



GORMAN WET VOTE IS SLATED ON OCTOBER 10

The Eastland County Commissioners Court completed certification Monday of a petition for a "wet" election for the City of Gorman and set the vote for Saturday, October 10th.

Certification was made by the County Clerk Johnson Smith with a written legal opinion by District Attorney Earl Conner that the 138 signatures on the petition are qualified voters.

The election will be for the legalized sale of all alcoholic beverages for off-premises consumption only in the City of Gorman.

The petitions were returned to the County Clerk's Office Thursday bearing 138 names. This number had been considered adequate for the calling of the election based on laws pertaining to such election. (In 1960, year used as a test in this case, 522 Gorman residents voted, and a fourth of this number is 138).

Eastland County Pecan Tour Slated For Friday, 25th.

The Annual Eastland County Pecan Field Day Tour will be held on Friday, September 25.

The group will visit Gorman orchards of W. L. Wallace, Charlie Underwood, Charlie Simmons, and the B. B. Freeman orchard at Cheaney.

The group will have lunch at the Brown Jug Cafe in Gorman.

Gorman Receives One Inch Of Rain

The first norther of the season arrived here Friday night lowering temperatures to 54 degrees by Sunday morning. Three-tenths of an inch of rain was measured by Monday.

Temperatures were back to 103 degrees on Tuesday and showers on Wednesday brought the total rainfall to one inch as of noon.

Peanut farmers are still optimistic about the peanuts maturing if they can continue to receive moisture.

The late grain and feed crops will be greatly benefited by this weeks showers.

Paving Project On Three Local Steets Is Now Underway

Paving of portions of Crescent, Lexington and Winkler Streets in Gorman was begun this week with the grading and packing of Lexington Street. Construction projects on the three streets are to be finished in the near future.

At a recent meeting of the Eastland County Commissioners Court, with all members present voting unanimously, to assist the City of Gorman in paving the following streets which are connecting links between the Farm-to-Market Roads and Highway 6:

No. 1. A portion of Crescent Street from intersection of FM 679 and the Old Carbon Highway to State Highway No. 6 (approximately 7 blocks).

No. 2. Lexington Street to the Northeast corner of the Gorman School ground, thence to State Highway No. 6 (approximately 6 blocks).

No. 3. State Highway No. 6 and Winkler Street to intersection of FM No. 2689.

Provided that Eastland County Precinct 2 is hereby authorized to assist in the repair, maintenance and upkeep of these above mentioned designated links in the Eastland County Road System as provided by Texas Civil Statutes.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Friday night, September 18 is regular singing night at Sand Hill. Everyone is invited to attend.

Regular third Sunday Singing will be held in the Congregational Methodist Church Sunday, September 20, beginning at 1:30 p. m. Everyone is invited.

The Woman's Study Club will meet Monday, September 21 in the home of Mrs. Ray Rankin for the first meeting of the club year.

The Gorman Volunteer Fire Department will meet on Monday, September 21 at 6:30 p. m.

The Friday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. MURDOCH ON THURSDAY

Mrs. Sarah Annie Murdoch was born on January 22, 1881 in Austin, Texas, and passed away on September 9, 1964 in the Lawndale Home For Senior Citizens in Gorman, at the age of 83. She lived in and around De Leon and Gorman for 35 years and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Mrs. Murdoch was preceded in death by her husband, John Murdoch, on July 18, 1938; one son, Willie, on May 6, 1952; and one daughter, Pallie Stanley, on May 2, 1945.

Surviving her are five sons: H. E. of Rising Star, J. L. of Kermit, N. T. of De Leon, Clyde of Rising Star, and R. G. of Clyde; four daughters: Mrs. Mamie Hart of Aspermont, Mrs. Opal Green of Snyder, Mrs. Anna Faye Foster of Gorman, and Mrs. Jewel Morris of De Leon; one granddaughter, Jo Ann Murdoch, whom she reared from childhood, also 34 other grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Services were held Thursday, September 10, in the First Baptist Church in De Leon, at 4:00 p. m. with Rev. Vernon Roberson officiating, assisted by Rev. Don Turner. Music was rendered by Rev. Don Turner, accompanied by Mrs. Lois Buchanan.

Palbearers were C. L. Green, Benny Morris, R. J. Stanley, Kenneth Murdoch, Wesley Roberts, Delbert Robens, Melvin Stanley, and J. D. Stanley, all grandsons of Mrs. Murdoch.

Interment was in the De Leon Cemetery with Nabors Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

An Open Letter

YES, I SAY LET'S KEEP LIQUOR OUT OF GORMAN

I heartily endorse the good letters by Rev. Marion Dennis and Rev. B. C. Huddleston.

Thank God for men that will come out boldly and take a stand for our safety in this matter.

God's word says, "Put on the whole armour of God and fight a good fight" - and the time is here that we must fight a good fight and hold up the Banner of Righteousness. Sin is broad in our land, the devil is on the job day and night to draw all he can to devil's hell. He knows his time is short and he is using every device to catch everyone he can and drag them down. Whiskey, beer, wine, all kinds of pills, cigarets, gambling.

God's people must stand up and be counted for God is coming and it may be sooner than we think. Read God's word and pray daily for God to have his way with us, that we may lead those in darkness into light. Let us pray that God will give us a God-filled man to be our president in this coming election.

We read in every paper we pick up of the awful crimes being committed. May God help us to train our children in the right way.

Whiskey not only hurts the one that drinks but hurts the innocent ones, too. God says, "Woe be unto the man that puts strong drink to his neighbors lips."

Mrs. C. O. Huff

The J. R. Todds To Observe 66th. Wed Anniversary

Tuesday, September 22nd. will mark the 66th. wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Todd. The years have not seemed long to the couple for they have been happy years.

A formal celebration will not be held this year as failing health will not permit Mr. Todd to be up and about very long at a time. However, all of their children will be home on Sunday, September 20 for a family get-together, and they are Mr. and Mrs. Ben De La Fosse of Groveton, Mr. and Mrs. Eimer Todd of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Munn, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Todd, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Caldwell, all of Gorman.

Gorman Schedules Homecoming For Saturday, Oct. 10th

A reminder to all Ex-Students and teachers, Gorman Homecoming is only 23 days away. Saturday, October 10 is the day everyone here is looking forward to seeing all of you.

All homecoming committees are making plans to make this the best homecoming ever, and to make it complete is your presence. We would like to publish names in hope it would encourage your classmates to attend.

So far Mr. Earnest Wood of Kansas City, Missouri, class of '24 is the only one that has notified us that he will attend.

Dr. William Brogdon, Ex-Students Association President, has a very good program outlined and the various committees are making plans for a full day of entertainment.

Mrs. Berenice Jeffs, Invitation Chairman, mailed invitations and programs this week to more than nine hundred exes and teachers. Members of committees working and making plans for the homecoming are as follows:

Registration Chairman, Mrs. Lavoyle Hirst, assisted by Mrs. Eula Lee Mears and the high school typing students.

Registration Refreshment Committee is headed by Mrs. Clara Mae Frossard. Others are Berenice Rodgers, Gene Pittman, Joe Bob Browning and Patsy Clark.

Welcoming Committee are Bill Parr, chairman, Ozella Pulley, Velma Grady, M. F. Allen, Gail Bennett, Florence Underwood, Sue Spivey, and Joyce Eaves. Also Barbara Overstreet, James Brown, Luke Palmer, Tom Bennett, Lonnie Capers, E. L. Dennis and Fred Eaves.

Decoration Committee (School) Louise Rankin, chairman, assisted by the Pep Squad. Decoration Committee for downtown is Graydon Baze, chairman, John Sutton, A. E. Smith, Thurman Jay, Gene Baker, Arnold Butler, and Willie Burl Moore.

Dinner Reservation Committee: W. C. Browning, chairman, Durwood Burgess, D. R. Clark, James Thompson, Joe Ormsby, Jerry McHaffey, John Kimble, Peggy Singleton, Dorothy Jobe, Flossie Underwood, and Joe Bennett.

Memorial Committee: Bill Parr, chairman.

Evening Reception Committee (Baptist Church): Frankie Jo Harper, chairman, Velda Foster, Frances Warren, Bruce Hirst, James Mears, Betty Henderson, Edgar Higginbottom, Ruth Higginbottom and Pauline Eppler.

Reception Committee (Fire Hall): Ethel Sutton, Mary Kirk and the Junior and Senior Classes. Pep Rally Committee: E. G. Henderson, chairman, Claude Fuller, Theda Beth Smith, Mary Jo Eaves, E. E. Todd, Frances Simpson, Billy Earl Simpson, Gertrude Wallace and the High School Cheer Leaders.

Half-Time Activities Committee: Jack Harrison and Kay Snider, co-chairmen, George L. Smith Jr., Othell Clark, Herman Alsop, Band Director, Betty Overstreet and Sue Huff Pierce.

Nominating Committee: Othell Clark, chairman, Dr. Bill Brogdon, Ruby Lee Kinser, Berenice Jeffs, Joy Rodgers and Estelle Craddock.

All are enthusiastic and anticipate one of the largest and best homecomings we have ever had.

CARD OF THANKS

We are truly grateful and wish to express our heartfelt thanks to each of our friends who helped to lighten the loss of our mother. Especially to the staff at the Lawndale Nursing Home, to the ones who sent flowers, food, cards and those sat at the funeral home.

The kindness and sympathy of Dr. Bill Brogdon, Rev. Vernon Roberson, Bro. Don Turner and the Nabors Funeral Home will always be appreciated and treasured.

We pray that our God who sees knows and rewards may bless and keep you in his peace.

The Annie Murdoch Family
Anna Faye Foster
Jewell Morris

The Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

Panthers Win Opener 7-0; Host Bulldogs Friday Night

The Gorman Panthers won their opening game of the 1964 season by defeating the Graham B Steers 7 to 0 on Friday night.

The Panthers scored early in the game with only two minutes gone in the first quarter after they had kicked off to the Steers and had held and forced them to punt. The Panthers took the ball inside the Graham fifty yard line and after running three plays, with Wallace making 14 yards; held for no gain once; and Welch making three more yards, with the ball on the Graham 29 yard

line, fullback Gary Overstreet, who was "A Tiger in the Tank" for the Red and Blue all evening entered the game and the first time he carried the ball, went 29 yards to pay dirt. Gary also kicked the extra point and the score was 7 to 0.

Playing conservative football the rest of the night the Panther's tough defense held the Steers and neither team threatened to score the rest of the game.

The Steers relied on their passing game by throwing 20 passes, but the hard rushing Panther line led by outstanding play by Tony Kirk and David Hunt at ends, Deryck Poccock and Ronnie Smith at tackles, and David Kirk and Mack Sutton at Guards, and Robert Whitt at center, stopped their passing attack in its tracks. Doing a fine job in the secondary were Richard Pittman, William Jay, and Don Wallace, and of course, Gary Overstreet did his usual outstanding job of backing up the line.

Others doing yeoman service for the Red and Blue were Robert Reeves, George Bolt, Doyle Welch, Ed Sutton, Benny Matthews.

School Board Okay Budget; Approve Halloween Carnie

After discussing and officially adopting the Budget of School Funds for the 1964-65 school year, the Board of Trustees of the Gorman Independent School District, in regular session Monday night of this week, recommended and approved the proposal that a Halloween Carnival be held this year.

Chief among the factors that prompted the favorable reaction to the renewing of this traditional activity was the recognized need for additional funds to support the school athletic program.

For several years it has been impossible to meet all of the increased expenses of the school athletic program from gate and concession receipts alone. School officials are committed to cutting expenses where possible without doing damage to the safety or efficiency of the program and to promote and co-operate with as many fund-raising projects as is deemed appropriate.

Participating groups in the proposed Halloween Carnival would be allowed to retain a percentage of the proceeds of their booth, project or activity and the balance would go to the School Activity Account to benefit the school athletic program.

Detailed plans for the carnival are to be worked out beginning immediately. School-wide and Community-wide cooperation and support will be solicited and it is hoped that the Halloween Carnival this year will be successful from every standpoint.

Responsibility for initiating and developing preliminary plans and organization procedure has been delegated to and accepted by Supt. W. R. Taylor.

Excelsior Club To Explore Avenues To Peace This Year

During the incoming club year the Excelsior Club will explore Avenues of Peace. Theme of the President, Mrs. Dona Moorman, is "Peace Through Understanding." Portraits of Women in the Peace Corps, in the Progress of Alliance, in the U. N. and in Education are among the various topics to be discussed.

Mrs. Ed Wyatt will host the opening meeting September 19 at her cabin on Lake Leon. At an early meeting Mrs. W. Check Smith will show movies and slides made at the World's Fair when she is host at the Lone Cedar Country Club.

Through the courtesy of Senator John Tower and Senator Ralph Yarborough the club has been presented copies of the Republican and the Democratic Platform, both of which will be discussed in a pre-election meeting.

The one meeting open to husbands of members is a Thanksgiving Dinner at the home of Mrs. George Blackwell. Following a custom, almost traditional, the Christmas Party will be in the home of Mrs. Gene Baker.

The big event, the Club's 50th Anniversary Celebration, is scheduled for April 20, 1965.

Daryl Hirst did a fine job of directing the offense for the Panthers. Daryl's longest run was for 25 yards on a roll out, in which he almost went all the way. He carried the ball four times and had a respectful 5.6 yard average despite the fact that he was thrown for a loss of 9 yards on an attempted pass.

Overstreet was the leading ball carrier with 80 yards on 15 carries with a 5.3 yard average. Doyle Welch carried the ball four times for 23 yards for a 3.5 yard average. Don Wallace, who was running hard, carried the ball 7 times for a 3.7 average. William Jay carried the ball four times for 13 yards and a 3.3 average.

Overstreet did a fine job of punting despite having one kick blocked, two 45 yarders called back due to penalties, and also the strong wind.

The outstanding linemen were David Kirk and Bobo Hunt with the rest of the line playing much improved ball. In fact, the Steers were held to only ten yards on the ground in the entire last half and were held to only ten yards on passing. Only 20 yards did the Panther defense allow during the entire last half.

Cubs Lose To De Leon; To Play May There On Tuesday

The Gorman Cubs were defeated by the De Leon Kittens 14 to 0 in their first game of the season on Tuesday night at De Leon.

Coach Felts thought the boys turned in a fair performance, even though they have had very little practice, and were playing a very strong team. The boys made a good showing in the first half of the game.

Doyle Shipman, John Gilbert and Louis Torrez showed up good in both defensive and offensive play.

Coach Felts says they have a long way to go, but with a little more practice he thinks the team will be rated with the best in the district.

Other members on the team are Barry Redman, Gary Burgess, Johnny Eaves, Donald Sanders, Jerry Mathews, David Armstrong, Mike Young, Don Curb, Randy Storey, Mike Duran, Eugene Battenfield, Jackie Grice, Teddy Jordan, Bill Kirk, Wayne Huff and Randy Ormsby.

The next game will be played at May on Tuesday, September 22nd.

Mary Jay Named Head Cheerleader For Junior High

Junior High Cheer Leaders for the 1964-65 season is headed by Mary Jay. Others are Debora Pittman, Cecilia Reeves and Sherry Jobe.

The girls have been working real hard and have a good pep squad organized and will be helping lead the Cubs to victory this season.

MERCHANTS ARE BEST BOOSTERS FOR PANTHERS

The local merchants have shown their enthusiasm for football and the school system by sponsoring a full Booster page in the Progress for the Fighting Panthers of Gorman High School.

JUNIOR CLASS TO HOLD CAR WASH ON SATURDAY

The Junior Class of Gorman High will wash your car or pickup Saturday and it will only cost you a dollar and twenty-five cents. They will begin at 7:30 a. m. Saturday morning at the Texaco Service Station.

If you can't bring your car, they will pick it up and deliver it when finished.

The Panthers will host the Ranger Bulldogs on Brogdon Field this Friday night. So far this season Ranger has dropped two games but those two games were with Cisco and Dublin, two tough AA teams, and the Panthers will need to play their best to upset the favored team this Friday. It should be a real good ball game and a capacity crowd is expected to be on hand when these two tough teams tangle.

GAME AT A GLANCE	
Gorman	Graham B
6	First Downs 8
156	Yards Rushing 59
2 of 3	Passes Comp. 6 of 20
1	Yds. Passing 47
5 for 45	Penalties 4 for 30
6 for 15	Punts, Avg. 3 for 24
0	Fumbles Lost 1
0	Passes Intercep. by 1

An Open Letter

This is to let the people of Gorman know how I stand on voting any kind of beer or whiskey into our town. I've lived here 81 years since May 18th. I'm proud to call Gorman my home town as I'm 5 years older than Gorman. I saw it built from a chinnery patch. I like our people; always have spent my money here. No one can say I don't pay all taxes, all utility bills and believe in good schools and churches. I've done all I could to try and make this a decent place to live and I try to keep my home a place where people love to come.

As to what may be voted on our town I'm against it. If they give beer and whiskey and cause some little child to be led astray or see them crushed by a drunk driver, what will it profit them; or it could be some old person or one of my great grandsons. It just might be your mother or father. If this town goes wet I don't think I can ever be proud to say this is my home town. I don't like junk yards in town. Trash should be cleaned up.

I have been a widow fifty-five years and know what it means to raise eight children without a father. I taught them to respect and keep the law of our land and to honor, love and obey God's laws. I have no right to say how any one votes but do have a right as a child of God to take my stand on this. I have no ill feelings for anyone who differs with me. Guess I'm just an old-timer but hope to be around for awhile and not live to see beer and whiskey signs on buildings in our town.

This is the way I am spending my Sunday afternoon. May God bless each one who lives in our town.

May Dunn
Rt. 1, Gorman



50TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Elzo Been of Carbon will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, September 27. Their children, Mr. and Mrs. Syd Davis of Elgin and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Been of Grand Prairie, will honor the couple with open house at the Been home near Carbon from 2 to 5 p. m. All friends and relatives are invited. No formal invitations will be mailed in Eastland County.

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NEED — An Extra Key - Made While You Wait! Rankin Army-Navy Surplus. 11-29fnc

REAL ESTATE — Farms, ranches, city property. We strive to please. Listings appreciated. Delton Coggburn, Ph. 7842, De Leon. 2-6fnc

HOME For Sale — Six rooms, wall to wall carpeting, 2 baths, all modern conveniences, 3 blocks of school on paved street. Gene Redgers, Ph. RE 4-5370.

FOR SALE — Our home - three bedrooms, two baths, living room, den, kitchen, utility room, central heat, double carport, patio. \$7,000 bottom price. Only interested parties call. Gabe Wright, Phone RE 4-5562. 6-18fnc

FOR RENT — Five room unfurnished apartment and a furnished apartment at 103 Crescent St. in Gorman. Call Mrs. Ina Hanson, Phone 2085, De Leon, or write 907 Texas St., De Leon. 8-6-fnc

FOR SALE or TRADE — Good Detroit Jewel gas cook stove. M. F. Dennis, Phone 2271 2-9-10p

FOR RENT — Newly decorated furnished apartment. Has three rooms and large dressing room. Gorman Hotel, RE 4-5610. 9-3fnc

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FOR SALE — One Clarinet, excellent condition. Can be seen at City Office or at my home after 5 p. m. Mrs. Frank Rhymes, Gorman. 8-20fnc

FOR RENT — In Gorman, one furnished and one unfurnished apartment. Mrs. Nannie Martin, 109 W. Commerce, MA 9-1170, Eastland, Texas. 4 9-17p



BUDDY'S APPLIANCE — See Our New & Used Appliances Gorman - RE 4-5610 9-17-fnc

FOR SALE — New Century Dictionary in two volumes. A. B. Hunt, Gorman. 1-9-17p

WANTED — All Types of Plumbing Work. Large or small jobs. Garvice Hattox, located at Higginbothams - RE 4-5319 2-9-24p

FOR SALE — Three Registered Black Angus yearling Bulls. Popular blood lines and good individuals. Priced reasonable. Homer Stephens, Rt. 1, Gorman, Phone De Leon 7259. 2-9-24p

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INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Housing Authority of the City of Gorman, Texas will receive bids for construction of Low Rent Housing Project No. Tex 192-2 until 5:00 o'clock, C.S.T., on the 7th day of October, 1964, at the Fire Hall in the City of Gorman, Texas, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposed forms of contract documents including plans and specifications are on file at the office of the Housing Authority of the City of Gorman, Texas and the office of the Architects and Engineers, Fitch & Holcomb, 5731 Gulf Freeway, Houston, Texas.

Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing \$50.00 with the Architects and Engineers, 5731 Gulf Freeway, Houston, Texas for each set of documents so obtained. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns plans, specifications and other documents in good condition, within 10 days after bid opening.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the Housing Authority of the City of Gorman, Texas, U. S. Government Bonds or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent of the bid shall be submitted with each bid.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bond, or bonds.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications must be paid on this project, and that the contractor will be required to perform with his own forces the construction branches of structural concrete and carpentry.

The Housing Authority of the City of Gorman, Texas reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Housing Authority of the City of Gorman, Texas.

Housing Authority of the City of Gorman, Texas
By: W. C. Smith, Chairman
3-9-17c

Ben B. McCollum Jr., DVM

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SEALED BIDS

Sealed bids on Lingleville old cafeteria and home economics building to be moved. Building must be moved by November 1st. Mail bids to Garner Rice, Superintendent of Lingleville Schools, Lingleville, Texas. Bids must be in by October 3, 1964. 2-9-24c

BUDGET OF SCHOOL FUNDS — 1964-65 GORMAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (Adopted September 14, 1964)

EXPENDITURES	
ADMINISTRATION (Includes salaries of the supt., tax-assessor, administrative secretary; contracted services comprised of audit expense, attorney fees, election expense, etc.; office expense of administrative and tax offices, travel expense of administrative and tax officials, etc.)	\$ 17,380.00
INSTRUCTION (Includes teachers salaries, textbooks, library and visual aids, teaching supplies, vocational and other teacher travel and expense, etc.)	90,925.00
HEALTH SERVICE (Consists chiefly of first aid supplies)	100.00
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION (Includes salaries of bus foreman and drivers, replacement of vehicles, maintenance and operation of buses and shop, insurance, etc.)	11,000.00
OPERATION OF PLANT (Includes salary of custodian, gas, electricity, water, telephone, operating supplies, etc.)	7,500.00
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT (Includes contracted services, hired labor, replacement of equipment, repairs, supplies and materials, etc.)	3,600.00
FIXED CHARGES (Includes building insurance and employee insurance)	1,900.00
STUDENT ACTIVITIES (Consists of expenses of extra-curricular travel, and football player insurance)	600.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY (Includes cost of new facilities and equipment)	2,700.00
CONTINGENCY FUND RESERVE (To balance budget. Available for expenses to be designated later)	363.00
DEBT SERVICE (Includes retirement of serial bonds, interest on serial bonds, retirement of bank loans, interest on bank loans, and bank charges)	15,840.00
DEBT SERVICE RESERVE (To Interest and Sinking Fund for debt service reserve)	2,310.00
TOTAL BUDGET EXPENDITURES	\$154,110.00

REVENUE	
REVENUE FROM LOCAL SOURCES (Includes revenue derived from local maintenance tax (\$1.50 rate) and Debt Service Tax (\$0.45 rate), and from collection of delinquent taxes.)	\$ 55,053.00
REVENUE FROM COUNTY SOURCES (From County Available Fund)	160.00
REVENUE FROM STATE SOURCES (Includes Per Capita Apportionment, Foundation Program Aid, Transportation Air, and Vocational Travel Aid)	95,300.00
FUNDS FROM SALE OF USED EQUIPMENT	100.00
BUDGETED FROM BLDG. FUND (Bond Proceeds)	3,500.00
TOTAL BUDGETED REVENUE & FUNDS	\$154,113.00

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TON ANDERSON TO SPEAK IN HAMILTON ON SEPT. 30

Ton Anderson, editor of Farm and Ranch magazine, will speak in Hamilton on Wednesday, September 30, 1964 at the High School Auditorium at 8:30 p. m.

Anderson is a widely known lecturer and author on anti-communism and conservative ideas and is well known among rural communities where Farm and Ranch is circulated.

Tickets will be \$1.00 for adults and 50c for students over 12. His appearance is sponsored by the Hamilton County Conservative Club.

HIGGINBOTHAM'S AMBULANCE SERVICE Dial RE 4-2272 - Day or Night

Teenage Party Is Enjoyed By High School Pupils Sat.

A Teenage Party held Saturday night in the Fire Hall was hosted by Mmes. M. E. Shell, G. C. Acree, Ray Rankin, John Sutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Collins. All members of the four high school classes received invitations.

Japanese lanterns decorated the hall and the Penetrators entertained with musical numbers during the evening. Members of the local combo are Doyle Wells, Jerry Ormsby, Kenneth Pittman and Tommy Clark.

Does History Repeat Itself?

This very interesting article was brought to the Progress office by C. S. Eldridge of Desdemona:

1. Lincoln was elected in 1860; Kennedy was elected in 1960.
2. Both of these Presidents were concerned with civil rights.
3. Both were slain on a Friday and in the presence of their wives.
4. Their successors, both named Johnson, were southerners and Democrats, and had previously served in the U. S. Senate.
5. Andrews Johnson was born in 1808; Lyndon B. Johnson was born in 1908.
6. John Wilkes Booth was born in 1839; Lee Harvey Oswald was born in 1939.
7. Both Booth and Oswald were slain before their trial was held. Both Booth and Oswald were Southerners favoring unpopular ideas.
8. Both President's wives lost children through death while residing in the White House.
9. Lincoln's secretary, whose name was Kennedy, advised him not to go to the theatre the night he was killed. Kennedy's secretary, whose name was Lincoln, advised him not to go to Dallas. Did someone say history does not repeat itself?

WEAVER CEMETERY WORK DAY SET FOR OCTOBER 3RD.

A work day at Weaver Cemetery has been set for Saturday, October 3rd, by the Cemetery Association Officers. The tabernacle needs repairing. All that is needed is tools and someone to help with the labor.

A basket lunch will be spread at noon.

The Association also needs money to pay for the upkeep of the grounds. Those wishing to make a contribution may send it to L. E. Capers or to the First National Bank, Gorman.

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Juanava Collins, who celebrated her birthday Friday, was honored with "Happy Birthday" sung by

the entire group. Dips, chips, assorted cookies and punch were served to approximately 50 guests.

The young people enjoyed the party so much that the parents are planning to sponsor them periodically.

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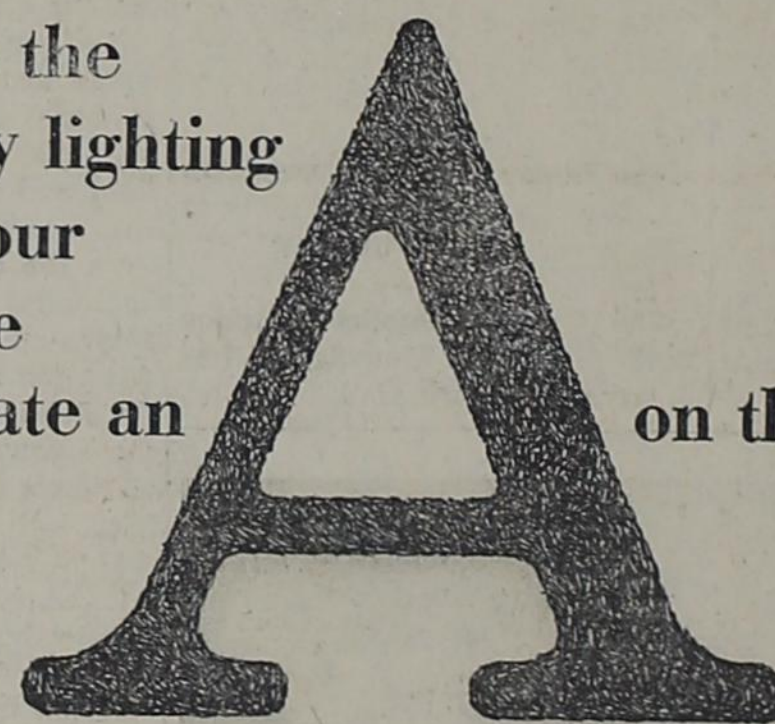


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DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

The Revival closed at the First Baptist Church Sunday following a week's series of services. Quite a large crowd was present each night with visitors from De Leon, Abilene, Gorman, Eastland and other places.

The John Grishams, Wayne Davis and the Mitchell family were present Saturday night from Abilene and brought special music. Jimmy Mohon of De Leon brought special music one night. Also the singer's mother, Mrs. Mohon, and Mrs. Pearl Duncan of De Leon visited Saturday night.

Mrs. H. H. Williams, who spent a few days last week in the Gorman hospital, is now a patient in the De Leon Hospital undergoing a series of tests.

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A NEW SON FOR THE MELVIN ANDERSONS

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Anderson of San Angelo announce the arrival of their son, Brock Alan, born at 5 p. m. Monday, September 14 in the Blackwell Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and fourteen ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Slaton of Gorman and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max Anderson of Ranger. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wood of Gorman and great-great-grandfather is Mr. J. C. Wood of Gorman.

TOMMY KIRK ELECTED JUNIOR CLASS PRESIDENT

The Junior Class Officers for the 1964-65 school year are as follows: Tommy Kirk, President; Joyce Joiner, Vice-President; Anita Acree, Secretary-Treasurer; and Glenda Jordan, Reporter.

Miss Shirley Richardson was elected class sponsor.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who helped in so many ways at the time of loss of our mother. A very special thanks to the employees of the Lawndale Nursing Home for every kindness shown her.

May God bless each of you.
The Children of
Mary Jane Crownover

age. Recently Mrs. Sparks entertained members of the OES with color slides of the trip.

Recent visitors of the Howard Wades were Judge and Mrs. Harold Warford of Breckenridge, the Fred Moseleys of Ranger and Dolie Moseley of Olden.

The Parent-Teachers & Friends met Monday night in the school home room to plan work for the new school year. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garrison of Ft Worth were complimented on their first wedding anniversary recently with a dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wade.

The first wedding anniversary being paper, white lace paper, place mats and napkins were used. The centerpiece was a miniature bride and groom under an arch of white lilies of the valley. A card ring with the date of the wedding and of their first anniversary and "the First Mile" written on it surrounded the arrangement. Beautifully wrapped gifts of imported wrap-arounds for glasses and a box of stationery were among the gifts.

HEARING TEST SET FOR DE LEON

Free, Electronic hearing test will be held in De Leon. Anyone that has a hearing problem of any kind is welcome to come in for the test. Pictures of the ear showing how the ear works, and why a person loses his hearing, also the nerve system of the ear that is connected to the brain, to tell us what we have heard. Each person is tested with the latest electronic machine that can pinpoint in what part of the ear they are having trouble and what can be done to help them.

Everyone should have a hearing test at least once a year if they have any hearing loss. Even people that wear Hearing Aids should have a test. People that have been told that nothing could be done for them should have a test each year, as new ways are being discovered to help these people.

The test will be held at the Travelers Hotel in De Leon Monday, September 21st from 10 AM to 12:30 PM.

Mr. Treadway, who is an Audiologist, will conduct the test through the courtesy of the Temple Hearing Center, 120 N. 3rd. Street in Temple.

If you miss the test you may come to the Temple office on any Thursday or Friday between 9 AM and 5 PM and take your test.

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week:

Work can be the cure for heartaches as well as for imagined pains."

The Lee Arvil Mears of Houston spent the Labor Day weekend here with the S. E. Mears.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Douglas and children of Fort Worth spent the weekend here with the Melvin Daniels and did some fishing at the Proctor Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dominey of Rule spent last weekend here visiting the Setzlers, Perrys and Mrs. Gregory.

Spending the Labor Day weekend with the Irvin Demineys were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dominey and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ross and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stark and children, all of Fort Worth.

Visiting in our home Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bern Mahan and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watson and sons, all of Eastland.

Mrs. Travis Wallis and Mrs. Wolf spent Saturday and Sunday with the A. D. Bryans.

Mrs. Evie Smith and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan were visiting in Hamilton County last Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Goodin of Graham visited here this past week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Reid of Lubbock have been visiting the Clyde Setzlers.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst visited the Hardy Parkers in Eastland Friday.

The Homer Richardsons and Mrs. Mary Timmons attended a reunion on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eulon Perry were in Fort Worth last week visiting Mrs. Perry's parents.

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CARD OF THANKS

May I take this method of expressing my thanks to my many friends who came to visit me during my stay in the Blackwell Hospital. Also to those who sent the lovely cards and gifts. I am

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Just as Stonewall Jackson held prayer meetings in his classrooms at Virginia Military Institute, so did Timothy Dwight hold revivals in the chapel of Yale. And for good reason. It was an age when everybody was reading Tom Paine's "Age of Reason" and interviews with students revealed only five professed Christians. So President Dwight took to the chapel pulpit and put the fear of God into his pupils.

Like Benjamin Franklin, Timothy Dwight was one of those sturdy early Americans who could do almost anything. He was farmer, clergyman, editor, poet, legislator, orator, business man and teacher. As one of his pupils put it, he was interested in "everything" and his knowledge was "boundless." But his chief love was advancing learning and Christianity. An avid Federalist, his chief hate was Thomas Jefferson's doctrine of democratic government. In a Fourth of July oration in 1800 he wailed that mankind was being driven back to a savage state and the country was being run by "block-heads."

While teaching oratory, literature, theology, preaching to his students and running business affairs of Yale, Dwight took on the editing of a collection of Isaac Watts' hymns, and, though his eyes were weak from smallpox and overwork, he wrote 33 hymns of his own. Thirty-two have been forgotten, but one stands out as the only hymn written in America for the two centuries after the Pilgrims landed on Plymouth Rock that is still in common use.

Besides making Christians of a spiritually confused student body, Timothy Dwight is best remembered for making three things, a leading institution of a small college, hell for Jeffersonian Democrats and a hymn that promises to live as long as Yale or the party. . . .

I love Thy Kingdom, Lord,
The house of Thine abode,
The Church our Blest Redemmer saved
With His own precious blood.

I love Thy Church, O God!
Her walls before Thee stand,
Dear as the apple of Thine eye,

And graven on Thy hand.
For her my tears shall fall;
For her my prayers ascend;


To her my cares and toils be given,
Till toils and cares shall end.

Beyond my highest joy
I prize her heavenly ways,
Her sweet communion, solemn vows,
Her hymns of love and praise.

Sure as Thy truth shall last,
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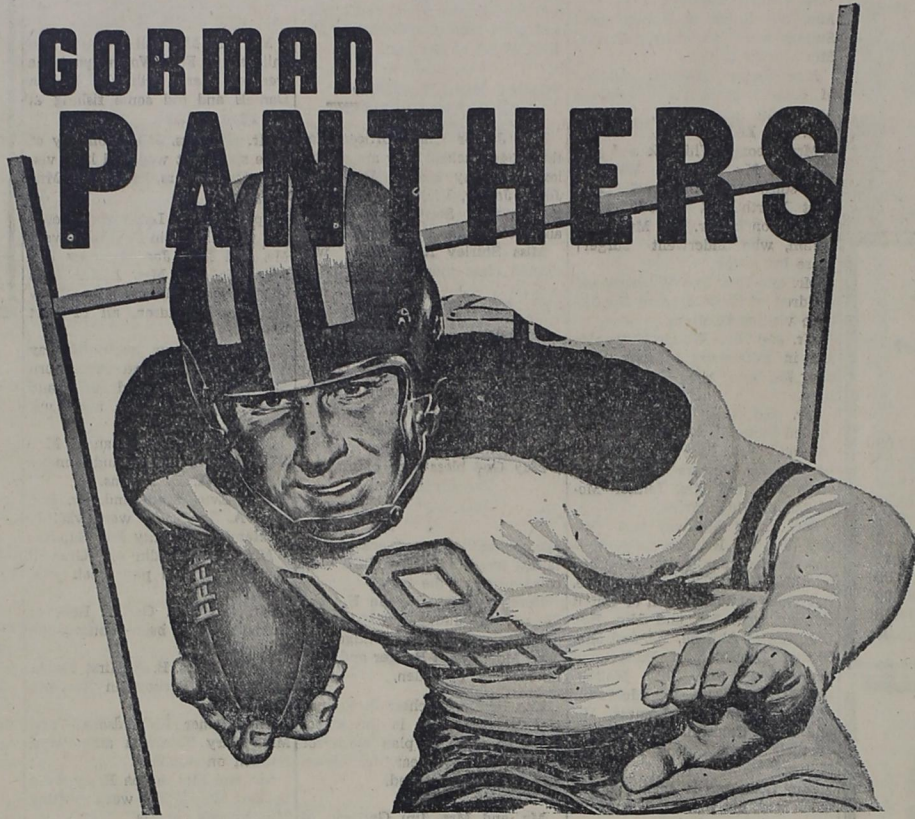
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0	Gary Overstreet	FB	190
10	Jerry Ormsby	QB	130
11	Daryl Hirst	QB	150
20	James Jay	WB	118
21	Mike Foster	WB	127
23	Jackie Harrison	WB	135
30	Jimmy Warren	TB	130
31	Doyle Welch	FB	150
40	Bobby Ward	FB	140
41	Richard Pittman	TB	145
44	Don Wallace	TB	155
50	John Shell	C	150
51	A. B. Eaves	C	135
55	Robert Whitt	C	155
60	Bobby Underwood	SG	150
61	Mack Sutton	SG	165
62	Dwayne Snider	WG	150
63	David Kirk	WG	155
70	Ed Sutton	WT	145
71	Neil Clement	WT	115
73	George Bolt	ST	170
74	Deryck Pocock	ST	160
75	Benny Mathews	T-G	170
77	Ronnie Smith	WT	180
80	William Jay	WE	160
81	Frank Redman	WE	112
82	Robert Reeves	WE	160
83	Robert Hunt	SE	150
84	Tommy Clark	SE	130
86	Tommy Kirk	SE	160

Managers: Jimmy Johnson
and Robert Ervin

Coaches: Mike Newby
and John Felts

1964 SCHEDULE

Gorman, 7 - Graham B, 0
 Sept. 18 - Ranger - Here
 Sept. 25 - Cranfills Gap - There
 Oct. 2 - Hico - There
 Oct. 10 - Cross Plains - Here
 (Saturday - Homecoming)
 Oct. 16 - Throckmorton - Here
 Oct. 23 - Open Date
 Oct. 30 - Bangs * - Here
 Nov. 6 - May * - There
 Nov. 13 - Blanket * - Here
 Nov. 20 - Rising Star * - There

* Denotes District Games



J&S SPORTS

Joe Bennett & Speedy Clark
J&S

"How Sweet It Is" to win the first game of the season. The spirit of the Panthers is the highest it has been in some time after the victory over the Graham B Steers. The most impressive thing about the game was the defense. The Panthers only allowed the Steers 20 yards during the entire last half, ten rushing and ten passing. Bad breaks kept the Panthers from winning by a larger margin. Twice Gary Overstreet got off 45 yard punts into the wind only to have them nullified because of offside penalties. On one penalty the Panthers lost 50 yards due to the return punt being short and the run back, and that is difficult to overcome.

Quarterback Daryl Hirst is this column's "Panther Of The Week" by playing his first varsity game and doing a fine job of directing the Panther offense and not a single fumble was committed by the Cats during the entire game.

Despite being hampered by his leg injury Gary Overstreet did a bang up job on offense and defense. The Panther line showed marked improvement over the scrimmage game with Lometa, with the Kirk Bros., Tommy and David, Robert Whitt, Deryck Pockock, Mach Sutton, Bobb Hunt, Ronnie Smith doing a fine job.

The only weakness shown was the blocking and this is due to inexperience in the backfield and should improve as the season progresses.

J&S

We sure do thank Leland Willis, athletic director of Cisco Junior College for the season tickets he

Memory of Shinoak Springs Given By Tom Bennett

Tom Bennett, who is known as Gorman's historian, is often asked where is, and what is Shinoak Springs?

These are a few of the facts of Shinoak Springs as he remembers them. We are looking forward to seeing the Cisco Jr. College Wranglers in action this season. Hope to have their full schedule for next week's column.

Thanks again, Leland.
J&S

Instead of "This is the Week That Was", this is the week that is, and Joe and Speedy must go to the task of selecting the winners of the top ten games of the week. The way the Southwest Conference is shaping up this is going to be another one of "them" seasons.

Nevertheless, this is how it looks to us.

SPEEDY PICKS - -

Texas over Tulane
SMU over Florida
(TV Game of the Week)
Arkansas over Oklahoma State
LSU over Texas A&M
Kansas over TCU
Miss State over Texas Tech
Oklahoma over Maryland
Ole Miss over Memphis State
Army over Citadel
Alabama over Georgia.

JOE PICKS - -

Texas over Tulane
SMU over Florida
Arkansas over Oklahoma State
LSU over Texas A&M
TCU over Kansas (Oda said)
Miss. State over Texas Tech
Oklahoma over Maryland
Ole Miss over Memphis State
Army over Citadel
Alabama over Georgia

bers them. His first memory of Shinoak was in the year 1889, as a little one horse gin stood back of where Mr. Pittman now lives. It later burned and a larger gin was built at the head of the springs. The small gin only had one stand and could only gin six to eight bales of cotton in a day. The larger gin managed to gin 15 to 20 bales a day. The old boiler for the small gin is now buried in several feet of mud in the drainage pool below the swimming pool dam. It would make a nice relic if it could be exhumed. It is about seven or eight feet long and three feet in diameter.

"Cotton was cheap in those days, bringing only four and one-half to five cents a pound and the cotton seeds were burned for fuel."

The roughly constructed one room school house was built of raw side lumber with four windows and stood high off the ground. Split rails served as seats. It was located just about where the Frank A. Gray Memorial is located, and in the summertime the school house was used for a meeting house for camp meetings and foot washings. People would come and camp for the entire week of the meeting.

"I recall the punishment given one of the school boys by the stern school master. He was hung out the window by his toes for a half minute. And when the enraged parent came to see him, he said "I am boss here and if you don't like it, keep your son at home." The boy returned to school."

The springs were like an oasis. The banks were about three feet high on the south where the spring flattens out and at the head of the stream the banks were eight to ten feet high and were solid white caliche and water was 12 to 15 feet deep and clear as crystal. "I have seen as many as 12 to 20 boys and men in swimming at one time and the water would

4-H Club News

Randy Wright - Dana Weidon
The Gorman 4-H Club met on Monday evening, September 14 at the Fire Hall.

The following officers were elected:
President - Sarah Wright
Vice-President - Bobby Williams
Secretary-Treasurer - Tresa Duran
Reporters - Randy Wright and Dana Weidon
Plans were made to enter the Peanut Bowl Parade.

still be clear, due to the caliche bottom and banks."

All the early settlers hauled water from the springs for drinking and washing. The first water I ever drank was from Shinoak Springs in 1885."

"A huge spanish oak tree stood on the west bank of the springs and had limbs that reached 15 to 20 feet and every boy in the country had his name carved on one of the limbs. There were as many as 100 names on one limb and many cattle brands. That old tree stood until 1904 and was known as the hanging tree."

The springs were named from the oaks that grew around the lake that were only shin high.

"The land was not fenced in those days and cattle run wild and would come for miles to drink. I have seen as many as 100 cows drinking from the springs at one time. Also horses and some deer. I have also seen some mighty big bull fights there."

One of the oldest cemeteries in the county is just above the springs, west, northwest, in the now Tom Broom field.

Around 1911 Mr. J. P. Carter bought the land and the springs and put in a rock dam and put a few bass fish in the lake and called it Bass Lake. The name remained Bass Lake until it was renamed Frank A. Gray Memorial Park in the late Forties (1946).

In 1888 the railroad was built and a post office was located just about where the rent house of Bill Andry's now stands. The office was moved a year later to Gorman.

Many big picnics were held at the lake. "I've seen as many as six to eight thousand there with politicians making speeches. Among them being Cyclone Davis, C. C. McDonald and Jim Ferguson, before he became Governor of Texas."

Special Meeting of Pioneer Gas Stock Holders Set Oct. 19

Amarillo, Texas - Sept. 10, 1964
At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Pioneer Natural Gas Company held today in Amarillo, Texas, the Board voted to call a special meeting of the stockholders to be held on October 19, 1964. The stockholders will be asked to increase the number of shares of authorized common stock to 12,000,000 shares and to split the common stock on a two for one basis. It is the intention of the Management of the Company to recommend a dividend rate applicable to the split shares which will represent an increase of approximately ten (10) per cent over the existing dividend.

WE ARE SORRY!

In last weeks issue of the Progress we listed Terry Shell as a Sophomore accounting major and he is a Junior accounting major at Texas University.

Also Larry Anderson was listed as attending HSU and he is attending Sam Houston State. Please accept our apologies Terry and Larry.

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4-H Record Book Winners Named In District 8 Contests

Nineteen counties in District 8 entered in the District 4-H Record Book Award Program held August 25th. in Stephenville. A total of 127 junior records and 127 senior records were entered.

Ruby Wende of the Nimrod 4-H Club received third place in the Senior Girls' Division with her record book on achievement. Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wende of the Nimrod Community, has done outstanding work in 4-H and has received awards in Clothing and Dairy Foods.

Sandra Warlick, a member of the Rising Star 4-H Club, received third place in the Senior Division with her record book on beef. Sandra, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Warlick of Rising Star,

'65 Auto Inspection Dates Set By DPS

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, has announced that the time has arrived for Texas motorists to have their vehicles inspected again.

September marked the beginning of the 1965 vehicle inspection period as prescribed by the Public Safety Commission. As in previous years, the period will end on April 15, 1966.

"This means that between now and April 15, 1965, more than 5,200,000 Texas registered vehicles will have to be inspected at the 5,200 official inspection stations in Texas," Garrison stated.

He urged motorists to have their vehicles inspected in the routine visits to garages for ordinary maintenance and repairs.

Smith Bros. Chevrolet Co. is doing outstanding work with her livestock, a 4-H project.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Miss LaVon Snider returned to her home in Brownwood Thursday following a three weeks vacation with her mother, Mrs. Pete Snider.

Mrs. J. C. Timmons returned Monday from a ten day visit in Gatesville with her sister, Mrs.

and thereby eliminating the necessity of having to wait in line at a later date for an inspection sticker. He further pointed out that with the ever-increasing number of vehicles registered in Texas, is becoming even more difficult for the motorist to get inspection stickers without some delay.

"With the hard summer driving coming to an end, fall is an excellent time to have vehicles checked for the winter months ahead," he concluded.

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Tom Yaws, and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Huckabee. She attended the homecoming at Ater and visited Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Timmons. She also visited nieces and nephews of the Ginnings families in Grand Saline and Canton.

Vance Laminack is making his home with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eison in Everman, where he is a junior in Everman High School and a member of the football team.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and family spent Saturday evening in Fort Worth attending the Battle of Songs at the Will Rogers Coliseum and reported a very enjoyable evening of gospel singing by the top quartets.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Eakin and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stacy were in Moody Saturday attending the funeral of Mrs. Eula Goosby, a niece of Mr. Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Von Holmes of Denver, Colorado were weekend visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. Mae Smith, and her aunt, Mrs. Mack Underwood.

Linda Harrison visited Wednesday of last week in Abilene with Sylvia Hendricks and Barbara Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Collins of McCamey were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Turner.

Gabe Wright, Speck Clark, and Dale Curb attended the showing of the new GMC pickups and trucks and a sales meeting at the Starlite Inn in Abilene Tuesday night.

Mrs. Charlie Atchison and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Falls of Dallas, have returned from a two weeks vacation that took them through nine states and Canada. They visited special points of interest in Chicago and on Lake Michigan.

Mrs. Bert Crawley of Arlington visited over the weekend with Mrs. Dona Moorman and other friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ethel Harrell is vacationing in Honolulu with her son, Major Bill Bettis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hollifield spent Sunday at Possum Kingdom Dam.

Miss Gerry Walker of Cisco visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bennett and Aubrey and Opal Golob of Eastland visited Sunday in Graham with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Higgin-

botham and in Olney with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Higginbotham. They also visited Fort Belnap at Graham and Wizzard Well and Fort Richardson at Jacksboro.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Riddle of Alice visited over the weekend in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Huff, and also Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lehman of Duster.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark, Rickey and Cathy of Abilene, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Clark

and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers. They also attended the wedding of her brother Harold Rodgers, in Crockett on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Higginbotham and Teddy spent the Labor Day holidays in Beeville, Corpus Christi and San Marcus.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cooper, James and Jana of Karnes City, visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper and Mrs. Gladys Lucke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Powell, Jac-

kie, and their daughter, Mrs. Glenda Hise of Kermit, spent the weekend with Mrs. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grice.

Mrs. Brownie Wood and her daughter, Angie Brogdon of Midland, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Speedy Clark. Angie also enrolled in Tarleton State College.

Sylvia Hendricks, Barbara Jobe and Beth Rhymes of Abilene visited Monday night with their parents.

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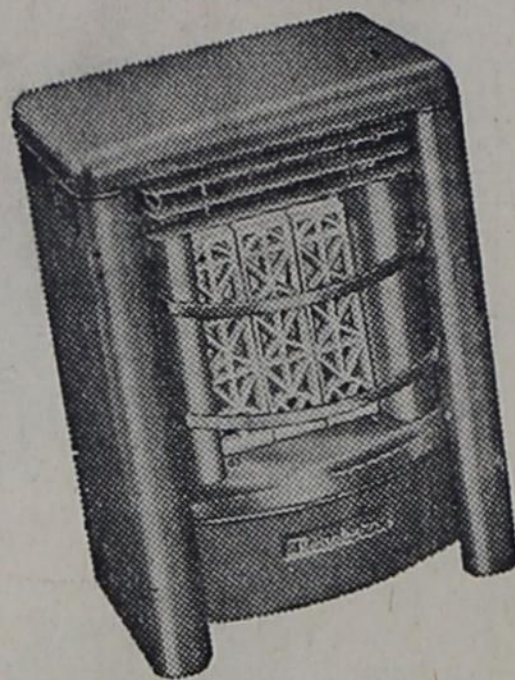
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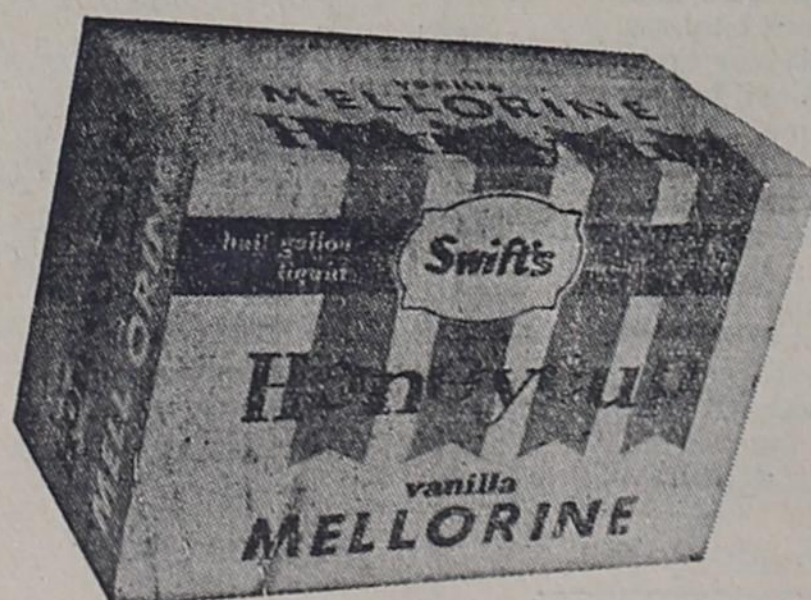
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