

To publish a paper and hold the respect of its readers and advertisers a man must be a combination of Moses, King Solomon, and Napoleon.

Like Moses, he must strive to lead his people out of the wilderness. As King Solomon used wis dom in settling affairs, so an editor must use diplomacy when called upon.

Most editors could have taught Napoleon a thing or two about strategy -- especially when it comes to taking a political stand.

lishing any letter or testimony Dallas, August 11, 12 and 13. you might have in regards to Yarborough without cost. All' I teen counties extending from Calally I have nothing against Mr. que, Hood and Lampasas. has happened to Mr. Yarborough. meet in Clifton. If so, then any decision he will the Governor's chair, if elected. great state. The organizations doing the major portion of the financing of Mr. Yarborough's cam paign are not interested in the future of our great state. . . these are facts that can more readily be seen in and around Austin and on the coast of Texas.

I hear that Governor Shivers is mixed up in an insurance scandal, Do you know who is defending these insurance companies in court. If you will inquire, I think you will find that this man is closely associated with Mr. Yarborough.

Before casting your vote, ask "I wouldn't allow my children ried and they have a grandson. to attend a state college that doesn't teach communism, preferably by a communist." It could be that Mr. Yarborough doesn't know this. I know that it is a matter of record.

I am vitally interested in our school teachers. I was very much concerned when I heard that our Governor had denied our teachers an increase in pay. Then I learned that Texas operates on a pay-as-you-go basis. The bill was passed but died in the Comp troller's office where all bills calling for the expenditure of money must be approved. If the Comptroller does not have money to pay a bill he returns it to the House. This bill never reached the Governor's desk because it was not approved by the Comptroller. During Governor's Shivers time in office I understand teachers have received around

Also, when the Tidelands was returned to Texas part of this property was leased for \$32 Million dollars, all of which is placed in a permanent school fund. Returns from the investment of this money is used by our schools. Shortly after our Tidelands were returned didn't our teachesr receive a \$400 increase in pay. Personally I wish they could have had three times that much.

\$1100 in increased wages.

Striving always to keep the Progress readers posted on what is happening (sometimes I am not over three weeks late with the news) I have purchased mats on the "Amendments to the Con stitution" which will be voted on in November. By studying these amendments carefully you can decide whether you want to vote for or against them. For instance one amendment is -

"Allow military personnel from Texas to vote if they had estabdished residence in Texas a year before entering service."

credit to support toll roads."

# Mrs. Bill Tucker Installed T. H. D. A. Dist. 8 Vice-president



Mrs. Bill Tucker, Rt. 1, Ranger was installed vice-president of not keep the Progress from pub- held at the Adolphus Hotel in ily.

District 8 includes some sevenknow where you stand. Person- Eastland, Erath, Comanche, Bos- mums.

ever occasionally even good men trict 2, Mrs. Tucker was elected Nylon over Nylon net. get mixed up with the wrong to the office of vice-president of company. I firmly believe this District 8 at the March district were of White gladiolas and small

be called upon to make while in offices in her club and county, on flowers. moving to Eastland County she A reception was held immediwill be dictated by forces detri- began at the bottom and scaled ately following the ceremony mental to the welfare of our the offices of the local, county Cake and punch were served and district.

the Cheaney Club and holding candles. The bride and groom cut other offices and serving on com- the three tiered cake on which mittee, Mrs. Tucker has been pre- stood a miniature bride and of Women's Clubs.

man of Red Cross Home Nursing. immediate families, relatives and Her activities extend into her close friends. church and into the Farm Bureau. tion she ineveitably finds herself lo, Dumas and McLean. directing play at various func-

Mrs. Tucker assists her husband sent. Mr. Yarborough if he isn't sup- in operating a peanut farm. Their porting a man who has said, one child, Billy Tucker, is mar-

> Her name was submitted by officers of the Council and of her home club, Mrs. H. C. Fridge, Mrs. Marshall Berry, Mrs. M. P. Farnsworth, Mrs. F. E. Ferrell, and Mrs. John Love.

Mrs. Tucker writes news for the Eastland Telegram, Ranger Times, Gorman Progress, and is reporter for the Eastland County

# Former Resident Dies At Romney

Mr. Will Swan of Romney and formerly of Gorman died at his home about two weeks ago. Mr. Swan had been bedfast for about seventeen years.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan, the former Allie Underwood, lived in Gorman at the Gilbert place, now occupied by the S. E. Cloningers until some twenty years ago when they moved to Romney.

Mrs. Swan is sister to Mr. Walter Underwood and Mrs. Floyd Nunley, both of Gorman.

Mrs. Nunley had visited with them before he passed away but other relatives here were unable to visit him or to attend the funeral.

Others are equally important and should be given careful study.

apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Eakers ing their home.

and renovating going on in this ding. tude of our people.

# School Opens Here | Colonel Woods On August 31st

The following is the schedule for the school year 1954-55: August 30 - Registration August 31st - Classes Begin November 11 - Veteran's Day November 25-26 - Thanksgiving Dec. 23 - Jan. 3 - Christmas March (1 day) -

April 8-12 - Easter Holidays

# Miss Woodall Weds Jackie Ray Abbe aurday Evening

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Woodall of Rt. 1, De Leon, and Jackie Ray Abbe, son of Mrs. Imperial, California and in San Texas. Jess Roberts of Gorman, were united in marriage at 8:30 p. m. on Saturday, August 7.

The ceremony was performed Most of you know by now that District 8, Texas Tome Demonstra by Rev. Buel Bryan, pastor of I am One hundred percent for tion Association Wednesday, Au- Midway Baptist Church, who is a Governor Shivers. BUT, this will ugst 11th at the State Convention close friend of the Woodall fam- to Gorman while he was making Carbon School To

Setting for the single ring cere mony was the living room at the home of the bride's parents. Florask is that you sign your article lahan to Limestone County and al arrangements were baskets of the same as I do so folks will including among other counties, White Gladiolas and Chrysanthe-

Given in marriage by her fath-Yarborough. I am certain he is a First enrolled in 1929 as a club er, the bride wore a street length fine, Christian gentleman. How- member in Swisher County, Dis- dress of pastel pink brocaded

Her corsage and head dress chrysanthemums. She carried a Although she had served in all White Bible topped with the same

from a table which was laid with Besides being the president of a hand crocheted cloth and tall friend, Mrs. Ruth Koonce.

At present she is county chair- Those in attendance were the

A most able director of recrea- honeymoon in Sundown, Amaril-

They plan to make their home on Route 1, De Leon at the pre-

# Dies Saturday At Rest Home

Robert Lee Woods, familiarly known in Gorman as Colonel Woods, died Saturday night at Nine Oaks Rest Home. His death at 10 p. m. followed an illness of several months duration.

Teachers Convention | Funeral services were held at May 19 - Tentative Closing Date Methodist Church with the Rev. Floyd W. Thrash, pastor of De-

Leon, officiating. Mr. Woods, a bachelor, was a their death. Later living in Kirk-Miss Margaret Ann Woodall, land he served as a deputy sheriff Angelo. In the latter town he featured in a tractor mishap that caused the dislocation of his hip. A short time after the accident to Gorman at an early date. Mr. Tip Ross and the late Mrs. his way to De Leon where he hoped to find work. He accepted Open September 1st. a proposition to work at the Ross Lumber Company where he continued for about 16 years.

When his health failed him and he began to spend his time for Mullins. the most part at Thompson Hard The faculty is now complete. ware, taking upon himself the Miss Joyce Tucker has been elect Stated meeting Gorman Chap-

In his moves from place to Methodist Church in 1906. Beed in Gorman he chose its cemetery as his final resting place.

Pallbearers were Barton Eppler, Doyle Preston, Odell Thompson, The couple plan to take their Othell Clark, Boyd Hilley, and Marvin Blair.

> Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Acrea and Anita returned Tuesday after spending several days on the

# Miss Wheatley To Wed June Eldridge



Mrs. Elmer Ruth Wheatley of near perfect record of attendance Dublin announces the approach- for her twelve years of schooling. ing marriage of her daughter, During her senior year she miss-Miss Virginia Ruth Wheatley, to ed one-half day. Too late she June Frank Eldridge of Desde-learned that sour pickles and mona. The ceremony will take strawberry ice cream were not Did you know there isn't a place Friday, September 3, 1954 conductive to an afternoon of house in Gorman for rent. And at the First Methodist Church in study. as far as I know only one or two Dublin. Rev. D. L. Barnes will June is the son of Mr. and Mrs read the vows.

have done a nice job in renovat- tend and remain for the reception Schools but finished at Gorman which will be held in the base- High in 1951. Then after attend-There is a good bit of building ment of the church after the wed- ing Tarleton College two years he

area - and although it doesn't | Miss Wheatley is a 1954 grad- | The couple plan to make their surprise me I have heard visitors uate of Dublin High School and home in Lubbock where June "Prohibit pledging the state's comment on the optimistic atti- was a majorette all four years. will complete his major in Mech-She graduated among the top anical Engineering.

three honor students and had a

Claiborne Eldridge of Desdemona. Their friends are invited to at- He attended the Desdemona entered Texas Tech.

# Dick Wynn To **Coach The 1954-55 Panther Teams**

Mr. Dick Wynn has accepted a position with the Gorman School. coach and will also teach.

The new coach is presently attending a school of coaching being held in Dallas this week. 10 o'clock Monday in the Gorman Through the summer he is working on his Master's Degree at day, August 23rd. Hardin-Simmons.

Reared near Olden in Eastland County Wynn attended Cisco here on Monday night. carpenter by trade. Born in Gid- High School and Cisco Junior dings, Texas on March 17th, 1869 College. After receiving his B. A. he lived with his parents until Degree he returned to Cisco to on Saturday, August 14th. coach in the college.

During the past two years he of Childress County. He had work has been head of the physical ing is being held August 14th, ed in Tucumcari, New Mexico, education department at Mentone Saturday.

Mr. Wynn, his wife and their

set September 1st as opening day of old times and singing. Let's for the 1954-55 school term ac- make it a bigger and better re he was no longer able to work cording to Superintendent H. L. union.

little things that he felt might ed to fill the vacancy created by ter 443 O. E. S. Monday evening, Woodall, Ray Woodall, and Jimhelp Mr. Thompson. Age with its the resignation of Mrs. John August 16 at 8 p. m. complications continued to inca- Goode. Miss Tucker is a graduate pacitate him and in March, 1953 of West Virginia College. She he entered the Nine Oaks Rest will teach the fourth grade and public school music. The remain- INVITATION der of the faculty will include place he had lost track of any Mrs. Jim Brewer, first grade; our friends to know that they relatives who may survive him. Mrs. J. M. Cooper, second and are invited to attend our wedding While in Gorman he was reg- third grade; Mrs. H. L. Mullins, Saturday evening at six o'clock in ular in his attendance at the Meth fifth and sixth grades; Mr. H. C. the Carbon Methodist Church. odist Church, having joined the Jordan, seventh grade; Mr. Rayneal Baze, eighth grade; Mrs. Ed sident of the County Federation groom. The cake was made by a cause of the friendships he enjoy Willman, English; Mrs. Nell Rainey, Homemaking; Mr. Travis Spence, Vocational Agriculture

> and Mr. R. C. Smith, principal The school grounds have been classrooms have been repainted. The gymnasium floor is getting a

floor in the lunchroom. for the coming year. Mrs. Earnest Reed and Mrs. Milton Underwood the deep freeze, how to conserve will work in the lunchroom. time in use of the freezer, etc. Meals will be served begining on September 1st.

ly seven o'clock the morning of matic Fry Pan, which is now on September 1. Two new busses display in the local office. You have been purchased and will be do not have to be present at the here for the opening of school. drawing to win. Bus drivers for the coming year Truitt Norris, T. E. Garrett, and deep freezers or are contemplat-I. D. Hogan.

# Hospital Nine Win Little League Trophy; To See Cats Play Thursday

by Blackwell Hospital and coached by Stub Poynor, won the City game placed the Hospital team Little League Championship and He succeeds Bill Michael as head received a trophy awarded the they took on the Frossard team. winners Monday night. The loss

# Announcements

Football practice begins Mon-

M. Y. F. Sub-district will meet

Wright Garage will be closed

Bear Springs Cemetery work

Ralph Yarborough will speak three children, all of whom are at Eastland on the East Side of under school age, will be moving the Square at 2 p. m., Friday, the Frossard team may well be August 13, 1954.

> The Comanche County reunion will be held in Mackenzie State Park in Lubbock on the fourth Sunday in August.

Everyone invited, bring a bas The Carbon School Board has ket lunch, enjoy the association

J. S. Scitern - Pres.

Hattie Lee Todd, W. M. Thereasa Baker, Secy.

We would like very much for

# **Texas Electric To Demonstrate Food**

A Food Freezer Demonstration cleaned and mowed and several of Texas Electric Service Com-10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. each day. new coat of finish and also the This demonstration will be giv-

en by Miss Mary Francis McNair, I. D. Hogan will be custodian Home Economist and will show the methods of preparing food for

All those attending will be given the opportunity to register for Busses will run at approx.imate the door prize - a Sunbeam Auto-

This demonstration will be of will be Paul Norris, A. D. Lasater, benefit to those who now own ing the purchase of one.

# Desdemona Folks To Fete Homecomers With Celebration Saturday August 14

getting ready for the annual home appreciate a bit of variance. several weeks. In fact some folks over several days span with a big mona folks too, never lie - - They ment. just exaggerate the truth. When The following is a program for stories are repeated year after Saturday's Homecoming:

Desdemona folks have been year, surely any audience would coming Saturday, August 14th for The homecoming, once held

began before the 1953 homecom- parade, has dwindled to one day ing was over, planning for 1954. |celebration. At earlier homecom-Tall tales are getting taller or ings all kinds of games including is it longer. It has been said that baseball, singings and band con-Texans, and that would be Desde-certs were features of entertain-

August 14, 1954 10 A. M. Congregation Singing ...... Led by Dove Lewis

Invocation ... L. E. Clark Welcome Address O. H. Moore Response ..... ..... Abernathy Brothers Music .. Recognition of Visitors Presentation of Bible to Oldest Man and Lady -Mrs. Pearl Duncan Memorial - "The Way Of The Cross" -

Arranged by Mrs. J. D. Browning, Cisco, Texas Mr. Dave Davis | Gary Cooper - Walter Brennan Announcements

Lunch 2:00 P. M. — Business Meeting — Special Music 7:30 P. M. — Desdemona Booster Band — Gorman Quartet Anderson String Band, Stephenville

Duet - Sue Pittman and Jo Ann Clark Sam Powers ... Vice President Evah Sparkman Secretary-Treasurer Pearl Powers Duncan ..... Master of Ceremonies

Norris Sisters Trio, Carbon - De Leon Quartet

The Hospital Team, sponsored of the Ranchers to the Peanut Team in Monday nights first in the Grande Final in which They were able to take the lead and hold it with a 7 to 1 score. Coaches and a number of other

business men will host the Little

Leaguers for dinner at the Chick-

en Shack on Camp Bowie Boule-

vard. Then they will be admitted free to see the Cats play San Antonio on La Grave Field. The young players have well earned this fine treat for they have played hard, never letting the team down despite the record

breaking heat of the past two

Coach J. L. Morrow of the Ranchers sponsored by First National Bank, Coach Ray Rodgers of the Peanut Boys and Coaches Oda Monroe and Pete Smith of proud of their boys and their suc-

They, with Poynor and the sponsors, are to be commended for their efforts in affording the fine training the boys have re-

Players of the championship team are Gerald Hammonds, Joe Hicks, Charles Bryant, Dale Files, Linden Frazier, Harvey Joiner, Kenny Welch, Larry Poynor, Ron nie Williams, Gary Poynor, Gene Snyder, Richard Watson, Roger my Rodgers.

## De Leon Festival Set For August 20 - 21 In New Stadium

DE LEON, Tex. Aug. 12 — In spite of the drouth, De Leon's Patsy Norris and Pat Collins Watermelon Festival and Homecoming will be held next Friday and Saturday, August 20 and 21. The merchants parade will be at 6 p. m. on Friday, immediately Freezer August 17 - 18 followed by the crowning of the Queen under the lights at the is to be given in the local office new \$50,000 football stadium. The Queen and her 20 Duchesses will pany on August 17, and 18 from be entertained by the Shakespeare Club at the beautiful Traveler's Hotel.

A free watermelon slicing will be held at 4 p. m. on Saturday, on main street. All the watermelon you can eat and they are fine this year.

There will be a square dance, old fiddler's contest, a \$25 pig will be given free to the one who can catch and sack the animal. Potato race, egg contest, string bands, several quartettes and other attractions.

Dublin and Rising Star roping clubhorsemen will be in the parade on Friday. Prizes amounting to over \$100 will be awarded in the several events in addition to prizes on club and HD work.

This is the 47th annual Watermelon Festival and Homecoming and is sponsored by the entire community. The public is invited.

### KING THEATRE Thursday and Friday Glenn Miller - Sonja Henie

SUN VALLEY SERENADE Also Variety Views

Phil Carey - Audrey Totter MASSACRE CANYON and

Saturday

Marilyn Monroe - Rand Brooks LADIES OF THE CHORUS

Also Color Cartoon Sunday - Monday

Mickey Rooney - Dianne Foster

DRIVE A CROOKED ROAD Also Color Cartoon

Tuesday - Wednesday

in THE WESTERNER Also

Color Cartoon Thursday - Friday

Van Heflin - Ruth Roman TANGANYIKA Also

Color Cartoon

THE GORMAN PROGRESS, AUGUST 12, 1954 Gorman, Eastland County, Texas



second primary campaign are off of false charges. and running.

Only 6,267 votes short of sucess in the first race, Governor Allan Shivers was encouraged by apparent control, gained at the county conventions, of the September 14 State Democratic Convention at Mineral Wells.

Shivers promised an "aroundthe-clock" fight for votes and spurred on his campaign forces over the state in a series of region al pep-talks.

Opening the second primary race with a talk on drouth and water problems, Shivers asked Texans to write him of their needs, their water problems, and their suggested solutions.

He also campaigned in some

Yarborough Is Busy

Phone 24

Shivers' opponent, Ralph W Yarborough of Austin, also planned to spend much time visiting various parts of the state in a search for votes.

Yarborough said in one speech that "this is the first time in five Democratic governor."

hopeless.

Yarborough scored what he for public welfare. called the "Republican press" for supporting Shivers and accused AUSTIN, Tex. - Both candi- his opponent of a long list of misdates in the Texas gubernatorial dealings, including the circulation state taxes.

Wants Water Board

creation of a Texas Water Board, seventh of the other figure. patterned after the Railroad Com mission, with members elected money to come from a tax on by the people.

He said that if elected Governor, he would recommend to the such a tax already has been de-Legislature in January that such clared unconstitutional. a board be established.

Continuing on the water and drouth theme, Yarborough propos over the state, "comparable to Governor Shivers announced. those built by the Lower Colorado River Authority."

planned and constructed under in the next six weeks. the supervision of the water of water alone."

It is Yarborough's contention after a warning is issued. that "industries are refusing to build in Texas, and some already

For over seventy

years it has been our

service to this com-

Weatherford, Texas

privilege to render

here are pulling out because of Thursday Shower the water shortage."

What's The Cost?

Shivers' supporters got out their scratch pads and tried to years that we're going to elect a figure out what it would cost to carry out the campaign pledges He said he was receiving pledg- made by Yarborough, including a es every day from voters who veteran's bonus, an elaborate either opposed him in the first tracery of dams on Texas rivers, primary or thought his cause was vastly expanded highways and huge increases in expenditures

> Shivers' calcuators contended that the cost amounted to something like \$3.5 billion per year in

They pointed out that the present total cost of state government Yarborough has called for the is \$0.5 billion per year, or one-

Yarborough said he wanted the

gas pipelines. Shivers' backers point out that

Warning System Coming

Texas soon will have a modern storm warning system to spot ed the construction of 25 dams danger miles away by radar

Shivers said that completion of and whiskey taxes. the system, called the most up-These dams, he said, should be to-date in the world, will come ent increase of moonshining over show; the Antique Auto Show,

board, and be financed like those the radar chain are units in 11 shining charges. cities by shaking hands on street built by the LCRA - by bonds cities. The radar net ties into the which "in 30 to 40 years would Department of Public Safety syspay themselves out by the sale tem, giving it Weather Bureau radar reports within two minutes bad check passing.

Texas Building Booms

Construction in Texas spiraled tonio, in an Austin speech. oward a record high in June, acas Bureau of Business Research. Reported by the bureau was a of crime, the agent said. predominance of commercial, industrial, highway, church, school, and government building.

cent, the reports showed.

Liquor Revenue Up

\$1,425,179.13 with the largest part the State Fair of Texas.

State Fair At Dallas Set For October 9-24 Honors Neal Clarks

A Thursday evening miscellaneous wedding shower honored Mr. and Mrs. Neal Clark, one-week brilliantly demonstrates why the newlyweds.

Hosts for the shower at the champion of all state fairs. school cafeteria were Msdms. T. O. Shelley, Cullen Rodgers, R. C. features, and events includes: Mehaffey, Stanley Porter, W. C. Browning, A. D. Mauney, E. C. I," Broadway hit musical; "Ice Bramlett, Ross Wilson, Duard Cycles of 1955," featuring the Warren, C. T. Cole, Graydon Baze story of Snow White; "Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp," free Burnet Eison, and Bill Simpson. Guests calling from seven-thir- show for children; "Dancing Watty to nine-thirty were greeted by ers," spectacular aquatic ballet; Mrs. Porter. Mrs. Bramlett sat at the Joie Chitwood Daredevils, in the bride's registry.

Sharing honors in serving were Magnolia Sky Revue to be pre-Mrs. Browning and Mrs. Baze. Other hostesses visited and

tioned Women's Building, a show showed the array of gifts. Among the out-of-town guests window for fashions and homeattending were Mr. Clark's par- making skills; "House Beautiful ents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Clark Pacesetter House," all-electric of Cisco.

of the amount derived from beer mobile Show, one of the nation's

The board also noted an appar- riculture," a new type of farm the state, with seizure of 11 illicit nostalgic collection of rare old Already functioning as part of stills and arrest of six on moon- cars; plus farm implements, house

FBI Agent Speaks

Two forms of crime are on the ands of other free exhibits. increase: car thefts and swindling

tle, swine, sheep, and goats, Palo-So said Vernon H. Bailey, spec- mino and Quarter horses and ial agent of the FBI in San An- Shetland poines, chickens and turkeys, presented in more than

Car thefts inconvenience more a thousand different judging ecording to the University of Tex- people and cause a greater loss vents during the Pan-American of property than any other form Livestock Exposition, the Junior

Short Snorts

Americans no longer believe Football - Seven big games, inthat things are good only if they cluding the Texas-Oklahoma bat-Building permits issued through come from Europe, says Dr. Lewis the in the Cotton Bowl, Saturday, out the state during the first half U. Hanke, University of Texas October 9; Wiley vs. Prairie View of 1954 exceeded totals for the professor. . Now you can break A&M, Monday, October 18; SMU same period last year by six per the law by driving too slow. The vs. Kansas, Saturday, October 23, rule of 40 miles per hour mini- and four outstanding high school mum applies on a stretch of the games. Texas liquor revenue in June Austin Expressway. . . Heroes and The Midway - America's bigshowed a \$41,000 increase over heroines of Texas education will gest, brightest, gayest fun zone, the total for the same month last be selected by a panel, announced featuring dozens of shows and ayear, the monthly report of the A Garland Adair of Austin, di-musement devices, introducing Texas Liquor Control Board re- rector of the Texas Heritage Foun the breath-taking new European dation. Selections will be announc thrill ride "Flying Cars," plus the June revenue this year was ed on School Centennial Day at fabulous "Sky Wheels."

> days and events including Mexico Day October 11, Dallas Day, October 12, Public School Centennial Day, October 13, Crippled Children's Day, October 14, Ele-

Special Events - More than 200

Livestock Show and the Poultry

Show.

death-defying stunts; and the

sented twice daily.

mentary School Day, October 15, Rural Youth Day, October 16, Negro Achievement Day, October 18, East Texas Day and Garden Club Day, Oct. 19, High School Day, October 22, Religious Festival, October 24. Free fireworks will be presented October 12, 13,

15, 17, and 19.

# Layton Plaster To **Preach Here Sunday**

Bro. Layton Plaster will be the guest speaker at the Church of A blue-ribbon program has been announced for the 1954 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 9-24, which giant exposition is the world his family are well known in Gor morning services are held at 10:30 man. They are here on vacation o'clock. for a few days and he has con-The lineup of major attractions, sented to preach Sunday morn-Entertainment - "The King and ing. His many friends are invited do the preaching. Men of the con-

to be present at that time. Leroy Cowan, the present min- ing the singing. ster, will speak on the Radio program over Station KERC, East land, at 9:00 a. m. Sunday morning on the subject, "Be it done ORDER OF THE ARROW unto me according to thy word." ATTEND FUN CAMP His Sunday night lesson will be, "Did not our Hearts Burn?"

to close Thursday night, has been at Camp Billy Gibbons Sunday Exhibits - The new air-condifested great interest in hearing row Browning, Stanley Bell, Joe the Gospel of Christ. A cordial Mehaffey, Butch Eison, and Johninvitation is extended to every- ny Watson. one to attend the services of the three-bedroom home; the Electric Church of Christ where a friend-Show, commemorating the 75th ly welcome awaits you. Anniversary of Light; the Auto-



## Oliver Springs Baptist To Hold Revival

The Oliver Springs Baptist Christ Sunday morning. Bro. Plas Church will begin revival servicter formerly lived and worked es Friday, August 13th. Evening with the Church here and he and services begin at 7:45 o'clock and

Rev. Hugh Newson, who comes from the Fort Worth area, will gregation will alternate in lead-

Pastor of the church is Rev. Dixie Clement.

Local Boy Scouts attending the. The Gospel Meeting, which is Order of the Arrow Fun Camp well attended. Large crowds mani and Sunday night were: Wood-

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# HEAR

- THURSDAY, August 12 6:15 a. m.
- FRIDAY, August 13 8:30 p. m.
- TUESDAY, August 17 6:15 a. m.
- WEDNESDAY, August 18 8:30 p. m.



# Statewide Broadcasts

THURSDAY, August 19 6:15 a. m. FRIDAY, August 20 8:30 p. m. MONDAY, August 23 8:30 p. m. TUESDAY, August 24 6:15 a. m. WEDNESDAY, Aug. 25 8:30 p. m. THURSDAY, August 26 6:15 a. m. FRIDAY, August 27 9:00 p. m.

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# TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17-18

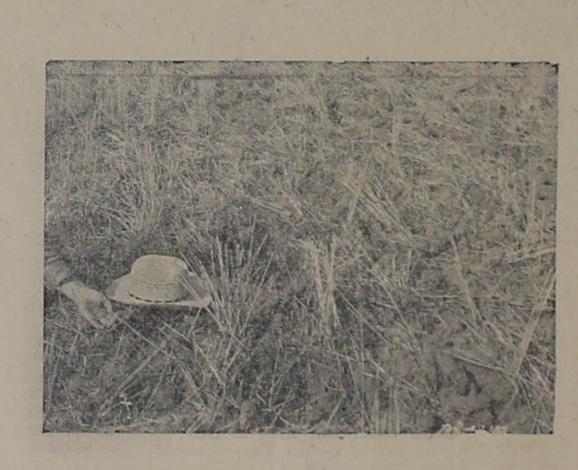
If you're a homemaker with questions on the preparation of food for a modern freezer, here's your opportunity to get plenty of helpful information. Our home service advisor will be glad to answer any questions you have in mind and explain such important food-freez-

ing facts as ...

- 1. The types of meat, fruits, vegetables and baked goods best suited for preservation in a home food freezer.
- 2. How to use the various packaging materials such as aluminum foil, plastic, cellophane, paper and all types of metal, glass, plastic and paper containers to best advantage in your freezer.

L. D. STEWART, Manager

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"Oldest Bank In Eastland County"

# THE BEST - -

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### CHEANEY NEWS Mrs. Bill Tucker, neporter

talk in general, and whether or aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Butler. is left from last weeks rain.

dications of oil in productive quan gers.

an interest to the local happen- John Tucker home on Sunday. ings. 2nd. Lt Ernest F. Dean of folk, Virginia for basic training mer. in the Air Corps. He went to Crane, Texas Tuesday where he will be employed by the Atlantic Oil Company until such time for his training.

Mrs. C. F. Chestnut and son, Donny of Ranger, visited Friday in the Monroe Ainsworth home. Roy Gene Ainsworth spent Friday night in Ranger with Donny.

church services at Cheaney Sun- asurer, Mrs. John Love, service grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. day, while here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Black- licity chairman. Courses each day

pton and children, Fred, Joe, San lic Relations, The Service Pro-

GLENDALE

more drougth. Some plowing is Loresta, and Bill Logan were the West, TFBF sec-treas., O. K. Hoystill being done to rid the fields ones from this community to at- le and Leon Lane, fieldmen. Inof late grass and little moisture tend the annual barbecue, spon- formation, Bill Hoover, Dr. Herb sored by the Production Credit ert E. Stotts, and Austin Crown-Everybody has been listening Association on Saturday at Step- over, sales director. and watching the drilling which henville. They reported that East | While at the Institute arrangeis in progress on the Shirley land County won the trophy for ments were made to have Dr.

Brown place, near the Alameda the largest number in attendance. Stotts for guest speaker at the school site lately. Operations call Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lemley at- annual County-Wide Barbecue. for deep drilling and Saturdays tended from Alameda communi- This calls for a change in the picture logging showed good in- ty, also Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rod- date from August 31st to Septem

Visitors in the community dur- callers in the Richard Tucker this professor of Theology from ing the past few days have added home Saturday night and in the Denver, Colorado.

Mr. Noonan Melton of Avery, Tyler, Texas visited on Monday Texas arrived Sunday afternoon night with his uncle, Hatley Dean for an extended stay with his and Mrs. Dean. Lt. Dean receiv- brother, William Melton, Mrs. ed his Degree in petroleum en- Melton and other relatives. His gineering at A & M College in health is improved enough to the spring and will go to Nor- make a vacation trip this sum-

and Helen Blackwell in Ranger ties until his retirement a few been built than in any other com Sunday afternoon.

ceived their certificates of award his wife. He was a member of the ance should keep pace with a for having attended classes dur- Church of Christ at Ranger where growing Texas. ing the sixth annual Farm Bur- he obeyed the gospel a number of STATE HOSPITALS: One of Aleau Institute at College Station years ago. August 1st through 5th. These were A. Z. Myrick, president of Shirley (J. S.) Brown of Alameda, Mrs. Maurine Eastland and son, the Eastland County Farm Buragent, and Mrs. Bill Tucker, pub- O. B. Jarrett of Baird. in History and Philosophy, Legis Minister and Mrs. Graham Com lation, Developing Leaders, Pub- the Alameda Cemetery with Mordra and Randy of Weatherford, gram and others pertaining to co-

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unty, State, and National Policies of Farm Bureau were under the and their niece and nephew, Mary supervision of capable instructors Helen and Paul Gillispie of Dal-such as O. R. Long, American las, also the father, Kay Gillispie Farm Bureau Federation, J. Walof Dallas, were guests Sunday in ter Hammond, Texas Farm Bur-Continued hot weather is the the home of their parents and eau president, Kenneth Ingwalson, AFBF, Dr. W. P. Sanford, not the crops will stand much Mr. and Mrs. John Love and Mrs. Crebla McGill, TFBF, J. H.

ber 11, but a treat worthwhile is tities as stated by Kenneth Brown Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poteet were promised if you will come to hear

Mr. J. L. Brown, pioneer resi-

He is survived by two sons, and Dale Brown of Baird, and sev Butch of Ft Worth, attended the eau, Ray A. Norris, secretary-tre-eral grandchildren, seven great

Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at he said recently, "and the proris Funeral Home in charge.

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## Allan Shivers Is First With Texans because-

PUBLIC SCHOOLS: As a State ported, sponsored or signed every the past twenty years. The Texas Public School System today is fore. He believes Texas must con of our schools.

### WATER CONSERVATION:

Allan Shivers is a strong, outspoken advocate of water and soil conservation. He has a far-sighted program in this important dent of the Cheaney-Alameda area and the proven leadership 8, 1954 at the West Texas Clinic Number One domestic problem".

in Ranger where he had been a ROADS: Allan Shivers was one daughter of Monohans. patient for several weeks. He was of the original sponsors of the 83 years of age, most of this time farm-to-market road system in was spent on the farm home near Texas. During his administration week with his mother, Mrs. Mag-Alameda. He was active in civic more miles of farm to market Loresta Love visited Charlene and school and community activi- roads and state highways have years ago, when he moved into parable period. He believes high-Four Eastland countians re- Ranger, following the death of way construction and mainten-

> lan Shivers' first official acts as Portales, N. M. with a brother, Governor was to call a special Mr. Bill Hammond and family. session of the Legislature to apdeplorable conditions then exist- J. Sparkman. ing for the unfortunate patients. Funeral services were held on "We have made great progress," gram must be carried on."

### INSURANCE REGULATION:

An far back as 1951, Allan Shipublic. Action is being taken to weed out unsound companies. The clean-up campaign launched by his administration will be con

# OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:

Allan Shivers, as a State Senator wrote the first Old Age Assistance Law. Two years ago, he promised the old people of Texas he would seek a constitutional amendment to increasse old age pensions. That amendment will be voted on by the people next November. Allan Shivers carries

### out his promises. LOCAL GOVERNMENT:

Allan Shivers believes government should be kept as close to home as possible. He is firmly convinced that the Supreme Court should give local scool boards maximum latitude in handling the many difficult, varied problems that, in future years will grow out of the segregation

ECONOMY: Despite the vast improvements that have been made Texas still ranks among the lowest in the nation in per capita state taxes. Unlike mose states, Texas operates on a cash basis without either a sales tax or state income tax. Allan Shivers is opposed to both.

TIDELANDS: Allan Shivers courageously battled for years to return to Texas school children the tidelands, rightfully owned by Texas but unjustly seized by the federal government. He helped achieve a conclusive victory, and since then, the tidelands have already added \$32 million to the state's Permanent School Fund. CLOSE TO PEOPLE:

Allan Shivers has visited in near ly every section of Texas as Gov ernor because he likes people, en joys talking with them and profits from their comments and advice. As a result of his genuine interest in people, he and his fine family have became known and loved throughout the State as representatives of the highest type of Christian citizenship. THE FULL PROGRAM:

Allan Shivers already has been recognized as one of Texas' great governors, and as one of the best in the nation. He wants to complete the dynamic, positive program for Texas started with his leadership. Upon the solid foundation already built, and with his demonstrated ability to get the job done, the peole of Texas can enjoy state government at its best during the next two years.

Pd. pol. adv.

# For Governor--Allan Shivers

### Desdemona News Reporter, Mrs. Ethel Keith

'Mrs. Joe Quinn who has been skin ailment was able to return ily. home Saturday and is very much improved.

Visitors in the Ethel Keith Senator, Lieutenant Governor home for the week end were Moores. and Governor, Allan Shivers sup Bernard Keith and the T. R. Wilcoxsons, all of Odessa. The Wilmajor piece of legislation during coxsons will be here for a two- Walker visited Sunday in Valley while Brother Layton Plaster was weeks vacation and will visit the Mills with mother and grandmo- minister of the Church of Christ J. M. Wilcoxsons, Mr. and Mrs. ther, Mrs. F. Davis, who has been and lectured with colored movies

The annual homecoming will ed quite improved. tinue to meet the growing needs be at the Community Tabernacle this Saturday, August 14th. The the crowd.

Guests in the Hugh Abel home Mrs. Geo. Patterson has returnduring the week end were their ed home after an extended visit community, passed away Sunday to carry it through. "Soil and wa- daughter, Mrs. S. W. Walker, and with their son, Chester Patterson afternoon at 4:15 p. m., August ter conservation constitute our children, Roger and Sharon, also and family, in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lindley and

> Mr. and Mrs. James Pool of Dallas visited a few days last

Mrs. Sally Huffman was back on her job Monday after a twoweeks vacation trip. Mrs. Huffman spent one week in Novice with a son, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee Anderson, and a week in

Mr. and oMrs. Homer Joe Spark propriate \$29 million additional man and daughters of Stephenadministrative funds and \$35 mil ville spent the week end here lion in building funds to improve with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

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the week end here with his par- ON HER 81ST BIRTHDAY ents, Mr. and Mrs. Jep Bowls.

Mr. Shan Kelly of Ft Worth in Scott and White Hospital for was a visitor Saturday with Mr.

> Mrs. Virgil Branham and chil- 7th. dren of Lamesa are visiting this

more outstanding than ever be- Brooks Wilcoxson and Troy Dale. ill for quite a while but is report-

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Maddux committee has a nice program out and children and Mrs. N. S. Parlined. Make your plans to be with tain, all of Dublin, visited awhile Sunday in the Ethel Keith home.

# NEED SOMETHING

# Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Bowls spent CHILDREN VISIT MOTHER

The eleven children of Mrs. J. O. Echols, formerly of Gorman, several weeks suffering from a and Mrs. Casey Meazelle and fam end and enjoyed her 81st birthday celebration Saturday, August

> Among those present were Mr. week with her parents, the Floyd and Mrs. O. L. Seals, Rt 2, Gorman. Also Eldred Echols.

> Eldred Echols is missionary to Mrs. Lora Abel and Mrs. Helen Africa. He visited in Gorman at the church.

> > Echols is again visiting relativ-

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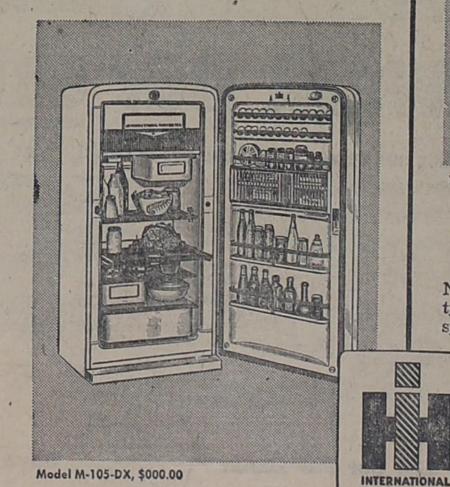
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Abilene Reporter News - Aug. 8, 1954 When Texas went into the Republican presidential column in 1952, the determining local factor in the Eisenhower victory was the attitude of his party and himself toward the question of state ownership of the tidelands. Both were on record firmly in favor of state ownership.

Historically, the Democratic Party to which Texas and the South have clung stubbornly for a hundred years, except under the most extraordinary circumstances, was a state's rights party. Under the New Deal and Fair Deal its historic role was reversed, in practice, and the national Democratic Party became the promoter of centralization and federal domination over the states.

The question of state ownership of tidelands is too long to go into here, but in 1894 offshore oil deposits were discovered in California, and that State's Legis lature enacted a mineral leasing law containing provisions for issuing leases for exploration of offshore oil and gas resources.

More than forty years later the first serious challenge to state ownership was thrown down by Harold Ickes, then secretary of interior, and thereafter one of the prime objectives of New Deal bureaucracy was to seize ownership and control. In 1947 the U.S. Supreme Court handed down a decision holding that the federal government had paramount rights over tidelands.

But a fact generally overlooked is that the court went on to assert that, as to power to dispose of public lands, including offshore lands, "the constitutional power of Congress . . is without limi-

The year before, in 1946, the Congress had enacted a law awarding ownership to the states, but President Truman vetoed it on August 2.

In 1948 the House again passed, 257 to 29, a bill awarding the tidelands to the states, but the bill was not taken up by the Senate. In 1950 the Supreme Court applied its California decision to Texas and Louisiana, but neither in these latter cases nor in the California case did the court determine TITLE to these

That was the province of Congress. In

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1052 Congress once more adopted a quitclaim bill in favor of the states, and once more Mr. Truman vetoed it.

These facts are recited here to show how and why the tidelands issue got into this gubernatorial race. They explain why Texas got into the Republican column in 1952, a circumstance for which his enemies blame Allan Shivers.

Shivers journeyed to Springfield, Ill., to find out just where Adlai Stevenson, the Democratic presidential nominee, stood on the tidelands issue, though a majority of Democrats in Congress had twice voted for state ownership, only to have the bill knocked down by President Truman. The result of that conference made history, for Stevenson upheld the federal ownership.

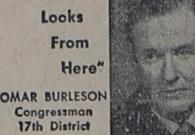
That was when Allan Shivers and a majority of Texas voters went over the hill from the national Democratic Party. The election of Stevenson would have led to a third veto of state ownership, for he declared during the campaign that the submerged oil lands are "a national and not a state, asset."

This newspaper at the time suggested Mr. Stevenson might have softened the blow by stating that, in view of Congress repeated award of the lands to the states, he would not go against the will of Congress as Truman had done. On the contrary he made it perfectly plain that he would veto such a bill. It would be his will, as it was twice Thuman's, against the will of Congress. And the Supreme Court had made it clear that Congress' power to so declare was "without limitation." Nevertheless Truman had twice thwarted the will of Congress and Stevenson was prepared to thwart it a third time.

Mr. Yarborough and his supporters have a rather embarrasing task. They must convince the people that Shivers was wrong in following the Presidential candidate who offered to give Texas justice in the tidelands case, and at the same time avoid an implied insult to the 1,102,878 Texans who followed Shivers into the Eisenhower camp in 1952.

The grab-everything boys won't let the tidelands issue alone. This is one Washington

"As It Looks From Here'



WASHINGTON, D. C .- The Administration has been searching the water goes topsoil, wasted of each dollar spent by the Amer for a practical plan on which to for future generations. The unbase a law to keep subversives derground water table continues in this Country, 56 cents now and disloyal persons out of de- to drop all over the State of goes for processing, marketing, fense plants. Defense plants, of Texas. The future of the great and transportation charges. The course, are operated by private in Southwest cannot be assured on farmer receives 44 cents. Of this dustry. Industry has found that present conditions. they run head-long into labor laws which unintentionally protect subversives.

Committee looking into the mat- have been made. ter has not come up with a practical answer, and feel that a Com FARM PRICES AND mission should be set up to study the question and recommend Session of Congress.

Doing Something About Water Conservation

introduced HR 10105 entitled, "A of \$2.81 a bushel, and the aver-Bill to authorize purchase of a age price of a one-pound loaf of portion of the bonds issued by bread was 13.8 cents. Today the the Brazos River Authority, an farm price of wheat has dropped agency of the State of Texas, to to about \$1.91 perbushel, yet the by it of the water resources of bread has increased to 17 cents. the Brazos River Basin, Texas." Thus while the price of wheat

I pointed out that it was not ex- has advanced 23%. The farm pected that the legislation could value of the wheat in a onebe considered in this Session. pound loaf of bread is 2.7 cents. The purpose of presenting it at this time was to allow the various Departments and Agencies of the Government, and others interested, to study the proposition before the Congress convenes again in January.

zos River, and for the improvement of the Possum Kingdom Dam itself.

In my statement I pointed out that this was unique in that an the Brazos River Authority - pro posed to pay interest on money

one nickel as a gift. The agency even proposes to pay the Army Engineers for their survey.

people doing something for them cotton. Cutting back the price of to's y earlier groposed by Presi- the price of a shirt. dent Eisenhower

serve our soil and water. Accord and if the confectioners get ing to the experts, we only save their peanuts free this would not about 12% of the water which change the price of a 5-cent canfalls and the remainder goes into dy bar. the Gulf of Mexico. Along with

There are some who oppose the plan to harness the waters of the plows, gasoline, and other sup-Brazos River. Some of the ob- plies required for modern farm-Both labor and industry are de jections have merit, but it is pro ing. Thus the farmer and his fam sirous of firing those who may be posed during the coming months lily have about 14 cents out of dangerous to have working in conditions be met to satisfy each consumer dollar for domesthese plants. The Congressional many of the complaints which

# THE COST OF FOOD

The Committee on Agriculture needed legislation. Probably no- has produced an impressive rething will be done until the next | port showing that the severe decline in farm prices has not benefited the consumer.

As an example, in 1948 the Last week on August 3rd, I price of wheat reached a peak finance the early development average price of this same loaf of In a statement to the Congress declined 32%, the price of bread A cotton shirt costing \$3.95 THE GORMAN PROGRESS, AUGUST 12, 1954 Gorman, Eastland County, Texas

his is an instance of local contains about 30 cents' worth of selves and is in line with the cotton would mean very little in

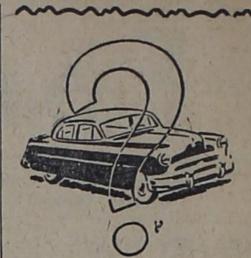
A 5-cent candy bar contains Talk alone is ont going to con about 1 cent's worth of peanuts

> These are only examples. Out ican housewife for food produced 44 cents, approximately 30 cents goes to purchase tractors, trucks, tically produced food for their cost and investment.

The farmer's share of the consumer dollar has dropped in recent years and months, as farm prices have declined, while retail food prices have remained at 1952 peak levels.

It is not the fault of the retail grocer. He has to meet the high charges of processing, marketing and transportation, and until a way is found to reduce this cost, the consumer will have little re-

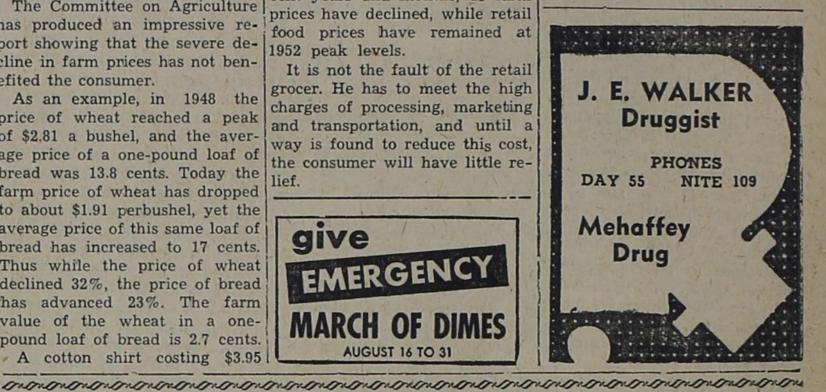
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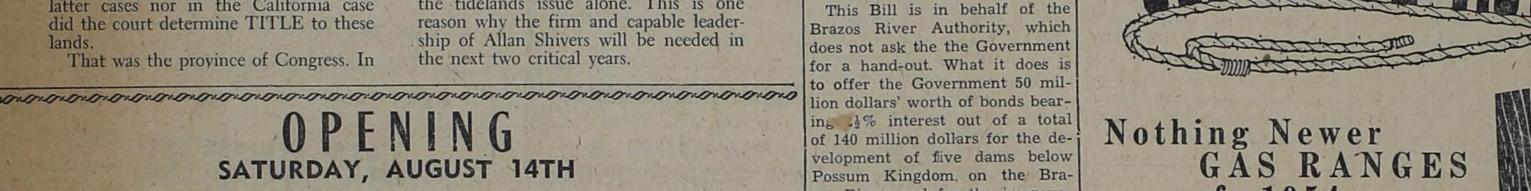


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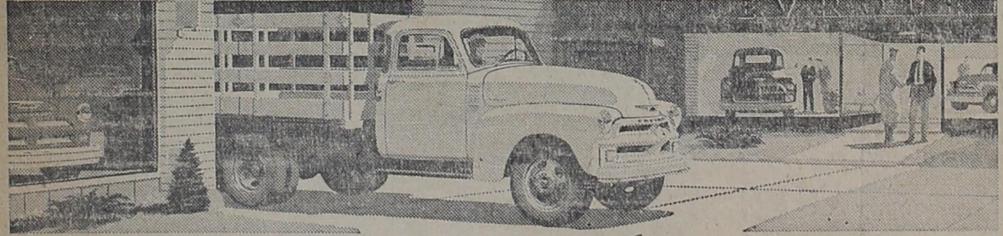


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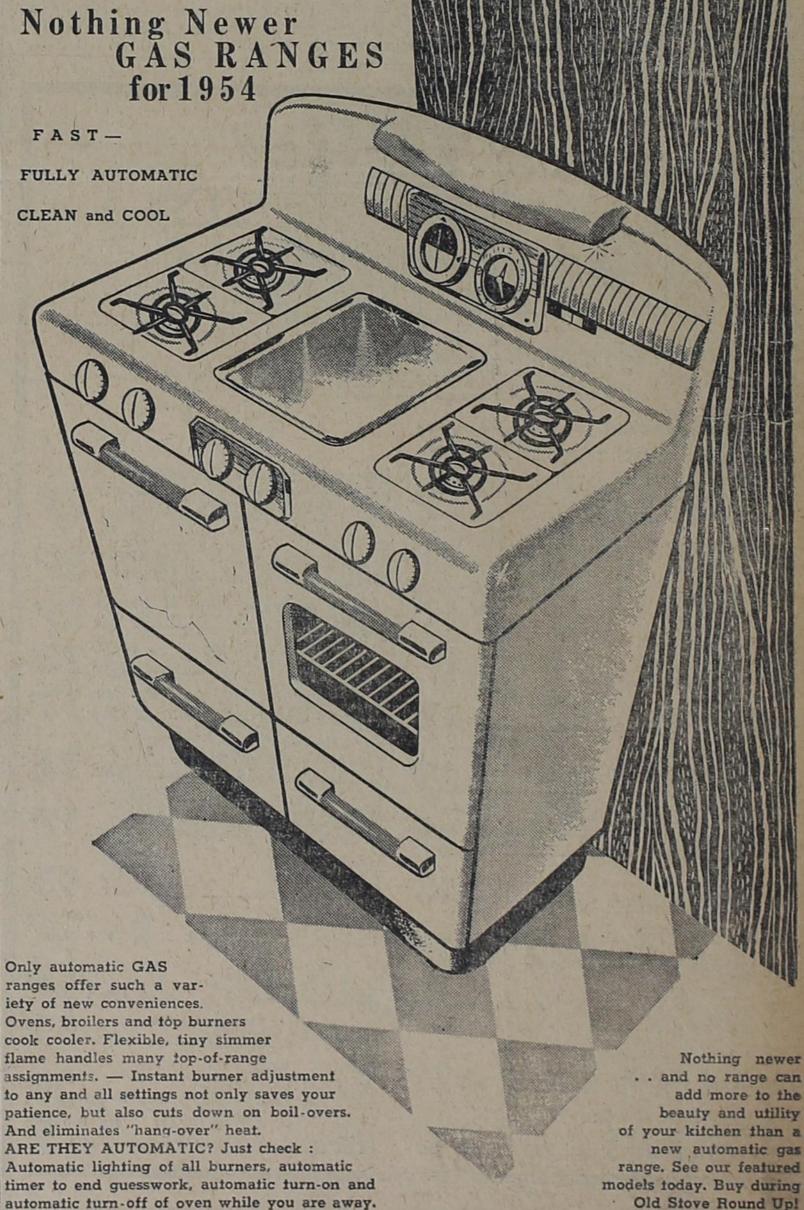
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# Gorman Wins Top Spot In Baseball Tournament Here

high flying Cisco team 11 to Saturday night to win the Gorman Baseball Tournament. Although considered a pushover by Cisco fans, Gorman played championship ball as starter Clyde Nooncaster pitched a 3 hitter and struck out 20 of 27 batters to face him. In first round play the Gorman team beat Olden 6 to 1 while Cisco eliminated a stronger foe in beating Dublin 11 to 5.

In the semi-finals Gorman beat Eastland 13-3 and Cisco beat the Breckenridge team 1 to 0.

Eastland had thrashed the color ed boys in first round play 14 to 4 and Breckenridge, the Tournament favorite, had beat Strawn

The Gorman team then decided since it was the championship game they would give the Cisco team a lesson on how to play baseball. Pete Joiner, Clyde Evatt Jim West and Gene Rodgers led the Gorman batters.

Players won prizes donated by the Merchants of Gorman for the Tournament.

Although having a good bunch of hard playing boys to help him most of the fans agreed it was to much Nooncaster as the big right hander set a strike out record for a single Tournament game with 20 strike outs. Nooncaster was the winning pitcher and Dizzy Howell the loser.

## Poynor's One Hitter Stops Cisco Team

The Gorman team, behind the one hit pitching of Mgr. Stub Poy nor, again defeated the Cisco team 9 to 0 in a practice game Tuesday.

Clyde Nooncaster and Larry Miller led the Gorman team with 3 hits each. Frank Howeth, the Cisco first baseman, collected the only Cisco hit of the night, a single in the bottom of the sixth with two men out. The Gorman team, who had defeated this same team Saturday night 11 to 3 to win the Gorman Baseball Tournament, were out after their sec-

ond win in as many games. Poynor went the entire route for Gorman, pitching a near perfect game by allowing only one hit in blanking the Cisco team. Poynor was winning pitcher and Dizzy Howell the loser.

Cisco, fresh from a knock-down and drag-out with Breckenridge Monday night, were unable to fig ure out what was happening as Gorman jumped to a quick 2 run lead in the first, scored 4 more in the second and wound up with 9 runs to win the game.

Gorman, turning in one of the best games of the season, had very few fans at the game as Mr. J. O. Jackson and wife were the only ones who made the journey to Cisco to see them play. Our hats off to loyal fans like them.

Gorman will enter the Cisco Tournament next Monday night and drew the Strawn team in first round play. They will play the Glen Rose team in Bosque Valley play here Sunday at 2:30.

# **BV** Baseball News

Dublin, Hico and Iredell were the winners in Sunday's games. Next Sunday finds Glen Rose at Gorman, Iredell at Hico, Dublin at Alexander.

There are only two games left before the play off starts. Attend these games.

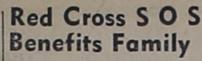
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HOME DEMO CLUBS HEAR MISS SERGIO AT CONVENTION

Demonstration Association attend clothing, a stove and refrigerator. ing the State Convention this 3 Sergio of Woodstock, Vermont.

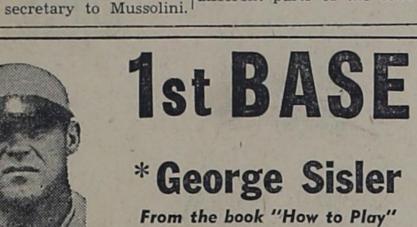
stone of Freedom."

One of the most widely known; of lecturers, Miss Sergio at one different parts of the county. time was secretary to Mussolini.



The Red Cross S O S broadcast over KERC Wednesday evening telling of the loss of their home by Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hogan Delegates of the Texas Home brought in many items including

The response was the result of The Gorman team downed the week in Dallas heard Miss Lisa effort put forth by Mrs. L. E. Mc vating on mattresses. We make in San Antonio, He also operated you a member. Graw, chairman of Eastland Red new cotton and innerspring mat- a service station while in San Miss Sergio brought the key- Cross, and the cooperation of note speech, "Home - The Corner newscaster, James Dabney, of station KERC, Eastland.



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Chapter 14

PHYSICAL EQUIPMENT

for the guardian of the bag to dinarily, the first baseman stand in a position ten or 15 must reach forward, or to one feet from the base, then run side as far as possible, in from an infielder, the pitcher It is poor policy, most of the or catcher. However, it not time, to back up on a low only is a very important po- throw. He will find that it sition, but one that demands will be much easier to make much study in order to play it the catch if he reaches for-

In my opinion, there are he must be able to field such eight separate divisions that throws. require study and attention in order for a gateway guard- able to use the maximum ian to play first base the way length of his reach, either for it should be played. These catching wide throws or eight categories are:

physical equipment. B—Shifting.

C-Covering the base.

D—Fielding bunts. E-Throws, or tosses, to

pitcher covering the bag. F-Cut-off plays. G-Backing up other posi-

H—Intelligence. Any player who can cor-rectly qualify for all of these

play first base adequately. I will take up each of these divisions and point out what is necessary for each.

first base.

high, or to his left or right, ed toward the ball. and in doing so make almost | Illustrating how to make a a 100 per cent job out of it.

many times when a catch tion at the right time. with one hand is necessary

First base is the most mis- must be able to make such understood position on the a catch. He also must be able infield. Many fans believe to catch low throws, or make that all there is to the job is what are called pick-ups. Orover and catch the throw catching low or wide throws. ward to make "pick-ups" and

The first baseman must be reaching up for high throws, A-The player's necessary by keeping the toe, instead of the heel or ball of his foot, on the bag. Touching the bag with the toe gives the first baseman several inches of extra reach and often this is important.

B—Shifting is a very important division. The inability to shift correctly has kept many a promising first baseman from playing the position properly.

A first baseman must be natural in shifting his feet, eight divisions will be able to so that he will be able to shift from one side of the bag to the side where the ball is thrown in order to make an easy catch, or a possible catch, in a smooth manner. Other-A-A player covering first wise, it might be difficult, if base must have the physical not impossible, to make the equipment necessary for that catch. On a ball thrown on position. He must be endowed the second base side of the with a good pair of hands bag, the left foot of the first that will take a lot of pound- baseman naturally should be ing, day after day. A player on the bag and the right foot with so-called brittle hands extended in the direction from has no business trying to play which the ball is coming.On balls thrown on the opposite A successful first sacker side—the home-plate side also must have the ability to the right foot of the first basecatch a thrown ball at any man should be contacting the height, low, even in the dirt, bag and the left foot extend-

shift correctly, let us suppose, Some first basemen have for example, the left foot is the fault of juggling or miss- on the bag, and the right foot ing throws other than those to the right of the bag. In a coming to them as very easy natural jumping motion, the chances. A bility to catch left foot must be raised and throws of all kinds, and from extended to a position to the all angles, requires a good left of the bag, while the pair of hands. The player right foot comes down on the must be able to make a catch | bag. This is the usual and natwith one hand in a satisfacto- ural way for a first baseman ry manner, even though it is a to shift. The secret of correct poor policy to catch a throw shifting lies in the naturalwith one hand when both ness of the shift and the abilhands can be used. There are ity to shift in the right direc-

and a good first baseman \*As related to Harold W. Lanigan.

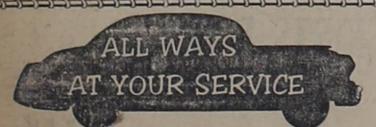
This is the fourteenth in a series of articles to help give proper instruction to boys in How to Play Baseball. Future columns will include Infielding, Outfielding and Base Running.

Chapters prior to this are available from this newspaper, or you can order "HOW TO PLAY," consisting of 112 pages, from The Sporting News, 2018 Washington Ave., St. Louis 3, Mo., for fifty cents a copy.

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### Johnny Bennett Opens **Gulf Service Station**

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Bennett has been working as

Since returning to Gorman he has purchased the Shelby Frazier METHODIST PASTOR ILL home near the school.

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### DUSTER **ROCK BLUFF NEWS** Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Reporter

Duster Baptist revival begins County 4-H Clubbers in of De Leon will do the preaching. You are invited to attend day and night services.

Church of Christ had good attendance. Their meeting is in pro gress and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Refrigerators, Washing Machines Mary Jane Ross is not feeling to and Gas Ranges, and the Prices well at this time. Her grandson, annual 4-H Junior Leadership man High, is a student at Texas Mr. Bill Ross, and Mrs. Ross of program, it was announced by Tech College. Upon completion of

Mr. and Mrs. John Brownlee of Lucy Lane. aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graham in the statewide program are States Army Reserve.

Fleming, Rt. 1, De Leon. 9-16p Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brewer, in Robert Russell Bell and Robert Canal Zone where he has been San Angelo on Thursday.

ghter, Sandra of Kounty, Texas.

dell Pounds Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halbrooks, Mrs. Vera Simpson and Mrs. War ris, is in eighth grade at Carbon school prior to becoming an inren of De Leon.

guest, her mother, Mrs. W. C. Pritchett, and Mr. and Mrs. Arvil years. She has been carrying Germany on August 24th enroute Pritchett of Kemp, Texas, a few dairy foods demonstrations for to the States.

Bingham, several days.

Fort Worth for a visit.

Mrs. Mat Haynes and daughter, Please mail correct amount on Martha of Rising Star, visited Mr.

# Gorman In 1939

The Eastland-Callahan Medical Society met in Gorman August 15th, 1939. Some thirty members gathered to hear prominent speak ers from Fort Worth and Temple. School was set to open September 4th with Superintendent B. B. Brumment and all other teach ers retaining their positions.

The Presbyterians announced a revival beginning August 13th with Dr. Pierce of Fort Worth doing the preaching.

The Knights of Pythians Round Up Club met in Eastland August 9th. Members from Gorman attending were Glyn Kirk, Ardell Jim Bennett, Bernard Blair, Davroe, Berrie Williams and John

Mrs. Walter Dixon attended the Auto Service Rural Letter Carrier Auxiliary National Convention in Oregon. Buyers from Cisco, Ranger, Rist ing Star, Eastland, De Leon and other places were attending the Livestock Auction Sales.

# PROGRESS CORRECTION

makes the following correction: Home Burns Tuesday" the paragraph reading, "It is also reported the loss was covered by possibly 20 percent of the value," appeared in the August 5th edition.

Mr. H. R. Mason has stated that the company which he represents, Atlantic Insurance Co., with which Mr. and Mrs. Hogan had their place insured, paid the full amount for which the place was insured, \$5000

Mr. Mason visited the site of the fire Tuesday evening. When he contacted the company on Wednesday morning, August 4th, an inspector came immediately and a check for the amount was received by the Hogans on Saturday, August 7th.

# Church of God

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, Out-door singing and prayer

The little church with a big firemen on a railroad while living welcome, where Salvation makes

> Attend church Sunday. Mrs. May Frazee, Pastor

Rev. J. W. Sharbutt, pastor of wash, grease and polishing jobs. entered the Blackwell Hospital brother, Rev. Frank Skaggs, have with an organic infection. But is four decades. reported to be improved.

morning and Sunday evening by have been with their people dur-Rev. Kendall Bond of De Leon. ing good times and bad triak Rock Bluff had good attendance Mr. Bond finished Texas Wesle- They are highly respected and Mattresses Rebuilt - Have your Sunday, also at each day and yan in June and plans to resume it may be said revered citizens

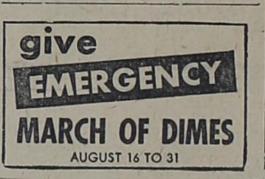
# Attend August Leadership School

Six Eastland County 4-H Club of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bailey, Rt. members will attend the Texas 1, De Leon has been attending 4-H Junior Leadership Training ROTC Summer Camp at Fort Ber Laboratory at Bastrop State Park, ning, Georgia. August 23-28, as winners in the Fort Worth visited her. They also Extension Service District Agents the Senior year advanced ROTC visited Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pounds R. G. Burwell and Miss Annie course at the college in Lubbock

Nancy Carol Norris, Route 1, East Mr. and Mrs. George Scott visit land; Janice Kay Justice, and A1/C O. H. Lucke arrived home Kirk Bostick, both of Nimrod, stationed with the U. S. Air Force

8-19p Mr. and Mrs. Guy Heath and dau- Gas in cooperation with the Texas Kenneth Ezzell arrived home Agricultural Extension Service of Saturday morning for a 15-day

ghter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nor- will now attend an instructors Junior High School, and a mem-structor. Mrs. Harvey Hall had as her ber of the Carbon 4-H Club. She has been in 4-H work for four her 4-H Club for the past two Mr. and Mrs. Mac Goats and years, and has been working in children from Sweetwater visited the Junior Leadership program turn from the Far East at an earher parents, Mr. and Mrs. David for one year. Nancy is president ly date. of her local 4-H Club and has Billie and Pansy Coan are in also served as parliamentarian, song and game leader, reporter and vice president. She is also a member of the county planning



# **Duster Baptist** Begin Revival

The Duster Baptist Church will begin a revival Friday night, Au-

Rev. John Ivy, pastor of the North Baptist Church in De Leon will be preaching.

Noting the date Friday, 13th, Rev. Willie Skaggs said, "I have heard that Friday the 13th is the luckiest day in history.".

Rev. Skaggs pastors the Rock Bluff Church and the Kokome Church. Reared just over the Eastland County line in Coman-Friday. He continues to suffer been preaching in this area for

They have seen many folks ac-His pulpit was filled Sunday cept the Christian faith. They

# With Our Boys In Service

We note that Martin Bailey, som

Martin, a 1951 graduate of Gor Martin will be commissioned as The Eastland County winners a 2nd Lieutenant in the United

Visitors in the home of Mr. and and Don Jobe, Route 4, Cisco. for more than a year. He will be The leadership lab is directed stationed at Biggs AFB, El Pase

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wen the Texas A & M College System. leave from his base in Mississippi. Miss Norris, 14-year-old dau- He has finished his school and

Dwayne Clement will leave

Roy Dennis is scheduled to re-

# **Bus Drivers Elected**

School Bus Drivers for the 1954 1955 school year elected at a recent meeting of the school beard are: Graydon Baze, Neal Clark Jack Harrison, Hubert Craddock Ellis Hilliard, Dick Wynn, and Dale Brightwell.

Mr. Wynn and Mr. Brightwell will drive half-time. Wynn in the morning and Brightwell in the afternoon.



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# Keeping Up With Our Friends - -

Editor Fred Wortham of the Ranger Times visited in the Progress office Monday. Wortham is a native of Whitesboro where he had worked before joining the Times force.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Glasson and family of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Glasson with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. returned to Gorman with them. the praying. J. L. Glasson.

go to the Ft Worth and Dallas is working in her stead at the and I think everyone went away business and civic organizations markets Tuesday.

June Alsabrook of Haskell has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Alsabrook, during the past four weeks. June returns to her home Tuesday.

Mrs. Alsabrook. They attended a Medford returned to Abilene Mon through the 8th of August. day where she is attending the Draughons Business College.

Mrs. Pullig is taking several days Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frossard will vacation and Mrs. R. E. Boucher Empire Southern Gas Co.

Mrs. Delores Medford of Abi- have been a pretty busy bunch. urday, August 20 - 21. lene was a week end visitor of The first week we were making

this point that we have had a rill, Mayor of De Leon.

We had a very good attendance, rolet Company. People from all over the state and Savior, Jesus Christ and we, Leon parade. as a church, have started now to make the revival of 1955 a greater success than the one just past. L. E. Capers, Reporter.

TWO COUPLES ENJOY CALIFORNIA VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Clark left Sat who experienced an operation for urday morning for a vacation trip removal of cataract in Mineral which took them to California. They planned to go the scenic her daughter, Mrs. W. T. Shell. northern route via Grand Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Boucher visited in Slaton and Lubbock last week.

Donnie and Danny and Butch, visited with the Arland Watsons cuperate from a major operation last week. Sunday visitors of the at her home. Watsons were Mrs. J. M. McCormack and Mrs. H. Burleson of THEY VISIT IN IOWA De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Moorman of Ft Worth visited with his grandmother, Mrs. Dona Moorman, dur ing the week end.

Mrs. Edna Nunnley has return ed from New Mexico.

Bobby Gale Hallmark of Lackland AFB was seen about town friends and relatives here. during the week end.

Bob Boswell and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Boswell, Monday.

Mr. E. E. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Todd were Abilene visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker visit ed their son, Mickey Parker, and Mrs. Parker in Amarillo and went to other towns in the Panhandle and West Texas while spending several days vacation last week

and during the week end. Mrs. Othell Clark, Bill and Mary Caroline visited in De Leon

Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. I, E. McWhirter of Fort Worth visited the Eugene Bakers Tuesday afternoon.

Neil Sutton of Borger visited his mother, Mrs. Martha Sutton, during the week end.

Otha Dane Ainsworth of San Diego, Calif. is visiting his grand mother, Mrs. Lou McMullen.

New Hope Church Trail Festival Queen, will participate in the De Leon Peach and i For the past two weeks we Melon Festival Friday and Sat-

> Mayor T. L. Jay on behalf of to the celebration, in response to

# Illness In Gorman

Mr. John Wheeler, Rt. 1, Gorman is in Mineral Wells this week experiencing an eye operation for removal of cataracts. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wheeler.

Mrs. Tom Coleman of Cisco, Wells last week is at the home of

Mr. Jerry Clark left Sunday for Austin where he will receive com

Mr. Pat Collins has been at Blackwells this week being treat-Mrs. Warren Moore and sons, ed for flu and a virus infection. Mrs. Buchanan continues to re-

Mrs. Homer Wood and Mrs. Daisy Peveto and daughters, Sunny and Bennie, have returned from a trip to Iowa where they visited Mary and family. They were accompanied home by Mary and Deborah who are visiting

ching, the author of two books.

# **Longtime County** Resident Passes

Mr. John Brown, who was past eighty years and a longtime resident of the Cheaney Community, passed away Sunday.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in the Alameda Cemetery.

Surviving the deceased are his sons, Shirley Brown of Cheaney and Dale Brown of Baird. No other particulars were avail

able at this writing.

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preparations for the revival be- the City of Gorman has named family reunion at Glen Rose. Mrs. ginning July 30th and continuing Miss Todd, Duchess of Gorman And I would like to state at an invitation from Mr. Eldon Ter-

Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Pullig visit wonderful revival. It was an old Duchess Ernestine will appear ed in Sherman during the week time revival. Rev. Lee Fields did in the parade Friday in a sports and family spent the week end end. Mrs. E. L. Stinnett and sons the preaching and the church did model Chevrolet driven by W. Check Smith of Smith Bros. Chev

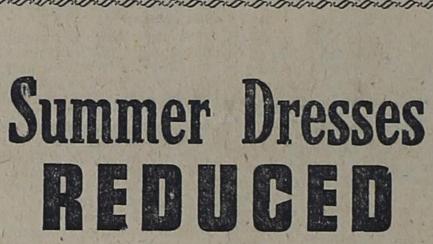
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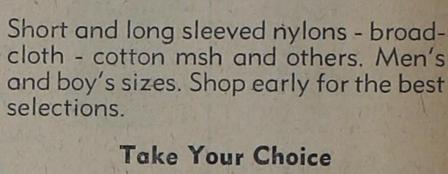
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