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HULLS by Kernel Gene, aPe

Why are people so surprised at the remarks Bob Kennedy made about Texas? To the best of my knowledge the Kennedys have belittled our Nation, as a whole, since they first got into national politics . . . and while speaking of Bob, are we financing this joy ride around the world? I thought Bob was elected Attorney General - not good-will ambassador. As I recall he was going to put Hoffa out of business and also stop racketeering in these United States. Maybe I shouldn't talk so loud. Rumors are that after President Kennedy serves two terms, a brother will step into his shoes for the grand finale. Fantastic? Hardly!

Aren't you thankful that we have a few representatives in Washington who are trying to curb this one man control? State Rights are a thing of the past but we still have a little control over our towns and cities. And, for a man who was going to bring prosperity to our country, why does the President need the power to spend a few more billion in case of a recession? Why not give him the power to scatter some of that foreign aid money in this country? At least he would know what it is being used for.

Talking with cattle and horse breeders in this area has almost made a livestockman out of me. Monday morning I read in the Houston Post where a lady sold three rabbits for \$1000 a piece. Profitable hobby, wouldn't you say.

"Taxes could be a lot worse. Suppose we had to pay on what we think we're worth." -Cheer
"We've decided that juvenile delinquency is simply the youngsters trying to act like their parents." -Cheer.

"School-agers and their parents may believe that simply going through school results in an education. It doesn't. Education can't be conferred. Whether in school or out, learning is a do-it-yourself proposition." -Anon.

Joe Collins is feeling real chesty over his registered colt, foaled February 26 at 4 a. m. The colt is the grandson of Immortal King, P.234.

How to create unemployment.
"Representative King of California is sponsoring a bill (H.R. 7640) which the Kennedy Administration feels certain will pass in March. This bill will cause many a small merchant to cut down on his employees. This bill will require anyone hiring one or more employees to pay by 1968 an increase in unemployment taxes amounting to a minimum of \$133 and a maximum of \$178 per year. These increases would range from 216 to 323 percent more than the tax for 1961. By 1968 all Texas employers would pay \$173,400,000 more per year than they did in 1961.

What would be done with the added tax money collected from Texas employers? In part, it would be used to pay unemployment benefits of about \$67 per week, an 87 percent increase over the current rate of \$37 per week. Further a sizable portion of the taxes collected would go to a central fund managed by the U. S. Dept. of Labor for distribution to states with foundering programs of unemployment compensation. The exact percentage contributed to the central fund would depend upon economic conditions and unemployment rates prevailing each year. Texas employers would be forced to pay for the bankrupt welfare unemployment programs of such states as Michigan."

The above law, if put into effect, would force many small merchants who have two or three employees to cut their force to

Glenda Nell Browning Becomes Bride Of James Bruton February 16th.



MR. AND MRS. JAMES BRUTON

Miss Glneda Nell Browning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning of Gorman, became the bride of Mr. James Bruton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bruton of De Leon, at 8 p. m. Friday, February 16, in the Baptist Church at Rock Bluff.

Rev. A. D. Kyle, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church in Gorman, read the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Claude Fuller played the Wedding March and accompanied Mr. C. L. Mohon as he sang "Hand In Hand" and "Because."



JUDITH ANN BARHAM

Miss Barham To Become Bride Of Arnold Anderson

Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. Lindley of Route 3, Stephenville, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Judith Ann Barham, to Mr. Arnold Edwin Anderson, son of Mrs. O. T. Shell of Gorman.

The marriage will be on April 21, 1962 at 8 o'clock in the Graham Street Church of Christ in Stephenville.

Miss Barham attended Stephen's College and is a graduate of Tarleton State College and Texas Technological College.

Mr. Anderson is a graduate of Texas Technological College and is employed by Chance Vaught.

one - and if they have only one to cut him off to keep from paying this heavy penalty plus the book work that goes with it. And, of course, any man who draws \$65 a week for not working would not have much incentive to work for a living.

I know merchants who cut their employees from 5 to 3 when the unemployment law placed a tax on those who employed four or more.

The altar background was an arch of greenery and baskets of white gladioli, the hurricane lamps at each pew on each side of the aisle featured greenery tied with white satin bows.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz length dress of imported handclipped Chantilly lace over white satin. The fitted bodice was styled with a high scalloped neckline with long fitted sleeves tapered to points at the hands. The skirt released in tiny gathers to form a bouffantness. Her elbow length bridal veil of net was confined by a crown of pearls and she carried pink throated white orchids and stephanotis arranged on a white Bible.

Miss Kay Browning, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs. Woodrow Browning of Odessa, sister-in-law of the bride, and Mrs. Joe Bob Rodgers.

Bridal attendants were identically attired in street length dresses of green brocade satin with molded bodices, full skirts and scooped necklines with short sleeves, with the same color of slippers and gloves dyed to match. Each carried a bouquet of white carnations and stephanotis.

Wayne Terry was best man. Groomsmen were C. A. Brinson and Steve McGinnis, all of De Leon. Ushers and candlelighters were Bobby Browning of Gorman and Kenny Keith of De Leon.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the home of the brides' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Browning.

For traveling Mrs. Bruton wore a Navy blue suit of linen with white accessories and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Bruton is a 1961 graduate of Gorman High School. Mr. Bruton is a graduate of De Leon High School and attended North Texas State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruton will make their home in Garland, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the doctors, nurses and entire hospital staff, the pallbearers, our city and the De Leon escort, friends, neighbors, and relatives for the many acts of kindness extended to us in the death of our mother.

For the food, the beautiful flowers, cards, letters and telephone calls. We also thank the Higginbotham Funeral Home for their fine service.

May God richly bless each of you in our prayer.

Fred Pounds
Murl Littlefield
Pearl Greenfield
Jean Fisher
Ruby Jo Webb

FINAL RITES FOR C. CHAMBLESS HELD TUESDAY

Funeral rites for Claude Edward Chambless were held at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday, February 27, in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Creath Davis and Rev. Stanley Echols officiating.

Burial was in the Murray Memorial Cemetery at Carbon. Mr. Chambless, a retired farmer and rancher of Gorman for 50 years, passed away at 1:30 a. m. Monday, February 26th.

He was born on July 26, 1887 at Cleburne, Texas, and was married to Miss Mamie Lee Pope on October 27, 1907 at Gorman.

He is survived by his wife and one son, Orva Chambless of Houston; two sisters, Golda Poe and Gyrt Kirkpatrick; one grandchild, Jo Ann Hatcher, and two great-grandchildren, Carolyn and David Hatcher.

Pallbearers were Stanley Porter, Rex Kinser, Dean Bennett, Ted Underwood, Marvin Lewis and Roy Kinser.

Four Candidates File To Date In City Election

With three offices to be filled on the City Commission in the municipal election scheduled for Tuesday, April 3rd, four aspirants have filed thus far.

Deadline date for filing is Saturday, March 3rd.

Two years terms of Mayor T. L. Jay and Commissioners James Mears and A. M. Thurman are expiring.

T. L. Jay has filed for re-election, and James Mears has also filed for the Mayor's office.

George L. Smith has filed for Commissioner, Place 2 and Ben R. Townley for Commissioner, Place 4.

Texas Election Law requires that candidates for city office must file intentions to run at least 30 days before balloting time if their names are to appear on the printed ballot.

Candidacy blanks are available at the City Office.

Holdover members of the City Council are G. C. Acrea and Doyle Preston.

Stockmen Urged Join Screwworm Campaign Drive

Henry Fry, Cisco, chairman of the Eastland County screwworm eradication program committee, says, "Texas stockmen and others have contributed over one million three hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars to the screwworm eradication program." "The goal for the State has been set at three million dollars," says Fry. He urges all of those concerned who have not already contributed to leave their contributions with their banks or at the PCA office in Eastland.

The federal government has

Gorman Community Club Organized Tuesday Night; Officers Elected

The Gorman Community Club was organized on Tuesday night, February 27th, in a meeting at the Fire Hall, following a mulligan stew supper with 34 men present.

The membership voted to name the club the Gorman Community Club after checking all the entries in the name of the club contest. Bill Clark was the winner of the \$5 cash award. All other entries will receive a free pass to the King Theatre.

Following the adoption of the name and By-Laws the following officers were elected:

George L. (Bud) Smith, President
"Speedy" Clark, Vice-President
Joe Bennett, Secretary-Treasurer
Directors elected were Jimmy Campbell, James Mears, E. G. Henderson, Graydon Baze, and W. C. Browning.

LAST RITES FOR LNDL. MORROW HELD MONDAY

Funeral services for James Lyndall Morrow, 22, a former Howard Payne University athlete, were held at 3:30 p. m. Monday, February 26th, in the First Baptist Church of Gorman with Rev. Buel Bryan and Rev. Travis Gibson officiating.

Burial was in the Eastland Cemetery.

Lyndall's untimely death, due to leukemia, came at 8:45 p. m. Saturday, February 25 in the Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

He graduated from Carbon High School and attended Howard Payne College, and was a member of the Melwood Baptist Church in Brownwood.

He was born in Desdemona on February 7, 1940.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow, and his grandmother, Mrs. W. S. Creager.

Pallbearers were Glenn Petty, Douglas Reid, David Noble, Frank Santiago, Dickie Denson, and Gary Petross, who were members of his track team at HPC.

Honorary pallbearers were Don Newbury, Marion Fonville, James Kee, Tommy Skies, Lowell Bishop, and Larry Cloe, all classmates at HPC.

SERVICES FOR ANNIE POUNDS HELD MONDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Pounds were held in the First Baptist Church at 2 p. m. Monday, February 26, with Rev. A. D. Kyle, Jr. and Rev. Don Turner officiating.

Interment was in the De Leon Cemetery.

Mrs. Pounds passed away in the Blackwell Hospital on Saturday, February 24.

Born Annie Skaggs on March 21, 1876 in Johnson County, she was married to Newman Pounds on October 14, 1894 at Rock Bluff.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are one son, Fred Pounds of McCamey; four daughters: Mrs. A. V. Littlefield of Gorman, Mrs. J. M. Greenwood of Cross Plains, Mrs. Jean Fisher of Abilene, and Mrs. Stanley Webb of Cisco; 10 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were Clayton Cook, D. R. Clark, Clyde Pulley, Buck Foster, W. C. Browning, and Jesse Parker.

pledged to match the producer-raised funds in this all-important program. Mr. Fry wishes to thank all of those workers who have helped in the fund solicitation campaign and those who have made their contributions.

The screwworm eradication program is a reality and is evidence of what group action can accomplish.

Dues were set at five (\$5) dollars per year.

Members of the new club to date are: Joe Collins, E. E. Todd, L. F. Kellogg, Fred Rogers, Jimmy Campbell, Gabe Wright, Kenneth Lewis, W. B. "Bucky" Walters, Truitt Coffman, Tom Dunn, G. E. Bennett, L. E. Capers, Gene Rodgers, W. G. Kirk, Othell "Speedy" Clark, Dick Foster, R. H. Watson, Aubrey Bennett, J. S. Ripley, John Goble, Frank Rhymes, John Sutton, Graydon Baze, Arnold Butler, Bud Smith, M. E. "Buck" Foster, Joe Bennett, Durwood Burgess, James Mears, David Goodwin, Gene Baker, and Herman Bennett.

Every man in this community is urged to join this new club. Next meeting date will be announced at a later date.

SAMPLE BALLOT FOR SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION ELECTION - 17TH

No. 0000

SAMPLE BALLOT

You may vote on the proposition hereby submitted by scratching or marking out one of said expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating your vote.

No. 0000

Date: March 17, 1962

CONSOLIDATION ELECTION

Note: Voter's signature to be affixed on the reserve side.

FOR CONSOLIDATION

AGAINST CONSOLIDATION

Election judges in the school districts affected by this election will be:

Gorman - W. G. Baker
Carbon - H. M. Gilbert
Desdemona - L. E. Clark

Carbon School Trustee Election Set For April 7th

The Board of Trustees of the Carbon Independent School District has ordered a Trustee Election to elect two trustees to be held on Saturday, April 7, 1962.

Hoyt Bryant has announced that he will be a candidate for re-election. Glenn Justice has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

Anyone desiring to be a candidate for the office of trustee must file with the County Judge before the March 8th. deadline. Necessary forms for filing may be obtained from the office of the Superintendent of Carbon Schools.

Miss Annye Kate Blair of NTSU spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blair.

WHAT ABOUT 'INTERIM PERIOD' OF SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION

The following article is submitted by the group opposing Consolidation.

One of the aspects of the proposed consolidation which has been more or less ignored by the proponents of consolidation is the problems of what might be called the "INTERIM PERIOD" The Interim Period refers to the time between voting to consolidate and actually moving into the proposed new school system. Could we not expect that should we vote to consolidate, we would come under the Incentive Aid Program set up by Senate Bill 80? In so doing we would suddenly lose \$116,316.00 being paid to teachers and administrators who will supposedly not be needed in the new school, but since we would still have six separate schools scattered over approximately half of Eastland County, we will need some of these teachers until we can move all our high school students to one place and our junior high school students to two places. The Eastland County School Administrators Association produced a budget in which total operational expenses during this period would be \$791,212.00 per year.

The proponents of consolidation in their budget provide for operational expenses of \$687,547.00 per year which leaves us with a deficit of \$103,547.00 each year during this interim period. The Administrators Association estimated that we should pay \$20,000.00 each year for the first two or three years to pay for the tax re-evaluation service which produces an annual deficit of \$123,665.00. This money can come from no other source except increased local taxes. They concluded that collectable tax values must be increased from the present \$18,012,320.00 to \$27,500,000.00 which would necessitate a tax value raise of about 50%.

What are some of the other problems which might cause de-

Eastland - Herman Hassell
Ranger - Calvin Brown
Olden - Mrs. O. H. Dick

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident voters in said Districts shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION"

And those opposed to the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION"

If you are FOR Consolidation, scratch out AGAINST Consolidation.

If you are AGAINST Consolidation, scratch out FOR Consolidation.

Absentee balloting began on February 26th and will continue through March 13th.

lay in getting moved into our new school?

(1) ELECTION OF A SCHOOL BOARD. The Board of the largest school (Eastland) in the new district would by law immediately take charge of the new district. There is no legal limitation to any decisions they might desire to make concerning the new school, but we would expect that they would do nothing until a new board could be selected.

(2) MAINTENANCE TAX RATE ELECTION. All of the six schools are operating under a tax rate of \$1.50 per \$100.00 of assessed value but each district has a different tax rate for maintenance and bonds. This would have to be voted to be uniform in the new district.

(3) INTEGRATION ELECTION. It is thought to be highly probable that the new district would not be automatically integrated. This would necessitate an integration election and should it fail to pass we would be faced with the problem of providing equal facilities for the few colored students in Eastland and Ranger.

(4) BOND ISSUE. In order to build even the barest facilities and repair existing structures the proponents of consolidation have estimated a cost of \$1,000,000.00. A bond election would be necessary before construction could begin.

(5) SELECTION OF THE SITE would be done by the new school board.

(6) DELAYS IN CONSTRUCTION. Who can say how long it will take to build these buildings and equip them.

THE MOST IMPORTANT FEATURE OF THE INTERIM PERIOD is that you and I will be paying \$123,665.00 more local school taxes for each year from the time we should vote to consolidate to the time it took to move into the new building.

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OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our thought for the week: "Character, which is made by many acts, may be lost by a single one."

Beautiful Spring weather yesterday, but oh, today Winter is still here with some dampness this Monday morning.

Dinner guests in our home Sunday were Bro. Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hirst, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Watson and Richard.

The Willie Hendersons left this past week for Alvin, Texas to visit their daughter.

Spending the weekend with the Clyde Setzlers were the Skin Westmoreland family of Midkiff, Wayne Setzler family of Abilene, Arvel Setzler family of De Leon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Morris and baby of St. Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Daniels visited the Henry Ileys Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Iley is still a bed patient.

Miss Linda Setzler left Sunday for Abilene where she has employment.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears visited the S. E. Mears Friday night.

The H. T. Rawls family were visitors in our home Friday night.

The Harry Cooper family of Odessa were here over the week end visiting and on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Burns were visitors in the Melvin Daniels home Sunday night.

Grade School Dist. Play-Off Game Set March 1 At Dublin

The Gorman Grade School girls played Stephenville at Stephenville on February 22 and were defeated by the score of 34-16. On Monday, February 26, the Stephenville girls returned the game at Gorman and this time Gorman won by the score of 32 to 16.

The third and final game of the play-off to determine the District Championship will be played on Thursday night, March 1 in Dublin.

Game time is scheduled for 7 p. m.

John Edward Kimble of Fort Sill, Oklahoma visited last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimble.

'Land of Eldorado' Ladies Brave Cold To Hear Review

Braving the 20 degree weather Tuesday morning a goodly number of ladies arrived at Fellowship Hall to hear Mrs. Bob Green give a review of "Land of Eldorado", the book authored by Methodist Bishop of Argentina, Sante Uberto Barbieri.

Most attractive in native costume, Mrs. Green delighted her audience with an interpretation of the non-fiction dissertation of "the wonderful land," outlining the writer's train of thought from settlement of the land, South America, to the present time.

Among the many thought-provoking statements were:

"South America was conquered by the sword by people of the Catholic faith, which is vastly different from North American Catholicism. The church was without Bibles until 1806 when the first trickle came in.

In South American agricultural labor carries a stigma, for to many, farm work is a degrading act. Hence, people live in poverty on the edge of the cities while the land lies idle.

A great need is the soft peddling of denominationalism which is most confusing where such a high percentage of people are illiterate.

Host for the coffee, sponsored by the Woman's Society of Christian Service, were Mesdames William Brogdon and Edward Harrison.

Guests were served on arrival. Mrs. Melvin Shell poured from the ornate silver service. The table was laid with a Normandy lace cloth, handwork of the late Mrs. Edward Blackwell, Miss Bess as she was known by friends.

Mrs. Gifford Acrea gave the invocation and welcomed guests. She then presented Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Secretary of Missionary Education.

After directing attention to a display of art pieces from Central and South America, Mrs. Townsend presented Mrs. Green.

Mrs. Glenn Justice of Carbon was an out of town guest.

A BIG THANK YOU

I wish to take this way to say thank you for the beautiful flowers and the many nice cards you sent me while in the Hospital and for those who visited and those who prayed and also to the Doctor and entire Hospital force.

May God bless you for your kindness.

Mrs. N. F. Bennett

Sister of Mrs. Duke Dies At Abilene

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. J. B. Burke, 87, were pending Wednesday, who passed away in Abilene where she had made her home for the past three years with a daughter, Mrs. R. H. Echols.

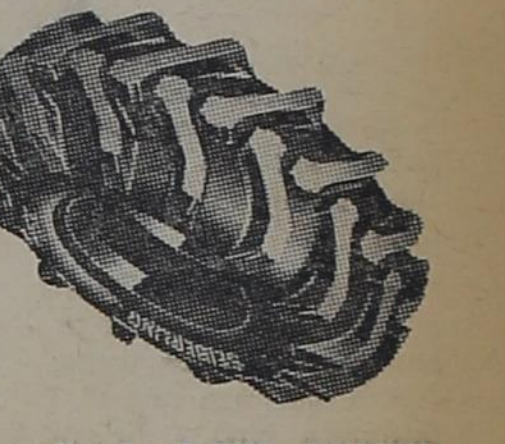
Her body was returned to Brownfield for services.

Before going to Abilene she had lived in Brownfield since 1918. She was born Babe McNelly on March 14, 1874 in Mississippi and moved with her parents near De Leon when she was ten years old. She was married to J. B. Burke at Duster in 1885.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Brownfield.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. O. N. Echols and Mrs. R. H. Echols of Abilene; two sons, W. B. Burke of Sundown and M. B. Burke of Martinez, Calif.; one brother, J. S. McNelly of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. L. L. Duke of Gorman; nine grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

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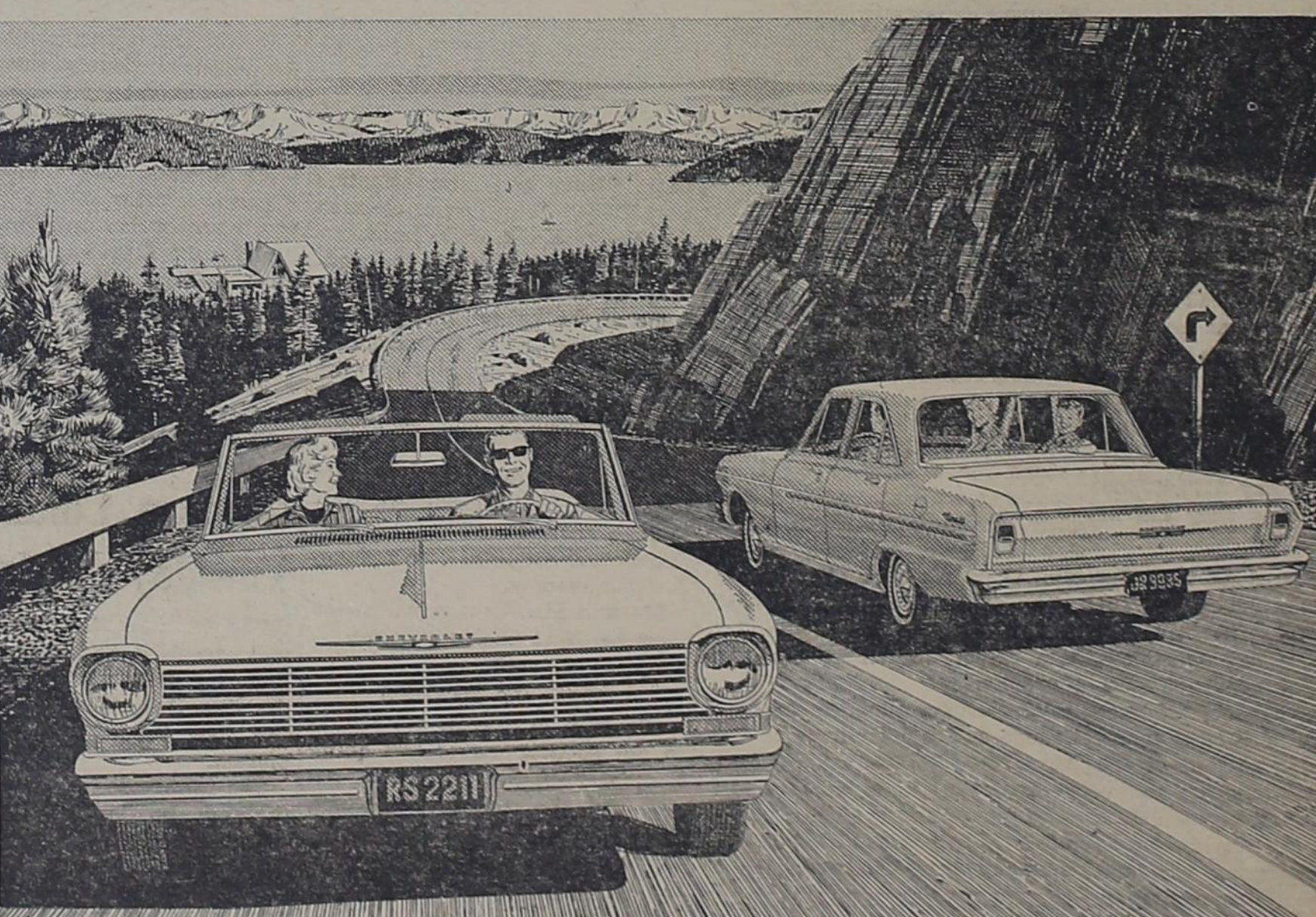
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Political Announcements

All political advertisements paid for by friends of candidates must bear at least one signature. Any political advertising reflecting adversely upon the character of a person will be refused. The Progress is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries on May 5 and June 2, 1962:

For County Judge:
O. H. (Onous) DICK
JOHN S. HART (re-election)

For District Clerk
ROY L. LANE (re-election)
ANN JUSTICE
B. M. BENNETT

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:
M. E. (Buck) FOSTER
CHARLES UNDERWOOD
DICK FOSTER
GLENN JUSTICE
AUBREY A. BENNETT
LONNIE CAPERS

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

For State Senator, 22nd. District:
TOM CREIGHTON (re-election)

For State Representative,
63rd. District:
SCOTT BAILEY (re-election)
WAYNE GIBBENS
(re-election)

For **COLDS**
take **666**

DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Well! At last we can give a fair report on the sick folks of this community, as most of them are now at home or being returned home soon.

Mrs. B. V. Martin is due to return home today (Monday) after being a pneumonia patient for more than two weeks in the Gorman hospital.

Last Thursday several of the hospitalized patients returned home. Mr. Rob Lewis, Mrs. Buna Abernathy, Clyde Johnson, a car wreck victim, and his father, a pneumonia patient, from the Temple Scott and White Hospital, and on Friday Aunt Sally Eaton returned home from the Gorman hospital.

Mrs. Nina Morris of San Angelo who had been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Eaton, left for her home but will return on the weekend. It is planned for Aunt Sally to go home with Mrs. Morris for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown

and children of Gainesville spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown. The Daymond Eatons of Ballinger visited Sunday with his mother, Aunt Sally Eaton, and his brother, the Tom Eatons.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Pierce of Waco spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pierce.

Quite a number of the Basketball fans were in Brownwood on Friday night when our Porkers met Hawley in a play-off game only to be defeated. Good work boys. Better luck next time!

Visiting here Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Stant Carr of Stephenville.

The Charlie Wordens and their daughter, Mrs. Gwen Eudy, all of Kermit, were here a few days last week isiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Worden, and her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Eldridge spent the weekend in Lubbock with their son, Mr. and Mrs. June Frank Eldridge and little son, Stevie.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lane were in Cisco Sunday to attend the Veterans of World War 1 17th district meeting at the National Guard Armory.

The Earl Lanes of Robstown spent the past weekend here with his brother, the H. T. Lanes, and her brother, the Tony Ash family.

Mrs. C. H. May returned home Sunday after a weeks visit in Greenville with her children, the C. L. Mohons, III, the Ernest Keys and the Larry Keys.

J. D. and Louise McMasters spent the weekend in Kermit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nick and Dianne.

KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Our community was saddened at learning of the death of Lyncall Morrow on Saturday night. Sincere sympathy is extended to the Morrow family.

Christi Fuller returned home from Mineral Wells on Monday after undergoing eye surgery on Friday. She is doing fine, but will not be permitted to return to school for a few days.

Ricky Fuller was a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Fuller, while his parents were in Mineral Wells.

Those from this area visiting with Christi while she was in the hospital in Mineral Wells were the Glenn Jordans and Glenda, Mrs. Odie Rodgers, the Albert Hendricks and Sylvia, the John W. Hendersons, the E. C. Bramletts, and Mrs. O. R. Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Eaves, Mark and Deliah and Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham spent the weekend in Monahans with a brother and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham and Patricia.

Mrs. Dwight Gothard of O'Brien visited with her sisters, Mrs. Jim Jordan and Mrs. R. J. Crawley, on Saturday. Their mother, Mrs. H. C. Wharton of Carbon, was also visiting with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morrow, Mrs. W. S. Creager, and Miss Alma Lee Creager of Levelland are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and Larry this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of Gorman attended the funeral of Mrs. O'Neal's aunt, Mrs. Ona Freeman, in Cisco on Monday morning. We extend sympathy to this family.

Mrs. H. D. Sessum has been a guest in the home of her dad, Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson, for several days. She underwent surgery about three weeks ago and is doing fine now.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lawrence of Brady visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaves, on Monday. Linda Gail became ill while here and was admitted to the hospital in Gorman on Monday night. At last report she was feeling some better.

Mr. Joe O'Neal of Cotton Center was in the community on business last week.

Visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning were Mr. Cecil White of San Angelo and Rev. L. R. Higginbottom.

Mr. White spent the weekend with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Phelps of Greenville spent the weekend here with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Winford Lindley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bland had as weekend guests her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris and Rhonda of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Coleman, and a son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bland, Stanley and Mark of Carrollton.

The Kenneth Tate family of Baird were here for the weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tate.

Mrs. R. O. Buckley recently returned home from Lovington, N. M. where she spent a week with her son, Joe Donald Buckley and family.

BANK NOTES

by Malcolm



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There are powerful professional lobbyists who live outside this legislative district who would like very much to defeat me in my race for a Second Term as your State Representative. I have consistently voted independently and for the best interests of the people of this area, and for this reason I have aroused the lobby's dislike for me.

It is regrettable that my opponent is conducting the type of campaign these professional lobbyists would like to see carried on in this legislative race. I assure you that I will continue to ask for your support solely on the basis of issues and my legislative record and that of my opponent.

As the campaign progresses, it is my plan to tell you, the voters, the facts about the legislative records of each of us. I will try diligently to meet as many of you as time will allow.

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4-H NEWS
Barbara Williams-Catherine Parr
The 4-H Cooking Club met on Friday, February 23. We made peanut butter cookies and apple salad. Jackie Lawson said the prayer.
We had nine present. They were Jackie, Jana, Jo Ann, Becky, Marie, Sherry, Alicia, Barbara, and Catherine. We had two teams, four in our team and the other team had five.
Our group made a better batch of cookies than the other. But we thought they were all good.
We met at our leader's house, Mrs. L. L. Burns, and Mrs. A. C. Ashworth helped her.
We all thank her for helping us.

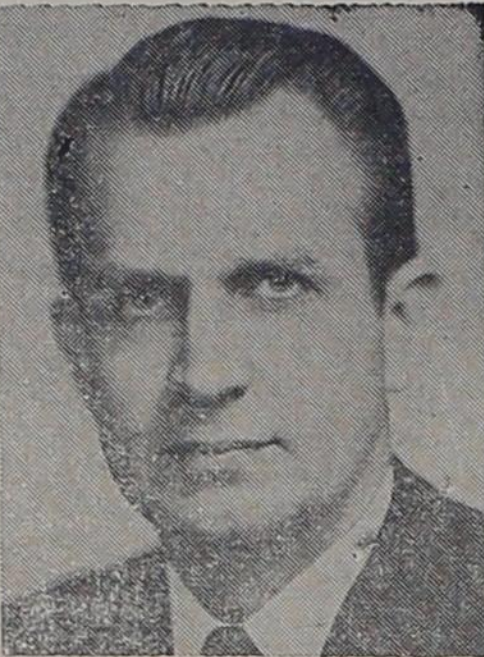
4th Grade News

Jackie Lawson - Alicia Dunn
In our Health Inspection contest the Appaloosas won over the Palaminos. We hope that next time we will have a tie.
Jana Brown got the free pass to the King Theatre because she had the highest weekly average.
Randy Underwood is sick with a severe sore throat. We are very sorry that he is absent. There are several absent but we do not know whether it is the weather or illness.
We had a test on The Seven Basic Food Groups. The ones who made the highest grades were Kathy Wright, with a grade of 99, and Jackie Lawson, with a grade of 98. We are very proud of them.
We are happy that Alicia Dunn is back in school from her grandmother's in Stephenville. She reported that she had a very nice time.
In Arithmetic we are studying about measures. We measured the length and width of our school room. Also estimated the weights of different objects around us.
Don Curb had a birthday Feb. 24. For his birthday he got many nice and useful gifts.
We are proud of the Gorman Grade School basketball team and we hope they win the district championship. We think Mr. Rice is a fine coach.

Tom Reavley Is Candidate For Attorney General

AUSTIN, TEX. — Former Texas Secretary of State Tom Reavley, making his first statewide campaign address, described himself this week as "a Democrat . . . an old-fashioned, independent progressive" . . . and a candidate for Attorney General determined "to fill this office - - not just use it for political advantage."
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County and a former resident of Lufkin and Jasper before coming to Austin to serve as Secretary of State, Reavley's fresh approach in Texas politics and his insistence on serving "all the people of Texas - - not just those few absorbed with partisan intrigue" - - have tagged him as one of the most stimulating personalities in state affairs in years.
A 40-year-old Austin lawyer, Reavley is making his first race for statewide office. He was appointed Texas Secretary of State in 1955, served in that capacity for 15 months before resuming private practice. He was an Assistant District Attorney in Dallas, County Attorney in Nacogdoches, President of the State Junior Bar, professor of criminal law at the University of Texas, and a leader in the twelve-year struggle to eliminate loan shark abuses in Texas.

His principal appeal to voters is three-fold: (1) he believes he is the most competent lawyer in the race for the top lawyer's job in Texas public life; (2) he believes the Attorney General's Office ought to be staffed by the most accomplished lawyers available -- not the best-known politicians; and (3) his primary interest is "in the job of Attorney General - - I will not turn from my oath-taking to reach for still another political office."

"I will work at the job," Reavley pledged. "I am for this office because I want to be Attorney General. I have no schedule for moving into the Governor's Mansion or anywhere else . . ."

Reavley put special emphasis on professional qualifications. "If suit were brought against you tomorrow . . ." he said, "you would want the best lawyer you could find - - not . . . the best known or most ambitious politician who happens to have a lawyer's license . . . You have a similar choice in this election of the next Attorney General."

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GREETINGS:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Eastland County, Texas, as the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: M. E. Lawrence individually and as Trustee, Arliss Merle Daniel and Betty Daniel and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, successors and/or assigns of each of the above named persons, are Defendants, Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 91st District Court, Eastland, Texas, of Eastland County at the Courthouse thereof, in Eastland, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 26th day of March, A. D. 1962, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 7th day of February A. D. 1962, in this cause, numbered 23,542 on the docket of said court and styled R. F. Ferguson, Mrs. H. L. Ford, a widow, Alwita Summers, W. R. Summers, H. L. King, Robert L. King, William Douglas King and Great Western Drilling Co., a Texas Corporation, Plaintiffs, vs. M. E. Lawrence individually and as Trustee, Arliss Merle Daniel, and Betty Daniel and each of the unknown spouses, heirs, devisees, personal representatives, successors and/or assigns of each of the above named persons, are defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for the appointment of a receiver under Act 2320b, R.C.S., to lease the oil, gas and mineral interests of defendants in the South 1/4 of Section 30, Block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey, Eastland County, Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Eastland, Texas, this 7th day of February A. D. 1962.

Attest: Roy L. Lane, Clerk, (SEAL) 91st. District Court of Eastland, County, Texas Nelda Rutherford, Deputy

S/SGT. LOWELL B. HUGHES STATIONED IN WASHINGTON SHEPPARD AFB, Tex.

Staff Sergeant Lowell B. Hughes, Jr., whose father resides in Toledo, Ohio, is being assigned to Larson AFB, Wash., following his graduation from the USAF technical training course for missile facilities electrical technicians here.

Sergeant Hughes received special instruction in the maintenance of missile electrical systems and equipment.

He and his wife, the former Esther L. Gilbert of Carbon, Texas, have three children.

JIMMY WILSON STATIONED AT WHITE SANDS, N. M.

Pvt. Jimmy M. Wilson of the U. S. Army has been transferred from Fort Lee, Va. to White Sands, New Mexico.

Jimmy writes his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hicks, that he is really enjoying his work in the Army and is getting to travel and see many wonderful places and things.

Just prior to moving to White Sands, Jimmy visited in Washington, D. C. The places of interest to him were the House of Congress, The White House, the Liberty Bell, and Jefferson's and Washington's Memorial.
Jimmy is in the medical corps at White Sands.

JERRY WARREN NAMED SOCIAL CHAIRMAN OF EPSILON PI AT SHSC

Jerry Warren, senior agriculture major from Gorman, has been named social chairman for the Sam Houston State Epsilon Pi Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

Jerry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Warren of Gorman.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses shown through the illness and death of our dear one.
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ITEMS OF INTEREST

March is Peanut Month and the Businessmen's Club of Gorman has arranged to hold Open House at the Gorman Peanut Co. on March 12th.

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BASKETBALL GAMES TUESDAY, MARCH 6
Senior Boys vs. Businessmen

Senior Girls vs. Housewives Bake Sale between games. Admission 25c and 50c. Sponsored by the Senior class.

There will be a Donkey Basketball Game tonight, Thursday, March 1 at 7:30 p. m. in the De Leon Gym. Students 35c and Adults 50c.

Odd Fellows Lodge No. 413 will have a Chili Supper at 7:30 p. m. Friday, March 2. All members urged to attend and bring lodge dues.

BANK HOLIDAY MARCH 2
The First National Bank of Gorman will not be open for business on Friday, March 2, in observance of Texas Independence Day.

The Revival at New Hope Baptist Church No. 2 will begin on March 4th and continue through March 11th. Services will begin each evening at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Hardin, pastor, will be the speaker and Mr. Lonnie Capers will lead the singing.

Everyone has a special invitation to attend these services.

The next date to distribute the USDA Surplus Foods, in Eastland, will be as follows:
Monday, March 12 - Eastland,

World Day Of Prayer To Be Observed March 9

The World Day of Prayer will be observed Friday, March 9th at the Methodist Church. The program will begin at 10 a. m., the hour being the time set for simultaneous prayer around the World with peoples of 145 countries joining in spiritual fellowship.

A modern miracle will be taking place with millions of Christians making confession, offering thanks and making intercession.

Sponsors of the program, the Woman's Society of Christian Service, urge men and women of all faiths to attend the brief 30-minute program and they invite those who will to join them for a covered dish luncheon following the program.

WEEK OF PRAYER AT AT FIRST BAPTIST

Week of Prayer will be observed at the First Baptist Church Monday, March 5th through Friday, March 9th at 9:30 a. m. The Week of Prayer will be for Home Missions.

Olden and Ranger.
Tuesday, March 13 - Pioneer, Rising Star, Okra, Carbon, Gorman and Desdemona.

Wednesday, March 14 - Cisco, Scranton and Nimrod.

Sophomore Class Car Wash is set for Saturday, March 3 at 9 a. m. (weather permitting) across from Smith Bros. at the old Gulf Station.
Everyone bring your car.

There will be a Special Service at the Congregational Methodist Church on Friday night, Feb. 23 with a group from West Minister College of Tehuacana, Texas, consisting of a choir and speaker. Come let us worship God together. You have a special invitation to attend.
Marion Dennis, Pastor

The Rebekah Lodge meets every Tuesday night at the Progress Library.

MISS EDITH BOLT NAMED TO TWC AUTISS SOCIAL CLUB

Miss Edith Bolt, sophomore at Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth, was recently presented as a new member of Autiss Social Club at the club's annual Presentation Ball in the Crystal Ballroom of the Hotel Texas.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald F. Bolt of Gorman, Miss Bolt majors in music at TWC. She is a 1960 graduate of Gorman High.

Frances Bickham To Speak March 7 At First Methodist

On Wednesday, March 7th, a special program will be presented at the First Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Sponsored by the Official Board Mrs. Frances Bickham of Fort Worth will speak concerning The Methodist Church and Missions. Mrs. Bickham is presently Secretary of Promotion for Conference W.S.C.S. and served for six years previously as Secretary of Christian Social Relations for Conference W.S.C.S.; thus knowing well her subject. Mrs. Bickham is well qualified and widely in demand as a speaker. She is said to be an entertaining, rapid-fire speaker as well as an informative one.

Family night supper at 6:45 p. m. will precede the program. Everyone is invited, especially are all Methodists urged to attend.

Pecan Growers Elect Officers

Hank Sims was re-elected President of the Eastland County Pecan Growers Association at the annual mid-winter meeting of that organization recently. It will be the third term for Sims.

Sam Kimmell, Cisco rancher, was named as Vice-President. He replaces Doss Alexander, Rising Star.

B. B. Freeman, Route 1, Ranger, was named as a new director for a two year term. He replaces J. W. Sitton, Cisco.

C. T. Barton, Pioneer, was re-elected for a two year term.

Hold over directors are Edwin Schaefer, Cook, and C. E. Smith, Rising Star.

Ben McKinnis, Eastland, was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer.

The date for the Annual Spring Field Day to be held somewhere in the county was set for May 24th, Sims said.

Plans for this affair will be developed later although he said that B. G. Hancock, Horticulturist of the A&M College Extension Service has already agreed to be on the program.

In a business session following the election it was voted to allow only the members, with paid up dues, by the fall tour, usually held in September, to vote for the site for the Annual County Pecan Show. Previously those who exhibited nuts at the previous years show were allowed to vote whether they were members or not.

YOUTH ATTEND MYF SUB-DISTRICT MEETING

Four young people of the First Methodist Church attended the MYF Sub-District Meeting at Cross Plains on Monday evening.

A fine program was presented and good fellowship and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Those attending were John Paul Bolt, George Bolt, Janice Day, and Carol Hatcher.

Rev. John Dowd, District Youth Director, accompanied the group.

Mrs. Nona Leazer spent the weekend in Ranger with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wylie, and in Ft Worth with her granddaughter, Mrs. Ben Williams.

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Farmers Union Elect New Officers

On Thursday, February 22, a Farmers' Union meeting was held in the High School Auditorium in Gorman for the purpose of charting the County and for the election of officers.

Officers elected were: Joe Collins, president; D. B. Warren, vice president; Wayne Eaves, secretary and treasurer; and Tom Broom, reporter.

Jay Naman, president of the Texas Farmers' Union, showed a

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors who were so kind to us in our recent sorrow. We will ever be grateful for the loving care and kindness of the Doctors and Nurses at the Blackwell Hospital.

We want to express our sincere thanks to the ones who gave of their time, for the abundance of food, and the beautiful flowers and cards.

May God bless each of you.

The Chambless Family

film on farm progress and made a very interesting talk concerning Farmers Union and why we should have a Farmers Union, which was enjoyed by all present. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Tom Broom, Reporter

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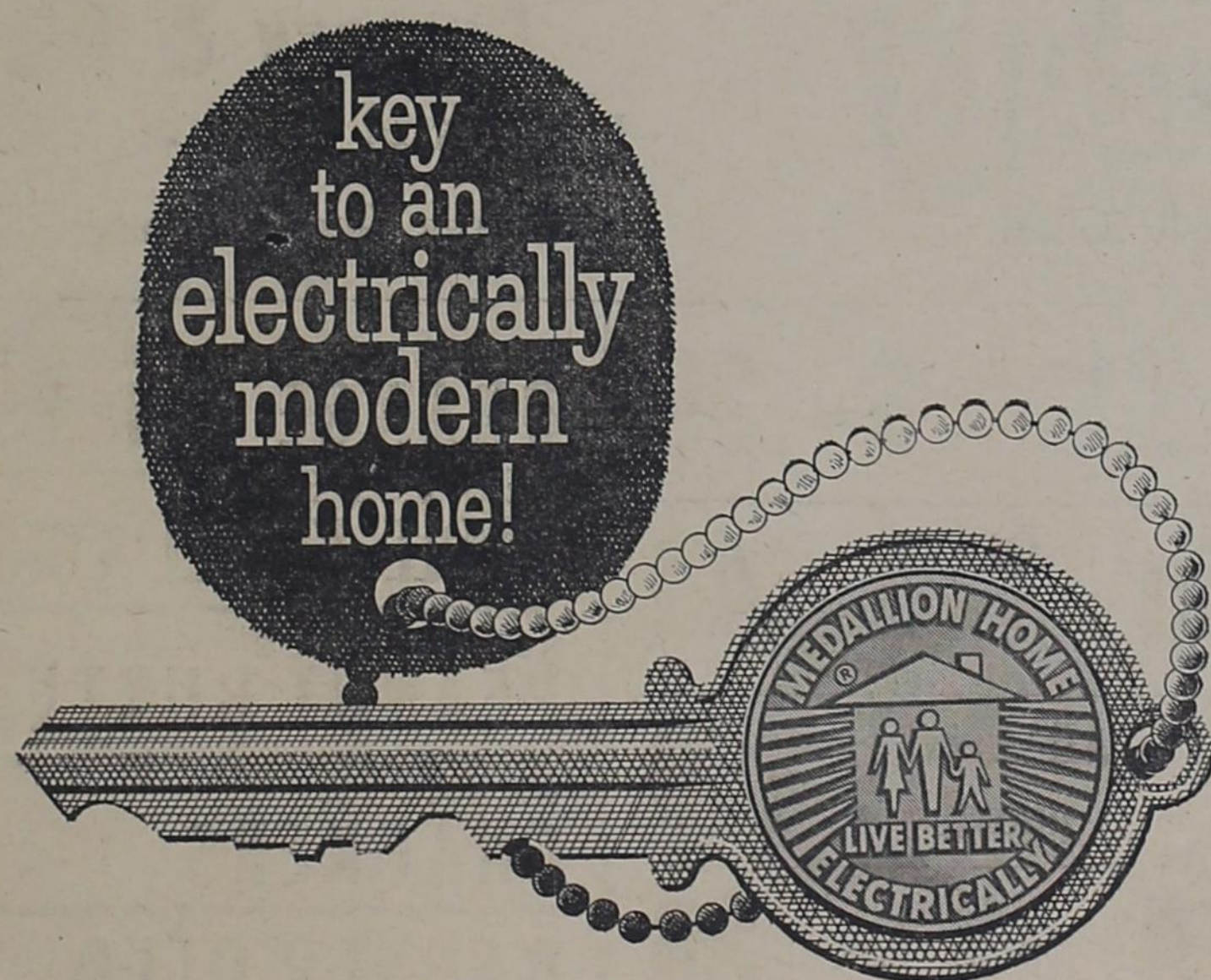
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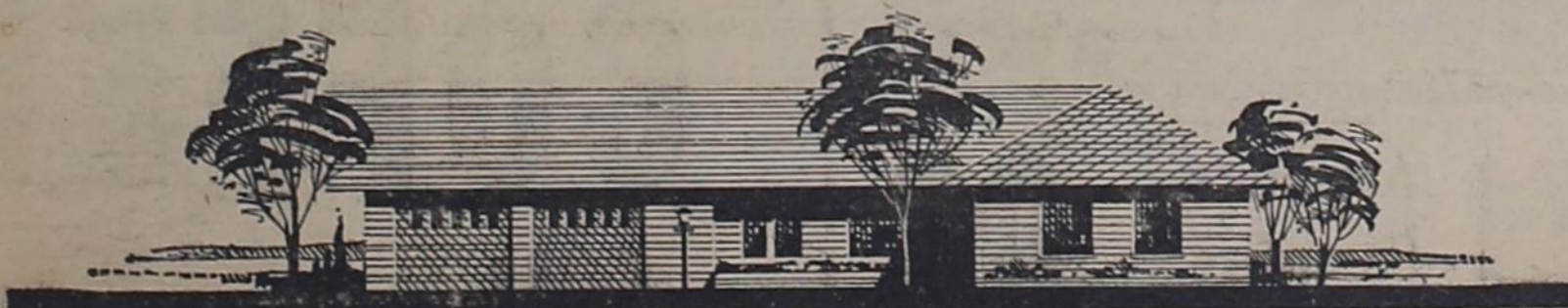
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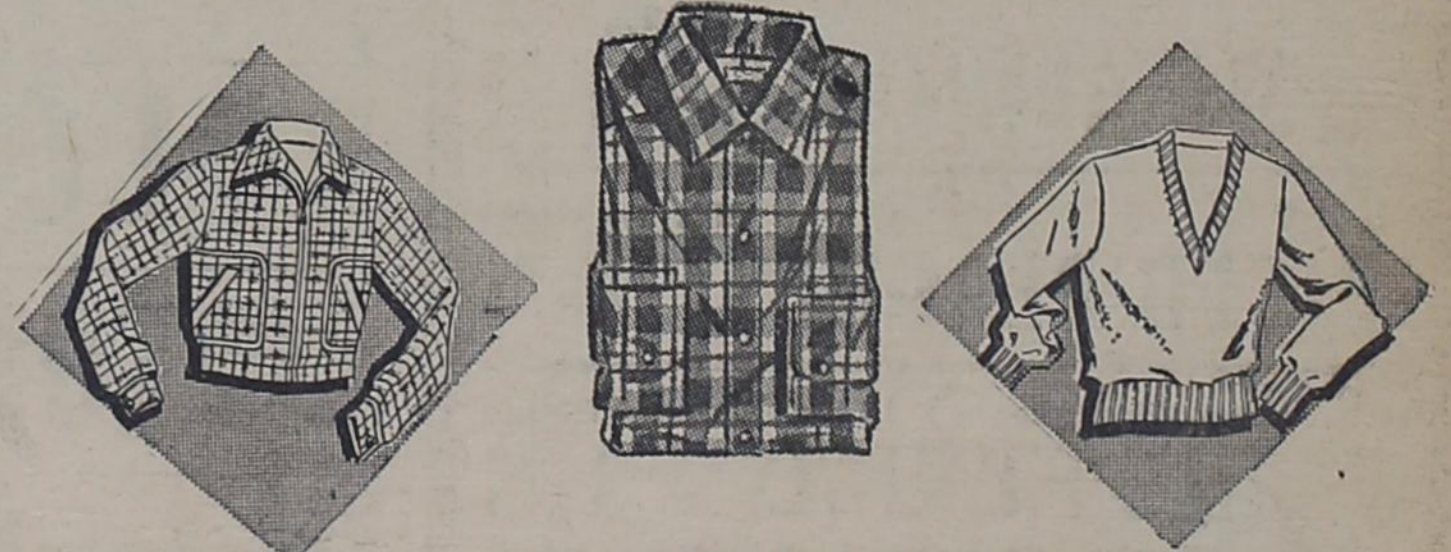


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KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. Flo Willis, who has been in the Scott and White Hospital in Temple for the past ten days, is to undergo major surgery today, Thursday. She wants all her friends and customers to know she is anxious to get back to Gorman and hopes to be back in twelve or fifteen days.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Etha Pittman were her sisters, Mrs. Ruth Hawsey and Mr. and Mrs. Klease Parmelly of Abilene.

Emmitt Lasater and Miss Nancy Sue Rainey of Levelland visited last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lasater and Ina Margaret.

Mrs. Estelle Craddock spent the weekend in Denton with her daughter, Kay Ann, and they visited in Euless with Rev. and Mrs. Robert Haynes and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Payton and Marty.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jacobs of Midland were in Gorman Monday to attend the funeral of Lyndall Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ormsby were in Amarillo Wednesday to be with their son, Sam, who underwent major surgery. They also visited another son, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ormsby in Borger, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Crews were in Moran last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Tommy Crews, a nephew of Mr. Crews.

Miss Bess Underwood of NTSU spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Underwood.

Miss Carolyn Scitern of ACC visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern, the past weekend. Miss Sue Hallmark returned to Abilene with Carolyn Sunday for several days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Joiner visited last week in Corpus Christi with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Don Joiner.

Visiting Mrs. Craig Smith during the weekend were her children, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith and Tim of Seagoville, Mr. Alton Smith, Glenn Dale and Linda of Burkburnett, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Files of De Leon.

Excelsior Club Enjoys Texas Day Program

Mrs. F. R. Haile was the hostess for the Excelsior Club on Tuesday, February 27th.

The program being about Texas, a general discussion from the members was given about Texas under Six Flags.

Mrs. Ed Wyatt gave a paper on Early Army Posts and Forts in Texas.

Mrs. Maude Underwood gave a most interesting talk on Famous Texans of today ending with the life of John Nance Garner.

After a business meeting a delicious refreshment plate was served to club members, Mmes. Martha Sutton, M. H. Fairbetter, Walter Steele, George Blackwell, Maude Underwood, Ed Wyatt, Lucille Duke, O. T. Shell, and F. R. Haile.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter.

Mesdames O. T. Shell, W. T. Shell, M. E. Shell and Glynn Kirk attended the announcement luncheon given for Miss Judith Ann Barham by Mrs. Ray B. Lindley and Mrs. J. T. Heaton at the Lindley home Saturday in Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Weehunt and Connie of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weehunt and Reta Ann of Weatherford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Miears and Mr. and Mrs. James Miears and boys.

Frank Grant, cattleman of Sulphur Springs, stopped in Gorman Sunday on his way to West Texas. Mr. Grant stated that he lived here in 1920 and this is his first time to return. He was related to Frank, Bob and Claud Mosley.

LOCAL ARTISTS PAINTINGS ON EXHIBITION IN OKLA.

Mr. Macie Hyatt, local artist, was honored recently with an invitation to exhibit his paintings in a month's exhibit during the month of March in Connors College in Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Mr. Hyatt took 22 of his paintings to Oklahoma last weekend for the showing beginning March 1st.

Mrs. Ruth M. White, art instructor at Connors College, nationally recognized artist and teacher, is presenting Mr. Hyatt's exhibit. He attended one of Mrs. White's art schools held in Colorado last summer.

The paintings of Mr. Hyatt's will be exhibited in Gorman when they are returned from the Oklahoma showing.

SHORT SNORTS

Eight hundred high school students invaded Austin Friday for the 1962 State Youth Leadership conference, where they'll compete for \$5,000 in scholarships as representatives of 5,000 distributive education students, working in retail, wholesale and service projects.

Gov. Daniel called on the Texas Tourist Council, State Parks Board, Highway Department and Game and Fish Commission to work out a proposal to establish a park and game preserve in the Big Thicket area of East Texas.

Mr. Carter Clopton took over as State Coordinator of Aging Services, which is set up to guide organizations interested in care and activities of elderly people.

Alex C. Roberts of Austin succeeded E. H. Cofield of Del Rio as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners.

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