



## PEANUT HULLS

By KERNEL GENE BAKER, a Po

My apologies to Carbon and Desdemona.

From time to time I have talked with citizens of these two towns and was lead to believe a large number were in favor of joining the Hospital District. According to the vote Tuesday the majority are opposed, so I am in favor of permitting them to withdraw... and many thanks to all of you who supported the project.

As a publisher it appears I am failing in my duty to keep the people informed. I offer no excuses except that it takes lots of commercial printing to keep a weekly newspaper in business. We are fortunate to have an exceptionally fine commercial printing patronage which keeps me from concentrating on the newspaper. Estelle and Joe do a wonderful job, but there are some things a publisher should attend to in person.

For instance, I have never gone out of my way to seek information on city business. I felt parties concerned would give us any news that should be published. The same goes for the Housing Projects, Air Port and Clubs.

I appreciate the cooperation I receive from the clubs and am certain I will receive cooperation from others. To bring you up to date on the Air Port and Housing Projects will take a bit of research, but as you say, if I am going to publish a paper I should publish all the news.

So bear with me folks and I will do my best to make everybody happy.

Incidentally, if anyone who has mailed money to the Progress office for the various hospital clubs want it refunded, just write, come by or call and I'll see that it is returned. You may also see our records if you so desire.

Thanks again to all of you for your support.

## Gorman Students Named To Univ. Of Texas Honor Roll

More than 530 University of Texas business administration students were named to the spring honor roll. Students qualifying for the honor roll completed 12 or more semester hours with at least one A over a B average.

The list made public by Dean George Kozmetsky included Robert Whitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitt of Gorman.

Richard Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson, and Bobby Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers, were named to the College of Pharmacy honor roll at the end of the spring semester. Each of the students graduated with highest honors. Each accumulated a total of at least 36 grade points (B average) for the semester. Total grade points are calculated by multiplying the number of semester hours undertaken by the value of each grade. (A equals 4 points.)

## MR. & MRS. DELBERT SMITH RETURN TO GORMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith of Denton have moved back to Gorman or will as soon as housing facilities are available.

Mr. Smith is employed by Joe's Grocery. He has had many years of experience in the grocery business, having worked for Furr Food Stores in Lubbock for many years. He was a member of the City Police Force in Denton prior to coming to Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith grew up in Gorman. She is the former Myrna Sue Brightwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell, and Delbert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith. They have four children, Ronald, age 10, Jeff, 8, Eddie, 4, and Sherri, 21 months. They are members of the First United Methodist Church.

## CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank the many friends and express our deep appreciation for their presence, comforting words and kindness during our recent bereavement.

B. W. Courtney  
O. C. Courtney  
Mr. & Mrs. Carl Thomason  
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Thomason

## PLANS BEING COMPLETED FOR PEANUT PRINCESS EVENT HERE

The Eastland County Peanut Princess Pageant Committee is busy with last minute details for the contest to be held at the Gorman High School Auditorium this Saturday, July 26, at 8 p. m. This is the first time such a contest has been held in Eastland County.

Prior to the pageant the contestants will meet judges at a tea honoring them and their mothers to be held in the Gorman Hotel Apartments recreation room at 5 p. m.

The master of ceremonies for the public presentation will be Mayor Wayne Eaves. Tom Birdsong, III, President of the National Peanut Shellers Association, will be on hand to award the contestants and to crown the East-County Peanut Princess. The girl chosen will compete in the Texas Peanut Queen Contest to be held in Eastland September 12.

The pageant is being sponsored by the Woman's Study Club of Gorman with Mrs. Berenice Jeffs as chairman. Other members of the committee are Mrs. O. R. Buchanan, Mrs. Louise Rankin of Gorman and Mrs. Mary Douglas of Abilene.

Rules and letters committee is headed by Mrs. Dorothy Hatcher and other members include Mrs. Claude Fuller and Mrs. James Mears.

The Judges Committee includes Mrs. Fred Rogers, Mrs. Graydon Baze and Miss Ozella Pulley. Mrs. Don Sprabery was in charge of publicity. Prize committee was made up of Mrs. George Simmons and Mrs. Don Sprabery. Serving on the ticket committee are Mrs. James Mears and Mrs. Dick Foster.

Mrs. James Kinser will entertain with organ selections during the pageant.

An admission will be charged for the pageant to defray the expenses of the event.

The tea, to be held at 5:00 p. m., is being sponsored by the Young Homemakers and is under the direction of the club president, Mrs. Donnie Mauney, with Mrs. Brent Lasater as chairman of invitations, Mrs. George Warren, chairman of refreshments and Mrs. John Brinegar, decorations chairman. Assisting the committee chairmen were club members, Mesdames Dale Curb,

Jerry Overstreet, Ted Snider, Gene Snider, Jerry Anderson, and Joy Forrest.

Judges for the pageant will be Penny Young, Mr. C. J. Douglas, and Mr. Robert J. Cooper, all of Abilene.

The Eastland County Peanut Princess candidates and sponsors are: Celia Reeves, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reeves of Route 2, Eastland, sponsored by the Gorman Chamber of Commerce; Lynn Pippet, 17, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irven Pippet of Route 4, Cisco, sponsored by Eastland County 4-H Clubs; Mary Besselar, 19, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Besselar of Cisco, sponsored by Cisco Junior College; Sandy Ingram, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Ingram of Cisco, sponsored by Eastland County Farm Bureau; Sharon Wilson, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wilson of Eastland, sponsored by Eastland Chamber of Commerce; Teresa Fields, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fields, Route 1, Gorman, sponsored by the Kokomo Home Demonstration Club; and Jean Munn, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Munn of Gorman, sponsored by the Gorman Lions Club.

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## Open House July 27 To Honor E. Joiners

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer F. Joiner of Route 1, De Leon will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary July 27th at open house from 2 to 5 p. m. at their home. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Hosting the open house will be their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Joiner of De Leon. There are three grandchildren, Tracy, Pepper and Sue. Now retired, Mr. Joiner farmed in Comanche County for some 50 years, and all of their married life.

Mrs. Joiner is the former Freda Allen, born June 11, 1902. Mr. Joiner was born October 23, 1897. They were married July 27, 1919 at the Methodist parsonage in De Leon. They are members of the Primitive Baptist Church.

## 7th Annual Leon Homecoming Held In Gorman On Sunday With Large Crowd

The seventh annual homecoming of the Leon Community was held Sunday at the Fire Hall in Gorman. According to Mrs. Wilma Rawls, homecoming secretary, it was one of the best attended of the homecoming history.

T. H. Seay was elected as the new president and Mrs. Florence Richardson, secretary. They replace R. H. Watson and Mrs. Wil-

ma Rawls.

Among those traveling the farthest were John Graham of Houston, Mrs. Merle Smith of Corpus Christi and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Phillips and Dale Gilmore of Odessa.

Mrs. Allie Seay, 81, and Mrs. Allie Rawls, 90, were the eldest persons attending and enjoying the homecoming.



LEON HOMECOMING HONOREES — Mrs. Allie Seay, 81, right, and Mrs. Allie Rawls, 90, were honored guests and the life of the party at the Leon homecoming held Sunday in the Fire Hall in Gorman. Both ladies are longtime residents of the Leon Community.



"WHAT SALL I TRY NEXT?" was the big question of the visitors at the Leon Homecoming dinner, when old friends met for a day of fellowship at the Fire Hall.

## SERVICES FOR MRS THOMASON HELD FRIDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Erie Thomason, 78, were held at 10:00 a. m. Friday in Higginbotham Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Harvey Raines, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Comanche, officiating. Burial was in Gorman Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thomason died around 8 p. m. Tuesday at her home from an apparent heart attack. She was born August 17, 1890 in Watervalley, Miss., the daughter of the late H. M. and Emma Maddox Courtney.

She had lived in Gorman since 1915, moving here from Carbon. She and her late husband, R. L. Thomason, operated a grocery store here for many years. She was a member of the Gorman First United Methodist Church.

Survivors are two brothers, Balvin W. Courtney of Comanche and O. C. Courtney of Odessa; and two step sons, Carl and Robert Thomason of Harlingen, Texas.

Pallbearers were Graydon Baze, Oda Monroe, Jack Mauney, Lonnie Hampton, George Rodgers and W. C. Browning.



## Joyce Shipman Becomes Bride of Lawrence Gilliam

Following a wedding trip to San Antonio, Lawrence William Gilliam and his bride, the former Miss Nelda Joyce Shipman, will make their home at 505 N. Winnetha, Dallas.

The couple exchanged vows on July 4th in the Gospel Light house Church in Dallas. The Rev. J. C. Hibbard officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shipman, 704 Youngdale Circle, are parents of the bride, a graduate of Marshall High School. She attended Southwestern Assembly of God College and is now employed by Texas Instruments. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gowan of Gorman.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil B. Gilliam of Kermit, attends Ekins Institute in Dallas. He is employed at A&P warehouse.

For her wedding, the bride chose a white lace sheath. Her bridal veil of illusion was attached to a white satin bow.

A corsage of white rosebuds was pinned to her shoulder. Mrs. Sherry Crunkleton of Dallas attended the bride as matron of honor. She wore a three-piece aqua linen suit with white accessories. Her corsage was of white flowers.

James Dale Crunkleton of Dallas served the bridegroom as best man.

## Birthday Club Holds Annual Celebration Here

Mrs. A. A. Brown, Mrs. W. T. Shell of Gorman and Mrs. Loretta Higgs and Mrs. Lena Allday of Fort Worth will be honorees at a birthday party at the lake home of Mrs. Shell at Lake Leon Wednesday and Thursday.

Other members of the birthday club are Mesdames L. A. Blair, Flossie Underwood, and Luther Wright of Gorman and Mrs. Winnona Glasgow of Stephenville.

The birthday club, which began in the 1940's when all the women lived in Gorman with the exception of Mrs. Higgs, and each would have a party to observe birthdays. The tradition has been kept up all these years and the same group of ladies meet several times a year to celebrate one or more of the groups birthdays.

## Bridal Gift Party Saturday Night Fetes Lana Stacy

Miss Lana Stacy, who will be married Saturday evening to Leslie Edward Sharp of Desdemona, was honored Saturday with a gift party in the home of Mrs. Ray Rankin.

Co-hostesses were Mesdames Norman Park, Othell Clark, Gus Frossard, Doyle Preston, G. O. Boyd, Billy D. Shupp, Arnold Butler, Linden Shipman, J. E. Lawrence, Charles Duran and O. R. Buchanan.

Receiving guests with Mrs. Rankin were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Junior Stacy, and her fiancée's mother, Mrs. L. E. Sharp of Desdemona.

The honoree was wearing a tulle dress of pink linen.

Serving table decorations were pink and white. Appointments were silver and crystal.

Serving were Connie Park and Vicki Frossard. Carole Rankin registered guests.

Special guests were Mrs. Tom Forrester of De Leon, grandmother of the prospective bridegroom, and the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. Maude Stacy, and her aunts, Mrs. Edward Stacy of Carbon, Mrs. Cecil Thompson of Gorman and Mrs. Richard Dutton of Lake Leon, and aunts of Mr. Sharp, Mesdames Dave Sears of Dublin, Tommy Guthery of Desdemona and Bid Hallmark of Gorman, and Miss Wanda Forrest of De Leon.

Miss Stacy and Mr. Sharp will exchange vows in the First Baptist Church of Gorman.

## Eastland County Youth To Attend Citizenship Seminar

Two high school students from Eastland County will travel by chartered bus Tuesday, July 29 to Baylor University in Waco where they will attend a Citizenship Seminar July 29-August 2, conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau. They are Patsy Moseley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Moseley, and Kathy Parson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Long of Olden. Both students will be seniors in the Olden High School this year.

The Eastland County Farm Bureau is sponsoring the local students at the four-day training school. Some 390 students from 140 counties across the state will be attending the session. Four outstanding, nationally known lecturers will address the training school, according to Jack Cozart, president of the County Farm Bureau.

The speakers are Dr. C. L. Ganus, president of Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas; Dr. C. L. Kay, assistant president of Lubbock Christian College; John Noble, Muncy, Pa., author of "I Was A Slave in Russia"; and W. Cleon Skousen, Salt Lake City, author, lawyer, educator and former FBI agent.

In addition, a young former narcotics addict and ex-convict from Dallas will relate the tragic story of his life as an addict and criminal. At the conclusion of the seminar on August 1, 18 year old Miss Mary Rando of Friona will give her rendition of "I Am the Nation," a patriotic recitation that helped her win the Freedom Foundation's George Washington Honor Medal.

Purpose of the seminar is to give the student a better understanding of the American system and way of life. Emphasis will be placed on the economic, moral and social aspects of the American society. Instruction will consist of lectures, films, and panel discussions.

## MANESS FAMILY REUNION HELD HERE ON SUNDAY

The family of the late A. W. Maness met Sunday, July 20 at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park for the annual family reunion.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Johnson of Lake Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker and family of Mineral Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patterson and family of Breckenridge; Mr. and Mrs. Euell Allison and family, Mrs. H. A. Maness and Mr. and Mrs. Cody McDaniel of Carbon; Gip Fields of Memphis, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bohannon and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and family of Gorman.

D. R. Clark spent last weekend in Everman with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lynn Clark. Mrs. Clark, Cathy and Robbie, accompanied him home on Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodgers. Their son, Ricky, who had been visiting with his grandparents for a week, returned home with them on Sunday.

## SAM WALLACE LAID TO REST ON WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for Sam Wallace, 76, were held at 3:00 p. m. Wednesday, July 23 in the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Huron A. Polnac, officiating. Burial was in the Oaklawn Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

Mr. Wallace died at 2:00 a. m. Tuesday in Lawndale Home from an illness of several months.

Mr. Wallace was born November 15, 1892 near Rucker in Comanche County where he farmed until moving to Gorman in 1941. He was employed with W. G. Baker Feed Store for many years.

He has made his home with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hirst since the death of his wife, Toy, August 15, 1955.

He was a member of the Gorman First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his daughter, Mrs. Bruce Hirst, and grandchildren, Daryl and Patti Hirst of Gorman; a sister, Mrs. Donna Day of Gorman; and two brothers, A. A. Wallace of De Leon and R. K. Wallace of San Angelo.

Pallbearers were Hillary Seay, Joe Mehaffey, Jerry Mehaffey, Graydon Baze, Lindon Shipman and E. G. Henderson.

## 4-H "Fun In-Camp Out" Set July 31 To August 2 In Cisco

A "Fun In-Camp Out" 4-H style is getting ready to occur. Eastland County 4-H'ers are planning the annual county-wide 4-H camp to be held on July 31, August 1, and 2 at the old Presbyterian Camp near Lake Cisco.

The planning committee includes District Leadership Lab representatives Lynne Pippet, Brenda Browder, Frank Claborn, Carter Housnel - also Mrs. Phyllis Kincaid, Mrs. Rooney Williams, Mrs. Betty Claborn and extension agents Bob Cohen and Judy Cardwell.

"The campers," states Carter Housnel, camp chairman, "will be participating in varied activities such as isometrics, parliamentary procedure discussions, eating, intramural games, swimming, eating, square dance lessons, and eating!"

The planning committee is expecting a large group of 4-Hers to take part. Carter says, "We're going to have the best 'Fun In-Camp Out' ever held!"

## Miss Vickie Lynn Lewis Weds Wayne Huff In Double Ring Ceremony July 19



Beneath an arch of greenery with baskets of white gladioli, Miss Vickie Lynn Lewis became the bride of Lloyd Wayne Huff in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Darrell Dossey, pastor of the St. Joe Baptist Church of De Leon at 7 p. m. Saturday, July 19 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Huff are parents of the bridegroom. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of candlelight satin with Empire bodice overlaid with Chantilly lace and long lace sleeves.

An organza bow and satin rosebuds held her veil. She carried stephanotis centered with a white orchid.

Jean Collins of Gorman was bridesmaid and Cindy Burleson of Weatherford junior bridesmaid. They wore yellow dotted swiss dresses and carried white carnations.

Best man was Sammie Pierce of Monahans. Jimmie Burleson of Weatherford seated guests. For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Lewis chose a beige double knit dress with multi-colored accen-

## CREATION OF HOSPITAL DISTRICT PASSES BY TOTAL OF 108 VOTES

The election for the creation of South Eastland County Hospital District and the election of seven directors to the hospital governing board in the event the district was created, was held on Tuesday in three separate elections, held in Carbon, Desdemona and Gorman.

The voters in Gorman voted by a majority of over 3 to 1 for the creation of the district. Creation of the district was voted out by the voters in Carbon and Desdemona.

## LAST RITES FOR ARTHUR BRYAN HELD FRIDAY

Funeral services for Arthur D. Bryan, 71, were held at 3:00 p. m. Friday, July 18, in the Gorman Primitive Baptist Church with Elder F. T. Houston officiating. Burial was in Oaklawn Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

Mr. Bryan, a farmer and resident of the Oliver Springs Community on Route 1, De Leon, died at 10:05 a. m. Thursday, July 17 in Blackwell Hospital following a brief illness.

Born October 29, 1897 in Dublin, he was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

He was married to Miss Sanders September 18, 1918 in Gorman. They were honored last September 18 with a 50th wedding anniversary open house, hosted by their nieces and nephews.

Survivors are his wife; two brothers, Lawrence and Johnny Bryan of Ranger; and a sister, Mrs. Evie Smith of Gorman; also several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Travis Bryan, L. N. Bryan, Raymond Bryan, Hartford Bryan, Lee A. Mears and Robert Mears, all nephews.

PVT. A. B. EAVES FINISHES BASIC TRAINING AT FT BLISS U. S. ARMY TRAINING CENTER (AIR DEFENSE), FORT BLISS, TEXAS — Private A. B. Eaves, 21, son of Mrs. Ollie M. Eaves, General Delivery, Gorman, Texas, was recently graduated from eight weeks of basic combat training at the U. S. Army Training Center (Air Defense), Fort Bliss, Texas.

Pvt. Eaves attended Gorman High School. He entered the Army in May and completed basic combat training July 11. He was assigned to E Company, 3d Battalion, 3d Brigade.

Gorman polled a total of 484 votes with 373 for and 111 against. Carbon voted 139 against and 47 for.

Desdemona voted 72 against and 10 for.

Total votes cast in the three school districts for the election of the Hospital District was 430. Total votes against was 322.

The total number of votes cast in the election of the Hospital Board of Directors will not be available until the Commissioners Court meets and canvases the election returns. There will be seven members on the board.

Names of the seven in Gorman receiving the most votes in the directors election were: Charles Duran, 325; Ross Wilson, 311, Sam Powers, 307; Glenn Justice, 268; Paul Norris, 282; A. L. Williamson, 250; and Berenice Jeffs, 243.

## Final Rites For Mack Morris Held In Brenham July 12

Funeral services for Mack C. Morris, 53, of Route 1, Brenham, who died in a Brenham hospital, Thursday, July 10, were held at 2:00 p. m. Saturday, July 12 at Salem Lutheran Church.

Rev. F. T. Sager officiated and burial was in the Prairie Lea Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Mack Wayne Morris of Brenham; one daughter, Mrs. Sammy Rotello of Navasota; two grandchildren, Samuel K. Rotello and Michael Wade Morris; four brothers, Parker of Kilgore, Jim of Levelland, Huppy of Brownfield and Harvey Morris of Lake Charles, La.; and several nieces and nephews.

He was co-owner of the K&M Grocery and was with Gulf Oil Research for 25 years.

Born in Marion County, West Virginia October 18, 1915, the son of the late James G. and Addie McHenry Morris, he grew up in Gorman and graduated from Gorman High School.

He was married to Dorothy Kleck November 1, 1941, in the Salem Lutheran Church of Salem. He was also a member of the Salem Lutheran Church.

## Homecoming At St. Joe Set July 27

Annual Homecoming at St. Joe will be held on Sunday, July 27. A good program has been planned with Rev. James Townsend of Olney as guest speaker, at the 11:00 a. m. hour. Others on the program will include Rev. H. L. Bingham of Van Horn.

A basket lunch will be spread at the noon hour with singing in the afternoon.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

NOTICE — The City Commissioners have instructed the City Marshal to keep all alleys open for delivery vehicles, garbage trucks, etc. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

The Senior Citizens Recreation Program will be held at 2:00 p. m. each Tuesday at the Fire Hall.

Singing at the Congregational Methodist Church will be held Sunday, July 27, beginning at 1:30 p. m.

The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

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.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter of Gorman, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clement and Michele of Dallas, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Denman Stanfield, who is the American Consulate General in Apartado, N. L. Mexico. Mr. Stanfield is a brother of Mrs. Porter and is recuperating from eye surgery.

Mrs. Lizzie Jackson, Jeanette, Annette and Jack Jackson, and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Slope, Bruce and Susan of Fort Worth, vacationed last week in Santa Fe, New Mexico and Pagoza Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Kleas Parnelly of Abilene visited Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Etha Pittman.



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**MONUMENTS** - When in need of monument service, see or call Ethel Keith, Phone 2313, Desdemona, Texas. fnc

**REAL ESTATE** - If you want to buy or sell real estate contact Don Rodgers in the building located next door to Blair Grocery. 10-31fnc

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**FOR LEASE** - 150 acres grassland all in improved grasses. Call Keith Whitt, RE 4-2215. 5-15fnc

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**FOR SALE** - Will install 3 1/2 ton Arla-Servel gas heat and air conditioning in your house, complete with duct work for \$800.00. This unit has only been used 1 season and cost \$1800.00. No down payment and low monthly payments. Call 893-2633, De Leon, days and 893-6650 nights. 5-22fnc

Good Used 3", 4", 5", 6", and 8" Irrigation Pipe with new couplers. Mesa Irrigation Distributors, Inc., Lamesa, Texas, Phone 915-872-5479. 8-8-31c

**FOR SALE** - Five room frame house on Fisher Street. Has two baths and plenty of shade trees in back. Priced to sell. Call RE 4-5596. 6-26fnc

**HELP WANTED** - Apply at Dairy King in person. 6-12fnc

**FOR SALE** - Two new cooper tone refrigerators \$125.00 each. One used refrigerator deep freeze combination \$100. W. T. Barnes Lumber Co., 305 W. Labadie St., De Leon, Texas. 4-7-3c

**FOR SALE** - Seven piece dinette in good condition. Call C. W. Bettis, 893-6754, De Leon, Rt. One. 7-3fnc

**NOTICE** - The Brown Jug Steak House is now open until 9:00 p. m. on Sunday nights. 7-3fnc

**FOR SALE** At reasonable price - one extra choice 3/4 Charolais, weaning age bull calf. Roscoe Reeves, RE 4-5426. 7-3fnc

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**FOR SALE** - Five room modern house near Desdemona. 5 acres land, 4 acres in Coastal, irrigation pipe, large sheet iron barn and other out buildings. Call Mrs. T. K. Redman, AC 915-943-5383 or write Box 344, Monahans, Texas 79765.

**REGISTERED NURSES NEEDED** - 3-11 and 11-7 relief or full time. Premium pay. See Mrs. Bell at Dublin Hospital. 8 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. 8-8-28c

**FOR SALE** - Electric Magic Chef cook stove, good condition, new baking and broiling elements. Call or see Jerry Anderson after 4:00 p. m. RE 4-5302. 7-10fnc

**FOR SALE** - The Gorman Independent Schools has a large quantity of used brick for sale. See Charlie Garrett, Phone RE 4-5614 or RE 4-5573. 7-17fnc

**FOR SALE OR TRADE** - All my carpenter and building tools, will trade for most anything of equal value. A. B. Hunt. 4-8-14p

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

**FOR SALE** - Just arrived - a new shipment of Portable Air Tanks. May be seen at Capers Service Welding, 3 blocks north of Hwy. 6 on Hwy. 8. Lonnie Capers. 3-20fnc

**FOR SALE** - Girl Scout Uniform, only worn twice. Size 14, and all accessories. Joetta Bennett, RE 4-5401. nc

**FOR SALE** - Minnie Bike, good condition. See Brent Foster, RE 4-5712. 7-3-fnc

**INTERESTED IN NURSING** - Apply now for enrollment in Dublin Hospital School of Vocational Nurses. Classes to begin August 25th. For complete information contact Mrs. Bell at Dublin Hospital. 9-8-21c

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**FOR SALE** - Whirlpool Automatic Washing Machine. Practically new. See E. E. Wright, Route 2, Gorman. 2-7-24c

**FOR SALE** - 150 bales of hay. George Rodgers, Phone RE 4-5364. 7-17fnc

**TYPEWRITER REPAIR** - For All Your Typewriter, Adding Machine repairs and cleaning, or a new typewriter, contact Estelle Craddock at the Gorman Progress office, RE 4-5410.

**The Gorman FHA Represented At Natl. FHA Meeting**

Brenda Browder was one of the 119 Texas FHA girls who attended the National Convention of the FHA held at Fort Collins,

Colorado June 14-17. The girls started on the trip by meeting at Love Field in Dallas and flying to Denver, Colorado. A chartered bus carried them to Fort Collins. The meeting, held on the Colorado State University campus, introduced the 1969-73 plan of work by using the theme "Action for Accomplishment." There were 8 general sessions held with a

speaker or panel during each. There was recreation or a "Fun-tastic" after each session. Individual group workshops were held for obtaining new ideas on recreation, money management, home life and making time work for you. Also included on the trip was a one day trip to Estes Park in the mountains, a program by the

Kosare Indians, a rodeo put on by the Westernaires and a tour of Fort Collins. The girls attending from Area IV were Barbara Bailey, Hico; Kathi Head, Goldthwaite; Gayle Campbell, Knox City; Joy McPherson, Hamilton; Martha Nell Chambers, Rochester; Becky Hansen, Lueders; Judy Brown, Munday; Mary Adkins, O'Brien; Brenda Browder, Gorman; Ann Franklin, Holliday; Susan Klattehoff, Miles; Arlene Adams, Gustine; Connie McKinney, Knox City; and advisors Mrs. Marilyn Johanson, Mrs. Patty Johnson and Mrs. Janie Potts and Area Advisor Mrs. Sammie Tate Pittman.

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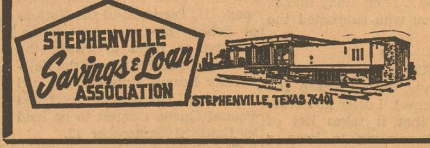
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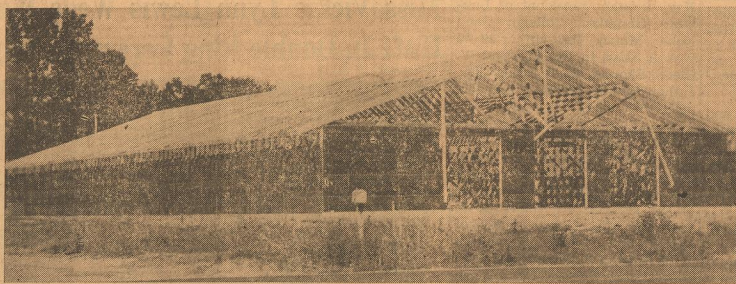
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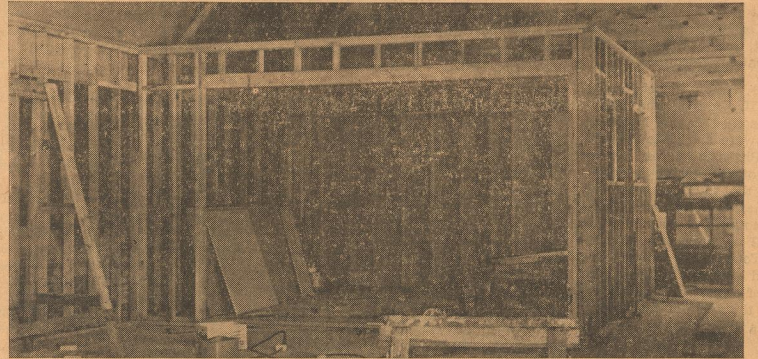
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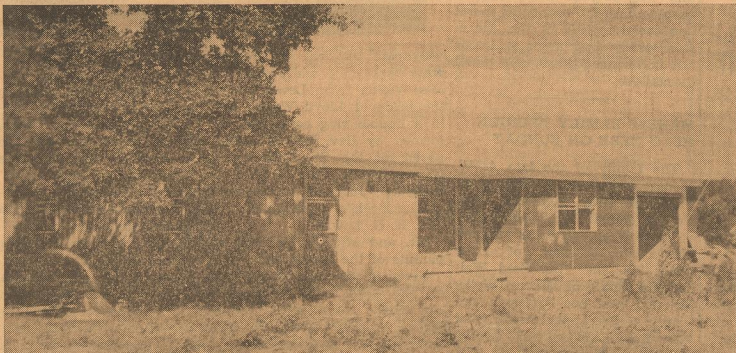
PICTURED BELOW ARE NEW BUILDING PROJECTS NOW IN PROGRESS IN GORMAN



Construction on the new Higginbotham Funeral Home is well underway. The 5,000 square foot building is expected to be completed by November. Owners, Higginbotham Bros. & Co. Building materials and Chrysler Air-Temp Air Conditioning and heating furnished by Higginbotham Bros. Builders, James and Rob Kinser.



The Corner Drug building is being remodeled by owner Sam Powers. The building, to be completed within the next three weeks, will be occupied by Watson Corner Pharmacy, with Richard Watson as the pharmacist. Building materials and Payne air conditioning and heating by Higginbotham's. A. L. Williamson, builder.



Construction of the new three bedroom home of Mrs. Bertie Self will soon be completed. Building materials furnished by Higginbotham's. Builder, Roy Kinser.



Foundation of the new home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Munn has been poured and construction will begin within a short time. Building materials and furnishings by Higginbotham's. A. L. Williamson and Dean Bennett are the builders

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### Canning Workshop Slated For July 28 In Reddy Room

The public is cordially invited to attend a Canning Workshop on Monday, July 28th in the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland. The meeting will start at 1:30 p.m. and feature the most modern and latest information on the various methods of preservation of food by the canning method.

Guest speaker for the workshop will be Miss Hattie Kilgore, Director, Research and Educational Department, Consumer Products Division of Kerr Glass Mfg. Corp., Sand Springs, Okla., who is a trained home economist. She holds two bachelors degrees from Oklahoma College of Liberal Arts and a masters degree from the University of Oklahoma. She is a member of AHEA, OHEA, HEIB and American Women in Radio and Television.

She has been a staff member of the Educational and Research Department of Kerr Glass Mfg. Corp. for several years. In this position she has traveled extensively in West and Pacific Northwest working with food preservation programs in cooperation with State Extension Services.

Miss Kilgore has efficiently supervised, under the Federal Canning Program, the operation of canning centers in Oklahoma where food of all kinds were canned. She is well known for this work as well as her work in food preservation in many states.

In 1962 Miss Kilgore became Home Economist in charge of the

Field Services Department, covering all states of the United States. In this public relations work she has worked with the United States Department of Agriculture, State Extension Service Departments as well as with professional home economists, magazine and newspaper food editors, and others who are working and writing in the field of food preservation-canning and freezing.

In September of 1964 she was made Director of the Research and Educational Department and in this position has appeared on radio and television, conducted radio canning schools, worked with State Extension Services, Canning and Freezing Programs for 4-H and adults, and conducted food preservation workshops for professional home economists, home economic teachers, and home demonstration agents. She has worked with the University of Oklahoma in the training of the Peace Corps candidates for Latin American Countries in food preservation.

In addition to her scientific knowledge, Miss Kilgore has a very practical knowledge of the purposes, methods and procedures in home canning and freezing.

In her demonstrations her work is informative and practical as well as interesting and entertaining.

This special interest meeting is being sponsored by the East-

land County Extension Service. Additional information may be received by contacting the County Home Demonstration Agent's office in the county courthouse. —GP—

Bill Clark visited several days in Austin this week with Ricky Sutton. Ricky is spending the summer in Austin with his brothers, Mack and Edward, and also has a summer job there.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bennett visited Monday in Austin with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jones, Kathy and Chris. The children returned home with them for a weeks visit.

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### NEWS FROM LAWNSDALE

Mrs. M. M. Brackman and Mrs. G. E. Turner of Pasadena, Lennis Rice of Carbon and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker and family of Mineral Wells visited Alice Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Buchanan of Gorman visited Clemmie Phillips.

Tonya Box of Pleasant and Kathy Ripley of Gorman visited Otis Thompson.

Debbie Overstreet of Crane and Billy Overstreet and family of Grand Prairie visited Mary Overstreet.

Kathie Reid and Lois Treadway of Mercury and Clydell Lewis and family and Dove Lewis of Desdemona visited W. B. Mull.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed May of Abilene visited Katie May.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie of De Leon and Linda Foghson of Midland visited Mrs. McKeenan.

Albert and Myrtle Cogburn of Eastland visited Roscoe Sanders and Mina Mears.

D. E. Gann of Odona and Lidie Gann of Eastland visited Roscoe Sanders.

Sidney Crow of Wiles Pail, Willie Glover of Mineola and Mrs. J. E. Shirley of Cisco visited Mary Black.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. De Voll and Lynn, Shari and Laura De Voll of Lancaster visited Alma Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Ramsey of Tuscon, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mears of Arlington and Lee A. Mears of Houston visited Mina Mears.

Berta Poyner and Olga Kinser of Gorman visited J. C. Webb. Hubert Wilson and Terry Leigh Wilson of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Akers of Fort Worth visited Cora Bowles.

Alice and Everette Harris of Rising Star visited Nancy Fountain.

Roy Ussery of Weslaco visited Mrs. Gertrude Ussery.

Mrs. Charles W. Nelson of Dublin visited Ada Whatley.

Mrs. B. B. Poe and Miss Lucille Furr of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Poe.

Mrs. Vic Edwards of Eastland, Connie and Sara Beggs, Susan and D. Brock of Austin and Sherry Mihols of Odessa visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wood.

Mrs. O. J. Reynolds and Bob Reynolds of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Roy People, Abilene, Virginia Nell Purgh, Ft Worth, F. S. Boland of Scanton, J. H. Cosper of Brownwood Lake and Mrs. Virgil Haile of Baird visited Mrs. Willie Cosper.

Rose McCormack of Fort Worth visited Floyd McCormack.

Mrs. Ronnie Richburg of De Leon visited Jim Stacy and Docia Moore.

Nathan Sherrard and G. Moise of Albany visited Mrs. Elliott.

#### Problem: Catch Up With The Sun

The sun in the morning sky is much more important to man than the signal that a new day has begun. Since man first began marking time, the sun has always posed a problem. Leap years in our present Gregorian calendar are necessitated by the fact the solar year is longer than the calendar year.

The problem is not new. Sometime in the seventh century B. C., Numa Pompilius instituted the Roman calendar. Although it was revised several times, by the reign of Julius Caesar, the Roman calendar was some two months behind the sun.

Cesar put his best minds to work on a new calendar. They came up with a better method of keeping up, but could not decide what to do about the two months needed to actually catch up with the sun. They solved the problem by inserting two additional months between the months of November and December, making the then-current year, which we now refer to as 46 B. C., the longest year in history — a total of 445 days.

#### Calendar Accurate Until Year 2500

Man marks time by the Gregorian calendar, which was instituted by Pope Gregory in 1582. It is based upon the solar year of 365 days, 5 hours and 48 minutes, 46 seconds, with the extra hours, minutes and seconds compensated for through a well-ordered system of leap years.

Despite the fact that the Gregorian calendar doesn't please everyone, it will probably be around for a long time; at least, until the year 2500. Mathematicians have guaranteed its accuracy until that date and mankind seems to have the habit of never solving problems until they are accomplished.

Simply stated, the Gregorian calendar provides that years divisible by four, except for the years numbering the centuries, shall have 366 days, and the century-marking years shall be leap years — and have 366 days — only if divisible by four after the ciphers have been removed. For example, the year 1900 was not a leap year; the year 2000 will be, since it is divisible by four after the last two ciphers are removed.

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DURING THIS SEASON HERE IN WASHINGTON, it is a common sight to see the wife looking at a map trying to figure out where they are and where they want to go. The man is firmly set behind the wheel usually in the wrong lane. The kids are delighted and free of bewilderment shown on the faces of their parents.

MOST ALL CITIES NOW HAVE BYPASSES of downtown areas. Most have adequate signs for those who know where Exit F leads but the stranger is looking for Exit 12, since that is where he wants to go according to the map. But also on the freeway is fast flowing traffic and proper research is cause for being run over.

COMING TO THAT PLACE WHERE A RAMP to the right has a sign saying "To Highway 41 North," according to all instincts, the sun's location, and, maybe even a compass points to the South, is pretty confusing. The half circle leads up to an overpass on the road you have just left and when on it you are headed North. More than likely the overpass was not even noticed when you passed under it.

WASHINGTON, D. C. IS ONE OF A HALF DOZEN CITIES originally laid out under an engineering plan before it was built. Major L'Enfant gave our street plan its variety and rhythm, or at least that is what he intended. Most of us are accustomed to the simple grid, free of encumbrances such as circles and intersections fixed like a wagon wheel. Trapped in one of these, the unaccustomed tends to cautiously drive toward an egress only to be frightened back by those who are familiar with the place and trying desperately to make the next light. The native afoot and awheel knows where he is going and goes there taking direct routes and anticipating changes ahead. To the visitor such changes come as a surprise and even as a shock.

NOT ALL CITIES HAVE THE SYSTEM OF "FOLDING IN" traffic as is found in many places in Washington. This is where the flow of traffic into arterial streets come from two different directions like egg whites are folded into a soufflé. The unfamiliar driver is terrified and rightly so. When not trapped in these situations, he tends to drive slowly and weave from lane to lane with the quite obvious look on his face to suggest he is wondering where the White House could have gone.

IN SOME OF THE FORKS AND SPLIT STREETS, he is in the center and a little too far in the wrong lane to get back to the one he has just discovered is where he wants to go. A sign looms up with the gentle reminder that it is a \$100 fine to cross the median. Most likely he crosses anyway and some medians in the Washington area appear to be pretty well traveled.

WHEN THE TOURING MOTORIST IS IN THIS CITY, he is often greeted with blowing horns and dirty looks.

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IT WOULD BEHOVE CITIES TO MAKE EFFORTS to see that the visitor is encouraged with some friendly signs of understanding. Again, here in everyone's Capital, everyone owns the place and he has every right to check up on his property.

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## KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

One-tenth of an inch of rain fell here in the community late Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mildred Jones of Alamogordo, N. M. is visiting with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson.

Rev. Dick Murray of Carbon preached at the services of the Kokomo Baptist Church Sunday and will preach at the services on Sunday, July 27. The pastor, Rev. J. W. O'Neal, and Mrs. O'Neal, are on vacation. Visitors at the church on Sunday morning were Mrs. Mildred Jones of Alamogordo, N. M., Mrs. Roddy Miles and Joe Glenn of Abilene, and Bobby Rodgers of Stephenville.

Little Michael Gene Snider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Snider, was a church for the first time on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clearman and Mary Jo visited in Dallas on Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Thompson. They also visited in Kaufman with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Creager.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow visited in Dublin on Sunday afternoon with Robbie Riddell, who is seriously ill in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little honored their son, James, with an ice cream party on his 7th birthday on Sunday in their home. Many friends and relatives attended.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miller and Reba Malone of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett and Mrs. Maudine Sexton, Eric and Craig of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little, Ray Neal, Nelda and James, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hallmark, Becky and Debby of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Teddy and Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles and Joe Glenn of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Nelson and Cassie and Mrs. Jimmy Nelson and Tena Lyn visited with them in the Vern Garrett home on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Miles and Joe Glenn spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jordan and Teddy. Other visitors in the Jordan home on Sunday were Judy Webb, Mike Rodgers, Kathy Stokes of De Leon, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lewallen and Mr. and Mrs. John Lafrentz, Cindy, Kim and Cheri of Odessa, and Jean Campbell of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Laminack of Graham were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Eaves on Tuesday. Betty Garrett of Lake Leon and Randy Graham of San Diego, Calif. are visiting in the Eaves home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bell, Laneta and Jamie of Denver City and Jayma Lewallen of Floydada spent Monday and Tuesday with the Glenn Jordans.

Bobby Rodgers of Stephenville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Rodgers and

## KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Roscoe Reeves of Los Angeles, Calif. is visiting this month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Reeves.

Mrs. Mertie Kelley of Plainview visited last week with her brothers, Sam Wallace of Gorman, A. A. Wallace of De Leon, and sister, Mrs. Donna Day of Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burns of Odessa visited over the weekend with Mrs. Bob Burns.

Mrs. Huppy Morris and Mrs. W. C. Browning were in Brenham Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Edgar Kiecke. She was the mother-in-law of Mack Morris who was buried in Brenham on July 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Townley and John Sutton attended the funeral of Mack Morris held on July 12 in Brenham.

Mrs. C. J. Underwood of Houston is visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. Floy Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhyme of Carbon visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett and family, on Sunday.

—GP—

## Malcom Hastings

### Buried Here July 16

Mr. Malcom Hastings, a resident of Odessa for the past 20 years, passed away in the Medical Center Hospital there at the age of 70 years, 11 months and 26 days. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Odessa. He was born July 18, 1898 in Jonesboro, Texas.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday, July 16, 1969 at 2:30 p. m. in Nabors Funeral Chapel in De Leon with Minister Payne Hattox officiating. Music was rendered by Mrs. Darlene Hodges. Pallbearers were Melvin Daniels, G. B. Daniels, Alvis Scitern, A. D. Daniels, Glenn Scitern and Carl D. Bingham, Jr.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Grace Hastings of the home in Odessa; two daughters, Mrs. Laverne Hodge of Pecos and Mrs. Fay Allen of Odessa; one son, Wayne Hastings of Odessa; three sisters, Mrs. Stella Levisay of Seagraves, and Mrs. Mozell Neel and Mrs. Mary Greaves, both of Waco; three brothers, Lewis Hastings of San Antonio, Lyndell of Fort Worth, and Walter of Rising Star; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

Interment was in the Gorman Cemetery.

Mike. Mike spent Sunday night with Bob. Mrs. Bobby Rodgers accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Browning, to Menard for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Browning and Jennifer.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Gilbert and family of Midland are spending their vacation with friends and relatives in Gorman.

## DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Rev. Tony Price of Stephenville was speaker at the First Baptist Church Sunday for morning service and also at the evening service.

Mrs. Docy Williams has returned home from Dallas where she went to see her great-granddaughter, Shirley Paige, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Horan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane have returned home following a weeks visit to Granite Shoals.

Young Tommie Irwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Irwin of Nashville, Tenn. is here on vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fonville spent the weekend with Mrs. Velia Roberts and the John Allens.

There will be preaching services at the First Baptist Church, according to a report from the pulpit committee.

Mrs. Doris Whitley and children of Everman spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curley Craig.

The summer revival at the Church of Christ began Monday night with David Caskey speaker. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mrs. Louise McMaster spent several days last week in the Eastland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts are spending some of their vacation in Dallas with their first granddaughter, Little Shirley Paige Horan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Horan, born July 16.

Visitors recently with the Ide McMasters were his brother, H. A. McMaster of Waurika, Okla., and daughter, Mrs. Paul Lynn of Oklahoma.

Mr. O. S. Robbins, 90, of Stephenville, father of Mrs. Raymond Lindley and Mrs. Jim Koonce, was laid to rest in the De Leon Cemetery last week. This community extends their deep felt sympathy to all the Robbins children.

Mrs. Robbie Riddell has returned to the Dublin Hospital following surgery in the Harris Hospital in Fort Worth.

Just a reminder that you make your plans to come to the Desdemona Homecoming and 3rd. annual school reunion for teachers, schoolmates and friends on Saturday, August 9th at the Desdemona Tabernacle. Catering service will be handled by Brownwood.

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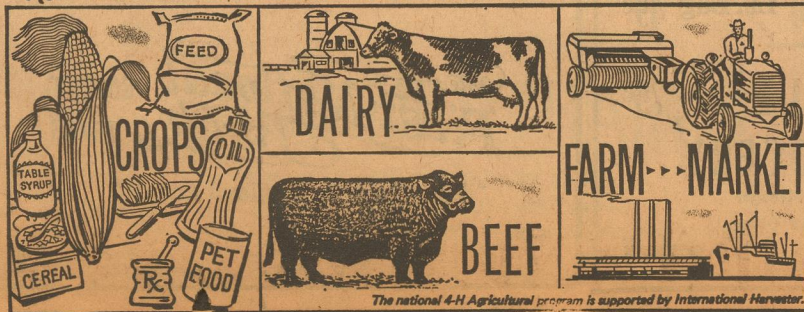
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