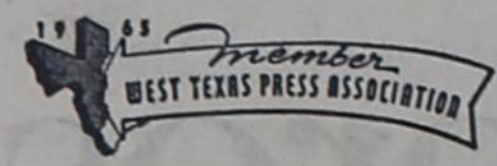




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## PLANS COMPLETE HERE FOR DR. RODGERS APPRECIATION DINNER

Seems like there are so many facets in the life of a doctor in a small town. You know Ed and Jim Rodgers played football, and like most parents, when the children are "in something" at school, Dr. and Mrs. Rodgers have always attended the games whenever possible. Another whose son played football commented last week, "You're just always afraid of your son getting hurt, I guess, but you know, when I'd see Dr. Rodgers come in I could actually almost relax and enjoy the game." That must have expressed the feelings of many other parents, too, for Dr. Rodgers has made many trips out onto the playing field to check both the Gorman boys and those of visiting teams if one appeared to be injured. (Probably he "went in" enough quarters to letter — suppose?)

And it is because of such as this, the above and beyond routine expected hours that anyone usually works; the times when Mrs. Rodgers' husband could not escort her some place they had planned to go; the times his children, George, Ed, Jim and Linda, gave up their Dad's companionship; the times he could not relax fishing or playing bridge or even just reading the evening paper; and the times when, if he did go some place, Dr. Rodgers still was "on duty" (as at the football games) -

because of such as this, people here are making plans for the "Dr. Rodgers Appreciation Dinner."

The date is Saturday, June 5th. It will be at the football field if the weather is nice, or it will be in the school gym if the weather is rain. Everyone from everywhere is invited. Because there was no way to anticipate how many people may come, and because it was the desire of those making the plans that all who might want to come be invited, it was simply decided that everyone bring a picnic basket and all spread food and eat together.

There are no tickets to buy; no charges of any kind. If you know and appreciate Dr. Rodgers and would like to join in, come.

Plans are that the Gorman Band will play. Probably they will start about 5:30 or 6:00 p. m. Dinner will be about 7:00 p. m., and after dinner, likely around 8:00 p. m., there will be a formal program.

The schedule was left flexible so as not to rush any part of the evening. It is hoped that everyone will arrive early and stay as late as they wish just visiting informally with each other and with Dr. Rodgers and his family. (P.S. - Please, no aches and pains discussed this time, though — let's really make this date a holiday.)

## Proclamation

WHEREAS, the general well being of our citizens depends in large measure upon adequate medical care, and

WHEREAS, not only the residents of the Gorman area, but those also from all the surrounding territory have been offered this care by the Blackwell Hospital, and

WHEREAS, no person in need of medical care has ever been turned away or refused help by Blackwell Hospital, and

WHEREAS, the history and character of this great institution is typified and characterized by Dr. D. V. Rodgers, and

WHEREAS, for years Dr. D. V. Rodgers has given himself unselfishly, untiringly - in total dedication to the needs of people,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ross Wilson, Mayor of the City of Gorman, do hereby designate the week of May 31-June 5 as DR. D. V. RODGERS APPRECIATION WEEK and hereby urge all organizations and individuals from Gorman and the surrounding area to join in this tribute and expression of appreciation.

Done this 24th day of May, A. D., 1965.

Ross Wilson, Mayor  
City of Gorman, Texas

## Vacation Bible School At Church Of Christ Postponed At Present

Feeling that we, in a small community, like this, should avoid conflicting special events as much as possible, Audrey Moore announces their plans at the Church of Christ to postpone their Vacation Bible School for two or three weeks.

Therefore, we will not have our

**FROGS GROW LARGE AT LAKE LEON**

Red Hamilton visited the Progress office Friday, showing a two pound frog he caught Thursday at Lake Leon.

We do not know if this is unusually large for a frog. It was the largest we had ever seen. We would like to have some opinions of other frog hunters.

Vacation Bible School May 31st, through June 4th, as formerly announced, but at a date which will be announced later.

## HANKINS NORMAL COLLEGE HOMECOMING SCHEDULED HERE FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 6TH

The ex-students of Hankins Normal College will assemble again this year in the Gorman High School Auditorium for another Homecoming on Sunday, June 6.

The college closed in 1912, and perhaps, the first reunion was on

August 28, 1933, and with but few exceptions, it has been held every year since that time. Thus there are still many who are looking forward to that date.

The following program has been arranged:

### PROGRAM

- Clarence Traweek, President
- Clara Townsend Cockrill, Sec'y.-Treasurer
- 9:00 A. M. — Registration
- 10:00 A. M. — Call To Order ..... President
- Song by Congregation
- Invocation ..... Roscoe Reeves
- Welcome Address ..... Graydon Baze
- Response ..... Queen Myrick Hawthorn
- Quartet
- 11:00 - 11:45 — Message ..... Rev. Buel Bryan
- 12:00 Noon — Lunch
- 1:45 P. M. — Call To Order
- Quartet ..... Martha Preston, Glenda Jordan, Mike Rodgers, Daryl Hirst
- Memorial ..... Rev. Henry Littleton
- Business
- Reading of Minutes - Treasurer's Report
- Report of Committees
- Election of Officers
- Recognition of Teachers and Visitors
- Benediction ..... Rev. Frank Phillips

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MR. C. O. ILEY HELD AT COOLIDGE

Mr. C. O. Iley of Coolidge, formerly of Gorman, died at 1:20 p. m. Friday, May 21st.

He had lived in Eastland and Comanche counties for a number of years before moving to Coolidge fourteen years ago.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church in Coolidge, assisted by Rev. Beaty and Rev. Jarrell Lee, nephews of Mrs. Iley. Burial was in Coolidge Memorial Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife; three children, Mrs. John Askew of Gorman, Mrs. Claude G. Gerner of Galveston and Roy Iley of Eagle Mountain, California; five step-children, Jack Bennett of Levelland, Ruby Jacks of Oklahoma; Moddie Strauder of Port Arthur; Mattie Ruth McCoys of Washington and Buddie Bennett of Waco; two brothers and four sisters.

## Parade Set Saturday At 9:30 For Baptist And Methodist VBS

Preparation Day for the Methodist and Baptist Church Vacation Bible School will begin Saturday at 9:30 a. m., May 29, with a downtown parade and ride on the Fire Truck for the children.

Classes will be held each morning from 8:30 to 11 a. m. beginning Monday, May 31st and continuing through Friday, June 4th.

## Mr. Mike Newby Accepts Position At Eagle Lake Schools

Mr. Mike Newby, High School Coach in the Gorman Schools since 1963, has accepted a position with the Eagle Lake, Texas Schools as Athletic Director and head of the Physical Education Department.

The Newbys will be moving as soon as housing facilities are available.

We regret very much to see them go. Mike, Gail and Lisa have been a real asset to the school, church and community.

## High School Awards Presented at Assembly

Students in Gorman High School received special awards at an assembly program held May 18 in the High School Auditorium.

Students who had made the A Honor Roll for the entire year were: Joy Love, Deryck Poccock, Joyce Joiner, Elizabeth Parr, Dwayne Snider, and Brenda Shugart.

B Honor Roll students for the year in the senior class were George Bolt, Shirley Burns, Mike Foster, Kim Hailey, William Jay, David Kirk, Jerry Ormsby, Gary Overstreet, Margaret Porter, Don Wallace and Betty More.

Junior class members receiving the B Honor Roll award were Anita Acrea, Kathy Browning, Juanava Collins, Glenda Jordan, Marilyn Shell, Mack Sutton, Robert Whitt, and Sharon Young.

Sophomore Class: Don Burkhalter, Milton Taylor, Charles Ann Jenkins and Carol Rankin.

Freshman Class: Daryl Hirst, John Shell, Tommy Simmons, Jean Collins and Mary Kirk.

Perfect Attendance awards were presented to Carol Jean Collins, Jerry Wallace, Elizabeth Parr, Carol Rankin, Margaret Reeves, Robert Reeves, LaVern Scitern, Susan Young, Patricia Everton, Joyce Joiner, Sharon Young, Mike Foster, Don Wallace and Dwayne Snider.

## Carbon Homecoming

A reminder to the ex-students and residents of Carbon about the Homecoming to be held on July 3rd. at the Carbon School.

A catered evening meal will be served. In Carbon contact Euell Allison or Mrs. Truman Been. In Gorman contact Joe Collins for the tickets.

## School Term Ends Diplomas Presented To 23 Graduates

Diplomas were presented to 23 members of the Gorman Senior Class of 1965 on Tuesday, May 25, bringing to a close the 1964-65 school year.

Joy Love, valedictorian of the senior class, was presented a one year scholarship to any Texas State supported school, a one year scholarship to North Texas State University and a one year scholarship to Cisco Junior College. Also a one year scholarship to any church related school.

David Kirk, salutatorian, received a one year scholarship to any church related school and a one year scholarship to Cisco Junior College.

## Eighth Grade Class Honored With Flight To Moon Party May 24

The parents and class sponsor, Mrs. Huron Polnac, entertained the 1964-65 Eighth Grade Class and special guests with a party at the Fire Hall Monday night, May 24th, immediately following the recognition program held at the school auditorium.

Invitations, with tickets enclosed for a flight on Interplanetary Space Lines, Inc., were presented to each individual in advance.

Upon their arrival, they were greeted at "Gate 1" of Interplanetary Space Lines, Inc. by two of the Space Line Hostesses, Mrs. Polnac and Mrs. Eaves. Their tickets were punched and each guest was presented a reservation button enabling them to enter the space ship. Keepsake booklets were also presented to each one present so that they could make memorable notes of the flight and get the autographs of all present.

Immediately after "blast-off" refreshments were served consisting of sandwiches, chips and dips, pickles, cold drinks and cookies.

Also, during the flight a SPECIAL EDITION of the Outer-Space Gazette, a newspaper from MOON, was read by Mrs. Polnac and Mrs. Eaves. It consisted of a history of the class dating back to the time they entered the first grade in 1957, until the present time. Also a look at their future or class prophecy.

Upon their arrival on Moon, they were taught how to unpack and dress in space, as quickly as possible; how to explode rockets and several other things they would need to know — all of this was in the form of games which everyone thoroughly enjoyed. At the close of the party, John Lee Gilbert and Randy Underwood, blindfolded and with gloves on, demonstrated how Mary Jay and Dorothy Legg would put on their hose and shoes on the morning following the flight — needless to say, this was hilarious.

Special guests for the occasion were the teachers and their families, that have worked with the students this past year, and 4 seventh grade students who were ushers at the Recognition Service, Randy Underwood, Phyllis Watson, Jan Jones and Mike Duran. Some of the teachers were unable to attend. Those present were Mr. Arthur Young and Mrs. Young, Herman Alsop, and Mrs. Huron Polnac and Bro. Polnac.

After a safe and most enjoyable flight, we descended back to earth with a lot of happy memories of a delightful evening.

## Stacy Blasts 3-Run Homer to Pace Carbon Over Oglesby 5-2

CARBON (RNS) — Tim Stacy slammed a three-run homer in the bottom of the seventh to give Carbon a 5-2 win over Oglesby in a Class B Bi-District game here Monday.

Larry Duncan's two-run homer in the first inning had gotten the winners off to a good start but the visitors had battled back to knot things on sole home runs by Tim Vincent and Art Velera.

The second game of the series is scheduled Monday at McGregor. If a third game is needed, it will be played at a neutral site.

## Work Expected Soon On Frank Gray Park And Swimming Pool

At a called meeting of the Gorman Community Club held last Thursday evening, those present appointed committees to handle the many different jobs in connection with the necessary clean up and repair of the park area and swimming pool at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park. The committees are as follows:

Park area: Speedy Clark and Edgar Higginbottom.

Lighting: W. C. Browning and E. E. Todd.

Pump & Rest Room: Clinton Revels and L. F. Kellogg.

Painting and Repair and Putting Up Diving Boards: Bill Parr, Dave Smith and Jerry Overstreet.

Washdown For Pool: Arlton Smith, Clinton Revels and J. S. Ripley.

Cementing and Repair of Pool Floor: Graydon Baze, Joe Collins, James Mears and E. G. Henderson.

Welding: Jack Harrison.

Fund Raising: Oda Monroe.

## LITTLE LEAGUE SEASON OPENER TO BE PLAYED TONIGHT AT 6:30

The Gorman Little League season will get underway tonight, Thursday, May 27, at 6:30 p. m. with four teams participating.

The Carbon team are the defending champions, a title they have held for the second consecutive year.

The Carbon team will play the Higginbotham-Frossard team beginning at 6:30 p. m. in the opener and the second game will match the Hospital and Peanut Company teams.

Mothers of the players will sponsor the operation of the concession stand and will be on hand to serve refreshments at all the games.

The public is invited to attend and support the teams of the Little League.

The line-up for the Carbon will be Daryl Carlton, left field; Durwood Webb, center field; Bobby Carlton, right field; Don Duncan, third base; Larry Thacker, short stop; Reggie Underwood, second base; Larry Griffin, first base; Larry Stubblefield, pitcher; and Doug Bryant, catcher.

The complete list of players for Carbon was not available at press time.

These committees are urged to recruit all the help necessary to get their jobs completed. If you are named on these committees, please serve, as the club needs your help. If this project is to be completed so the swimming pool may be opened, the club will need the assistance of every citizen in Gorman. We hope that you are interested enough in having recreation facilities for our young people to volunteer your help and assistance.

A working date is pending at present due to some repairs to the pumping facilities which are necessary for the pumping of the pool.

Again we urge you to help out with this project when called on.

## DESDEMONA COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES SLATED FOR FRIDAY NIGHT, MAY 28 AT 8

Mr. Cedric W. Bettis, Superintendent of the Desdemona Public Schools, has announced the date of the Commencement Exercises for Friday, May 28th, at 8 p. m.

The Graduating Class of Desdemona High School will number nine students this year.



VALEDICTORIAN OF 1965

Vickie Lynette Tidwell has been named Valedictorian of the Desdemona High School graduating class with a four year average of 95.2. She transferred from the Stephenville High School her senior year and has been active in all school activities.



HIGH RANKING BOY

Jerry Jeanett Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sharp, is the Salutatorian of the Desdemona graduating class with a four year average of 91. She served as secretary-treasurer of the senior class, played basketball all four years in high school and will receive the Daughters of the American Revolution Award.

She was voted Most All-Around Girl her senior year. She plans to attend college.



Historian and high ranking boy student in the senior class is Tommy Arvin Carr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carr. His four year average grade was 87.8. He served as class president and captain of the basketball team his senior year.

## City To Observe Holiday Monday, 31st

Memorial Day is one of the six holidays set by the Businessmen's Club of Gorman as an official holiday for the business firms of the city.

Since Memorial Day falls on Sunday this year, the city will observe Monday, May 31 as a legal holiday, and all businesses houses will be closed on that date.

- ### Commencement Exercises
- Processional ..... Nelda Henslee
  - Invocation ..... Rev. Johnny Burleson
  - Salutary ..... Jerry Sharp
  - Class History ..... Tommy Carr
  - Valedictory ..... Vickie Tidwell
  - Music
  - Address ..... Rev. Darrell Dossey
  - Awards ..... Cedric Bettis
  - Candidates for Graduation ..... W. B. Blankenship
  - Presentation of Diplomas ..... C. W. Bettis
  - Benediction ..... Rev. Johnny Burleson
  - Candle Lighting Ceremony
  - Recessional ..... Nelda Henslee

## Senior Class of 1965

- Tommy Arvin Carr
- Donald Ray Fonville
- Clifford J. Holland
- Virgil Allen Lewis
- Larry Durrell Majors
- Larry Dean Rainey
- Jerry Jeannett Sharp
- Hardie Tidwell, Jr.
- Vickie Lynette Tidwell

## Eastland County Hereford Breeders Spring Tour June 4

June 4th. is the date set for the annual spring tour of the Eastland County Hereford Breeders Association with the itinerary calling for stops at six different ranches, according to Ross Wilson, Gorman, President of the group.

The group will assemble at the El Rancho Cafe in Ranger at 8:30 a. m. on the above date, Wilson said.

Plans call for the group to inspect cattle at the Dave Pickrell and the Jasper Williamson places near that city. The T. L. and Buck Wheat herd near Colony is the third stop. The next stop is at the Raymond Beck ranch near Morton Valley prior to lunch at an Eastland Cafe.

The afternoon itinerary calls for stops at the R. M. Sneed ranch west of Eastland and the Bill Hoffman place south of that city.

Wilson invites and urges not only all members of this organization but others both in and out of the county to participate in the tour. Women as well as men are invited, he said.

## Cemetery Marking Making Progress

EASTLAND (RNS) — At the Monday meeting of the Eastland County Historical Survey Committee in Rising Star, County Chairman Mike Collins announced that the State Highway Dept. has pledged full cooperation in the effort of the committee to locate and mark cemeteries in the county.

Harvey Lewis, speaking for the Highway Department in Eastland County, said that an access road would be put into the old Central Cemetery, on the south side of Highway 80 halfway between Eastland and Cisco.

The next meeting of the committee has been set for June 28 at 5:30 p. m. in Carbon. Plans call for a meeting in Desdemona sometime in June for the dedication of a Fort Blair memorial marker. An Eastland County map is being prepared, which will mark the location of each cemetery.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

- Boy Scout Troop No. 38 meets the second Monday of each month at 6 p. m. at the Fire Hall.
- The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.
- The Friday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.
- The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.



# Across the centuries

*the Sermon on the Mount comes to you  
more meaningful and important than ever*

SEEN the crowds, he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down his disciples came to him. And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying:

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.

"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

"Blessed are you when men revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so men persecuted the prophets who were before you.

"You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trodden under foot by men.

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hid. Nor do men light a lamp and put it under a bushel, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

"Think not that I have come to abolish the law and the prophets; I have come not to abolish them but to fulfill them. For truly, I say to you, till heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but he who does them and teaches them shall be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

"You have heard that it was said to the men of old, 'You shall not kill; and whoever kills shall be liable to judgment.' But I say to you that every one who is angry with his brother shall be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother shall be liable to the council, and whoever says, 'You fool!' shall be liable to the hell of fire. So if you are offering your gift at the altar, and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go; first be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. Make friends quickly with your accuser, while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you be put in prison; truly, I say to you, you will never get out till you have paid the last penny.

"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' But I say to you that every one who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart. If your right eye causes you to sin, pluck it out and throw it away; it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body be thrown into hell. And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away; it is better that you lose one of your

members than that your whole body go into hell.

"It was also said, 'Whoever divorces his wife, let him give her a certificate of divorce.' But I say to you that every one who divorces his wife, except on the ground of unchastity, makes her an adulteress; and whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery.

"Again you have heard that it was said to the men of old, 'You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform to the Lord what you have sworn.' But I say to you, Do not swear at all, either by heaven, for it is the throne of God, or by the earth, for it is his footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. And do not swear by your head, for you cannot make one hair white or black. Let what you say be simply 'Yes' or 'No'; anything more than this comes from evil.

"You have heard that it was said, 'An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.' But I say to you, Do not resist one who is evil. But if any one strikes you on the right cheek, turn to him the other also; and if any one would sue you and take your coat, let him have your cloak as well; and if any one forces you to go one mile, go with him two miles. Give to him who begs from you, and do not refuse him who would borrow from you.

"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.' But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven; for he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust. For if you love those who love you, what reward have you? Do not even the tax collectors do the same? And if you salute only your brethren, what more are you doing than others? Do not even the Gentiles do the same? You, therefore, must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

**B**EWARE of practicing your piety before men in order to be seen by them; for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven.

"Thus, when you give alms, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by men. Truly, I say to you they have their reward. But when you give alms, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your alms may be in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

"And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites; for they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by men. Truly, I say to you, they have their reward. But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

"And in praying do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do; for they think that they will be heard for their many words. Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. Pray then like this:

*Our Father who art in heaven,*

*Hallowed be thy name.*

*Thy kingdom come,*

*Thy will be done,*

*On earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread;*

*And forgive us our debts,*

*As we also have forgiven our debtors;*

*And lead us not into temptation,*

*But deliver us from evil.'*

For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father also will forgive you; but if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

"And when you fast, do not look dismal, like the hypocrites, for they disfigure their faces that their fasting may be seen by men. Truly, I say to you, they have their reward. But when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face, that your fasting may not be seen by men but by your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

"Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal; for where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

"The eye is the lamp of the body. So, if your eye is sound, your whole body will be full of light; but if your eye is not sound, your whole body will be full of darkness. If then the light in you is darkness, how great is the darkness!

"No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon.

"Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you shall eat or what you shall drink, nor about your body, what you shall put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And which of you by being anxious can add one cubit to his span of life? And why be anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin; yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O men of little faith? Therefore do not be anxious, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the Gentiles seek all these things; and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things shall be yours as well.

"Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Let the day's own trouble be sufficient for the day.

**J**UDGE not, that you be not judged. For with the judgment you pronounce you will be judged, and the measure you give will be the measure you get. Why do you see the speck that is in your brother's eye, but do not notice the log that is in your own eye? Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when there is the log in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your brother's eye.

"Do not give dogs what is holy; and do not throw your pearls before swine, lest they trample them underfoot and turn to attack you.

"Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For every one who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened. Or what man of you, if his son asks him for a loaf, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a serpent?

If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask him? So whatever you wish that men would do to you, do so to them; for this is the law and the prophets.

"Enter by the narrow gate; for the gate is wide and the way is easy, that leads to destruction, and those who enter by it are many. For the gate is narrow and the way is hard that leads to life, and those who find it are few.

"Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing but inwardly are ravenous wolves. You will know them by their fruits. Are grapes gathered from thorns, or figs from thistles? So, every sound tree bears good fruit, but the bad tree bears evil fruit. A sound tree cannot bear evil fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. Thus you will know them by their fruits.

"Not every one who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. On that day many will say to me, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and cast out demons in your name, and do many mighty works in your name? And then will I declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from me, you evil-doers.'

"Every one then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house upon the rock; and the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat upon that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock. And every one who hears these words of mine and does not do them will be like a foolish man who built his house upon the sand; and the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell; and great was the fall of it."

And when Jesus finished these sayings, the crowds were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one who had authority, and not as their scribes.

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## DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Quite a large number from here were in Dublin Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral services held at First Baptist Church for W. Aldridge Wilcoxson of Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The Baccalaureate Services were held Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the school gym. Quite a large crowd was present.

A piano recital was given at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon by the teacher, Mrs. Nolan Price. Those taking part were Stevie Don Estes, Karen Guthery, Derenda Sharp, Paula Painter, George Ann Bettis and Lisa Newby. Several of the students were out of town for various reasons.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts and girls, Brenda and Ulenda, were in Tyler to attend graduation exercises Kay MacIntosh, a relative of Mr. Roberts.

Rev. and Mrs. Derrel Dossey and children spent the past week end in Hobbs, N. M. visiting with relatives.

Mr. Mutt Wilcoxson and daughter, Jorene of Odessa were here to attend the funeral services of an uncle, W. A. Wilcoxson, held in Dublin Saturday. Also Randall Ray Wilcoxson and wife were here on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore and his sister, Miss Lizzie Moore, spent the weekend at Seagraves with a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane had as guests for the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Fuller of Pottsville and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ash and children of Stephenville.

Mrs. Laura Gentry spent Saturday night here with Mrs. Docy Williams.

Mrs. Doris Dutton has completed a Beauty course and has opened a beauty shop in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ometa Lewis. Same will be occupied by Mrs. Lewis when she has completed her course.

### GOING-AWAY SUPPER

The Garland Deans were honored Saturday night at the Mobil Plant here with a going-away supper and "42" party.

The Deans are being transferred to Kyanosa and will live at Monahans.

## Seniors Enjoy Trip To New Orleans

By Margaret Porter

With other schoolmates seeing us off, ten seniors and three sponsors pulled out of Gorman Tuesday, May 18, about 3:30 p. m. for New Orleans, Louisiana.

We traveled on a chartered Central Texas Bus. After several stops in Texas and Louisiana we arrived at the Sheraton Charles Hotel in New Orleans. It was about 6 in the morning on Wednesday, and everyone was about dead. After a rest the group ate and went shopping on Canal Street.

Wednesday night everyone went to Bourbon Street. We visited the well-known Pat O'Briens. Everyone was back at the hotel by one o'clock.

We had planned to spend the day Thursday at Lake Pontchartrain but it rained and we were forced to stay in the hotel until 5 o'clock.

Thursday night we went back to Bourbon Street. Some went to the Bayou Room and listened to folk singing groups, while others went to the Dixieland Hall and listened to a group of old jazz musicians. While in the Dixieland Hall, David Hunt, Mr. Alsup and I met a Mr. R. I. Williams, a former resident of Gorman some 25 years ago. He is now vice-president of the Freeman Sulphur Company of New Orleans. He could recall several of Gorman's present residents.

Friday the group took a tour on a sightseeing bus and visited most of the French Quarter. The most beautiful sight was the St. Louis Cathedral. Friday night we went back to the Bayou Room.

That night Linda Jarrett, Gary Overstreet, William Jay and Don Wallace were walking down Bourbon Street and were almost run down, the only thing that saved them were metal posts used as hitching posts years ago.

Saturday was spent getting ready to come home. We left about 2:30 p. m. We hated to leave but were ready to get home. On the way home we crossed Lake Pontchartrain, which is the longest continuous bridge in the world. We also stopped in Baton Rouge and saw the Louisiana State University campus and several of the State Government buildings.

We arrived back in Gorman around 7 a. m. Sunday, a tired and happy group of seniors, and happy to be home.

Everyone enjoyed the trip very much.

Those making the trip were Gary Overstreet, David Hunt, Don Wallace, William Jay, Jerry Ormsby, Martha Foster, Joyce Burgess, Linda Jarrett, Glinda Rodgers, myself and sponsors, Mr. Herman Alsup and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crenshaw, Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Dean and Gary, Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Maltby, and Glenda, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Connell, Hank and Gregg, and Mrs. Laura Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Pug Guthery, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sparkman, and Mrs. Myrtle Reid, all of Desdemona, and Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hallmark, of Gorman, and Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Fox and Elaine of Olden.

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Full band rehearsal for the 7th. grade through the 12th. grade will begin at 7:30 a. m. and continue through 7 p. m. July 7th. at the Band Hall.

Stage Band rehearsal will be held July 8th., beginning at 7:30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

These rehearsals will be very essential to members of the band for next year. Mr. Alsup urges parents to remind the band students of these dates.

The band will march in the De Leon Peach and Melon Festival Parade on August 4th.

The Stage Band performed at Ranger High School on May 17th.

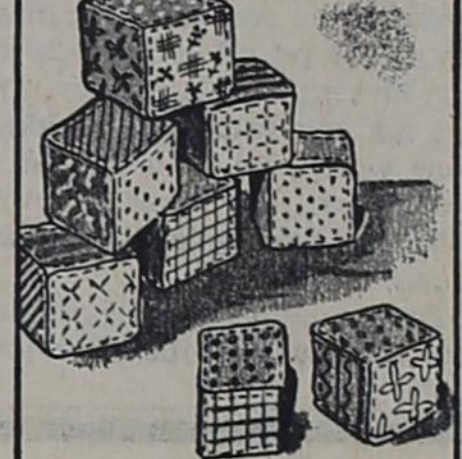
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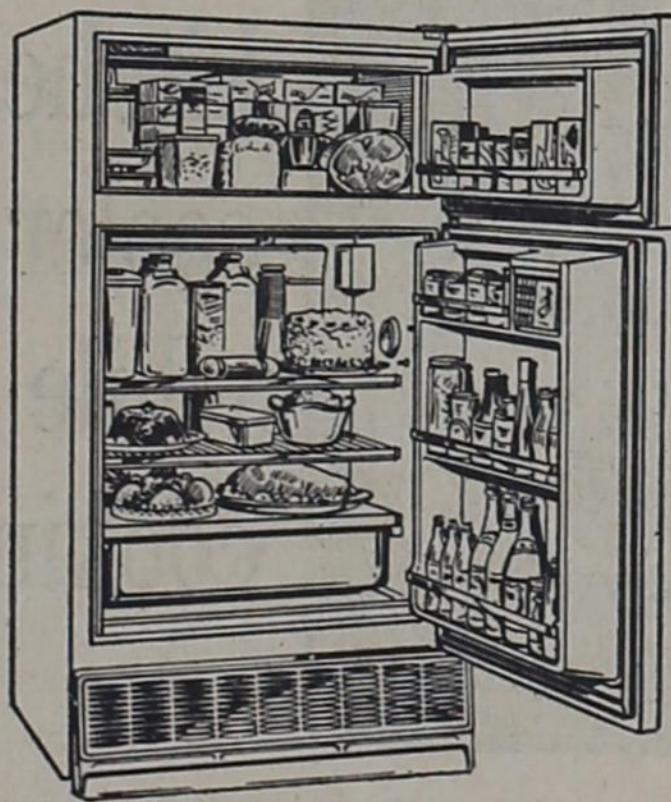
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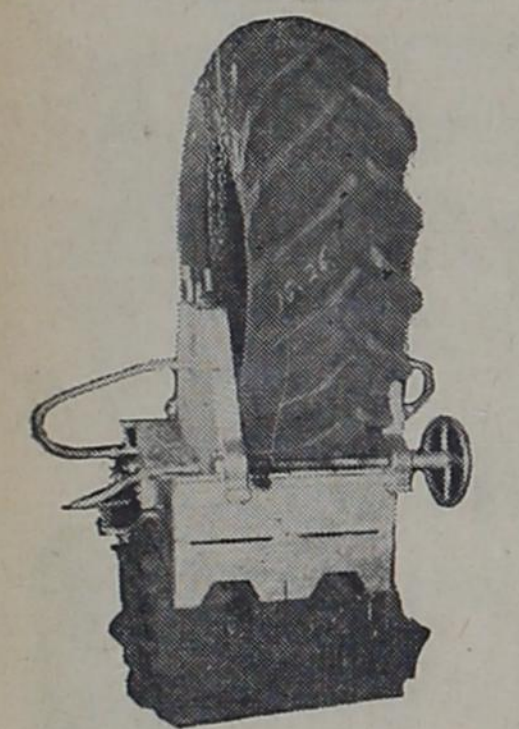
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## Statement Of Congressman Omar Burleson On Title VI Administration's Farm Bill

Before the committee on Agriculture, House of Representatives, statement of Honorable Omar Burleson, Representative in Congress from the 17th Congressional District of Texas - Transfer of Allotments Section of H.R. 7097 - May 19, 1965:

Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, I am most grateful for your courtesy in giving us an opportunity to present our views regarding Title VI of H. R. 7097 which is now pending before the committee.

I know you have some tremendous problems facing you. There was a day when this committee had as its principal interest agricultural economics. Developments have occurred, the evolution of time, so you are now, it seems to me, into the social side of a great problem - the great problem of how people are affected who make their living from the soil. And for that reason, I know that your work and your activities become more complicated as time goes on.

I want to stress for just a few minutes the social aspect, particularly the situation which will

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confront peanut growers, should Title VI of the measure you are considering be approved.

The peanut industry which is prominent in the area which I represent here in the House of Representatives is truly "small business" - the growers of peanuts anywhere in the three principal areas are really "small farmers."

The land on which peanuts are grown in the Southwest - and I assume that this is somewhat peculiar to where peanuts are produced anywhere - has little or no opportunity to be planted to diversified crops. When peanut allotments are permitted to be sold or transferred to another area, it leaves the land completely abandoned, so far as its use is concerned. You cannot do anything else with it.

The question arises, of course, well, why should not a man have the right to do with this thing called allotment, which attaches to his land, the property he owns, as he pleases? That is the first question, and it is a legitimate one.

To begin with, consider first the social aspect of the issue. The absentee landowner sells his allotment. His tenant who is trying to make a living for his family can do nothing else but migrate to the next largest community, to the city, and to compound the problems which we all know exist in those areas, such as unemployment more school problems, more housing problems. The community he left dies.

This trend, as you well know better than I, is taking place, anyway, but to aggravate it by permitting this sort of thing as provided under Title VI of H. R. 7097, as I understand it, would certainly hasten the time when we would eliminate a lot of the farms.

I understand that some time ago someone did advocate that maybe we should get rid of about 2 1/2 million farmers in this country. They did not say just what should be done with them. It is against the law to shoot them, that is for sure. What are you going to do with them?

They go into the cities, as I say, and compound all of these problems we already have. That is the social aspect of this thing which, I think, is terribly serious.

This thing is happening naturally enough as it is without aggravating the situation.

There are two major considerations involved. This is like apples and bananas - I shall not get into another subject, which is another consideration, but the proposal to eliminate skip-row planting of cotton in dry land areas is another aggravation of these conditions which will hasten the day of greater complexity and social upheaval. And it affects everyone, not the farmer alone, but the entire community and finally the entire nation.

In this particular area in my district where peanuts are produced, we have the REA, the Rural Telephone, the banks who have made loans to the farmers, the small businessman - it is a chain reaction. They will all disappear, and the community is dissipated. It leaves a void that cannot be filled. There is no substitute for it. It destroys that type of community and the type of social structure which has made us a great people and the great Country we are. Debts cannot be paid. Government loans to these enterprises cannot be repaid.

I do not want to get into any lecture, because you are well aware of all of these things, but I just say that this is, obviously, a social problem, as well as one that deals with agricultural economics.

I would not at all condemn bigness in itself just because of bigness, but the trend is for about everything to become bigger, which means that the small is getting smaller until it just disappears.

I think there will surely be a hastening of this situation should Title VI be adopted as it is now written.

Mr. Chairman, again I appreciate your courtesy in permitting me to have these few minutes. I have several constituents here whom you were kind enough to hear yesterday. I was not aware they were going to be heard yesterday or I would have been here with them. However, I am most grateful for your courtesy to them. Some are here this morning and I know you welcome and respect their views on this matter of such vital concern to them.

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## KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Vacation Bible School is in progress this week at the Kokomo Baptist Church. Enrollment is very good and we are having a wonderful time together. Commencement will be on Sunday night, May 30, at 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend the program and see the work the youngsters have done this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bisbee and children of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bryant and Kevin of Carbon and Mrs. W. F. Bryant were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Bryant and Larry on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buchanan of Abilene spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Buel Bryan and Mrs. Don Brumblow.

Mrs. David Willoughby and Scotty and Mrs. Raymond Hendricks of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks on Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark, Becky and Debbie of Abilene, visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little and children visited with them on Sunday. Becky Hallmark remained for a visit this week with her grandparents, and is attending Bible School.

Donald and Dolores Eaves of Comanche are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves and family. Dolores is attending the Bible School.

Tech. Sgt. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Neill and children are visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Neill, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie O'Neill. They are enroute to Beale Air Force Base in Marysville, California from Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves of Carbon had all of their children home for a visit during the weekend. They are Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Lenz and Kenneth of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Woodard and children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Webb of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Eaves and children of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. David Lowrance and children of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves, Johnny and Bobby of Gorman; and Tommy Earl Eaves of the home. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Webb have been transferred back to Dyess Air Base from Kokomo, Indiana.

## KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cates and children of Olden were visiting with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields and family on Monday night.

Cole Brown of Eastland spent Saturday with his cousin, Kris Brown.

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to express my sincere appreciation to friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful in sending flowers and cards and expressing sympathy during my recent sorrow.  
Mrs. Effie Broom

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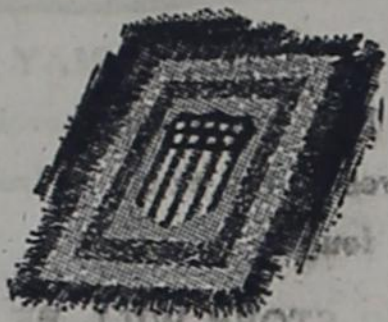
the Gorman Senior graduating class. Members of the senior and junior classes were also guests.

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Marilyn has been going through a seige of orientation with other students for the past seven months. The orientation is designed to increase their potential for the appreciation of the tour.

In each of the tour countries in which they will visit seminars will be held, and will be attended by native youth of the countries visited, England, France, Holland, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, and the Riviera.

Rev. Bill Jones of Fort Worth is MAST Tour Director.

Students will travel in groups of 14 with their chaperones. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parsley, Ft. Worth will chaperone the group to which Marilyn has been assigned.

Points of interest will include the attending of a worship service at the John Wesley Church in England and the Steamer Sight-seeing trip down the Rhine.

A real treat for Marilyn will be that of having her cousin, Ann Kirk, for a roommate. They have been classmates since entering school up until 1963 when Ann moved to Brownwood.

A pre-departure party for parents will be held prior to take-off at Love Field.

The group will fly to New York and from there to Paris, France.

Everyone wishes Marilyn and Ann bon voyage, and will be looking forward to their return June 28.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank each one for the kindness shown us during our recent stay in Blackwell Hospital. For the flowers, cards and visits we are deeply grateful. A special thanks to the doctors, nurses and staff for the good care given us. May God bless each of you.

Mr. & Mrs. D. F. Overstreet

**To The People  
Of Gorman**

I don't believe I have ever been as much at a loss for words as I am now. I don't know if there are words which are strong enough to express my thanks to you for all you have done for me, and the amount of happiness you have given me in the last two years.

I'd like to say thanks to the school board for giving me the chance to come here, and for the cooperation that John and I have received.

To the administration I can't say thank you enough. Mr. Taylor, Mr. Smith, Mr. Little, and Mr. Young are people I have learned much from, and will always regard as the finest of men and friends.

To all the people who have supported our athletic teams and our school in general may I say thank you. A number of you, too great to find name space for, have become the best friends a family could ask for. We'll never cease to remember you and thank the Lord for the privilege of knowing you.

To our fellow faculty members, Thanks. You've been wonderful, and I don't know what we'd have done without you and your help.

To the church here in Gorman, an special thanks. Your help, strength, and good wishes we'll never forget. You helped us to grow spiritually, and that is the most important part.

To the parents of the athletes we have had. May God bless you for the effort that you have put forth. I have never enjoyed anything in my life like I have being associated with you and your children. Thank you for your support, patience, and friendship. Most of all, thanks for allowing us the privilege of working with your boys and girls.

Thank you Kernel and Joe, and Estelle for the coverage and interest that you have shown.

Last, but not least, thank you students and especially athletes of GHS. You are a great bunch with more heart than any I'll ever see. To me, you'll always be the "first" in everything. Thank you for ALL you've given me. I'm a far, far better man for having known you.

Best of wishes to all,  
Mike Newby

**CARD OF THANKS**

May God bless each and every one who helped us in our sorrow. A special thanks to Ardith Pittman and Larry Campbell for the donation of blood, and all who offered blood, those who visited us. Thanks to the people who sent food, flowers and cards.

We have so many good friends that have given us sympathy, encouragement and hope, your friendship has meant so much to us. A special thanks to Rev. Polnac, Rev. Clements, Rev. Dennis and Mr. Newby, and all of the church members for their prayers.

Rita and Eddie Robertson

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**KEEPING UP  
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Visiting in the home of Mrs. Bill Bailey this week were her son, M/Sgt. and Mrs. Billy Bailey and children. Sgt. Bailey left May 25th for Japan.

Mrs. Clara Cockrill of Eastland visited Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Mack Underwood and Mrs. Mae Smith and other friends.

Mrs. Aubrey Griffin and Mrs. James Griffin and James Jr. of Berger returned home Wednesday after a weeks visit with Mr. Louis Andrus.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Legg this week were his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Legg of Markham, who visited from Saturday to Wednesday, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Daniels of Waco, who visited Tuesday. They also attended the eighth grade graduation of their niece, Dorothy, and High School graduation of Shirley. Their son, Jimmy of Memphis, Tenn., was home for the weekend.

Mrs. Ronnie Chambers and children of Hobbs, N. M. is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mauney.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix arrived home Tuesday to spend the summer. Mrs. Nix will teach in the Crystal City Schools again next fall.

Mrs. Ed Wyatt spent last week in Fort Worth with her grandson, John, while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Welch, attended the Shrine Convention in San Antonio.

Mrs. Stella Stephens of Pasadena, California and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Singleton of Stephenville visited Tuesday in the home of their aunt, Mrs. R. L. Thomason.

Gus Frossard, Dick Jay and Ben Shokade of Albany enjoyed a fishing trip to Lake Falcon last week from Monday to Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jay, Kelly and Phala of Houston, visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jay, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Jay. Kelly and Phala remained for a three weeks visit.

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Therefore, Thursday night, May 27th. the subject, "What about the experience known as the Baptism with the Holy Spirit with the initial sign of speaking with other tongues?" will be discussed at the First Pentecostal Church, on the De Leon Hwy. in Gorman.

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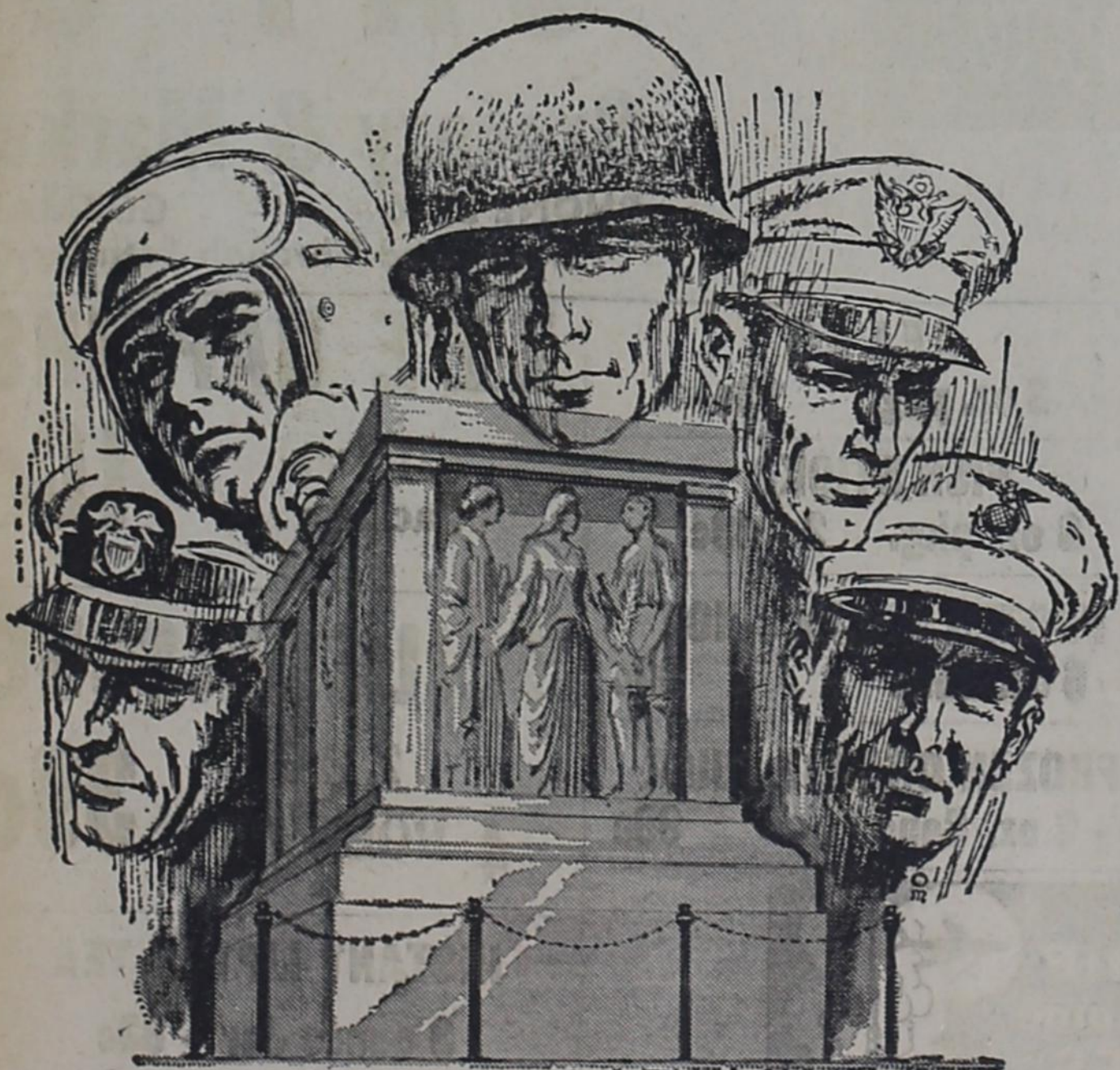
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**Awards Presented At  
 Grade School Program**

Gorman Grade School students were presented with awards for outstanding achievements in scholastics, sports, band, and for perfect attendance at the Grade School Recognition Program on Monday night, May 24.

**SPORTS AWARDS**

Eighth Grade: Wayne Huff, Jackie Grice, Doyle Shipman, Louis Torrez and John Lee Gilbert received awards for basketball, football and track; Jerry Mathews, football and basketball; Johnny Eaves, football and track; Jimmy Hampton, track; Burl Harper, basketball; Randy Ormsby, football and basketball; Barry Redman, football; Donald Sanders, football; Dennis Frasier, track; Pam Foster, Mary Jay, Michaelyn Porter, Vicki Reynolds, Judy Ward Katrina Watson and Linda Welch each received awards for basketball.

Seventh Grade: David Armstrong, football; Eugene Battenfield, football; Sammy Brooker, track; Gary Burgess, football and track; Don Curb, football; Teddy Jordan, football; Bill Kirk, football and track; Randall Storey, football; Randy Underwood, track and basketball; Mike Young, football and basketball; Gary Rasco, track; Jana Brown, Becky Foster, Sherry Jobe, Catherine Parr, Terri Prater, Barbara Williams, Phyllis Watson, Anna Jean Taylor, and Kathy Wright each received awards for basketball.

**BAND AWARDS**

There were six grade school students receiving awards for band. Brenda Butler, Teddy Higginbottom, Katrina Watson and Doyle Shipman, in the eighth grade; and Mike Duran and Anna Jean Taylor.

**A AVERAGE**

Grade School students making a straight A during the entire school year were awarded "G" awards. These awards are not presented in first and second grades as they use a different grade system.

Third grade: Bill Baze, Vicki Hallmark, Vickie Harvey, Ruby Martin, David Moore, Rebecca Parker, Vickie Simmons, Nanette Williams, LaVeda Scitern, and Steve Stinnett.

Fourth grade: Kelly Henderson, David Porter, and Rebecca White. The following Fourth grade student received the award, but due to a clerical error they were not recognized at the recognition program on Monday night: Karan

Kirk, Jeanette Jackson, Patricia Hirst, Gary Smith, DaSha Rogers, and Mike Moore.

Fifth grade: Mark Arnold, Paul Bennett, Denese Grady, Marilyn Thompson, Sarah Kirk, Don Porter, Bruce Smith, Danny Snider, and Sharon Welch.

Sixth grade: Maudine Aston, Kay Dennis, Tresa Duran, Karen Hallmark, Hal Lasater, and Betty Seaton.

Seventh grade: David Armstrong, Mike Duran, Jan Jones, Anna Jean Taylor, and Kathy Wright.

Eighth grade: Brenda Arlene Butler, Teddy Higginbottom, Randy Ormsby, and Doyle Shipman.

**PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

First grade: Randall Laminack and Nelda Little.

Second grade: Joetta Bennett, Mark Eaves, Wayne Blair, John Mears, Kathy Ripley, George Rodney Warren, and Mike Warren.

Third grade: Nancy Grady, Vickie Simmons, and LuKretia Couch.

Fourth grade: Chester Joiner, Brenda Weldon and Bernadean Reeves.

Fifth grade: None.

Sixth grade: Burma Broom, who received her fifth perfect attendance award.

Seventh grade: Celia Reeves.

**KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS**

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark and Tommy spent the weekend in Grand Prairie with their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark and family and Terry Clark.

Miss Gerry Walker of Cisco was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker.

Miss Marjorie Nell Warren of Midland arrived home Saturday, May 14 for a two weeks vacation with her father, Mr. Leland Warren, and relatives. She visited friends and relatives in Fort Worth from Thursday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Callan of Irving spent the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ramsey.

Mrs. Donald Cook and children of Fort Worth were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cooper, James and Jana of Karnes City, spent last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper and Mrs. Gladys Lucke.

Eighth grade: Burl Nelson Harper.

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