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QUOTES FROM AN AMATEUR PUBLISHER-EDITOR - Gene

When I begin to wonder whether the Progress is being read all I have to do is say something that does not meet with everyone's approval. It seems that quite a number have taken issue with me on the Oil Boom comment. Now I am heartily in favor of oil wells and hope they get a lot more close to the one that recently came in on the Mears place. But Oil Booms I am against because right now we are trying to pay off indebtedness that was made during the last oil boom and this indebtedness has been the cause of more heated arguments than anything I know of since coming to Gorman.

Have you paid your poll tax? If not, you had better call on Mrs. Luchner at the City Office today, January 31st is the deadline. Which reminds me that I have to go pay my own. Your Poll Tax gives you the right to voice your opinion and help select the man you want to run your city, county, state and federal affairs. Of course you can voice your opinion without paying poll tax but it won't help—so be sure and pay your poll tax before the 31st.

Received a postcard from Mrs. J. T. Bohannon showing a winter scene in Phoenix, Arizona. The picture on the card shows a variety of flowers in full bloom. Mrs. Bohannon states she is not representing the Chamber of Commerce. I guess it is just the Texan in her wanting the folks to know what a nice place she is living in.

Lonnie Capers writes from Sundown that he is on the job and sends his regards to all the firemen.

I have been promising Bob Womack that I was going to visit the nursery he is running three and a half miles north of Desdemona so Sunday afternoon I drove over. Not being a horticulturist I call all flowers peonies but I did enjoy walking over what seemed to be acres of plants and shrubs and have him and Mrs. Stuart tell me about the different species. Bob's real pride and joy is an electric pump on a well which he has recently dug. He said this would enable him to keep his nursery well watered.

Went by to see W. G. Baker for an ad Wednesday and thought for a moment I was in the wrong building. He has completely renovated his office and rearranged his display of seeds and plants. Noticed his daughter, Mrs. Love sort of bossing him around and helping in the re-decorating. Daughters and wives are pretty good at that.

It looks like Gorman's basketball teams, both boys and girls, are really going places. If you want an evening of real excitement turnout for a game.

Paul Ormsby said his customers could shop to music Saturday as they were going to have Dixie Harter and his All Gold Drifters on hand to do some serenading.

One-quarter of a century serving his fellowmen . . . watching and helping a small community grow into a thriving little city . . . taking complaints and compliments in his stride . . . ever striving to give his best to all. Having at one time been in the drug business, I have heard Mr. Walker remark that some day he was going to be a druggist again. Now he will continue to serve the people of this community as pharmacist for the Mehaffey Drug Store.

Met Mr. Walker at the postoffice Wednesday night and he showed me a small silver plaque which was embedded in an oval shaped crystal glass. Mr. Walker sold his insurance business some time ago but the Home Insurance Co. of New York thought enough of him to award this medal for 25 years of service with their company. May we add our congratulations and say that we too appreciate your friendship Mr. Walker.

Mrs. Nettie Rider spent Sunday in Cisco with her son, Ralph and family.

City Secretary Resigns; Accepts Position as Pharmacist



Mr. J. E. Walker Jr., whose resignation as City Secretary of the City of Gorman, becomes effective upon the appointment of a successor, has seen quite a lot of improvement in our fair city during his twenty-three years of faithful efficient service.

During these years, under the leadership of two mayors, Drs. E. W. Kimble and George Blackwell, Mr. Walker has worked and assisted in every way possible and has watched a large portion of our sandy streets give way to modern paved ones; has seen the city's indebtedness reduced from \$283,000 to \$63,000; water and sewer rates reduced from \$3.00 to the present \$2.00 minimum; extension and improvement to the water and sewer system.

When Mr. Walker became city secretary in 1925 the credit rating for the City of Gorman was bad. This credit rating has been fully and satisfactorily restored; taxes have been materially reduced and the funds of the city which were in a very depleted condition at that time now show a nice balance as shown by the last published statement.

Prior to his acceptance of the post as city secretary Mr. Walker was associated with the school system in the capacity of bookkeeper and Tax Assessor-Collector, for several years. Since that time he has assisted that school officer in every way possible.

After January 15th, Mr. Walker will be associated with Mehaffey Drug Store as pharmacist.

1948 Basketball Schedule

January 16, 1948
Hamilton at De Leon
Hico at Comanche
January 20, 1948
Dublin at De Leon
January 23, 1948
Comanche at Hamilton
Hico at Eastland
Gorman at Dublin
January 30, 1948
Hamilton at Dublin
De Leon at Hico
Eastland at Comanche
February 3, 1948
Gorman at Hamilton
February 10, 1948
Hico at Gorman
Eastland at Dublin
Comanche at De Leon

TOURNAMENT AT HAMILTON FEBRUARY 12, 13, 14.

Results of last Tuesday night game . . .

Tuesday night the local basketball team topped the De Leon team 29 to 16. High point man for Gorman was Jay, accounting for 12 of the 29 points. Mehaffey was next with 8 points to his credit. Owens and Brown 7 and 2 resp.
De Leon's high point man was Durham, with 5 points, followed by Brownlee and Page, 4 for each; 2 for Haldridge and 1 for Hare.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Clenton of Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Bruton of Monahans were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brummett and Sylvia.

Woman's Study Club Commended by District President

The following letter was received by the Woman's Study Club of Gorman. The efforts of this club in promoting civic projects in 1947 is well known to the folks of this community. The club feels that the people deserves most of this credit for the splendid cooperation they gave the club in putting across these projects.

1-10-48

My Dear Mrs. Jeffs:

I was so happy to receive your Woman's Study Club Year Book from Mrs. Hilley. It is a fine Course of Study and you are going to have many fine things to report. Looking at it, I can't realize you are not an experienced club as yet with years of ground work behind you.

You are a 1947 Club and I am listing all club Presidents of 1947 Organized and Federated Clubs as my aides at Convention. So plan to come to San Angelo April 1st, 2nd, and 3rd. You will receive a letter from me—a club letter about a lot of things—about January 15th.

Your subject, "American Way of Life," is a very appropriate one and well developed in your programs. I fine list of active members. Do extend my very best wishes to your club. Your program on "Recreation," March 15th is fine. Not very many clubs think to include this very essential phase of club effort.

I surely want you on our District Board as Chairman of Pageantry and Drama in Fine Arts Department. Mrs. L. E. Dudley is State Chairman Fine Arts. As a member of 6th District Board, you will meet with us at 4:00 o'clock, April 1st, Cactus Hotel, and be on platform with Fine Arts Department on 2nd night of Convention (Fine Arts Evening).

Best Wishes
Mrs. W. E. Cantrell
President
6th District TWFC

BE PREPARED TO VOTE

This is a year we have more elections than usual it might be well to recall that those persons not 60 years of age on January 1, 1947, and not otherwise exempt from payment of the poll tax, should pay it before February 1, this year. Also, persons not twenty-one years of age on January 1, 1947, should obtain their exemption certificates before February 1, this year.

F. S. Perry
Prec. Chairman

MARCH OF DIMES

500,000 Volunteers Mobilized for Fund-Raising Drive to Fight Polio

The annual March of Dimes spearhead of the fight against Infantile Paralysis, will be held throughout the nation January 15 to 30, it was announced by Carl Elliott, county School Superintendent, March of Dimes chairman for Eastland County.

"The cost of fighting polio has skyrocketed," Mr. Elliott said, in pointing out that rising prices and mounting polio incidence have placed a tremendous burden on the resources of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, which this year celebrates the Tenth Anniversary of its founding by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Mr. Elliott's March of Dimes committees in every community in the county are setting up the machinery that will make the 1948 appeal a record demonstration of this county's active interest in helping the stricken children of America along the road to health.

"Every phase of community life will participate in sending a ringing message of hope to the unfortunate victims of this crippling disease, which has stricken 80,000 Americans in the past five

FAMOUS MALE QUARTETTE To Be Presented On Concert Program



The return of THE REVELERS, world's most famous male quartet, is electrifying news to the music world. Originally organized in 1916 as the Shannon Quartet, this great organization was for many years the supreme in the concert, radio and recording fields. The group made five European tours to great acclaim and gave command performances for British royalty. At various times the personnel has included James Melton, Franklin Baur, Lewis James, Elliot Shaw, Frank Parker, Phil Duey and Frank Luther, many of whom have risen to stardom.

By popular demand, THE REVELERS have now been reorganized around Wilfred Glenn, renowned bass of the original group, familiar with the individual style which made THE REVELERS world-famous. Mr. Glenn will be responsible for maintaining the high artistic standards of the group. He chose the most talented young singers available and has moulded them into a unit capable of maintaining the highest traditions of THE REVELERS at their peak.

As before, each member of the group is a soloist of established reputation. And yet these masters of melody selflessly merge their unique talents in skillful renditions of modern songs. From a total palette rich in vocal and orchestral colorings, they obtain striking and unusual harmonic and rhythmic effects. Their interpretations reflect refinement, finesse, superb musicianship and consummate artistry. Their approach is modern and distinctively American.

In addition to Mr. Glenn, who was on four occasions chosen by the nation's radio editors as "All-American bass," THE REVELERS



BABY GIRL SAVED. The life of eight-month-old Sandra Sue Fouch (above) of Circleville, Ohio, was saved when the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis rushed a baby respirator to her in the nick of time at a Columbus, Ohio hospital. Many instances such as this are made possible by the dimes and dollars contributed to the annual March of Dimes appeal January 15-30.

years," Mr. Elliott said. "Our committees in every community in the county are bringing into the fight the able assistance of the entire population of that particular community, and we ask for these committees the unhesitating cooperation of every citizen."

Chairmen of the various committees in towns and communities of Eastland County are as follows,

Howard Demonstration Club Meeting

(by Mrs. W. H. Tate)

Mrs. Pearle Foote was hostess to the Howard Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, January 13th. Mrs. Buckley, acting as president in the absence of Mrs. Wade, who was ill at this time.

Roll call was answered by each one naming her favorite shrub.

We had a very interesting discussion on color schemes for bed rooms, and also the setting of shrubs for landscaping was discussed and leather craft work.

On account of sickness several of our members were absent.

The hostess served hot chocolate and cookies to the following: Mmes. Sparks, Buckley, Tate, and Moore, Heeter, Lee, and Mrs. Helen Marquardt of Eastland.

Mrs. Heeter will be hostess to the club January 27th. All members are urged to attend.

Desdemona 4-H Club Hold Meeting

(by Bobby Cozart)

Desdemona 4-H Club met on January 13th, at 1:45 p.m. to discuss preparations for attending the Fat Stock Show at Ft. Worth. Most of the boys have decided to attend. Mr. J. M. Cooper is going to charter a bus for the trip. The entire cost of the trip will be \$2.10 with extra charge of \$3.00 for entrance to the Rodeo.

The club also elected James Alys as song leader.

Jack White To Be Sheriff Candidate

Jack White, former Eastland County Deputy Sheriff under present sheriff J. B. Williams, will be a candidate for sheriff. White stated that he would have a formal announcement to make later.

White has been a resident of Eastland County for a good many years. He came to Eastland from Ranger where he was employed by an oil company. He resigned as deputy sheriff December 15th, last.

MR. & MRS. ADOLPH MONTGOMERY OF FT. WORTH PROUD PARENTS OF BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Montgomery of Ft. Worth are the proud parents of a daughter, Dianne Lee, born at All Saints Hospital in Ft. Worth Friday, January 9th. The young lady weighed 7 pounds and eight ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Montgomery of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greer of Carbon.

PERSONALS—

Mrs. Loma McKnight and son Clay, spent Friday night with Miss Della Pullig enroute to their home in San Antonio, from Amarillo.

Mr. Bennett McCroan of Canadian, Texas spent the week-end with his mother and other relatives in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rankin were in Dallas on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moates of Houston spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Butler. Mrs. Moates father, Mr. Hammett accompanied them to Gorman to visit Mr. Tom Fuller who is critically ill in the Blackwell hospital.

Brother and Mrs. J. Garvin Smith of De Leon and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Campbell and daughter of Cisco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Todd.

Eastern Star members attending a meeting in Ranger Monday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Boston, Mdms; Cody Love, Pete Ramsey, Ernie Todd and T. W. Beard.

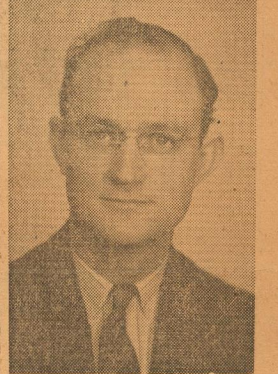
POLITICAL Announcements

Announcements made subject to action of Democratic Primary. For County Superintendent: (Unexpired Term) H. C. (Carl) ELLIOTT

Dr. T. C. Gardner Will Be Guest Speaker at Baptist Church Sunday 18th



Dr. T. C. Gardner, Dallas, Texas will be the guest speaker for the morning and evening worship services at the First Baptist Church Sunday, January 18, 1948. These services will begin a series of Training Revival Services to last through Friday night, January 23. Dr. Gardner has been for many years as the Executive Secretary for the Baptist Training Union of Texas. He is a well known and popular speaker all over the State.



Mr. James Frost, Greenville, Texas will arrive on Monday to direct the Training Revival through to its conclusion. Mr. Frost is the music and Education Director for the First Baptist Church of Greenville.

To assist in the campaign the church will have Miss Clara May and Miss Thurma Dean Miller both of Dallas, Texas. They are both well known Training Union Workers and will have interesting messages to bring during the week. Also Mrs. Taylor Henley and Mrs. A. D. Eaker of the local church will assist the above workers.

The services each evening will begin at 7:00 p.m. and the public is cordially invited to attend.

KING THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
Franchot Tone - Ann Richards
in
"LOST HONEYMOON"
Also
Popeye - Tom & Jerry - Looneytune
Saturday
Johnny Mack Brown
in
Flashing Guns
And
John Carroll
in
Wolf Call
Also
Son of Zorro No. 2
Sunday and Monday
Van Johnson - Janet Leigh
in
Romance of Resy Ridge
Also
Vera Vague Comedy
Disney Cartoon
Tuesday and Wednesday
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SPORTS AFIELD

The laws of many states require that little fish be thrown back; but the laws of nature provide that we should keep them if we want bigger ones to grow. Verne E. Davis, well known conservationist, maintains that the presence of large numbers of little fish inhibits the growth of big fish.

A pond can support only a limited poundage of fish. Bass and bluegills, for example, are the best known and most successful of all other fish, the total poundage bination known at present; but like they achieve is determined by the fertility of the pond they inhabit. A pond of low fertility may support as little as thirty pounds per acre, while higher fertility levels usually support more than 500 lbs. Now, how many fish do fishermen want in a pond with a capacity for 500 pounds of bass and sunfish? As many as possible of nice catchable size, is the obvious answer.

Stated in numbers of fish, you could have 500 of one pound each; 1000 of half-pound size; or 5000 at ten-to-the-pound. Indeed, you could have 50,000 at 100 fish per pound.

If a bass, for example, gets all he can eat, the average one will grow one and a half pounds in 12 months. A few of the best feeders will reach two pounds in the same period. Bluegills will, in the same length of time, grow to five or six ounces.

These figures will vary with different kinds and combinations of fish but the basic law still obtains;

the fewer fish there are in relation to pond capacity the larger they will be.

Throw 'em back if you wish! But don't mark it up as your good deed for the day.

— KOKOMO NEWS —

Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Lenz are the proud parents of a seven lb. boy. The baby arrived January 10, 1948, at the Blackwell Hospital. Mrs. Lenz is the former Barbara Eaves.

Miss Sue Mangum spent Thursday night with Miss Maudie Snider. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Johnson visited their son Orville Johnson and family of Eastland Sunday.

Mrs. Cara Sessum and son Bob are visiting relatives at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson and sons visited Mr. Truman Bryant at the Eastland Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Norris and Ann of Stephenville spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves.

Miss Bettye Joan Bennett of Stephenville, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jearred Johnson of Ft. Worth were Sunday guests of the L. L. Johnsons.

The Jim Lewallens were in Eastland Sunday afternoon.

There will be a community singing at Kokomo Sunday, 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to come.

Mary Nell Parker and La Verne Lewallen attended the ball games at Desdemona Saturday evening.

NOTICE

I wish to announce the removal of my office to the Mehafey Drug Store assuming the operation of their prescription and drug department. Will be our policy to serve the public with the highest quality of prescription drugs and the best of service and hope by so doing to merit your confidence and consideration when in need of medicines.

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FOODS CLOVER FARM STORES MEATS



Word was received in Gorman Tuesday afternoon of the death in Comanche of Mrs. T. J. Williams. Mrs. Williams was the wife of the Manager of Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Laminack of Grand View Community, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Timmons Wednesday.

Sorry to report Mr. Tom Richberg on the sick list again.

Little Sylvia Hendricks who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks is reported much better.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Snider are the parents of a baby girl born January 11th. The little lady was named Alice Mae.

Those who enjoyed forty-two at Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood Thursday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Otis Guy, Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billie Chas. Underwood spent the week-end in Perrin with her mother.

Mrs. Kirt Williams of Eastland spent the week end with Mrs. Bill Sims.

There is lots of illness in Gorman at the present; among those who are seriously, if not critically ill are: Tom Fuller, Mrs. O. O. Mann; Leander Bennett and his wife; and Sim Bennett; and Mrs. Sallie Crawley of Kokomo community.

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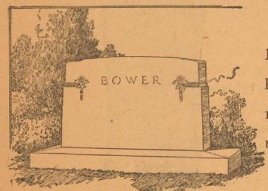
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Bros. & Co., NML.
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 Bill Johnson to William Travis Johnson, warranty deed.
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 Eula L. Meador to I. C. Underwood, warranty deed.
 W. L. McDonald to W. H. Hailey, warranty deed.
 J. S. McDowell to Alberta Miller, quit claim deed.
 J. S. McDowell to Alberta Miller, warranty deed.
 I. H. McMasters to H. K. Dean, deed of trust.

I. H. McMasters to Federal Land Bank of Houston, deed of trust.
 A. F. McMullen to H. S. Sanders, warranty deed.
 T. P. McCord to D. W. Disrens, warranty deed.
 R. D. Nicholson to Hall Walker, Trustee, transfer of ML.
 Laura Bell Noble to R. L. Jones, deed of trust.
 J. D. Nantz to Maude D. Johnson, assignment of royalty interest.
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 Jesse Penn to L. A. Marren, oil and gas lease.
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 H. L. Ratliff to C. P. Samson, release of vendor's lien.
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 R. E. L. Smith to Jennie Lee Jones, quit claim deed.
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 R. R. St. John to C. H. Freeland, warranty deed.
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 Strawn National Bank to Blanche Jordan, partial release of vendor's lien.
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 Frank R. Sheppard to First Federal S & L Association, deed of trust.
 C. P. Samson to S. H. Hill, warranty deed.
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 E. R. Walcott to L. A. Warren, oil and gas lease.
 Mrs. Della Whorton to Charles J. Kleiner, MD.
 R. F. Walton to C. A. Waters, ML contract.
MARRIAGE LICENSES
 The following couples were licensed to wed last week:
 Estel Carl Franklin to Nina Mae Smith, Eastland.
 W. G. Peel to Claudia Mae Finley, Gorman.
 Jesse L. Simmons to Dollie Viola Keller, Cisco.
 Albert A. Escobedo to Ventura Diox Valdez, San Angelo.
 Thomas M. Fox, Jr., to Melba Lee Jackson, Ranger.
PROBATE
 D. F. Brown, deceased, application for temporary administration.
 Oscar E. Lucas, deceased, application to probate will.
 Henry Stroebel, deceased, application to probate will.
CIVIL
 The City of Eastland v. Hart H. Bowman, et al, suit on debt.

J. R. Cagle v. Eldon Bint, suit on note and foreclosure.
SUITS FILED
 The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:
 Bessie May Brown v. Dee Witt Brown, divorce.
 E. L. Underwood v. Dee Underwood, divorce.
 Oscar Penn, et al v. R. Weldon Park, trespass to try title.
 Ex Parte: D. G. Lester, et al, habeas corpus.
 R. E. Adams v. C. C. Boyd, collection and foreclosure.
 James F. Byrd v. J. Madera, et

al, trespass to try title.
 Toledo Society for Crippled Children, et al v. Walter C. Kirkhride, trespass to try title.
ORDERS AND JUDGMENTS
 The following orders and judgments were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:
 Olene Roach v. Moody Roach, judgment.
 Lloyd Barney De Witt v. Ruby De Witt, judgment.
 Rena Gertrude Bideon et al v. Merchants Fast Motor Lines, order to pay out funds.
 R. E. Adams v. G. O. Boyd, order of dismissal.

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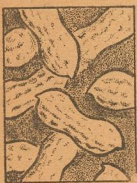
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