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By KERNEL GENE, aPc

This is a sad Wednesday for me. Dr. Brogdon confirmed a rumor that he is moving to Weatherford October 15. He will be associated with the Doctors Medical and Surgical Clinic. We'll save our flowers and bon voyage until later. It is bad enough just to announce the Brogdon family is leaving.

Phillips, Texas, Sept. 20th. — Would like to tell you we're looking forward to being at our Gorman High Homecoming. Sounds like great plans are being made. Only wish we were near so we could help. Hope to see lots of our friends and a good "Panther" ball game. Tell everyone hello and we'll see you soon.

Verna Mae & Jake Webb
 Class of '32

Gee willikins! That's 32 years ago. I know your former school mates will be glad to see you. How about sending Kernel Gene a photo to use in the Homecoming edition. If any more of you out-of-towners belong to the Class of '32 please send your pictures too. In fact, would like to have some pictures of former students from out-of-town that go back twenty or thirty years ago. Would like to know what you are doing. I know your friends would enjoy reading about you.

Thanks to each of you who have written "open letters" to the Progress in regards to the forthcoming "liquor election." I could say "mission accomplished." This is the first time I have seen people in this community aroused enough to use their newspaper to express an opinion. We have several this week and will have to put some of them on the inside pages.

It also bears out another statement I have often made about the majority of our citizens. "None of these letters have tried to coerce or threaten anyone." They have given good reasons why Gorman should remain dry. I believe it will.

However, I find it extremely difficult to have any respect for a person who tries to coerce or threaten another if they don't think as they do. As I have said before, we are having too much of this nationally. I believe one can obtain better results by reasoning with a man than they can threatening.

I have had several tell me they signed the petitions so we could vote our convictions. They had planned on voting against the legal sale of alcohol. BUT it is rumored someone is planning on placing copies of these petitions in public places. If this is done, they will vote WET.

I am in accord with the above statement. I don't believe anyone who signed the two petitions did anything to be ashamed of. Anyone wanting to see these petitions will find them on file in the county office. They have the liberty of getting the names and telling them to other people. When they place these names in public, I sincerely believe they are invading the rights of an individual. If they do this, then I suggest they also place on another sheet near this one every name they can think of that has committed a wrong deed or who they know drinks liquor.

As the saying goes "Be careful where you throw that pebble, it might re-bound."

Thanks for the following clipping which someone mailed me from De Leon. They asked the question, "Do you think it's true?"

"LOUIS RICH, a Hollywood real estate man who will be 100 years old October 29, attributes his longevity to eating peanuts. Rich, the oldest member of the Los Angeles Real Estate Board, was honored recently in a city council ceremony. When Rich said peanuts contributed to his

Exes Urged To Get Dinner Res'vations At An Early Date

W. C. Browning, chairman for the Ex-Students Association's Homecoming Dinner, to be held at the school cafeteria from 6 to 7:30 p. m. prior to the Homecoming Game Saturday night, October 10th., has requested that hometown exes get their dinner reservations in early, and urged all home towners to attend the dinner, as well as the days activities.

Reservations are expected to be coming in soon from exes over the United States and the exes living in Gorman can really make those coming in feel welcome by attending all the activities planned for the day.

Reservations were received this week from Dorothy Mayfield and son of Wichita Falls.

Reservations for the catered dinner are \$1.35 per plate and checks should be mailed to W. C. Browning, Box 695, Gorman. Local tickets may be purchased from any of the committee members: Joe Bennett, Peggy Singleton, Joe Ormsby, Jerry Mehaffey, Flossie Underwood, Dorothy Jobe, James Thompson, Speck Clark, Durwood Burgess and John Kimble.

By getting your tickets as early as possible the committee will be able to make a closer estimate of how many to expect for the dinner.

J. H. Barbees To Observe Fiftieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hayden Barbee, long time residents of Gorman will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Wednesday, September 30, in a hospital room at Blackwell Hospital, where Mr. Barbee has been a patient since last January.

Mr. Barbee, the youngest son of Ben and Sally Barbee, was born May 27, 1887 at Durant, Okla. and moved to Duster when he was the age of one, and has lived in this area since that time.

Mrs. Barbee was the oldest daughter of John and Emma Pulley and was born December 25, 1893 at New Hope.

Euna and J. H. met at a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Duvall in the Jewell Community and following a courtship of two years, were married in their buggy in front of the parsonage home of Rev. W. R. King on September 30, 1914.

The Barbees sold their farm near Duster and bought a home in Gorman in June, but Mr. Barbee doesn't know whether he will like city life or not as he has not had the opportunity to live in his new home.

Three of the Barbee children will be visiting with their parents on their special day and they are Mrs. Ruby Anderson of Gorman, Mr. Clyde Barbee of Eastland, and Mrs. Sally Pearl Evans of Stephenville. A son, Leroy Barbee of Tacoma, Washington, recently visited with his parents.

A son, John Barbee, lost his life while serving with the U. S. Army in Germany in 1945.

An occasional visit from their nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren are among their greatest joys.

Miss Ozella Pulley and Mr. Clyde Pulley of Gorman are sister and brother of Mrs. Barbee. Mr. Barbee has two brothers, Elmer of Stamford and Bob of Houston, and a sister, Mrs. Nellie Gregory of Merkel.

long life, Comedian Danny Thomas, who participated in the ceremony quipped: "I'm 50 and I'm going right out now to buy a bag of peanuts."

Most assuredly Kernel Gene thinks this is true. I eat peanuts nearly every day. I passed my Sixtieth birthday in August. Every now and then Thereasa says "Act your age and quit trying to be a teen-ager."

And if it wasn't for peanuts I don't believe I could continue to work 12 to 14 hours a day and like it.

LAST RITES FOR VELMA COOPER SET TODAY AT 2

Funeral services for Mrs. Velma Cooper will be held at 2:00 p. m. this afternoon (Thursday) in the Church of Christ with Payne Hattox, minister of the De Leon Church of Christ, officiating. Burial will be in Oaklawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Cooper died at 5:45 P. M. Tuesday, September 22 in Blackwell Hospital. She had lived at the Lawndale Nursing Home for the past three months and was transferred to the hospital several days ago.

Mrs. Cooper was born March 5, 1887 in Albany, Kentucky and moved to the Panhandle at the age of four, and was married to Cleveland Cooper in Carbon and had lived in the Gorman area for the past 45 years.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. J. T. Jennings of Dallas; a brother-in-law, Mr. George Cooper of Gorman; and three nieces, Mrs. Gladys Morriss of Dalles, Mrs. Oleta Corley of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Mertie Seaborn of Cisco; and three nephews, Earnest Jennings of Dallas, Bill Allen of Snyder and Odie Allen of Longview.

Gorman Receives Record Rainfall

This will probably be the wettest month in the history of Gorman. Some areas south of town received record rainfall measuring up to 15 1/2 inches for the three day period of Saturday, Sunday and Monday, while the city of Gorman had a measurement reading of eleven and three-tenths inches.

Torrential flood waters washed out the bridge on the Duster Hwy. near the Will Haynes farm Saturday night and destroyed 15 acres of well developed peanuts on the Ray Williams farm. Will Haynes, who has lived in the community for 60 years, reports the water got the highest he had ever seen.

Classes were not held in Gorman Schools on Monday due to the road conditions.

Doyle Parker and Dean Kirk, south of Gorman, measured 12 inches on their farms. D. B. Warren, north of Gorman, reported 9 inches at his farm. Hulon Lasater, four miles southeast of Gorman, had the highest reading, 15 1/2 inches. He lost 60 acres of feed sorghum.

The flood waters ravaged the Frank A. Gray Memorial Park and Swimming Pool, washing the foundations from under two of the bath houses causing them to collapse and washing out part of the earth dam near the bath houses pushing it into the upper portion of the pool.

Many farmers and ranchers will be rebuilding fences for many days to come, but say they don't mind as the rains were so beneficial in so many ways.

Peanut farmers say they have enough moisture now to make their peanut crops.

A large number of country road bridges in this precinct were washed out and the washouts to roadbeds were extensive.

Mother Of Mrs. Dona Moorman Buried In Calif.

Mrs. Dona Moorman received word Friday evening that her mother, Mrs. Nancy T. Burkhardt, 96, of Pacoima, California, had passed away.

Mrs. Burkhardt was born December 13, 1868 at Valley Mills. She and her late husband, S. A. Burkhardt, lived in and near Gorman for 20 years prior to moving to Whorton before they moved to California. Mr. Burkhardt passed away in 1940.

Survivors include Mrs. Dona Moorman of Gorman and four other daughters and five sons.

Mrs. Moorman was unable to make the trip to California for the funeral. She had, however, spent most of last year with her mother and family in California.

Special Meeting Set Concerning Liquor Election

There will be a special meeting at the First Baptist Church Thursday night, Sept. 24th., at 7:30 pertaining to the October 10th election concerning alcohol for off premises consumption.

We hope to have a special speaker for this meeting.

We invite all parties who may be concerned to be there. We may have just the information you need.

Will you be present?
 The Churches Of
 And Around Gorman

Wm Brogdon To Be Speaker For Local Homecoming

William Brogdon, who will be the principal speaker for the assembly program for the 1964 Homecoming Saturday, October 10 is a 1943 graduate of Gorman High School. He is now Dr. William Brogdon and co-owner of the Blackwell Hospital and Lawndale Nursing Home.

He attended the University of Texas, graduating in 1948 and Baylor Medical College in Dallas, graduating in 1952. He served his internship at Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth and returned to Gorman in 1953 to practice. His popularity as a doctor has grown steadily through the years. With his practice he still finds time to take an active part in church and civic work.

He is teacher of the young peoples class at the First Methodist Church, chairman of the Board of Education, and a member of the official board.

He is also a member of the Gorman Independent School District Board of Trustees and a member of the Masonic Lodge, is health officer for the City of Gorman, and is past president of the Gorman Businessmen's Club.

Changes Is Postal Service Set Sept. 26

Beginning Saturday, Sept. 26, several changes are being put into effect in handling of mail at the Gorman Post Office.

1. There will be ONE incoming mail seven days a week by truck arriving at 6:50 a. m. All First Class mail and newspapers will be processed and put in boxes by 8:00 a. m. at which time the lobby will be opened. Third Class mail may be delayed some due to the volume received. Rural Carriers will leave the Post Office at 8:30 a. m. Rural patrons notice that this time is 15 minutes earlier than in the past.

2. Window service from 8:00 to 5:00 Monday through Friday. Saturday window service 8:00 to 12:00 noon.

3. Outgoing mail will be processed and sent out at 5:00 p. m. Monday through Friday. Mail must be in the office by 4:45 p. m. so that it can be processed and put on the Star Rt Truck. Outgoing mail on Saturday afternoon, Sunday and holidays must be placed in the outside Box on the Sidewalk to be picked up by the Star Rt. Truck at 4:00 p. m. Mail deposited after that time will be processed the following day.

These changes were brought about by activating the Stephenville Sectional Center which is a step closer to Zip Code Service becoming a reality. If you do not have your Zip Code mailing list completed bring it by the post office and we will help you do this. So, to improve your mail service help us by putting Zip Code on all mail.

MRS. LELAND WARREN UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Leland Warren, who underwent major surgery Monday, is doing as well as could be expected.

Her daughter, Marjorie Warren of Midland, arrived over the weekend to be with her mother. She returned home on Wednesday.

Panthers Lose To Bulldogs; Journey To Cranfills Gap

The Gorman Panthers lost to the Ranger Bulldogs by the score of 23 to 0 Friday night on Brogdon Field. However, the score was not indicative of the closeness of the ball game. The Panthers went into the ball game outweighed 17 pounds per man and again the breaks of the game went against the Panthers.

The first break for the Bulldogs came early in the game when they recovered a Panther fumble on the Gorman 18 yard line, and with in six plays Melton Kennedy, the 190 pound fullback, scored from 2 yards out. Larry Blackwell ran for the two points to put the Bulldogs out in front 8 to 0.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

A meeting of Eastland County Farmers Union will be held in the American Legion Hall in Rising Star on Monday night, Sept. 28 at 8 p. m.

This will be a very important meeting as new officers are to be elected and all members are urged to attend.

Regular 4th. Sunday Singing will be held at Kokomo Sunday, Sept. 27 beginning at 1:30 p. m.

The Gorman Home Demonstration Club will meet on Monday, Sept. 28 at 1:30 p. m. in the Kokomo Community Club Bldg.

Don't forget the Weaver Cemetery Working set for Saturday, Oct. 3rd. Bring working tools and basket lunch.

Absentee Voting In Gorman Election

Absentee voting for the October 10th. wet election began Monday, September 21 at the County Clerk's office in Eastland.

Election is for the consideration of legalized sale of all intoxicants for off-premise consumption within the corporate limits of Gorman.

Mr. W. G. Baker will be election judge with E. G. Henderson as alternate for the October 10th. election to be held in the Gorman Fire Hall.

The Bulldogs kicked off to the Panthers and Wallace returned the ball to the Panther 36 yard line. On this drive with Overstreet, Hirst, Jay and Welch running hard and with some good blocking from the entire forward wall of the Panthers, moved the ball to the six yard line but the Ranger defense stiffened and held and on fourth down intercepted a pass to kill the Panther drive.

The second period the Panthers played the heavier Bulldogs on even terms and the first half ended with Ranger leading 8 to 0. But the Panthers did manage to get to the Bulldogs 12 yard line before the half ended. The Panthers made five first downs the first half and Ranger got 6.

The Panthers kicked off to the Bulldogs to begin the second half and five minutes deep in the third quarter fullback Kennedy scored for the Bulldogs and Blackwell carried over for the two extra points.

With one minute left in the game Pearson took a 13 yard aerial from quarterback Johnny McGee to end the scoring for the night.

WSCS District Workshop Set Here For September 24

The Cisco District Convention of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will be held in the Gorman First Methodist Church today, Thursday, September 24.

The district workshop of study courses will be introduced by the District President, Mrs. Carrol Smith of Cisco, and will begin at 9:30 a. m.

Each will bring a sack lunch and the drinks will be furnished by the local WSCS. A nursery will be available for the children.

MRS. WALTER STEELE REPORTED AS IMPROVED

Mrs. Walter Steele, who has been a patient in the Blackwell Hospital for the past several months, is reported as being improved, but will continue to remain in the hospital for some time.

The Panthers showed much improvement with the defense doing a fine job and the offense was much improved but lacked that ability to move the ball inside the opponents 20 yard line.

One of the main things hurting the Panther cause were four fumbles. The Bulldogs lost the ball twice on fumbles.

The Panther line was real rugged and held the much heavier Bulldogs to 179 yards rushing and 85 yards passing.

David Kirk was credited with more unassisted tackles again this week with the ends Tommy Kirk and Robert Hunt playing a real good game, as did the tackles Deryck Pocock and Ronnie Smith. Mack Sutton and Robert Whitt did an outstanding job at their positions.

The Panther offense, although held scoreless, moved the ball well with Daryl Hirst directing another good game at quarterback; Gary Overstreet playing a fine game despite being hampered by injuries to both ankles; and Welch, Pittman, Jay and Wallace showed much improvement, and with a few more games under their belt are going to develop into some real ball carriers.

Other boys giving a good account of themselves were end Robert Reeves, Benny Matthews, and Mike Foster.

Coaches Newby and Felts stated that they were real proud of the spirit of the Panthers and that most of all was their desire "to hit."

This week the Panthers will travel to Cranfills Gap for their third game of the season. From several reports the Lions are a pretty rugged outfit. The Lions and Panthers will be about the same in weight and a real good game is in store. A large crowd of Panther fans are expected to follow the Red and Blue this Friday night.

There will be a Pep Rally at 3:10 p. m. Friday in the school gym. All Panther backers are invited to attend.

GAME AT A GLANCE		
Ranger		Gorman
13	First Downs	7
179	Yards Rushing	95
85	Yards Passing	0
6 of 16	Passes Comp.	0 of 3
0	Passes Intercepted By	2
2	Fumbles Lost	4
2 for 29	Punts, avg.	5 for 35
8 for 59	Penalties	6 for 50

Sarah Miller Weds Troy Seckinger



Miss Sarah Miller, daughter of Mrs. Gordon C. Miller of Gorman, and Troy Seckinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seckinger of De Leon, were married Friday evening, August 21 in the home of the groom's parents.

Rev. Creath Davis officiated at the double ring ceremony. The altar was banked by arrangements of pink gladiolas.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, W. L. Garrett of Grand Prairie, wore a gown of pink satin overlaid with pink lace, with matching veil held by a pearl headband. She carried a white Bible and a bouquet of white carnations.

Miss Peggy Thompson of Gorman was maid of honor and Jim Bob Williams of Ft Worth served as best man.

and brother of the groom, were ring bearers.

The tradition of something old, new, borrowed and blue, and a penny in her shoe was carried out.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the Seckinger home.

The bride's table, covered with a white satin cloth overlaid with white net, was centered with an arrangement of pink roses.

The couple will make their home in Fort Worth where both are employed with Pangburn's Candy Company and the groom is also attending Southwest Technical School.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. S. E. Linder of Gorman.

Cubs Lose To May; Host De Leon Tues.

The Gorman Junior High Cub football team, playing at May on Tuesday night lost the game due to fumbles and lack of good defensive play against the tough May Kittens.

May's size, speed and good play brought them a 22-0 victory.

Outstanding players for the Cubs were Doyle Shipman, Wayne Huff, Carlos Torrez and Louis Torrez.

Doyle Shipman suffered a knee injury in the game and this may hurt the Cub team in the future unless it heals quickly.

The Gorman Cubs will host the De Leon team here on Tuesday night, September 29th.

NEW GRANDDAUGHTER FOR THE E. A. LASATER AND THE ALVIS SCITERNS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Scitern of Cisco announce the arrival of their daughter, Brenda Darlene, born September 17 at 9:30 p. m. in the Eastland Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds and five ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lasater of Route 2, Gorman, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Scitern, also of Route 2, Gorman.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Trannie Norris and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern, and great-grandmother Mrs. Rosa Scitern, all of Gorman.

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SEALED BIDS — Sealed bids on Lingleville old cafeteria and home economics building to be moved. Building must be moved by November 1st. Mail bids to Garner Rice, Superintendent of Lingleville Schools, Lingleville, Texas. Bids must be in by October 3, 1964. **2-3-24c**

FOR SALE — Two bedroom modern house, good improvements. Lot 100 ft. by 290 ft. deep. Mrs. G. D. Riley, RE 4-5554. **3-9-24fnc**

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KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Good rains fell here during the past week. We got around 5½ to 6 inches here at Kokomo.

Mrs. Bill Brown honored her son, Kris, on his 7th birthday with a party at their home on Sept. 11. Those present to help Kris celebrate were Mark and Deliah Eaves, Ray Neal, Nelda and James Little, Christi and Ricky Fuller, Wallace McDaniel and Alvie Allison of Carbon and Cole Brown of Eastland. Others present were Mmes. D. F. Eaves, Jimmy Little, Claude Fuller, Short McDaniel, and Euell Allison.

Mrs. Albert Hendricks and members of the Junior Sunday School Class honored Chester Joiner recently on his 10th birthday with a party. Chester was presented with a camera. Cake and cold drinks were served. Those present were Christi Fuller, Teresa Fields, Cassie Nelson, Johnny Eaves, Bobby Eaves, Teddy Jordan, Ray Neal Little, Danny Snider, Chester Joiner, and Mrs. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks returned recently from visiting with relatives and friends in Abilene, Big Spring, Stanton, Snyder, Roby and Hamlin. While in Roby they visited with Mrs. Carra Sessum. Mrs. Sessum had just been dismissed from a Roby hospital and was doing well.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Lasater were their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young of Hamilton.

Mr. J. W. Brown of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and Cole of Eastland were visiting over last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and Kris.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Richburg visited over the weekend in Midland with their children, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Stokes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Richburg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bell and La Nette of Denver City visited recently with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Logan of Dublin, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrow, Ronnie Pack of Carbon and Jeanna Norris visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seago of

Eastland were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fuller, Christi and Ricky, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Sylvia on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. David Willoughby and Scotty and Mrs. Willie Mae Hendricks of Eastland visited with the Hendricks family Sunday.

Rev. Joe O'Neal has been called as pastor of the Kokomo Baptist Church. He had been serving as interim pastor since the first of August.

The members of the Kokomo Baptist Church enjoyed an ice cream and cake supper at the church last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Logan of Dublin were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Miss Glenda Carrouth, who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves the past few months has returned to Comanche to make her home. Glenda was baptized at the Victory Baptist Church on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves, Johnny and Bobby, were in Comanche to attend the baptismal services. Glenda will be greatly missed in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stacy and Terry of Carbon were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers last Sunday.

FHA Chapter Installs Officers

The Gorman FHA Chapter met in the High School Auditorium Thursday, September 15 for the installation of new officers.

Kim Hailey, out-going president, called the meeting to order and Mrs. Moody welcomed the new members. Kim Hailey presented Junior and Chapter Delegates to those who had earned them.

Joyce Joiner was installed as new president, giving a short expression of appreciation. Other officers installed were Glenda Jordan, first vice president; Benjie Peveto, second vice president; Linda Warren, secretary; Kay Barnett, treasurer; Elizabeth Parr, historian; Joyce Burgess, parliamentarian; and Kathy Browning, reporter.

Following the FHA song, sung by the group, refreshments were served in the Homecoming Cottage.

Several kinds of cookies and Kool-Aid were prepared and served by chapter members Judy Ervin, Glenda Jordan, Sharon Young, Linda Warren and Kathy Browning.

Band Boosters Party For Students

Members of the Gorman Band Boosters Club are hosts for refreshments and Band Get-together after the football games each week.

At the first game of the season played with Graham the club served refreshments to 96 band members of the Graham and Gorman bands.

After the Ranger-Gorman game 126 band students participated in the after game party.

This has proven very popular with our own band members and the visiting band students have

been very appreciative.

The Band Boosters think the band is doing a wonderful job in creating school spirit and game enthusiasm and think they deserve a special treat occasionally.

Serving refreshments after the Graham game were Band Boosters, Mmes. Charles Duran, Donald Bolt, Claude Fuller, Doyle Preston, Hulon Lasater, Dalton Watson, Travis Smith, Glenn Jordan, and Rayford Burgess.

Those serving for the Ranger game were Mmes. D. O. Munn, W. R. Taylor, Arnold Butler, Frankie Jo Harper, Dean Kirk, Giff Acrea, James Mears, Calvin Decker, J. M. Hunt, Floyd Gilbert and Dalton Watson.

MR. & MRS. NICK DIGGAN BUY HOME IN GORMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Diggan of Carbon have purchased the home of the late Mrs. Mollie Bennett and moved in Monday.

Mr. Diggan has been retired from farming for the past two years, but had continued to live on the Carbon farm where he has been living for the past 20 years.

The Duggans plan to add a new room and do some remodeling to their new home.

The family are members of Church of Christ and Mrs. Diggan is the daughter of Mrs. Scythia Bagwell and a sister of Mrs. Oda Monroe.

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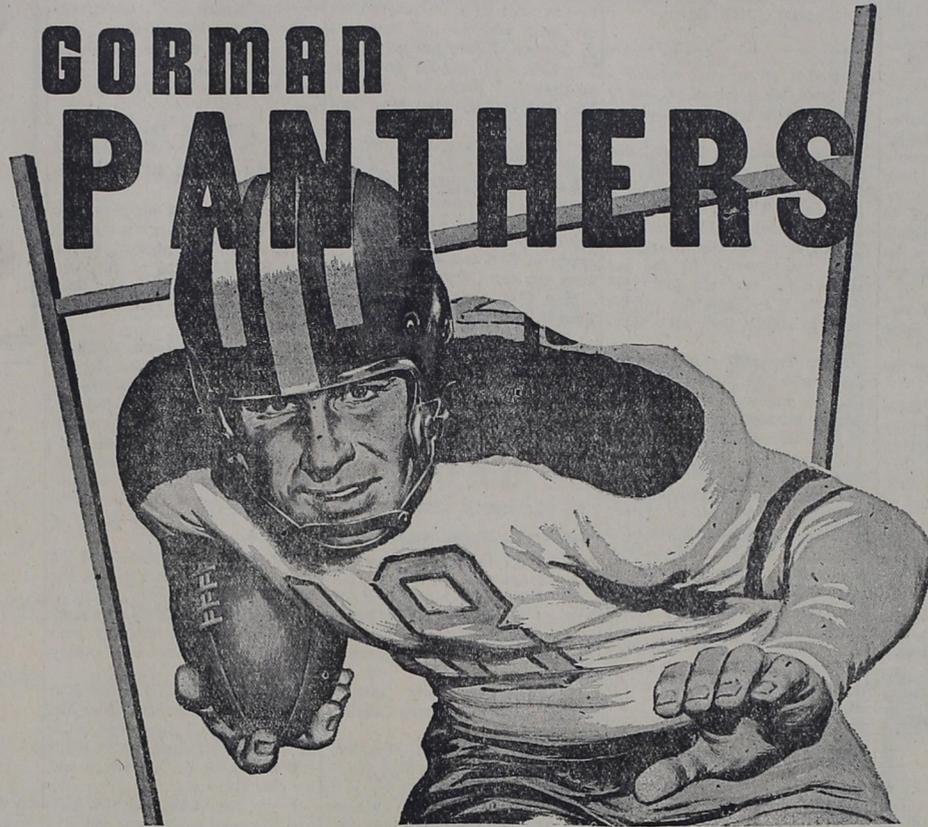
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11	Daryl Hirst	QB	150
20	James Jay	WB	118
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23	Jackie Harrison	WB	135
30	Jimmy Warren	TB	130
31	Doyle Welch	FB	150
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44	Don Wallace	TB	155
50	John Shell	C	150
51	A. B. Eaves	C	135
55	Robert Whitt	C	155
60	Bobby Underwood	SG	150
61	Mack Sutton	SG	165
62	Dwayne Snider	WG	150
63	David Kirk	WG	155
70	Ed Sutton	WT	145
71	Neil Clement	WT	115
73	George Bolt	ST	170
74	Deryck Pocock	ST	160
75	Benny Mathews	T-G	170
77	Ronnie Smith	WT	180
80	William Jay	WE	160
81	Frank Redman	WE	112
82	Robert Reeves	WE	160
83	Robert Hunt	SE	150
84	Tommy Clark	SE	130
86	Tommy Kirk	SE	160

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1964 SCHEDULE

Gorman, 7 - Graham B, 0

Ranger, 23 - Gorman, 0

Sept. 25 - Cranfills Gap - There

Oct. 2 - Hico - There

Oct. 10 - Cross Plains - Here

(Saturday - Homecoming)

Oct. 16 - Throckmorton - Here

Oct. 23 - Open Date

Oct. 30 - Bangs * - Here

Nov. 6 - May * - There

Nov. 13 - Blanket * - Here

Nov. 20 - Rising Star * - There

* Denotes District Games



An Open Letter

When we moved to Gorman, I thought it would be a quiet, sleepy little town where we could spend our latter years among friends and people we know. But we didn't know them all.

We are sadly disappointed in the stand some have taken on the alcoholic issue.

Some may say a drink now and then doesn't hurt anyone, but show me a man that drinks now and then and I'll show you a man that drinks more now than he did then.

The Bible says no drunkard can enter the Kingdom of Heaven. Is that what you want your sons and daughters to be. That's the best way I know of to make drunkards of them and they won't even get a vote on it. When their lives are ruined, they will point a finger at you and say, "If you hadn't voted that stuff in on me I would not be in this condition."

We've had several examples of the Finished Product of the Brewers Art, and it looks like that would open our eyes.

You elderly people don't think for one minute that your Pension or Social Security will increase. The only thing it will do for you is make it more dangerous to go to town.

Let's wake up and quit being good moral church goers and be stalwart Christians. Would you be ashamed for Christ to come and find liquor joints all over our town. The thugs and trash from other towns will be here and it will be dangerous for your children to even go to get a cold drink.

Mrs. F. C. Eaves

AN OPEN LETTER

Mr. Baker and People of Gorman:

I have been reading in the Progress, with a measure of shock and dismay, about the efforts of some to bring beer to Gorman.

I have always been proud of the fact, Gorman being my home town, that it was dry. Even more so after living in a wet town since 1946.

Marvin A. Block, M.D., who is vice-president of the National Council on Alcoholism, gave an interview to U. S. News and World Report Magazine, in which he said, "There are more than five million alcoholics in America today. It is believed, perhaps, ten percent of these were alcoholics from their first drink. I might point out, too, that some people believe if they drink only beer they will run no risk of alcoholism. This is wrong. Alcohol is alcohol, regardless of the vehicle in which it comes. One can be just as alcoholic on beer as one can on wine or whiskey."

I was amazed to see that two law enforcement officers there had come out in favor of beer, saying they could not enforce the law as it is now.

All law enforcement officers take the oath of office that they will enforce the law. When they make a public statement that they are not doing it, then it is time to consider using the vote, not to legalize the wrong, but to oust men in office who have moral courage and backbone to enforce the law as it is written on the books.

To use the old ruse, "we might just as well legalize liquor to get the taxes," is the hoax the liquor industry has used through the ages. All government statistics

EARL AND ILA REDWINES ATTEND BROTHERS FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine of Gorman were notified Wednesday, September 16 of the death of Mr. Redwine's brother, Jack Redwine, 72, of Muleshoe.

They left Thursday evening accompanied by another brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ila Redwine of Ft Worth, to attend the funeral that was held on Friday.

Survivors include his wife, Minnie, 13 children, 47 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

prove that to try and control a wet town takes far more money than the taxes would or could amount to.

There is no price tag that can be put on the human misery and suffering directly caused by drink.

People don't be talked and urged into something like this that you know is morally wrong.

Ask yourselves if its the tax money these few are interested in, or is it to have the drink handy to satisfy their own appetites.

Under Texas Liquor laws the places will operate on Sunday also. Do you want or need that kind of element in your town.

I have seen a liquor license that cost fifty dollars from the State Liquor Board sell for Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars. You say, "well that can't happen here." Don't be misled. It has happened everywhere else that voted liquor in any form. There can only be so many licenses issued for a town and then the payoffs to obtain one is shocking.

Mr. Baker you might not print this letter, but if you do (and I hope you will) let me say to the people of my home town: "Do what you know is morally right in this election."

God has said, "Thou shalt not" where liquor is concerned. We may fool our fellowman about what the real motives are in this, but God gets up before we do every morning, and He is not fooled. He sees us as we really are and not as we see ourselves. Until we become honest with ourselves we will never be honest with our fellowman.

So please ask some honest questions and demand some honest answers before you do something you will regret later but will be helpless to do anything about.

Thanks for listening, Mrs. Arlen Burton Carlsbad, New Mexico

Kernel's note: Thanks for your letter, Arlene. I have never denied anyone the use of the Progress to express an opinion and never intend to.

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AN OPEN LETTER

As a Christian, I am writing this letter to let the people of Gorman know I am against having whiskey or beer in our town. I am for things that are right and I know it isn't right to have liquor sold in our town where children and grandchildren grow up. I have lived in and around Gorman all my life. I was left a widow with two little children to raise.

Thank the Lord they are Christians. I think this is a town to live in as it is: I am praying we can keep whiskey and beer out of Gorman. I love my neighbors. The Lord said love thy neighbors as thyself. I thank Bro. Dennis, Bro. Huddleston, Mrs. Huff and Mrs. Mae Dunn for their letters. All Christians must stand up for what is right.

I am praying there are enough Christians in Gorman to vote against liquor and keep it out of our town. Let's put on the whole armor of God and vote right and keep our town dry.

May God bless and keep all lives in Gorman.

Gladys Dennis

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week: The most inflammable wood is the chip on your shoulder.

Rain! Rain! We really got it this weekend. Wet fields, pastures and tanks full. Measurement about 5 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. Cody Love of Dallas visited the Dewey Lindleys this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Dominey spent the weekend in Fort Worth with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Warren and Mrs. Era Wallis of Abilene were visiting the A. D. Bryans and Homer Richardsons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears were in Stephenville Friday for check-ups with their doctors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson and Mrs. B. A. Hirst spent the week end in Abilene with the Harvey O'Neals.

Visiting in our home this past week were the S. E. Mears, Mr. Loyd Glasson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Buel Bryan.

The Bill Lockes of Austin spent the weekend with the Rawls family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears were in De Leon Thursday visiting Mr. George Parker who is a patient in the hospital there.

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DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Mrs. Iva Buchan was rushed to the Stephenville Hospital by ambulance suffering from breathing difficulty and is quite ill at this writing.

Mrs. Annie Rainey remains a patient in the Eastland Memorial Hospital where she underwent surgery early last week.

Mrs. Lonnie Williamson returned home Sunday following surgery in the De Leon Hospital last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Derrel Dossey and children spent the weekend in Hobbs visiting with relatives and friends.

In the absence of our pastor the pulpit was filled Sunday morning by Rev. Gregory of Fort Worth. Rev. Bob Sheppard of Stephenville brought the message on Sunday night at the First Baptist Church.

Miss Ulenda Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts spent the weekend in Granbury visiting her grandmother Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthery and girls and Mrs. Ethel Keith were in Clyde to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Keith and girls and attended the stork shower given for Mrs. Keith at the home of Mrs. Mary Allen.

Mrs. George Whitlock spent the week in Olden with her son, the Wayne Whitlocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cornwell of Arlington spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curley Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Nance, Don and Steve of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Whit Richards and Billie of Breckenridge spent the week end here with the Genoways and the Ott Raglands.

Royce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shipman of Strawn, will un-

dergo surgery in Fort Worth tomorrow (Tuesday) due to a paper clip he swallowed 2 or 3 years ago.

Mrs. Maggie Quinn was to be buried at Alameda Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Quinn remains with her sister, Lena, who has been quite ill in Ranger.

Little Darrell Blankenship, who is in a children's school at Mexia, spent the past weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Blankenship.

Mrs. Omata Lewis had all of her children and grandchildren home for the weekend of last week.

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Music was born into William J. Kirkpatrick when he came into the world on the Emerald Isle in 1838. Music was part of him when he migrated to America as a youth and it was part of him when, as a Pennsylvania Volunteer, he led a fife band during the Civil War. And music was in his heart when he died in Philadelphia in 1921.

A religious Irishman, Kirkpatrick devoted his life to directing church choirs, playing church organs and writing church songs. And he set music to words from many another pen. In 1882 he took a poem by Priscilla Owens and started the world to sing "We Have Heard the Joyful Sound: Jesus Saves! Jesus Saves!" The same year he wrote music for Louisa Stead's "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" and three years later he composed the tune for "Where the Tree of Life is Blooming, Meet Me There."

In 1902 William Kirkpatrick was leading the music for a camp meeting in rural Pennsylvania when he questioned the sincerity of a soloist who was helping him. Sermons of the evangelist had failed to move the man and Composer Kirkpatrick decided on a unique plan. He wrote a song especially for his singing assistant. At the opening of the evening service he handed the song to his soloist and asked him to sing it. The singer did and joined others that night at the altar.

That night in 1921 when Mrs. Kirkpatrick called her husband there was no answer. She found him sitting in his study chair. On the desk were unfinished words of a song and the last verse showed that he had worked rapidly. But he didn't quite make the deadline. William J. Kirkpatrick went out of the world as he came into it... with a song in his heart. Among other monuments to his memory he left a song he wrote to save the soul of one man. But any evangelist will tell you that tens of thousands of penitents have gathered around the altar to the singing of...

I've wandered far away from God,
Now I'm coming home;
The paths of sin too long I've trod,
Lord, I'm coming home.

I'll trust Thy love, believe Thy word,
Lord, I'm coming home.

I've waited many precious years,
Now I'm coming home;
I now repent with bitter tears,
Lord, I'm coming home.

My soul is sick, my heart is sore,
Now I'm coming home;
My strength renew, my hope restore,
Lord, I'm coming home.

I'm tired of sin and straying, Lord,
Now I'm coming home;

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The Panthers played a good ball game Friday night despite the fact they lost 23 to 0 to the Ranger Bulldogs. The Panther defense again was outstanding and the offense showed considerable improvement. When the Panthers get a little more experience and their offense catches up to their defense, then Gorman will have a tough ball club.

This week's "Panther of the Week" goes to William Jay. William did a fine job in the secondary, intercepting two passes and coming up and making many tackles and was a work horse on offense, in fact he played the best game of his career.

The Panther line, headed by All-District Robert Whitt at center, Mack Sutton and David Kirk at guards; Deryck Pocock and Ronnie Smith at tackles and ends, Tommy Kirk and Robert Hunt, played an outstanding game at their position. Giving these boys relief were Robert Reeves, Benny Matthews and George Bolt.

Daryl Hirst continues to play amazing ball at quarterback. The most improved positions, outside of the end play, were backs Richard Pittman, Doyle Welch, Mike Foster, and Don Wallace.

All-State candidate Gary Overstreet again was the leading ball carrier with 39 yards in ten carries and was slowed considerably by injuries, but he should be in good shape for Friday nights tilt with Cranfills Gap.

Also being ready for service this week will be quarterback and Tri-Captain Jerry Ormsby, who has not seen any action this season due to a shoulder injury early in the season.

When the success of any ball club is considered one must remember the boys that do not get to play due to age, inexperience, etc., much credit must go to these boys that come out everyday, take their lumps during practice and pull the boys on during the game on Fridays, and even though they might not letter their first or second year, our hats are off to James Jay, Jackie Harrison, Bobby Ward, John Shell, Bobby Underwood, Dwayne Snider, Ed Sutton, Neil Clement, Frank Redman, and Tommy Clark for the contribution they make to the Fighting Panthers.

J&S

The Southwest Conference got off to a good start last Saturday with the Texas Tech Red Raiders causing some eye brows to be lifted with their upset victory over highly favored Mississippi State 21-6. TCU and A&M with just the right bounce of the ball

could have won over Kansas and LSU, and also showed that they will be in the title fight. Texas looked good against Tulane and will get their real test this Saturday night in Lubbock when they tangle with the upcoming Red Raiders.

J&S

This week Speedy missed two out of ten while Joe let Oda talk him into selecting TCU over Kansas and wound up with three misses out of ten. So the first week Speedy's average was 80% and Joe's was 70% and from this weeks schedule it looks like our averages might drop when you consider the following games:

SPEEDY PICKS - -

Arkansas over Tulsa
Rice over LSU
Texas over Texas Tech
Nebraska over Minnesota
(TV Game of the Day)
Ohio State over SMU
A&M over Houston
(Les will agree to this)
Washington over Baylor
TCU over Florida State
(I have been talking to Oda)
Illinois over California
Oklahoma over USC

JOE PICKS - -

Arkansas over Tulsa
Rice over LSU
Texas over Texas Tech (go horns)
Nebraska over Minnesota

Ohio State over SMU
A&M over Houston
Baylor over Washington
TCU over Florida State
(they better win, Oda)
Illinois over California
Oklahoma over USC

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friend and neighbors for the cards and visits while I was in the hospital. A special thanks to the doctors, nurses and entire hospital staff at Blackwell Hospital.
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An Open Letter

In the 27th. Chapter, 17th. verse of Mathew we find Pilate asking a group of citizens to make a vital decision, "which one will you take Jesus or Barabbas?" They cried out, "give us Barabbas!"

Who were the people? They were citizens of the house of Israel. Who was Barabbas? He was a murderer. One who had rejected Christ. He was a sinner; one who believed he had the right to do as he pleased. He had rejected the law and commandments of God which said, "thou shalt not." This is the kind of person these citizens said they would take instead of Christ. 133 of our citizens have said by their actions, they will take liquor instead of Christ.

What does liquor do for people? It causes them to kill, drive recklessly, causes immorality, broken homes, divorce, poverty, misleads their neighbors and causes people to lose their soul.

Can you choose alcohol instead of Christ and still be a Christian? Jesus said, you are either for me or against me. So it is with alcohol. 138 citizens have voted for alcohol instead of Christ. Which way will you vote? The question is being put before you as Pilate about Jesus. Which one will you choose, Alcohol or Christ? Remember, you cannot choose both.

You may be a church member and have your name on the church roll but it is better to have it on the Lamb's Book of Life.

After you have spent all you have your life is wrecked. You are about to fill a drunkard's

grave. Where will you go then? - back to church and your pastor's sympathy. Why don't you go to the liquor crowd? They are the ones you have followed till sorrow comes your way. Then ask the people who do not partake of liquor who still believe God's way is right.

What will you do with Christ? As we leave this question with you, remember the answer may be for Eternity.

Marion Dennis, pastor, Cong. Methodist Church

WSC Opens Club Year With Luau

The Woman's Study Club held the first meeting of the year at the Fire Hall with a Hawaiian Luau on Monday night. Members dressed in colorful muumuu and grass skirts were greeted by the hostesses Mmes. Fred Rogers, Mike Newby, Ray Rankin and J. S. Ripley, who were members of the yearbook committee. On arrival each guest was presented with a leis.

The hall was decorated with orange streamers and Hawaiian lanterns. The tables each held a pineapple centerpiece. Members were served buffet style from a table covered with an orange table cloth and centered with a large centerpiece of fruit. Above the table on the wall was an attractive Hawaiian display of guitar, grass skirts and leis. The menu consisted of appetizer kebobs, Shish Kebobs of assorted meats, Melon balls served from a melon boat, cheese, pineapple, various congealed fruit salads, coleslaw, cocoanut layer cake, french bread and iced tea.

After the meal a brief business session was led by the President, Mrs. J. S. Ripley, who gave an introduction to the new year by presenting an acrostic on the future.

Mrs. Ray Rankin presented and reviewed the yearbooks. Seventeen members were present.

W. C. Browning has received a note from Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ormsby of Garland that they will be attending the Homecoming on October 10th.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. George Harwell and Tracy were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stephens of Odessa and a grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Hamilton and children of Washington. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Kirk and Ann of Brownwood visited in Gorman Friday night and attended the Ranger-Gorman game.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Kirk and children of Sweetwater spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. R. L. Kirk.

Angie Brogdon of Tarleton visited Sunday in the home of her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Speedy Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Crews visited in San Angelo from Thursday to Sunday with her father, R. L. Thompson, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kennard A. Moos, and sisters, Mrs. Annie Whitaker and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Matcjek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Files had all of their children home for the day Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mayfield and son and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Files of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Files of Ft Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Brawner Lee Files and family of Gorman. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wright and daughter of Downing and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones and Mrs. M. N. Jones of Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning attended the Texas-Tulane football game in Austin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson spent the weekend in Ft Worth with a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. A.

F. Riddle. Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher visited from Thursday to Saturday in Abilene with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Mrs. C. R. Day visited from Thursday to Saturday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burns, and mother, Mrs. E. R. Betterton, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barter. She also attended the West Texas Fair.

Mrs. George Eppler, Paula Billy and Edward of San Angelo, were weekend guests of her mother, Mrs. W. A. O'Neal, and Mr. and Mrs. Barton Eppler, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks.

Joe Brandon of Wisconsin is

visiting this week with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Brandon.

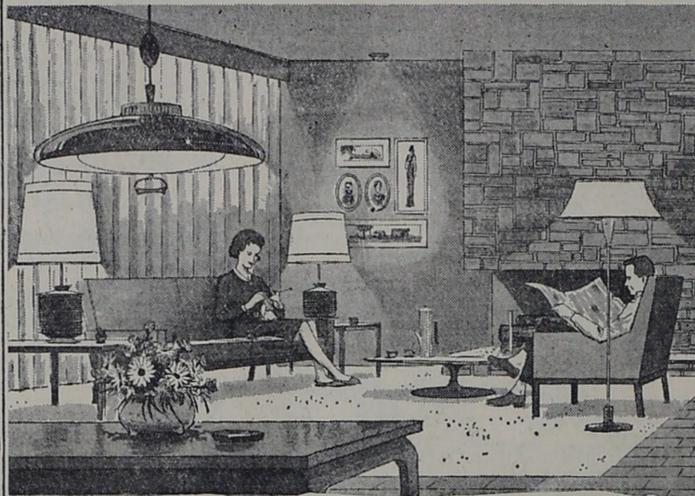
Mrs. Annie Bond of Eastland spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Barnes, Mrs. Joe Barnes and Roy of Rising Star, visited Sunday with Mrs. Henry Capers and Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pruitt of Crane spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Nona Leazar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Todd attended the RCA and R&R Lecture and Banquet held in the ballroom of the Starlite Motel in Abilene Tuesday night.

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