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## Congressmen Enjoy Peanut Luncheon

Peanuts were spotlighted in Congress today (Tuesday, March 4th) in a unique manner. Instead of debating peanut legislation, Southern Senators and Congressmen gathered in the Speaker's Dining Room for a peanut luncheon. There was peanut soup, peanut butter and crackers, peanut-fed ham with hot biscuits, peanut-rolled sweet potatoes, peanut cake and coffee; plus plenty of salted peanuts, roasted peanuts and peanut candy.

Sponsors were three peanut area Congressmen: Watkins Abbott (D., Va.), E. L. Forrester (D., Ga.) and W. R. Poage (D., Tex.). Guests were Senators and Congressmen from the peanut producing states of Virginia, North Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Texas and Oklahoma.

More than 200,000 Southern farmers grow peanuts. The value of the crop averages close to \$200,000,000. With more than 100 peanut shelling mills in the producing areas, peanuts account for a lot of employment and are a vital economic factor to growers, shellers, banks and other business interests in the South.

While it was said that the event had nothing to do with politics, it could have been intended as subtle defiance to Republican charges that the Truman Administration spent more on the peanut price support program than it did on the development of missiles. That charge was launched by Presidential Assistant Sherman Adams in Minneapolis on January 20 and has been repeated many times by other Republican leaders.

Anyway, Tuesday's luncheon was a real pea-nutty affair and a good time was had by all.



Pvt. Billy W. Kent, U. S. Army in Korea is shown relaxing in his barracks after his duties of working in the Officers Mess Hall have been completed for the day. Billy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kent of Gorman and says he is really enjoying his tour of duty in Korea. He also does some office work there. Shown in the background is a Korean house boy who takes care of their barracks for them for a small fee.

## Announcements

The Gorman Jaycees will meet tonight, Thursday, March 6 at 6:30 p. m. in the Fire Hall

The Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night, March 11 at 7:30 at the Center Point Community House. Everyone welcome.

Rev. Jackie Heath will preach at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday, March 9th at both morning and evening services. The public is cordially invited.

Sharon Bennett had the program, "A Look At A Book". It was the study of the Book of I John. It was about why it was written and something of the meaning of the book. There were 19 youth and 3 adults present.

In our business session we discussed the details of the Mission Tour Annee Kate Blair took last year. It is just for Junior and Seniors. Our MYF has been picked by the entire conference as the outstanding M. Y. F. of two picked. We are to be looked at as an example as a very good and outstanding MYF.

We closed with the MYF benediction.

## An Invitation

For the past several weeks Virgil E. Moore, editor of the Eastland Telegram, and Ray Swindell, editor of the Ranger Times, have been talking about Eastland County being one hundred years old and nobody doing anything about it.

Kernel Gene has extended an invitation to the editors of Eastland County newspapers to be his guests Saturday afternoon at 4 p. m. for the purpose of formulating plans for this Gala affair.

Carbon being near the center of the County, would be an ideal place. Now we will have a chance to see what the citizens and business men of Eastland County will do in a joint civic affair.

## Film Of Medieval Studied By Excelsiors'

A film strip, "Medieval Heritage", provided an interesting study for members of the Excelsior Club Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. E. C. Sutton.

Mrs. Dahlia Steele, projectionist, contributed timely information as she showed ancient tapestries portraying life in the middle ages. Other strips were pictures of the magnificent Cathedrals of Europe and the story of freedom from serfdom.

A second part of the program, "Who Owns Palestine", was given by Mrs. J. W. Townsend. Because of inclement weather Mrs. Townsend had been unable to speak on Bible Day, February 11th. In her address she traced the history of the Jewish people from Abraham to the present. Biblical accounts relate promises of Jewish ownership to Palestine.

Following the business and program sessions the hostess served fruit punch with a sandwich plate. She was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Clyde King of Stephenville and Mollie Steele, both of whom were guests.

Mrs. Homer White of Eastland was also a guest.

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who has been so kind and thoughtful during our recent sorrow.

The Ford Reid Family

## Pantherettes Win Bi-District; Go To Regional II Tournament Friday

The Gorman High School Pantherettes defeated the Blanket girls Tuesday night at Comanche by a score of 45-32 to win the Bi-District Title. Gorman was the winner of District 32-B and Blanket won the District 31-B Title.

After a nip and tuck game for nearly three quarters, Mary Robertson sparked a quick Gorman rally to pull away in the final quarter. Annee Kate Blair led the scoring with 21 points followed by Julia Beth Skaggs with 12, Mary Robertson, 7, and Patsy Rawls with 5 points.

Sandra West and Karen Wright were outstanding with their fine guarding joined by Emma Jane Skaggs and Kay Lyn Ramsey.

The win enables the Gorman sextet to participate in the Region II Tournament to be held at Brownwood on Friday and Saturday, March 7th and 8th.

The Pantherettes first opponent in the Regional Tournament will be Paint Rock on Friday afternoon at 4:30 p. m. The Paint Rock team has been to the Regional Tournament for the past three

years and possess a 26 won and one loss record this season, the loss being to Lakeview of San Angelo. They make up for their lack of height with speed and accuracy. Gorman has a season record of 19 wins and 8 losses.

Other teams that will be at the tournament include Pottsville, Hawley and Santo. The only team among these that the Pantherettes have met this season is Pottsville, who defeated the Pantherettes. However the Gorman sextet defeated Pottsville in the Regional Tournament last year 69 to 56. The Pantherettes won third place in the tourney last season and were defeated only by Hawley, the eventual Regional Champs.

## More Than \$1,000 In Prizes Listed For County Livestock Show

More than \$1,000 in cash prizes will be awarded to the owners of the winning animals at the annual Eastland County Livestock Show at the Eastland airport on Friday and Saturday, March 28th and 29th, president of the County Livestock Raisers Association, Bob Pressley, of Cisco, has announced.

Only the FFA and the 4-H Club boys and girls from over the county exhibiting animals will receive cash premiums as the adults will exhibit for ribbons only.

Pressley expressed thanks to the business and professional people, civic groups and others from all over the county who took ads in the show catalogue. He explained that this was the only source of revenue for the show. He further thanked the various committees in the various communities who solicited and collected for the ads.

C. M. McCain of Eastland, general Supt. of the show, has announced that all animals not showing sufficient quality or finish to merit exhibition will be turned back and not allowed to show by the sifting committee. This is in line with the policy established last year to keep poor quality and underfat animals off of the show ground.

A showmanship award of \$10 will be awarded to the boy or girl who does the best job of showing his or her animal.

The auction of the fat animal will be held at the Eastland Auction barn the night of April 1.

### SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

Kay Browning - Laneta Rodgers

We got the letter back from the ceramic plant. We are going next week sometime. We are very excited.

We do not have to go to school Friday because of the teachers meeting.

For some reason we are having a lot of lessons this week. The teachers are laying them on us.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Revels and David attended the funeral of Mrs. Arthur Richardson of Wichita Falls on Monday.

perfectly luscious they were - - sandwiches, potato chips, and George Washington cherry tarts with whipped cream, and coffee.

It was with reluctance that we finally bid good-night to each other, our guest, Mrs. C. O. Revels, and to our hostess, Mrs. Berenice Jeffs.



### WHAT IS SOCIAL SECURITY?

What is Social Security? Social Security is basic financial protection against income loss due to old age, disability, or death. It is insurance - based on the same general principle as private insurance, but it is not a contract arrangement. It is a social insurance program, the idea being that you make small payments during your working life and then when you are faced with an emergency such as disability or death, or when you reach old age and retire, you and your family or your survivors get the payments.

I would like to emphasize that Social Security is Old-Age and Survivors Insurance. A lot of people have the idea that Social Security pays only retirement benefits. Actually it provides protection against three risks - loss of earnings in old age, loss of earnings due to death of the bread winner of the family, and loss of earnings due to disability.

So Social Security is actually three kinds of insurance - disability insurance, life insurance and old-age insurance.

I would like to point out that Social Security should not be confused with Old-Age Assistance or Unemployment Insurance. Social Security is Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance. The Old-Age Assistance program is administered by the State Department of Public Welfare. Unemployment Insurance is administered by the Texas Employment Commission. Neither of these 2 program is connected with your Social Security tax.

Should you want more information on Social Security, write the Social Security Administration, P. O. Box 1641, Abilene, and ask for a free copy of the booklet "Your Social Security".

By C. M. Vaden, Jr.,  
Field Rep., Abilene SS Office

ED. NOTE - We would like to know why a Social Security Rep-

## Officers Elected For Youth Center

A Board of Directors has been elected for the Youth Center of Gorman. Intum these directors have elected officers of the center.

Constitution and By-laws have been written and accepted by the adult clubs sponsoring the center.

Letters will be mailed explaining the constitution and by-laws to those we think will be interested.

ED. NOTE: This Constitution and By-laws will be published in the Progress later.)

Anyone wishing to donate such things as furniture, etc. please contact any of the following: John Kimble, Quail Thompson, Jerry Clark, Mrs. Roy Byrd, Mrs. Rudolph Haile, or Brent Lasater.

Everyone in high school is looking forward to its opening.

ED. NOTE: This Constitution and By-laws will be published in the Progress later.)

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means to express my sincere appreciation for the cards, letters, flowers and visits while I was in the hospital. I especially thank the doctors, nurses and entire hospital staff for their kind care and attention.

Mrs. G. F. Bennett

Mrs. Berenice Jeffs and Miss Lorena Clark were in Coleman on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Redwine and Sherry visited in their parents homes, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redwine and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jacobs, last weekend.

representative spends part of a day in Comanche, Cross Plains, De Leon, Eastland, Ranger, Rising Star, and Cisco which forces folks in Gorman to go out of town for this service. If office space is needed the Progress will be glad to furnish a desk. (No charge, of course).

## Jaycees Charter Banquet Slated For Tuesday; Officers Installation

### CHARTER BANQUET PROGRAM

Tuesday, March 11 - 7 p. m. Methodist Fellowship Hall

Invocation ..... Rev. Jack Clack  
Pastor, Midway Baptist Church

Dinner ..... Served by W. S. C. S. and  
Friendly Ladies Class

Introduction of Guests ..... Rev. Robert Haynes  
Pastor, First Methodist Church

Installation of Officers ..... Jack Messer  
State Vice President, District 17

Principle Speaker ..... W. E. Snelson, State President

Benediction ..... Lem Rogers  
Minister, Church of Christ

### National Director To Attend Banquet

Dr. Douglas Guthrie, Jr., a Chairman for Christmas Activities and last year as State Vice President. For his endeavors last year, he was selected as the Outstanding State Vice President from a field of eighteen.

A member of the Christian Church, he is also a member of the National Association of Chiropractors, Chiroprody Society of Texas and International Association of Anesthesiologists. He is a graduate of Illinois College.

Guthrie was elected at the State Convention of the Texas Jaycees held in Corpus Christi last April.

The Gorman Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold its Charter Banquet next Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m. in Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church. Purpose of this banquet is for the local Jaycees to receive their charter and have their officers installed.

W. E. (Pete) Snelson of Midland, State President of Jaycees, will be the principal speaker for the occasion. Jack Messer of Denton, Regional Vice President, and Dr. Douglas Guthrie, Jr. of Waco, Texas National Director, will also have a part in the program.

Jaycees from Stephenville, Comanche, Dublin, Granbury, Fort Worth, Waco and other cities will attend the banquet.

Local citizens are urged to support this banquet since some of the most important Jaycees in the State will be present. If there is a good turn out of local citizens, these State dignitaries will know that Gorman is behind its Junior Chamber of Commerce and will encourage the local members to do their best in civic projects.

Visitors in the George Cooper home over the weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper, Larry and Barbara of Winnie, and Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper and James of Eastland.

church on Sunday. I could have helped, I should have divided a part of what God has given to me with His church, but I didn't."

"I voted against the church; God help me!"

Rev. Robert Haynes  
First Methodist Church

**Duster News**

Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Reporter

"The more you know God, our Father, the better you will trust Him; the more you trust Him, the better you will love Him; the more you love Him, the better you will serve Him."

Church of Christ and Duster Baptist had regular attendance Sunday. Bethel Baptist had 30 for Sunday School and 24 for Training Union, and a larger number for each church service. Bro. Smith brought wonderful, spiritual messages at both services. There was one conversion and addition to the church. Friday night, March 7th, at 8 p. m. the Comanche County Quartet Singing Convention will meet at the

Bethel Church. If you like good gospel singing, come. The public is invited.

Rev. Moody Smith and children were luncheon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fisher Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carlton and children attended the funeral services of Mrs. Jack Vineyard in Comanche on Sunday.

This community misses Pvt. Jon Coan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abb Coan, since he has left to be in service. He is stationed at Camp Hood at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Berl Scott and son of Monument, N. M. spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott.

A/2C Dale and Mrs. Solomon were here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Solomon, a

few days. He left for a few months of training at Fort Wayne Indiana. She will remain here for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanifan and children were supper guests with her mother, Mrs. Lorene Johnson, Friday night. They were returning from Stamford to De Leon to make their home.

Mrs. Alice Coan is in Ft Worth this week visiting her children and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lehman and Mrs. Thompson were visiting in Brownwood Monday.

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**Desdemona News**

By Ethel Keith

Visiting for the weekend with their relatives here were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Redwine of Ft Worth. Leroy Nabors and wife were visiting here the past weekend with his mother, Mrs. Doris Nabors.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthery received an emergency call saying Mrs. Guthery's brother, Jody Pur due of Goree, was seriously ill, suffering from a heart attack.

The children of Mrs. Ethel Keith were called to her bedside this week. She has been very ill and is now in the Blackwell Hospital. Visiting her are all of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Guthery of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Keith of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Wilcoxson of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Keith of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Scott of Oil Center, N. M. spent the week end here visiting Mrs. Scott's parents, the Raymond Joiners.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frossard of Gorman had lunch in Desdemona Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams.

Friends of Mrs. Keith send their best wishes for a speedy recovery. We certainly miss seeing her each day.

Mrs. Odessa Abernathy received word this week that her mo-

**OLIVER SPRINGS  
NEWS  
FLORENCE RICHARDSON**

Bad roads kept us away from church services Sunday. Wish we

ther was seriously ill and she has gone to see her.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Luker and son were here the past weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Northcutt.

Mr. Jeff Boles fell Monday and hurt his back. At last report he was doing better.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Johnson and Mollie Ficklen of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Garner of Chicago, Ill. spent the past week end here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Anse Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Loving left last week for Anniston, Ala. where Carson will be stationed for several months in the Army. They stopped enroute to visit a sister in Louisiana.

A. E. Henslee and son, Aaron E., Jr., attended funeral services of an uncle, Jess Henslee, Sunday afternoon at Falls Creek near Granbury. Mrs. W. W. Mitchell and Mrs. L. W. Barker also attended the funeral services.

had some all-weather roads in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Reid visited the D. L. Bonds Sunday afternoon.

Roy Rawls is home visiting home folks and friends.

Mrs. J. N. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Atchison visited the R. H. Watsons Saturday night.

Mrs. B. A. Hirst, Mrs. R. H. Watson and this writer spent Thursday in Breckenridge visiting the Harvie O'Neals.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seals visited the D. L. Bonds Thursday evening.

The A. D. Bryans visited in our home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears were in De Leon Friday visiting the E. K. Mears.

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J. B. Thomas, president of Texas Electric Service Company, center, examines fusion research project apparatus during a recent visit to General Atomic Division's John Jay Hopkins Laboratory for Pure and Applied Science in San Diego, California. With Thomas is Dr. Edward Creutz, left, director of research at General Atomic and Dr. Frederic de Hoffmann, a vice president of General Dynamics Corporation and division general manager of its General Atomic Division. Thomas is a vice president and director of the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation which is sponsoring a \$10,000,000, four-year fusion research project jointly with General Atomic Division of General Dynamics Corporation.

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**Outdoors In Texas**

By Vern Sanford

Fish hatcheries of Texas are now ready to provide as many fish as will be needed to stock the new lakes that have become filled with fall and winter rains.

There is a mistaken idea on the part of many people about these

hatcheries. Because our hatcheries have done a great deal of stocking of some of our major lakes and streams in the past, there is a tendency on the part of many persons to think that this work is a continuing project.

This is not so. Today our fish hatchery system works differently. There is a definite need for fish hatcheries in Texas. But ex-

cept in unusual cases they do very little stocking of big lakes.

They have discovered that poor catches are, in many cases, the result of over-population of a lake. Restocking just adds to the seriousness of the situation.

On the other hand, Texas with its myriads of small lakes, created on farm and ranches and across creek beds, boasts numerous places for heavy hatchery production. Each time one of these

small lakes is built, and fish are stocked, it provides fishing for a few more people.

These are private lakes, of course, but they furnish very fine fishing for those who are lucky enough to get permits to fish in them. In turn that takes the pressure off of public waters to a great degree.

Texas may be shy public lands for hunting, but it certainly is not shy on public waters for fishing. Except for far West Texas and the Panhandle there are fine lakes within a short drive for everyone. And Texans really are using them, too. Ditto for the Gulf Coast.

**Launching Ramps Are Needed**

One of Texas greatest needs today, insofar as outdoorsmen are concerned, is for more and better launching ramps so as to provide greater access to these fine lakes and the Gulf Coast waters. With so many more boats and a rapidly increasing number of fishermen, it is becoming more and more difficult to find a place to launch boats, without having to spend hours awaiting your turn.

Building new launching ramps and improving the old ones, is a job that may be undertaken by local groups, or the city, or the county. It also is possible that the State Highway Department might be able to build a few access spots where highways cross some of our streams.

Certainly all of us agree that it is important that state gasoline tax funds be used to build roads for the use of those who pay the tax. It must be remembered, however, that trailer and a boat drain much gasoline from the car. Then once the boat is in the water it becomes a motor fuel consumer too.

While there is a tax exemption on non-highway use of motor fuel it is seldom if ever claimed by the small boat owner. For that reason our road builders might look ahead just a little and assist in providing access.

**A Sonic Fishing Idea**

It is interesting to note how

some of the primitive methods that we use to catch fish eventually are improved upon - then placed on the counter to sell. For instance, we have, for a long time, been rigging up jigs on foot-long leaders to follow after deep running plugs.

They were good for both white and black bass.

Now comes Heddon with an improvement on the idea. It is the firetail sonic. It makes a noise the fish can hear, and has a tail section that glows. This is supposed to irritate the bass and if he hits a little short, he still gets hooked.

This firetail won't be a particular menace to the fish population - especially in Texas, because we have so many fish. By the time it gets to working good the fish will get smart and then someone else will come up with something new to lure the fish and fishermen.

**Sand Bass Are Active**

Sand Bass now are running in all their glory. We've seen more tremendous catches made within the last couple of weeks. They are especially active where fresh water creeks are flowing into lakes, and in the tailraces just below some of the big dams.

They are hitting on everything. Some like minnows. Others take spoons or plugs.

There has been some fine fishing of Sand Bass in the Rio Grande. Sandies from Falcon Lake have gone up the river as far north as Laredo, according to reports.

Biologists also are stocking Lake Houston this spring with some sand bass brood stock. One good stocking in Lake Houston and in a couple of years it should provide fabulous fishing.

Incidentally, black bass and crappie fishing is going begging in this fine lake, according to reports. It can stand much heavier fishing pressure than it is getting. This is one of the most beautiful lakes in Texas.

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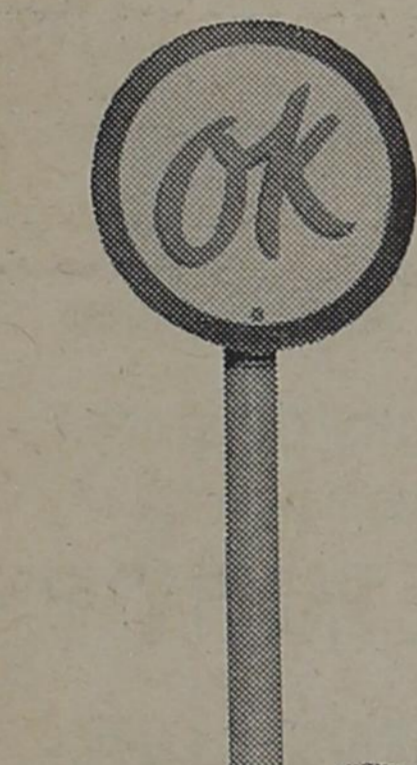
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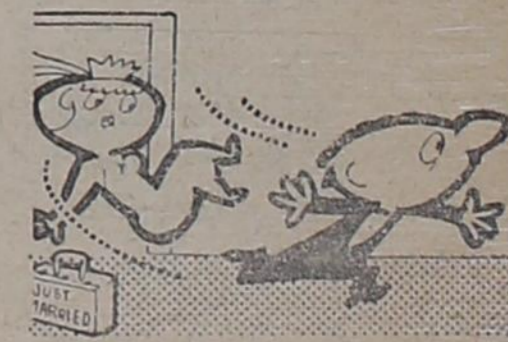
**DETOURING AROUND FINANCIAL TANGLES**

... has long been a basic characteristic of the successful man. Young men seldom do and few of his older brothers, to avoid many of the pitfalls blocking successful careers, save something regularly, don't mortgage income beyond its capacity to absorb, make a Will, provide adequate life insurance for yourself and family, keep all properties insured, and guard against faulty titles in buying real estate. These are a few of the fundamentals which, if followed, will detour you around many financial tangles.

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## Driver Training Would Save Many Youthful Lives

Editorial by Mr. Frank Grimes  
 Abilene Reporter News

The U. S. Public School System has been accused of wasting the taxpayers' money teaching courses as ballroom dancing, 'personality adjustment', how to get along with the crowd and so on.

While some courses of that kind may be of value — but not if they interfere with fundamentals — there is one course set up in some Texas high schools that seems to yield real dividends in a pretty important aspect of modern living: the art of survival.

It is driver education.

Catch 'em young and train 'em

good applies in this case. Many high schools carry on this work, but some authorities think it should really start in the junior highs, since some kids under special circumstances start driving legally between 14 and 16, and a great many others start driving illegally under 14.

The Texas Federation of Women's Clubs has been campaigning for high school driving instruction for some years, and the best authority in the state in such matters, the Public Safety Commission, seems to think such training pays off, since it will issue a driving license to any youngster who has completed an approved course

The Federation thinks the time has come to take driver education out of the experimental, haphazard take-it-or-leave-it stage, and make it a permanent part of our public school system. It would do this by inserting in the upcoming Gilmer-Aiken legislation a provision for driver education teachers. This would enable every boy and girl to learn the art of survival in traffic from qualified teachers, and raise up a new generation of better, safer and more responsible drivers.

This, it seems to us, is about as far from boondoggling as you can get, since experience has shown good driver training in high school really pays off.

You can hardly pick up a paper that you don't see where one or more high school students have lost their lives in traffic. The nation can ill afford this wastage of potentially good and useful citizens, the very hope of our future.

Ninety-nine percent of our school boys and girls will become drivers some day. A thorough well-balanced course in driving under competent teachers not only teaches them how to handle a motor car and familiarizes them with rules and regulations, but inculcates in them a sense of responsibility at the wheel they might never acquire otherwise.

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## Let's Go To Church

Will you go to church Sunday. There is a blessing awaiting you in the service of the Lord.

It is hard to tell a church member from a worldly person, but it is no trouble to tell a Christian from a worldly person. Let us see what Paul said. Romans 6-11. Likewise reckon yourselves to be dead unto sin but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord. Now notice the word through. You can get in a building and not go through. You can not be dead to sin and yet live in it at the same time, this, that our old man is crucified with him that the body of sin might be destroyed that hence we should not serve sin. Roman 6-6.

After Christ's body was crucified it never lived any more in the same manner. It was a new body. So it is with a Christian not with just a church member, but borned again, spirit filled person that is one that is a Bible Christian. Read Galation 2-20. You don't only change ways but you change reputation and you change friends and self. You are a new creature in Christ Jesus. All these things have passed away. If this has happened to you then you have peace with God. You then will be careful about the activity of our youth.

Read the 3rd Chapter of First Corinthian, especially the 16th and 17th verses. Let us awake to righteousness and live.

Rev. Dean Bradley of Dublin will be the speaker for this first Sunday's service. Will you come to hear him.

Marion Dennis, Pastor  
 Congregational Methodist Church

Mrs. Lee Swain visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fonville. A granddaughter, Lavada Redding, and girls also visited the Fonvilles. On Sunday Clarence and Floyd Swain and Jack Redding visited in the Fonville home.

## Political Announcements

The Gorman Progress is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries July 26 and August 23, 1958:

For State Representative  
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 (re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 2  
**B. M. BENNETT**  
 (Re-election)

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For County Judge  
**CLYDE L. GARRETT**  
**JOHN HART**  
 (re-election)

For County School Supt.  
**H. R. (Pop) GARRETT**  
 (re-election)

For District Clerk  
**ROY L. LANE**  
 (re-election)  
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## Business Women Enjoy Book Review

The Business Womens W. M. U. Circle met at the Educational Building of the First Baptist Church for mission study Monday evening at 6:30.

Mrs. J. Q. Eakin, circle chairman, presided. The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mrs. Ethel Harrell. The rest of the program was turned over to Mrs. George Blackwell who very graciously brought the book review titled, "Look, Look, The Cities", by Albert McClellan. First, the beginning of cities, second, the rise of the American cities, third, the city is many people, fourth, the city is one man, fifth, the city church faces its task, sixth, city churches work together.

Albert McClellan makes it very plain that every church should have a mission church and the call is all out yonder to the last city man.

The meeting was closed with a prayer led by Mrs. J. R. Todd. Thanks to Mrs. Harrell and Mrs. Eakin for the delicious cake, punch and sandwiches which everyone enjoyed. There were 9 ladies present, Mesdames Harrell, Dean, Pullig, Boucher, Eakin, Gowan, Richardson, Todd, and Blackwell.

Bible study will be next Monday evening at 6:30. Everyone is invited. Mrs. Harrell will teach the Bible lesson.

Mrs. J. W. Richardson  
 Reporter

Sherrie Dunkin of Colorado, Ann Armstrong of Dallas and Waynelle Henry of Ft Worth, schoolmates of Sue Hallmark at Abilene Christian College, were weekend guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hallmark. Mr. and Mrs. Hallmark returned the girls to Abilene on Sunday evening.

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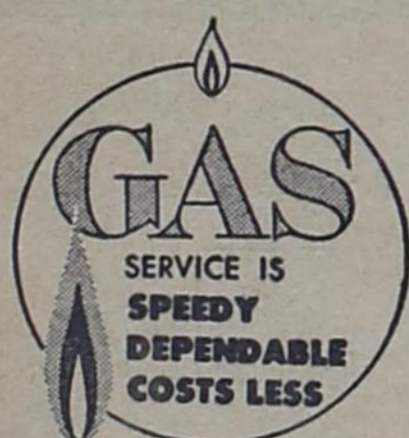
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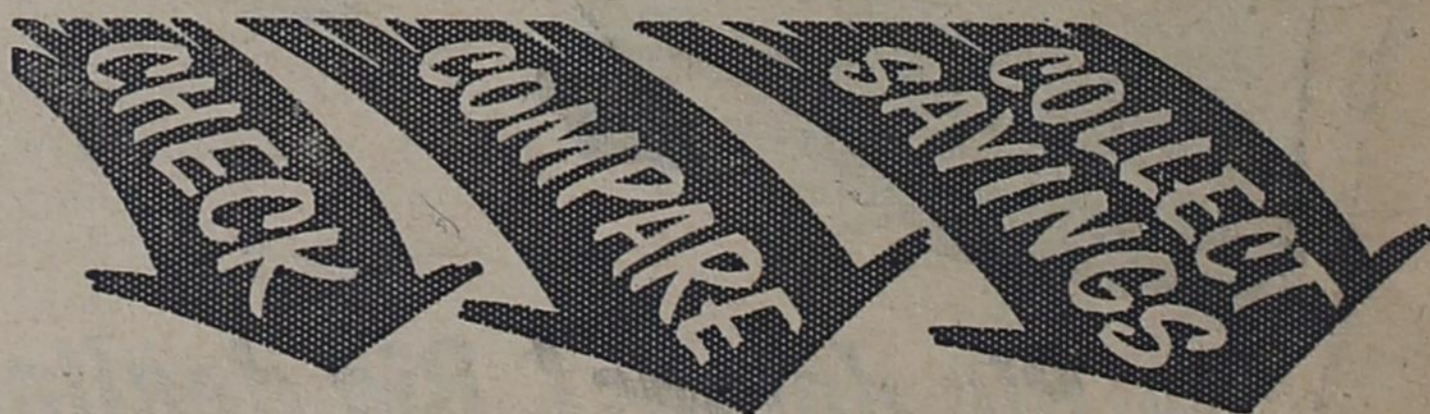
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