



## HULLS

By KERNEL GENE, aPe

"Protestors Responsible For Vietnam War Dead, Three Say." This two-column head appears over an article on another page of this edition. It was written by three students at Baylor University.

With all the publicity and privileges given to misfits, do-gooders, draft dodgers and other "niks" who are a minority, I am proud of the attitude taken by these students. I think it reflects the opinion of most thinking Americans who are proud of their country, flag and religious freedom.

We are hoping you receive this edition of the Progress. Our old "Cottrell Newspaper Press," that is over 100 years old, has finally given up the ghost.

By cutting the wife's allowance, stretching the patience of some of our creditors, and with the assistance of our Bankers, we hope to receive a new (at least it is new to us) press Friday.

Next week your Progress will be one column wider and about two inches longer.

Thanks to all of you for your patience, forbearance and continued support. We'll need it.

## Funeral Services For Henry Maness Held At Carbon

Henry Alford Maness, 80, of Carbon, died at his home at 7:30 p. m. Friday, May 19, from an apparent heart attack.

Born July 21, 1886 in Falls County, Texas, he had been a resident of Eastland County for 58 years. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Carbon Methodist Church.

He was married to Sybil Lovell on September 28, 1913. She died in 1917 and he was married to Myrtle Patterson September 28, 1924.

Funeral services were held at 4:30 p. m. Sunday in First Methodist Church of Carbon with Rev. Lee Fields, retired Baptist minister, officiating. Burial was in Murray Memorial Cemetery at Carbon, under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home of Gorman.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Coda McDaniels of Carbon; one step son, Lee Patterson of Breckenridge; two sisters, Mrs. Lonie Bohannon of Gorman and Mrs. Ruby Johnson of Eastland; two great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; nine great step grandchildren and ten great-great step grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Donald Sovereance, Jerry May, Johnny Patterson, Charles Patterson, Jimmy Hendricks and Daryl Cook, all step grandsons-in-law.

## LILLIE BUCHAN FUNERAL RITES HELD SUNDAY

Miss Lillie Buchan of Desdemona passed away May 19th in St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Worth after a brief illness.

She was born August 23, 1900, near Gorman. The daughter of James Richard Buchan and Iva Browning Buchan, she was a descendant of one of the pioneer families of Eastland County. Her maternal grandfather, J. M. Ellison, was one of the first three men to bring families into the county.

She moved to Desdemona in 1919, where she resided until her passing.

Formerly she was co-owner of the Desdemona Telephone Co. and for a number of years was an employee of the Desdemona Public Schools.

Funeral services were held in the Desdemona First Baptist Church on Sunday, May 21, at 2 o'clock with Rev. Darrell Dossey of Desdemona officiating, assisted by Rev. Robert Jeffrey, pastor of First Baptist Church, Desdemona.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Iva Buchan of the home; four sisters, Mrs. F. E. Walker of Nacogdoches, Mrs. Alton Wilhite of Monahans, Mrs. R. D. Wright of De Leon, and Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Stephenville; a number of nieces and nephews; and a host of friends.

Pallbearers were Ott Ragland, John Arnold, Jessie Sparkman, Jim Huff, Lonnie Williamson of Desdemona, and Elmer Lee Anderson of Stephenville.

## Mauney-Bryan Post Set Memorial Program on May 30

The annual Memorial Day Service, sponsored by the Mauney-Bryan Post 594, will be held on Tuesday, May 30 at 8 a. m. at the Oaklawn Cemetery at the entrance by the flag pole.

Legionnaires Bill Parr, Post Adjutant, and Leslie Wallace, Post Commander, will be in charge of the program, which will open with the raising of the colors, followed by the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance.

Speaker for the program had not been selected at press time on Wednesday.

Flags will be placed on all service men's graves on Sunday.

## Swimming Lessons Begin Here June 5

Mr. W. L. Holt, Community Swimming Pool manager, has announced that swimming lessons will be taught by him beginning Monday, June 5th.

Hours will be from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m. and 11:00 to 12 noon. Cost of the two weeks course will be \$10.00.

Persons interested in enrolling children for this course may contact Mr. Holt at the swimming pool.

## Grade Schoolers Cited At Program On Monday Night

Grade School Recognition program for Gorman Grade School students was held Monday night, May 22 in the High School Auditorium. The invocation was given by Audy Moore, minister of the Church of Christ.

Athletic Awards for girls and boys were presented by Leroy Duke; Band Awards by Herman Alsop; Scholastic Awards by Allen Morris, grade school principal; and Promotion Certificates by C. L. Garrett, superintendent.

The benediction was given by J. W. O'Neal.

Members of the Eighth Grade Class, who were promoted to High School were Dorenda Arnold, Maudine Aston, Debbie Baldwin, Burma Broom, Anna Lee Butler, Bill Clark, Tresa Duran, Paula Eppler, Faye Frasier, Christi Fuller, Karen Hallmark, Marilyn Hampton, Rex Jobe, Debbie Holliday, Cheryl Hudson, Hal Lasater, Billy Mears, Lawrence Perez, Wesley Rogers, Johnny Scitern, Debra Smith, Larry Don Snider, Dana Weldon, and Randy Wright.

Award Certificates were presented to those students who had made no grade below A. The honor students who made grade of A for the entire year were: Tamilyn Simpson, Rodney Warren, Joetta Bennett, Billy Eppler, David Eaves, Kathy Ripley, Vicki Simmons, Kelly Henderson, Sarah Kirk and Marilyn Thompson.

Students receiving awards for grade average of A-B for the year were: Kirk Arnold, Michael Moore, Louise Guthrie, Tammy Dake, Tony Ripley, Wayne Blair, Mike Shipman, Kris Brown, Bill Underwood, Sherry Porter, Lupe Torres, Van Stacy, Charlene Self, Mark Eaves, Beth White, Steven Stinnett, Vicki Hallmark, Bill Baze, Gary Smith, Michael Moore, Patti Hirst, Jeanette Jackson, Chester Joiner, Danny Snider, Paul Bennett, Don Porter and Bruce Smith.

Students receiving Band Awards were Anna Lee Butler and Mark Arnold.

Perfect Attendance Certificates were presented to: Cheryl Arnold, Deliah Eaves, Ricky Townley, Melessa Warren, Gary Jackson, Revise Laminack, Douglas Warren, Edward Eppler, Nelda Little, Laverne Rhyne, Wayne Blair, Kris Brown, Joetta Bennett, Rodney Warren, Dean Weldon, Danny Rhyne, Van Stacy, Ricky Fuller, Charlene Self, Vickie Hallmark, Annette Jackson, Lonnie Bennett, Jeanette Jackson, Bernadette Reeves, Patti Hirst, Sha Rogers, June Collins, Burma Broom, Bill Clark and Billy Mears.

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## First Baptist At Desdemona Set Bible School Dates

Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church of Desdemona will be held May 29 through June 2.

A picnic will follow registration at 9 a. m. Saturday, May 27. Classes will be held each day from 8 to 11 a. m. Monday thru Friday.

Principal of the school will be the pastor, Rev. Robert Jeffrey, and assisted by Mes James Bonnie Watkins, Hazel Koonce, Vertie Moore, Hattie Tate, Hattie Davis, Della Jeffrey, Helen Colman and others.

All children of the Desdemona area are invited to attend.

## FINAL RITES FOR C. L. PLATTER HELD TUESDAY

Mr. Charlie Lemial Platter, 81, died on Sunday at 9 a. m. in the Eastland Hospital, where he had been a patient one week.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday in the Arlington-Hammer Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Haston Brewer, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Murray Memorial Cemetery at Carbon.

Mr. Platter had lived in Eastland for the past several years, moving to Eastland from Gorman.

He was a retired rock mason and since moving to Eastland had operated the Eastland Hotel until it closed recently.

Mr. Platter was born December 27, 1885 in Joplin, Mo. He married Wilma Ethel Todd on July 24, 1920, in Gorman.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. C. J. Nail of Stephenville, Mrs. W. N. Peel of Big Spring and Mrs. Johnny V. Walton of San Angelo; two sons, Jimmy of Brownwood and Billy of San Angelo; a brother, a sister, 25 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## ALBERT KAY, 69 LAID TO REST ON THURSDAY

Mr. Albert Grady Kay, 69, died at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday, May 17, in the De Leon Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Ralph Heckman, officiating. Burial was in De Leon Cemetery with Nabors Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Born July 25, 1897, in Comanche County, he was a retired pumper for the Magnolia Oil Co. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and married Nora Barker December 28, 1919, in De Leon.

Survivors include his wife of De Leon; one daughter, Mrs. Trice Gladden of Oilton, Okla.; his mother, Mrs. Martha Allie Kay of De Leon; one brother, Dale of Fritch, Texas; three sisters, Mrs. Beulah DeGuire of Desdemona, Mrs. Emma Cummins of Liberty and Mrs. Winnie Clinton of De Leon; and two grandchildren.

## Blackwell Hospital Host For Fire Dept. Supper On Monday

Blackwell Hospital, Inc. was host for a supper of sandwiches, pie, coffee and tea for the Gorman Volunteer Fire Department at their regular monthly meeting held Monday night at the Fire Hall. It was a gesture of good will and appreciation of the many hours of service the fire department men give our city and community.

The department has only answered one call this month, the garage of Fletcher Carwile on the Duster Highway, which burned this week.

Jerry Overstreet has been named secretary of the organization, replacing Paul McKinzie, who has resigned.

The firemen will meet June 5 at 8 p. m. at the Brown Jug Cafe for supper and a regular meeting.

### CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express my thanks and those of my family for the comforting care given me at Blackwell Hospital by Dr. Rodgers, and all those who ministered unto me, nor in words express my gratitude for the prayerful concern of our many friends and acquaintances.

May each of you know God's presence in time of need, and may you share his blessings every day.

Mrs. Lucretia Fairbeter

## Twenty-Two Grads Receive Diplomas From Gorman High

Commencement Exercises in Gorman High School Auditorium Tuesday night rung down the curtain on public school careers for 22 graduating seniors, and brought to a close the school year of 1966-67.

Miss Elizabeth Ann Parr, Valuedictorian of the class, was presented a one year scholarship to any State supported, and a one year scholarship to any church related school.

Dwayne Snider, Salutatorian, received a one year scholarship to any church related school.

Diplomas were presented to the seniors by Arnold Butler, Chairman of the School Board. Awards were presented by Dave Smith, principal of high school, and Charlie Garrett, superintendent, gave a brief address. Others appearing on the program were Rev. Huron Polnac, Rev. S. A. Baker, Mrs. O. R. Buchanan, and the senior sponsor, Mrs. Joy Mason.

## Local Merchants to Observe Holiday Tuesday, May 30th

Memorial Day is one of the six holidays chosen by the Gorman Chamber of Commerce as a business holiday.

Business firms in Gorman will be closed Tuesday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day.

The next business holiday will be Independence Day, July 4th.

## Jerry Mehaffey Buy Gorman Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Mehaffey have purchased the Gorman Hotel. Former owners were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prater of Brownwood.

Mrs. Fannye Bell Park has rented the home living quarters. The Mehaffey's plan to have apartments and rooms available for rent soon.

Also available for rent or lease is the Hotel Coffee Shop.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone who were so nice to us during Lonnie's stay in St. Joseph Hospital.

Thanks for the visits, prayers, flowers and cards, they meant so much to us.

Lonnie & Thelma Hampton

## J. M. PARKER, 95 LAID TO REST AT SIPE SPRINGS

Mr. Joseph Marion (Judge) Parker, 95, a long-time resident of the Gorman area, died at 8:15 a. m. Sunday, May 14, in a hospital in Grapevine, Texas. He had recently moved to Grapevine to be near his daughter, Mrs. Richard Flynn, a teacher in the Grapevine School system.

Judge Parker had served as City Attorney for the City of Gorman for many years, and was an outstanding criminal lawyer. He served on the draft board during World War I.

He was born in Hot Springs, Arkansas on August 11, 1871 and came to Texas at the age of 20. He was married to Florence M. Dooley December 4, 1899. She died in 1947.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Tuesday, May 16, in the Higginbotham Funeral Chapel of Gorman with Rev. Elvis Morris of Grapevine, officiating, assisted by Rev. H. E. Parish of Grapevine and Rev. Marion Dennis, pastor of the Gorman Congregational Methodist Church. Burial was in the Sipe Springs Cemetery under the direction of Higginbotham Funeral Home.

Survivors include one son, Dawson P. Parker of San Angelo; two daughters, Mrs. Richard Flynn of Grapevine and Mrs. Oran Melton of Austin; a brother, George H. Parker of De Leon, and a sister, Mrs. Annie Wallace of Bakersfield, California.

## Community Pool Open To Swimmers

Swimmers in the Gorman and surrounding area enjoyed Splash Day at the Community Swimming Pool on Saturday, May 13. However, the weather has been cool almost every day since. The pool has been open and some of the youngsters have continued to swim despite the chilly wind and rain.

The Pool Committee wishes to express their thanks to Dr. D. V. Rodgers for having the bottom of the pool painted to keep it from getting slick. This was done before the pool was opened this season and it has added much comfort to the swimmers.

Mr. W. L. Holt of O'Brien, the new assistant coach for Gorman Schools, has been hired to operate the pool and will arrive some time this week. Speedy Clark has done a fine job of operating the pool since its opening, affording the swimmers an earlier opening day prior to Mr. Holt's arrival.

## Century Plant - Half Century Blossoms



CENTURY PLANT IN FULL BLOOM — J. E. Whiteside is shown with the plant at his home in Gorman.

The Century Plant at the Groves place has shot up to height of about 25 feet in the past month and has come to full bloom with clusters of maroon and gold.

The term Century plant, so called because it was mistakenly thought to bloom only once every century. This plant has bloomed twice in the half century it has been growing in the Groves yard since having been planted there some 50 years ago by Mrs. Groves.

The base of the plant is protected by thorn like fleshy green leaves and appears to be kin to the Cacti and Spanish Dagger. The botanical name for the plant is American Aloe.

The Groves' home is now the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whitesides of Brownwood. Mrs. Whitesides is the former Eppie Jean Groves. She and her husband spend about as much time at their home in Gorman as they do in Brownwood.

## Baptist-Methodist Bible School Set For May 29-June 2

The annual joint Vacation Bible School of the First Baptist and First Methodist Churches will begin with Preparation Day on Saturday, May 27 at 9 a. m. Following the registration a downtown parade will be held.

The school will be held Monday through Friday, May 29 thru June 2nd, at the First Baptist Church. School hours will be from 8:30 to 11:30 a. m., with Commencement Exercises scheduled for Friday evening, June 2.

All children of the area are invited to attend.

Rev. Huron Polnac, pastor of First Baptist, will be principal and Mrs. Erich Arnold will be superintendent of the Junior Division; Mrs. Dean Bennett is superintendent of the Primary Division; Mrs. Jerry Overstreet is in charge of the Beginners; and Mrs. George Warren will be in charge of the Nursery.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Open House honoring Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ben Koonce will be held Friday evening, May 26.

Tuesday, May 30 is a Gorman Holiday, in observance of Memorial Day.

The City Commission will meet Thursday, June 1 at 3:45 p. m.

The Hargrove Reunion will be held June 11 at Lake Cisco.

The Hallmark Reunion will be held June 4 at Eastland City Park.

Notice to Duplicate Bridge Players — A special game for beginners in Duplicate Bridge is being held at Lone Cedar Country Club Saturday, May 27 at 1:30 p. m. This special game will be held every fourth Saturday of each month until further notice.

Lloyd London, Director

The Victor Cemetery Homecoming will be held Tuesday, May 30th. It will be an all-day affair with dinner on the ground. Claude Pair is president and Mrs. D. W. Smith is sec'y-treasurer. All interested parties are invited to attend.

Gorman Chapter No. 443, Order of the Eastern Star, meets the first Monday night of each month.

The Gorman Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

The Gorman Rebekah Lodge meets each Tuesday evening.

The Friday Afternoon Duplicate Bridge Club meets each Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the Fire Hall.

## Monday Brunch Honors Mrs. Baker

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. G. C. Acrea Monday for a brunch, a surprise event honoring Mrs. S. A. Baker, in appreciation for her wonderful assistance this past year with the WSCS, the choir and all areas of the church. She was presented a hand-painted china cake plate and Mrs. M. F. Allen, a long-time member of the WSCS, greeted guests and presented each with a gardenia corsage from her flower garden. Co-hostesses were Meses. Ed Harrison, Bob Green, and Barton Eppler.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to express our appreciation to the many friends and neighbors who have been so helpful to us in our sorrow at the time of loss of my brother, Mr. Henry Maness. We deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness.

May God bless you is our humble prayer.

Mr. & Mrs. Carl Bohannon



AT PIANO RECITAL — Pictured above is Joetta and Lonnie Bennett with their piano teacher, Mrs. Gussie Dowell, at a recital held in De Leon on Sunday afternoon.

### Mrs. Bishop Hosts Kokomo HD Club

The Kokomo Home Demonstration Club met on Monday, May 22, in the home of Mrs. Lee Bishop at Lake Leon. The opening exercises were led by Mrs. Albert Hendricks. The devotional was given from John 1:8-10. Mrs. J. W. O'Neal gave the devotional prayer. Mrs. Glenn Jordan presided

over the business meeting. The members voted to visit the Lawn-dale Home For Senior Citizens once each month with refreshments. The first visit will be on May 29.

The club has purchased a camera to take pictures of the club activities to put in their record book. The camera was used for the first time at this meeting.

Mmes. Wayne White, Frank Williamson and Glenn Jordan gave a report on the Food Freez-

ing Workshop they attended in Texas Electric Reddy Room in Eastland last Thursday. Mrs. Janet Meyers, CHDA, presided over the workshop. Mrs. J. L. Morrow also attended the workshop, but was unable to attend today's meeting.

Mrs. R. M. Richburg gave a very interesting program, demonstrating how she made a very attractive picture of a basket of flowers using rick-rack.

Mrs. Bishop, the recreational leader, had charge of the recreation period. Each member recited a favorite poem or nursery rhyme.

Mrs. Bishop served delicious refreshments to Mmes. D. F. Eaves and Deliah, O. T. Hazard, John Little, John Donaldson, John W. Henderson, J. W. O'Neal, Albert Hendricks, Wayne White, Frank Williamson, Glenn Jordan and R. M. Richburg.

Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Overstreet and family of Elmer, Okla. spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bohannon, and attended the funeral on Sunday of her uncle, Henry Maness.

### Confederate Vets' Ass'n. Re-activated

The Confederate Research Center of Hill Junior College, Hillsboro, Texas, has re-activated Hood's Texas Brigade Association a famous Confederate Veteran's group that met annually from 1872 to 1933. Any direct descendant (over eighteen) of a member of Hood's Famous Texas Brigade is eligible for membership. Each member will be presented with a two-color parchment facsimile of the Certificate awarded to the original members of the Association at their annual reunion in Waco in 1899. All of those applications received and verified by June 1, 1967, will be considered for charter membership.

It is planned to publish a semi-annual newsletter and hold annual reunions as the original Association did. Two types of membership have been designat-

### MRS. BEATRICE LEHMAN RECEIVES BROKEN ARM IN HOME ACCIDENT

Mrs. Beatrice Lehman received a broken arm Friday in an accident that occurred in her garage when she sat in a chair that had a weak broken leg. She had gone into the garage for protection from a rain shower.

ed, regular and nonorary. The former is reserved for direct descendants of members of the Brigade, and the latter (of which no more than five will be awarded annually) is reserved for those individuals who have made a worthwhile contribution to Texas Confederate history or have contributed to the Confederate Research Center, either materially or promotionally.

Requests for applications for membership and general inquiries should be addressed to The Confederate Research Center, Hill Junior College, Post Office Box 619, Hillsboro, Texas 76645.

### Gorman Schools To Participate - Youth Corps Summer Jobs

Some 160 students from 22 high schools in Eastland, Palo Pinto, Shackelford, Throckmorton, Stephens and Young Counties will be eligible for employment through the Neighborhood Youth Corp Summer program, according to an announcement by Tip Arther of Eastland, Area Co-ordinator.

Jobs will include clerical aides in the school and tax offices; library aides, and custodial and maintenance aides. Clerical aides will also be employed in the Home Demonstration offices, and Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation offices.

To be eligible, a student need only be enrolled in one of the high schools, be between the ages of 16 and 21, and meet family income requirements. Students should apply through their high schools.

Each student will be paid \$1.25 per hour for up to 27 hours a week for 12 weeks. In addition, each student will spend one hour a week in education and job counseling, with selected school personnel.

All wages will be paid with the federal grant of \$74,270.00 available for this area. \$83,000.00 was spent on the "in-school" phase of the NYC this school year. The summer program will



**BENNY D. WHITE PROMOTED TO T/SGT. IN U. S. AIR FORCE** SHERMAN, Texas — Benny D. White, whose mother is Mrs. Sylvia Abernathy of Desdemona, has been promoted to technical sergeant in the U. S. Air Force.

Sergeant White is a fireman at Perrin AFB, Texas. He is a member of the Air Defense Command which provides aerospace defense against hostile aircraft and missiles.

The sergeant is a graduate of Desdemona High School. He is a veteran of the Korean War.

His wife, Betty, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Faulconer of 501 N. Jefferson Ave., Wagoner, Oklahoma.

begin Monday, May 29. All students will be supervised by the participating schools.

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**PROTESTORS RESPONSIBLE FOR VIETNAM WAR DEAD, THREE SAY**

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

Recently at Baylor University in Waco, several of the students (peace-niks) held a demonstration against the Vietnam War situation. As a result of the demonstration, the following article was written and sent to the "Lariat," the Baylor University student publication, by three young men who are students at Baylor. Two of the young men who composed and prepared the article for publication are De Leon boys Jim Mohon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mohon, Jr., and Charles Kirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kirk. Jim and Charles are to be commended for the patriotic stand which they have taken and also for preparing such a convincing article worthy of publication in the Baylor "Lariat."

Congratulations to Jim, Charles and their friend, Dennis Phillips.

Editor, The Lariat:

Wednesday, the student body was again subjected to a demonstration by the peace-niks.

We hasten to state that although the peace-niks have the right to express their opinion, we are completely out of sympathy with their stand on the Vietnam "war."

We take issue with them as follows:

1. Peace must be brought about by the cooperation of ALL parties involved. The U. S. and South Vietnamese have continually offered to negotiate peace. Hanoi has stated that before peace negotiations, the bombing of North Vietnam must cease.

2. We further submit that our "learned and enlightened peace-niks" are forgetting some of the most important lessons that history teaches.

3. Our "fervently religious peace-niks" scream at the "atrocities" which are committed by our men in arms, who are fighting to prevent the spread of Communism.

4. We claim that our soldiers are ruthlessly killing Vietnamese who are "fighting in defense of their country." They very conveniently forget that this Vietnamese war has resolved into an aggression of the North against the South.

5. Indeed, we submit that these peace-niks who plague our campus and our nation are in fact guilty of the very crime of which they so freely accuse our soldiers—namely that of killing the Vietnamese, not to mention our own soldiers.

6. Ho Chi Minh erroneously believes that since this is not a popular war, the American people will rise to protest and the government will finally withdraw our troops.

7. Since they contribute to this misguided concept, upon THEIR heads must lie the blood of ALL the dead and wounded.

8. How can they dismiss the aggression of the Japanese against Indochina, the final culmination of which was a sneak attack on the U. S. at Pearl Harbor?

9. In all of these cases the victims were people, such as the South Vietnamese, who simply wishes to live their lives in peace. How can they be so naive and asinine? To say North Vietnam is unlike any aggressor in history.

10. Yet, when bombings do cease, e. g. the Christmas, New Year and Easter truces, what happens? The Viet Cong continually break the truce by attacking, killing and maiming not only soldiers of the Allies, but the South Vietnamese civilians, the very people the Viet Cong are striving to "liberate" from "oppression."

11. They are in fact completely unrealistic. How can they close their eyes and minds to the fact that aggressors, if not stopped, continue to aggress until a great holocaust descends upon mankind?

12. How can they forget Neville Chamberlain and his "Peace in our time"?

13. History tells us that in all probability World War II would have been averted if England and France had prevented Hitler from reoccupying and remilitarizing the Rhineland.

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**JOTTINGS 'N DOTTINGS**



Mrs. Wanda Chilton  
Assistant County  
Home Dem. Agent

**4-H Club News**

Prepared

By



Mr. Bob Cohen  
Assistant County  
Agricultural Agent

Spring is here and everyone is turning their heads to the new spring fashions. This is also true of the 4-Hers and their adult leaders. One of the differences in the 4-H Club members is that they make their own new spring and summer fashions and some of them even do their own designing. Before very long we will be hearing about the 4-H Clothing project group meeting over at one of the leaders' houses and that they have learned to take

Khrushchev stated that Communism would bury us and our way of life. We never quite took him seriously until now. After the events of the last two Wednesdays, we are beginning to wonder.

How far are they willing for Communism to advance to their intonation of "Peace, Peace"—to our very shores? We remain antagonists to their despicable actions, and wonder at their treasonous undertones.

Patriotically yours,  
Dennis Phillips  
Graduate Student

Jim Mohon  
Class of '68

Charles Kirk  
Class of '70

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land; and Mrs. Bob Browder and Brenda of Gorman.

We salute these women for the fine work that they are doing for the youth of our county.

A 4-H Club project which might be of interest to livestock feeders in the 4-H would be a commercial market steer project. This is a project in which grade steers (5 or 6) are put on feed and records are kept on the amount of feed eaten during the feeding period. From these records such things as pounds of feet per pound of gain, cost of putting 100 pounds of gain on a calf, and other items of economic and scientific interest could be obtained.

Several livestock shows, such as Dallas and Houston, have special shows for commercial steers. In these contests animals are graded and then sold at prices according to how they grade. The Dallas show pays a premium; however, the Houston show sells only at market prices. If you are interested in such a project contact the Asst. County Agent.

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

May 30 — Tuesday night Adult leader meeting, 8 p. m., Reddy Room, TESCO Bldg.

June 5 — Records for Gold Star Tour due in Agent's office.

June 6 — Record Book Workshop.

June 9 — Gold Star Tour.

**NOTICE**

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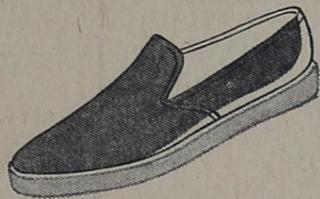
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## NEWS FROM LAWNDALE

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs of Abilene, Cleo Clement, Linnie and Lellar Smith and Mrs. Claude Smith of Gorman visited Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Skaggs.

Scythia Bagwell of Gorman visited Ethel Ramsay.

Mrs. Homer Wood of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Bryan of Ranger visited Zesta Johnston.

Mrs. Marvin Blair and Mrs. Glenn Jordan of Gorman visited Velma Wheeler.

Mrs. W. E. Reynolds, Karen and Keith and Iola Johnson of Carbon visited Alice Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Justice of Gorman visited Maude Craighead.

Linnie and Lellar Smith of Gorman visited Hula Johnson.

Mrs. Bert Kent, Mrs. Jim Holoway and Twyla and Patti Wallace of Gorman visited Elizabeth Carver.

Alice and Everette Harris of Rising Star visited Nancy Fountain.

Vada and Grant Lewis of Desdemona visited W. B. Mull.

Coy and Alice Scitern of Kamay visited Rosa Scitern.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Boland of Scranton visited Willie Cosper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Yeats of Colorado and Emsy L. Phillips of Kermit visited Clemmie Phillips.

N. E. Sherrerd of Albany visited Elma Elliott.

Florence Underwood and Mrs. J. R. Todd of Gorman visited Vera Hamrick.

Rena Parker of Gorman visited Allie Seay.

Mrs. Bo Caraway of San Marcos visited Alice Johnson and E. R. Yarbrough.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mears of Gorman visited Vera Hamrick and Iona Adcock.

Willie Shannon of Throckmorton visited Willie Cosper and Ethel Ramsay.

Dale Gilmore of Odessa visited Allie Seay, Iona Adcock, Ethel Ramsay, Zesta Johnston and Jim Gowan.

Eula L. Caldwell of Gorman visited Mary Overstreet, Ollie Sims and Ida McCulley.

## FORMER CARBON STUDENT RECOGNIZED AT CISCO JR.

Nancy Justice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Justice of Route 2, Gorman, has been selected as one of the students to represent Cisco Junior College in Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges. This recognition comes as a result of outstanding contributions through scholarship, leadership, citizenship and service.

Nancy was presented a certificate by the college.

## MRS. MARVIN BLAIR PLANS SUMMER TOUR

Mrs. Marvin Blair has revealed that the morning walks she has been taking for the past weeks have a purpose. She is planning to join a European tour group of the Helen Poe Board Travel Agency which will be conducted by her daughter, Mrs. Jack Wheeler of 1510 Maple Street, Denton, Texas, during the month of July.

Mrs. Wheeler, who made the tour in 1966, has signed college students, high schoolers and several matrons all of whom might profit from daily walks preparing themselves for the hours

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they will spend strolling through museums and viewing other sights.

Included in the group of matrons will be two friends of Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Reece Allday of Dallas and Mrs. Berenice Stephens of Eastland.

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## DESDEMONA NEWS

By MRS. ETHEL KEITH

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church Sunday for Miss Lillie Buchan, 66, following a short illness. She is survived by her mother, Iva Buchan, four sisters, Faye Walker, Bonnie Wilhite, Clyde Wright and Johnnie Anderson.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral at Weather-

## KOKOMO NEWS

By MRS. GLENN JORDAN

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morrow of Fort Worth, spent the weekend in Levelland with another brother, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Morrow. They also visited with Mrs. J. L. Morrow's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Campbell and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Tremlin of Lubbock spent the weekend with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Chadwick. They were visitors at the Kokomo Baptist Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Richburg had as their guests over the weekend his nephew, Mr. Oren Webb of Midland.

Mrs. W. J. Rumley of Sweetwater spent last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bishop, Larry, Wayne and Tim of Cross Plains, visited with the Bishops on Friday.

Mike Rodgers spent Friday

ford Monday for the father of Mrs. Fred Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts and Ulenda left on their vacation trip Tuesday.

Miss Brenda Roberts was home again this weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. (Pug) Guthery moved to Burkburnett the past Sunday. He was transferred there by Mobil.

A number from here were in De Leon Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. George Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Debert Williams and son, Jasen of Kermit, spent the weekend here with his mother, Mrs. Doy Williams.

Mrs. Nita Gee of Eastland spent part of last week visiting with friends here.

Miss Sherry Walker of Denver, Colorado visited part of this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dietz spent the past weekend in Lubbock with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Northcutt of Brownwood visited his mother, Granny Northcutt, and sister, Eva, on the past Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wright had their daughter from Abilene with them this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chubbie Foreman of Irving spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthery.

Several from here attended the funeral in De Leon last week held for Mr. Grady Kay, brother of Mrs. Beulah DeGuire.

night in Abilene with his sister, Mrs. Neal Gilbert, and family.

Mrs. Rollo Tinkler and Sherry of Killeen are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scitern. Mr. and Mrs. Odie Jordan and Tammy of Temple visited on Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Scitern and Laveda.

Mr. Jess Hendricks passed away on Tuesday morning at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lum Tuggle, with whom he made his home. Funeral services are pending at this writing. We extend sincere sympathy to the Hendricks family. Mr. Hendricks was an uncle of Mr. Albert Hendricks.

Several from the community were in Carbon on Sunday attending the funeral of Mr. Henry Maness. Mr. Maness was an uncle of Mrs. Vernon Fields. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. Maness's family.



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4. Nabers, Mrs. E. M., Gorman, Texas.
5. Larry Walterschied, Gorman, Texas.

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### Homemaker's Hints

By Janet Meyers  
County Home Dem. Agent  
Many homemakers are requesting information regarding canning and freezing during this

season. Some fifty women attended last week's frozen food workshop held in Eastland. If you would like information in regards to home canning, frozen food, pickles and relishes, jams and jellies — write or call the Coun-

ty Home Demonstration Agent, P. O. Box 189, Eastland, or telephone 629-1729.

The protection of clothing and many household furnishings during the summer months against insects can be a major consideration in spring cleaning.

Two of the most destructive pests of fabrics in the home are clothes moths and carpet beetles. The beetles are more abundant in most localities and often do the damage blamed on clothes moths. The larvae of both pests feed on anything containing wool or other animal fibers.

Paradichlorobenzene crystals or naphthalene flakes are effective against both pests provided the container in which the articles are stored is absolutely air tight. The mere odor of the chemical does not repel the insects. Oil-solution insecticides containing DDT, methoxychlor, Strobane or Perthane are fine for protecting clothes and blankets.

Rugs and carpets may be treated with a 5 percent DDT oil-solution every 12 to 18 months, using 1 1/2 to 2 quarts of spray on a 9x12 rug. Special attention should be given to the parts of a rug or carpet under furniture not often moved and around heat registers and under radiators.

Many high school graduates will begin to start thinking about their college wardrobe. Although tuition and living costs have increased this year at many colleges, much of the total college expense can be found in a girl's closet.

According to the Extension Service clothing specialist, wardrobe costs for women were estimated by a survey to range from \$200 to \$500. Incoming freshmen generally bought more than the returning upperclassmen.

Most of the freshmen shopped at home, using the family charge accounts, and left fill-ins to be purchased in local college shops. Upper class women tended to wait until their return to campus because they were familiar with the local stores.

The survey further revealed that the longer a woman is in college, the less she buys. As she approaches graduation, wardrobe contest decreases and types of garments tend to be less campus oriented in favor of clothing which can be used for a job.

### Annual Singers Homecoming May 28 At Round Grove

Every fourth Sunday in May all-day, since 1913, singers throughout this section of the country have gathered together at Round Grove to visit old friends and spend the day singing.

This year there will be several feature attractions for the listeners. The Battle Family from Arlington will be with us. Also The Happy Hitters from Santa Anna, and The Pearl Quartet from Pearl.

There will be lots of good singers and plenty of the new books. Don't miss this one! You are especially invited.

J. D. Gardner, President

### EDITORIAL

## Time For Texas To Act!

One of the major issues facing the Texas Legislature today is the question of a teacher pay raise. Regardless of Governor Connally's recent recommendation to the Legislature calling for a one-year appropriation, the fact remains unchanged that Texas will face its most critical teaching shortage next fall.

Texas Classroom Teachers Association, representing 45,000 classroom teachers across the state, has gone on record in support of the proposal by Texas State Teachers Association to raise teachers' salaries an average \$775 a year.

Many Texans agree that teaching salaries in Texas are inadequate, but many do not realize the real urgency of the situation. TCTA contends that action on teaching salaries is imperative this session.

If nothing is done now, not only will Texas' recruitment situation deteriorate, but so will the quality of education offered to Texas youth.

Twelve states have teacher salary bills before them at this time, and seven of these states rank below Texas. If Texas does not advance, how long will it be before these states join the 26 others in outranking Texas teachers' salaries?

Texas has now dropped to 33rd in the nation in the ranking of our average classroom teachers' salaries. The national average is now \$6821; Texas' average is \$6025. How far down the scale will we drop before Texas realizes that professionals must be paid professional salaries?

Consider what other occupations and professions offer as starting salaries to attract educated prospects into their fields.

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Yet what does teaching in Texas offer? \$4104 on the Minimum Foundation Program. Even the average starting salary for a teacher is only \$4600.

In 1965, 40 per cent of the teacher education graduates in Texas failed to enter the teaching profession. This number continues to grow each year. Texas Education Agency's reports show that in Texas 25 per cent of all elementary teachers currently employed have 39 years or more experience — which means that many of these teachers will retire in the next five years and will need to be replaced. Where will these replacements come from unless Texas alleviates its teaching shortage?

We can well afford to spend more money on education in Texas. In total personal income, Texas ranks seventh in the United States, with \$24,761,000 in 1965. In public school enrollment, Texas ranks third. Yet in per capita state and local expenditures for local schools, we rank 22nd. On the amount of money spent per pupil in average daily attendance, we rank 36th.

How is this affecting teacher salaries? We have already stated that Texas ranks 33rd in the average salary paid to classroom teachers. In addition, only 22.4 per cent of the 116,895 teachers employed as instructional staff in Texas are paid more than \$6500 — ranking Texas behind 35 other states.

In ten years (1957-67), Texas increased teacher salaries by 54.8 per cent, but 38 other states increased their salaries by larger percentages.

How is this lack of attention to education paying off?

- In overcrowded classrooms—Texas ranks 31st in the nation in teacher load.

- In illiteracy—In 1960, 4.1 per cent of Texas' population older than 14 was illiterate. Only six other states had worse records.

- In drop-outs—In 1960 Texans over 25 had completed an average of only 10.4 years of school. Non-whites had completed only 8.1 years. Our ranking? 31st.

- In mental incompetence—Texas had 38.6 per cent of its 18-year-olds disqualified for military service for mental reasons between July, 1964 and December, 1965. (Only 9 states had more rejections.) Our ranking? 41st.

Statistics can prove anything, sceptics are fond of saying. But these statistics were not pulled out of thin air by TCTA in a search for substantiating evidence. They were prepared by the National Education Association and published in a national research publication, "Ranking of the States, 1967."

What's more, these statistics prove something specific. They prove that it is long past time for Texans to take a hard, close look at the way they support their schools and the results they are getting.

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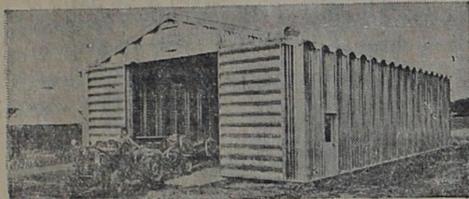
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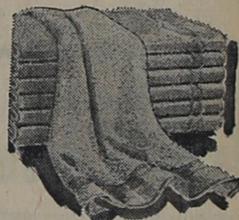
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**KEEPING UP WITH FRIENDS**

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. W. V. Crews were her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Matejek and Mrs. Annie Whitaker of San Angelo, and cousin, Mrs. Odis Adams of Langdale, Alabama.

Harvey Parker of San Antonio was in Gorman last Tuesday for the funeral of his uncle, Judge Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Strickland and Linda of Abilene visited Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Bertie Kellogg.

Mrs. Ed Wyatt returned home Wednesday from a ten day visit in Dallas with her sister, Mrs. R. E. F. Schmidt, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Welch of Ft. Worth. She and Mrs. Welch visited in Lubbock with Suzanne and

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Mr. John Howard Claitor of Arlington, Virginia visited last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Claitor. He is employed with Western Union Co. and the family plan a vacation in Germany this fall to visit her parents.

Mr. Jesse Moore, Mrs. Frankie Jo Harper and Burl returned on Tuesday from a vacation in Yellowville and Harris, Arkansas with the Pangle families.

Mr. and Mrs. John Felts and daughter of Lampasas attended the Commencement Exercises of the Gorman senior class Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Longley of Johnson City are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parr. They arrived Tuesday for the graduation exercises of Elizabeth Ann Parr.

Mrs. Clarence Baze and Connie and Mrs. Mary Bullman of Midlothian visited Wednesday with Mrs. J. A. Baze. Mrs. Baze accompanied them home for a weeks visit.

Mrs. Rena Parker visited Tuesday of last week with Mrs. J. W. Townsend in Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mears, Bill and Johnny, spent the weekend in Weatherford with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weehunt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anderson arrived home Wednesday for the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhymes and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Anderson.

Mrs. W. M. Anderson of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Eakin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ormsby were in Fort Worth Tuesday to be with their daughter, Mrs. Elmer J. Stacy, who underwent surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital.

**J. A. Hendricks Buried Wednesday At Flatwoods**

John A. (Jess) Hendricks, 75, a resident of Eastland County all of his life, died at 9:15 a. m. Tuesday in Ranger.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at Killingsworth Funeral Home Chapel in Ranger with the Rev. K. C. Edmonds, retired Baptist minister of Ranger, and the Rev. J. W. O'Neal, pastor of the Kokomo Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Flatwoods Cemetery in Eastland County.

He was born February 11, 1892 in Kokomo Community. He married Willie A. Eaves on March 1, 1914 in Eastland. She died in 1963.

Mr. Hendricks operated a small

laundry in Ranger prior to moving to Olden in 1956.

He was a member of the Merriam Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Lum Tuggle of Kokomo and Mrs. Doug Carroll of El Mirage, Arizona.

Pallbearers were George Norris, Albert Hendricks, Delmon F. Eaves, Floyd Woods, Elver Everton and A. B. Eaves.

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**HOSPITAL REPORT**

Those listed as patients at the Blackwell Hospital on Wednesday morning were:

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- Mrs. Will Ussery - Carbon
- Mrs. Rufus Been - Carbon
- Mrs. Lillian Hill - De Leon
- Mrs. John Gilder - De Leon
- Mrs. J. M. Buchanan - Comanche
- Ed Clack - Comanche
- Mrs. Tinnie Sims - Comanche
- Mrs. Jerry Anderson - Haskell
- Mrs. J. A. Barrett - Dublin
- Mrs. A. M. George - Gorman
- Mrs. Maude Gray - Gorman
- John Kirk - Gorman
- Mrs. Charlie Goodwin - Gorman
- W. H. Armstrong - Abilene
- Mrs. Bertha Harris - Rising Star

**Winners Listed In Bridge Meet**

EASTLAND — Lone Cedar Duplicate Bridge Club entertained eight tables of players from several area towns Sunday. It was a winners game directed by Lloyd London of Cisco.

Winners, north-south, were Dr. D. V. Rodgers and Mrs. Betty Henderson, both of Gorman; second, Mrs. E. L. Graham and Mrs. Homer Ferguson, both of Cisco; third, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimble of Gorman.

Winners, east-west, were: first, Mrs. Helen Galt and Mrs. Kennie Sanders, both of Breckenridge; second, Gus Frossard of Gorman and Mrs. Dick Bearman of Cisco; third, John Clark and Mrs. W. W. Brewster of Breckenridge.



Stars of the Dallas Summer Musicals 1967 season include (top row) Carol Burnett, holder of first and second place in Musicals' attendance records, with Jim "Gomer Pyle" Nabors in an evening of fun and music, June 12-25; Jane Powell as Fiona in the ever-popular "Brigadoon," Aug. 21-Sept. 3; Jules Munshin as the crafty Fagin in "Oliver!" June 26-July 9; (bottom row) Patti Karr in the first-time-in-Dallas production of "Sweet Charity," July 24-Aug. 6; Nancy Dussault returning as Ensign Nellie Forbush in "South Pacific," July 10-23; Gaylea Bryne as Guinevere, and David Carradine making his Dallas debut as King Arthur, in "Camelot," Aug. 7-20.



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Mrs. Eula McCullough presented her piano, voice and accordion pupils in a recital Friday night in the Gorman High School Auditorium.

The beautiful pot plants decorating the stage were compliments of Preston Florist.

"Spring" was theme of the program and it began with all students singing "It's Spring Time In Texas." Mrs. McCullough's own composition. This was very colorful and pretty with flowers everywhere and six little girls carrying colored hair bow umbrellas.

Mr. Charlie Garrett, supt. of schools, gave the invocation and Burma Broom gave the welcome

address. Benny Boen was program announcer.

At the close of the program Burma Broom presented Mrs. McCullough with a beautiful bouquet of pink roses from the class and parents, in appreciation of her work with the students for the past year.

Students participating in the program were Terry Don Gilmore, Mary Kirk, Patti Hirst, Burma Broom, Karen Moore, June Colins, Debbie Holliday, Susan Moore, Tamilyn Simpson, Nelda Little, Cheryl Arnold, Deliah Eaves, Lesa Warren, Kirk Arnold, Edward Eppler, Billy Eppler, Pat Duran, and Randy Laminack.

Mrs. McCullough has sixty students and forty took part in group singing. Those from De Leon were Debra Nowlin and Benny Boen.

**Eighth Grade Class  
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The back yard at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duran was the scene of a sidewalk affair, buffet barbecue supper Monday night honoring the Eighth Grade Graduating Class of the Gorman Grade School. The supper was held following the Grade School Recognition program.

Hostesses for the event were the parents of the members of the Eight Grade Class. Sponsors for the evening assisting Mr. and Mrs. Duran, were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Erich Arnold, Mrs. Carl Dean Stacy, Mrs. Rex Kinser, and Mrs. Claude Fuller.

The menu was barbecue, baked beans, potato salad, tea, rolls and cherry cobbler.

School colors of red and blue were used in the table decorations. Tablecloths were red and blue checked, and red and blue candles lighted the tables. Other decorations included lighted lanterns hung in the tree branches.

Twenty-nine class members and eleven guests attended the gala event, which marked the first GHS freshman class party.

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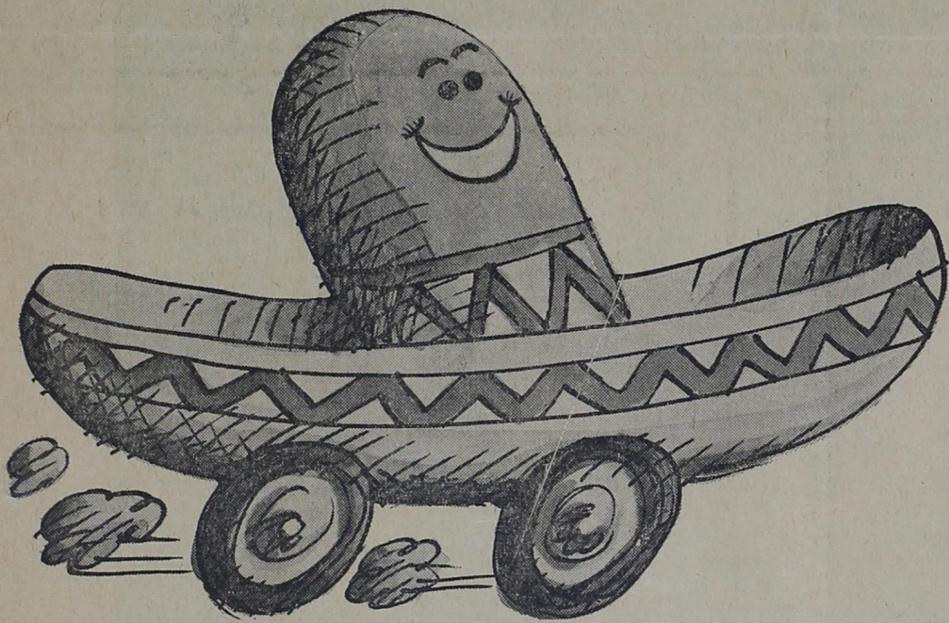
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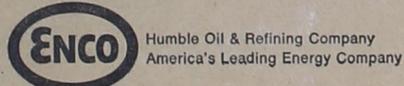
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