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CUBS EDGE CISCO; GRANBURY NEXT

The Gorman Junior High Cubs defeated the Cisco, Junior High Midgets Tuesday night at Brogdon Field by a score of 8-0. It was the first encounter for the season for both teams and was played on a wet field.



HULLS
by Kernel Gene, aPe

Woe is me - nine-thirty Thursday morning and my engravings for this week's edition have not come in.

There is supposed to be a two column picture of Mr. C. S. Campbell of Flatwood Community with the first bale of cotton. Mr. Campbell brought in 2000 pounds of cotton and got a 570 pound bale. Look for the picture next week - also, a picture of the Carbon Football team and a picture of Stacy's new Humble Station. Aside from that this is a normal press day.

"Muscle Men at Work" could be the title of the story on the men cleaning the upper story of Higginbotham's Furniture Store for the new factory moving to Gorman. Incidentally, "Preach" Horton found a bunch of large doors which have been moved to the lumber yard and can be purchased at a real bargain.

The following names are being added to the Honor Roll. Once again we pay special tribute to the folks on the farms who are taking part in this project.

New contributors are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown, John Henderson, Clarence Pittman, R. C. Mehaffey, Smith Bros. Chevrolet Co., Texas Electric Service Co., J. A. Watson, Gorman Insurance Agency, Mrs. Carroll Bickle, Pioneer Natural Gas Co. Other names will be published as they are turned in.

Henry Scitern is in charge of the carpenter work and any one wanting to work can contact him.

Drop by folks and meet Mrs. Bickle. This business is new to her but she enjoys meeting people and now maybe we will have more local news. Just between us I am going to move to the back of the shop and let her run the front office.

On Thursday, September 11th Miss Sussanne Rankin returned home from Eglin Air Force Base where she has been stationed since last May. She has received a medical discharge because of an aggravated foot ailment.

SEARS 4-H SWINE SHOW TO BE HELD AT EASTLAND SATURDAY

The Eastland County 4-H Swine Show has been set for Saturday, September 20th. The place will be at the new livestock show grounds near the Haydite factory at Eastland. This was announced by Curtis L. Boase, Assistant County Agent.

Nine Eastland County 4-H boys will participate in this show with their registered Duroc Jersey hogs. Eight of the hogs will be gilts and the other one a boar.

The boys in the Sears Swine program won their hogs by writing an essay entitled "Why hogs are important in Eastland County".

The winner in the county gilt show and the boy with the boar will take them to the area show at Breckenridge on September 27. In the county show all the boys with gilts will win a ribbon and the first five places will win a total of thirty dollars prize money. The prize money will be eight

The Gorman team made a 57 yard drive the first time they had the ball with Halfback Ronnie Page going the final 19 yards on a beautiful end run. He also added the extra points to end the scoring for the night.

Fullback Wayne Bledsoe and Page handled the ball carrying duties with End Larry Anderson and Guard Roger Woodall giving outstanding performances on defense.

The Cubs play at home next week taking on Granbury in their first district game of the season. Game time will be at 7:30 p. m.

Cub Schedule

Sept. 23 — Granbury at Gorman
Sept. 30 — Gorman at De Leon
Oct. 7 — Gorman at Glen Rose
Oct. 14 — Hamilton at Gorman
Oct. 21 — Gorman at Comanche
Oct. 28 — Gorman at Dublin
Nov. 4 — Stephenville at Gorman

Gorman Has New Band Director



Miss Peggy Tate, graduate of Abilene High School and former student director of the Eagle Band, has accepted the position as Band Director of the Panther Band. For the past two years Miss Tate has been directing the Rising Star Band.

Miss Tate received her Bachelor of Music degree from Hardin-Simmons University where she played in the Symphonic Band, Cowgirl Band, Trumpet Trio and also rode one of the six white horses which toured the United States with the Comboy Band. She is a member of the National Interscholastic Rodeo Association. A member of Choir at college and the Baptist Church of Abilene.

Miss Tate replaces Mr. Ken Worsham who recently resigned after a three year tenure. Mr. Worsham has accepted a position with a music company in Abilene. A second Lieutenant in the Texas National Guard, Mr. Worsham plans on entering service in the near future.

Shirley Bibby Wed To Alton R. Brown

On Sunday, September 14th, Alton Ray Brown and Miss Shirley Bibby were united in marriage in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church. Rev. Robert Haynes, pastor, performed the ceremony.

Miss Edith Bolt sang.

The bride was once a resident of Gorman. She was formerly employed at the Ohio Oil Company of Iraan, Texas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bibby of Iraan.

The Browns will make their home in Gorman.

American Legion To Have Chili Supper Monday

All members and prospective members of the Mauney-Bryan American Legion Post No. 594 are urged to attend a Chili supper to be given at the Fire Hall in Gorman at 7:00 p. m. on Monday, September 22, 1958. All eligible members are welcome. It is important that all veterans attend this meeting.

Business to be taken care of at this meeting will be nomination and election of officers.

Ben R. Townley,
Post Commander

CORNERSTONE TO BE LAID AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY

The cornerstone for the near-complete New First Methodist Church in Gorman will be laid Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the building committee announces.

Formal Opening Of Stacy Humble Sta. Set For Saturday

Carl Stacy, heaved a sigh of relief and said, "tell the folks that Saturday, September 20, will be the day of our formal opening of our new Humble Station. We have been looking forward to this for a long time."

Humble Oil Company, who is noted for doing things in a big way, has gone all out in building a modern, up-to-date station on Highway Six for Carl to operate. Carl stated that no matter how big or well equipped a station is, it is the service that counts - and he is going to uphold the Humble tradition of giving the best of service at all times.

He extends you a cordial invitation to stop by for a visit on Saturday. If you are interested in football ask for one of Humble's Southwest Conference Football Stickers and the 1958 schedules designed to fit a man's billfold or a lady's purse.

Excelsior Club Hold Breakfast

Members of the Excelsior Club are combining their first meeting of the year with an 8 o'clock breakfast Saturday morning, September 20th., at Lizzie's Place.

Greetings will be read by the club president, Mrs. N. C. Crawley. Presentation of the Yearbook will be handled by Mrs. Martha Sutton. Mrs. Vera Hamrick will be the leader of the eight members participating in the Club Collect.

The second meeting will be held on October 14th with Mrs. J. W. Townsend as hostess.

Hospital Report

The Blackwell Hospital of Gorman reported the following listed as patients on Thursday morning:

- 201 - Mrs. J. E. Porter, Gorman
- 202 - Mrs. Larry Nicholas,
- Cross Plains
- 203 - Mrs. Billy Tucker, Roscoe
- 205 - James Sharp, Fort Worth
- 209 - Dan Fraley, De Leon
- 211 - Mrs. John Allen, Desdemona
- 401 - Wesley Eads, De Leon (No Visitors)
- 402 - Mrs. G. W. Gilmore, Gorman
- 403 - Mrs. Virgil Watson, Dublin
- 404 - R. A. Jeter, Gordon
- 406 - W. A. Woods, Gorman
- 407 - Dick Weekes, Comanche
- 409 - T. S. Richburg, Gorman
- 411 - Mrs. J. M. Hayes, Comanche
- 412 - Mrs. W. H. Ware, Rising Star
- 415 - I. J. Tyrone,
- Sulpher Springs, Ark.
- 418 - Dick Townley, Gorman
- 419 - Mrs. Charley Rich, De Leon

Births At Blackwell

Anthony Wayne Petree born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Petree of Eastland on September 14th

Panthers Lose To Early; Play Tolar Here Friday

Mrs. Bickle Joins Progress Staff



Mrs. Carroll Bickle, formerly of Washington, D. C. and Arlington, Virginia, has recently been employed by the Gorman Progress. She is a native of Eastland County and attended school in Carbon before her father, A. B. Rankin, brought his family to a place 3 miles south of Gorman.

Mrs. Bickle attended John Tarterton at Stephenville and from there went to Ft Worth to work where she met and married Mr. Bickle.

In 1941 they moved to Washington, D. C. The following year they moved to Virginia where she lived until moving back to Texas.

The past year she has been working in Dallas but has been wanting to come "home" to work and live near her family while waiting for Mr. Bickle to dispose of real estate and settle all business connections before coming down.

At present Mrs. Bickle is living with her brother, Ray Rankin and family.

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful.

W. F. Hagood and children
J. R. White and children

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to sincerely thank our many friends, neighbors, and everyone for the many gifts, contributions, help, and thoughtfulness after our home was recently destroyed by fire. Each kind deed will always be remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seaton
and Family

Desdemona Plays First Football Game At Carbon Tonight

SGT. DOYLE W. WILSON GRADUATES FROM ARMY SCHOOL IN GEORGIA

FORT BENNING, GA. (AHT-NC) - Sergeant First Class Doyle W. Wilson, whose wife, Doris, lives at 3210 N. Big Spring, Midland, Texas, recently was graduated from the Infantry School's advanced non-commissioned officers course at Fort Benning, Ga.

The course was designed to prepare non-commissioned officers for duties as platoon sergeants with infantry regiments.

Sergeant Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Wilson, Route 1, Gorman, Texas, entered the Army in May 1958.

The 24-year-old soldier attended Gorman High School.

Billy Check and Mary Lou Smith were home from Dallas last weekend visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Check Smith.

The Early High School Longhorns downed the Gorman Panthers 36-0 last Thursday night at Early to hand the Panthers their second loss in as many starts.

PANTHERS

No.	Name	Pos.
37	Joe Harrison *	B
29	Glen Scitern	B
30	Nathan Files	B
36	David Revels *	G
41	Jimmy Brightwell *	T
40	Dick Townley	G
47	John Brinegar *	B
48	Gary Echols *	C
34	Jackie Simpson	B
38	Phil Puckett *	E
44	Neil Overstreet *	B
32	Jerry Anderson *	E
45	Bobby Shugart *	T
33	Terry Shell	T
22	Joe Bob Rodgers *	T
25	Johnny Wilson	C
27	Kenny Welch *	B
28	Gene Snider	B

* Denotes Probable Starters

Manager: Max Grice
Coach: Roy Byrd
Ass't Coach: David Goodwin

Panther Schedule DISTRICT 7-B FOOTBALL

Sept. 19	— Tolar	Here
Sept. 26	— Dublin	Here
Nov. 3	— Brownwood	There
Nov. 10	— Cross Plains	There
Nov. 17	— Jim Ned *	There
Nov. 24	— May *	There
Nov. 31	— Open Date	
Dec. 8	— Rising Star *	Here (Homecoming - Saturday)
Dec. 14	— Baird *	Here

* Denotes District Games

Mrs. Davis To Speak For WSCS

Mrs. Walter Davis of Brownwood will appear as guest speaker Tuesday, September 22nd for the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

The meeting will convene at nine-thirty when Mrs. Barton Eppler will host a coffee in her home.

Mrs. Davis is president of the Brownwood District of the WSCS. She is a former president of the Gorman society. In May, 1958 Mrs. Davis attended the Fifth Assembly of the world-wide society held in St. Louis, Mo.

Mrs. G. C. Acree will bring a devotional and Miss Edith Bolt will sing a cappella.

Women of the church are especially urged to mark this date on their calendar as a must for attendance.

The Longhorns, displaying some beautiful down field blocking and capitalizing on the Panther mistakes ran up a 28-0 lead at half time.

But the Panthers came roaring back in the second half and held the powerful Longhorns to only one touchdown.

The Panthers showed up surprisingly well considering the fact that they played without the services of Dick Townley and starting several freshmen.

In the first quarter, Loy Dobbs picked up a loose fumble in the air and the defensive end romped 20 yards for the first TD. Again in the first period Tommy Blackwell broke loose on a 77 yard jaunt with 30 seconds left. In the second stanza halfback David Palmer, who was a thorn in the Panthers side all evening, climaxed a long drive by plunging over from the one-yard line.

Just before the first half ended Fortner passed to Palmer 25 yards for to touchdown and Blackwell ran the extra point and the Longhorns lead 28-0.

The Panthers came back in the second half and held the powerful Longhorns scoreless in the third period, but with 3:10 left in the game Palmer again displayed his talents and romped 74 yards for the final TD to make the score 36-0.

The entire Panther line played good ball. David Revels, Gary Echols, Bobby Shugart, Jimmy Brightwell, and Jerry Anderson were standouts in the line. John Brinegar and Neil Overstreet played good ball in the backfield and on defense. But the surprising thing was the outstanding playing of the freshmen, Joe Harrison, Joe Bob Rodgers, Phil Puckett, and Terry Shell. These boys showed fine aggressiveness and with a little more experience are going to make some good football players.

The Panther fumbles, the lack of down-field blocking and tackling proved too costly against the Longhorns of Early who has a senior ball club. Coach Roy Byrd and David Goodwin expects these aspects to be corrected as the boys get a few more games under their belts and by the time we hit conference play with the attitude the boys have and with the condition the Coaches have the squad in will give somebody some trouble in conference play.

The Panthers play Tolar at Brogdon Field next Friday night. The Tolar Rattlesnakes lost last week to Godley by a 30-8 score. One thing is certain, the Panthers this year have the desire to play and are in good condition and will give their all until the final whistle has blown.

Carbon has had a six-man team for the past three years. The Wolverines are all set for tonight's game. They lost to Iredell last week.

Carbon players are Jerry Clower, Rodney Jackson, Billy Sandlin, Weldon Cook, Benny Frasier, Mickey Frasier, Mickey Rodgers, Don Underwood, Jimmy Sandlin. The coaches are Bob Browder and Mr. Rice.

Names of the Desdemona players were not available at press time.

CEMETERY WORKING AT OAKLAND SATURDAY, 20TH

There will be another Cemetery Working and Meeting at Oakland Cemetery Saturday, September 20th for the purpose of electing new officers for association. Please, everyone come if possible. See what we've already done and plan to do. It is your cemetery as well as ours.

Mrs. Lee Anglin, Sec'y.

History Of Humble Football Broadcast

This year Humble Oil & Refining Co. will celebrate its 25th year as a sponsor of football broadcasts featuring teams of the South west Conference. And to celebrate this Silver Anniversary, Humble will bring football fans one of the most comprehensive schedules or radio and television coverage the Company has undertaken to date.

Some 70 games will be beamed out over 130 Texas and New Mexico radio stations. Four South west Conference contests will be televised, and viewers will also be able to see a 45-minute videotaped version of the week's top game each Sunday afternoon on the new "Game of the Week" TV program.

That schedule contrasts sharply with the program in 1934 when three Rice Institute games were broadcast as a public service.

It began this way. Rice had a good football team that season and was scheduled to play Texas in the old Rice Stadium. Interest was high and the limited seats were soon sold out, so broadcast rights were granted in order that more people might follow the game.

This first broadcast proved so successful that a second one was

promptly planned. Humble sent a crew to Fayetteville this time to broadcast the Rice-Arkansas game. Everything ran smoothly until kick-off. Then the telegraphers in the press box began to send their game reports to newspapers. The clatter of telegraph keys and electrical interference from the telegraphic instruments set up a garbling noise on the broadcast lines. Complaints flooded the Humble switchboards. Quickly a phone call informed the broadcast crew of the trouble. The broadcast went off the air for 15 minutes while the crew picked up all the equipment and moved across the field where the broadcast continued from seats in the stands.

It was in 1935 that the Southwest Conference adopted a uniform broadcasting policy. The conference was unusually strong that year and both SMU and TCU were undefeated until they met at Fort Worth. The winner, SMU, went to the Rose Bowl, the only Southwest Conference team ever to appear there.

It was also in 1935 that Kern Tips joined Humble's announcing staff. Tips' first broadcast was the Rice-St. Mary's game and his success was instantaneous.

By 1938 standards, the first few broadcasts were somewhat primitive. A good many early games were broadcast from the press box proper (engineers had learn-

ed to suppress the disturbance of telegraphic instruments); booths, at best, offered few conveniences and no modern luxuries such as air-conditioning and sound proofing.

By the end of 1935 techniques had been refined, football was at fever heat, and surveys showed that the broadcasts were the most popular radio programs on the Texas air.

Coverage gradually increased and broadcast crews started following Southwest Conference teams to both coasts, to the Middle West, to the deep South, to wherever a conference team traveled.

When the Humble sign moved into the South Plains and the Pan handle of Texas, permission was secured to broadcast the games of Texas Technological College in Lubbock and when Humble entered El Paso and New Mexico, arrangements were made to sponsor broadcasts of games played

by Texas Western University and the University of New Mexico.

Television moved into Texas in 1948 and that fall Humble sponsored the first live telecast of a football game in the state, the TCU-Texas game over WBAP-TV in Fort Worth. The following year Humble sponsored what is believed to have been the world's first network telecast of a football game, the SMU-Notre Dame game. The network consisted of two stations.

Then came the NCAA program regulating football telecasts and Humble was out of the field until 1954. That year Humble sponsored telecasts on a regional basis and has continued to sponsor these telecasts since that time.

Do people enjoy these broadcasts and telecasts?

One year Humble asked listeners for an opinion. Cards and letters poured in by the thousands to give the program a resounding endorsement. Audience surveys

USED CLOTHING FOR KOREAN ORPHANS

On Wednesday Bro. Lem O. Rogers, minister of the Church of Christ, reported that twelve boxes of used clothing had been packed and shipped to Seoul, Korea. Hi Gun Chung in Seoul is to receive and distribute the clothing.

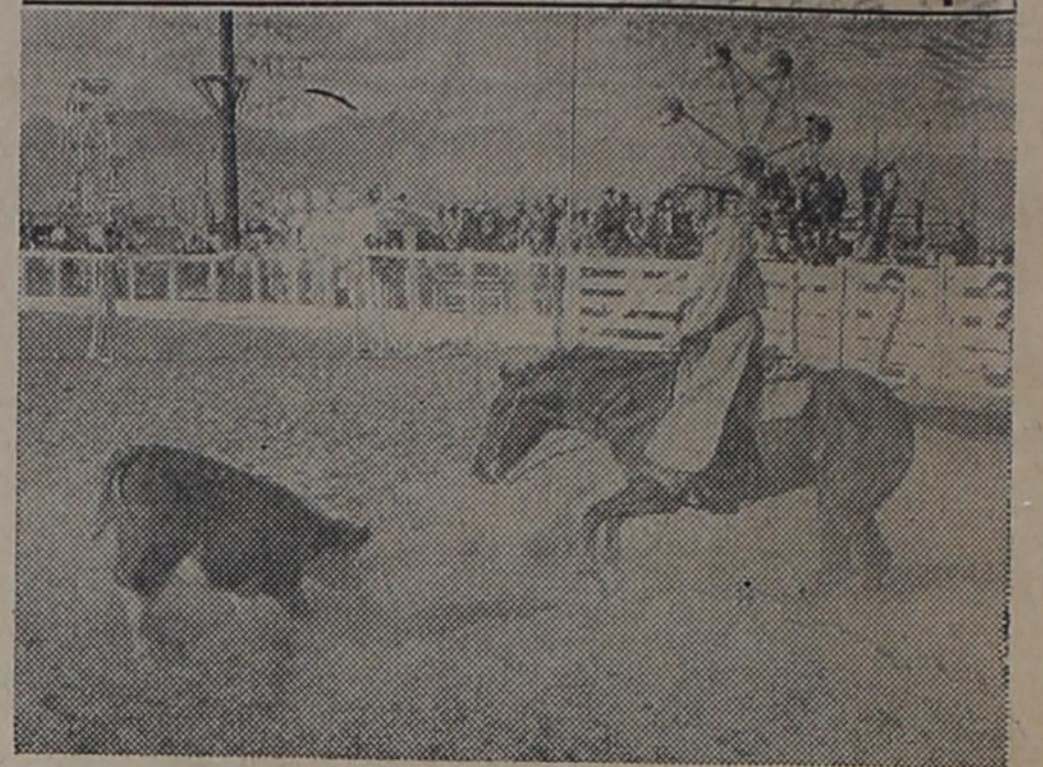
Bro. Rogers was attached to the medical corp in 1952 and 1953 stationed in Seoul where he met and worked with Mr. Chung.

HIGGINBOTHAM'S
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have shown that on a busy football weekend, well over 1.5 million people tune in to Humble's football coverage.

In fact, most Texas gasoline buyers will tell you that they listen to at least one or two games during a season, and about 40 per cent say they listen on at least half of the football Saturdays.

Fair to Present Cutting Horse Champ



The World's Champion Cutting Horse competition at the 1958 State Fair of Texas will feature such outstanding horses as Slats Dawson, top-scoring, 11-year-old gelding, shown here in action. Owned by George J. Pardi of Uvalde, Slats is ridden by Minor L. Johnson. The championship finals are Sunday, Oct. 12.

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SUNDAY-MONDAY-TUESDAY
September 21-22-23
"KINGS GO FORTH"
Frank Sinatra - Tony Curtis
Natalie Wood
Adults 60c Children 25c

The Panther Squall

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS
The seventh grade class met in the seventh grade room to organize an English Club. The officers are:
President - Mary Shell
Vice-President - Bobby Rodgers
Secretary - Barbara Jobe
Treasurer - Sylvia Hendricks
Reporter - Beth Rhymes and Vicky Stacy
Librarian - Sue Huff
We decided that the teacher would appoint the program chairman, which is Richard Watson. He appointed Terry Clark, Pat Harrison and Sue Koerner to be on the committee.
We voted to bring a nickel each Friday for the club dues.

F. F. A. NEWS
Norman Jones, Reporter
The officers for all classes of the Gorman Chapter of F. F. A. have been elected. They are:
First year officers:
President - Larry Campbell
Secretary - Howard Joiner
Reporter - Terry Shell
Treasurer - Joe Bob Rodgers
Vice-President - Nathan Files
Sentinel - Kenneth Puckett
Advisor - E. C. Bramlett
Second year officers:
President - Charles Reeves
Secretary - Joe Wallace
Reporter - Billy Gray
Treasurer - Russel Fuller
Vice-President - Jackie Simpson
Sentinel - Norman Woodall
Advisor - E. C. Bramlett
Chapter Officers
President - Harvey Don Joiner
Secretary - Jimmy Turner
Reporter - Norman Jones
Treasurer - Gary Echols
Sentinel - Royce Cozart
Vice-President - Jackie Simpson

FRESHMAN NEWS
Howard Joiner, Reporter
We were all disappointed in our two defeats in football by De Leon and Early. Perhaps we will do better in our next game.
We had our pictures taken for the annual Friday.
All the freshmen are just about adjusted to High School and we think it is fairly easy, now. On the first day of school many of us did not know which or what to do next.

SOPHOMORE NEWS
Carolyn Haynes, Reporter
We had a class meeting Wednesday, the 10th, during the last half of the fourth period. We elected Bess Underwood as "Sargeant at Arms" of our class. We also voted to have the Freshmen clean up the school premises if it became littered with coke cups from our coke period. We nominated Aletha Garrett and Roscoe Reeves for Student Body President. These nominations will be turned in with the nominations from other classes for the whole student body to vote on.
The school pictures were taken

Friday. Our class officers pictures were taken on a motor cycle. We are all very anxious to see our pictures.

EIGHTH GRADE NEWS
Kay Browning, Linda Harrison and Laneta Rodgers, Reporters
Even though a lot of people thought we couldn't win, we beat Cisco 8 to 0. Ronnie Page scored the touchdown and ran the extra points. After the ball game we had a snake dance and a pep rally. We would like for everyone to come. We will have one after every ball game we win down in the middle of town.
The boys in our room that play are Larry Anderson, Ronnie Page, Harold Rodgers, Richard McLearn, J. M. Wilson, Rodney Stevens, Mayne Bledsoe, William Boyd, Joe Ed Baze, James Wallace, and Gene Simmons.
Next Tuesday night the Gorman Cubs will play Granbury at Gorman. The admission is students 25c and adults 35c.
Everyone come out and support the Cubs.

JUNIOR NEWS
Douglas Craig, Reporter
The junior class held a meeting last Wednesday, and discussed having a class party. We decided we should wait awhile then have another meeting to decide when and where it should be.
Last Friday we had our pictures taken. Everyone is hoping that they will be good. We were expecting a man that would take our ring orders last week, but he didn't come. We hope he will be here in the near future.
Don't forget the football game this Friday night between Gorman and Tolar. Everyone should come and back the Panthers all the way.

SENIOR NEWS
Holly Kinser, Reporter
During our activity period last week we had a class meeting. The majority of our class voted to have devotionals. If the majority of the student body want them the Student Council will decide when they will be.
We had our pictures taken last Friday. You've never seen a happier looking group than we were in our caps and gowns - - guess we were thinking about "Graduation Day".
We've been doing very well in selling magazine subscriptions. We've sold over \$200 worth. Of course, we only get to keep a certain percentage of it.
Don't forget the football game Friday night with Tolar - - Come on out and let the Panthers know you're behind them all the way.

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS
Holly Kinser, Reporter
At the Student Council meeting last Tuesday we discussed having a school newspaper. However, the student body decided against it.
The President, David Revels, read a letter inviting all Student Council members to a Student Government Clinic at McMurry the 21st and 22nd of November. It will include a formal banquet on Friday night. The keynote

DESDEMONA NEWS
ETHEL KEITH, Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Key and family of Wichita, Kansas were here the past few days on vacation visiting his mother, Mrs. C. H. May, and family.
The Morris Nance family of Midland were here on the weekend with her mother, Mrs. C. H. Genoway, and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Griffith and daughters, Wanda Sue and Deborah Joe of San Angelo spent the weekend here with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith and the Atlas Griffiths.
Mrs. N. S. Partain of Dublin spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Keith.
Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Lindley and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Joiner all of Electra spent the past week end here.
The Leo Williams family of Midland spent the past weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams.
Lt. and Mrs. Bobby Burleson and son, Jerrel of San Marcos, left Sunday after spending the weekend here with the A. L. Williams and Russ Burlesons.
The Roy Gutherys had as visitors their children, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Guthery and Mr. and Mrs. Chubbie Foreman, all of Irving.
Mrs. John Arnold accompanied Mrs. Garland Dean to Ft Worth Thursday for a check up with her doctor. Mrs. Dean suffered a knee injury while on vacation in Colorado.

speaker will be Omar Burleson, our State Representative. A tour of the campus will be conducted by a student of McMurry. The fee of two dollars per person includes the banquet, room on the campus, and two meals on Saturday. Plans for going will be made at a later date.
The drinking fountain is to be installed this week and we will know some time this week when we can get the coke machine for the high school building.

rado recently and had surgery on her knee in Ft Worth.
Mr. Tom Eaton and family of Comanche was here last week to visit his mother, "Aunt" Sally Eaton.
Mr. and Mrs. Here Ficklen and children of Dallas spent the weekend here with her parents, the R. A. Browns.
James Buckley was here for the weekend with his parents, the Rufus Buckleys.
The Womens Club held their first meeting for the new club year in the W. H. Davis home on Saturday.
"Highlights of our Summer's Vacation", was the topic used on the program.
Mrs. Rosalee Burleson was re-elected president for the coming year. Mrs. C. S. Eldridge will be hostess for the next meeting.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis returned home Monday of last week from a trip to Mississippi, Alabama and Tennessee, where they visited relatives and attended the Cotton family reunion at Pick Wick, Tenn.

COTTON REUNION
The W. H. Davis' attended the Cotton reunion at Pick Wick Lake Tenn. with eighteen members present on August 29th through September 1st. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cotton, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cotton, Jr. entertained with a fish dinner at Shiloh.
Other highlights of the occasion included a tour of Shiloh battle fields and a cenearama showing the famous battle of the Civil War.
Present at the reunion were Rev. Robert B. Cotton, Massie, Va., Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cotton and Darlene of Ft Smith, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Andrews and Sharon Simmons of Huntsville, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis of Desdemona, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brewer, Dallas, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cotton, Jr. and daughters, Pamela, Patricia and Nanette of Starkville, Miss.
(Clipping from Daily Corinthian, Corinth, Miss.)



Homeowning Can Be Hazardous Too!
No matter how long the bronco-buster has been riding, he can never be sure the next horse won't throw him.
Such is the case with the homeowner. No matter how careful he tries to be, an unnoticed frayed electric cord, overloaded circuit, or smoldering cigarette can leave his home in cinders.
It's too late then to realize his insurance is "too little - and the wrong kind."
Be sure when you insure. Call on your local independent agent for a thorough appraisal of your needs.



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COFFEE BREAK

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 ball several times and each time it happened the Early Longhorns took advantage of it and turned them into touchdowns.

But with a few more games under their belts the Panthers should settle down and start playing their usual good game. The freshmen on the team will improve as they go along and we should do pretty well by the time

district plays begins. The boys will have a lot of good competition but with the will to play that they have been showing they may surprise a lot of people.

Well the college football games begin on Saturday and it looks as though its going to be another tough year for the members of the Southwest Conference.

TCU and Texas have been picked by most of the experts as favor-

ites to win the SW Conference crown this season. And I must admit I agree with them. However, I still say its mighty hard to go through the conference without losing a couple of games. And too, some of these teams may show up better than they are rated as we don't hear too much about some of them until the season starts.

SW Conference play begins on Saturday with Arkansas meeting

Baylor.

Well I said I would start predicting the outcome of some of the college games this season so I have worked out an idea with Speedy Clark in predicting the games this season to give me a little competition in seeing who could get the best percentage on guessing the outcome of ten games each week. So here goes:

- SPEEDY'S PICKS**
- Arkansas over Baylor
 - Rice over LSU
 - TCU over Kansas
 - Texas over Georgia
 - Ga. Tech over Kentucky
 - Duke over S Carolina
 - Missouri over Vanderbilt
 - Penn State over Nebraska
 - UCLA over Pittsburgh

- JOE'S PICKS**
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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves of Goldsmith visited with Mrs. John Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves last weekend.

Mrs. John Wheeler left Tuesday for Crane to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Vernon Bennett.

John Henry Weaver is reported seriously ill in the hospital in De Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mauney and son, Gary of Ft Worth, are spending a week's vacation with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mauney and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robertson.

Miss Marjorie Warren of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Warren.

Mr. E. E. Todd visited with Mrs. Todd in Marlin over the weekend. He reports that she is still improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Matejek of San Angelo spent the weekend

M. Y. F. NEWS
 Janice Day, Reporter

Tomasine Whitt presided over the meeting. Mary Thompson and Carol Hitcher had parts on the program. The lesson was about learning and being a student. Learning is not memorizing and good grades are not the only things that count. Honesty and other things are just as important. We should make good grades. Grades are only what someone else thinks your work is worth and your work compared to the others in your class.

We closed the meeting with the MYF benediction. See everyone at MYF next week at 6:30 p. m. There is to be a council meeting at 6 p. m. All the officers be sure and come.

ROGERS NEWS DIES

TPA - (Spl.) - July 11th marked the end of an era for citizens in and around Rogers in Bell County - for on that day an old timer died.

It was the publication date of the final issue of the 67-year-old Rogers News.

"Lack of support" was given as the reason for suspending publications of the newspaper. Its publisher has been Bob Jeffreys.

with her sister, Mrs. W. V Crews, and her father, Mr. R. L. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Joiner and children spent the weekend in Duster visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dukes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Dublin visited Mrs. A. B. Rankin Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Harvey, baby daughter Janet, and 2 1/2 year old Pamela of Graham, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Maupin, parents of Mrs. Harvey.

Mrs. Emmett Whiteside of

Brownwood is in Gorman for a few days.

Mrs. Dixie Gay Jarman of Ft Worth visited her mother, Mrs. Cleo Alsbrook, last weekend.

Herman Bennett of Ft Worth was in Gorman on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Foley of Beeville visited the Geo. Bells Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Bell spent last week in Fort Worth with Jolene Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bell and Rany, and also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waits of Lake Worth.

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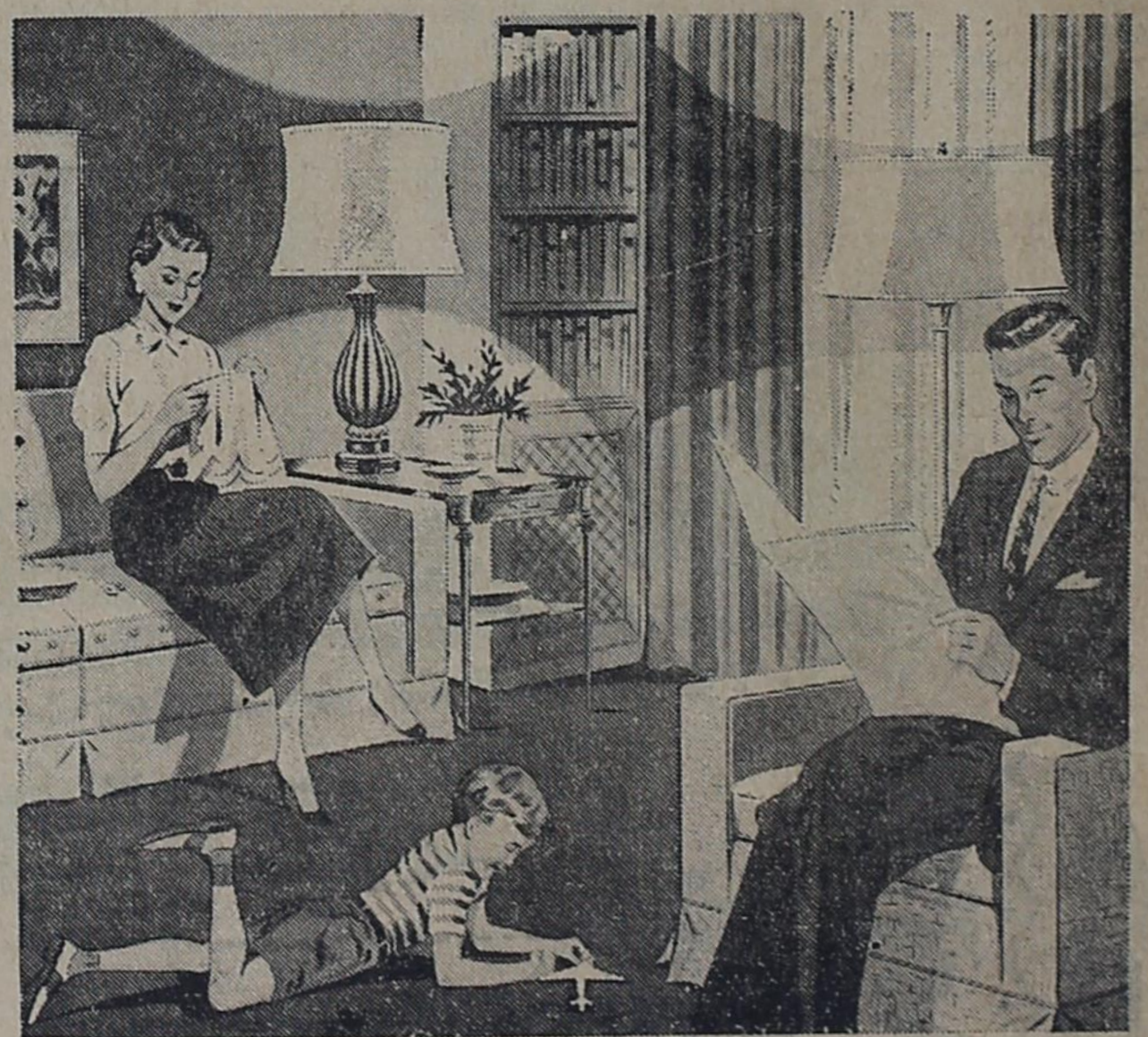


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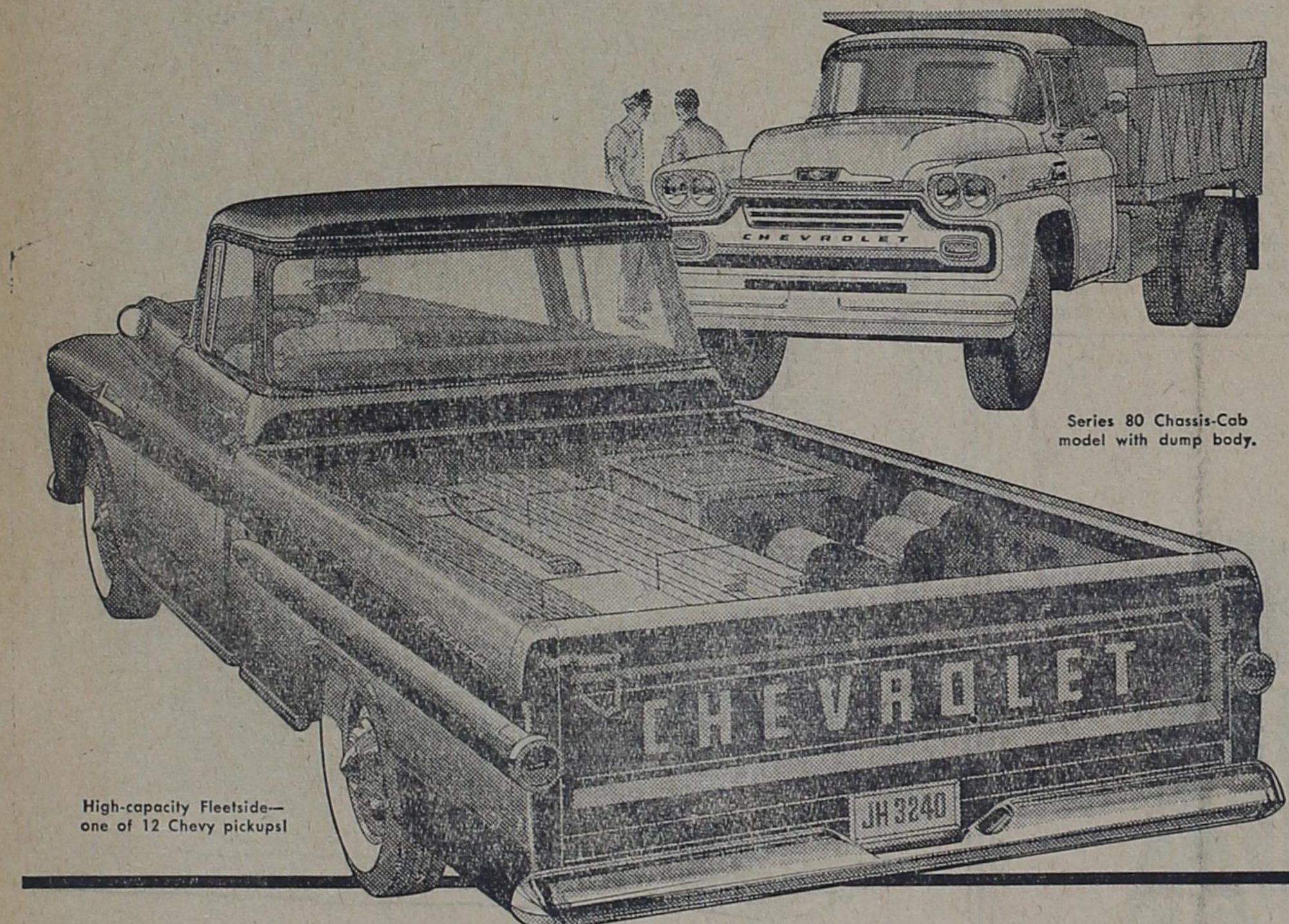
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