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QUOTES FROM AN AMATEUR PUBLISHER-EDITOR - Gene

Wish to apologize to anyone who might have entered the Progress Office Saturday morning and heard any profane language.

I hired a printer last week to help me catch up so I could take Saturday off and attend the State Fair. I made the mistake of paying him Friday, just before I left town, he got in touch with one of our local bootleggers and came to work Saturday morning drunk. He is a master at his trade and could make top wages anywhere. However, I like others he has worked for will be unable to trust him any more because he cannot be depended on.

If possible, be sure and attend the State Fair at Dallas. It is well worth seeing. It would take several columns to adequately describe the exhibits and other attractions. One could almost spend a day looking at the new farm machinery, automobiles and airplanes. Mr. Peanut has a booth in the Agricultural Building -- did you know there are people who have never seen a peanut growing?

The Beer Election for Eastland County is slated to take place November 2nd, along with the general election. I am somewhat puzzled about the attitude of the people in this community -- most of the ones I talk to are in favor of prohibition (bootleggers favor prohibition too) but most of them are rather indifferent about enforcing the law. In talking with law enforcement officers, I am told that very few juries will convict a man on trial for bootlegging -- so it seems we are like the dachshund following the dog around the tree (yup, he bit his own tale). If we cannot enforce this law why pay out tax money for nothing?

As for the affect alcohol has on young people -- I am inclined to think that if we older people would try and pattern our lives after the young folks this would really be a much better world. Practically all the youngsters I have come in contact with are pretty level headed and I have seen them in places where neither one of us had any business.

You know, it makes me real happy everytime I hear of someone in this community making money from leasing his land or getting a well on it. There are some who envy them but quite a number of the folk I know have seen some pretty lean years on their land and have earned all they get. I say, congratulations and I hope you get more.

QUARTERBACK CLUB SUBMITS PROFIT & LOSS STATEMENT ON MEMORIAL PARK

George Bingham, Treasurer of the Quarterback Club submits the following statement on money spent by the Club on Frank A. Gray Memorial Park.

Gross Income	\$1,198.61
Salaries for Operators	290.00
Expenses	392.41
Net Profit	\$516.20

The Park account is kept separate from other accounts or monies of the Quarterback Club. The boys feel they have a good toe-hold but they are making plans now to further clear their indebtedness.

NOTE:- To anyone who is not fully acquainted with what the Quarterback Club has done for this community in opening up the Memorial Park Swimming Pool the above figures look fair.

To those of us who have watched these young men give time and labor, during and after their day's work, these figures are insignificant. When donations slowed down and it looked as though the project would fail these young men personally borrowed enough money to finish the pool and open it to the public in time for all to enjoy a dip during the hot weather.

Few towns large or small can boast of a group of civic-minded young men who can excel this spirit of cooperation and effort.

The "Big Bertha of the World's State Fairs," which covers 187 acres, is expected to draw 2,000,

Gorman Loses To Eastland Plays Comanche Friday Night

STUDENTS ENJOY AFTER-GAME DANCE

About seventy students of the Gorman High School attended the after-game dance in the gymnasium, Friday night. A marked orderliness prevailed. The teachers and superintendent sponsored the recreation. Adhering to the school board's resolution only high school students were admitted.

Our Library

LUCRETIA FAIRBETTER

CAREER COACH

In the football season "Career Coach" is a timely book for reading. The book is of most interest to you and to those who have retained their youthful minds.

Earl Schenck Miers writes of campus life as one who has been there and he has. Mr. Miers has that trick of making more than one of his characters an unforgettable.

Craig Bannister, a brilliant All-American Ex. has as his purpose to marry Margaret Devon, his home town girl. But a problem confronts him. He must make good at his first job, coach of the Midland football team before he can marry Margaret. Craig's understanding of people sees him through the difficult times for which Margaret's brother is oftentimes responsible.

AN OPEN LETTER

Mr. Eugene Baker, Gorman Progress Dear Gene:

It has come to my attention that we are to have a County Beer Election in Eastland County, November 2, 1948.

As a citizen of this county and of Gorman I would like to express my views on this election.

It is unthinkable to me that any sane thinking citizen could wish for such a thing as the legal sale of beer or other alcoholic beverage within our county.

We, who are proud of our community and desire the best for it, could certainly not desire such action.

Some would place the objection that we have drinking in the county as it is. That is true and we certainly deplore such conditions, but to legalize such conditions is to place our sanction upon it. To me it is like saying that because we find a rattlesnake in our yard we should pass a law permitting him to stay there.

I believe that the citizens of this county who respect the principles of right and desire the good for our communities and for our children should rise up to vote, as we have previously done, to keep this evil from our county forever.

To me this matter is not a political or partisan issue but a matter of moral distinction between right and wrong. Therefore, I would like to be on record as vigorously opposing this issue and would like to summons all those of like conviction to give of their best effort to defeat this issue before and on November 2.

Sincerely yours,
Taylor Henley

McLENNAN COUNTY SINGERS TO MEET IN WACO OCT. 24

Sunday, October 24 the McLennan County Singers Meet will take place at the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Waco at 11:30 A. M.

Many Texas Quartets and Musical organizations will be present. The public is invited to bring their lunch and enjoy good singing.

The Chase Ave. Baptist Church (Cleburne) with pastor J. C. Lott, will bring a fine group by noon hour, according to pastor A. Reilly Copeland, who invites the public to tune his Sunday a. m. broadcasts 7:30 WACO; 7:15 KWFT-KFRO; 6:45 KTBC; 6:30 KRRV.

000 visitors before it closes. Nearly a quarter million are expected on opening day.

The Gorman Pantiers lost a hard fought game to the Eastland Mavericks last Friday night 27-0. Holding the Mavericks scoreless in the first half - the Gorman boys fumbled several times in the second half which placed Eastland in scoring positions. No alibis intended because the Eastland boys played a nice game but sometimes it is pretty hard to hold a football with a bunged up hand.

GORMAN BUSINESS MEN BACK SCHOOL PROJECT

Football fans admiring the lithographed sports features on the programs at the Friday night game will enjoy knowing the business men whose ads appeared on the score sheet are contributing indirectly to the construction of showers and dressing rooms for the football boys of the local and visiting teams. They will be built under the grandstands, one on either side.

This is not the first time but one among the many times that the business men have come to the fore in backing the school in its various projects of progress.

The writer hopes the students as a class, as an organization, as an individual will give this consideration and make every effort to support these same business men in keeping the town of Gorman clean and progressive.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind words and sympathy in the passing of our husband and father. For all the food and beautiful floral offerings.

May God's richest blessings be on each and every one that helped in any way is our prayer.

The Adcock Family.

Carbon Man Buys Racing Stock

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper A. Phelps of Carbon attended the Horse Show in Olden Monday of this week. Fine stock was exhibited throughout the day and Mr. Phelps purchased two racing colts.

Spirit of Gorman

IN FLIGHT

Seeing or feeling this spirit on Friday evening was a job for one with senses magnified. At first so very plain it mingled in their midst, those satin-clad nymphs. Only for a second though, the drummers had caught it. The shouting from the swing-skirted quintet announced that the spirit had joined the group.

Now above the colorful spectacle its voice was in the grandstand, "What a kick-off!" Come on 74 -- 68 made that gain right through center." Then here it came across the field with nose all bruised and bleeding. But not even there could it tarry, for through the air came the intermittent sounds, "Gorman will try for a pass."

The struggle grew more fierce. The spirit bowed its head and whittled a stick.

A handicapped child tugged my coat. The Spirit of Gorman said, "Mother, I wish I could play."

Social Security Benefactors Lose 14 Million Dollars

Glen McNatt, field representative of the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration, will be at the Army Recruiting Office in Eastland at 10:00 A. M. on Thursday, October 21. He will be at the Cisco Post Office at 2 P. M. on the same date, and at the Retail Merchants Association in Ranger at 3:30 P. M. on Wednesday, October 20. Persons wishing to file retirement or death claims, or having social security problems to discuss, should call at whichever point is most convenient.

More than 14 million dollars in cash benefits were lost by American workers in commerce and industry and their families last year, because they delayed in asking for what belonged to them. Some of that money may have been lost by Eastland County residents.

You may not be a missing heir, but you may be missing social security benefits. Readers of the Progress who have worked on jobs included under the Social Security Act are reminded to contact the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration when they are 65 years of age. This can, of course, be done by mail, or by talking with the representative when he visits this county. In case of the death of a worker who might be insured by reason of his employment, some survivor should make prompt inquiry as to possible Federal insurance benefits.

Sharecroppers Oil Company Hit The Jack-Pot With Jay-Parker Wildcat

On September 30th the Jay-Parker Company brought in a wildcat which some operators believe to be the best well to date of the present boom in the Gorman area. The partnership consists of Harvey Parker, Gorman; Joe Parker, DeLeon; Roy Parker, Gorman; Alvin Parker, De Leon and Dick Jay of Gorman.

It was the third of September when the Parker brothers and Jay set rig on a new pool in the Oliver Springs Community 2 miles south of the Kirk Pool and 2 1/2 miles south of the Eastland County line in Comanche County.

Harvey and Joe spoke for the four brothers when they said they scraped the barrel four times to get money for their venture. Their neighbors, "God bless'em", the boys said, gave leases on their farms to make the pool of five hundred acres.

The "boys about town" dubbed the company "Sharecroppers Oil Com-

pany". Dick Jay, successful business man in Gorman, was forced to share the title.

A wildcat permit was granted by the Railroad Commission.

Using the barrel scrapings and Jay's part, the company leased a rig, secured a crew and started operations. The fellows say they had cooperation without stint. Operators in adjoining fields offered all kinds of assistance and joined in the cheer when the black gold blew in.

Almost immediately the company accepted a bid in excess of one hundred thousand dollars for the well and one hundred acres. The company retained 400 acres on which per contract four other wells will be drilled. The neighbors who gave their leases will receive one-eighth royalty.

These boys say, "they aint mad at nobody" but they want to thank everybody, neighbors, friends, relatives and all.

IN THE ARENA

with Doug Harmon, Texas Inmate Reporter, Teras Prison "Echo".

My Rodeo assignment began several weeks ago when the riders first started coming in off of the farms to try out for the 17th Annual Prison Rodeo. The Editor asked me to cover the try-outs and stay with the riders through-out the series of six October performances.

It's an experience I wouldn't trade. I've learned to know these riders. To those in the world "out side", they're robbers, murderers, swindlers, and bad actors of every description. Penologists say that men like this, convicts are non-operative, and lack the spirit to do a job well. They should know these men.

As a group, these inmates who risk being mauled, maimed or killed at every performance, have the spirit of a college football team, stalling individually, but working as a team, to the best interests of the Prison Rodeo. There are old-timers, top hands in their youth, now paying the State of Texas for a breach of code, with the twilight of their lives, and youngsters who would be top hands in any outfit, were it not for a previous misstep. Newcomers, oldsters, Texans and outstaters are working together, pulling together, doing their level best to make each Prison Rodeo the very best one.

After last Sunday's show, I was asked which event seemed to be the most outstanding. From my position at the chutes, wild bull riding seems to be the highlight.

The bulls, brought in from the Brazoria bottom-lands, are the most evil tempered beast in the entire show. Not satisfied with merely unseating their riders, these bulls usually attempt to maul fallen riders, and only through the ceaseless vigil of the pick-up men, are serious injuries avoided. These huge Brahmas even attack the horsemen at times.

The very atmosphere around the chutes is ominous as nervous, half scared but determined convicts who ride, poise over their brutal mounts. When the chute opens, all is chaos. A ton of deadly bone and muscle, writhes, leaps, and tosses about in all directions. The dazed and often battered rider, can only hope to stay aloft for a few seconds. Then, hitting the dirt, he knows that only luck and swift action on the part of the pick-up men will keep him from serious injury.

Why do they do it? For many a long-termer, it's the only type of excitement that seems to ease the strain of many long, empty, and meaningless years.

So, next Sunday, or any Sunday this month, come on to Huntsville and see this greatest of all Prison shows. Reserved seats are only \$2.00, and there will be plenty of general admission tickets at only \$1.00. You'll get your money's worth and you can take it straight from a convict -- every cent made on the 17th Annual Prison Rodeo goes for a worthy cause. It is spent for our very own education and recreation.



OIL NEWS and PERSONNEL In and Around GORMAN

Josephson No. 1 Baskin WOC. Have moved rig and are waiting for a spudder to complete the well. They will perforate and acidize probably the last of this week.

Decker and Raymon No. 1 Jordan waiting on pipe.

Lacy No. 1 Lane drilling in the Hogtown sand at 2675 feet. This location is right in the edge of Desdemona.

Dalport No. 1 Wood are WOC at a depth of 2839. This looks like another well to the extreme south of the Kirk Field.

W. B. Johnson No. 2 Cooper drilling at 2862. They will bottom at approximately 2880 feet, since they have already drilled through the pay.

Man and Griffin No. 1 Calloway have had trouble with a parted pipe. They are swabbing. There seems to be a quantity of oil in the hole, coming in at about 2600 feet. However, they are not sure which depth this may be coming from since they cannot finish off the operation until they correct the difficulty with the pipe. This well, too, is in line with the decided swing the Kirk Field is taking toward the South and East.

J. W. Baldwin No. 5 Sanders drilling at 2625 feet.

Snowden et al No. 1 Kinney Estate drilling at 1965 feet.

W. F. Collins No. 1 Cosby - (about 2 miles out from De Leon, just off the Comanche Highway to the right going toward Comanche) drilling at 1700 feet.

Haynes B. Ownby No. 1 Flatt is being put on pump -- will be about a 50 BBL well a pumpeppr, according to J. Wade Driver who had charge of the drilling and completing operations.

E. K. and E. M. Burt No. 1 Fuqua perforated in the upper pay Monday night -- 3088 - 3100 - Scott Drilling Co. No. 1 B. F. Porter tried to acidize in an open hole. The Packer would not hold. They are now underreaming to set pipe on bottom. This hole was drilled to 2812, but Mr. Clendenin reported they have plugged back to 2751 where they will bottom. They will perforate and attempt to acidize sometime this week.

ANNOUNCING DISTRICT SINGING CONVENTION

The De Leon District Singing Convention will be held at Garthmanview Church, located between De Leon and Comanche, on the first Sunday in November.

KING THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
William Bendix - Claire Trevor

In
"THE BABE RUTH STORY"
Also
Cartoons

Saturday
CHARLES STARRETT

In
PHANTOM VALLEY
And
THE WILDE TWINS

In
CAMPUS HONEYMOON

Also
Jesse James Rides, No. 1

Sunday and Monday
Irene Dunn - Phillip Dorn

In
I REMEMBER MAMA

Also
DISNEY CARTOON

Tuesday and Wednesday
SABU - JOANNE PAGE

In
MANEATER OF KUMAON

Also
Cartoon - This Is America

Thursday - Friday
Errol Flynn - Ann Sheridan

In
SILVER RIVER

Also
Cartoon - Novelty

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The United States Navy Band will give matinee and evening concerts, October 21st, in the City Memorial Auditorium at Brownwood, Texas. The concerts will be sponsored by Howard Payne College and the Isham A. Smith American Legion Post. This band is

one of the most celebrated musical organizations in the world.

A band clinic will be held on this same day in the morning at the Howard Payne Auditorium. Band directors and their bands in a 150 mile radius have been invited to attend. At the conclusion of the clinic the bands will parade

in mass formation to the scene of the matinee concert.

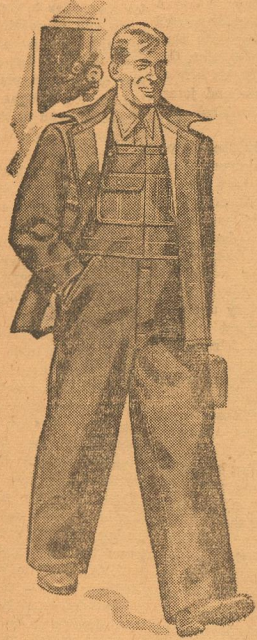
Mr. Tunstill, Gorman School Band Director expects to attend the clinic and one of the concerts with his group.

An annual affair such as this would be welcomed by concert goers and band members.

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BIBBY'S DEPARTMENT STORE GORMAN

Personals

Home for week end: - James and Jamie Smith, Wade Russell, Billy Jack Maupin, Tommy Brightwell, Bob Stafford, Ennis Joiner, Stephenville; Wanda Bailey, Ranger, and Joe Brandon, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Glasson had as their guests over the week end Mrs. Glasson's sisters, Mrs. Mae Dowdy and Mrs. Odessa Young of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dean and daughter, Cassandra and Mrs. and Mrs. Bill Woods of Waco visited relatives in Gorman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pullig visited in Fort Worth Sunday. Msrs. Melvin Shell, Walter Davis and Jesse Boblin attended a Sheller's Meeting in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mrs. Onie Anderson and son, Arnold attended the Ringling Bros. Circus in Waco on Monday.

Adele Fairbetter, Lucille Joiner and Nina Beth Hale were in Stephenville, Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Verle Rodgers were in Fort Worth and Dallas during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brummett, Jane Thompson and John Edward Kimble attended the Ringling Circus at Fort Worth.

Boyd Hilley and J. O. Thompson were in Dallas Sunday attending the State Fair.

Mavis Baze, on furlough, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baze and Rayneal.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lucke and family, Mrs. Dean Bennett and Mrs. A. Mason attended the funeral of Mr. Lucke's nephew Jack Womack, at Anson Friday. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Womack, Jack's uncle and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Womack, Jack's brother.

Jack died last Thursday from burns sustained in a fire Saturday at the Orange Crush plant in Abilene.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Blackwell are spending this week in Houston.

Mms. Z. O. Mehaffey, Frank Morrow and Marcella Brogdon were in Abilene Wednesday afternoon attending the funeral of a brother-in-law of Mrs. Etha Pittman.

Mrs. Elsie Gates visited friends in Walnut Springs over the week end.

Johnny Weldon Miller of Grand Prairie, familiarly known as Sonny Boy who has had a two weeks visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Linder returned to his home on Saturday last. Johnny and his grandparents attended the State Fair Sunday. Mrs. Linder remained in Grand Prairie with her daughter Mrs. G. C. Miller for the coming week.

Bobbie Jean Rachels and Jolene Bell attended the Fair in Dallas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Mason from Kingsville and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Winters from Callihan visited in the Mason home over the week end Mr. W. B. Mason of Ballinger was over for Saturday night.

Mrs. Bertha Counts of Vernon is spending the week with Mrs. J. L. Counts and Mrs. Emory Hil.

Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Duncan of Banning, California are visiting friends in Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Richardson and children Jimmy and Joy of Monohans Texas, were visiting relatives here last week. Mrs. J. E. Richardson will be remembered as Helen Mairie Williams.

Mrs. Zelpha Wood is visiting her son Bob Wood and family of Fort Worth this week.

BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Campbell of Fort Worth announces the birth of a baby girl born October 10, 1948 in the Methodist Hospital in Fort Worth. The grandmother is Mrs. Allie Campbell. CPL. LYNVOY ALLDREDGE STATIONED IN MISSISSIPPI

Cpl. Lynvoy Alldredge, formerly of Gorman, has reported to Keesler Field, Mississippi to begin training in the Airplane and Engine Mechanics school located there.

Keesler Field, a Base of the Technical Division, Air Training Command, is the home of the World's largest Airplane and Engine Mechanics School.

The training Cpl. Alldredge receives in the School will extend over a period of approximately 28 weeks and will include instruction in aircraft electrical systems, engine operations, fuel and oil systems, propellers, structures, instruments and inspections. This training will qualify him to perform maintenance on all conventional types aircraft flown by USAF.

Speedy Clark To Serve As Registrar For U M T

Young men of this vicinity upon reaching the age of 18 will report to the Postoffice at Gorman for registration in Universal Military Training. Speedy Clark has been appointed registrar. The law requires that boys register immediately after their 18th birthday.

Excelsior Club Have Annual Federation Day

Tuesday evening, October 12th, the members of the Excelsior Club met in the home of Mrs. Neal Rose After a business session the president, Mrs. Walter Davis signified the program would begin.

The day having been designated as Federation Day, Mrs. Martha Sutton presented "The History of the State Federation's Club House. She told how the building, a most beautiful structure had been financed by the individual clubs of the organization until the eminent clubwoman Mrs. Clara Driskoll had lifted the indebtedness through a generous gift of money. Mrs. Marcie Allen and Mrs. Frank Dean, who had visited the clubhouse made interesting remarks regarding the interior.

For the latter part of the program Mrs. Vera Harnrick held a parliamentary drill.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Rose served the members with golden chiffon pastry.

Mrs. C. J. Thompson Guest Of Goldthwaite Clubs

Mrs. C. J. Thompson attended Federation Day at a joint meeting of the civic clubs of Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Thompson was one of the many members and guests who heard the popular speaker, Mrs. J. W. Trapp.

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Carbon News Desdemona News

Miss Maude Brooks of Ft. Worth visited her sister Mrs. Allie Gilbert last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Weston of Fluanna visited his mother Mrs. H. M. Weston Tuesday.

Mr. H. C. Ables moved his welding shop to Eastland.

Bridal Shower

Marine Rhyne and Mary Lee Harlow entertained Mrs. G. Hogan the former Birdie Ethel Phelups, with a bridal shower last Thursday night in the home of Maxine Rhyne. The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts. Refreshments were served to about thirty guests.

Carl Rease of San Antonio visited his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Leak Lane of Cisco enroute to Spokane, Washington. He is in the Air Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Butler, Mrs. Harry Crow and Mrs. Mamie Redwine attended the singing at the Church of Christ in Okra last Tuesday night.

Abe Hall of Jal, New Mexico is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Harr Hall this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bruce of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bruce of Ranger visited Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Yarbrough Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Williams of Throckmorton visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Dover and other relatives.

Mrs. Brounlee of De Leon visited her son Mr. and Mrs. Brounlee last week.

Mrs. S. E. Lucas and Mrs. L. W. Tucker of Cisco visited Mrs. W. J. Hines Saturday.

Dee Maxwell of Lampasas visited his brother W. S. Maxwell and wife Sunday.

Raymond Powell and wife of Breckenridge visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McClough.

Edward James of Dallas visited his brother J. L. James and wife over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Holt and Mrs. Lucille Davis and daughter of Abilene visited Rev. J. D. Holt and family over the week end.

Mrs. J. L. Barton and baby of Foreman, Arkansas are visiting relatives here. Mrs. Barton is the former Frankie Park.

Mrs. Earl Tonn of Ft. Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bethany and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tonn

A nice rain fell here early Sunday morning. It will greatly benefit pasture, small grain and stock water but the people who had peanuts in the shock couldn't be so hopeful about it.

Rusty Alread who has been critically ill so long in the Blackwell Sanitarium was able to be brought to his Aunt's home, Mrs. J. J. Sparkman this week.

His condition is considered somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hammond of Fort Worth are visiting this week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Buch Reed and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Branham are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore.

The girls and boys basketball teams played Alexandria last Friday night - the girls won their game 25-17 and the boys 20-19.

So far they have lost four out of eight games played this season. Mr. R. D. Wright, Superintendent is coaching the boys and Mrs. Woods is the girls coach. Both teams play at Lingleville Tuesday night.

Miss Margie Brown of Ft Worth visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ames Brown the past week end.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Buck D Harrelson to Marion Carter, Rising Star.

Raymond F Smith to Mrs. Mary Fay Key, Cisco.

Stephen L Rogers to Mrs. Wanda Small, Ranger.

PROBATE T. A. Montgomery, deceased, application for probate of will.

W. T. McKinney, deceased, application for administration.

Mrs. C. V. Ables visited her sister, Mrs. Flora Shuts of San Angelo, last week.

John Phillips and wife were shopping in Fort Worth Saturday.

Mrs. Sidney Horton and Mrs. Frances Murray of Eastland visited Mrs. Mamie Redwine last Wednesday.

Mrs. Wilks of Dublin is visiting her son Mr. and Mrs. Voy Wilks.

Mrs. Walker McCulley is attending the birthday dinner of her mother Mrs. C. P. Hamilton of Gorman.

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SENIOR SEZ
 Mack Bryant, Reporter

Missing a couple of week now I'll catch up on all the news. Verlan seems to have had a very nice time Friday night with Carl Dean after the ball game. Doyle and Lovell made a very nice couple on the dance floor Friday night. Emma and Isebell were chaperoned by Roy and Jo Olive last Thursday night. In benefit of the boys having to be in early it was very early in the evening. Wallace was with an old friend who was home from Howard Payne Friday night. Jay looked very much at home at the game. Mason and Billy Check were seen together last Thursday night too. Naturally again it was very early. Oh yes, Brown made a schedule of his activities Friday night: 8 to 10 he played ball; 10:30 to 12 he danced and 12 to 1 he walked Carolyn home. That is a pretty good record if you ask me. ("Which no one did" I can imagine Carolyn stating) Dorothie and Joye were escorted home by Willie Burl Friday nite. Stewart, Broom and Emmer were three of the seniors who were on the rampage Saturday night. We won't mention where they went or who they were with. Dearl says he is going to learn to dance some day just give him time. Juanita Hoskins went with Roy Rawls Friday night. Looks like her taste has turned from bad to good, there were several who expressed the same feeling. Echols has been learning some new literature lately. She's been repeating "A Big Black Bug bit a Big Black Bear." The bear that came from Odessa. Broom and Higginbotham were seen together last Tuesday nite.

BAND NEWS
 Georgia Lee Porter, Reporter

Friday, October 8 at 7 P. M. all the twirlers and band members met at the railroad and marched down town. That was our second time to march down a street. When we got to the ball park we all marched in single file until we got under the goal post then we marched to the fifty yard line and gave a yell to Eastland and Gorman. At the half we did our formation of the "E" and "G". There has been a great improvement in our formation work since the first game at Strawn. The twirlers are still looking for their Shakos but haven't got them. The band has been invited to go to Brownwood October 21 to see the United States Navy Band. Every one is looking forward to that. We'll see you at the ball game Friday night when we play Comanche.

JUNIOR JOTS
 Peggy Bell, Reporter

If we had a lost and found column, this is the way it would look. **LOST:** A girl has just recently lost a boy friend. If found please return to Box 105, Gorman, Texas. **FOUND:** Some of the Junior boys have found they like Seniors best. **WANTED:** Any handsome boy, must be Junior or Soph, wanted by all Junior girls. **RETURN:** Please return to Ph. no. 72 if a certain boy is found with the following qualifications: 1. Black Hair. 2. Handsome. 3. Having access to a car. If any of the above are found please return to the Jr. room at Gorman High. Now to catch up on the latest gossip. J. has "checked" out and H. wants to "check" back in again. Ben Nix is the bashful boy when it comes to dancing. A certain senior girl is wearing R. R.'s jacket. Roy you're going to freeze. Roy how was Stephenville Saturday night. Ask J. H. she would know.

WRITER SEES PUBLICATION OF FIRST NOVEL

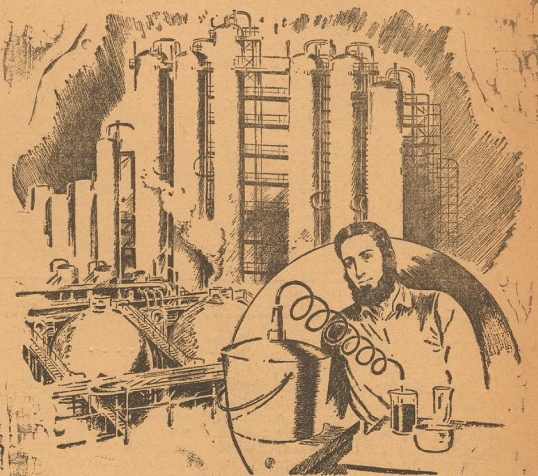
NEW YORK — Bradley Carter Jefferson, who was born and grew up in East Texas, today sees the publication of his novel "Fair Havens" by the Macmillan company. The story is based on his early rural background. Mr. Jefferson, now chief editorial writer, associate editor and member of the board of directors of the Dallas Times Herald, was born in Freestone County in 1894 when his father, Walker Carter Jefferson, was district clerk there. The writer was educated in Alvin and at Port Arthur College, after which he served for a while as assistant postmaster in Teague. Since 1919 he has been with the Times Herald. Of "Fair Havens" Mr. Jefferson

Soph Suds
 JOY HAMPTON, Reporter
 Six Weeks in Gorman High

We seem to see Betty Marie Beard in the company of one of our new guys around G. H. S. Isn't that about right J. F. Nina Beth Hale is seen every week ned with a college man. How long can these things last. Everyone seemed to enjoy the social Friday night. James must remember these football boys must stay in training. That goes for you to Joe. We haven't heard much from Nick Eaker and Bob Enloe, only complaints during English. Betty Ann Brightwell is still carrying the torch for an ex-senior She says he's a swell guy. Several of the Soph and Fish girls are having an argument over an innocent boy who has nothing to do with it. Oh well isn't life gruesome? James Brown, Nick Eaker, Martin Bailey and Warren Cate are kept busy driving the "Lulu" to town filled to the seams with all their admirers. Fannie O'Neal, the class beauty, is firmly saying "no" to all the guys waiting for the right one to come along. Maybe that is the way everyone should do, Right? Love, Joy. Lavelle we hope you keep warm in that certain football jacket. Can anyone eat pop corn out of a coke bottle? Ask W. B. Moore he knows someone who can. Ragland we're sorry you have a broken hand. That makes you very handicapped. What about that G. W.

says: "The novel is drawn, of course, from a part of my early rural background, though nothing is now left of the particular community except a group of mail boxes at the road crossing. It is the story of the change that came over this community and its inhabitants of some forty years ago." "Fair Havens" is Mr. Jefferson's first novel.

"Oil Progress Day" Recalls Industry's "Pot Still" Days



One day some ninety-odd years ago a tall, stoop-shouldered canal boat man named Samuel M. Kier was stirring a sticky, evil-smelling brew in an iron kettle which squatted on a stove in the cellar of a shack just outside the city limits of Pittsburgh. The mess on the stove was a sample of Kier's Rock Oil, a patent medicine in which Sam had invested heavily but which tasted so vile that few people would buy it. Kier was trying to salvage his investment by seeing what would happen if he ran the unsavory stuff through a primitive still. As the petroleum began to boil vigorously, Kier slapped a homemade "worm" on top of the kettle. A dribble of colorless liquid ran out of the still. He touched a match to it and the liquid burned slowly. Inspired, he put some of it in an empty whale oil lamp. The lamp glowed brighter than it ever had before! That was how Sam Kier discovered kerosene and became America's first petroleum refiner. The petroleum industry, which is paying tribute to Sam Kier, to all of his successors and to the pioneering spirit of the American people as a whole during the observance of "Oil Progress Day" on October 14, has come a fabulously long way since those ante-bellum years. Instead of a handful of struggling companies, the industry now consists of 34,000 competitive firms. Instead of one well—that brought in by Colonel E. L. Drake at Titusville, Pa., in the summer of 1859—oil companies have drilled around 1,200,000 wells and oil is produced in 25 states. Some 423,000 of these wells are producing oil today. Instead of a transport system consisting of a few rickety wagons and canal boats, the oil companies have a remarkable system of 150,000 miles of pipelines, plus large fleets of ocean-going tankers, inland-waterway tankers, barges, railway tank cars and tank trucks. Instead of peddling their products in five gallon tin cans, oil men now include thousands of wholesale distributors, and operate a quarter million modern, clean and efficient service stations. Today, oil and natural gas supply almost half of this nation's heat and power requirements. From crude oil comes a grand total of more than 1,200 useful products—products which everyone uses almost every day of his life. "Oil Progress Day" is being observed this week. Members of the industry will report such things as the above to citizens of the communities in which they operate. Oil men are making that report to call the attention of their friends, customers and neighbors to the fact that they operate in the American tradition of free, competitive enterprise. As a result they are doing an outstanding job in their efforts to contribute to America's progress and well-being. They are, in fact, echoing Sam Kier's cry: "We're making progress."

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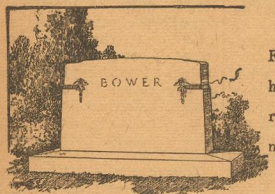
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SHORT STORY

Red Paint

By KATHLEEN GILCHRIST

THE blazing sun shocked the air into rippling waves of heat that emphasized the starkness of Ed Higgins' bare barns. In contrast to the unpainted barns was the neat little bungalow, with its bright green paint and white trimmings.

From behind her spotlessly curtained kitchen window Marty Higgins gazed outside. Her thin face looked drawn, but her cotton dress was as fresh as her kitchen. She shook her head at the memory of Doc's parting words that morning.

"I've done all I can, Marty," he'd said. "If Ed won't fight for himself—"

"I can't understand his giving in so easy." There was more disappointment than sorrow in Marty's voice. "Stubborn old fool, he gave me enough trouble any time I wanted him to do anything, goodness knows, and now to let pneumonia down him without a fight!"

The brown collie beside her raised questioning eyes. He cocked one ear expectantly toward the bedroom door behind which Ed lay, his sunken cheeks under unkempt whiskers mute evidence of the ravages of the first serious illness of his robust life. How unlike the gaiety of their courtship days!

"Twenty years, Rusty, and now when he's needed most he quits." Marty gazed past the ugly structures of naked wood to the wheat-covered vastness of prairie beyond. The sun was beginning to turn its greenness into the golden ripeness of harvest.

Rusty wagged his tail. It was seven years since he'd come, a furry pup, to live with Marty and Ed, and this was the first truce in the battle that had started twenty years ago, when first Marty had stated her plans for a home.

"Painted buildings on a prairie farm. What's the matter with 'em the way they are?" Ed scoffed. "You don't hear my cattle wantin' new barns with paint on 'em, do you, and they seem to manage."

"But I'm not one of your cattle, Ed, and I want a decent home with paint on it, even if they don't." Marty had replied with aggravating sweetness. "If you want to live with them, go ahead, but I'm having my home the way I want it."

"Just naturally contrary. If I didn't want you to paint them, you would. You'd think that we were paupers instead of successful farmers." Marty often repeated in exasperation as one unpainted structure after another was raised to house Ed's increasing cattle.

The dog watched Marty carry the tray into the bedroom, to return with its contents scarcely touched.

The sun was sinking in a blaze of golden glory when she returned to the window, tinting even the bare wood of Ed's barns with a pearly beauty.

"Wonder what Ed would say if we painted them pink, Rusty?" The



twinkle shining through the weariness in Marty's eyes suddenly sparked. She crossed to the bedroom door.

"How're you feeling, Ed?" There was a challenging note but Ed, listless on the pillow, did not notice.

"All right, I guess."

"Ed," she said, "I've decided that since you're so set on dying, I may as well begin managing the farm my way now as later."

"Eh?"

"Yes, Ed, and the first thing I'm going to do is paint those barns bright red. I've stood them for twenty years for your sake, but if I've to carry on alone I'm going to do it my way."

"Over my dead body! Whatever gave you the idea that I'd leave you to run the place to suit yourself? Red paint, on my barns—"

Ed lay back, sunken eyes flashing. Marty retreated. There was a sudden brightness in her eyes. Rusty stopped to lick the pale face of his invalid master before following. Ed's voice rose in angry protest against the added indignity.

"Red paint—drat you dog! Marty, bring me an egg-nog or something. Red paint! Time I got up to see that them barns are painted a respectable color—hurry up, I'm hungry!"

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Kokomo News

Sorry to report Mrs. Joe McNeely very ill in the Ranger Hospital. Her daughter, Mrs. Tom Etheredge and baby of Amarillo are at her bedside. Also a brother Alvin Noel and wife of Oklahoma are visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Joyce shopped in Eastland Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan visited Mr. and Mrs. Ode Jordan of Carbon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pettijohn and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Buford Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson visited Mr. and Mrs. George Mason of Carbon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Hendricks and family of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hendricks and Sylvia and Mrs. J. M. Hendricks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Elver Everton and children visited Mrs. Fronnie Everton of Eastland Saturday.

Capt. Eulice Sessum is visiting his mother Mrs. Carra Sessum. He is enroute to Newfoundland where he will be stationed for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stacy and children of Carbon visited Mr. and Mrs. John Timons Sunday.

Joe Belyeu spent Sunday with Kenneth Rodgers.

Kokomo Singing has been postponed until the first Sunday night in November.

Every one is invited to attend Sunday School next Sunday morning at 10:45.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves, Mrs. Vernon Bennett and Gary of Crane are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Lenz and son have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Eaves.

Cheaney News

The rain which fell Saturday and Sunday has hindered peanut harvesting, but has greatly benefited farmers whose stock tanks had become alarmingly low. There is sufficient moisture for cover crops to be sown and farmers are taking advantage of it. About one half of the peanuts in this vicinity are already harvested.

Announcement of another of a Series of Sermons on Church Worship, titled "The Lord's Supper" will be presented next Sunday by Harry Payne, minister of the Alameda Church of Christ. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Early Monday morning Joe J. Tucker was carried to the Blackwell Sanitarium with what appeared to be a serious heart ailment. He will remain for treatment for an indefinite time.

Claude Tucker visited in the Morris Underwood home, near Ranger, Sunday.

Mrs. M. A. Rose of Eastland who has been visiting her daughter,

Mr. and Mrs. Elver Everton and children and Miss Dixie Shugart shopped in Ranger Monday.

Mr. Bill Eaves is home after being employed in New Mexico for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Parker of Gorman Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treadway were in Fort Worth Monday.

Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Joyce visited Mrs. Joe McNeely in the Ranger Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Booth of Moran visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal Friday. Mrs. Fannie Booth returned after a two weeks visit with the O'Neals.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alton Underwood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Underwood and daughters of Ranger, Mrs. Onie Shook, Milton Underwood and Harry Payne, all enjoyed Sunday dinner in the Will Underwood home.

Mrs. John Love left Tuesday to attend the Texas Home Demonstration Association which convenes at Temple Texas October 14-16. She will take part in the installation services of the newly elected officers of the organization. Mrs. Love is the out-going Vice President of District 7.

The Alameda and Salem Clubs are being represented at the T. H. D. A. annual meeting by Mrs. Curtis Blackwell and Mrs. Bill Tucker respectively.

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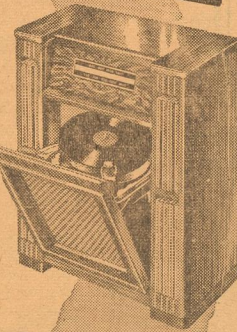
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W. C. Smith, Pastor

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Through the month of October we are having special Sunday evening services on the general theme "We are God's". Each subject is accentuated with appropriate scriptures, hymns, pictures, stories, etc. An invitation is extended all to attend these services which are informative as well as inspiring. It's had a good start, a full staff of workers has been secured, and we feel that their prayerful enthusiasm and the hearty cooperation of all promise us one of our best years.

On Wednesday evening, October 20, at our regular monthly fellowship supper, our new banquet tables are to be appropriately dedicated. Come, bring your entire family and a favorite dish of food.

PIANO INSTRUCTION AVAILABLE FOR PUPILS IN GORMAN

Gorman boys and girls desirous of receiving lessons in piano have ample opportunity. Children with permission of parents and school authorities are dismissed for piano lessons.

Mrs. L. V. Collins retains her office which she established last year in the school. In return she directs two choral classes.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Tommy Gray comes from De Leon for her classes which are held in the Baptist Church.

COMMUNITY CONCERT FIRST PERFORMANCE DECEMBER SIXTH

Talent listed for the coming season of the Community Concerts at Eastland forecast profitable and enjoyable evening for music lovers.

Artists appearing are: December Sixth -- The Bary Ensemble, an all-girl organization.

March 15th -- The Teltschniks, a piano team.

March 28th -- John Sebastian,

MY SUMMER TRAVELS PROGRAM TOPIC FOR W. S. C.

Mrs. Z. O. Mehafey was hostess in her home to the Woman's Study Club Monday evening, October 4th. This meeting was the first scheduled meeting for a study program the first meeting of the year having been an assembly social.

Pleasing comments on "My Summer Travels" which was presented by Mrs. Grace Clark are still being buzzed about. Mrs. Clark, quite skillfully turned a business trip into a pleasure trip.

Mrs. Clark and her son, Jerry, left Gorman early in the summer for New York where Jerry entered Dr. Carlson's School of Therapy. They were booked for Hodges Lodge. Like many trips the coming and going was most eventful. The title of her talk "Jerry and I" was a fitting caption.

High points of their motor-trip included the wonderful scenic and speedy drive on the Pennsylvania Toll Turnpike. This thoroughfare is one of the few in the United States on which a motorist may travel for many miles with no thought of intersections. The super highway with its double and triple lane makes motoring safe and easy. Mrs. Clark said that the Standard Oil Company has the franchise for stations on the pike and that a Mr. Howard has the cafe franchise.

They had an interesting encounter with a fellow lodger who Mrs. Clark said could vie with Texans for hospitality. Arriving at the same time in the lodge, Jerry inquired of a traveling salesman if he thought they might secure a room. The desk clerk had retired. His reserve accommodations the salesman gave to the Clarks and went about the business of finding himself a bed.

Mrs. Clark says a traveler sometimes finds himself inconveniently in an Elite Spot where a bit of formality in dress is needed. In packing luggage for such a trip she would advise men to put in ties and coats.

The speaker climaxed her talk with pictures which included historic spots at the Capitol.

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BIBLE AND HUMAN RIGHTS SUBJECT FOR STUDY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service began their fall study Monday afternoon. The devotional consisted of familiar missionary songs.

The purpose of this society in this study course is to find out what our President's plan for Civil Rights consists of and just where we as Christians fit in to the picture. According to the leader, Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter, the issue of Civil Rights will not be confused with social equality. The latter has to do with the fusion of races which God set apart and the stigmatized children of the second, third and fourth generations.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 John F. Lilly, Minister

We are having fine crowds at morning and evening services each Sunday.

Also we have a fair attendance on the Wednesday Evening services.

We have a very fine group of young people, and we have a very enjoyable young peoples class each Sunday evening which begins at 6:45 P. M.

On Monday night October 18th, we are going to have a young folks get together serving a supper and pop corn and maybe other things. We are expecting to have a fine time, and our young folks are expected to invite their friends.

After the supper there will be some singing, and games. The Preacher will do a few slight of hand performances.

We invite you to any or all of our services at the Church of Christ, we are going to do our best in making this community a better place in which to live.

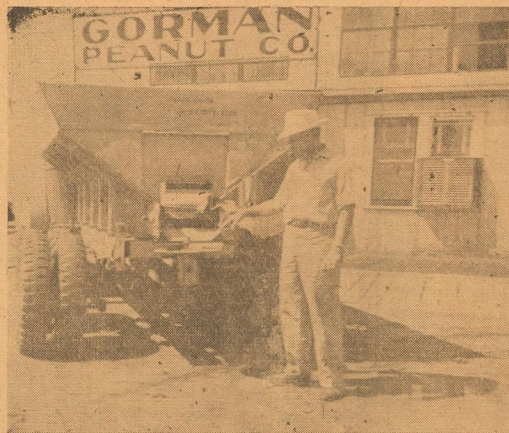
On Sunday, October 3rd, the Church gave the Preacher and his family a very fine Grocery shopping party, one of the best we have ever received at any Congregation where we have served, for which we are very grateful.

RJC INVITES GORMAN SENIORS TO FOOTBALL GAME AT RANGER

Dr. G. C. Boswell, President of Ranger Junior College has extended an invitation to the Senior Class of Gorman High School for a football game Thursday evening, October 14th. The event will be the meeting of Clifton and Ranger.

Other high school seniors in this area have been invited. This is an opportunity for making new acquaintances, especially by students who contemplate entering Ranger Junior College.

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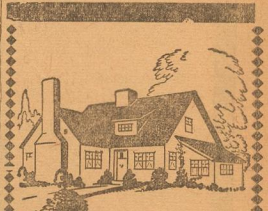
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