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NUMBER ELEVEN

LARGE NUMBER OF VOTERS HERE IN FIRST DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

The First Democratic Primary on Saturday, May 2, drew a large number of voters with 523 ballots cast.

Number of votes cast for the various candidates and offices were as follows:

- U. S. Senator:
 - Ralph W. Yarborough - 230
 - Gordon McLendon - 271
- Congressman At Large:
 - Joe Pool 315; Bill Elkins 28;
 - Robert W. Baker 42; Bob Looney 10; and Dan Sullivan 65.
- Congressman, 17th. District:
 - Omar Burleson - 377
 - Max Carriker - 135
- Governor:
 - John Cannally 357; Don Yarborough 142; M. T. Banks 11; and Johnnie Mae Hackworth 4.
- Lt. Governor:
 - Albert Fuentes, Jr. - 61
 - Preston Smith - 442
- Attorney General:
 - Waggoner Carr - 509
- Comm. of Agriculture:
 - John C. White - 407
 - Millard S. Shivers - 96
- Comm. of Gen. Land Office:
 - Jerry Sadler - 390
 - Fred H. Williams - 107
- Comptroller of Public Accounts:
 - Robert S. Calvert - 516
- State Treasurer:
 - Jesse James - 515
- Railroad Commissioner:
 - Ben Ramsey - 516
- Railroad Comm. (unexpired term):
 - Jim C. Langdon - 308
 - Jesse Owens - 187
- Associate Justice of Supreme Court, Place 1:
 - Sears McGee - 195
 - Jack Pope - 289
- Associate Justice of Supreme Court, Place 2:
 - Ruel C. Walker - 516
- Associate Justice of Supreme Court, Place 3:
 - Robert W. Hamilton - 515
- Court of Criminal Appeals:
 - K. K. Woodley - 514
- Court of Civil Appeals, 11th. Judicial District, Chief Justice:
 - Clyde Grissom - 515
- State Rep., 63rd. District:
 - Roger Q. Evans - 96
 - Wayne Gibbens - 400
- District Judge - 91st. Judicial Dist.
 - T. M. Collie - 498

County Attorney:

- Perry T. Brown - 327
- Earl Conner, Jr. - 177
- Tax Assessor-Collector:
 - Edgar F. Altom - 513
- Sheriff, Eastland County:
 - L. E. (Lefty) Sublett 100; J. B. Williams 287; J. J. (Jake) Honea 42; R. A. (Bob) Patterson 73; and Ray T. Sue 12.
- County School Supt:
 - O. L. Samey - 340
 - Mrs. B. E. Wagley - 155
- County Democratic Chairman:
 - A. E. Crawley - 516
- Constable, Precinct No. 5:
 - Albert White - 497
 - Write In - Odie Brightwell - 1
- Precinct Chairman, Precinct 4:
 - W. G. Baker - 498
 - Write Ins - Jesse Parker 1; E. G. Henderson 2; Odie Brightwell 16; and Joe Collins 1.

Officers Named For Sabanno Valley Game Preserve

Election of officers was the order of business of the Sabanno Valley Game Preserve Association meeting held Tuesday at the Fire Hall.

Mr. H. A. Tyrone was re-elected President, Ray Rankin, Vice-President, and E. L. Curb was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

Directors are Arlon E. Smith, A. L. Underwood, Mrs. J. D. Caldwell and Gaylon Wright.

During the business session it was suggested for purpose of study and consideration that land owners pool their acreage and sell rights to approved individuals for the ensuing hunting seasons.

BOBBY SHUGART RECEIVES DISCHARGE FROM AIR FORCE

Bobby E. Shugart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shugart of Route 1, arrived home Saturday following his discharge from the United States Air Force, following almost four years of service.

He was recently stationed at Gunter AFB, Alabama where he was attached to a printing unit.

Leonard-Palmer Wedding Vows Are Planned For Saturday Night, May 23



Mrs. and Mrs. G. T. Leonard announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Juanita Darlene, to Albert Lee Palmer of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Palmer of Route 3, Gorman.

Miss Leonard is a junior in Gorman High School.

Albert is a 1962 graduate of Gorman High School and a graduate of Durhams Business College of Austin, and is employed with the Republic National Bank of Dallas.

The wedding will take place on Saturday, May 23 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening at the First Baptist Church.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Rev Edward Otwell To Speak Sunday At First Methodist



Rev. Edward Otwell, Executive Secretary of the Town and Country Commission of the Central Texas Conference, will be guest preacher at the First Methodist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Rev. Otwell will speak on "What Are You Worth?"

As a special feature of the service Roll Call Sunday will be observed in this service and the name of every member of the church, resident and non-resident, will be called.

Red Cross Drive Opens In Gorman

The Eastland County Red Cross Chapter has opened a two weeks campaign, which began May 4th, and will continue through May 16th, in the towns of Gorman, Rising Star, Desdemona and Carbon. Mr. John Kimble will be chairman of the solicitation in Gorman.

The campaign is the chapter's annual appeal for the funds needed to carry on local, national and international Red Cross health and emergency welfare programs.

The Red Cross belongs to all the people. It serves all the people and depends entirely upon their voluntary support for its funds.

The campaign slogan is "Always There... With Your Help." It is these funds that help the Red Cross to be "Always There" to:

Aid our servicemen and their dependents at home, across the country and around the world;

Provide emergency care for disaster victims and help families recover from losses caused by storms, fires and floods;

Carry on its growing blood program, including collection and distribution, provide life saving blood products and expand into new medical uses for blood;

Train American families in home nursing, first aid and water safety, and

Help our youth gain, by serving others through the Red Cross, the experiences and training that will equip them to become the future leaders of our communities and nation.

Like any business, the Red Cross has to budget its expenditures in advance, however, with the realization that a large natural disaster or sudden national emergency may require a huge expenditure beyond its budget.

People who give their money to the Red Cross can be assured by this businesslike budgeting and expert auditing that their "investment" in the Red Cross pays the highest dividends possible in service to themselves, their families and to others.

NEW DAUGHTER FOR MR. & MRS. NATHAN FILES

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Files announce the birth of their daughter, Lori Ann, born at 1:25 a. m. today, Thursday, May 7, in Blackwell Hospital. She weighed eight pounds.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Mason of De Leon and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Files of Gorman.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Ava Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Nath McMullin of Gorman.

FINAL RITES FOR THOMAS PETREE SET FOR FRIDAY

Funeral services for Thomas Dee Petree, 30, will be held at 3 p. m. Friday in the First Baptist Church in Carbon with Rev. Lee Fields officiating. Burial will be in Long Branch Cemetery.

Mr. Petree died at 8:10 p. m. Wednesday, May 6 at his home from a self-inflicted gun shot wound.

He was born June 14, 1933 in Carbon and was a truck driver for the Gorman Peanut Company.

Survivors are his wife, Celeste; five children of the home, Joe, Ray, Barbara, Toni and Hayden; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petree; two brothers, Joe Lee and Burl, and a sister, Maydell of Cisco and two married sisters, Mrs. Betty Jones of Abilene and Mrs. Murle Johnson of Stamford.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

All teen-age boys interested in playing ball this summer are urged to attend the meeting to be held tonight, Thursday, May 7th, at 6 p. m. at the baseball field.

Speck Clark

Next issue dates for USDA Surplus Foods for Eastland County for May are as follows:

Monday, May 11 - Eastland, Olden, and Ranger.

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

Wednesday, May 13 - Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

The Hamilton "Open and Kids Western Horse Show" was rained out and has been re-scheduled for Tuesday, May 16th. Two more events have been added. They are Open Cloverleaf Barrel Race and Open Breakaway Calf Roping.

The Gorman Masonic Lodge No. 716, AF&AM, will hold a regular monthly meeting Tuesday, May 13 at 8 p. m.

The Gorman Business Men's Club will meet Monday, May 11 at the Brown Jug at 6 p. m.

The Friday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Cub Scouts of Den One and Den Two meet each Monday at 3:30 p. m.

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Rebekah Lodge meets Tuesday, May 13 at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Edwin Ogle of Houston will be the evangelist for a revival at the First Church of God at Eastland beginning May 10 and continuing through May 17.

Morning services will be held at 7 a. m. and evening services will be held each evening at 7:30.

The pastor, Rev. Joe Down extends a cordial invitation to everyone to attend these services.

Seniors To Leave On Tuesday For New Orleans Trip

Members of the Senior Class of 1964 of Gorman High School and sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Cowan, will leave school responsibilities behind Tuesday when they board the chartered bus for a six day trip to New Orleans, La.

Reservations have been made at the Sheraton Charles Hotel, and they will leave Gorman at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday and return Sunday, May 17th.

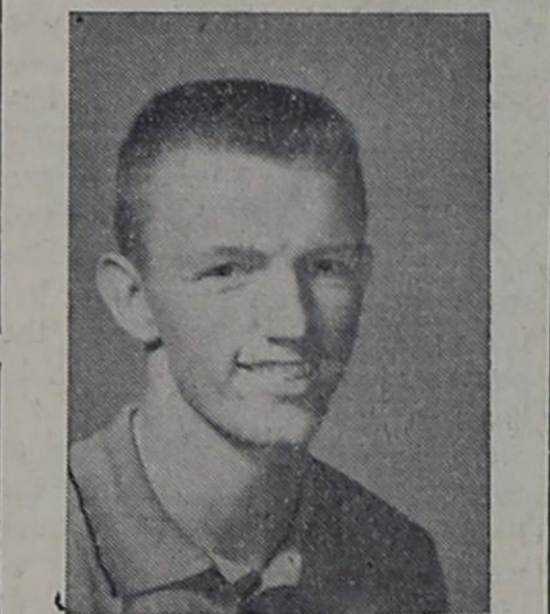
Seniors not making the trip are Vic Stacy, Jim Rodgers and Thomas Seay.

Baseball Meeting Is Slated Here For Monday At 6:30 PM

All boys who are interested in playing Little League, Pony League, or Teen-Age League Baseball are requested to be with their parents at the Baseball Field on Monday, May 11th at 6:30 p. m.

This will be a very important meeting because the organization of teams and managers will need to be done immediately.

Carbon will enter a little league team again this year and will be managed by Mr. Jimmy Hughes.



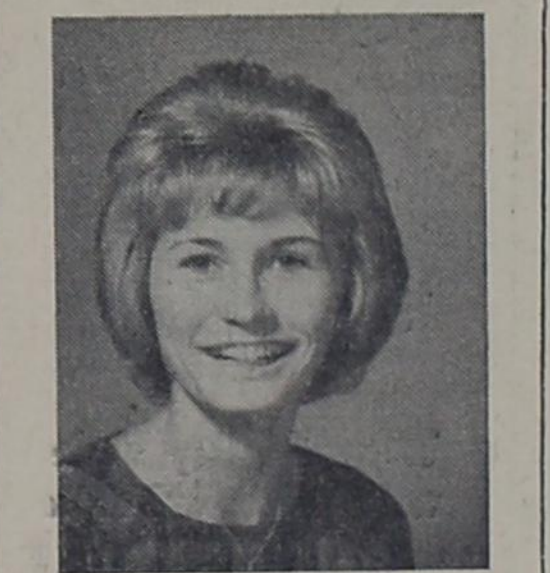
RICHARD WATSON

Richard was born in the Blackwell Hospital on December 3, 1945 to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson.

He started to school when he was six. He has a brother, Kenneth, who is seven years older than he. He played football and basketball for two years in Junior High.

In High School he was a member of the FFA for two years. A member of the Beta Club two years. He played basketball and football four years and was a member of the track team three years. He was captain of the football team his senior year, served as class president his freshman and senior years, and class treasurer his sophomore year. He served on the Annual Staff his junior year and as editor his senior year. He went to State Typing contest his junior year. He was elected class favorite his freshman year and Mr. G. H. S. his senior year. He was a member of the senior play.

A member of the First Baptist Church of Gorman, Richard plans to attend Tarleton next fall and later the University of Texas.



CAROLYN SUE HUFF

Sue was born in the Blackwell Hospital on May 1, 1946 to Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Huff. She started to school at Gorman when she was six. She has a brother, Wayne, who is five years younger than she.

In the eighth grade Sue served as head cheerleader.

In High School she was a member of the FHA for two years. She was reporter of this club her sophomore year.

Sue was elected cheerleader and class favorite her freshman year. In her sophomore year she was elected cheerleader, class favorite, and Miss Personality, and also served as secretary of her class.

In her junior year she was elected cheerleader, class favorite, and also served as vice-president of her class. Sue served as head cheerleader her senior year, was also elected Miss School Spirit and Homecoming Queen.

She was an active member of the Pantherette basketball team for four years and was elected as All-District Forward her senior year. She played volleyball two years. She was a member of the senior play cast.

Sue plans to become the wife of Sammy Dee Pierce in June and to attend Gary's Beauty College in Brownwood in the fall.

THE HOUSING ADMINISTRATION APPROVES LOAN FOR LOW RENT HOUSING IN CITY OF GORMAN

Congressman Omar Burleson, 17th. District of Texas, notified the Progress office Wednesday that the Public Housing Administration

has approved a loan in the amount of \$123,166.00 with interest, for construction of ten low rent homes for the elderly in the City of Gorman. The cost of each is to be \$8,700.

Mr. W. C. "Check" Smith, Chairman of the Gorman Housing Authority has announced that bids will be let as soon as titles are cleared on the property where the homes are to be built.



MARY MARTHA SHELL

Mary was born in the Cisco Hospital on December 23, 1945 to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shell. She started to school at Gorman when she was six. She has a sister, Linda, who is two years older than she. When she was in junior high she lettered two years in basketball. She was also a cheerleader in the eighth grade.

In High School she was a member of the FHA for two years, was secretary-treasurer for this club her sophomore year. In her freshman year she was secretary of her class. In her junior years she joined the Beta Club as a charter member and was elected secretary-treasurer of the club her junior and senior years.

Mary was elected cheerleader her freshman year. She began band in the fourth grade and was a member of the Gorman High Panther Band her last six years of school. She served as twirler her sophomore and junior years. She was drum major of the band her senior year. She was reporter for the band her junior year and treasure her junior year and president her senior year.

Mary lettered in basketball four years and was placed on the All-District team. She played volleyball four years, and was a member of the senior play cast.

A member of the First Methodist Church, she plans to attend the University of Texas.



BARBARA JOBE

Barbara was born on July 14, 1946 at Blackwell Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Jobe. She has one sister, Sherry Lee Jobe, who is in the sixth grade.

She started to school when she was six years old.

During her freshman year she served as class reporter, was a member of the Homemaking Class, played basketball and was a member of the band. She was manager of the basketball team during her sophomore year, was vice-president of the FHA, played volleyball, powder puff football, and was a member of the band. During her junior she managed the basketball team and played on the powder puff football team.

(She was a member of the senior play cast during her senior year, was elected Diamond Jubilee Queen, Queen of the Football team, is a member of the Beta Club and played powder puff football.

Barbara's father has a farm machinery business and her mother is employed with Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association.

She plans to attend Draughan's Business College in June.

MRS. S. T. MAY LAID TO REST HERE MONDAY

Mrs. Ida Ophelia May, 93, one of Gorman's oldest citizens, died May 2, 1964 in Blackwell Hospital following an illness of two years.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with Randolph Pritchett, minister of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in the Gorman Cemetery.

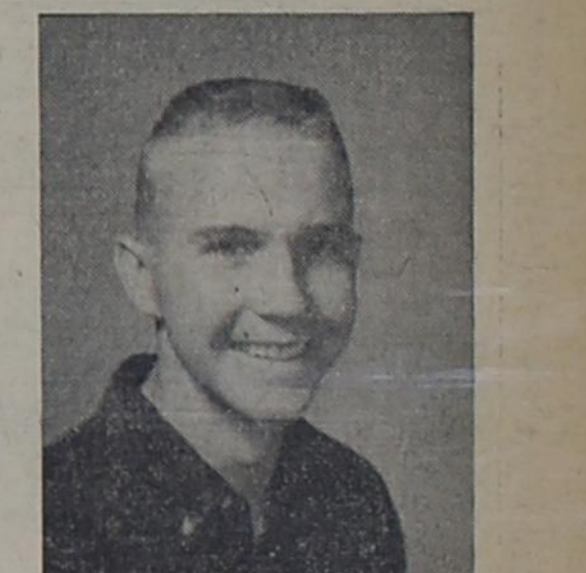
Born in Merian County, Georgia October 22, 1870, she moved to Texas when she was quite young. She was married to S. T. May on November 14, 1888 at Moody, Texas, where they lived until coming to Gorman 30 years ago to make their home with a daughter, Mrs. Ola Walker.

Mr. May died in 1955. Two sons and a daughter also preceded her in death.

She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include four daughters, Mmes. Minnie Dickerson of Moody, Ollie Salyer of Overton, Leta Lois Chandler of De Leon, and Ola Walker of Gorman; two sons, John and Cain May of Fort Worth; 14 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren, and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons: Leiland Salyer, Houston, J. T. Catchart, Fort Worth, O. L. Salyer, New London, Sherman Dickerson, of Moody, W. Paul Chandler, Amarillo, and J. L. Chandler, De Leon.



TERRY DAVID CLARK

Terry was born in the Blackwell Hospital on June 25, 1946 to Mr. and Mrs. D. R. (Speck) Clark. He started to school in Gorman when he was six years old. He played football and basketball in grade school.

In High School, he was in FFA for three years, was treasurer for one year and president two years. He was vice-president of his class his sophomore year and president of the class his junior year, and served as class treasurer his senior year. He played football three years and basketball all four years and was a member of the Second Team All-District in basketball, and receive the Most Conscientious Player Award at the All Sports Banquet his senior year. He was a member of the track team for three years.

He was voted Friendliest Boy his senior year and was also a member of the senior play cast.

Terry is a member of the First Baptist Church and plans to enter Hardin-Simmons University in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Reynolds and children of Arlington visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and family and with his brother, Edgar Reynolds and family of De Leon.

WANT ADS

MATTRESSES RENOVATED — Save up to 50%. Guaranteed. Choice size, firmness. Matching box springs made by Western Mattress Company. Write Box 5288, San Angelo, or phone Delma's Beauty Shop, RE 4-5611, Gorman. 1-14fnc

ATTENTION HORSE LOVERS — See Joe or Karen Collins for all Tex-Tan Supplies. Bridles, Halters, Bits, Spurs, Blankets - you name it. See The Horseman's Bar at Collins & Sons Agency. 8-22fnc

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For Dependable Insurance on your home, business or automobile, see Joe Collins at Collins and Sons Agency. Terms available. Phone RE 4-5411 or RE 4-5595. 6-14-62fnc

WANTED TO BUY — Good healthy pigs and shoats up to 100 lbs. Any amount. Jim Ray Cox, Rising Star, Texas, Ph. 643-4467. 4-5-16p

FOR SALE — Good Used (12,000 size) water-cooled Air Conditioner. GE Motor (HP-2). Used only two seasons. Approximately 70 feet of heavy ducts included. Reasonable. Southwestern Peanut Growers' Association, Gorman, Texas. Phone RE 4-2222 (817). 4-30fnc

PRECISION SAW FILING — Saws re-toothed. Hand, circle, band saws and power blades. Every tooth made uniform, accurate, an needle sharp on our Foley Automatic Saw Filer. Mail or bring your saws to L. E. Capers, Box 402, Gorman. Repair service on all types of guns, electric appliances. fn

NEED — An Extra Key - Made While You Wait! Rankin Army-Navy Surplus. 11-29fnc

REAL ESTATE — Farms, ranches, city property. We strive to please. Listings appreciated. Delton Coggburn, Ph. 7842, De Leon. 2-6fnc

FOR SALE — 35 ft. sheet iron brooder house, hand lawn mower with rubber tires, 18 qt. pressure cooker, 21 inch screen cabinet style TV. All these items for sale at bargain prices. See or call Mrs. Mack Underwood. Phone RE 4-5327. 4-5-13p

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CARD OF THANKS
A note of thanks to the people of Gorman for their kindness expressed during the time of our bereavement in the loss of our dear mother and grandmother. A special thanks to the doctors and their staff and those who were in attendance at the funeral home. Deep appreciation to those who gave and prepared the nice food and to those who remembered with floral offerings. Each thoughtfulness will make our sorrow easier to bear. The Children and Grandchildren of Mrs. S. T. May

FOR SALE — Imperial 150 Refrigerated Air Conditioner, two years old. George Rodgers, Phone RE 4-5364. 5-7fnc

FOR SALE — Fine milch cow with 6-weeks-old heifer calf. Roscoe Reeves, RE 4-5426. 1tp

FOR SALE — Three bedroom brick home. One and one-half bath. Carpeted. Edward Rodgers, Gorman, RE 4-5796. 4-23fnc

FOR SALE — Ten foot Stock Trailer, good condition. See Marvin Lewis, Phone RE 4-5646 or see J. C. Lewis. 2-5-7p

FOR SALE — To Be Moved - Large one car garage. Would make a good lake cabin. A. B. Hunt, Gorman. 2-5-7p

FOR SALE — Good used Maytag Cook Stove. Mrs. Travis Smith, Rt. 2, Gorman. 2-5-7p

FOR SALE — 167 acre sandy land farm, 22 acre peanut allotment, 80 acres pushed. Goat fenced. Good water at 40 ft. Good water tank. John Sutton, Ph. RE 4-5552, Gorman. 4-9fnc

FOR SALE — One Registered Angus Bull, three and one-half years old. Homer Wood, Route 1, Gorman. 2-5-7p

FOR SALE — Practically new water cooled air conditioner. Will sell at a bargain. W. C. Smith, Rt. 2 in Gorman. 3-5-21p

FOR SALE — Nice large building lot. Mrs. Handley Kirk, Phone RE 4-5746. 1tp

WANTED — I will do washing or ironing at my home. Mrs. Handley Kirk, RE 4-5746. 1tp

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PHONE RE 4-5363 PHONE RE 4-5336

CARD OF THANKS
We are deeply grateful to each and everyone who have been so kind and helpful since Arlin has been ill. We wish to thank each member of the hospital staff, Dr. Brown, all those who sent flowers and cards, and the many, many friends who visited us in the hospital, and are continuing to come since we came home, but most of all your prayers are so helpful. May God richly bless each of you. Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Clement

Spring Is The Time To Visit The Texas White House
Spring is the time to drive south for a look at the not so little Texas White House. The home of President and Mrs. Lyndon Johnson is a stately ranch house in the hill country looking down on the Pedernales River. In Spanish to English translation Pedernales means "Flintlocks River." The rock-bed river, heading near Harper in Gillespie County, does not belie its name, for it runs across Edwards Plateau to cut canyon passage through rock mountains, where on reaching the LBJ Ranch it becomes a lazy river, the flow being checked and conserved by a series of low dams that also serve the purpose of making the landscape that slopes from the house site to the river, even more beautiful.

Cattle grazing on the banks of the river insure fine steaks for the President and family. Pecan trees weeping with a heavy load of glooms, speak for a harvest of plenty.

The Flag, folding, unfolding and rippling in the breeze, will inspire a patriotic feeling that so often becomes dormant in times of Peace.

Just the thought, "This is the Home of the President of the United States," gives a feeling of pride to the Texas American.

A trip south with the family, the scouts, the 4-Hers, FHA, FFA, could take less than a day. Seeing the historical sites of towns along Highways 16, American Legion Memorial Highway, 281 and 290.

Take Highway 290 west at Johnson City, county seat of Blanco. Drive west past Hye, ten miles out. Take Ranch Road No. 1 to the right. Follow the Pedernales, El Camino del Rancho for three miles, and don't be disappointed that you can see the White House only from across the river.

It would take another column to tell you about the many picturesque sites, the memorials to early priests, the riot of color flanking the highways — Go and see.

Sparky says:
They'll play safe when left with a trained sitter

Don't give fire a place to start!

DESDEMONA NEWS
By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

This community was made sad Saturday morning when word was received here that "Aunt" Sallie Eaton had passed away in a San Angelo Hospital following a long illness.

Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the family. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Belyeu and family of Abilene spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Belyeu.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Ragland and children of New Mexico were here for the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragland, and attended church at the First Baptist.

Mrs. Bernard Keith and girls of Clyde spent Sunday and Sunday night with Ethel Keith and the Pug Gutherys and attended services at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Tate of Lingleville spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holt and daughters of Breckenridge and Mr. David Hare attended services at the First Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Doris Dutton of De Leon attended services at the First Baptist Church Sunday and visited her mother, Mrs. Omata Lewis.

The Senior Play, "Hillbilly Courtship," will be presented at the Desdemona High School Friday, May 8.

Admission will be 50c for adults and 35c for students.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cobb and children of Post spent the week end here visiting the Ott Raglands and the Genoways.

Mrs. Bertha Walker of Oklahoma City spent the weekend here with her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Ragland and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ragland.

Mrs. Atlas Griffith is under the treatment of a nerve specialist. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Matt Davis, Jr. returned home this weekend after spending several days at Glen Rose.

MRS. J. C. TIMMONS HOSTS FAMILY LUNCHEON SUNDAY
Mrs. J. C. Timmons and her grandson, Vance Laminack, were hostesses for a family dinner and get-together on Sunday. Four of Mrs. Timmons' sisters were present, there were Mrs. Ava Yaws and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Huckabee of Gatesville, Mrs. E. E. Timmons of Jonesboro and Mrs. Ethel Russell of San Antonio. Others present were her children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Rodgers, Johnny, Bob and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mrs. Edward Stacy and Terry of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rodgers, Linda, Danny and Joe of Breckenridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rodgers and Keith of Fort Worth.

A buffet dinner was served at the noon hour and the bit of chit-chat in each room made it a most enjoyable day.

"Oklahoma" To Be Presented on Stage May 8-9 at Tarleton

Stephenville (Spl.) — "Oklahoma," the great musical show that set modern musical patterns, will play on the Tarleton College campus Friday and Saturday.

Students and faculty members and wives have spent weeks rehearsing for the big musical show. "Oklahoma" has a cast of 42, and represents a tremendous effort on the part of those performers.

Included in the musical arrangements for the famous comedy are: "Oh What A Beautiful Morning," "Surrey With The Fringe on Top," "People Will Say We're In Love," "Many A New Day," and others.

Those in lead roles for the show include Lewis Woodward as "Curley"; Cavin Sullivan, "Jud"; Mrs. Mary Alice Girdano, "Laurey"; Barbara Schneider, "Ado Annie"; Connie Greer, "Aunt Eller"; and Barbara Schermer, "Gertie." Philip Immroth is directing the show, and is in the cast as well.

The curtain goes up for the show at 8 p. m. on May 8-9.

ALBERT HENDRICKS HOME IS SCENE OF SENIOR MASQUERADE PARTY
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks were hostess for a masquerade party at their home Tuesday evening, April 28, honoring the spring graduates of the 1964 senior class. Each student came dressed in costume representing a famous personality. Mari Shell was judged first place winner with an oriental costume representing Susie Wong. Terry Clark, dressed as a Beagle, won second prize.

Refreshments were served from the patio from a table decorated with masks and class colors of red and white, centered with an arrangement of red roses and included sandwiches, dips, chips, stuffed celery, olives, pickles, cold drinks, brownies and cake.

The hostesses presented gifts to each senior wrapped in the form of a diploma and tied with red and blue ribbons. Entertainment for the evening was listening to records and just reminiscing.

Members of the senior class attending were Terry Clark, Dickey Eaves, Cecil Everton, Sue Huff, Richard Watson, Barbara Jobe, Roy Johnson, Beth Rhymes, Bobby Rodgers, Jim Rodgers, Thomas Seay, Mari Shell, Glen Warren, and Sylvia Hendricks.

Miss Hendricks will enter the Draughn's Business College in Abilene in June.

FATHER OF JOHN GOBLE TO BE BURIED FRIDAY
Funeral services for Clayton Goble of Dallas will be held at 2:00 P. M. Friday at Waxahachie. Mr. Goble died Wednesday at his home in Dallas.

He was the father of John Goble former minister of the Gorman Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Debert Williams of Kermit spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Northcutt of Kilgore visited Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Ollie Fein.

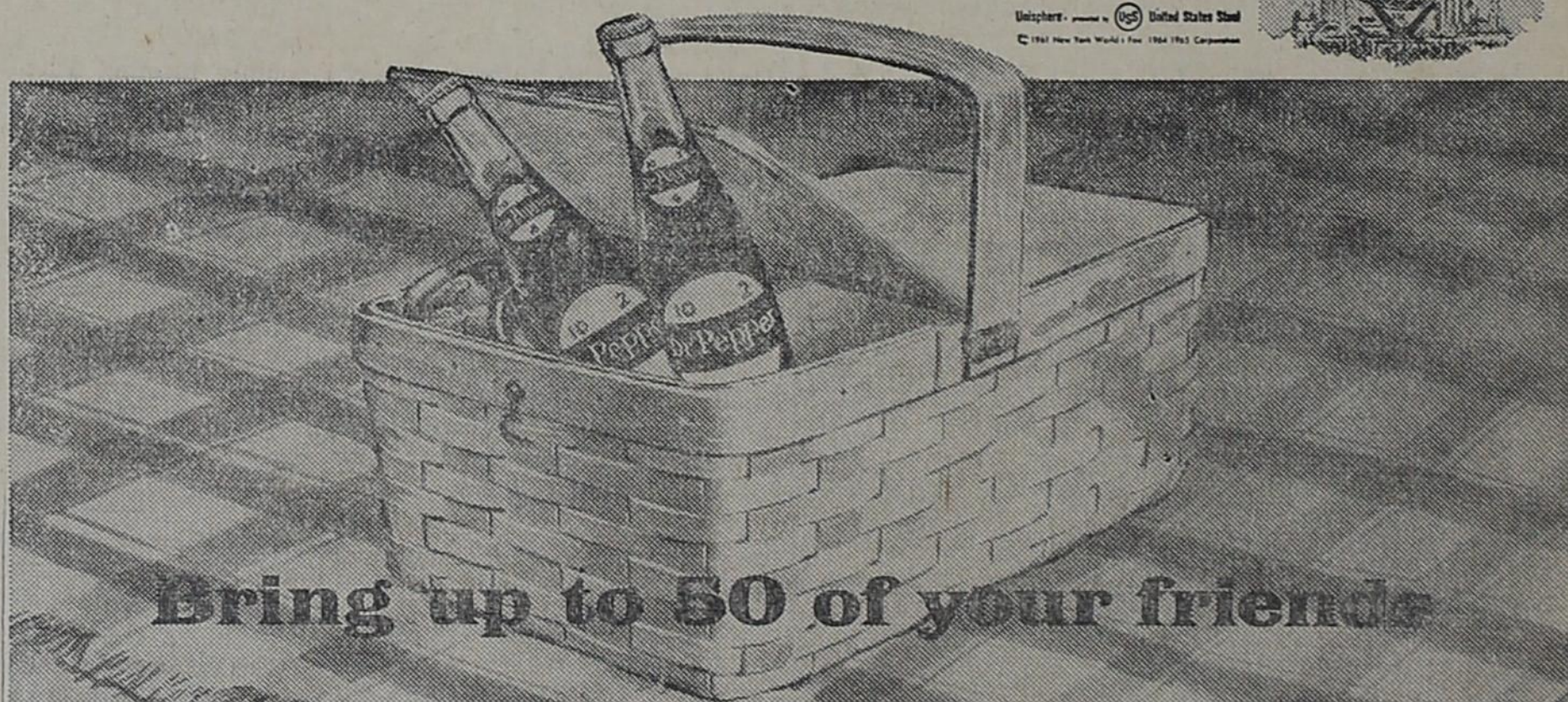
MURPHY ILEY BURIED ON WEDNESDAY AT COOLIDGE
Mr. Murphy Iley, 59, passed away in San Antonio on Tuesday. Funeral services were held in Coolidge on Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Iley was a former resident of Gorman and was the brother of Mrs. J. W. Askew of Gorman.

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5000 PAPER NAPKINS (plus fitted picnic basket.)

Next 100 Prizes
ANT VILLAGES (what's a picnic without ants?)

Next 250 Prizes
5000 Dr Pepper cups (and a 2-gallon picnic thermos jug.)

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A prize winner from every state submitting entries (excluding those states where prohibited, taxed or restricted) will receive a Columbia bicycle built for two, with a fully equipped picnic basket. All you add is food, Dr Pepper and a companion—then wheel away!

Impress your friends! Dazzle your classmates or club members! Win this latest kookie Dr Pepper contest and invite up to 50 of them to be YOUR guests at a picnic! But (you know us from past contests) this is no ordinary picnic, 'cause it'll be held at the New York World's Fair! That's right—the first prize in this unusual contest is a free three-day trip to the New York World's Fair for the winner and up to 50 of his (or her) friends! You'll stay at one of New York's most modern hotels, you'll see the sights at the Fair and you and your party will be treated to an old-fashioned picnic right on the Fair grounds. For going to all this trouble (making out the guest list, etc.), we'll also give the top winner a new 1964 Comet Caliente, plus \$50.00 spending money for himself (or herself) and each member of the group!

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OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week:
"The only person who saves time is the one who spends it well."

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Setzler spent the weekend in Midkiff with their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Wilson of Boyd were here Friday for the Cemetery Working and they visited the Milt Wilsons, Mrs. Allie Seay and Mrs. Sarah Wilson of Ranger.

Mrs. Henry Stewart of Odessa visited friends here and attended the Cemetery Working.

The Harry Coopers of Odessa spent last weekend with the Coopers and Rawls families. We failed to get this last week.

Mrs. Harvie O'Neal of Abilene and Mrs. Jess Goodin of Graham spent the weekend here with the Bond families.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Lindley spent Thursday in Goldthwaite visiting relatives.

The R. H. Watsons, Lee Roy Burslesons, and Jessie Atchisons spent Sunday with Mrs. Watson on the occasion of her birthday.

Mrs. Jim Johnson is a patient in the Stephenville Hospital. We want to wish her a speedy get well.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Scott of Odessa were here Friday visiting friends and attending the cemetery working at Oliver and Cheaney.

Bro. Fox's mother and father of Junction were visitors in the Sunday morning services.

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Methodist News

By JO DURAN

There are three prevalent ideas concerning the ownership of property:

1. Capitalistic Idea — man owns everything.
2. Communistic Idea — everything belongs to the state.
3. Christian Idea — everything belongs to God and man is the steward.

No one who has practiced tithing will question that it brings spiritual blessings. **It Puts Man Into Contact With God.** It gives his prayers standing before God. It gives him the consciousness that he is doing God's will.

You might be interested in what Alvin Dark, the Giants' former shortstop tells of his reasons for giving 10 percent of his baseball earnings to his church: "The first money I earned was \$2.50 a week for delivering newspapers in my home town, Lake Charles, Louisiana. Every Sunday I put 25 cents in the collection plate. Later, when I graduated from high school and went to work as a roustabout in the oil fields, I continued to contribute 10 percent of my earnings. In the Marines, it was a simple matter to have the money taken out of my pay ahead of time and sent home to my church.

"I have heard people say that they 'want' to tithe, but that after all bills are paid there is hardly

Billy McCutchen Named Assistant County Agri. Agent

Billy Mac McCutchen has been named Assistant County Agent and assumed his duties Monday, according to an announcement.

He will replace Roger Blackmon who will leave April 30th. to assume his duties as County Agent in Dickens County, May 1st.

Assistant County Agent McCutchen, 23, has just recently been discharged from military service in Germany. He received his Bachelor of Science in Agronomy from Texas A&M in 1961. He served 7 months in Lynn County as Assistant County Agent.

McCutchen and his wife will be residing in Eastland.

enough to make ends meet.

They've made the mistake of trying to take the money "off the bottom" instead of off the top. It should not be merely money that they don't need. If you tithe first, you'll make ends meet. You always feel that you really need the money for something else. The first four years that I went to spring training I had to borrow money to meet the initial expenses. Right now, at the peak of my earning power, as a player, I could still tell myself that I should save every penny I can for the security of my family in the days after my career has ended. My winner's share of the Series was \$11,147. The \$1,114 which I donated to the church may be a lot more than the first quarter I put in the plate, but to me it is no different."

Giving God his share will not cost you - it will pay you. When you make your pledge, start giving God His Share.

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Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

A typesetter fills out a page

The printer set the type for the Church of England's "Book of Common Prayer." The composition—"make-up" as printers call it—was giving him trouble. He needed more copy to make the pages come out even. Finding a hymn-poem that began "Hark, how all the welkin rings! Glory to the King of Kings," by an Anglican clergyman named Charles Wesley, the printer filled in the blank space.

In assuming the role of editor, the typesetter really stuck his neck out. Of all people, Charles Wesley! The doors of every Anglican church in the empire had been closed to both him and his brother, John. They could preach their Arminian doctrine of "free grace" in barns and pastures, but not in a building of the church they so brazenly criticized.

And certainly no hymn written by one of the "dirty, lousy Methodists" would be tolerated in the Book of Common Prayer. But the printer didn't know all that. The book went to press. And "the greatest Christmas hymn in the English language" was saved for posterity.

Learning shorthand from scholarly John Byron, Charles Wesley usually jotted down his poems in a hurry. To write 6500 in one lifetime, considering he didn't get started until he was 31, he had to work rapidly. Nor did he take time to "polish" his poems. "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing" has been edited

so many times that hardly a line remains as Wesley wrote it.

CHARLES WESLEY'S "Hymn For Christmas Day," as he called it, was picked up by hymn book editors and sung, when it was sung at all, to a dozen different tunes for 117 years. But, in 1840, Germany's boy wonder, Felix Mendelssohn, wrote operas before he was 16—went to Leipzig for the celebration of the 400th anniversary of printing. For the festival, he wrote an opera called "The Festgesang."

Fifteen years later—in 1855—England's 19-year-old tenor, William Haymen Cummings, was running through "The Festgesang" when he realized the second chorus was a natural for "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing."

Charles Wesley wrote his first hymn three days after his "conversion" in May, 1738. His "Hymn For Christmas Day" was written for the Christmas of that year. Hence, it was one of his first hymn-poems. But for the printer who used it to fill in space, it might have been lost. But what really "made" that hymn was Mendelssohn's music, written to celebrate the anniversary of Gutenberg's printing press. As it turned out, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" has been sung more than anything else Charles ever wrote . . . not excepting "Jesus, Lover Of My Soul."

Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King;
Peace on earth, and mercy mild;
God and sinners reconciled."
Joyful, all ye nations rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With angels hosts proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem."
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King."

Christ, by highest Heav'n adored,
Christ, the everlasting Lord;
Late in time behold Him come,
Offspring of the Virgin's womb.
Veiled in flesh and God-head see,
Hail th' Incarnate Deity!
Pleased as man with men to appear,
'Jesus our Immanuel here.
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King."

Hail the Heav'n-born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Son of righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings,
Ris'n with healing in His wings:
Mild He lays His glory by,
Born that man no more may die;
Born to raise the sons of earth;
Born to give them second birth.
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King."

Come, desire of nations, come!
Fix in us Thy humble home:
Rise, the woman's conqu'ring seed,
Bruise in us the serpent's head;
Adam's likeness now efface,
Stamp Thine image in its place:
Second Adam from above,
Reinstate us in Thy love.
Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King."



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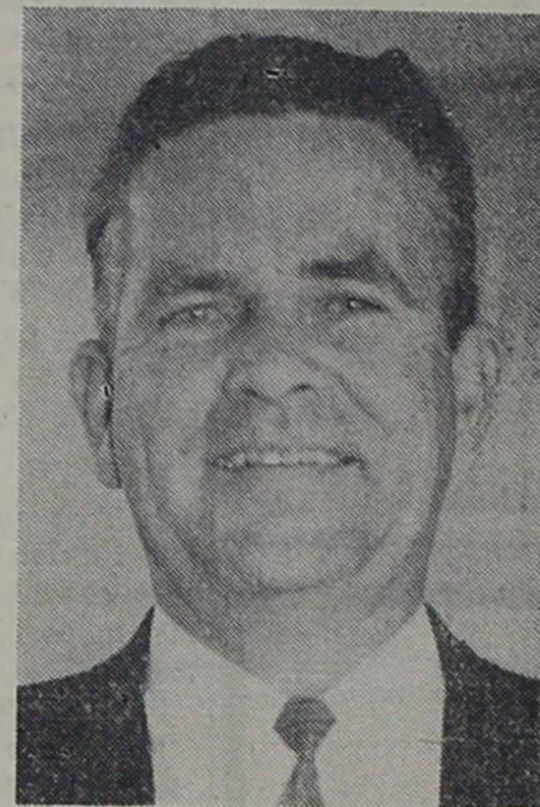
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NOTICE OF ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
CITY OF GORMAN:
COUNTY OF EASTLAND:

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF GORMAN, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Gorman, Texas, on the 23rd day of May, 1964, on the proposition and at the place more particularly set forth in the resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners on the 22nd. day of April, 1964, calling said election which is substantially as follows:

RESOLUTION

CALLING AN ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING WHETHER THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH UPPER LEON RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPLYING WATER TO THE CITY OF GORMAN.

WHEREAS, the City is in urgent need of an additional water supply which may be obtained by contract with Upper Leon River Municipal Water District;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF GORMAN, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said City on the 23rd. day of May, 1964, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION

"Shall the Board of Commissioners of the City of Gorman, Texas, be authorized to enter into a contract with Upper Leon River Municipal Water District for the purpose of supplying water to said City, as authorized by Chapter 342, Acts of the Fifty-First Legislature and other applicable laws?"

2. That said election shall be held at the Fire Hall in said City. The entire City shall constitute one election precinct for said election, and Odie Brightwell shall be the Presiding Judge and M. F. Allen, the Alternate Presiding Judge for said election. Said Presiding Judge shall appoint not less than two nor more than four qualified election clerks to serve at the election, but one of such clerks shall be the Alternate Presiding Judge. If the Presiding Judge is unable to serve at the election, the Alternate Presiding Judge shall serve as the Presiding Judge.

3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 342, Acts of the Fifty First Legislature, and only qualified electors of the City who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be permitted to vote at said election.

4. The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

PROPOSITION

"FOR THE WATER CONTRACT"
"AGAINST THE WATER CONTRACT"

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

5. If this election results favorably to the making of said contract the Board of Commissioners will pass an ordinance prescribing the form and substance of said contract and directing its execution. A proposed draft of such contract is on file in the City Secretary's office for public inspection. Failure of other cities in the District to authorize such contracts with the District shall not impair the authorization conferred by this election upon the governing body of this City.

6. A substantial copy of this resolution signed by the Mayor of said City and attested by the City Secretary shall serve as proper notice of said election. Said notice shall be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published within said City, the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen days prior to the date set for said election. Except as otherwise provided in said Chapter 342, Acts of the Fifty First Legislature, the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general election laws.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 22nd. day of April, 1964.

[s] Ross Wilson, Mayor
Attest: [s] Mozelle Rhymes, City Secretary

KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. Hulon Hogan and his brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Hogan of Sundown, returned on Saturday from Glendale, Calif. where they attended the funeral of a niece, Mrs. Betty Fay Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Huddlestone and Larry of Fort Worth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller and children on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbourne Wood, Terri and Craig of Carbon, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rodgers and family of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean Rodgers and son of Fort Worth spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Eastland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Kris on Friday night.

Jackie Don Wheeler of Dallas visited over the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Wayne Eaves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Kris and Mr. and Mrs. Henry

HAWAII THEME FOR SENIOR PARTY IN W. T. SHELL HOME

Hawaii was the theme for a party Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shell honoring the senior class and their daughter, Mary.

Colored lanterns, leis and bowls of fruit decorated the patio, and guests were presented leis on arrival.

Hors-d'oeuvres and a fruit plate with orange and lime slush in coconut shell were served.

The film of the senior party at the First Methodist Church was shown during the evening.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Mel Cowan and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Rand.

Seniors unable to attend were Thomas Seay, Glen Warren and Cecil Everton.

Mary will enter the University of Texas at the spring semester.

Lovell of Carbon were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Euel Allison and Alvie on Saturday night.

Mrs. Emma Lasater of Gorman visited with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham, on Sunday

Donald Eaves of Comanche spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Eaves, Mark and Deliah. Mr. Neill Eaves, Kenneth and Delores of Comanche, visited with the Delmon Eaves family on Sunday afternoon and Donald returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant and Charles Kevin of Carbon spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Bryant.

Mrs. Bill Brown, Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Mrs. J. L. Morrow were in Eastland on Friday attending a Home Demonstration Club Council meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett left last Thursday to join Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett of Big Spring for a vacation trip to Arizona to visit with their sisters, Mrs. Hubert Lasater in Bisbee and Mrs. Carl Lundberg in Phoenix. They will also visit in Colorado Springs, Colo. with the Bennett's daughter, Jimmie Joan, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Christi and Rickie, were dinner guests of the Glenn Jordans on Sunday.

Mrs. H. C. Wharton of Carbon visited several days last week with her daughters, Mrs. Jim Jordan and Mrs. R. J. Crawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bagwell of Houston visited from Friday until Tuesday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields visited recently in Big Spring with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Fields. Mr. R. L. Fields underwent major surgery and is reported as doing fine now.

Vernon Fields caught a 29 pound yellow catfish at Lake Leon on April 25th.

SENIOR GIRLS HONORED WITH LUNCHEON SUNDAY IN THE M. E. SHELL HOME

Mary Shell, a member of the spring graduating class of Gorman High School, and the other girl graduates were honored with a luncheon Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shell.

Mary will enter the University of Texas in June, and University colors were used in the able centerpiece. Her corsage and each girl's gift was wrapped in the school colors.

Guests were Miss Kay Wallace of Cisco and Ann Kirk of Brownwood, cousins of the honoree, and

RED CROSS TO RECEIVE BRIDGE CLUB PROCEEDS

The Thursday Night Duplicate Bridge Club will donate all proceeds Thursday night, May 8, to the Red Cross Fund.

Players will be playing for Master Points and visiting players will be representing Stephenville, Eastland, Cisco and Ranger, as well as Gorman.

Pie, cake and coffee will be served during the evening.

Juanava Collins and Anita Acree. Senior girls attending were Barbara Jobe, Sylvia Hendricks, Beth Rhymes and Sue Huff.

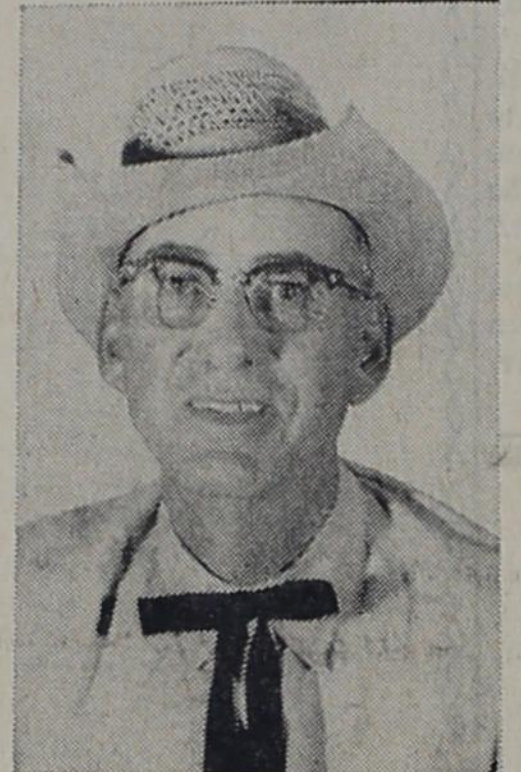


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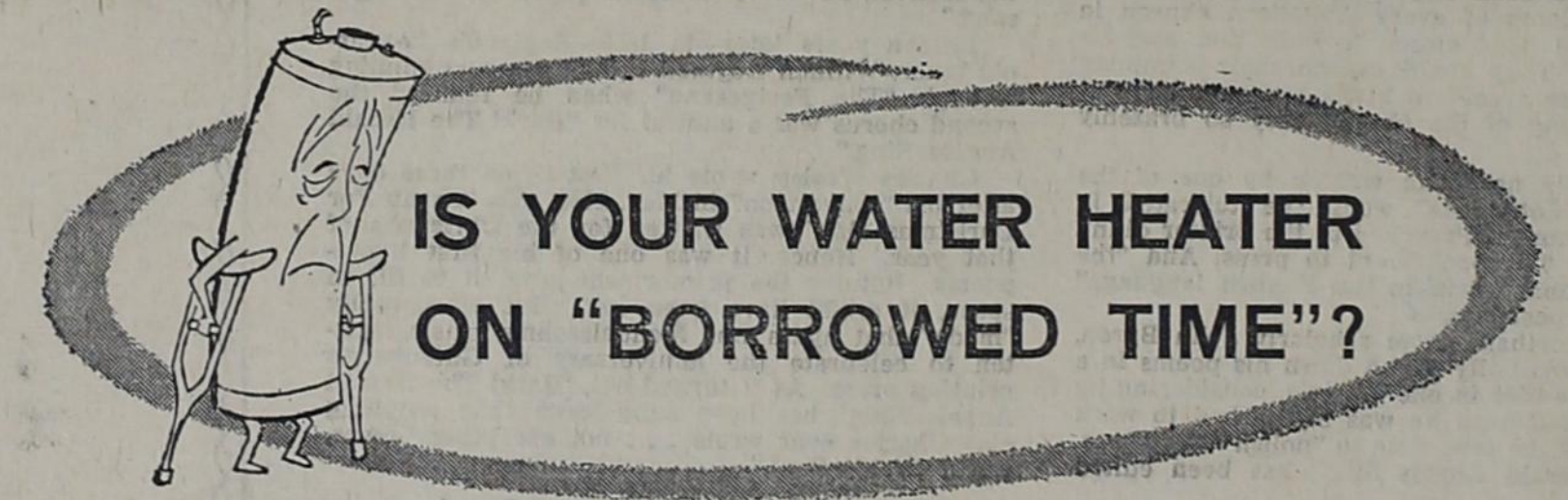


I humbly solicit your continued influence and support in the runoff primary on June 6.
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FOR YOUR NEXT SHERIFF EASTLAND COUNTY

THANKS FOLKS... I take this means of expressing my gratitude to the people of Eastland County who supported my candidacy for the office of County-District Attorney.
May I assure you I shall do my best to merit your confidence.
PERRY T. BROWN

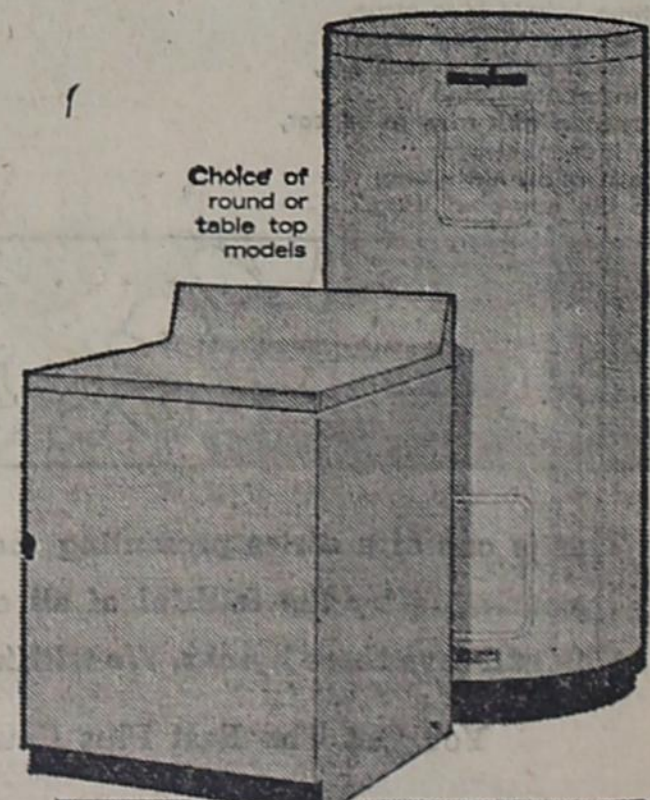
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Mike Stacy Wins Scholarship To Monterrey Inst.



Charles Michael Stacy, Texas Christian University junior from Fort Worth, has been awarded one of two scholarships offered by the Good Neighbor Commission of Texas for study at Monterrey Institute of Technology this summer.

He plans to take advanced Spanish and Latin-American history courses.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Stacy, 1212 Glenwick Dr., he graduated as valedictorian at Castleberry high school in 1961.

Mike attended school in Gorman while residing here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ormsby.

At TCU, where he is majoring in Spanish and German, with a minor in Russian, Stacy has held top scholarships, served as student instructor in the language laboratory, has been president of the German Club, vice-president of the International Friendship Club, made the Dean's list, is active in Phi Mu Alpha, Phi Eta Sigma and Phi Sigma Iota.

Glenda Jordan Is New Drum Major For Gorman Band

The annual A Band banquet was held Thursday evening, April 30, in the banquet room of the White Elephant-Cafe in Eastland.

Confetti streamers decorated the room and extra rolls of confetti were on the table for throwing following the banquet.

Toy horns were place favors and director of bands, Mr. Mel Cowan, was master of ceremonies.

Joyce Jordan was named Drum Major for the coming year and Margaret Porter as head twirler, Karen Collins and Anita Acree, twirlers.

Band president and drum major Mary Shell presented Mr. Cowan with a gift and expressed appreciation for the students for his work with the band this year.

Band Booster Club president Mr. D. O. Munn and Mrs. Munn were guests.

Mrs. J. N. Watson Enjoys Celebration On 80th Birthday

Mrs. J. N. Watson observed her 80th birthday Sunday when members of her family met in her home for a family dinner.

Mrs. Watson was born Ora Seale May 1, 1884 in Dallas County, Arkansas. She came to Texas in 1900, settling in the Leon Community with her parents, the late Perry and Lucy Seale. She was married to J. N. Watson the same year and continued to live in the Leon Community until they retired and moved to Gorman in 1951. Mr. Watson died in 1957.

Mrs. Watson has been a member of the Primitive Baptist Church for 63 years. Her membership is in the Kokomo Primitive Baptist Church. Her late husband was a deacon for 30 years. She has not been an active member since falling four years ago and breaking her hip.

Mrs. Watson has never gotten used to the grass burrs in Texas. She had never seen one before coming to Texas, and found them very unusual and amazing.

Her children home for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Burleson of Desdemona, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Atchison and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson and Richard of Gorman.

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To County Citizens Edgar Altom Issues Appreciation Note

I wish to express my appreciation and say "thank you for giving me such a vote of confidence in the May 2nd Primary."

When I announced as a candidate for Tax Assessor-Collector of Eastland County, I did so realizing the importance of the office and the tremendous amount of work involved, having had several years experience as a deputy, I felt I was qualified to do the job well.

You people were so wonderful to us, first for letting me run unopposed and then your support in the election Saturday. I feel I owe you a debt of gratitude and I will try with all that I have to make you a good officer.

Due to the heavy work schedule at this time of the year I did not get to see as many of you as I would like to have, but Ada (my wife) and I want to say again and again, THANK YOU.

EDGAR ALTOM



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Give her a holiday from kitchen chores!

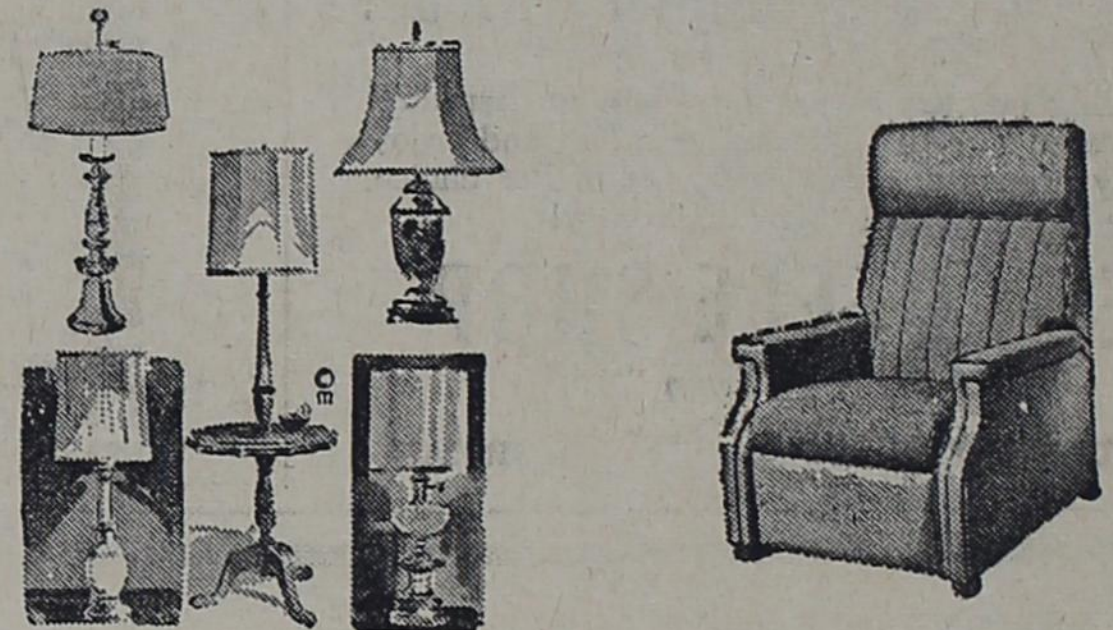
Few things that you can do will make Mother feel as much like "Queen For A Day" as to bring her and the family here for Dinner. She'll enjoy the choice cuisine, revel in the deft service, delight in the gracious atmosphere - - but most of all, she'll relish the freedom from before-and-after kitchen chores. Do this often!

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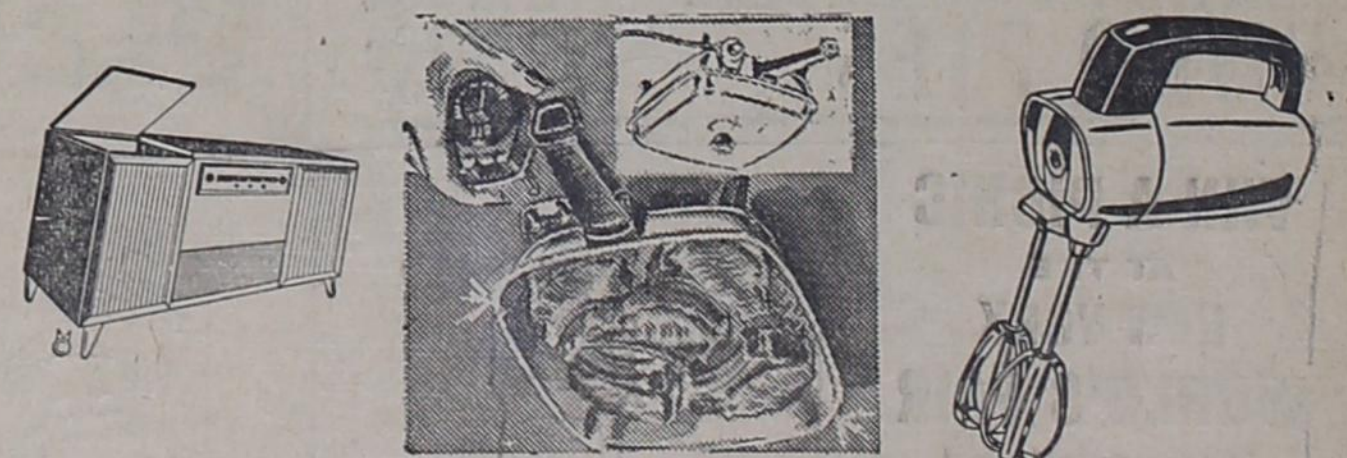


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Sincerely yours,
Wayne Gibbens

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson over the weekend were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood of Waco and granddaughter, Helen Hefley, and Thomas Atwood of Baylor University.

Miss Annye Kate Blair of Andrews spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of Abilene were weekend visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher.

Jackie Don Simpson of Sam Houston State spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Luke Palmer were his sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mize, and a niece, Mrs. Lee Martin of Rotan.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. H. R. Gilbert Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and children of Fort Worth.

Charles and Roscoe Reeves of Sam Houston State College spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Reeves.

Jo Nell Turner of Cisco Junior College visited Sunday with her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Turner.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Ida Maynard were her children, Ray Maynard and Bobby of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Rasberry of Punkin Center, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reynolds and daughter, Elane Stuard of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Warren and Jimmy Dean of Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Maynard and Roger of Odessa, Farrel Ray Maynard of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Starkey and children of Grand Prairie, Mrs. Ruth Underwood, Tresia and Teddy of Carbon, and Johnnie Wayne Steward of De Leon.

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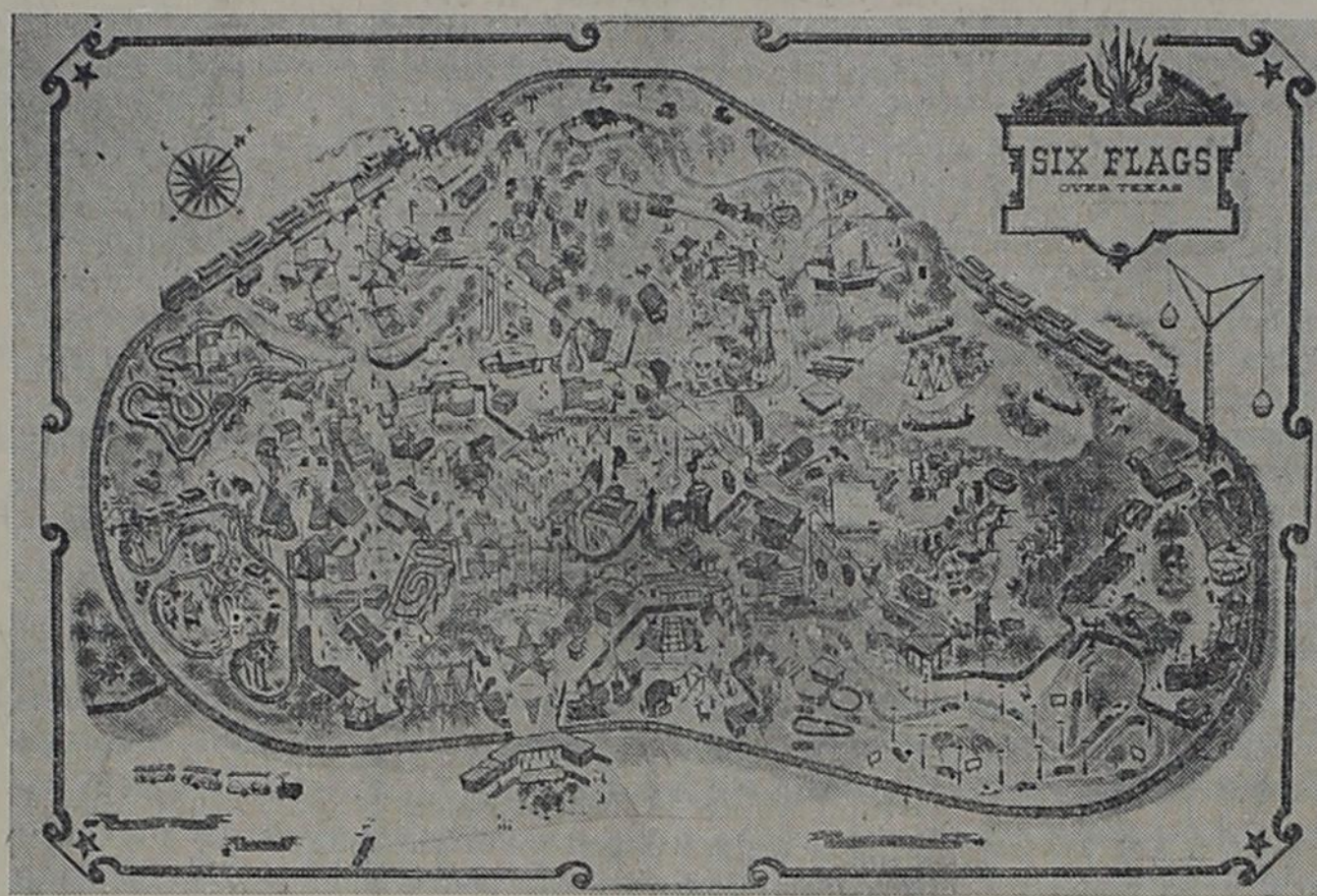
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Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Browning were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Timms of Shallowater, Texas. Mrs. Addie Thomas of Salt Lake City, Utah visited last week with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Ann of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Eison.

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