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DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Public School will close here Thursday. Baccalaureate services were held Sunday at 11 o'clock. Rev. Derrell Dossey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, was the speaker.

Mrs. Ollie Fein, who was in the De Leon Hospital since Tuesday of last week, was returned home Saturday. Her son, H. O. Fein of Hurst, was here and brought her home.

Mrs. Bryant Blankenship spent a few days last week in the Stephenville Hospital, but is home now and reported as doing fairly well.

Mrs. Virgie Caudle has sold her farm here and has moved to Stephenville where she plans on buying a home later.

Several from here attended the funeral services at Alameda last week for Mr. Elec Park of Azle.

Granny Northcutt has been ill at her home here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Tarpley are in Louisiana at the bedside of their son, Pat Tarpley, who was seriously injured in a drilling rig accident. He has a crushed foot and a broken back.

The G. W. Ragland family of Post spent a few days last week visiting with their brothers, the C. E. Raglands and the Ott Raglands. Also the Whit Richards of Breckenridge and the Luther Harpers of Post were Sunday visitors and Mrs. Mary Harrell went home with the Harpers for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis were in Glen Rose last week and attended the adult assembly at the Methodist Encampment at Glen Lake, and reported good fellowship.

Mrs. Ollie Fein is in the Stephenville Hospital and tests will be run to ascertain the head ailment.

Letter To The Editor

May 19, 1964

Dear Mr. Baker:

Since last week some information has become available which I feel vitally influences the water issue.

The field engineer of the State Health Department who checked our water supply a few months ago has reported that one of the four main wells located in the area of the water tank is receiving some contamination from seepage of sewage into the well. At the present time this contami-

nation is being controlled by chlorination of the water after it is pumped into the 18,000 gallon ground storage tank. However, he predicts that before too long all four of these wells will be contaminated to a degree requiring that they be abandoned and new wells dug in another area and a new and larger ground storage tank be provided in which to treat our water supply.

At the present time the State Health Department is not satisfied with the 18,000 gallon tank as being large enough to enable adequate treatment of the water and with the raw untreated water which is being pumped directly into the lines from one of the wells located too far away from the treating tank to be feasible to run it to the tank for treatment before it is dispersed to the users.

It is not felt that the contamination creates a health hazard and there is no need for panic at the present time. I think that this is an indication that we are facing quite a lot of expense in the next few years in drilling new wells and providing reservoirs for treatment even if we are to continue to receive the present hard water we are now using.

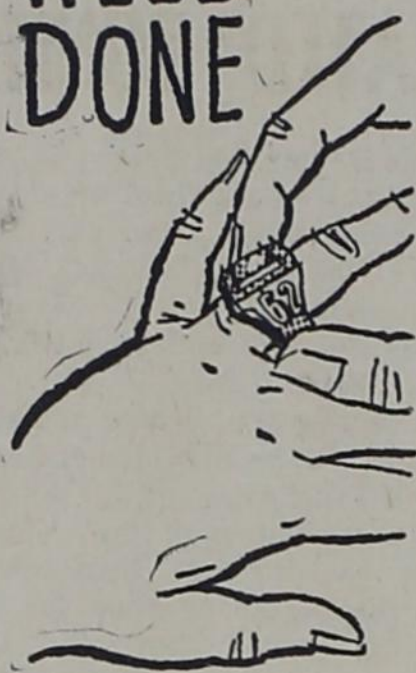
As I see it, it is no longer a choice of: are we going to do nothing and keep our present system or are we going to use water from Proctor Lake, but rather the question is: Are we going to raise taxes and/or vote bonds to maintain the system we now have, or are we going to get an adequate supply of soft, healthy water from the Proctor Lake?

Sincerely,
W. M. Brogdon, M.D.

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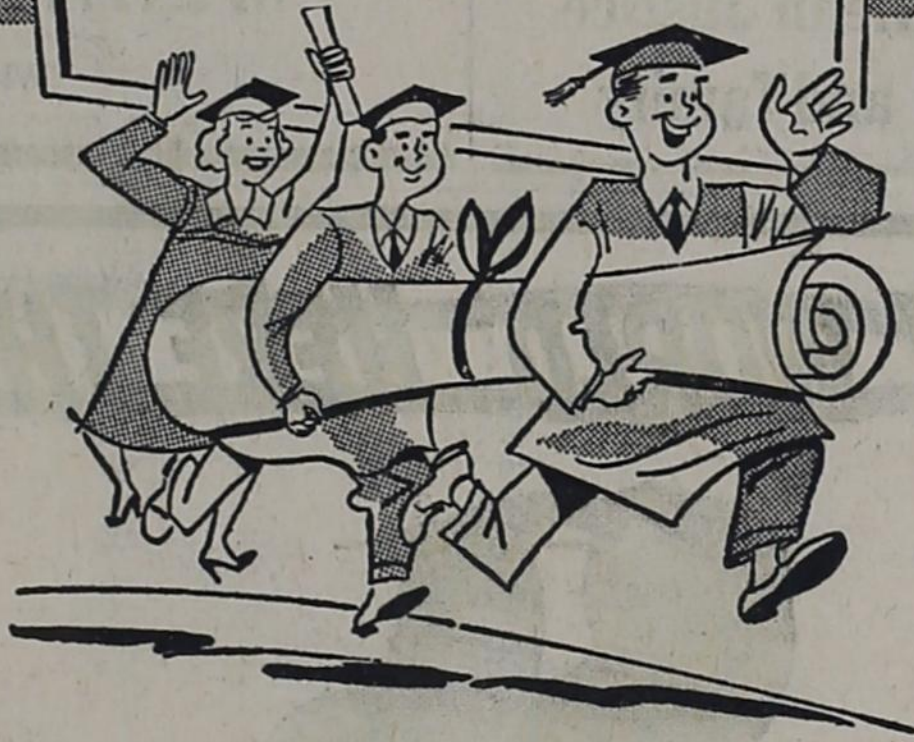
The rung of a ladder was never meant to rest upon.
 —Thomas Huxley

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GRADUATES

This is the first rung of the ladder, but as Huxley said, "the rung of a ladder was never meant to rest upon".



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KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Charles Caraway arrived home on Saturday from Fort Polk, La. for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Caraway. He will return to Fort Polk on May 29.

Glenn Scitern, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Scitern, left on Sunday, May 17 for Fort Polk, La., and active duty with the National Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Higginbottom and Bobby of San Angelo spent Saturday at their farm home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers spent Sunday in Hamlin visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Rodgers.

Mrs. Phyllis Sessum of Flatwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks and Sylvia on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Little have purchased the Chester Henderson house and moved into it on Saturday. The Hendersons moved to Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jordan visited in Carbon on Sunday with her mother, Mrs. H. C. Wharton, and a sister, Mrs. D. S. Gothard of O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Graham and Patricia of Monahans spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham, and his sister, Mrs. Delmon Eaves and family. Donald Eaves of Comanche was also visiting with the Delmon Eaves family over the weekend.

Mr. W. E. Pittman of Chico spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. W. F. Bryant.

Mrs. Hoyt Bryant visited in De Leon on Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Bill Hardin, who was ill in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson have returned home from a two weeks visit with friends and relatives in Big Spring.

Sunday night services at the Kokomo Baptist Church were dismissed so that the members could attend the baccalaureate services at Gorman.

Rev. and Mrs. Buel Bryan are the proud grandparents of a new granddaughter, Susan, born at the Blackwell Hospital on May 8. Susan's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bryan of Houston. She has an older sister, Liz, 4.

MRS. JIM JOHNSON HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Jim Johnson, who underwent surgery in the Stephenville Hospital on May 5, returned to her home on Saturday.

She is reported doing nicely, but is still having to stay in bed

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Births At Blackwell

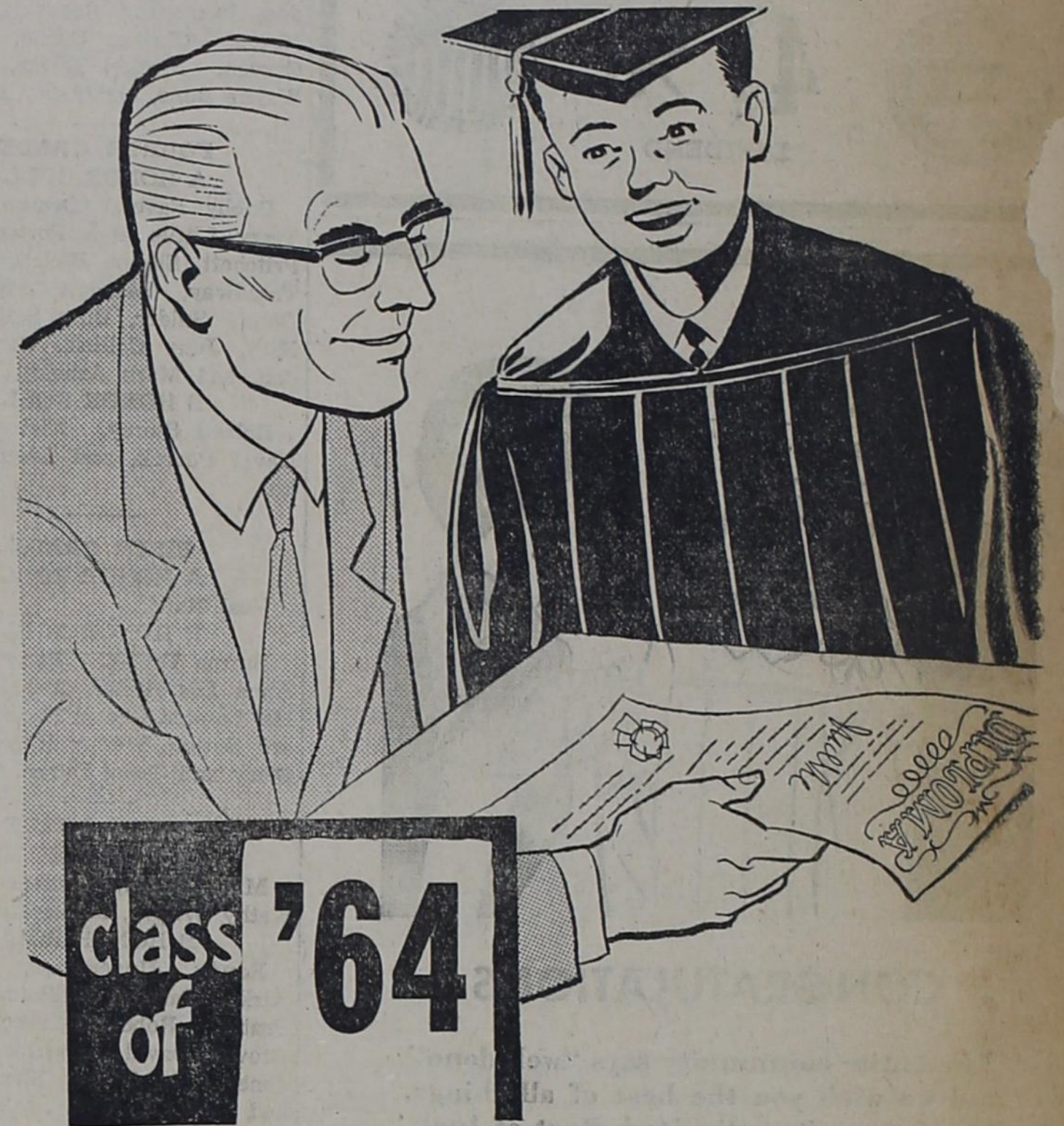
Tena Marlene Riddell was born May 12, 1964 at Blackwell Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. William Riddell of Dublin. She weighed six pounds and four and one-half ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Riddell of Dublin.

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We join your teachers and friends in extending congratulations for a job well done. We join them also to wish you the good luck in all of your future endeavors.

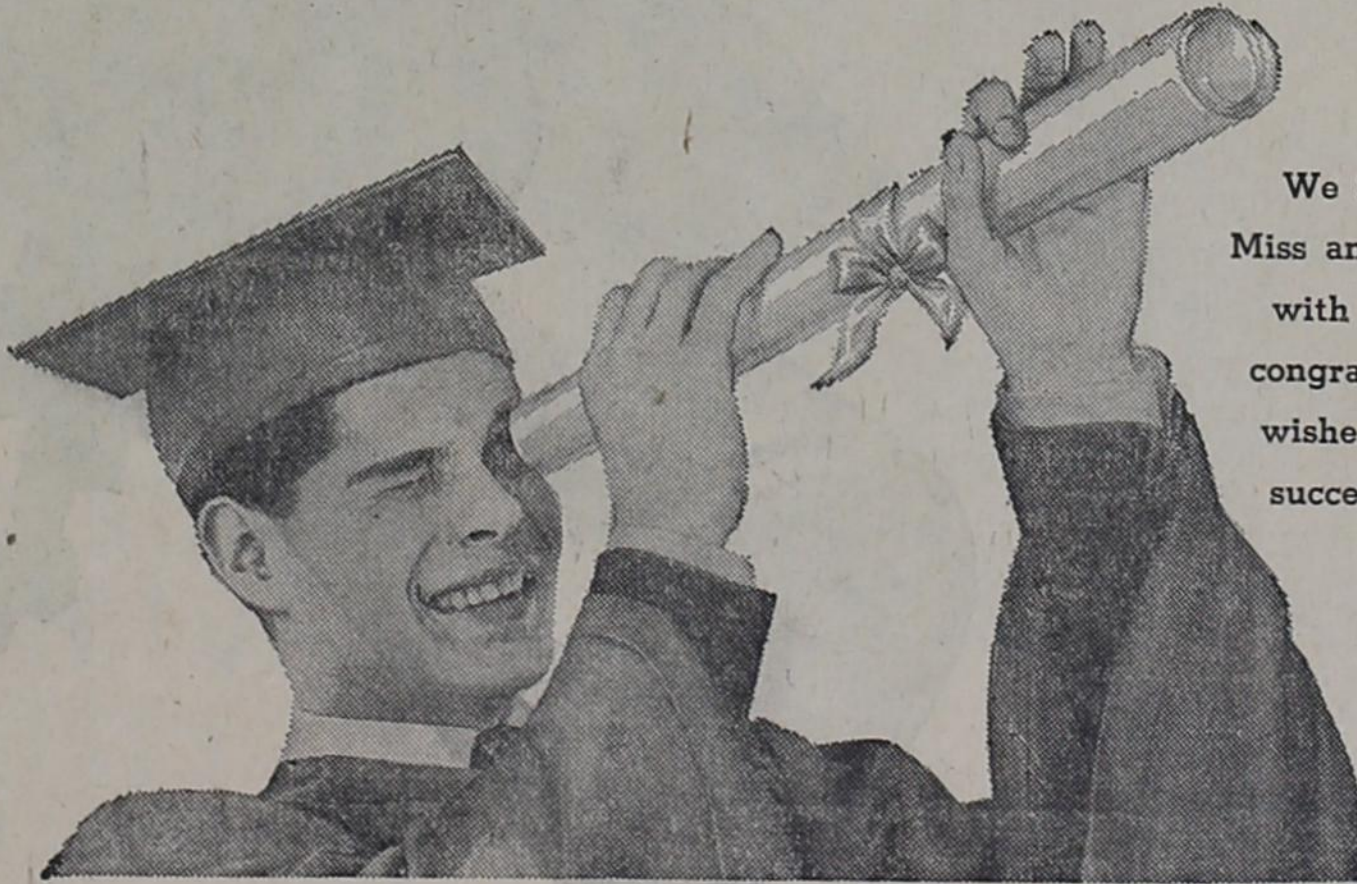
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B HONOR ROLL

Abbram Torrez, Brenda Welton, Bernadean Reeves, Karen Moore, Christie Duran, Marla Craven, Manuel Torrez, Doyle Wayne Rone, and Larry Lehman.

FOURTH GRADE A HONOR ROLL

Bobby Eaves, Denese Grady, Terry Little, Don Porter, Piper Pritchett, Sharon Welch, Windell Treadway, Marilyn Thompson, Danny Snider, Billy Self, Sarah Kirk, June Collins, Nan Brogdon, and Mark Arnold.

B HONOR ROLL

Roland Storey, Niel Martin, David Pocock, and Laquita Parker.

FIFTH GRADE A HONOR ROLL

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B HONOR ROLL
Burma Broom, Betty Seaton, Anna Lee Butler, Jodie Sanders, Hal Lasater, Cheryl Hudson, Richard Sutton, Wesley Rogers, Scott Stacy and Tresa Duran.

SIXTH GRADE A HONOR ROLL

Mike Duran, Jackie Lawson, Kathy Wright, Anna Taylor.
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Randy Underwood, William Kirk, Barbara Williams, Terri Prater, Robert Buckley, Jana Brown, David Armstrong, Jan Jones, Mike Young, Sherry Jobe, and Teddy Jordan.

SEVENTH GRADE A HONOR ROLL

Doyle Shipman and Teddy Higginbottom.
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Wayne Huff, Burl Harper, Jimmy Hampton, Linda Welch, Vickie Reynolds, Mary Jay, Laura Smith, John Lee Gilbert, Brenda Butler, Randy Ormsby, and Jerry Matthews.

GORMAN DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB TO MEET IN SMITH BROTHERS SHOW ROOM

Due to the Eighth Grade Graduating Class using the Fire Hall on Thursday night the Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club will meet for this Thursday night only in the show room of Smith Brothers Chevrolet Company.

EIGHTH GRADE A HONOR ROLL

Mary Kirk, Tommy Simmons, Jean Collins, Allie Lou Fraley, Brenda Shugart, and Daryl Hirst.

B HONOR ROLL

Judy Holt, Connie Park and Jean Munn.

FRESHMEN A HONOR ROLL

Elizabeth Parr and Dwayne Snider.

B HONOR ROLL

Bob Underwood, James Jay, Milton Taylor, Ray Edwards, Robert Reeves, Vicki Frossard, Carole Rankin, Cecilia Self.

SOPHOMORE A HONOR ROLL

Marilyn Shell, Anita Acrea, and Joyce Joiner.

B HONOR ROLL

Juanava Collins, Susan Clement, Mack Sutton, Robert Whitt, Bobby Ward, Mary Martin, Sharon Young, Kathy Browning, Toni Lawrence, and Mollie Steele.

JUNIORS A HONOR ROLL

David Kirk, Joy Love and Toni Prater.

B HONOR ROLL

Gary Overstreet, Mike Foster, William Jay, Don Wallace George Bolt, Margaret Porter, Juanita Leonard, Joyce Burgess, and Kim Hailey.

SENIORS A HONOR ROLL

Thomas Seay, Bobby Rodgers, and Richard Watson.

B HONOR ROLL

Mari Shell, Beth Rhymes, Sylvia Hendricks, Sue Huff, and Barbara Jobe.

DANNY SNIDER HONORED ON 10TH BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

Mrs. Albert Hendricks and the Junior Sunday School Class of Kokomo Baptist Church honored Danny Snider with a party of Sunday morning in celebration of his 10th birthday. Danny was presented a camera from the class. Cake and cold drinks were served by Mrs. Hendricks to Danny Snider, Johnny Eaves, Bobby Eaves, Teddy Jordan, Chester Joiner, Christi Fuller, Juanita O'Neill and Patricia O'Neill.

RODNEY STEPHENS SELLS REGISTERED ANGUS BULL

Rodney Stephens of Gorman recently sold an Aberdeen-Angus Bull to Truitt Spruill of De Leon.

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FOR SALE — Superior AKC Black Miniature male Poodle Puppies, American and imported bloodlines of champion lineage, and Siamese male kittens. Phone MA 9-1211, Eastland. 4-6-4p

FOR SALE — Red Angus Bull, 18 months old. Roscoe Reeves, Gorman. 2-5-21p

HOME FOR SALE — 2 Bedroom home for sale, unfurnished or partly furnished. Fanny Burkett, RE 4-7755. 5-14fnc

WANTED — Two ladies to work three mornings or afternoons through July. Stanley Home Products. Write Box 366, Graham, Texas. 3-5-28p

FOR SALE — Allis-Chalmers Model 72 All Crop Harvester, slightly used. One Polled Hereford Bull. Bud Lay, Route One, Gorman. 2-5-21p

FOR SALE — Registered Quarter Horse Mare, three years old, bay color. O. T. Shell, Route 2, Gorman, RE 4-5649. 4-6-14c

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NOTICE TO VOTERS Persons qualified to vote in the City Election May 23 must be a property owner and must have duly rendered same for taxation, and have a poll tax or exemption. If you are in doubt if your taxes have been rendered, call the City Office and Mrs. Mozelle Rhymes, City Secretary, will be happy to give this information. Deadline for rendering taxable property is 5 p. m. Friday, May 22.

FOR SALE — Imperial 150 Refrigerated Air Conditioner, two years old. George Rodgers, Phone RE 4-5364. 5-7fnc

FOR SALE — Three bedroom brick home. One and one-half bath. Carpeted. Edward Rodgers, Gorman, RE 4-5796. 4-23fnc

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G. F. BENNETT ENTERS HOSPITAL AT BIG SPRING

Mr. George F. Bennett of Route 1, Eastland, entered the Veteran's Hospital in Big Spring Monday. An eye specialist was to arrive Tuesday from Dallas for consultation.

Mr. Bennett was accompanied to Big Spring by his wife and son, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bennett. Mrs. Bennett remained in Big Spring with her husband.

For those who would like to send cards and letters to Mr. Bennett, his address is Ward 5 West, Room 503, Veterans Hospital, Big Spring, Texas.

NOTICE — I am not responsible for debts made by my wife, Glenda Ruth Rodgers. Charles Rodgers. 3-6-4p

FOR SALE — Bailing Wire. 6500 Feet, 14 Gauge. \$8.75 per box. Boss Johnson, De Leon. 4-6-11c

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NEW DAUGHTER FOR MR. AND MRS. PAT GUY

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Guy of Eastland announce the arrival of their new daughter, Lesa Christine, born Sunday, May 17 at 12:18 a. m. She weighed 8 pounds and 15 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hallmark of Carbon and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Odis Guy of Carbon.

A great-grandmother is Mrs. Lizzie Hallmark of Eastland.

THE PENETRATORS WIN SECOND PLACE IN TEEN TOWN TALENT CONTEST

The Penetrators, a local combo group, won second place in the Teen Town Talent Contest held in the Ranger High School Auditorium Saturday, May 16th.

Members of the popular combo are Tommy Clark, Jerry Ormsby, and Doyle Welch of Gorman, and Eddie Barker of Cisco.

OLIVER SPRINGS NEWS

By FLORENCE RICHARDSON

Our Thought For The Week: "A man who has made a mistake and doesn't take time to correct it, is making another mistake."

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears, Mrs. Grover Perry, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sanders were in Cisco Sunday afternoon attending the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Annie Cogburn.

Visiting the Jim Johnsons Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of De Leon.

Visiting the L. F. Mears family last Sunday from Weatherford were Mrs. Roy Weehunt and daughter.

Mrs. J. N. Watson has been visiting her daughter at Desdemona, Mrs. Leroy Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mears visited the Jim Johnson Sunday afternoon.

The Rayford Burgess family spent the weekend fishing on the Clear Fork. How many we did not learn.

Bro. Fox and Janice were dinner guests with the Clyde Setzlers Sunday. In the afternoon they visited the Willie Hendersons and Ed Gregorys.

Mr. and Mrs. Arland Watson visited the Irvin Domineys late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poteet visited the Joe Wallace family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Forrest were visitors in the Dewey Lindley home Sunday night.

The Chessley Atchison family of Fort Worth spent the weekend with the Jessie Atchisons.

NEW GRANDSON FOR

REV. & MRS. BUEL BRYAN

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bryan of Houston announce the arrival of their second child, a daughter, Susan Marie, born May 8 at the Blackwell Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds and four ounces. She has a big sister, Elizabeth

Ann, age 4 1/2 years.

Her father works for an investigation firm in Houston.

Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Buel Bryan of Gorman and Mr. T. B. King of Wichita Falls, and great-grandparents are Mrs. D. L. Bond and Mrs. Vesta Johnson of Gorman.



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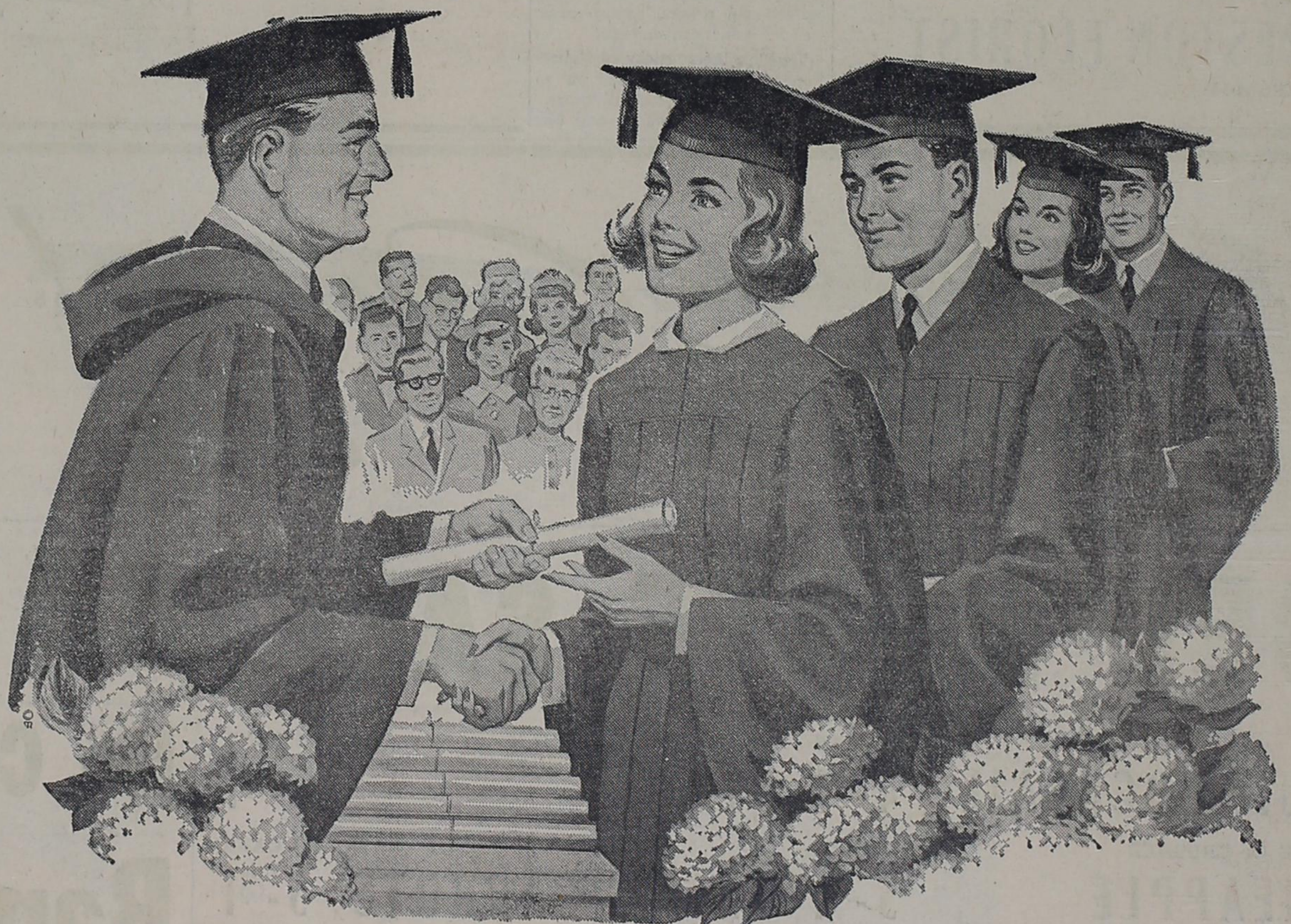
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George Bolt Named District MYF VP

George Bolt was elected vice president of the Cisco District Methodist Youth Fellowship at a meeting held in First Methodist Church of Breggenridge on Monday night.

Steve Purdue of Eastland is the new president.

Other Gorman MYF members attending the meeting were Juanava Collins, Anita Acrea, Mack Sutton, and Mrs. Betty Sanders, wife of the local pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Gorman Students Enter De Leon's Junior Rodeo

The De Leon Riding Club will sponsor a Junior Rodeo Friday and Saturday nights, May 22 and 23, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Junior boys and girls from Comanche, Gustine, May, Blanket, Gorman, Dublin, Carbon, Eastland, Ranger and De Leon have been invited to participate in the Rodeo.

Professional stock will be furnished by "Burnet Rodeo."

There will be calf roping, bronc and bull riding, elementary girls, high school girls and pee wee boys and girls barrel racing, high school boys "tie down roping", elementary boys "break away roping." There will be four teams from the De Leon High School who will be competing in the "wild cow saddling."

Trophies will be given to the first place winners in each event. Ribbons will be awarded through the 6th. place. "One team" trophy will be awarded to the school with the most points. A trophy will also be given to the "All Around" Girl and Boy.

Entries from Gorman are Mike Foster and Thomas Seay in high school roping; Juanava Collins in high school barrel racing; and Becky Foster, Debra Smith, Karen Collins and Gary Burgess in grade school barrel racing.

The concession stand will have plenty of hot dogs, barbecue buns, coffee, cold drinks, snow-cones, etc. for your convenience.

Through the courtesy of Nabors Funeral Home, there will be an ambulance on duty at all times. Admission will be 25 and 50c.

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4-\$1		7-\$1	
GREEN	NO. 303 CANS	CATSUP	14 OZ. BTL.
LIMA BEANS	4-\$1	5-\$1	
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FAREWELL PARTY HONORS CHERYL HUDSON FRIDAY

Debbie Holliday, assisted by girl members of the fifth grade class, were hostess Friday evening, May 15 for a wiener roast and farewell party at her home, honoring Cheryl Hudson, who left Sunday to spend the summer in Los Angeles, California.

The group enjoyed the backyard cookout of hot dogs, potato chips, pickles, punch and cup cakes.

The honoree was presented a going away gift by the group.

Those present were Anna Lee Butler, Dorenda Arnold, Betty Seaton, Fay Frasier, Tana Eaker, and guests, Jana Brown and Jackie Lawson.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Fairbetter were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Manning Fairbetter and family of Abilene.

Mail Box Impvmt. Week May 18-23

Each spring the Department designates a week during which patrons on rural, city mounted, and box delivery star routes are encouraged to examine and improve, where necessary, the appearance of their mail boxes. This year the week of May 18-23 has been selected. The purpose of the Mail Box Improvement Week is to call attention to the need for providing mail receptacles which are conveniently located, neat in appearance, safe to use, and which protect the mail from the weather.

Mail boxes that meet these requirements contribute to a more efficient delivery operation, and, therefore, result in improved service to the entire route. Mail boxes of the approved traditional or contemporary design are required. Patrons still using obsolete, top-opening boxes may continue to use them at that location provided they are kept in serviceable condition and otherwise meet the requirements.

Boxes and supports should be kept painted and free from rust. The name of the owner should be shown on the side of the box visible to the carrier as he approaches, or on the door where boxes are grouped. The assigned box number may be shown. Patrons should be asked to group boxes wherever this is practicable, particularly where adequate turn-outs can be provided.

Mail boxes on both rural and star routes must be located on the right-hand side of the road in the direction of travel of the carrier wherever it would be dangerous to serve the boxes on the left, or where this would be a violation of state or local traffic laws or regulations.

MR. & MRS. BOB WOOD INJURED IN AUTO MISHAP

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wood of Paducah were injured in an automobile accident Tuesday near Lubbock.

They are in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, and are not seriously injured. Mrs. Wood received some broken ribs and arm cuts, while Mr. Wood received more serious injuries of a crushed pelvic and bruises.

The Woods are former residents of Gorman and friends wishing to write them, their address is Methodist Hospital, Room 631, Lubbock.

CAUTION URGED FOR SMOKERS

Last year in this country 11,800 persons lost their lives in fires that for the sixth straight year resulted in property losses exceeding \$1 billion. And nearly one-fourth of these fires were caused by matches and smoking.

To help reduce the nation's gigantic fire toll, the National Board of Fire Underwriters urges smokers to observe a few simple rules of caution.

Keep plenty of ashtrays in every room of the house. Never discard a match or cigarette without making sure that it has been extinguished. It is also a good idea to break matches in half. Keep matches away from children, and never smoke in bed.

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COMANCHE, TEXAS

Area Towns Vote Approval Of Water From Lake Proctor

Area towns of Dublin, De Leon and Comanche voted Saturday, May 16, to decide whether or not the city councils could contract for water from Lake Proctor.

All three towns voted approval of the Proctor Lake water usage. At Comanche 646 votes were cast for the Proctor Lake water with only 37 voting against it. De Leon cast 357 votes for and only 9 against.

Dublin cast 315 for and 244 against.

Gorman voters will cast their ballots Saturday, May 23 to decide whether or not the Gorman City Council can enter into a contract for the Proctor Lake water.

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Dorcas Class Enjoys Luncheon

The Dorcas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday, May 14 in the Educational Building for a covered dish luncheon and quilting, with nine members present.

Mrs. Ethel Harrell gave the invocation. Mrs. C. O. Alsbrook, class president, presided over a short business meeting. Each lady answered roll call by repeating a Bible verse.

Mrs. J. W. Richardson read the minutes of the previous meeting and Mrs. Loma McKnight, class treasurer, reported that the class had over a hundred dollars in the Building Fund.

Following the luncheon the ladies quilted a quilt for the store room, to be used for emergencies or the less fortunate.

The group voted to quilt again on Thursday, May 21. Each person is urged to bring their own thimbles.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. Richardson.

LONE CEDAR DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB HAS BIG DAY

Eleven tables showed up Saturday for Master Point Day at the Lone Cedar Club House. Loyd London directed.

Announcement was made of a game at Breckenridge on Sunday, May 24th; a Winners' Game at Lone Cedar on May 31st., and a Special Event at Stephenville on June 7th.

Winners - North-South were: First, Mrs. Joe Collins and Mrs. Jim Morris of Ranger; Second, Mrs. Gault and Mrs. McCall of Breckenridge; Third, Mrs. Jim Horton and Mrs. Clyde Grissom of Eastland; and Fourth, Mrs. Melvin Shell of Gorman and Mrs. J. E. Whitesides of Brownwood.

East-West Winners: First, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Whitt of Gorman; Second, Mr. Hale and Mr. Hoover of Stephenville; Third, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd London of Cisco; and Fourth, Mrs. Winston Heidenheimer of Cisco and Mrs. Frank Sparks of Eastland.

HOMER WOOD BUYS REGISTERED ANGUS BULL

Mr. Homer Wood of Gorman recently purchased an Aberdeen-Angus bull from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moffitt of Meridian, Texas.

KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS

Mrs. E. W. Underwood and Becky Farrell of Fort Worth spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. T. F. Morrow.

Mrs. E. H. Huckaby and granddaughter of Fort Worth visited Sunday with Mrs. J. E. Foster.

Mrs. Rosa Boucher and Mrs. Ed Wyatt returned Monday from a ten day visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodges of Midland, Mrs. E. W. Bibby of Lubbock and Frank Wyatt of Abilene and Mrs. Ollie Andrus of San Antonio, who was visiting in Abilene, all relatives of Mrs. Wyatt. Mrs. Boucher visited a sister in Lubbock and sisters, Mrs. Mattie Vaught and Mrs. Lizzie Mangum of Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nix arrived Monday to spend part of the summer at their home in Gorman. They will return to Crystal City in the fall where Mrs. Nix will be teaching in the schools.

Visiting his mother, Mrs. Neta Lee, and grandmother, Mrs. Alma Craig, over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lee and daughter, Cindy, of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Russell and Jo visited Saturday in Mineral

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7TH. GRADE HONORED WITH HAYRIDE & WIENER ROAST

Mrs. Frankie Jo Harper and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Eaves were hostesses for a hayride and wiener roast Friday evening at the Eaves farm honoring the seventh grade students.

Lanterns and the bon-fire lighted the scene for the picnic supper of roasted wieners and all the trimmings.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Felts and Miss Glenda Carrouth.

The students presented Mr. Felts a gift in appreciation of being a wonderful home room teacher.

30 of the 32 class members were present for the gala event.

Wells with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Russell and family.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. George Blackwell last week were Mrs. Julia Free of Sedona, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bibby of Fort Worth, Eugene Yates of Stamford and Newt Dillard of Beaumont.

A brother-in-law of Mrs. George Blackwell's, Mr. Floyd Harrelson, remains on the critical list at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Browning spent the weekend in Garland with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Bruton.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bolt visited Sunday in Waco with Rev. and Mrs. John Dowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bennett spent the weekend in Austin with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bennett and Mrs. G. F. Bennett accompanied Mr. G. F. Bennett to Big Spring Monday where he entered the Veteran's Hospital. They visited Monday evening in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bennett and boys. Mrs. Bennett will visit with relatives in Big Spring while her husband is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Lawrence visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Clement of Temple.

Mrs. Rachel Johnson, Cheryl Hudson and Sondra Hilton, left Sunday for Los Angeles, Calif. where they will spend the summer.



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Delinquent taxes are subject to penalty and interest, and it is greatly to your interest to take care of your taxes BEFORE JUNE 1st. DEADLINE.

Delinquent Taxes

We still have some delinquent taxes on our books and those owing such taxes are urged to come in and see about them.

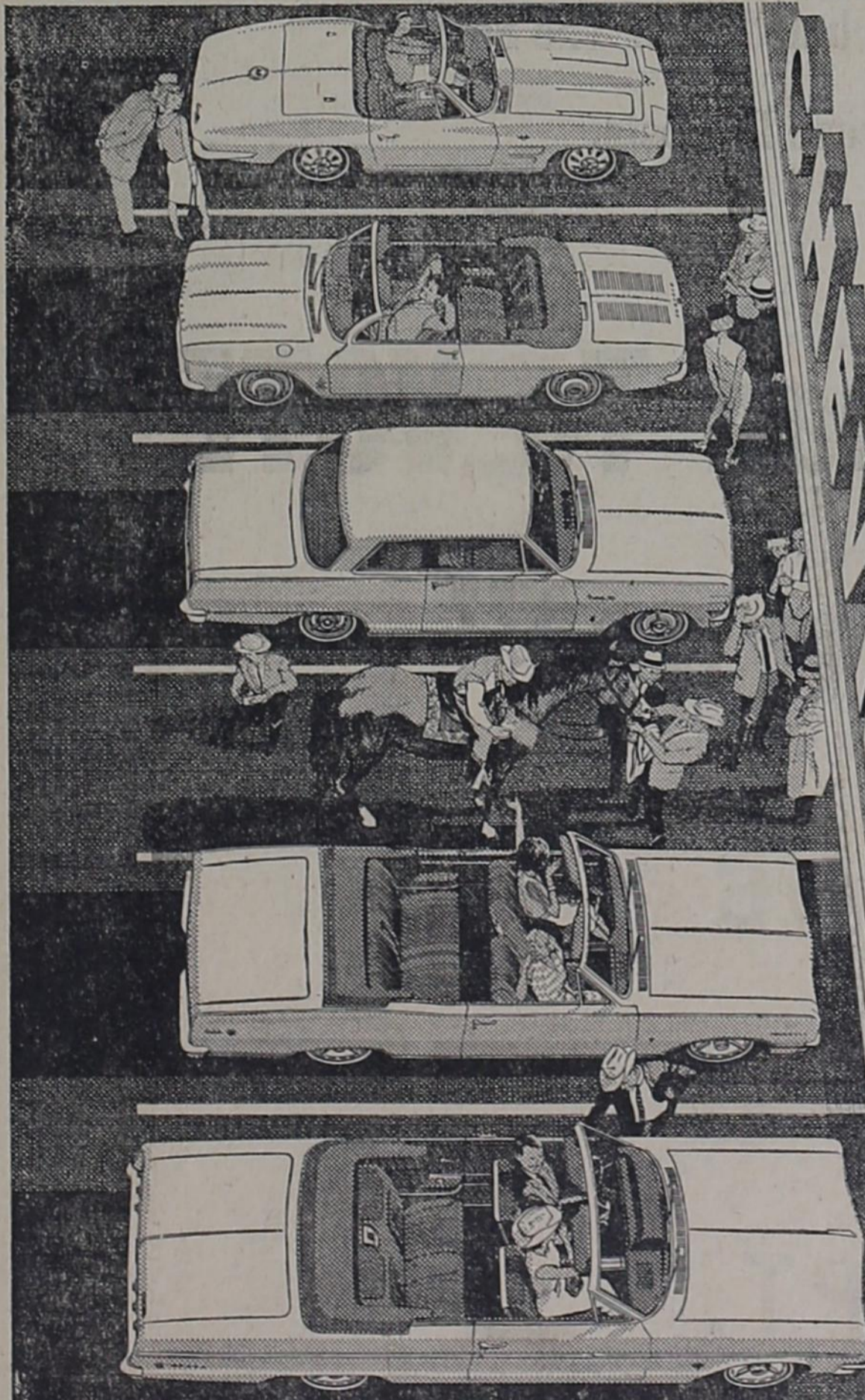
According to law, delinquent taxes are a valid lien against any real estate property and in case of sale of property, must be satisfied. In other words, you could not give title to your place if there were any unpaid taxes against it.

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1. Permanent Supply Of Water:

No one knows the capacity of underground water sources. Engineers say Proctor Lake will be a reliable source for 120 years.

2. Water Supply Which Meets Sanitation Standards:

Part of present water supply is not treated for purification and remainder is in danger of being condemned within the next few years.

3. Water Which Is Desirable From Standpoint Of Softness:

Can expect to realize savings on cost of soap and detergents, plumbing repairs, water heaters and other appliances.

4. Better Fire Protection And Savings For All Property Holders On Fire Insurance Premiums:

Most People Who Have Studied Their Individual Situations Have Concluded That The Savings Inherent In Having Soft Water Are Greater than The Estimated Increase In Costs.

5. Opens The Door For New Industry To Come To Gorman:

Without a permanent and adequate supply of state approved water we cannot compete with surrounding towns for industry. 4 neighboring towns have overwhelmingly voted for this proposal.

6. If Adequate Supply Of Lake Water Is Not Secured, Present Water System Modifications, Which Must Be Made To Meet Health Standards, Will Require A Large Expenditure Of Money In the Foreseeable Future. This Money Could Come Only From Voting A Bond Or Raising Taxes.

**We Urge The Citizens of Gorman To VOTE
"FOR the Water Contract"**

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