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QUOTES FROM AN AMATEUR PUBLISHER-EDITOR - Gene

Took a one-man tour last Friday to publicize the opening of Memorial Park. Visited Stephenville, Hico, Hamilton, and Comanche, De Leon was closed as I came through there.

In Stephenville, C. D. Callup, owner of Station KSTV, 1500 on your dial said he would be glad to announce the opening of our park. In Hamilton, I met one of our own young men who is operating Station KCLW, 900 on your dial. . . I say our own because he formerly lived in Carbon and we like to think of Carbon as being close cousins. William T. Stubblefield, a young man with a personality and a very charming wife (they have been married a year) the former Miss Mary Cynthia Looney of Rio Grande City, gave me a grand reception and said they would be glad to announce our park opening. We are hoping they will be with us on June 25th.

Tuesday Reese Allday roared up, Neal Rose, Jack Bennett, Odie Monroe, Speedy Clark and we took another trip to publicize the Park.

Received a card from Dr. and Mrs. George Blackwell with the following message. "We have the way up a.c. Soh, Smith definition to beauty and danger. On the way up it was beauty and on this sky line drive danger. We will be home this week."

The Blackwells Shenandoah Nat'l Park, Va. Have you noticed the lights at the Rodeo Grounds. There is another project that is growing slow but sure and one of these days they will be putting on a good rodeo for Gorman.

A card from Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Va., states that William E. David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dona David has entered Junior College as a freshman.

Bill graduated from Gorman High this past semester.

See you at Memorial Park Friday, June 25th.

Write up on Hankins Re-union will be in next week's Progress. Picture of group did not arrive in time for this week's paper.

Letter Praises Blackwell Sanitarium Doctors

McAllen, Texas June 11, 1948

Gorman Paper Editor: Will you publish this item for me in regards to the Blackwell Sanitarium.

I was operated last July 31, at Blackwell Sanitarium. I want the public to know the care I received. There's no words that can express the care, kindness, perfect operation I received of Dr. George and Dr. Brown and his nurses who cared for me.

MRS. P. L. NELSON
Box 944, McAllen, Tex

ED. Note—Thank you Mrs. Nelson, we appreciate receiving letters like this. We are proud of the fine Doctors and modern Sanitarium we have in Gorman. Time and again I have heard different ones comment on the personality and ability of our doctors. I know from talking to them and watching them that each case is as dear to them as if it were their own kinsman. I talked to one of the doctors shortly after he was unable to relieve a child of a non-curable disease - from the expression in his eyes and the tone of his voice I knew that his heart ached and his mind was troubled because he could not help the child. Time and again we know our doctors have given medical aid without thought of recompense other than knowing they have relieved some one's suffering. All of doctors are fine, christian men.

Parade To Start Day For Memorial Park Opening



Above scene shows water running into the Frank A. Gray Memorial Park Swimming Pool which will be opened to the Public, Friday, June 25th.

There will be a parade at 9:30 A. M., which will be led by the Eastland High School Band.

At 10:30 A. M. a band concert at the Park.

At 11 o'clock Hon. John Lee

A. E. EDMONSON SERVICES HELD AT METHODIST CHURCH

Funeral Services were conducted Sunday morning at the First Methodist Church for A. E. Edmondson by the pastor, Bro. Smith. Mr. Edmondson passed away in Austin after a long illness. Interment was in the Gorman Cemetery.

He is survived by one daughter, Leona (Mrs. Jesse Allen) of Gustine, who with Mr. Allen was present for the funeral; a son John G. Edmondson and wife of Tahoka were present and many nephews and nieces. Among those from out of town attending the funeral were: Ira Edmondson of Eastland; Willie Edmondson of Carbon and Doug Barton of Eastland.

Pall bearers were: R. E. Boucher, T. G. Gray, E. H. Jones, Floyd Gilbert and W. F. Alsbrook.

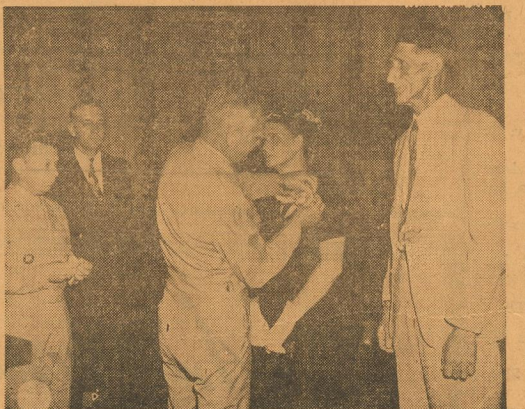
CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each and every one who came in with their tractors and helped replant and plow my peanuts. There is nothing like friends.

Clifford Nelson and Wife

Mr. Bill Morris spent the week in Ballinger with his family.

Receives Gold Star Button



Fourth Army Commander, General Thomas T. Handy, is shown pinning the first World War II Gold Star Button in Texas, on Mrs. Roy A. Knight of Millsap, Texas. The ceremony took place at Convention Hall in Mineral Wells on Memorial Day before a gathering of civil and military dignitaries.

Left to right are Lt. Col. C. A. Sanford, General Hardy's aide; Mr. J. D. Scott, Chairman of the Ceremony; General Handy; and Mr. and Mrs. Knight, parents of 1st Lt. Jack L. Knight, Congressional Medal of Honor Winner.

Those eligible to receive Gold Star Buttons may obtain them by submitting application's direct to The Adjutant General, Department

of the Army, Washington 25, D. C. This applies to both Army and Air Force next of kin. Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard next of kin should write direct to Chief, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Navy Department, Washington.

Buttons are furnished without cost to widow or widower, and each of the parents of an Armed Forces member who lost his life while on active military service between December 7, 1941, and July 25, 1947, both dates inclusive. The term parents includes mother, father, step mother, fatherfather, and mother or father through adoption. One button will be furnished at cost price to each child, stepchild, brother, sister, half brother and half sister.

former Lt. Governor of Texas will deliver the dedication address.

At noon a community picnic.

In the afternoon all men seeking public office are invited to bring their soap boxes and tell the folks why they are the man of the hour.

At night the Gorman Baseball team will play the fast stepping Rangers from Ranger at Brogdon Field.

Stores To Close For Memorial Park Opening

The merchants of Gorman will close their stores at 9:30 A. M. Friday, June 25th until 4:30 P. M. for the opening of Frank A. Gray Memorial Park.

They extend to you a cordial invitation to join the crowd for a gala day and a dip in the new swimming pool - one of the largest, if not the largest in the Southwest.

MAURICE EDWARD LEACH

Maurice Edward Leach was born November 29, 1936 and died June 12, 1948 at the age of 12 years.

In life as in death he was a little angel. He never complained and had a ready smile and an okay when any asked how he felt. He was loved by all who knew him.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leach; one sister, La Nell and three brothers, Frank, Freddie Lee and Derrel all of Gorman.

Harley Sadler Candidate For Senator



HARLEY SADLER

I am taking this opportunity of making known my candidacy for the Texas Senate from the 24th Senatorial District, which comprises of the following counties: Scurry, Mitchell, Fisher, Nolan, Haskell, Jones, Taylor, Throckmorton, Shackelford, Callahan, Stephens, and Eastland.

I feel that my friends and voters know that I fully realize the importance and grave responsibilities of this office. I have served in the House of Representatives from the 117th District for the past six years. I believe the record will show that I have always been on the job, serving on important committees and working not only in the interest of the district that I represented, but for the general welfare of our State.

If my friends and the voters feel that I am the one that can best serve the interests of the people from this Senatorial District I will greatly appreciate their vote and influence. If elected I will be grateful for this support and in return will endeavor to serve all of the people to the best of my ability.

I will appreciate hearing from friends from over the District. Please drop me a line to Box 846, Sweetwater, Texas.

I am Gratefully yours HARLEY SADLER

FORTY-FOUR ATTEND ONEY REUNION

The family of H. H. Oney, deceased, met at Frank A. Gray Memorial Park in a family reunion Sunday, June 13th. There were seven of the eight children present. W. O. Oney, Abilene; E. M. Oney and wife, Rising Star; J. B. Oney and wife, Dallas; L. L. Oney and wife, Graham; Mrs. J. H. Cooper and husband, Moody; Miss Clara Oney and Mrs. Euna Kocce, Gorman. O. W. Oney and family of Dallas were not present.

The grandchildren present were: Houston Oney, son and wife, San Angelo; J. H. Cooper Jr. and family, Dallas; Paul Cooper of ACC, Abilene; Garth Cooper and wife, Ruth Marshall, and Edith Cooper of Moody; Mrs. Adris Christian and children, Sherman; Mr. and Mrs. W. Owens, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. T. McIntire and children, Abilene; Lt. and Mrs. E. W. Linder and children, Army Air Force; Bill and Sue Oney, Graham and Verna Fa Keyser, Dallas.

All enjoyed a picnic dinner and a happy get-together.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and every one for the kindness and sympathy in our hour of sorrow. We wish to thank the ones for the beautiful floral wreaths and pot plants and for the lunch that was spread at noon.

We want to thank Mr. Preston and Higginbotham's for their kind service. May God bless you all.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leach La Nell, Frank, Freddie Lee and Derrel.

Gorman Softballers Taking All Comers - Play Comanche Friday Night

A TRIBUTE TO J. H. HANKINS

By C. E. SIMS, A Former Pupil

(Writer's note—On account of the wonderful similarity that existed between the Hankins twins physically, mentally, in likes, dislikes, ideals and many other ways too numerous to mention here, we sincerely feel that anything that can be said of one is equally applicable to the other; hence the things we say are intended as much as a compliment to the living as a eulogy to the dead.)

It is with saddened heart that I rise to pay a just and a deserving tribute to one who we all know so richly deserves it, our very near and dear friend, J. H. Hankins, who has been taken away from us since we last met in reunion here.

On account of the outstanding ability and literary accomplishments of this man we rightly feel that in his passing the state of Texas as lost one of the ablest and most conscientious public servants; that the country which he loved and served so well, one of its most useful and most patriotic citizens; his family, a kind generous and devoted husband and father who loved them with a tenderness that approached the divine.

Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom, and because of his exceptionally keen intellect and ability quickly to arrive at logical conclusions, J. H. Hankins soon became an outstanding teacher and a recognized leader in his chosen profession. This is where his sterling worth and God-given talents shined forth in greatest splendor, and accounted for the noble heights which he reached and kept.

We feel that we know the moral life of this man was as pure as fallen snow, and that during his entire lifetime he continued to keep this fine reputation above reproach. In so doing he left in death a high and noble example for those whom he had taught and for future generations to follow. We strongly believe that could his moral life be turned wrong side out not a spot could be found upon it.

We all loved J. H. Hankins because of his real worth as a man. We loved him because he was warm hearted, because he was sympathetic, sincere, loyal and intensely human. His common sense, his clear judgement and genial personality drew men to him and enabled him to wield an influence for good over them that doubtless will be passed down through the ages to succeeding generations yet unborn.

I feel that no higher compliment can be paid a man than to say he is an honest, upright and a just man.

Then to whom can this tribute be more fittingly paid than to him whose memory we honor today? J. H. Hankins was a just man -- just to his fellow man, just to his fine family and just to God.

May the lasting memory that he has left behind be an inspiration to us to give back to our fellowmen and to the world what mankind is most longing for today -- justice. May his life and good works inspire us to do and give justice.

I know of no more appropriate ending to this inadequate tribute than a recital of the ancient prayer which was sung as the great of those days were laid to rest.

May the angels lead thee into paradise, may the martyrs receive thee at thy coming, and lead thee into the holy city of Jerusalem. May the choir of angels receive thee and may thou have eternal rest with Lazarus who was poor.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dixon of Winters were in Gorman from Thursday until Monday visiting friends. They lived here for several years before moving to Winters.

The Gorman Softball Team defeated Blevin's Motor of Eastland Tuesday night 5 - 4 to chalk up their ninth victory out of ten games played this season. Catcher W. C. Browning was the big gun for Gorman by homering with one aboard in the third inning.

Saturday night Gorman lost a heart-breaker to Comanche in a nine inning game. Norman Parks, formerly of Gorman and one of the best pitchers in this section of the country, got off to a slow start and Gorman chalked three scores in the first inning and two more in the third. Gorman held a 5 to 1 lead up to the last of the seventh when their defense went haywire and Comanche scored 7 runs.

Comanche will play Gorman at Brogdon Field Friday night, 18th.

Record to date - Individual records are being tallied for publication at a later date.

Gorman	
Lone Star, Eastland, 5	8
Premier, Ranger 1 (13 in.)	2
Rising Star 2	8
Blevin's Mtr. E'land 0	5
Rising Star 6	7
Cisco 5 (8 in.)	6
Dublin 0	19
The Rangers, Ranger 0	4
Comanche 8	5
Blevin's E'land 4	5

Crawley and Baze To Compete In South Texas AAU Meet

San Marcos—Jack Crawley and Graydon Baze, star trackmen and all-around athletes for the Southwest Texas State College Bobcats, will compete in the South Texas AAU meet scheduled for San Antonio's Alamo Stadium June 25.

The San Antonio meet will be a qualifying event for the National Amateur Athletic Union meet scheduled for Milwaukee in July.

Crawley has the second best shot put record in the State this year, giving him probably the best chance to win a place on the AAU team. Only George Kadera of Texas A & M and Southwest Conference shot put champion has heaved the 16-pound weight further than Crawley, who is Lone Star Conference shot put champion. Baze will enter the high jump and weights divisions. His best performance in the high jumps is six-one, and better than 43 feet in the shot. He is a top-flight letterman in track, football and basketball.

Crawley and Baze both received their bachelor's degrees at Southwest Texas State College May 27.

KING THEATRE

Thursday and Friday
Ray Milland - Maureen O'Sullivan
In
The Big Clock
also
Cartoon - Novelty
Saturday
Jimmy Wakely
in
Song of the Drifter
, And
Richard Arlen
in
Speed To Spare
Also
Canadian Mountain No. 11
Sunday and Monday
John Wayne - Laraine Day
in
Tycoon
Also
Three Stooge Comedy
Tuesday and Wednesday
Douglas Fowley - Joan Woodbury
in
Yankee Fakir
Also
Cartoon - Musical Western
Thursday and Friday
Jon Hall - Margaret Lindsay
in
The Vigilantes Return
Also
Two Cartoons - Novelty

OIL NEWS and PERSONNEL In and Around GORMAN

A. E. Edwards et al, made location 990 feet North and West of NE 1/4 Section 21 Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands on No. 1 J. C. Cook. They were digging pits Tuesday. This location is on the approximately 1400 acres which this company has under lease in this section and it will extend the working area to about 4 miles Southwest of Gorman, and carries the interest at least one or two miles further than even the Thompson Gas Well, which Mellard and Clemens are offsetting at present on the Pete Mauney location. Practically all lands in this area and to the South and West are already under lease, most of them with active short term drilling contracts. For this reason we are all watching with varying degrees of interest the activity in this extension of our field.

Mellard and Clemens No. 1 Pete Mauney drilling at 2380. Henshaw Brothers No. 1 Blackwell Brothers drilling at 3007 feet on what is purported to be a deeper test than is usual in this area at this time.

Coast Oil Corp. No. 1 T. N. Seay drilling at 2760. A spudder is being used in this operation.

Burk Royalty No. 1 Bryan, 1 mile northeast of the Seay well is being drilled. The area down 2750 feet at the present. This location is on the Desdemona-De Leon Highway.

W. C. Whaley was out staking a new location for French and Gillespie in the northeast corner of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum Survey for the No. 1 McMullen. This is a further development of the Southwestern area immediately out of Gorman.

J. F. Collins is making a new location out from Desdemona toward De Leon on a Mears tract of land. Cable tools are being used, and they are drilling at 725 feet. Mr. Collins is the man, if we remember rightly, who has done so much in reviving interest in the digging in and around Desdemona especially with the Victor Wells, which are six or seven miles from this present set-up.

J. W. Baldwin No. 2, G. R. Sanders, drilling ahead at approximately 1200 feet. No. 1 Sanders is one of the really good wells in this area. National Coop. Refg. Assn. No. 1 C. E. Watson pulling tubing, putting on pump. National Coop. Refg. Assn. No. 1 Albritton flowing, making 50 bbls. per day, however, Albritton No. 2 promises to be one of those things we don't talk to much about -- a dry hole, so one can never tell what may be just 330 feet over the line, from a good well. Commercial Production No. 3 S. E. Mears waiting on permit to continue setting up drilling operations. Commercial Production waiting on trucks and bulldozers to move rig from J. A. Hurst to the new location. A. W. Gregg No. 1 Krel drilling ahead at 2170 after temporary shut down for change of rig. W. B. Johnson Drilling Co. No. 3 Arlan Watson brought in Tuesday is equally as good on tentative tests and reports as the other two on this lease. Set surface pipe on No. 4 Arlan Watson Tuesday and are just beginning their drill operations. NOTE: There are at least 12 to 16 drilling operations lighted up in the field now each night. They can be seen from Gorman. Then there are the Edwards, Collins, Henshaw on the Blackwell and others not over 6 or 7 miles from Gorman which will give some idea of the extent of interest in our field.

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Court House News

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed in the County Clerk's office last week.

Fred Brown v. Dixieland Petroleum Corporation, abstract of judgment.
 O. H. Burkett to Magnolia Petroleum Co., oil and gas lease.
 George F Bauerdorf to L R Pearson, assignment.
 Claude Bell to United N & S development Co., assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Linton S Bengt to Wilburn W Rumley, warranty deed.
 E C Bethany to J E Waters, lease contract.
 British American Oil Prod. Co. to Robert J Steel, assignment.
 John L Black to Tom B Stark, MML.
 John L Black to The Public, affidavit.
 Della Brown to McElroy Ranch Co., oil and gas lease.
 S J Bains to Nettie Hickman Ellis, warranty deed.
 Fannie F Bivins Ray, warranty deed.

R A Bearman to Clifton H Davis MD.
 Mabel Knight Boles to Otilie Knight, warranty deed.
 Estes C Brawning to J Lloyd Browning, quit claim deed.
 Price Crawley to Beauford Anderson, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Price Crawley to J M Nuessle, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Price Crawley to A J Urbanski, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Price Crawley to Calvin W Harris, assignment of oil & gas lease.
 Commercial State Bank, Ranger to E J Harrison, release of vendor lien.
 Commercial State Bank, Ranger to A H Williams, release of deed of trust.
 N B Crenshaw to Deep Rock Oil Corp., assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Price Crawley to J A Knox, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 K S Duncan to Done E Rodgers, warranty deed.
 Maggie V Dyer to McElroy Ranch Co., oil and gas lease.

Waldon H Ezell to O E Sherman assignment.
 Roberts Fowler to Fred M Manning, oil and gas lease.
 Federal Land Bank of Houston to R. M. Sims, sub. oil and gas lease.
 First Christian Church, Cisco to Board of Church Extension, deed of trust.
 T J Fuller to The Public, affidavit.
 DeLois Francis to Cora Harrell, ce quit claim deed.
 Roberta E. Grisham to The Public, affidavit.
 Flora Grisel to W E Lusk, rev. of power of attorney.
 Marie Gilman to C W Blackburn, warranty deed.
 H R Garrett to First Christian Church, Cisco, warranty deed.
 H. R. Gilbert to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.
 H. R. Gilbert to W W Gilbert, a-greement and release.
 Mrs. Allene Gilbert to The Public, affidavit.
 Mrs. Allene Gilbert to C C Gilbert, correction deed.
 Brooks Gilbert to C C Gilbert, quit claim deed.
 Annie Campbell Gordon to W K Gordon, Jr., royalty deed.
 R E Grantham to Clifton H Davis, MD.

P B, Grissom to William W Humphrey, warranty deed.
 B E Garner to B E Langlitz, quit claim deed.
 Herman L Hassell to Frank T Crowell, MML.
 J J Hawkins to N B Crenshaw, oil and gas lease.
 Ruby Mae Harbin to G L Lowrance, warranty deed.
 J H Hyatt to The Public, proof of heirship.
 G G Hazel to Magnolia Petroleum Co., oil and gas lease.
 Ola Mae Henderson to W C Monzingo, warranty deed.
 Ola Mae Henderson to W C Monzingo, deed of trust.
 R H Hicks to The Public, affidavit.
 William W Humphrey to J E Foster & Sons, Inc., deed of trust.
 Dick A Jones to N B Crenshaw, oil and gas lease.
 E H Jones to The Public, affidavit.
 S F Jordan to B J Frasier, warranty deed.
 R Kamon to Price Crawley, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Charles J Kleiner to Lone Star Prod. Co., oil and gas lease.
 Charles J Kleiner to Lone Star Prod. Co., amendment to oil and gas lease.
 Lola Moates Keiran to Luling Oil and Gas Co., oil and gas lease.
 Tillie L Kelly to Eugene L Kelly, release of lien.
 C D Lane to Mrs. R W Edwards, release of oil and gas lease.
 Deola Moates to Luling Oil and Gas Co., oil and gas lease.
 J J Moates to Luling Oil and Gas Co., oil and gas lease.
 M Missie E Madison to L L Evans, Jr., oil and gas lease.
 Ottie Poston to James H Snowden, Trustee, oil and gas lease.
 C Roderick to The Public, proof of heirship.
 F W Roberds to The Public, affidavit.
 B R Rodgers to Charles A Watson, warranty deed.
 J G Rumph to Luling Oil and Gas Co., oil and gas lease.
 R W Reynolds to Roy H King, assignment of oil and gas lease.
 S L Rodgers to Samuel Greer, deed of trust.
 O B Rone to T L Cooper, oil and gas lease.
 R L Shaw to C P Porter, oil and gas lease.
 J E Spencer to C E Porter, oil and gas lease.
 Swiss Oil Co. to National Cooperative Ref. Assn., assignment of oil and gas lease.
 Taylor Implement Co. to The Public, affidavit of assumed name.
 Mrs. W. B. White C P Porter, oil and gas lease.
 Alton B Watson to Edward Raymond Johnson, warranty deed.
 H L White to Fred M Manning, oil and gas lease.



Gavin Astor, Assistant to the publisher of The Times of London, England, will address Texas newspaper publishers during their 69th Annual Meeting in San Antonio June 18 and 19. With Astor will be his wife, Lady Astor who is a daughter of the late Earl of Haig, the famous General Haig of World War I fame. The Astors are on a six month's tour of North America, visiting newspaper plants and meeting newspaper publishers. They will remain in San Antonio for the entire two-day convention. They will accompany the newspapermen and their families on a tour of the Dude Ranches in the Bandera area Saturday afternoon, and will partake of their first barbecue and witness their first rodeo Saturday evening. From San Antonio, the Astors will fly to Mexico City.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES
 The following couple were licensed to wed last week.
 Kinser Thompson to Billie Irene Smith, Gorman.
 Wilburn Young to Edith Clark, San Angelo.
 James R. Wyatt to Doris Mae Harbin, Eastland.
 James R Morgan to Billie Joyre Browning, Baird.
 John T. Goode to Billye Sue Bender, Eastland.
 Weldon Owens to Mandie Lee Snider, Gorman.
 Isaac F. Reynolds to Ramona Tharp, Rising Star.

SUITS FILED
 Hickok Prod. & Dev. Co. v. T. H. Foley, et al, receivership.
 L B Henry, et al v. Woodrow Hallmark, et al, trespass to try title.
 W B Wren v. Marilla Wren, divorce.
 Maxine Runyon v. Robert Lee Runyon, divorce.

ORDERS and JUDGMENTS
 John Nail et ux v. James Gilbert, et ux, judgment.
 A A Tyler et al v. F F Shoemaker, et al, order.
 Hicnot Prod. & Dev. Co., et al v. T. H. Foley, et al, order appointing receiver.
 C. C. Harris v. Opal Jo Holloway, order granting temporary injunction.
 Cecil W. Jesse et al v. George S. Dillard, et al, order.

HARLEY SADLER
 for the
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Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Day were Eastland visitors Friday.

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KOKOMO NEWS

Birthday Party

Mrs. Hoyt Bryant honored her daughter, Miss Joan Bryant, with a birthday party Tuesday evening June 8th. Joan was 15 years old and received many nice gifts. At the refreshment hour cake and punch were served to La Verne Lewallen, Louise Scitern, Shirley Lasater, Jewel and Maudie Snider, James Guy, Clifton Wood, Bobby Carlton, Wilburn Wood, Junior Rice, Glenn Donaldson, Bob Sessum, Orvil Treadway, Maxine Rodgers, Jolene Treadway, Lena Eaves, Benny Dale Hogan, Bill Eaves, Carosan Woodall, Mary Nell Parker, Betty Byrd, Bill Carlton and Joan Bryant.

Chicken Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hendricks entertained Sunday with a chicken dinner served picnic style. Those present were Billy D. Pyett of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray Breckenridge, Rev. and Mrs. Joe O'Neal, Joseph, Sharron and Johnny Beth of Brawnwood, Don O'Neal F 1c of the U. S. Navy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal and Fanny Bell, Kokomo, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Gray of Breckenridge.

Services Held For Edward Leach

A large crowd attended the funeral Sunday at 4 p. m. for Edward Leach who was buried at Simpson Cemetery. Edward was 12 years of age and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leach of Carbon. Edward lived with his parents most of his life around Kokomo. He is survived by his parents, one sister and three brothers. Rev. Willie Skaggs conducted the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treadway and Jolene, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Treadway of Kokomo and Mrs. Loyd Gregg of Gorman spent part of last week in Hermilee visiting Mrs. Treadway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett and children of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hendricks of Eastland were guests in the Vern Garrett home Friday.

Miss Almo Lee Creagor of Levelland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Higginbottom and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow this week.

Mrs. Walter Higginbottom and Mrs. Escar Singleton visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Higginbottom Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrow spent the week end in Ft. Worth visiting his brother, Earl Morrow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Eaves shopped in Ranger Monday.

Miss Sue Mangum spent the week end with Miss Mackie Bryant of Gorman.

Don O'Neal and Fanny Belle O'Neal spent last week at Hamlin visiting Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neal Mr. and Mrs. Thompsey Young.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Eaves and Delmon spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Barron Laminack and family.

Glenn Jordan spent Monday in Comanche.

Mrs. Electra Hattox and sons of Alameda spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Richberg.

Mrs. Carra Sessum visited her daughter, Mrs. John Kiker and family of Carbon Sunday.

Don't forget the singing at Kokomo next Sunday at 8 P. M.



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SHORT STORY

Moving Day

By EDWARD EARL LEE

THE quitting bell sounded through the office and immediately ordered routine gave way to confusion as workers prepared to leave. That is, all but one. Jerome Clayton remained seated, elbows leaning on the polished top and cupped palms supporting his chin.

3-Minute Fiction

Jerry's abstracted gaze watched employees' hurried exits. His emotionless voice answered hastily uttered farewells. Last Friday he had been part of that scene. This Friday... well, no use hurrying home to be greeted by four bare walls.

Of course, Helen would take the furniture. She had bought it by installments from her salary. Jerry recalled how her grey eyes lighted with pleasure when first she had seen the suite. "Modernistic Design," she had announced, identifying it.

A slammed door interrupted his reverie causing him to glance up. He recognized the elevator operator and realized the man was taking his last look around to ascertain if all the employees had gone. Jerry hurriedly locked the desk, slapped on his hat and rode down.

It was then he remembered Jack's poker session, pre-arranged for six o'clock. He shrugged. All week he had been groping for a suitable excuse to tell Helen. Now that none was required, he had no desire to sit in at the game. Well, no use mooning around down here. He walked away slowly with no destination in mind, his thoughts tumbling over one another.

So, after a year, this was the end. Helen should have known that Grace meant nothing to him. Had he not done everything except tell her bluntly that he was not interested? But Helen thought otherwise and had started acting up to that Charlie with the patent-leather hair.

Jerry's thoughts were rudely jerked back to the present by the sound of screeching brakes and the vitriolic tirade of a truck driver. He was crossing a street with the red light against him. Grinning sheepishly he glanced at the street sign to determine his location, then started, surprised. He was only one block from home. His subconscious mind had directed him to the route habitually followed when returning from work.

Jerry turned the corner slowly. Suddenly his mouth felt dry. There was a sickening void where his stomach should have been. Weights seemed attached to his feet as he shambled on unwillingly, yet unable to stop. In front of the house was the furniture. No chance of his mistaking that "Modernistic Design." One of the draymen went in as Jerry came abreast the dwelling. The second one said:

"Gotta match, pal?"
"No. But will a lighter do?"
"Okay. Thanks."

He accepted the instrument and began the somewhat difficult task



Helen had started acting up to that Charlie with the patent-leather hair. of endeavoring to light his pipe with a cigarette lighter.

"Beats all," he grumbled between puffs, "how much extra work people can cause. Take this customer, for instance. We get her stuff all packed, drives to her new place, and what happens? Says she's changed her mind and wants it hauled back."

"What!" exclaimed Jerry. "Yeah," the mover continued. "I was surprised myself. But I think she's nuts. When we get back here she bursts out crying and runs up the steps like... Hey, here's your—"

The drayman removed his pipe from between slack lips. He scratched the lobe of his ear with the stem and a puzzled frown wrinkled his face.

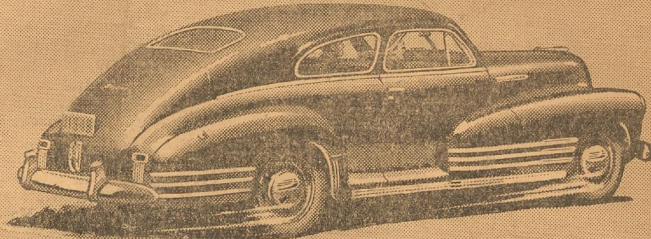
He started to pick up a chair to carry in. Then he began to grin.

Dropping the chair, he hoisted the loveseat on his back.

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HEALTH NOTES Austin—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning to parents that this is the season for an increase in dysentery, diarrhea and "summer complaint." "The chief cause of these intestinal diseases are contaminated milk; water or food; allowing the child to get overheated or exhausted; excessive sugar in the babies formula; and improper amount of food," Dr. Cox said. "All foods

should be fresh and clean, and leftovers should be properly refrigerated to prevent spoilage." Dr. Cox urged supreme care in the preparation of a feeding formula for infants. He said it should be prescribed by a physician, and that cleanliness and refrigeration were absolute essentials. Babies should be fed at regular intervals and on a definite schedule, since upset if fed irregularly or whenever they are fretful or restless. The State Health Officer declared that dysentery is transmitted by flies and said every home should be weel-screened and free of flies. "If dysentery or diarrhea develops, consult your physician at once," Dr. Cox advised. "This so-called 'summer complaint' can be a very serious menace to your baby's health, if not an actual threat to his life."



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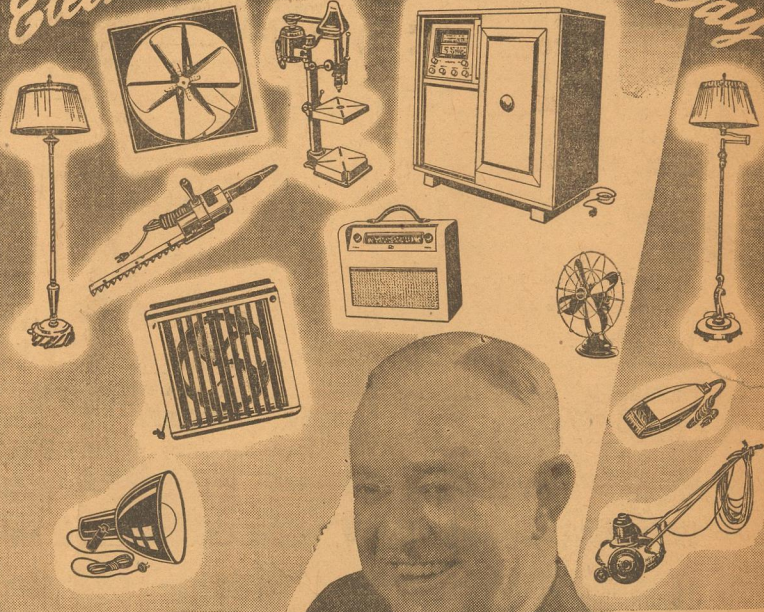
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Carbon News

Mrs. Bernard Campbell was hostess of a standby party in her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. J. D. Gorman of Cisco demonstrated lots of useful things about the home. Ice tea and cookies were served to the following guests: Mrs. C. E. Reynolds of Cisco, Mmes: Clyde Campbell, Benny Lee Snodgrass, Short McDaniel, J. R. Tonn, Mamie Redwine, Glyn Justice, Lon Medford, Todd Medford, C. D. Simmons, Gorman, Mrs. J. D. Gorman of Cisco and hostess, Mrs. Bernard Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Livingstone, Coy and Storley of Cisco visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hazelwood Sunday.

Bridal Shower

A large number of friends gathered last Thursday P. M. in the home of Mrs. Mamie Redwine, honoring Mrs. Fennie Snodgrass with a lovely shower of beautiful and useful gifts to start their new home.

After a nice visit with friends and neighbors, the bride opened the many gifts with a look of admiration in her face and a glow of thanksgiving in her heart.

When each gift was opened and aided by every guest, refreshments of pink and green homemade cake and punch were served to the following guests:

Mmes: E. L. Black, Ben Stephenson, Bud Black, Conway Underwood, Nick Duggan, Elmer McDaniel, De Elton Turner, Bernard Campbell, Glen Gray, A. W. Arnold, Clyde Campbell, D. D. Sandlin, Will Tate, Lottie Fox, Elbert Snodgrass, Babe Mitchell, Red Mitchell, L. E. Tonn, Elton Guy, and the elder Mrs. Guy, Mrs. Bennie Snodgrass, the honoree and her

mother, Mrs. J. R. Tonn and Mrs. Mamie Redwine, hostess. Misses: Ethel Phillips, Mary Lee Harlow, Jessie Cavanaugh, Esther Lee Gilbert, Jane Anderson, Meredith Black, Christine Rhyne, and Dorothy Snodgrass.

Those sending gifts: Mmes: H. Hall, G. A. Mason, Violet Clark, Wade Clark, J. W. Jackson, Elbert Jackson, Effie Mae Brown, Myrtle Murray and daughter Janette, W. E. Trimble, W. M. Dunn, Georgia Davis, J. A. Shirley and H. L. Shirley of Big Spring, Mrs. M. E. Dunn, Mr. George Snodgrass and girls, Daphne and Sara Jo.

The best wishes of many friends go with Janyce as she goes in a few days to join her husband, who is employed by the Shamrock Oil Co. of Dumas, Texas. The young couple will make their home in Dumas.

Thank You

There comes a time in the life of everyone when the words "thank you" seem to express what we want them to. That's the way we feel when we think of all the lovely and useful gifts presented to us at the shower given for us in the home of Mrs. Mamie Redwine last Thursday afternoon. We wish to take this means to let you, our many friends, know that we do appreciate them every one and are truly thankful from the bottom of our hearts.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Snodgrass
Mr. and Mrs. Edward White of Demmings, visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Clack, also her parents of Eastland.

Mrs. J. M. Bruce and daughter of Weatherford visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Yarbrough last week.

Mrs. W. S. Maxwell, Mrs. L. Barnett and Mrs. Bill Vencil visited in Glen Rose last week.

Mary Lawson of De Leon visited Miss Gladys Green last week.

Mrs. Frankie Phillips of Roscoe is visiting her sister Mrs. Gladys Richardson.

Mrs. Devoe Dover and daughter Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Robertson and family visited their sister Mrs. Elmer Herring of Merkel.

Glenna Ray stayed over for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis F. Speer and son, Travis Dee, of Rankin, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Pogue and family. L. Barnett, J. T. Wilson and G. A. Mason went fishing on the Clear Fork Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Speer and children of Tom Ball spent several days with his mother, Mrs. May Speer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hendrix of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tate.
Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Brown of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hendrix spent Sunday at Possum Kingdom Dam.

Mrs. Wade White has returned home after an extended visit with her son Basel White and wife of Jal, New Mexico. Mrs. Lillie McAdoo of Ft. Stockton, New Mexico returned with her for a visit.

Mrs. L. D. McCurry and children left Sunday for Subic Bay where she will join her husband who is in the service.

Pearl Payne of Alhambra, California and C. Schooler of Austin are visiting their sister Mrs. Wade White.

Ted Ray Medford of Clifton, Arizona is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lon Medford.
Royce McGaha is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. McGaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crow visited his mother of De Leon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Rhyne and son of Borger visited relatives here over the week end; also Mrs. P. D. Rhyne and baby in Gorman.



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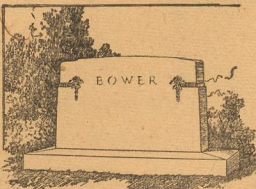
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For Constable, Precinct Two

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Cheaney News

Mrs. Bill Tucker

Dan Phillips of Abilene filled the Baptist preaching appointment Sunday in the absence of Paul Stephens, away in a meeting.

Harry Caudle, Burley Saint and Theron Perrin left Saturday for work in the wheat harvest.

Mrs. Florence Yancey and Mrs. Mattie Moody represented Salem H. D. Club along with other members of Howard and Bass Lake Clubs in a clothing training school led by Mrs. Marquardt at Desdemona, Thursday, June 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shook were callers in the Olive Pilgrim home Sunday.

Members of Salem and Alameda H. D. Clubs who attended County Council at Eastland Wednesday, were Mesdames: Rodgers, Swaim, Tucker, Fonville, Ferrin, Ferrell, Love and Blackwell. Mrs. John Love and Mrs. Bill Tucker also were numbered on a committee which met Monday the 14th with the Commissioners Court to ask for appropriations to secure another Home Demonstration Agent to take the place of Mrs. Helen Marquardt whose resignation is effective June 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and Sharon visited in Ranger Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb and their new baby daughter Kathryn June. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Calvert of Ranger.

Miss Betty Tucker spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. Richard Tucker

Mrs. Eula Hart has had all of her children visiting her recently Mr. and Mrs. James Hart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hart and son of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hart and daughter of Andrews, also Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mahaffey and baby of Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Love and family were visitors with the Church of Christ on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman returned Sunday from visiting her father Cicero Weekes, while Dick Weekes and family visited in Portales, New Mexico.

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There will be special singing every night and all are invited to attend these services.

POLITICAL DATES FOR COUNTY LISTED BY LYERLA

Oscar Lyerla, chairman of the executive committee of the Democratic party in Eastland County, has issued the following political calendar for the county.

June 19—Last day for candidates seeking County and Precinct offices to have name placed on ticket.

June 21—County committees meet to determine the order of ballot, and apportion cost of primaries among candidates.

June 24—First day for candidates and campaign managers to file first expense account for primary.

June 26—Last day for county and precinct officers to pay apportionate cost of election to county chairman.

June 28—Last day for candidates and campaign managers to file first expense account for primary.

July 4—First day for absentee voting. Absentee voters shall apply to County Clerk to vote not more than 20 or less than 3 days prior to first primary.

July 12—First day for candidates and campaign managers to file second expense account for primary.

July 20—Last day for absentee voting for first primary.

July 24—Date for first primary. In counties of 150,000 or more according to the last Federal census polls shall be open 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. In all other counties, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Any renewal of exemption certificates of people more than 60 years of age does not apply in this county. It applies only in cities or towns of 10,000 population or more. Any person who became 60 years of age before January 1st, 1947 may vote without poll tax receipt or exemption certificate. OSCAR LYERLA, Chairman Executive Committee, Eastland County

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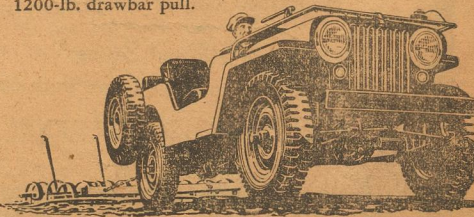
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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinney of Stamford visited his mother Mrs. Andy Kinney, Monday.

Mrs. Ressie Mosley spent the week end in Comanche with her daughter Mrs. Bob Burton and family.

A. S. Whit H. Russell of Houston spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Johnson of Kokomo spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Parker.

David Goodwin and Gene Parker were in Eastland Monday attending a school in Triple A work.

Guest in the home of their father P. S. Pullig and sister Miss Della, were Mrs. Loma McKnight and son Don and Mrs. Fannie Burkett of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Barker of Abilene, former residents of Gorman visited her brother R. H. Patterson and Mrs. Patterson Monday.

Mrs. Sam Powers and Sammie of Stephenville spent the week end in Gorman.

W D Canton of Eastland, who has recently been discharged from the Navy was a week end visitor of his sister, Mrs. Floyd A McCormack.

Mrs. Homer Mason received word Monday that her aunt Mrs. Jeff Moore had passed away at her home in California. She stated that the funeral would be held in

California Wednesday.

Mrs. W. T. Broom, Shirley and Lynn Hale spent the week end in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stanfield; Mrs. W. T. Broom and Shirley; Mrs. Jonnie Hale and Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Porter and Georgia attended the funeral of Mrs. Besie Morrow, neice of Mrs. Stanfield's, in Brownwood Tuesday.

Mrs. Nell Hankins of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Hankins of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean part of last week.

Mrs. Frankie McDonald, Mrs. Flossie Underwood and Mrs. Judy Phillips spent Monday in F. Worth

Lt. and Mrs. E. W. Linder, Laura and twin boys are in Gorman visiting relatives. Mrs. Linder and children will remain for an extended visit while Lt. Linder is attending instructor school at Randolph Field.

Verna Fa Keyser of Dallas is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Euna Koonce and Miss ClaraONEY

Mrs. J. C. Whitehurst of Aquilla visited Mr. and Mrs. Ora Browning last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Belyeu and son Peary and family of Sundown spent the week end in Gorman visiting friends and relatives.

C. E. Goss of Gladewater visited the Progress office last week to bring greetings from Phil Shipp and family.

Those who have visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C.

Claitor recently are: Mrs. Eula Jamison of Sweetwater, La., Mrs. Claitor's mother; Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Lee, Montrose, Calif.; an aunt Mrs. Lee, will be remembered here as Emma McCord; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Park and children of Weslaco Texas, who is known here as the former Dona Belle Jamison.

Louise Moore and Frances Claitor went to Temple, Texas last week.

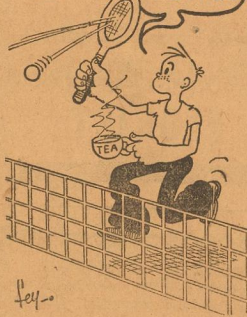
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hallmark and children, also W. S. Reynolds and daughter visited Mrs. Hallmark and W. S. parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Reynolds of Fletcher, Oklahoma during the past week.

Mrs. Hallmark's sister Jean returned home with her.

Pfc. Boyd D. Reynolds of the Army Air Corps, Austin, was guest in the homes of his brother and sister, W. S. Reynolds and Mrs. T. J. Hallmark the past week end.

Miss Deola Moates of Houston is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ab Butler. Miss Moates attended the Hankins College Re-union and also visited the Progress office.

WE LIKE TO PRINT NEWS OF THE SOCIAL AND ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES OF OUR YOUNG PEOPLE



Jack Bennett attended a Philco Dealer meeting at Brownwood Tuesday evening. Jack said the meeting was fine especially the fried chicken and ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Glasson enjoyed a visit from her sisters Mrs. Mae Dowdy - Mrs. Odessa Young of Fort Worth and Mrs. Onida Whatley her sister-in-law of Houston over the week end.

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MENS CONRO BRAND OVERALLS	2.98	2.79
BOYS JEANS, 1 through 16	2.25	1.98
BOYS OVERALLS, 1 through 16	2.25	1.98
GIRLS JEANS, 2 through 12	2.25 and 2.45	1.98
LADIES JEANS, 10 through 20	2.95	2.45

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Slashed to the bottom for this sale
Plaid and check Gingham, Solids and Stripes, Chambrays Dolly Dimple Batiste, 809 Sq. Prints of small checks - Red Blue and Green with white rots
White Broadcloth, Flocked Organdy, with blue and red dots
Originally some of these goods sold for as much as .98 per yard. Come early and buy what you want at 59c per yd.
OTHER PIECE GOODS REDUCED ACCORDINGLY

SHOES

One special lot - Some of these shoes originally sold at 3.98 - pick them out at \$1.00 per pair
SANDALS - Still good for the hot days ahead - MARKED DOWN FROM 4.95 to 3.95.
ALL LADIES AND CHILDRENS SHOES REDUCED FOR THIS SALE

STRAW HATS

We still have a good assortment of Mens Dress Straws at - 1.49 to 1.98
MENS DRESS PANAMA STRAWS Reduced to 3.98
ONE LOT OF GIRLS STRAWS Going At 39c
One lot Ladies Straws

LADIES STRAW HATS

One Lot Were 98c Now 79c
One Lot Were 79c Now 59c
One Lot Were 49c Now 39c

A Very Special Offer To The Ladies

PANTIES valued up to 98 cents - pick them out as long as they last at 49 cents a pair !!

LADIES RAYON and 45 guage NYLON HOSE Valued up to 1.49 a pair - Going at 69c a pair at this sale
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Washington, D. C.—Security Loan meeting finds President Harry S. Truman and Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Republican leader of House of Representatives, on same platform in support of Savings Bonds Campaign to build security for individual Americans and the nation as a whole. Volunteers from all parts of nation, meeting here to organize community canvasses to reach every potential buyer of Savings Bonds, heard President Truman call attention to Speaker Martin's presence: "I am more than happy to see my good friend, Joe Martin, here to give his blessing to this drive." At left in photo are Secretary of the Treasury, John W. Snyder and Vernon L. Clark, Volunteer National Director of the United States Savings Bonds Division.

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These are not just opinions, but proven facts. A covered corrugated field in a good, brisk rain, will absorb 200 per cent more moisture than a bare field and 60 per cent more than a field with vegetable matter plowed into the surface. To supply this covering for the soil without the expense of artificial cover, and to place the soil in a condition to by-pass the moisture through the top soil is the purpose and achievement of the Graham-Hoeme Plow.

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