

HULLS

by Kernel Gene, aPe

Monday morning and my assist ant somewhere in the wilds of Wisconsin. This week you will see the difference between youth and age, as Kernel Gene is handling the whole show at the Progress office for the first time since he has been publishing a paper. Don't tell Joe but I certainly will be glad when they return.

Take time to read the article in this column by Tom Anderson of the Farm & Ranch Magazine.

WANTED A PAL — A young fellow moved to town last week and according to his mother he wants to find a male pup. If you know of a male pup that needs a pal and a good home call Mrs. Fulfer 130-J. The Fulfers are living in the Trailer House next to James Jobe.

My apologies to a number of you who have enclosed a letter with your renewals. I do enjoy your letters - and I think the folk in Gorman like to hear from you too.

Mrs. Lou McMullen of Gunter, Texas writes that she enjoys reading about old friends in the Progress and also wishes us luck in our endeavor to build Gorman.

Mrs. Tom Fuller, who now lives in Ranger, writes that she will always call Gorman home even though she has made many friends in Ranger.

Dear Sir:- It is good to know that we have papers that will print some beautiful things as well as our every day activities. My husband, son and I were visiting our people, The Calvin Browns, and I was reading one of your papers where you had written the item by Mrs. T. M. Goodwin.

I can't help but congratulate you for a paper with a blessing for any who will read them.

Mrs. Lee K Choate, Kermit

Dear Mr. Baker:- How's everyone I hesitated about subscribing to the Progress. Seems like I know so few people there after I have been gone ten years, but couldn't think about it not coming every Saturday. We still read it from cover to cover.

Best wishes to all you Gorman folks. Think we have quite a few of them in Dallas now, but Dallas is so big don't get around much.

Euna Koonce, Dallas

Mrs. J. L. Glasson of Lubbock sends greetings to her friends.

Dear Mr. Baker:- Got your paper today (May 8) and was really glad to get it, for it helps to keep up with the happenings in Gorman.

I am stationed at Camp Page, located 50 miles north of Seoul, the Capital of Korea, with the 19th Rifle Inf. Co. My job is supply clerk and radio communications operator.

Yes there are a lot of sights to see and a lot of awful and pitiful sights too. They have nine orphanages here and they are really in poverty. My company is collecting clothes, money and food for them. The children range in age from 1 month to 15 years.

Gene I would like to encourage the people of Gorman who have old clothes or things that these children could use, to please send them to me or my company for I know they would be greatly appreciated.

My address is: Pfc. Johnny P Burns, RA78533184 Co C 19th Inf (R) 4 US Msl Cmd APO 8, San Francisco, Calif.

Regardless of what vocation a man chooses it will have many problems. However, after reading the following article I suppose law enforcement officers have more gripes than anyone.

As the saying goes, "they are damned if they do, and damned if they don't."

Has it ever occurred to you what would happen if we removed all law enforcement from our highways?

Read, "Don't Holler Cop" on Page Two.

A recent newsletter from Hon. Lyndon B. Johnson, asked the following question: "What has happened to the Spirit of America?" Senator Johnson seems quite disturbed about the average person's lack of interest in the Russian's Sputnik and outbreaks of Anti-Americanism in many parts of the world.

Tom Anderson, editor and pub-

CLYDE GARRETT TELLS PLATFORM IN RACE FOR COUNTY JUDGE

Clyde L. Garrett, candidate for county judge, this week made the following formal statement:



"In announcing my candidacy for county judge, I do not do so as a stranger to the voters of Eastland County since I was born in and have been a legal resident of the county all my life. Likewise, my wife and five children were also born in the county. Until two years ago, however, my work carried me out of the county for a number of years.

I am making the race at the urgent request of many representative citizens from all parts of the county and from all walks of life and because of my sincere desire to render the county and the people I love a worthwhile service. I am not making the race because I feel the county owes me one thing for, certainly, it does not - the county owes no candidate anything. The fact is, I am very deeply indebted to Eastland County - I owe it a debt of gratitude which I shall never be able to repay for having honored me by electing me county clerk and county judge some years ago.

I am not being run by any group or clique as one has intimated. The fact is, I have not been in politics recently enough to know whether such groups or cliques actually exist and whether they have been dominating the politics of our county. It would seem that one who has 'resided' in our courthouse continuously for the past eight or ten years should be in the possession of such facts. Our citizens are too intelligent to fall for such propaganda which is put out by someone in every campaign in effort to and for no other purpose than to try to perpetuate themselves in office.

As in previous races which I

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bibby of Iraan, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Bibby, to Alton Ray Brown, son of Mrs. Roy Brown of Gorman. The wedding will be held in Gorman September 14, 1958.

JO CLINGER GRADUATES

Charles Jo Clinger has graduated from Midland High School. Jo, as she is known to her friends in Gorman, is the granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Sharbutt of De Leon.

ARMY MANEUVERS

FORT POLK, LA. (AHTNC) — Pfc Sterling Morrow, 20, recently participated in 'Exercise Strong Arm', a Continental Army Command maneuver conducted near Fort Polk, La.

Radio operator in the 845th Engineer Battalion's Hq. & Service Company, Morrow entered the Army in July 1955.

Morrow's mother, Mrs. Pearl E. Harris, lives in Carbon.

lisher of the Farm and Ranch Magazine gives a pretty good answer to the Senator's question in his column, STRAIGHT TALK, in March, 1958 issue.

"We do not believe in God, but that man is God." Ruthless, reckless Walter Ruether has been playing God ever since he made this statement in 1933, while lecturing under the auspices of the Young People's Socialist League. He had been asked this question: "Do you believe in religion and God or in science as a religion?"

In 1934 Ruether and his brother wrote a now-famous letter to friends in America from their workers paradise in Gorky, Russia. They had been touring Russia.

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LITTLE LEAGUERS TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT — SEASON OPENS TUESDAY 7:30 P. M.

SVGPA TO MEET TUESDAY

The Sabanna Valley Game Preserve Association will hold its regular monthly meeting, Tuesday night, June 10, at the Center Point Community House.

Berry Greenwood, Secy.

GUS FROSSARD ATTENDS FALL MARKET IN DALLAS

Mr. Frossard has returned from Dallas where he attended the Fall and Back-to-School Market of the American Fashion Association May 25-30. More than 1000 lines of women's and children's apparel were exhibited during this important market, held in the Adolphus and Baker Hotels.

A Fashion Clinic and show was held in the Crystal Ballroom of the Baker Hotel. It is reported that the loose silhouette in dresses and suits is still very much in evidence for fall. There are many variations to the new look, nearly all of them eased at the waistline.

USDA SURPLUS FOOD DATES

The next issue for The USDA Surplus Food Commodities, for eligible recipients, will be as follows:

Monday, June 9th - Eastland, Olden and Ranger.

Tuesday, June 10 - Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman, and Desdemona.

Wednesday, June 11 - Cisco, Pioneer, Scranton and Nimrod.

BROWN JUG TO SERVE COFFEE MONDAY 9TH

Mr. and Mrs. "Jug" Dennis are celebrating their First Anniversary at the Brown Jug next week and invite folk to have coffee on the house Monday, June 9th.

Westmoreland Re-Union

The 12th annual meeting of the Westmoreland Reunion was held at Lake Cisco, Sunday, May 25, 1958. The next meeting will be held on the last Sunday in May, 1959. There were 91 relatives and visitors present.

All had a good time reminiscing and having fellowship one with another. At noon lunch was served, after which Mrs. Dorothy Martin of Belmont, California brought an inspiring message from the Word of God.

Attending this meeting were:

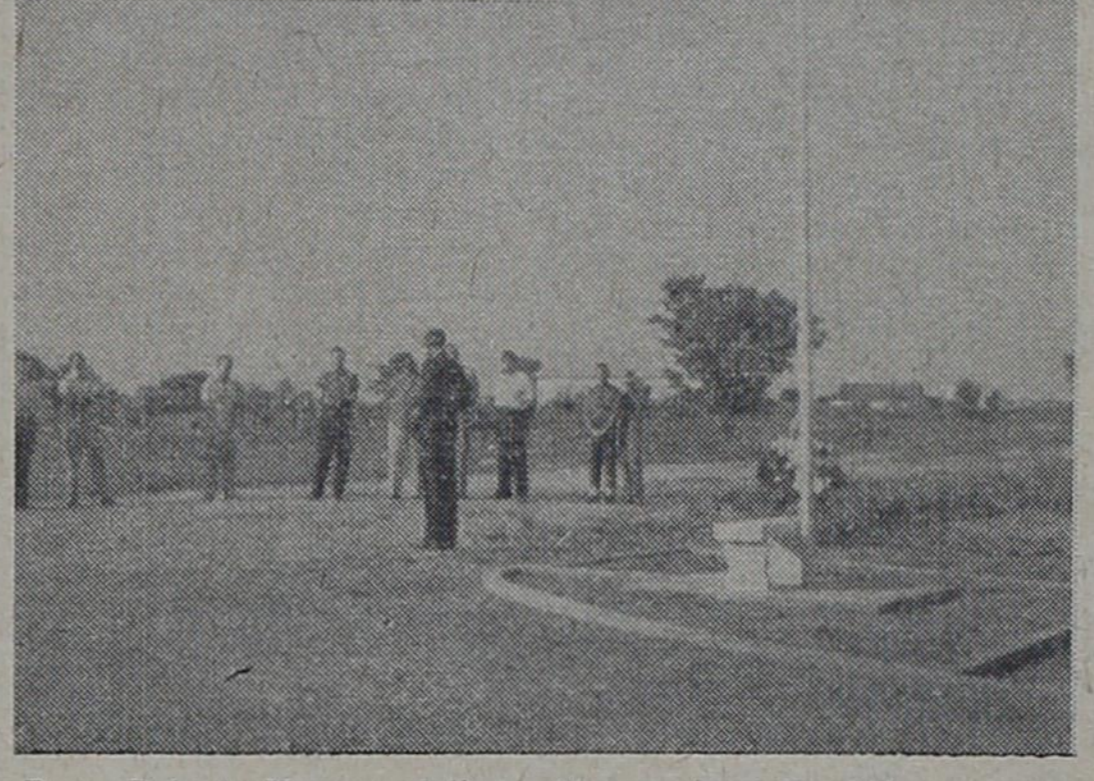
GORMAN, Texas: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gowan, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pullin, Larry and Janna, Mrs. Cecil E. Thompson and son, Delbert, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Battenfeld, Eugene, Dwaine and Dennis, Mr. W. G. Westmoreland and Mr. Floyd Gowan.

DE LEON - Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Iley and son, Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Dittrich, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Parker, Mrs. Ada Poe, Mrs. Cleo Jenkins and Norma Gale and Mrs. C. E. Atchison.

FORT WORTH - Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Haggard, Tomy and Totsy, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Iley, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Westmoreland Jr. Danny, Janis and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Iley, David and Donna Mr and Mrs M W Iley, Phillip and Richard, Mr and Mrs. Lee Westmoreland and June, Mrs. T L Westmoreland, Mr and Mrs Raymond Shutter, Carla, Rayme, Donna and Debbie, Mr and Mrs W R Brady, Gloria, Billy, Richard and Gina, Mr and Mrs L G Jones and Randy, Mr and Mrs Otto Westmoreland.

ABILENE - Mrs. Ada Tarrance and daughter, Mrs. Alice Evans, Mr and Mrs I F Westmoreland, Mr W E Koonce, Mr and Mrs L B Westmoreland, Mrs. Dorothy Martin and mother, Rose Clark of Belmont, Calif., Mrs. Alvin J. North and Linda, Dallas; Rev. N. F. Phillips, Sinton; Mr and Mrs Raymond Hoy, Rebecca, Alice, Tom, Grace & Pat, Swenson, Tex. Mr W P Phillips and granddaughter, Lea Phillips and Mr. and Mrs Ray Phillips and son, Fred of Ranger; Mrs. Annie (Parker) Wallace, Bakersfield, Calif.

48 ATTEND MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES AT CEMETERY FRIDAY



Rev. Robert Haynes delivering an address at the Memorial Services, Friday, May 30th. The Flag was raised and lowered to half-mast by Boy Scouts. As the clarion notes of Taps echoed over the country side, the small group stood with mingled emotions looking at the Flag.

At the base of the Flag Pole is a marble bench with the following inscription: "This Flag and sacred plot are dedicated to the memory of those of the Gorman Community who gave their lives for their country." Given in 1958 by the Bryan-

Mauney Post No. 594. Upper photo - Bill Parr assisting Mrs. Zesta Johnson as she places a wreath in front of the Memorial. Mrs. Johnson is the mother of Leland Bryan who lost his life when the Arizona was sunk on Pearl Harbor Day.

The Gorman Post is named after Leland Bryan and Alvin Mauney. Alvin Mauney is said to be the only casualty from this area during World War I.

The bench was presented to the Gorman Post by Alex Rawlins & Sons of Weatherford, Texas.

To Ex-Students of Hankins Normal College

To Fannye and Clyde and all good souls there be, Saying they are former students of HNC. Greetings and salutations — Now here's how it is with me.

I have tramped the Rocky Mountains from Alaskas golden shore To the sulphur smoking summit of "Old Popo" Mexico Marvelled at their matchless splendor, wild, majestic land of thrills But tonight my heart is hungry for the Eastland County hills.

Hazy pictures of a cabin out against a field of corn. Smoky fireplace, leaky shingles, that's the house where I was born. Rustic vines and flowers around it, all the air with fragrance fills Summer clouds send drifting shadows oer the Eastland County hills.

Fitful flashes of a farmyard and the oak tree standing high Most a hundred withered branches reaching up into the sky And a lazy little brooklet with a thousand little rills Muted music from the shadows of the Eastland County hills.

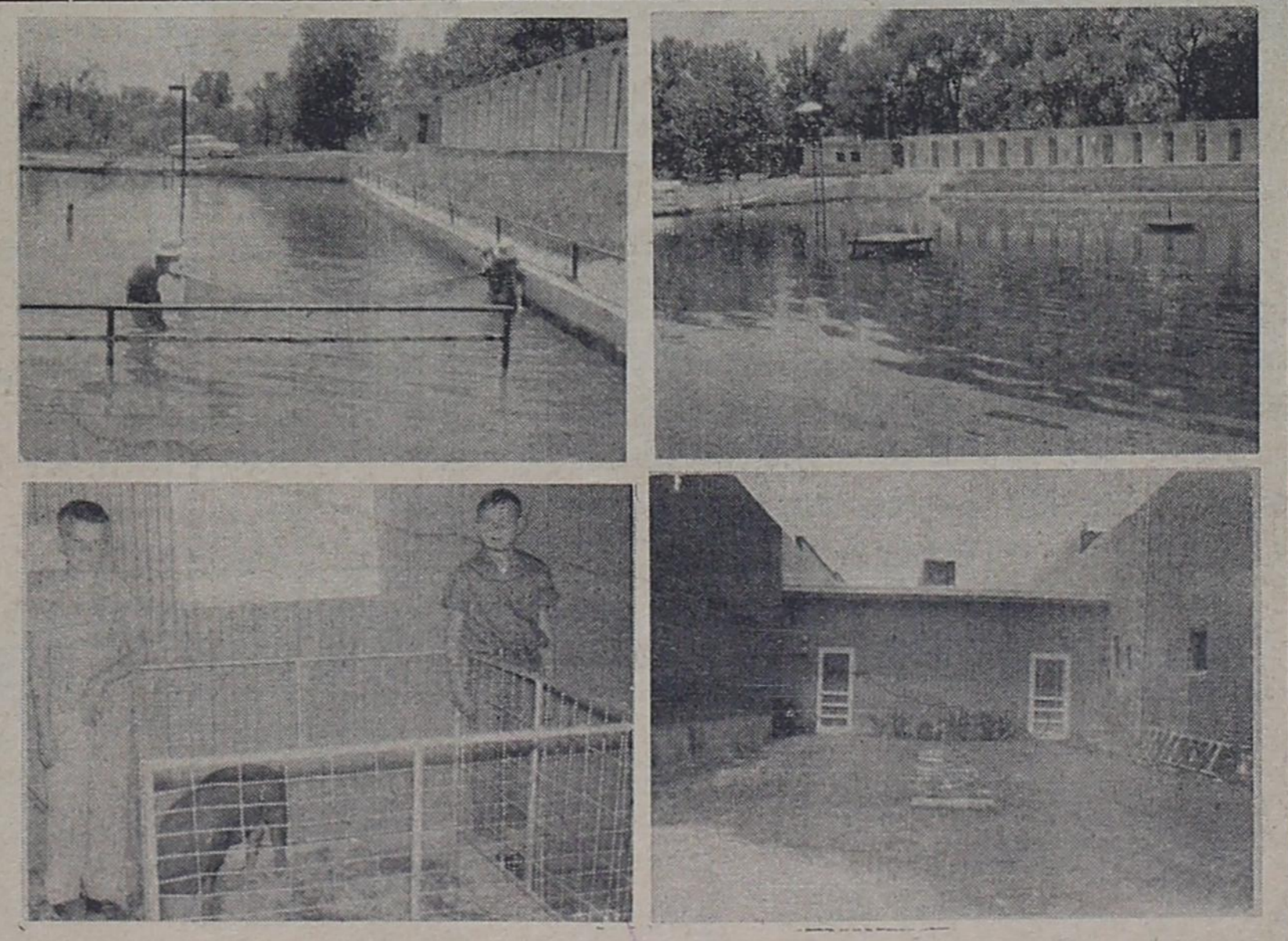
There I watched the last bright sunbeams turn to red, blue and die And I saw the purple twilight spread across the summer sky Then I caught the inspiration many years o' strife fulfills 'Twas the spirit of the shadows of the Eastland County hills.

Now at night when doubt oertakes me and I am loaded down with care

And the burdens thrust upon me seem to much for me to bear I rehearse the dreams of boyhood and my heart with hope refills That the substance of the shadows of the Eastland County hills.

Soon I'll loaf along the trail that leads across the last divide Where the PILOT waits to take me to the peaks beyond the tide But I have the consolation that the sacred thought instills "Hungry hearts shall ne'er be lifted from the shadows of the hills" From the everlasting shadows of the Eastland County hills.

— EARNEST BROWN



Top Photos: - A view of spring-fed Frank A. Gray Memorial Park Swimming Pool. Ken Worsham and Nelson Rand reining the Cotton blooms from near the Kiddie Pool. Rand and Worsham are doing an excellent job operating the pool. The huge rock near the Concession Stand labeled the "Smooching Rock" is an inviting seat. LOWER LEFT: Boy Scouts tending their pig at the Boy Scout Jamboree in Brownwood recently. Lower Right: A beauty spot in Gorman that few people see. It is located back of the Gorman Insurance Building. Drop by and they will be glad to show you this lovely garden spot.

HANKIN EXES RECALL PRANKS OF YESTERYEAR

Sunday morning, June 1, 1958, the ex-students of Hankins Normal College gathered at the Gorman High School Auditorium for their annual homecoming.

150 registered including guests. Ex-Students came from all parts of Texas and some from out of state. Several were here for the first time.

The meeting was called to order by President Clyde Garrett. Pearl Powers Duncan than lead the group in singing, "God Bless America."

The invocation was given by Rev. J. H. (Henry) Littleton of Eastland.

Mr. Edgar Walker gave the Welcome Address. This was followed by the response by Olin Kinnison of San Antonio.

This was followed by Record selection "Wayfaring Stranger", sung by Virginia Garrett Seelig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Garrett. Dorothy Plyler, daughter of Fannye Burkett operated the Hi-Fi Recorder.

Memorial Address was given by J. C. Traweek of Bangs, son of Clarence Traweek.

Miss Denise Rose, granddaughter of Mrs. Frank Dean and the late Frank Dean, sang the "Lord's Prayer" accompanied on piano by her sister, Deanna Rose.

Pearl Powers Duncan, assisted by Miss Lelan Stockton, conducted the annual Memorial Service. As the President called names of former students who had passed on during this year, a flower was placed in the Memorial Basket in their memory.

Mrs. Charles P. Mason, daughter of former students, Mr. and Mrs. George Vaught, and who is a teacher of Latin in Dallas, gave an address. "Work as a teacher in the School Systems in Texas

The morning selection was closed by another record sung by Virginia Garrett Seelig. Closing prayer was given by Truman McCord. The meeting adjourned for lunch and visiting.

Among letters received from ex-students were two letters from former teachers in HNC, Mrs. J. F. Hankins, who was unavoidably detained and Mrs. J. H. Hankins, who is ill.

Mr. Claybourne Eldridge "Reminced" and many in the audience added to the enjoyment by giving personal memories of "Most Embarrassing Moments at Hankins" and "What H N C meant to me."

Rev. Don Turner, First Baptist Church, sang "His Eye Is On The Sparrow", accompanied by Miss Linda Speck.

The following officers were elected for the incoming year: President: Dr. Almus Blackwell V. Pres. Dr. Ray McDaniel Secy. Mrs. Millie Slaton

Closing the meeting, Mr. J. F. Hankins expressed his appreciation for the honor shown him and also how much the Homecoming have meant to him. He stressed the seriousness of world conditions and that we are faced with the great threat of Communism.

The meeting was adjourned to meet first Sunday in June, 1959.

OZARK TRUCK TO DISPLAY FURNITURE FOR HIGGINBOTHAM

The Ozark Mfg Co., makers of the famous "Gold Label" furniture will have its truck (see picture on back page) parked in front of Higginbotham's Furniture Department, Monday and Tuesday, July 9 and 10. The public is cordially invited to inspect this truck display.

Preach Horton, store manager, said they were also going to have a drawing Tuesday afternoon and you are invited to register. No obligation - nothing to buy.

Leading up to this gala occasion Higginbotham is also starting a store-wide sale Friday, part of which will run thru Tuesday.

Their Blanket Sale starts June 6th, a date which the Progress neglected to put in last week's ad

Mrs. Hupp Morris and Pamela, Mr. and Mrs. James Morris and baby of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Morris of Kilgore, and Bobby and Kathy Browning of Gruver were week end visitors with the John Brownings.

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sia and were working in an automobile plant when they wrote that they were "actually helping to build a society that will forever end the exploitation of man by man . . . What we are building," their letter said, "will be for the benefit and enjoyment of the working class, not only of Russia but the entire world . . . The compensation we receive for our temporary absence from the struggle in the United States . . . Wal and I were always strong for the Soviet Union. You know we were always ready to defend it against lies of reactionaries.

"Once a fellow has seen what is possible where workers gain power, he no longer fights for just an ideal, he fights for something which is real, something tangible . . .

"Carry on the fight for a Soviet America."

Signed, Vic and Wal
Blueprint for Creeping Sovietization

Reuther is a third generation Socialist and crusader who wants to remake the world into a planned, collectivist labor Utopia. His

record for keeping agreements is about like Russia's. Hoffa, the new President of the 1.4 million Teamsters, unlike Reuther, is a brass-knuckle hoodlum whose dreams are more down-to-earth: money and more power are his Gods, not making America over. Reuther, backed by a \$50 million strike fund, is demanding a share of the profits of all profit-making companies. Under his plan (which he recommends throughout industry) stockholders would get 50 percent and workers 25 percent, with the remaining 25 percent going as rebate to company customers at the end of the year.

Reuther demands 25 percent before reserves . . . before reserves for retooling, plant expansion, and before debt retirement. Reuther demands 25 percent of the profits—but the union would never pay any of the losses. It's not accurate to say we have a "profit system" in America. We have a profit and loss system. Reuther's blueprint for creeping Sovietization would eventually break the automobile industry, would force the government to take it over and run it, "producing for use and not for

profit", in the "public interest". This would lead to what the Marxists call "Industrial Democracy," with government replacing private enterprise. If Reuther had announced that Labor recognizes management's right to manage and has no intention of questioning management's decisions about plowing back profits into research, plants, machinery . . . but was simply putting in a bid for a share of the profits and losses after management had made all those decisions and after taxes . . . that would be a horse (and a Reuther) of a different color.

Reuther's heads we win, tails you lose plan, if put into effect, would lead to remaking American business into giant cooperatives. The government would lose hundreds of millions in corporation taxes. And after rebating a total of 50 percent of "profits" before taxes to laborers and customers, there would be little or nothing left for the stockholders, after income taxes had been paid. And that suits the Socialists just fine, as they "carry on the fight for a Soviet Union.

Guaranteed Annual Profits

No Losses
Auto employees and consumers have a wonderful opportunity to share in automotive profits (and losses). They can buy stock. That is the American way.

The Sputnik temporarily ended Reuther's demand for a 4-day week (with 5 days pay). Most unions, lacking leaders with Reuther's imagination and socialist training, are merely demanding more pay for less work. Fewer days for higher wages. More overtime and fringe benefits. That's the union cure for the present "recession."

Imagine! We're in a war for the world, a space race with history's most ruthless oppressors. The Russian laborer works under forced sweat shop, speed-up conditions for a small fraction of the pay his American counterpart gets.

If the labor union conspiracy is not defeated the result will be bankruptcy for many small businesses, great unemployment, stepped-up welfare checks, more inflation, ever-higher prices . . . and will lead to defeat, disaster, and oblivion for America.

The Battleground

Is At The Polls
Unions are no longer "collective bargaining" (or even collective bludgeoning) organizations. Union today are mainly political organizations. As George Meany, President of AFL-CIO says, "The scene of battle is no longer the

company plant and the picket line. It has moved into the legislative halls of Congress and the state legislatures."

It's estimated that union dues exceed \$450,000,000 a year. Unions could buy a lot of company stock for their members with that. But they don't want the members to own company stock. They

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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
PAUL BRASHEAR (re-election)
OMAR BURKETT
- For Commissioner, Prec. 2
B. M. BENNETT (Re-election)
A. M. (Judge) THURMAN
M. E. "Buck" FOSTER
- 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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might become more loyal to the company than to the union. Walter Reuthers controls more millions of dollars for political campaigns than do the Democratic and Republican parties combined. America faces the prospect of a Socialist-Labor dictatorship with the Reutherites' henchmen in the majority in Congress and a Reutherite yes-man in the White House.

Reuther would not only run the whole automobile industry, but the government too. Reuther would not only bargain for the Auto workers, but for all employees, stockholders and customers.

He will never be satisfied with collective bargaining until it produces a collective economy—a planned economy in which union leaders enjoy joint management with the owners of business to share the profits but not the losses, the decisions but not the responsibility, the security but not the insecurity, with a Labor government refereeing.

The average union leader's goal is: "more". But Reuther is not average. His goal is Socialism."

If we could get some of our own "niks" grounded, more people might be interested in our neighboring attitude. A lot of folks in small towns still think a man should have some say as to what he does or don't join.

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A "COP'S" LIFE

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If he's brief, he's a grouch
If he hurries, he overlooks things
If he takes his time, he's lazy
If you get pinched, he had it in for you
If he passes you by, he's easy
If he's energetic, he's trying to make a record
If you strike him, he's a coward
If he strikes you back, he's a bully
If he outwits you, he's a sneak
If you see him first, he's a bone head
If he makes a good catch, he's lucky
If he misses it, he's a chump
If he gets promoted, he had a pull
If he doesn't - - Aw what the hell's the use?
(Distributed as a public service by the National Police Officers Association of America, Chicago, Illinois.)

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\$1 19 pr. 3 pr. \$345

15 Denier, Nee-Hi (Med. only) or Full Length. Reg. \$1.15
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have made, I shall conduct my campaign on a high plane. I shall not deal in personalities but I will not hesitate to discuss facts. With no thought whatever of boasting, but for one purpose only — to call to the attention of the voters the type of campaigns I have made in the past — I wish to state in the races I made for the offices above mentioned, I had nine opponents, each of whom was an upstanding and highly respected citizen, every one of whom, to a man, remained my friend and later supported me for Congress.

I point to this record with pride — it is one which cannot be claimed by every candidate.

I believe the county judge and the commissioners should work together as a team, having at all times the best interest of the county as a whole at heart. Every one knows that our county's best interest cannot be best served without the maximum cooperation between the county judge and the commissioners. In this connection, I desire to state that, as county judge, I served with eight of our county's most highly respected and capable citizens as county commissioners during which time there was not the slightest friction between the commissioners and the judge. This fact will be verified by four of these men who now survive.

Regardless who the commissioners are with whom I serve, I shall cooperate with them regarding all matters which appears to be to the best interest of our county. Furthermore, I will cooperate with them to the end that all county property, in which we have a tremendous investment, such as: court house, jail, City-County hospital, roads, bridges, equipment, automobiles, etc., is well preserved and kept in a good state of repair.

As was my former policy, I will see that our county funds, in our county depositories are at all times fully secured. While serving as your County Judge, the depression of 1931 came. Banks, all over the state and nation, which were serving as depositories for county and school funds, were failing — our depository bank failed also. When it closed its doors, we had approximately one quarter of a million dollars in county and school funds on deposit. I had carefully selected and examined every item of security which our depository bank had pledged to secure such funds. At the close of each day, I knew we had ample security to fully protect every dollar on deposit. Due to my diligence in selecting the proper type and amount of securities, neither our county nor a single school district lost one dollar. Not a school

had to close its doors and the county's business went on as usual.

Relating further to my business experiences, from 1950 to 1956, I was in complete charge of the direct loan program of the Veterans Administration of the Waco Texas, Regional office, comprised of some forty counties. This program was a Federal Government program, having no connection whatever with our State Veterans Land Program which was for a time in bad repute. My duties were those of making loans to veterans with which to purchase a home or farm, to pass on their character, their ability to repay the loan, etc. During such period, I loaned some six million dollars to veterans and not one veteran had defaulted in his payments on his loan.

I have always been a strong believer in and advocate of good highways, Farm-to-Market and lateral roads. I would like to see our county rank second to none in the state in such system of roads. I will cooperate wholeheartedly with our commissioners in an effort to obtain the largest allocation of funds possible to the end that, in time, every community may have easy access to FM roads.

Today, our people are greatly disturbed and are becoming more and more concerned about our juvenile problem. Probably about as much as they are regarding our international and economic situation. Certainly, no one person can either solve or offer a satisfactory solution to such problem. However, I will co-operate with our law-enforcing officers, parents, churches and interested citizens in an effort to reduce juvenile delinquency to the very minimum. Generally speaking, I endorse the following statement made by one of our eminent religious leaders — certainly there are exceptions. He said "The problem of juvenile delinquency will find most effective solution in the home which gives proper place to discipline. No child is born a delinquent; he is prepared at home, consciously or unconsciously, for delinquency. All the basic, lasting values a child learns are set in the home."

In dealing with delinquents, I will earnestly consider and carefully weigh all facts available and take such action as, in my considered judgement, is deemed best for the party involved while, at the same time, taking into consideration the interest of the public and society.

The fine work being done and the worthwhile programs being carried on by our capable County and Home Demonstration Agents, and their splendid assistants, is well recognized as being indispensable to our farmers, housewives, poultrymen, dairymen, stockmen, bankers and business-

men alike. Our county has always boasted of having the very best of such agents in the state. I have always enthusiastically supported their programs one hundred percent and shall continue to do so.

My deep concern for and my sincere interest in our aged and needy were evidenced by my acts while County Judge as well as by my votes on matters affecting their interests while a member of Congress. I heartily endorse the program of distributing surplus commodities which are being furnished by the Federal Government and will favor the continu-

ation of such program. In fact, I will cooperate in any program sponsored by the Government which will add to the comfort, provide additional food and relieve the suffering of our aged and needy.

I will, as I have heretofore done, sympathetically cooperate with our citizens who find it necessary to send their loved ones to our state institutions for treatment and with the minimum degree of publicity.

When I assume the duties of County Judge on January 1st, I shall content myself in discharg-

ing the duties of the County Judge ONLY — I will not try to dictate to other duly elected county officials how to run their offices, whom they should employ nor when to terminate their services.

In addition to my experience above mentioned, I have taught school, was city manager, had banking, insurance and public relations experience.

I believe the primary things which a voter should consider in casting his vote for any candidate are his character and his qualifications and on such basis I submit my candidacy. I respectfully

urge every voter who may not know me to investigate me carefully.

It will be utterly impossible to see every voter during the campaign. However, I will endeavor to see as many as possible. To those whom I am unable to see in person, please consider this as my earnest solicitation of both your vote and your influence. I have written a goodly number of voters over the county whose initials and correct address I could recall and to many whose names and addresses were furnished me by friends."

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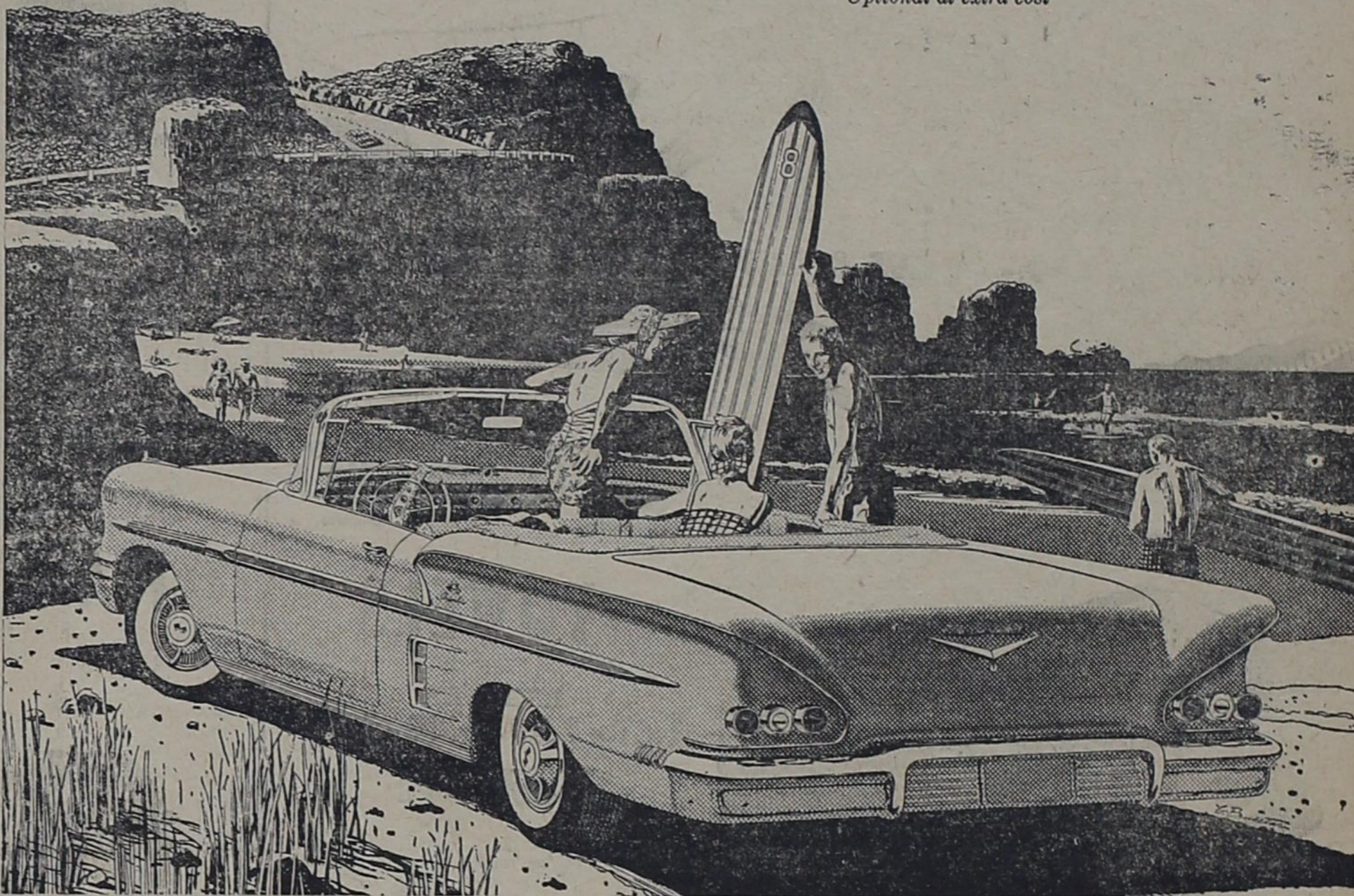
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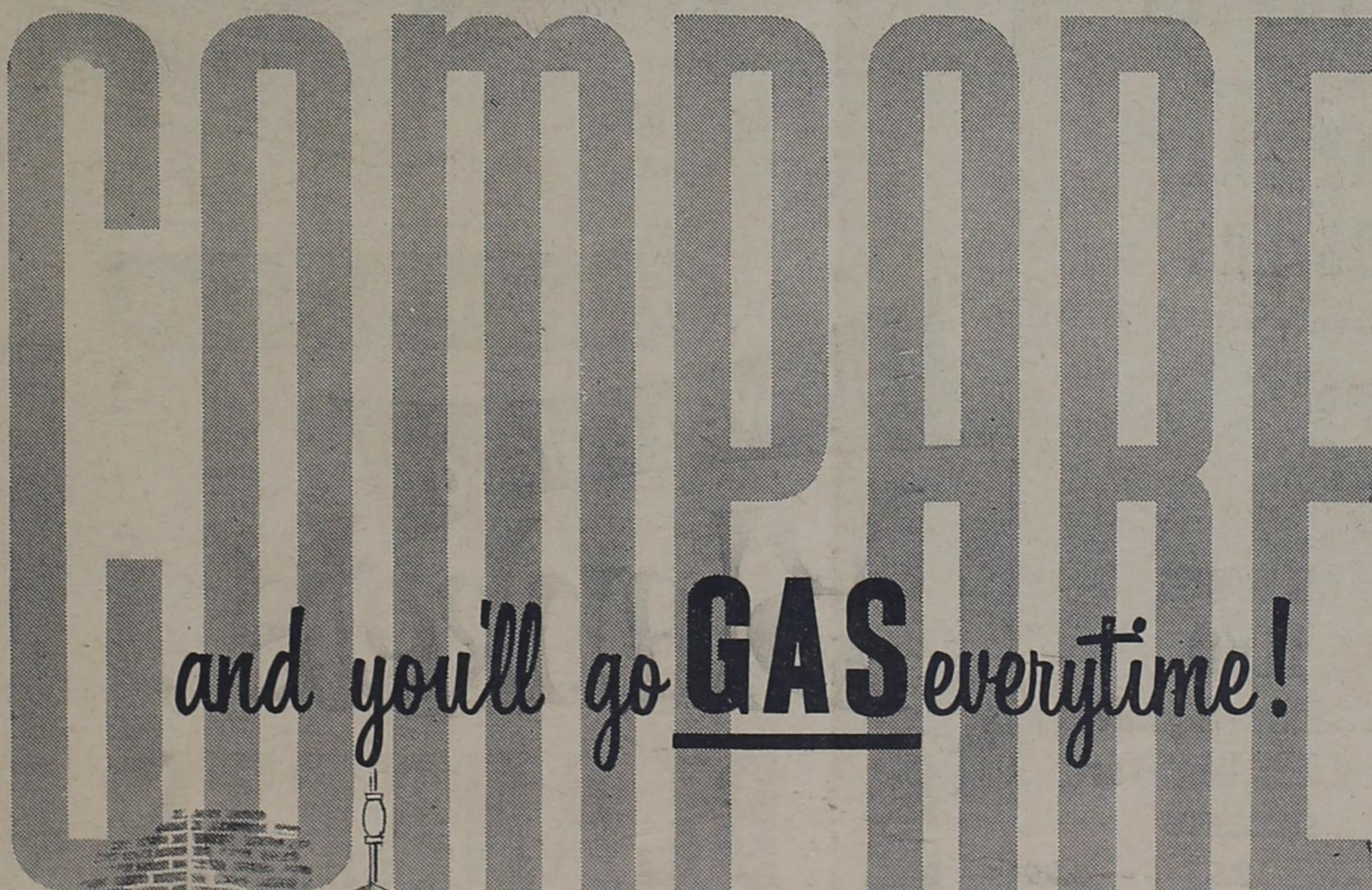


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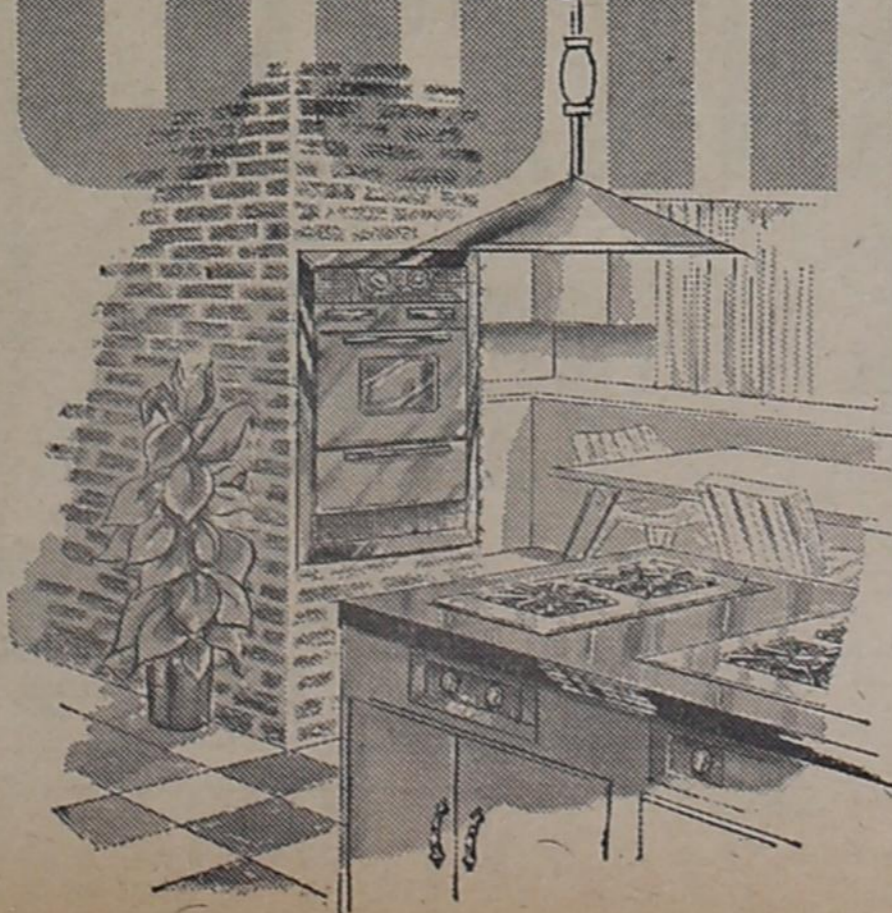
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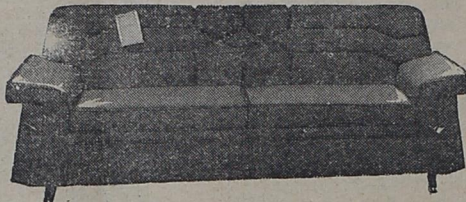
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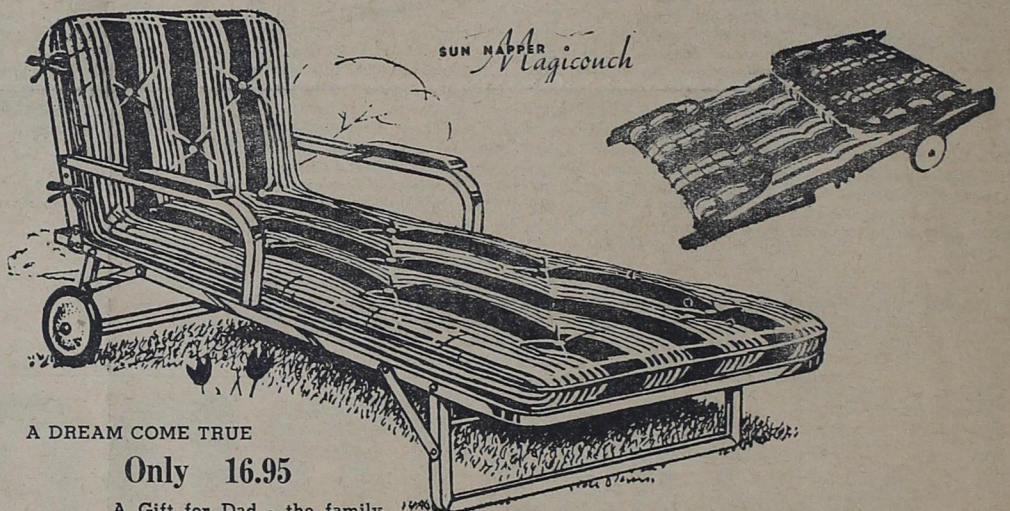
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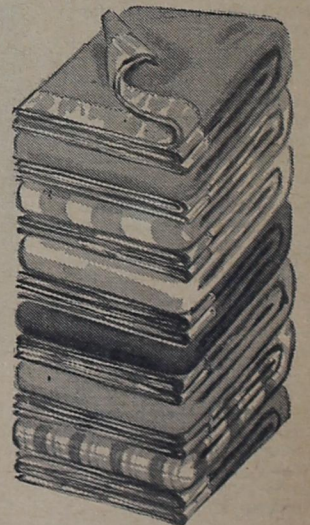
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