



# THE GORMAN PROGRESS

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### A RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Democratic party does not have to resort to hot air, and fine talk, to prove its service. It simply points to things actually done.

The list of constructive measures of epoch making character enacted by the Democratic administration is a long one. It is rare that so much is done in the term of any one president.

It used to be characteristic of Republican Congress, that they would get together and talk and talk, and fill the Congressional Record with a mountain of very eloquent speeches. Then they would go home without having solved any of the big problems of the country.

The Democratic Congress were led by men who felt keenly the evils from which the country was suffering. Defying all criticism, they stuck to it until they enacted a great body of constructive legislation.

Prominent among their great achievements were the federal reserve act, which ended the financial panics that came regularly under Republican administration; this act carried the country safely through the great war, the tariff law, which cut down the privileges granted to favored interests to tax the people unjustly, and admitted fair competition which must tend to keep prices on a normal basis; revision of the system of taxation, placing the chief burden of the war and of the government on great fortunes and war profits; the farm loan act, taking a long step toward developing agricultural production; establishment of the Federal Trade Commission, which has rendered signal service in protecting the people against corporate aggression.

These are but a few of the acts of the Democratic administration. The list would have been much further extended, had not the election of a Republican Congress prevented. The record of statesmenlike measures passed for relief of the people is greater than can be shown in any previous administration.

### NOTICE

Dress Making and Hemstitching at the Lemley Tailor Shop. 27-3tc

Phone us all your news and it will be appreciated.

## Postoffice Barber Shop

The Shop of Appreciation and Service. We solicit a share of your Barber and Bath Patronage. A. T. BUCHANAN, Prop.

## Geo. Blackwell, M. D. Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat Best Reading Glasses \$5.50 Best Bifocals \$16.50

Quit your aching about the spots in your clothes. Just carry them to Don Rodgers and he will take them out. 2c costs no mor to have it done right. 3tc

## G. W. WILLIAMS, M. D. PRACTICING PHYSICIAN

Office in back of Gorman Jewelry and Drug Store

Will serve calls day or night

CHRONIC DISEASES, DISEASES OF WOMEN.

A share of your patronage will be appreciated.

RES. PHONE 227

## J. B. BRANDON DENTIST

Office in Dr. Denton's Office Over Sutton Bros. GORMAN, TEXAS

Mrs. H. Miller of Gorman and her sister, Mrs. Hubbard, of Amarillo, were Wednesday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Jenkins. Mrs. Miller is the wife of the popular merchant of Gorman and Mrs. Hubbard of a railroad employee at Amarillo. These ladies are old time playmates of Mrs. Jenkins so they had a great day telling tales of ye olden times.—DeLeon Free Press.

Mrs. M. B. Coone has returned from the market trip she has been making in the interest of Higginbotham Bros. She reports all the markets crowded.

Miss Allie Bennett is visiting her sister at Bangs this week.

L. A. Braswell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Moore of Dublin Sunday.

### FOR SALE

1044 acres of land 20 miles south of Brownwood, 300 acres in cultivation, 250 acres subject to irrigation, two miles river front, three miles to school and church, 500 acres tillable, balance open mesquite grazing land, at \$25.00 per acre. 1/2 cash, balance easy terms.

4000 acres, 250 acres in cultivation, 1600 acres tillable, one mile river front three good wells, two windmills, nine tanks, two creeks, two good houses, two barns, four siloes, implement shed, blacksmith shop, 120 acres hog-proof fence, 2300 acres wolf-proof fence, at \$25.00 per acre, 1/2 cash, balance on easy terms.

Petty & Posey, Brownwood, Tex. Box 318

## THE NEW BANK

Is the bank of today. It is fitted to care for all your interests, gives you advice about your investments and looks after your needs in the way of finance. Our bank does this for you and gives each account the service that is necessary to it and all our patrons.

## Farmers State Bank & Trust Company

GORMAN, TEXAS

### PATRONIZE THOSE WHO PATRONIZE YOU

## THE BANK WILL LOAN YOU MONEY

If you are improving your place and trying to care for your crops. Now is the time to put your barn and hay sheds in shape for the care of your crop. What is the use of growing crops unless they are cared for. No sensible man will make a useful article and then throw it away. Then why let your crop waste by exposure to the weather. Get some lumber and put it under cover. We have all you need.

## T. S. ROSS LUMBER CO. GORMAN, TEXAS

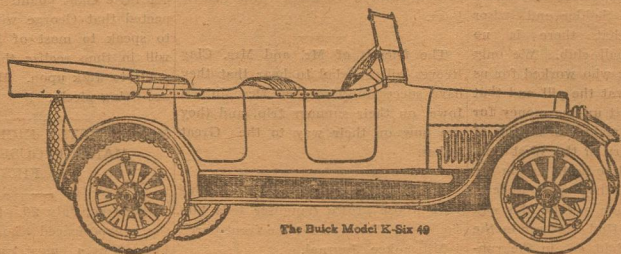


**B**UILT on the same extra-length chassis as that of the large Buick Sedan, this seven-passenger model represents, in open car design, an exact duplication in size and quality of the more costly closed body type. In every respect, its manufacture is just as scrupulous to fulfill in serviceability the promises made by its fine appearance. And the full measure of the Model K-Six-49 makes it generous in comfort—in roominess—in looks—in all other qualities that are best appreciated in combination with the powerful Buick Valve-in-Head Motor.

Prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan

Model K-44 - \$1695.00	Model K-46 - \$2235.00	Model K-48 - \$1865.00
Model K-45 - \$1595.00	Model K-47 - \$2465.00	Model K-50 - \$2895.00

Prices Revised April 1, 1920



The Buick Model K-Six 49

When better automobiles are built, Buick will build them

## Denton Motor Co.



If your need is legitimate, within the help of sound banking practice, it will be gladly met at this Bank.

Ana in any event we shall be pleased to have you call on us with any business problem that confronts you.

Our only excuse for existence as a Bank is the Service we render—so consider us Always.

YOUR FRIEND.



## Our New Fall Samples

Are here and we can show you some of the prettiest goods you ever saw. Come around and see them for yourself

Don Rodgers

Phone 78

Gorman, Texas

The pennies saved here grow into dollars



And you really do save here because experience has taught us that it is the best policy to give our customers the lowest prices consistent with first class quality.

## Higginbotham Brothers and Co.

One of our most highly recommended brands of goods is Belle of Wichita Flour. It is economical, reliable and the finest quality. Try it today.



# Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

of Texas

Our buyers have been in the northern markets buying a complete stock of Dry Goods, and Ladies' Wearing Apparel, and our new goods are arriving daily. We will show the largest assortment of

## Ladies' Ready to Wear, Dresses, Coat Suits and Hats

that has ever been shown in our city. Prices are right.

We have our Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Department practically completed, and invite all the ladies to inspect our goods and get our prices. We are going especially strong on Millinery and Ready-to-Wear this season.

## Our Shoe Department

is also going to be complete. We are now giving 20 per cent off on Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps and Men's Low Quarters.

## Our Furniture Department

is unsurpassed in Texas. Special prices this week on Springs, Mattresses and Pillows.

## Our Grocery

We have rearranged our Grocery, and are in a position to give you quick service. We have two motor trucks ready to come with your order on a minute's notice. We have plenty of Sugar on hand.

### Fresh Vegetables Daily

## Overstocked On Lumber

and it is a joy to figure your bills and furnish you estimates.

We are prepared this fall with our entire new equipment, to give you better service than ever before. We appreciate your calling and examining our stock and prices.

# Higginbotham Bros. & Company

"EVERYTHING"

Will meet any price or undersell anybody on lumber for we are OVERSTOCKED

Joe Jones was in Eastland Tuesday attending to business matters.

If you are thinking of buying a gas stove it will pay you to see Gambill Bros. before buying, as we carry one of the best stoves on the market, the Direct Action.—Gambill Bros.

Hubert Toombs was in Ranger last Sunday.

W. C. Brown was called to Walnut Springs Wednesday where he has a contract for the building of a large school building.

FOR RENT—A good 6-room house. Inquire of M. B. Comer. 27-2tp  
Tom Williams of Comanche was in Gorman the first of the week.

We still have a few Fruit Jars left in the quart and half gallon size.—Gambill Bros.

J. W. Cockrill was in Ranger last Saturday.

Little Hal and Maxine Lary are this week visiting in Hico.

"Chink" Taylor was in Gorman Monday morning.

Joe Jones was in Ranger Monday.

M. B. Underwood, the general dry goodsman at the store of Higginbotham Bros. & Co., is reported to be ill in Dallas. He was over there on the regular market trip of the company.

Mrs. M. G. Underwood is in San Antonio this week visiting her sisters.

Mrs. Guy Sturdy is visiting her parents in Dallas this week.

We are headquarters for Winchester, Guns and Ammunition. We have just received our fall shipment of these goods and can supply your wants on anything in this line. The Winchester goods stand out from all other makes with the Sportsman, so when in need of anything in this line see us. Gambill Bros.

Boone Nickols was in Ranger last Saturday.

We carry a complete line of Hardware and can save you money on anything in this line.—Gambill Bros.

S. W. Bishop, J. Frank Sparks  
Sam R. Scott

**Bishop Scott & Sparks**  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
Office in Bishop Building

GORMAN, TEXAS

### FOR SALE

Sweet old Bee County Honey, Fresh From the Vine.

#### IN COMB

12-5lb Cans @..... 29c  
6-10lb Cans @..... 28c  
2-60lb Cans @..... 27c

#### EXTRACT

12-5lb Cans @..... 26c  
6-10lb Cans @..... 25c  
2-60lb Cans @..... 24c

F. O. B. Beeville, Texas. Send Cash with order.

### J. A. HIRST

The Honey Man Beeville, Texas

### THOS. J. PITTS

ATTORNEY AT LAW

Land Title, Oil Lease and Probate Practice

Office Commercial Hotel Bldg.  
GORMAN, TEXAS

### KODAK FINISHING

For rush orders and good service send your orders to

**DIXON'S**  
Kodak Shop  
Comanche, Texas

### J. G. BISHOP

Attorney-At-Law  
Kimble Building  
GORMAN, TEXAS

## AS AN AID TO BETTER HEALTH WE SUGGEST CORRECT PLUMBING

Unsanitary plumbing, poor drainage, and escaping sewer gas is responsible for so small part of so called "spring-fever" cases. There is only one strictly safe way, and that is to have one of our expert plumbers visit you and inspect your plumbing. We not only furnish supplies and do the work, but our experience as plumbing engineers insures you scientific plumbing installations. Charges reasonable. Phone us TODAY.

PHONE 223

## MEERS BROTHERS

### PRACTICAL PLUMBERS

### GAS AND STEAM HEATING

Dealers in all kinds of Plumbing Materials, Pipe and Pipe Fittings.

## PHONE 157

### Gorman Tailor Shop

All Work Guaranteed

Called for and Delivered

H. H. PULLIG, Manager

Stem Welding Pipe Threading Joint Turning

### Cree & Company

Manufacturers of Drilling and Fishing Tools for OIL and GAS WELLS

PHONE 12

GORMAN, TEXAS

### Drs. Blackwell, Trufant and Blackwell

Physicians and Surgeons

GORMAN,

TEXAS

—when "delicious and refreshing" mean the most.

THE COCA-COLA COMPANY  
ATLANTA, GA.

## THIS BANK

has enviable reputation for strength, and that is the chief reason why it is so regularly adding new names of people in all walks of life to its list of customers.

If you have a regular income, whether from business, salary, wages or investments, you are invited to deposit your funds in the CONTINENTAL STATE BANK, subject to check.

By so doing you have complete security for your money under the Guaranty Fund, as well as system in your financial affairs.

## CONTINENTAL STATE BANK

J. G. Wilkerson, Pres. J. L. Larry, Act. V.P. M. F. Allen, Ass't. Cashier

## G. E. Mullarky

# FORD

## Sales and Service

## TIRES & ACCESSORIES

### PREPARE TO HELP TO HANDLE TEN MILLION BALES OF COTTON THIS YEAR

The government estimates this years cotton crop at ten million bales. Prepare to help handle this enormous crop. It requires from four to six weeks to qualify. If you act quickly you can be ready. We have the largest and best equipped sample room in the state, with a solid glass wall on the North to afford light. This room was the cotton work. There being a difference in the grades of cotton and with the ever increasing demand for help along this line, young men and women should prepare themselves immediately. When we say women, we say so based on the fact that there are several women taking our cotton classing, realizing what an opportunity is open to them and the state admits women to the cotton examination the same as men.

A special summer course is given for \$40.00, including tuition, samples and material for Cotton grading.

In order to get in in time to prepare for the coming cotton season, write, wire or phone for information and our free catalogue.

TYLER COMMERCIAL COLLEGE  
Tyler, Texas.

### NOTICE

I have secured the Crystal Hotel and have opened it for your convenience. Meals will be served family style for fifty cents. All beds fifty cents.  
26-3tp W. P. Todd

I want 200 dozen eggs. I will pay 40c per dozen. I am second door north of H. Miller.—J. H. Ballard.

LOST—An open faced gold watch, Wheeler make, on Saturday, July 31. Reward if returned to Dr. Trufant.

### TO THE PUBLIC

It has become necessary for me to place my business on a cash basis. I wish to thank my good friends for their liberal patronage they have given me and I trust they will continue the same.  
26-2tc  
O. T. Shell.

WANTED—Gorman Home Refinery stock in exchange for town lots or oil leases. J. M. Cormack, Gorman Phone 111. 27-1tp

For Sale or Trade—One, four room house and bath, furnished all modern conveniences, with two story garage on lot. Well located. For further information inquire of W. C. Dodd, Gorman, Box 694. 27-2tp

WANTED—Violinist who can play dance music. See or write F. E. Lanier, Gorman. 27-2tp

### Dental Notice

I will be in Gorman every third Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 25 years experience. All work guaranteed. I cure those oldsore bleeding gums. Office in Laster building.—Dr. Houghton.

## OUR NEW FALL STOCK OF

SWEATERS,  
LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR,  
SKIRTS,  
MILLINERY,  
MEN'S SUITS,  
NEW SILK DRESSES,

and other seasonable goods are now on our shelves. Remember our new location.

## GARNER-ALVIS CO.

The Dependable Store

## It Pays Well

TO SEE THAT YOU SEE WELL AND FEEL WELL

... How long are you going to continue the neglect of your eyes?  
... Headaches, nervousness and failing sight can be corrected by PROPERLY FITTED GLASSES. Do not delay. It may then be too late.

## DR. M. G. KAHN

OPTOMETRIST

Wednesdays

Wednesdays

### Corner Drug Store

Eyes Examined

Glasses Fitted

## The Sanitary Barber Shop

TOM FULLER, PROP.

For that clean shave, nifty hair cut or that easy massage you have been wanting for a long time

In the same place with the same motto  
SERVICE

## WE DEVELOP KODAK FILMS

And Can Give Them To You  
IN TWO DAYS

Leave Them With Us and See the Quality of Our Work

Corner Drug Store

## FOR

that safe, sanitary and modern job of Plumbing, call us. We can do anything that is needed in this line.

BATH ROOM FIXTURES, GAS STOVES,  
HOT WATER SYSTEMS, SEWER WORK,  
GENERAL REPAIRING

## Walker-Colman Co.

Registered and Licensed Plumbers

## New Grocery Store

We have a new and complete stock of Groceries here now and we open for business. Our old friends and patrons can find us in our old location, doing business just like we did in the past OUR STOCK IS FRESH AND WE WELCOME A CALL FROM YOU.

EVERYTHING TO BE FOUND IN A  
GROCERY STORE

## H. T. HAMRICK

We Have A Phone