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Beginning on Friday morning Frossard's annual clearance sale, which has gained popularity not only in Eastland County but the surrounding counties as well, will bring lots of folks to Gorman. We hope Mr. Sunshine will join the group and also spend the weekend with us.

Mr. Frossard, better known as Gus, has made several trips to Dallas the past three weeks and states that he was fortunate in buying lots of materials and other merchandise which will please the ladies.

I am beginning to feel like "an is was". Ed Harrison presented our library with fluorescent lights, Ernie Todd did the wiring and Glynn Kirk has placed some chairs and tables at our disposal. So, with the exception of putting more pictures on the wall the Library is now open for business. L. F. Kellogg tied in the gas lines, so if its cold, light the fire and enjoy yourself. If all goes well we will have an open house sometime in February.

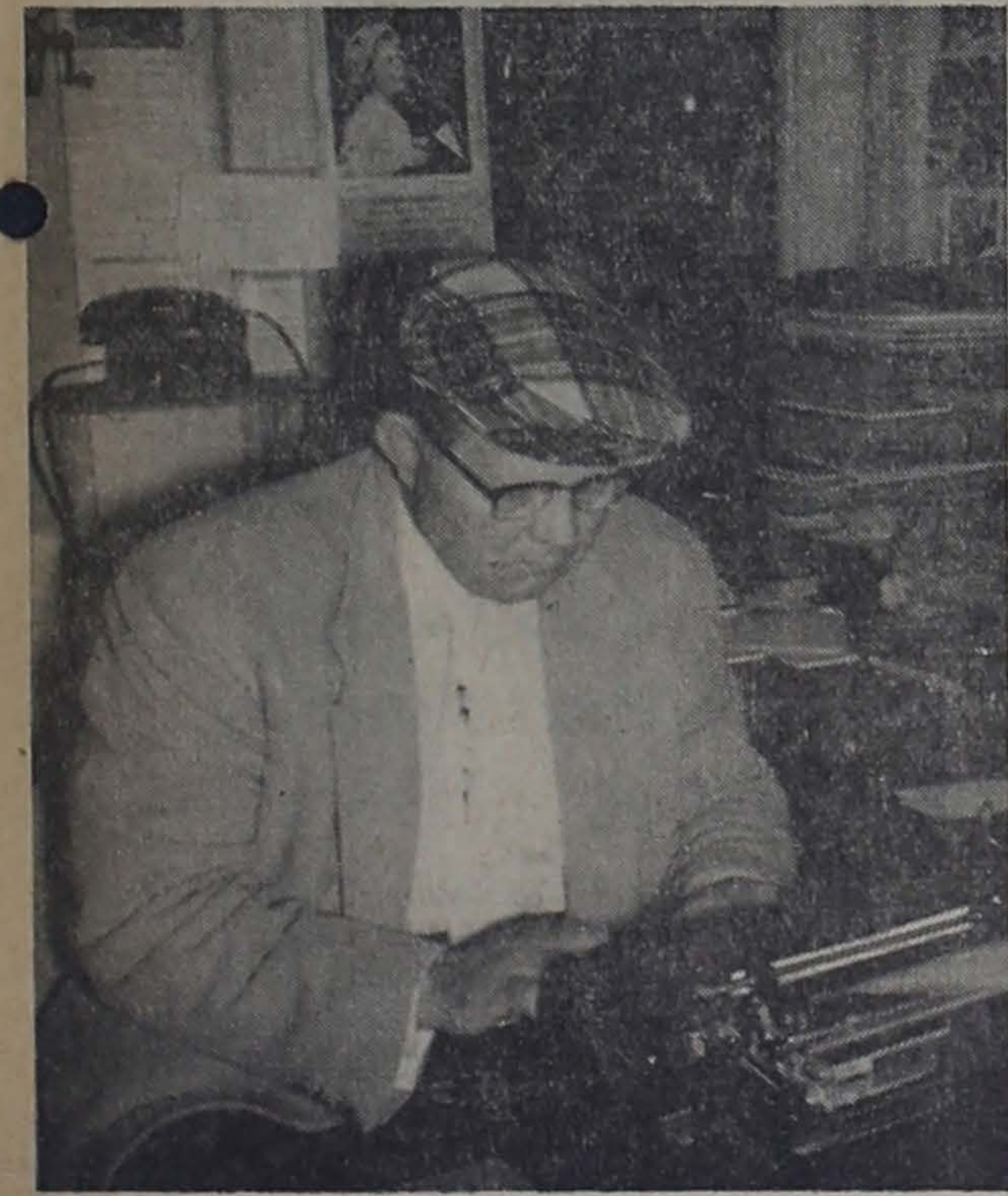
Mrs. Seth Hallmark, whose husband has been killing the golden eagles on his ranch in the School Hill community, showed us some pictures of these birds Monday. I hope to get a picture of the next one for publication.

High School Stage Band Entertains At Lingleville

Monday we a special day for the Gorman High School Stage Band. It meant no classes. They had been invited to Lingleville to play for their assembly program. They were dinner guests of the school.

The High School Band played a similar program last year.

The Stage Band has entered the Stage Band Festival to be held in Brownwood on February 24th.



Wayne D. Scott, an ex-student of Gorman High and well known for his football prowess in the late Twenties, is now Director of Youth Activities at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

On a recent trip to Gorman, Wayne stopped by to let us know that his Pop Warner Football Team won the Alamo Midget Bowl over the Amarillo Mavericks Boys Club. The Amarillo boys have played in, and won, five bowl games. They were unscored on during the regular season but lost to the Pop Warner team in the Bowl. These boys range from 10 to 13 years of age and weigh from 70 to 110 pounds.

Wayne stated that Donald Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey

ITEMS OF INTEREST

The next issue date for USDA Surplus Foods, in Eastland, will be as follows:

Monday, February 13 - Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Tuesday, February 14 - Pioneer, Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman, and Desdemona.

Wednesday, February 15 - Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

Due to the bad weather Tuesday the Excelsior Club postponed the book review, "Below The Sea."

It will be presented Tuesday, January 31 at 7 p. m. in the School Library. Everyone is welcome.

The Mother's March on Crippling Diseases (March of Dimes Drive) has been changed due to conflicting dates from February 2 to February 6 from 5 to 7 p. m. Please be expecting us on Monday, February 6, and have your contribution ready.

Don't forget to buy your ticket for the Panther Football Banquet to be held February 2 at 6:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall. The Jaycees are selling the tickets.

POLL TAX TIME - Remember, there will be an election for a new Senator to replace V. P. Johnson and also a City Election for two commissioners this year.

SCHOOL CENSUS - Supt. Bob Browder of the Gorman Public Schools informed the Progress office that the school census is now being taken. If you have a pre-school youngster that will be six years old by the first day of September, 1961 and have not been contacted please call the school office so they can count him in the census.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our loved one.

Mrs. J. W. Mounce
Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Boykin
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Partney
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collins
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Graham
and Mrs. Zelda Little

Gorman Cagers To Host Rising Star On Friday Night

The Gorman High School basketball teams will host Rising Star Friday night in district basketball games. The girls game will determine an undisputed lead for first place in the district.

Last Friday night at Gorman the Pantherettes defeated Olden 65-44 with the Panthers losing 32-19.

Tuesday night both teams played at Desdemona. The girls game was won by Gorman 35-25 with the Desdemona sextet playing a stalling game throughout the last half. The Panthers rallied the second half but were beaten by a score of 51-28.

Support Urged For Cemetery Project

Members of the Woman's Study Club met in the home of Mrs. G. C. Acrea on Monday night, January 23, to address the cemetery letters requesting donations for the upkeep of the old cemetery. As most of you must know, the old cemetery section is kept up by free work and by paid work made possible by free-will donations. The Woman's Study Club donates time, energy, letter printing and postage to remind everyone to donate to this fund.

The money that comes in is deposited in the First National Bank of Gorman to the Gorman Cemetery Fund. If you do not receive any other notice, it is because we do not have an adequate mailing list, but please know by this article that your support is needed.

Our contribution consists of letting you know this. The Woman's Study Club does not spend this money nor determines how it shall be spent. The City Commission handles the responsibility of over-seeing the cemetery and its work.

Let us all strive to work together to make a beautiful cemetery in memorial to those who have gone before. Anyone wishing to give money can deposit it to the Cemetery Fund at the bank, or if you cannot give money, then perhaps you can help by working there from time to time.

Stock Show Rodeo Set Jan. 27 - Feb. 5

The more than 300 leading cowboys who will compete in Fort Worth's 1961 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show Rodeo will be pitted against the biggest, roughest collection of stock used anywhere, reports rodeo producer Harry Knight.

The Fort Worth rodeo will run for 20 performances, January 27 through February 5.

Knight said the "biggest and roughest" label is not just publicity, but fact. The number of performances and cowboy competitors at the Fort Worth rodeo make it the largest user of rodeo livestock. As for ruggedness, the 170 roping calves to be used average more than 300 pounds. They, like the 100 bulldozing steers, have never been used in a rodeo arena before.

It's the other way around with the 160 bucking horses and 80 Brahma bulls. They're veterans. Jake, saddle bronc horse of the year, will be at Fort Worth to defend his laurels, and runner-up Sage Hen will be along.

In addition to the cowboy competition, the Fort Worth rodeo will spotlight a spectacular recreation of the wild "Ben-Hur" movie chariot race, live in Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum between two four-horse teams which raced in the movie.

There will be a great many other feature "extras" on the menu, including 41 pretty, hard-riding ranch girl barrel racers, an unusual dog act, five colorful trick riders and cutting horse contests.

John Paul Bolt has been accompanying Rev. John Dowd to Graham this week where they have been active in MYF study course.

GRAVESIDE RITES HELD FOR A. V. WRIGHT

Graveside services were held on Tuesday, January 17th at 4 p. m. in Gorman for Archie Vernon Wright, 53, of Fort Worth.

He died in a Fort Worth hospital on Monday after suffering a severe stroke on Sunday.

Wright was a native of Eastland County and an employee of Foremost Dairies. He was a member of the Castleberry Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife, Ozema, and one brother, E. W. Wright of Fort Worth.

Mr. Wright was a nephew of Mrs. Viola Rodgers and E. E. Wright of Gorman. He was also the brother of the late J. E. Wright.

Mrs. J. W. Ramsey Hosts Friendly Ladies' Coffee

On Thursday morning, January 19, members of the Friendly Ladies Sunday School Class gathered in the home of Mrs. J. W. Ramsey for a regular coffee. The day was extremely cold and windy, but the instant one was inside the door, the uncomfortable weather was forgotten, for there in the warmly lighted room was a big fireplace with wood burning brightly, and the aroma of coffee filled the air. Brightening the day, too, was the happy chatter of the Friendly Ladies (dishes left in the sink forgotten).

Following the brief devotional the business session was conducted by President Mrs. Charles Day. One bit of business that was decided was to have a church general house cleaning day. All the women of the church are asked to help, if possible. Then another bit of business was the mention of the plates picturing the old church building that the class has been selling — there are still some available if any one wants one or six or so. Call or see Mrs. W. G. Kirk about them, or any class member. They do make nice gifts.

Then came coffee-drinking time, and welcome it was on this cold day. Co-hostesses Mrs. J. W. Ramsey and Mrs. Wilbur Shell served cake, cookies, and coffee while everyone visited and further discussed our church family news. A little later, tho' not a bit hungry, all rushed off to prepare the family lunch.

MRS. CLARENCE EMERSON INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Clarence (Mary) Emerson received a back injury this week when she slipped on some ice on her back porch sending her to the hospital for three days.

She is home now and feeling better.

ASC Office Gives Allotment Dates

Two announcements of importance to Eastland County farmers who grew peanuts in 1960 and those who didn't grow peanuts in 1960 but want an acreage allotment for 1961 were made this week by Emmett Powell, manager of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office in Eastland.

Powell warned that farmers who want new farm peanut acreage allotments for 1961 must file their applications at the ASC office by February 15. The applicant must have had experience growing peanuts in at least two

To Show Brownwood vs. Port Lavaca Film

Gordon Wood To Address Football Banquet Feb. 2

Coach Gordon Wood, who coached the Brownwood Lions, winners of the 3A State Championship, will be the guest speaker at the annual Jaycee Panther Football Banquet on Thursday night, February 2nd.

Qualifications For Voting In 1961

The following information was given to the Progress by Mr. L. E. Clark, Election Judge, Pct. 8, Deesdemona.

All persons not exempt from payment of a poll tax by reason of being blind, deaf or dumb or those who have lost a hand or foot as the case may be, or those permanently disabled or veterans of foreign wars who are disabled to the extent of forty percent or more, and who are between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, must have a poll tax receipt showing payment before February 1, 1961.

All persons becoming twenty-one years of age since January 1, 1961 must have an exemption certificate issued not later than thirty days before any election in order to be deemed a qualified elector, under the law of the state.

An individual must of necessity reside in the state one year and in the county the last six months next preceding the election in which he expects to vote.

Gorman Herefords Do Well At Shows

Three Senior Bull Calves and one Junior Bull Calf owned by Ross Wilson of Gorman stood well in West Texas Hereford shows during this season. Bulls were shown at Sweetwater, Abilene and San Angelo.

RW Expectation 90th, one of the senior calves, placed 2nd at the Sweetwater Area Hereford Association Show held at Sweetwater on November 26th. The first place senior calf was shown by Heston McBride and was later named Reserve Champion of the 50 bulls exhibited. Another senior calf, RW Gwen 947th, placed 3rd in his class at the West Texas Hereford Show and Sale at Abilene on December 5th. The junior bull calf, RW Silver Gwen, was exhibited at the Concho Hereford Association Show in San Angelo on January 5th. He showed in a strong combined class of junior and senior bulls. He placed 4th in a class of 10 entries.

The Wilson Herefords feature Real Silver Domino and Beau Gwen bloodlines. The herd is sired by "Double Real" out of Real Silver Orbit owned jointly by Heston McBride of Blanket and Charles Mayfield of Mesquite.

Coach Wood is one of Texas most successful High School coaches. He is noted for taking over teams with mediocre ability and developing them into championship material. For several years his teams won the District Championship and the Class 2A Championship for Stamford High School. His team took the championship game from the always tough Breckenridge Buckaroos 13-7. That year he had in the backfield Mike McClellan, the all-state halfback who is now playing for Bud Wilkinson. Many other players he coached has gone on to football fame.

Attend Mid-Winter Institute Held At Glen Lake Camp

On Friday afternoon, January 20, 1961, Carol Hatcher and Janice Day accompanied Rev. John Dowd to Glen Lake Methodist Camp at Glen Rose for a three day Mid-Winter Institute. The meeting was conducted for and by Senior M. Y. F. officers and Adult Workers-with-Youth, and some two hundred and fifty young people and adults from the Central Texas Methodist Conference were in attendance.

The camp began with registration about five p. m. on Friday evening. This was followed by supper and a full evening's activities of drama, recreation, discussion and worship, all ending at eleven p. m.

Saturday was indeed a busy day, beginning at seven-thirty a. m. with morning worship and ending with lights out at eleven p. m. In between were breakfast, discussion groups, lunch, area workshops, supper, M.Y.F. Brainstorming, recreation workshop, talks on Mission Tour, Summer Youth Agencies, MYF Fund and many other pertinent subjects, all ending with the late evening worship service.

Sunday was well planned and equally full, but Carol, Janice and Rev. Dowd left after morning worship and breakfast so that they could arrive back in Gorman for Sunday School and church services. All reported that it was a good camp, both inspiring and exhausting.

Faithful Workers Class, Desdemona First Baptist Meet

Thursday afternoon, January 19, Mrs. Helen Arnold entertained the Faithful Workers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church of Desdemona.

Eleven members and two visitors were present. Several were absent due to sickness.

The President, Arlie Belyeu, presided over the meeting. A song "Love Lifted Me" was led by Leata Powers. Scripture was read by Helen Arnold and prayer by Polly Brown.

Three group captains were selected for the next quarter. They were Leata Powers, Hattie Tate, and Gussie Ragland. The past quarter, Group No. 2 had the most members present each Sunday.

Mrs. Gussie Ragland, Mrs. Johnie Koonce were each presented with a box of cup towels, dish cloths, pot holders and other useful items to be used along with their "new cabinets."

Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Reid served coffee, spiced tea and cake to the following members: Mmes. Tidwell, Fonville, Powers, Tate, Brown, Ragland, Lewis, Reid, Koonce, Buchanan, Belyeu, and visitors, Mrs. Fuqua and Lillie Buchanan.

Our hostess was presented with 25 Dutch Iris bulbs from the class.

Next meeting will be with Arlie

From Stamford Coach Wood moved to Victoria and had a very successful tenure for a few years. However, his most amazing coaching skill was displayed last year while at his first year with Brownwood. Picked for fourth place, the Brownwood boys went on to win the 3A Championship. The Brownwood fans consider the fact that they beat Breckenridge a greater feat than winning the championship because it is a rare occasion when the Lions beat the Buckaroos. In winning the 3A Championship Coach Wood was runner-up for Texas Coach of the Year Award.

Gorman Jaycees are fortunate in being able to get Coach Wood as speaker for this year's banquet. Coach Wood will show a film of the 3A State Championship Game Brownwood vs. Port Lavaca.

Tickets are \$1.25 per plate and the menu will consist of a 12 ounce T-bone steak with all the trimmings. The banquet will be held at the Fire Hall on Thursday, February 2 at 6:30 p. m.

See any of the Jaycees for tickets or call at Higginbotham's, Henderson's Variety or the Progress office.

MYF Sub-District Meeting Held At Rising Star On 23rd

The Thomas-Coke MYF Sub-District met on Monday night, January 23, 1961, in the Methodist Church in Rising Star. The host church led the devotional service with songs, prayer, and scripture reading, followed by a talk by Rev. Harper of Cross Plains.

The business session was conducted by Sub-District President Carol Hatcher. The roll was called, and it was determined that Rising Star won the banner with the most present percentage-wise. Accepting the banner for Rising Star was Linda Koonce, who will be remembered here by many as the accompanist for Edith Bolt.

The program for the evening was a film entitled "It Happens Every Day." The point of the film was the Christian attitude on race relations, and it was followed by group questions and discussion. The questions indicated that the attitude of the group seemed to be one of willingness to do what is right, and their questions further indicated serious thinking in trying to arrive at the conclusion of just exactly what they may be. The session was closed with prayer.

Everyone, approximately seventy-five in all, adjourned to the basement recreation room for refreshments and fun. Both were delightful. The Rising Star refreshment committee had really planned well — gobs of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cookies, candy and cold drinks, and plenty for seconds. And while we munched, we were delightfully entertained by the country yokel. Completely made-up for the part from the old red wig topped by a too little cap right on down past a freckled face to the red socks and clod-hopper shoes, this Rising "Star" played the part of the country lad come to town for the first time as she pantomimed a couple of Andy Griffith rerolds. It was very good and the constant laughter was proof positive. The evening closed with the clasping of hands in a huge friendship circle and repeating together the MYF benediction.

Attending from Gorman were Kay Craddock and Carol Hatcher, accompanied by Mrs. Craddock and Mrs. Hatcher.

The next meeting will be at First Methodist Church in Eastland in February.

Belyeu in February.
Thanks Helen, for a wonderful social.

Mrs. Hattie Tate, Reporter

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- 202 - Mrs. George Warren, G'man
- 203 - Mrs. H. L. Wilson, Comanche
- 204 - W. R. Wyatt, Comanche
- 205 - Mrs. W. V. Clark, Ris. Star
- 206 - George Rollins, De Leon
- 207 Mrs. G. R. Dennington, Cisco
- 208 - Mrs. Loyd Glasson, Desmona
- 210 - Mrs. J. J. Holland, Desmona
- 211 - Mrs. J. L. Oakley, Cisco
- 214b - Mrs. C. J. Brown, Gorman
- 302 - Rhonda Carlton, Eastland
- 303 - Mrs. A. W. Townsend, Brownwood
- 304 - Walter Wyatt, Carbon
- 305 - Leland Warren, Gorman
- 306 - Otis Harris, Comanche
- 307 - H. A. Fields, Dublin
- 308 - Mrs. Maggie Bryant, Lubbock
- 311 - Mrs. L. L. Wachholz, Breckenridge
- 401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon (No Visitors)
- 402 - A. H. Noble, Comanche
- 403 - R. C. Eads, De Leon
- 404 - Wade Clark, Carbon
- 405 - Otto Leatherwood, Ris. Star
- 407 - Mrs. R. D. Hitt, Cross Plains
- 408 - Mrs. Clyde Lightfoot, De Leon
- 409 - Mr. & Mrs. Gus Meyers, Comanche
- 410 - Mrs. Lillie Wallace, Ranger
- 411 - Mrs. Dave Sears, Proctor
- 412 - Mrs. C. A. Smith, San Angelo
- 414 - Mrs. M. J. Dukes, Ris. Star
- 416 - Mrs. D. S. Eoff, Dublin
- 417 - Mrs. H. N. Cupp, Huckaby
- 418 - J. C. Brownlee, Carbon (No Visitors)
- 419 - Mrs. Della Todd, Rising Star

Letter Of Thanks Received By FHA

January 9, 1961

Mrs. Nell Rainey and F.H.A. of Gorman High

Dear Friends:

The joys of a Christmas well kept linger with us here. We deeply appreciate your gift of Christmas cards for our "forever children."

For the flood of good will which flowed into the school during the season, we of the Abilene State School thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Stanley E. Smith,
Coordinator,
Volunteer Services
Charles C. Cleland, Ph. D.
Superintendent

The following girls participated in the above Christmas Card State Project, December, 1960:

- Kay Eison, Lanetta Rodgers,
- Kay Browning, Sara Grice, Judy Burns, Jo Nell Turner, Sarah Miller, Peggy Thompson, Beth Rhymes, Mary Shell, Sylvia Hendricks, Barbara Jobe, Linda Whitlock, Sue Huff, Janice Day, Carol Hatcher, Gretchen Hailey, Pat Harrison, Barbara Overtstreet, and Joyce Warren.

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KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Sure looks as if ole man winter will have us in his grip for awhile now.

Tim Stacy of Carbon and Larry Don Snider were overnight guests of Ronnie, Ricky and Randy Pack recently.

Mrs. R. Q. Graham and Mrs. Delman Eaves and children were dinner guests of Mrs. Graham's sister, Mrs. Emma Lasater, in Gorman on Sunday to help Mrs. Lasater celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Carra Sessum and Mrs. W. N. Stephen visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Sessum at Flatwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griggs and children and Mrs. J. B. Alexander of Stephenville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pack and children.

Rev. and Mrs. Jackie Heath and children were guests of the Glenn Jordans on Sunday.

A large crowd attended the singing at the community building on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford Nelson has been in bed with the flu this week, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Hoyt Bryant and Mrs. W. F. Bryant were in Eastland on Monday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lasater and Sandra. Sandra was dismissed from the hospital on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal were in Breckenridge on Tuesday to be with Mrs. O'Neal's mother, Mrs. Fannie Maud Freeman, who has been seriously ill. They reported that she was better.

We welcome to the community Mr. and Mrs. Benny Frasier who moved to our community over the weekend. They were married last Friday night in Olden. Mrs. Frasier is the former Miss Barbara Cook of Olden. Benny is a local boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cass Frasier.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Larry visited in Dublin on Sunday afternoon with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Logan and Joe Charles.

Johnny Rodgers of Texas Tech and Lt. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and Lisa of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers.

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our thought for the week: "If you can't crown yourself with laurels, you can surely wreath your face in smiles."

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst were in Eastland Thursday visiting the Hardy Parkers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Setzler were in Carbon Wednesday visiting the Frank Park family.

The Jim and Edward Johnson families were visiting in Glen Rose last Sunday afternoon.

Visiting in our home this past week were the Johnnie Burns, Melvin Daniels, S. E. Mears, R. H. Watsons, A. D. Bryans, B. A. Hirsts, L. F. Mears, Jim Johnsons and Rex Kinsers. It is so nice to have friends when you are sick and not able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Atchison were in Goldthwaite Tuesday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Overstreet Mrs. Dan Kinser and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kinser and family of

KERC To Sponsor Talent Show

John Spaulding, manager of the KERC Radio in Eastland announced today that they were sponsoring a talent show. For details tune in KERC, 1590 on your dial. This show will be open to all non-professionals without charge and the winner will be awarded a prize. The contests will be held on the stage of the Majestic Theater.

Nimrod were visiting in the Rex Kinser home Sunday.

The Harvie O'Neals of Abilene were here Tuesday visiting Mrs. Bobbie Glasson who is a patient in the Gorman hospital.

Johnnie Bryan was home from his work in Abilene visiting his father this past week.

Robert Mears of Arlington was visiting the S. E. Mears Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Setzler and Mrs. Cardie Perry were visiting Mrs. Ancil Hill in De Leon Saturday.

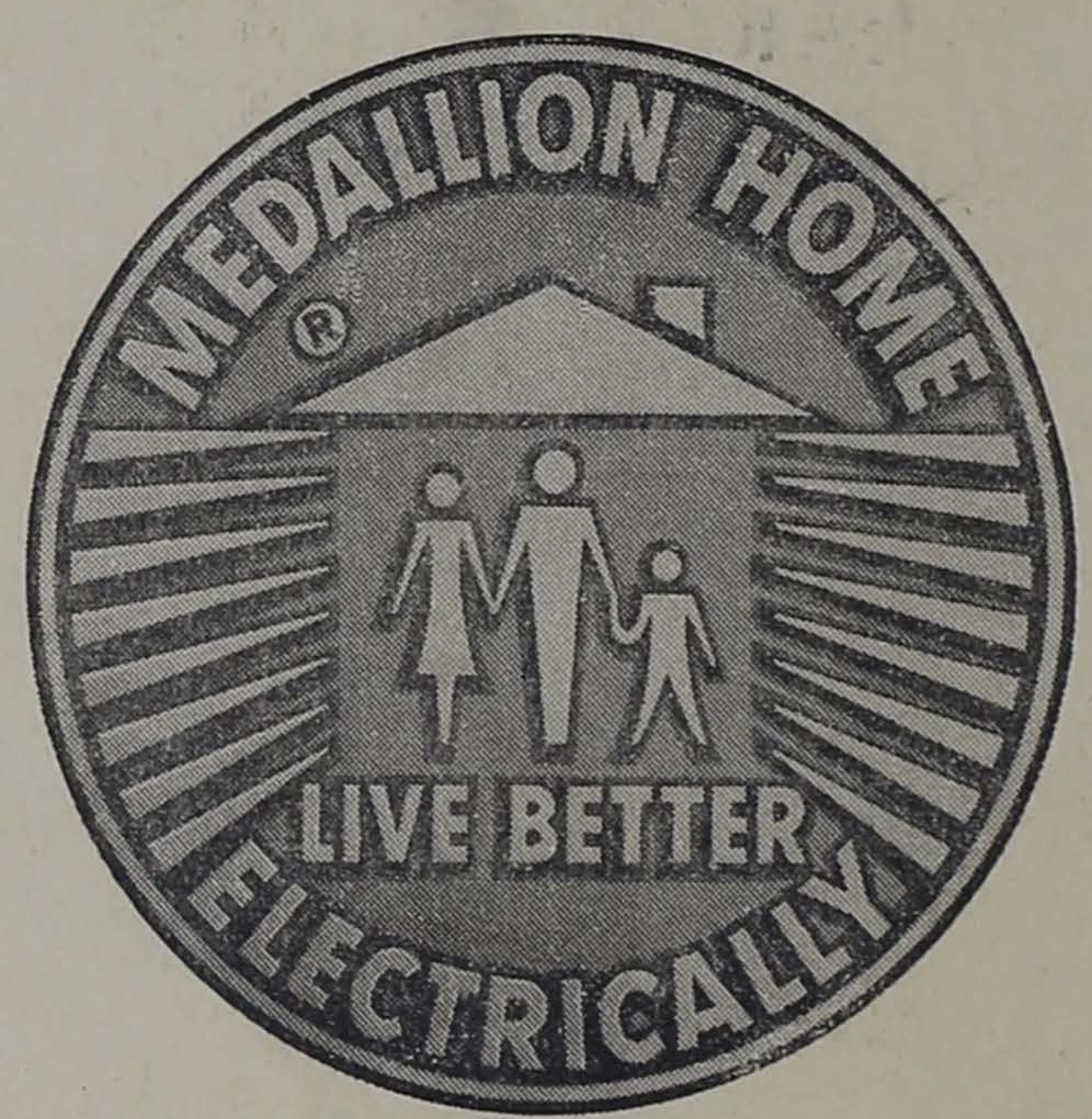
The H. T. Rawls family were visiting the George Bells Sunday afternoon.

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NEWS

Mrs. Ethel Keith

Mrs. Loyd Glasson, who underwent surgery at the Gorman hospital last week, is now reported doing fine.

Mrs. John J. Holland underwent surgery at Gorman hospital last week.

Little Michael Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs. Moody Smith, is a patient in the Gorman hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pierce are spending this week at their home here.

Attending the funeral in Knox City Sunday of Mrs. W. H. Talant, a sister to Mrs. W. Hammond and Mr. Edd Riggs, were Mrs. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Fox and Gaye, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Caughman of Lingleville and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Koonce.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tompkins and family of Irving spent last weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Iva Buchan, and Lillie.

Miss Jeanette Sharp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sharp, spent a few days last week in the Gorman hospital.

The Sam Powers returned recently from a trip that carried them to Texas City where they visited a son, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Powers, to Beaumont to visit a nephew, Jack Powers and family, then to Biloxi, Miss. to visit with Lt. and Mrs. Stanley Powers. They went over into Alabama and then back to Baton Rouge, La. to visit friends, then to New Orleans where they enjoyed a boat ride.

Recent visitors in the R. O. Buckley home were their son, Jerry and family, Mrs. Cardie Deutch and Mrs. Lola Jones of Marshall, sisters of Mrs. Buckley.

Mrs. Geo. Whitlock left Sunday for Odessa to be at the bedside of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wayne Whitlock, who had undergone an appendectomy in Andrews Tuesday.

Mrs. Nora Wall is visiting for an indefinite period in Vernon with a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Huff.

Mrs. Jim Grimshaw has been away to attend the funeral of a brother who was killed in a car wreck in Arizona.

Rev. Bailey has been here visiting his mother, Mrs. Minnie Bailey. Also Mrs. Bailey's brother has been here.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Key of Gainesville spent the past weekend here with his mother, Mrs. C. H. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Daymond Eaton of Ballinger spent Sunday with his mother, "Aunt Sally" Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Harrison of Mexico visited Sunday with Mrs. Marie Duke and the R. W. Duke family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ellison of Deming, N. M. spent Saturday with Mrs. Iva Buchan and Lillie.

Mrs. Docy Williams and Mrs. Lora Abel were in Stephenville Monday.

Mr. Aaron Henslee was out of town attending the funeral of a relative this week.

The young married couples Sunday School class were in Stephenville Saturday night on a skating party.

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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rodgers of Sweeney visited Don Rodgers and Dr. D. V. Rodgers over the week end.

Mrs. Ruth Shupp of Stephenville spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burns.

Dr. and Mrs. Darwin L. Richardson and sons of De Leon visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson over the weekend. Dr. Richardson is a nephew of Mr. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Broom have moved to De Leon, Route 2 after 43 years on the same route of Gorman. He stated he had gotten the Gorman Progress for as many years. Our best wishes for you in your new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett and sons of Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennett of Eastland visited with Mrs. Ruby Bennett during the weekend.

Ronald Jackson of Roswell, N. M. is spending the week with his children and mother, Mrs. J. O. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix were in Dallas Sunday visiting Jerry, Jo Ann and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Stacy, Mike and Dennie of Ft Worth, visited relatives over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter and Milton Jr. visited the W. M. Fairbetter in Hamlin last week.

Rev. John Dowd was in Graham this week teaching a teachers course in the training school held in the First Methodist Church.

Jimmy Ray Rachels has been visiting his parents this week. He recently received his honorable discharge from the service and is returning to his job in South Texas.

Mrs. Ethel Harrell and Mrs. Martha Sutton were in Stephenville Sunday visiting the King family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Olive of Waco were recent visitors of Mrs. Olive's mother, Mrs. Ethel Harrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Phillips visited Mrs. Ethel Harrell this week. Alex was here to attend

the funeral of his uncle in Bangs.

Mrs. Nell Dolberry has had an extended visit in West Texas with her sisters. She first visited Mrs. Myrtle Norris in Ralls, and a sister, Mrs. Eleanor Clements, in Dalhart. Another sister, Mrs. Bertie Chesshire of Andrews, met them at Ralls for a reunion. This was the first time the sisters had all been together in years.

Mrs. Joe Barnes and Roy of Rising Star visited Mrs. Hollifield and Mrs. Henry Capers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Speck Clark and boys were in Colorado City Sunday to visit their son, Doyle Lynn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Baggett and children, Randy and Sandy of Breckenridge, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fonville, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Redwine and girls, Sherry and Fanny of Fort Worth, visited their parents, the Earl Redwines and Willie Jacobs, from Friday until Sunday evening.

Other visitors in the Redwine home were a son, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Redwine, Barbara, Charles and Phillip of Grand Prairie, a brother, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Redwine and Junior of Ft Worth, and also a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Redwine and daughter, Cindy Justine. Vernon has been stationed with the Air Force in Kansas but is on 30 day leave prior to going overseas.

Mrs. Z. O. Mehaffey visited in Putnam from Sunday to Tuesday with her sister and brothers.

Mrs. Bertha Mehaffey was home over the weekend from Cisco where she teaches school.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Dixon were Gorman visitors Tuesday, and stopped by the Progress. Walt is a former rural carrier, retired, and Mrs. Dixon was formerly editor of the Progress. The couple have moved to Comanche from Winters where Mrs. Dixon is assisting in the care of her mother.

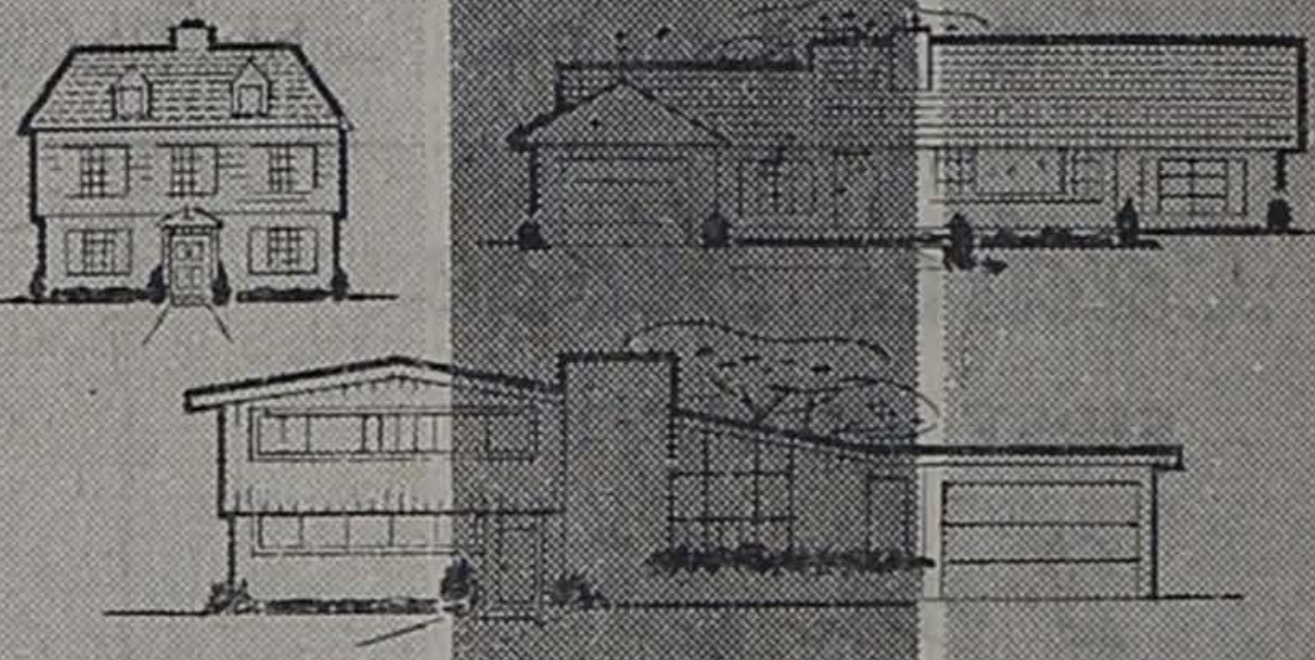
Mrs. Leal of Laredo and Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Stephens of Brownwood were Gorman visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Holliday and Debbie visited in Woodson over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holliday.

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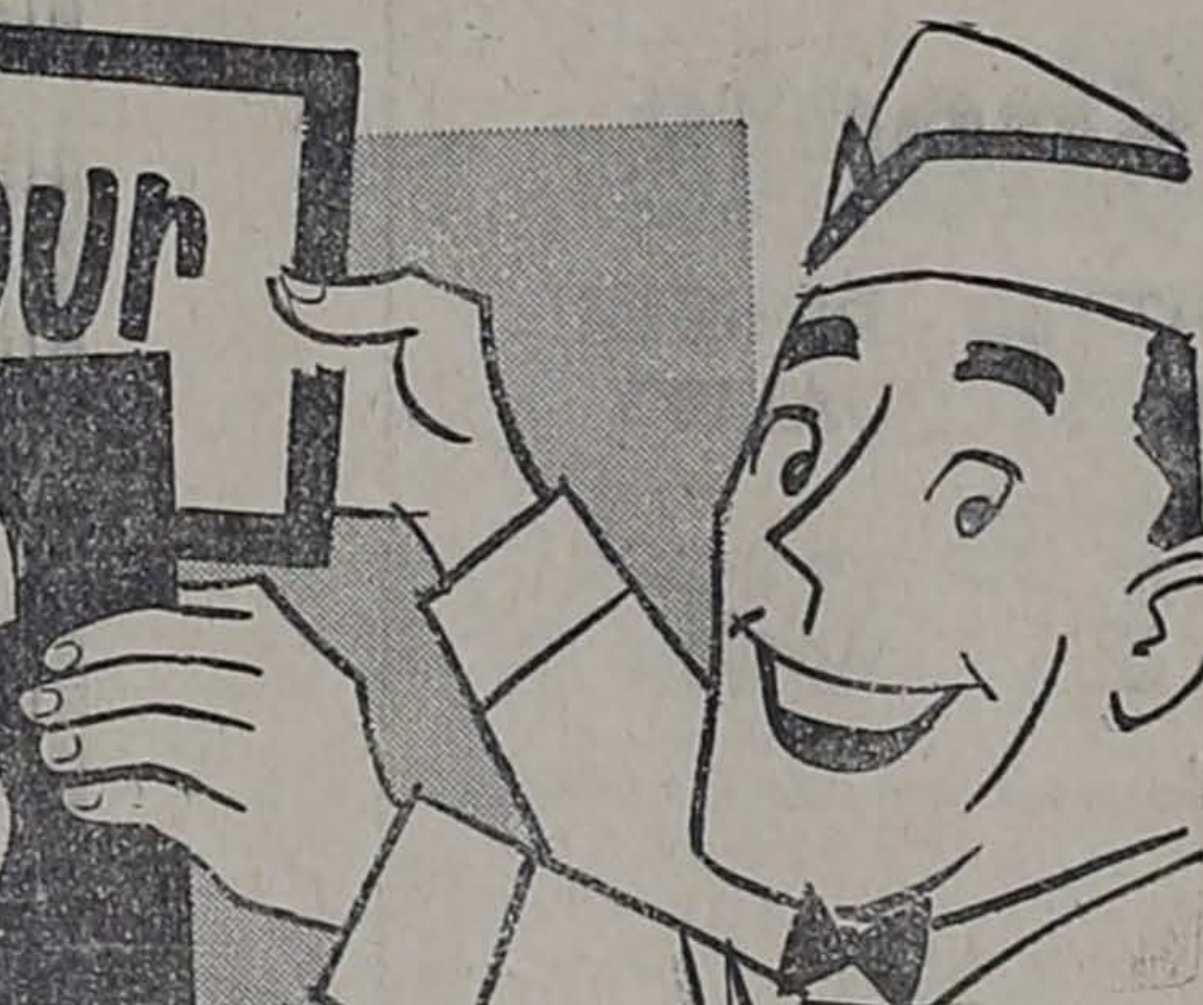
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