley	T	165
61	J.	Hare	G	145
72	L.	Lilly	T	175
28	J.	Allen	G	130
26	M.	Davis	G	150
19	J.	Gober	G	110
12	V.	Johnson	E	120
71	J.	Keeter	T	160
25	S.	Liles	E	140
17	G.	London	B	110
34	L.	Manuel	C	145

**Coaches —** Tommy Boyd  
Don Sims



We extend a hearty welcome to all ex-students and visitors. These pictures were taken in the Twenties and Thirties - - - don't you remember? Several are now active citizens in Gorman - others have enjoyed successful lives elsewhere. We hope you have fun trying to find out who's who.



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Emerson's Cafe

THE GORMAN PROGRESS



### 350 Growers -

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Three of the seven Association Director District held elections this year to name Association Directors. Two new Directors were named in the state of Oklahoma. They are Mr. Roy Gentry, of Shawnee, Oklahoma, and Mr. Barton Scott of Binger, Oklahoma was re-elected to serve the Western Oklahoma District. In Texas Mr. Cecil M. Bynum, of Pleasanton, Texas, was elected by growers in the South Texas District to replace Mr. J. E. Brite, who is retiring as Director.

In a meeting of the Association Board of Directors, Mr. Jesse Leach, of Holdenville, Oklahoma, was elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year. Other new officers are Vice-Chairman, John Rollins, of Granbury, Texas, and D. B. Warren, Secretary-Treasurer, Gorman, Texas.

The Board selected Mr. Barton Scott, of Binger, Oklahoma, and E. A. Walker, of De Leon, Texas, to serve with the Board Chairman on the Executive Committee for the new year.



### HULLS

by Kernel Gene, aPe

Weekly newspapers and printing plants have offered many young men and women opportunities to develop dormant talents. These talents may be in the mechanical, advertising, editorial, selling or printing end of the business - whichever they may choose.

One of the most successful associated with the Gorman Progress was Jerry Clark. When Jerry was first offered a position at the Progress he said no. However, after I kidded him about all the knowledge he had received in school, and how sorry I was for the little sheep that gave up his skin when Jerry graduated, he decided to ac-

cept my offer.

It took Jerry about three weeks to get acclimated. After that he took over the advertising department, started a sports column, helped out in the mechanical end of the shop, read proofs, and wrote some very good editorials. In fact, he just about did everything. He was successful as a newspaper man but his first love was helping handicapped children, so he returned to his chosen field.

One of the joys of living in small towns is that laws are not too stringent. People are more patient and inclined to "give and take" when someone double parks or gets in a hurry and swings to the wrong side of the street to pass a car. Of course, this is dangerous and aside from hurting someone could cause an accident which would increase insurance rates.

John Turner put in several hours Tuesday night marking streets so cars could stay in the proper lanes. Your cooperation in observing traffic laws will be appreciated.

Our Volunteer Firemen are planning on renovating the Fire Hall in the near future. We sort of take these men for granted but we do commend them for the work they have done in the past and know they are ready day or night to protect our property.

The Progress staff always enjoys working up to Homecoming Day. Sometime we hope to get a bunch of ex-students to cooperate in sending in their pictures with a story of who they were and what they are doing now. A small charge would be made to cover costs of cuts but think how much you would enjoy knowing about that old classmate that you have not seen for years.

Two Reader's Digests condensed books have been added to the Progress Library by Mr. Caleb Martin. I have also purchased three new books: "The Winter of Our Discomfort", by Steinbeck; "The House at Old Vine", by Norah Lofts; and "The Horizontal Reader", by Mel Evans. This last book, according to the author, is a rare mixture of amusing tales, irreverent verse, surprises and chills.

### J & S SPORTS

Joe Bennett & Speedy Clark

J&S

The Panthers, looking impressive with their win over the Bearcats, are not taking the Homecoming tilt with the tough Throckmorton Greyhounds lightly. They realize that the Greyhounds have a real strong club and they will again have to be at their best to win this one. Last week the Greyhounds beat a Class A Holliday team 28 to 0.

Many fans who missed last week's game should make it a point not to miss this Homecoming game this Saturday at 8.

J&S

Now that the New York Yanks have a 7 1/2 game bulge over the fading Detroit Tigers everyone assumes that Mantle, Maris, and Company will win the World Series over the Cincinnati Reds.

Most everyone has forgotten who is leading each league and are concentrating on what game Mantle or Maris will break the great Babe Ruth's record of 60 homers in one season. With about 15 games left we believe that the pressure will become too great and neither will reach the coveted goal.

J&S

#### A TRIBUTE TO JERRY

Jerry Clark, who for a few years covered the Sports for the Gorman Progress, was one of the best in the business. As a matter of fact, Jerry was instrumental in getting Max Pierce a scholarship with the TCU Horn Frogs, and also getting recognition for several other Gorman players.

He kept an exact record of all the players and it was from the statistical record that Max received offers from several schools before deciding to cast his lot with the Frogs and it was Max's honor to play on two Championship ball

Graydon Baze informed us Wednesday evening that he had received a telegram from Senator Yarborough confirming his appointment as Postmaster for Gorman.

Graydon also received a copy of the Congressional Record from Congressman Burleson.

To date the Progress has not received any word in regard to the Rural Route appointment.

clubs and to play in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas and in the Blue Bonnet Bowl in Houston.

Jerry was a loyal supporter of all sports, amateur and professional, and will long be remembered for the outstanding service he rendered in the sports field as well as bright smile, friendly and humorous ways, and for the service he rendered to mankind.

J&S

We received a couple of Press Passes from Howard Payne College on Wednesday to see the home games of the Yellow Jackets. We appreciate them very much and will probably take advantage of the opportunity to see some of their games.

With the fine football this team plays each year and no further than it is to Brownwood, local fans should avail themselves of seeing some of the Yellow Jacket games this season.

### C. L. ROGERS ENJOY VACATION IN OREGON

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rogers returned this week from a two week vacation with their son, Raymond, who lives in Modris, Oregon.

The Rogers drove their car to Wichita Falls and took the train from there. The trip took them through Colorado, Idaho and Wyoming.

Their son met them in The Lodells, Oregon, as the passenger train does not run through Modris.

Raymond and his parents toured the places of interest, taking them to Vancouver, Washington, and the 90-mile trip by train along the Columbia River was one of the highlights for Mr. Rogers.

They also did some fishing and thoroughly enjoyed every day of their trip.

### MUSICAL AT SCHOOL SET FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a musical held on Friday night, September 8, at 7:30 p. m. at School Hill School House.

Everyone is invited.

### TOMMY EAVES RETURNS HOME FROM SERVICE

Tommy Eaves, formerly of the Kokomo Community, now of Carbon, dropped by the Progress office Wednesday to notify us that he has received his discharge from the service and wished to express his thanks for receiving the Gorman Progress for the past two years.

He was stationed with the Army in Fort Meade, Maryland.

Tommy doesn't have any immediate plans for the future.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves of Carbon.

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